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THE WESTERN LURE

The Times has seen a copy of a letter sent out by a company which is selling lots in western Canada. The gentleman who received this letter was informed that the company had been advised to write to him and "a few other reliable friends" to represent the company among their friends and acquaintances.

"In remuneration for your time, we will give you ABSOLUTELY FREE, one of the Building Lots in our new Town Site that we are working on. These lots will be selling for \$200 apiece when the survey is completed. Do not send us any money for this lot, as it is absolutely free to you, as a friend, in order that you will advertise us."

After telling of the active demand for shares in the company itself, as rapidly advancing prices, one man making a hundred dollars in one day by getting in early, the letter gives a price on 200 shares of stock and adds that they will be advanced almost immediately. This valuable information appears to be thrown in casually, but along with it are "three special orders worth \$10 each, for you to use among your friends." The friends can send these in to the company, "as a first payment on their application for shares, paying the balance at \$4 per month."

Total amount they are to pay is not stated, but they are assured that "when they have paid in full, we guarantee a producing farm, ready to live on." The impressive fact is then stated that "this system of ready-made farms eliminates fear of old age and makes one independent."

"I am also enclosing one order for yourself to use on your own application. Sign it, and make a cross opposite the district in which you would like us to make your farm. The building lot which we will give you will be picked out by myself personally, and if you or your friends should like to live on the new farm within one year, let us know so that we can make arrangements to build there on."

With a parting injunction to send forward his own and his friends' applications by return mail, the writer assures the New Brunswick man that if he will look after the matter personally it will bring gladness to him in the future.

Possibly quite a number of people in this province have received this offer of a lot that will be worth \$200 when the survey is completed. The generosity of the western firm, which has a long name and an imposing letter head, is quite remarkable. Nevertheless, the advice of the Times would be to look over the possibilities of investment nearer home, before tapping this western source of wealth which eliminates the fear of old age.

THE COAL STRIKE

It is to the credit of men of all parties in politics in the British parliament that when a grave crisis occurs the government is given a free hand to deal with the situation. Premier Asquith yesterday asked the members of the house to refrain from comment on the coal strike, and the opposition leader cordially endorsed the plea. The situation is a grave one for not only are the miners idle but hundreds of thousands of factory operatives are also out of work or will be very soon if the strike continues. Transportation interests are also seriously affected. Even in France, the channel ports are beginning to suffer through the idleness of dock workers. Every day the strike continues the people will grow worse, and therefore the government has the best wishes of the people of all parties in its efforts to bring the mine and mill owners to the point of agreement. The London Statist gives the following statement of the situation:—"The present impasse arises from the discussion as to the remuneration of miners engaged in difficult places, but this matter has been practically adjusted, as the colliery owners are willing to give a minimum wage for work done in difficult places and have agreed to the appointment of local joint committees to settle difficulties of this kind. The question of a minimum wage for difficult working has, however, raised a matter of much greater importance—it has caused a demand to be put forward for a minimum wage for all workers 30 per cent over the 1888 standard, and it is here that the trouble begins. Hitherto a rate of 37 1/2 per cent over the standard of 1888 has been the agreed minimum for piece-work, while the actual rate of wages for the last three years has been 30 per cent over the 1888 standard. Hence there is no insuperable difficulty in the matter of no insuperable difficulty in the matter of piece-work, but the miners have put forward a demand for an individual minimum wage in each district for miners working on the face of the coal. In other words, it is suggested that whether a miner produces the quantity of coal which would entitle him to receive the minimum wage or not, it is to be paid to him, thus converting him from a 'piece' to a 'time' worker. The employers maintain that if there is no minimum rate of output for a minimum rate of wage there would be no incentive to the workmen to give a square day's work for a fair day's pay. Accordingly, they have suggested that the miner who does not produce the minimum quantity of coal for the minimum wage shall receive 1s. per day less than the miner who produces the minimum quantity required. The representatives of the miners recognize the justice of the demand that a minimum wage shall be attended by a minimum production, and

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THE FAR-OFF CALL

If out beyond the city's farthest edge There were no roads that led through sleepy towns, No winds to blow through any thorny hedge,

No pathways over hush-lifted dunes, Might not, when the day begins, be said, Because I toil among the money-mad,

If out beyond the distant hill there lay No valley graced by any winding stream, And if no alms, white sleepers far away Might mark the spots where drowsy hamlets dream,

I could, perhaps, at midday be content Where striving millions at their tasks are bent.

If far away from noise and strife and care There were no buds to swell on waiting trees, No maling birds to spill upon the air, The liquid sweetness of their melodies, I might, at sunset be serene and proud Because a few had seen me in the crowd.

The Chicago Record-Herald.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

Nell—Mrs. Dash used to say she would marry the best man she could get.

"Well," she replied Spiffkins sadly, "I played cards with a couple."

The Vicar (to sexton)—"Why don't you see that the seats in the church are dusted now and then, Evans?"

Evans (the sexton)—"I do, sir; the congregation does it every Sunday morning, sir."

Jones—"Dear me! You say you often lay down the law to your wife. How do you go about it?"

Bones—"Why, all you need is firmness. I usually go into my study, lock the door, and do it through the keyhole."

Smith—"Yes, sir, that boy of mine is a piano player. Why he can play with his toes."

Brown—"How old is he?"

Brown—"I've got a boy at home who can play with his toes and he's only one year old."

"Well," said the cheerful wife, who thought she had a soprano voice, "the worst case of the worst, I could keep the wolf from the door by singing."

"I don't doubt that would do it," replied the husband, who had suffered much, "but suppose the wolf should happen to be deaf?"

A CHERRUB'S SERMON. (Cincinnati—Examiner.)

I'd rather cause a man to laugh than warn him that his epitaph must some day wear a stone.

We're sinners all right, hear in mind The chief is he who is unkind— Who makes another groan.

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Let us fill every prescription for the little one.

Horace S. Withee, who has been a mail carrier on route No. 1, Skowhegan, Me., for the last ten years, has never missed a trip or failed to reach the postoffice on time. He lives four miles from the post office and travels 32 1/2 miles every mail day. He estimates that in all he has travelled 100,440 miles, equal to sixteen trips to the Pacific coast and back.

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With only three cents in money, although he had a furnished steamer, Frank Hines, a young man from Halifax, Nova Scotia, appeared at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York the other day and asked for two days' board and lodging.

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JACK LONDON SHIPS AROUND CAPE HORN

He Will Be Mate and His Wife Stewardess of Square Rigger on Long Voyage

To satisfy his ambition to round the Horn in a square rigged Yankee clipper, Jack London, the novelist, with his wife and Japanese man servant, has signed as one of the crew of the Dirigo, which will leave this week from Baltimore for Seattle with a cargo of coal.

Five months hence Capt. Omar E. Chapman expects to have the Dirigo in the Bremerton navy yard, near Seattle, and then she will go into dry dock to be fitted with auxiliary power in anticipation of the opening of the Panama canal.

He came to New York in January from his ranch at Glen Ellen, Calif., in search of a berth aboard a clipper ship booked for a long voyage around the outskirts of the western hemisphere.

Although shipping as mate, stewardess and galley boy, respectively, Mr. and Mrs. London and their Japanese attendant will bunk in comfortable quarters above deck and are putting aboard rather more luggage than ordinary seagoers.

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DRIVE AND PRESENTATION

The Junior Mission Band of St. Columba's Presbyterian church, Fairville, held an enjoyable drive through the city on Friday afternoon and returned to the home of Mrs. Samuel Galbraith, where refreshments were served and games were played.

TO COLOR CURTAIN

If you will take old net curtains (fishnet will do) and dip them in a tubful of soapy water, then in a tub containing a solution of 10 cents worth of copperas, repeat and hang up to dry, the result will be a beautiful deep burnt orange color, which gives a sunset effect in the darkest room.—Washington Herald.

WELL, WELL! THIS IS A HOME DYE THAT ANYONE CAN USE. DYOLA

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Net Blouses in Black and Ecrú with three-quarter and kimono sleeves, all silk lined. Original prices \$3.50 to \$6.00. Sale prices \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Black Net Blouses, embroidered with Copenhagen blue; Black Net Blouses over gold embroidery on black silk; Black Net Blouses over catarwa, handsomely embroidered. Original prices \$6.50 to \$7.50. Sale prices \$3.50 and \$4.50.

Colored Striped Silk Blouses, green and white with black silk band trimming; kimono sleeves. Black and White Striped Blouses with royal blue and emerald green trimmings. Original prices \$5.25 to \$6.50. Sale prices \$3.90 and \$4.25.

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FINE EMBROIDERY FLOUNCINGS An Array of Dainty Designs For Lingerie Dresses. Two Special Values at 45 cents and 58 cents yard.

TASSELS stand in high favor as dress trimmings this season and are used on girdles, yokes and sleeves. They come in black, white, navy or champagne silk or pearl, cut steel and gold bead effect, at 8 cents to 50 cents each.

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AMUSEMENTS IN ST. JOHN; WHAT THE PLAYHOUSES OFFER

AT THE OPERA HOUSE The audience which assembled last evening in the Opera House witnessed a production of Ethel Barrymore's successful play "Sunday," by the Myrtle-Harder Co.

Myrtle played the role with commendable ability. Four characters who lent material strength to the success of the play were those of the men, young and old, who had helped to educate "Sunday" from childhood to womanhood. As "Lively," Mr. Dempsey easily made a fine impression. His make-up was especially good, while his every expression, enunciation and depiction of the frail old man were cleverly executed. Mr. Roche played "Jacky" satisfactorily, as did Mr. Dewey and Mr. Marsden as "Tower" and "Davy," but

their make-ups could have been improved in so far as facial characteristics were concerned. Mr. Berlin had little to do as Colonel Brintrope, but he enacted the role gracefully, while Mr. Osborne and Mr. Brown also played to advantage. The play is entirely a piece for one person, a woman, and as such it served its purpose to bring Ethel Barrymore further distinction, through her use of it as a starring vehicle. It was staged very nicely, the scenic effects being cleverly arranged.

MODERNIZED. (Cleveland Plain Dealer.) "That story of the building of the Tower of Babel should be modernized." "But how would you account for the confusion of tongues?" "Why, I suppose they had the tower pretty nearly up and then somebody yelled 'Graft!' and everybody accused everybody else and the job was held up."

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- TO LET—Store No. 130 Brussels street, occupied as Dry Goods store for over 20 years. 2028-3-9. SHOP TO LET—229 Haymarket Square. 1228-3-30. SHOP TO RENT—No. 7 Waterloo street. Enquire L. G. Belys, Central Fish Store. 230-4-1. TO LET—Stores in new building corner Union and Brussels St. heated, Apply H. McCollough, 71 Dock St., phone 800. 178-4-1.

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Mill street, steam heating, vault, hardwood floor; shipping privilege on Drury Lane; freight elevator; well lighted front and rear; could be converted into an excellent suite of offices. Also part of Fourth Flat. Apply to John O'Regan, 17 Mill street. 1678-4-1.

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COTTAGES

- COTTAGE AND FIELD TO LET—At Red Head. Apply Mrs. Osborne, 67 Sewell street. 1929-3-7. TO LET—Self-contained cottage, 7 Prospect street. Apply on premises or telephone Main 188-21. 293-4-1. TO LET—Self-contained cottage with modern improvements; electric lights and bath; situated on Dune Ave., Lancaster Heights, opposite Tilton's Corner. Also lower flat with modern improvements, electric lights and bath. Apply to Geo. Maxwell, Lancaster Heights, St. John West. 244-4-1.

HOUSES

- TO LET—Self contained house with six acres of ground, west end. Apply G. H. Clarke, 28 Victoria street. 2074-3-9. TO LET—Dwelling No. 5 Elliott Row, at present occupied by Mr. T. Leonard Burke. May be seen Tuesday and Thursday 3 to 5. Rental \$20.00. Apply to Mrs. W. C. Gibb, 121 King street. 2030-3-9. TO LET—House, 25 Carleton street, nine rooms and bathroom, rental \$25 a month. Inspection Tuesday and Friday from 3 to 5 o'clock. Apply to L. P. D. Tilley, 120 Prince Wm. street. 1925-3-7. TO LET—House 246 King street, West, containing 8 rooms and bath. Phone Main 218-21. Mrs. J. Woodland. 1886-4-6. TO LET—House at, Robthey, Phone Main 243-4-1. TO LET—Self-contained house 130 Duke street, eleven rooms. Can be seen Thursday afternoons. Apply 104 Union street. 214-4-1. TO LET—Self-contained house 210 King street east, warm, modern improvements; will paper and paint throughout; see Monday 2:30 to 4. Apply Miss Meritt, 120 Union street. 216-4-1. HOUSE 164 1/2 Waterloo street, ten rooms, bath, hot water; seen Tuesday and Friday 2 to 5. M. G. Adams, 168 Waterloo street. 1963-4-4. TO LET OR FOR SALE—Large self-contained Brick Dwelling House, No. 148 Germain street, eleven rooms and bath room. Rooms well lighted in good condition, warm and comfortable; well lighted, with modern improvements. W. Trueman, 120 Union street. 216-4-1. TO LET OR FOR SALE—Large self-contained Brick Dwelling House, No. 148 Germain street, eleven rooms and bath room. Rooms well lighted in good condition, warm and comfortable; well lighted, with modern improvements. W. Trueman, 120 Union street. 216-4-1. TO LET—Winter Flat Restaurant and upper flat in same building 141 Union street. West End. Apply to Mrs. Rhea, 18 Mill street. Phone 2000-11. 2103-3-7. TO LET—Barn room for driving horse, also upstairs for storage. 730 Main street. 1963-4-4. OFFICE TO LET in Canterbury street, with light and heat; suitable for insurance or similar line. Apply morning or afternoon to Manager Daily Telegraph. 23-4-1. TO LET—Hall used for private school; would make good office; heated by hot water. Apply O. B. Akery, 31 Waterloo street. 250-4-1. SUBURBAN COTTAGES TO LET—Ingleside, N. B. new cottage, seven rooms. Hot and cold water, set range, garden, plenty of milk, cream, butter and eggs delivered at the door a fine view. Telephone connection. E. G. Rowe, 156-4-1. TO RENT—By the year, Cottage at Hampton, occupied by Mr. Healding. Inquire on premises. 198-4-1. HOUSES at Ononette and Westfield To Let. Apply C. F. Inches. 128-4-1. ROOMS AND BOARDING ROOMS AND BOARDING, 23 Peters street. 43. ROOM TO LET—Furnished room in private home; central location; telephone; bath. F. care Times office. TO LET—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 331 City Road. 194-4-1. ROOMS WITH BOARD—42 Waterloo St. 64-4-1. BOARDING—44 Emouth street. 64-4-1. ROOMS with board. Mrs. McAfee, 160 Princess street. 955-4-1. LOST LOST—GOLD BROOCH with three pearls. Sunday in city proper. Reward on returning to Times office. LOST FROM SLEIGH—Friday afternoon, Lady's purse, containing \$14.00 in bills and some change; on Orange street, Sydney near Queen Square, Pagan Place or Sandy Point Road. Will suffer please leave at Telegraph office or 36 Orange street, Reward. 296-4-1. PERSONAL If the party seeking information in the Times of the 26th December will write to George W. Couillard Box 103 Wakefield, Mass., they will receive the information asked for. 1678-4-1.

MR. ADVERTISER

The Circulation of the Evening Times For Each Day of last week was as follows:—

Table showing circulation figures for each day of the week: Feb. 26 Monday - 11,404; 27 Tuesday - 10,723; 28 Wednesday - 11,400; 29 Thursday - 11,400; 01 Friday - 11,328; 02 Saturday - 11,411. Week's Total - 67,666. Average Daily - 11,277. Mr. Advertiser:—If your Ad. isn't in the Times to-day, hadn't you better call, write, or telephone? Think it over.

WANTED

- WANTED—A second-hand female teacher for school district No. 5 Parish of Musquash. Term to begin April 1st. Apply Wm. McHale, Secretary Prince of Wales, N. B. 2139-3-12. WANTED—Attention! Please remember that RED ROSE FLOUR is a straight Manitoba. It comes in 48 lbs. and 24 1/2 lb. bags. There is no flour any better than it. WILL EXCHANGE a delivery pump in good condition for set of city boiler. Apply R. N. Dean, 72 St. James. 2116-3-4. TRAVELLERS WANTED—For each Province capable salesman with good connection among manufacturers or general stores. State what you have sold, where employers' address and time employed; if salary or commission in each case. Immediate permanent opening and high remuneration for first class men only. Mr. Cow, 314 Corstine Building, Montreal. 2139-3-7. BOARD WANTED for workman and two children, school age. Address Box 62, care Times. 2115-3-7. WANTED TO BUY—A summer cottage near city preferred. State location and lowest cash price to Suburbanite, care Times. 2093-3-5. WANTED—Boys 4 to 16 years of age, good nature, intelligent, to work in a schoolhouse. Teachers March 5 to 7 p. m. 2008-3-4. WANTED—An express horse, J. E. Cowan, 29 Main street. 2084-4-1. BOOKKEEPER WANTED—Apply Bookkeeper, Times office. 291-4-1. THREE ENERGETIC YOUNG MEN with business experience for special work with the Spritella Co. good salaries by letter. Mrs. Alquist, Prov. Mgr., 68 Sydney street. 2065-3-8. WANTED—Furnished, a Suite of Parlors, and one or two plain rooms in same house. Must be central. Will rent for one year. Apply to F. care Times office. 2115-3-7. WANTED—Five or six rooms unfurnished or partially furnished, from May 1st to Oct. 1st, by respectable party. Address X. Y. Z. Times office. 220-4-1. WANTED—First class Coat Makers, constant employment. A. Gilmore, 68 King street. 1963-4-4. WANTED—Experienced floor manager for one of the finest dancing places in city. Applying salary to Box 72 care Times. 145-4-1. BY FIRST OF MAY—a centrally located, with eight or nine rooms with furnace—hot water heating preferred (no basement). Address A. A. care Times. 573. WANTED—50 men and boys for free share and bar cut; first class work done. H. J. Green, Barber College, 734 Main street. 1709-4-1. COAL AND WOOD SYDNEY and other good soft coal at \$5 a ton up. James S. McGovern, 5 St. John street. Telephone 42. SCOTCH and AMERICAN Anthracite, Broad Core and Reserve Sydney soft. Orders promptly attended to. T. M. Wisland & Co., 21 Brussels. Phone Main 1897. WANTED TO PURCHASE WANTED—To purchase Gentlemen's cast-off clothing (footwear, fur coats, jewelry, diamonds, musical instruments, amers, bicycles, guns, revolvers, tools, lates, etc. Call or write H. Gilbert, 24 Mill street. Phone Main 2292-11. TAILORING THE BESTON Custom Ladies' Tailor makes suits from \$15.00 to \$25.00; Cloth and all. A good fitting guaranteed; also any cloth brought in. We make up for \$10.00. Trimming and all. Don't forget the number, 608 Main street. Telephone Main 435-11. FOUND FOUND—Pair of eye glasses. Owner can have same by calling at C. H. Townsend Piano Co., proving property and paying for this ad. 266-4-1. HAIRDRESSING MISS N. McGRATH, 124 Charlotte street (New York Graduate), Hairdressing, Manicuring, Shampooing, Facial Massage and Scalp, etc. (Electrical Hair Work a Specialty.) Phone 1414-31. 356-5-13. FOUND FOUND—Pair of eye glasses. Owner can have same by calling at C. H. Townsend Piano Co., proving property and paying for this ad. 266-4-1.

WANTED—MALE HELP

- FOR SALE—Incubator, Cyphers, 130 Queen St. W. 2141-31. 2129-3-7. BOY WANTED—Apply Washburn Nagle & Earle, 29 Canterbury street. 354-4-1. WANTED—Boys 14 to 16 years of age, to learn dry goods business. Apply at once, M. C. Gibbs, Sackville, N. B., or J. A. Gibbs, Waterloo street. 283-4-1. WANTED—A barber, must be a first-class workman, good wages. Apply at once, M. C. Gibbs, Sackville, N. B., or J. A. Gibbs, Waterloo street. 283-4-1. WANTED—A young man as driver for a retail business. Apply by writing with references to Driver, care Times Office. 283-4-1. PLUMBER WANTED—Apply Phillip Grattan, 68 Main street. 246-4-1. BOY WANTED—At Once, H. C. Brown, 83 Germain street. 234-4-1. AT ONCE—Men wanted to learn Barber trade; expert instructions; constant practice; tools free; always sure employment for a barber; write for particulars. H. I. Greene, Barber College, 734 Main street, Corner Mill street, St. John, N. B. 1383-4-1. FOR SALE FOR SALE—Piano, in good order. Enquire 216 Charlotte street, West. Phone West 59-21. 304-4-1. FOR SALE—Cabinet bed. Apply Bed, Times office. 2123-3-7. S. C. White Lighthouse, Eggs \$1.00 and \$2.00. Setting two chicks. Call at McGrath's Furniture, Toy and Department Store, 170 1/2 and 174 Brussels street, St. John, N. B. 1703-3-8. FOR SALE—Household furniture consisting of parlor, diningroom and furniture for two bedrooms; also kitchen utensils. Apply Box Furniture, Times office. 2003-3-8. SALVATION ARMY WOOD YARD—Dry kindling for \$1.30, delivered. Phone Main 1961. NOW LANDED—A lot of dry goods, fruit and kindling. E. Lynch, 72 Duke street, West End. 1813-3-6. FOR SALE—Large Walnut Roll Top Desk in good condition. \$45.00. Apply Box 560, Saint John. 1703-3-8. FOR SALE—Two Rhode Island Red, \$3.50. Apply 38 Cranston Avenue. 251-4-1. FOR SALE—A second-hand Merry-go-round. Apply Messrs. Haley Bro & Co. City. 213-4-1. FOR SALE—One Rosewood Roller Top Desk, \$17.00; 2 wardrobes, \$7.00 and \$10.00 each; 7 piece hair cloth parlor suit, \$15.00; 2 sideboards, \$7.00 and \$10.00 each. At McGrath's Furniture, Toy and Department Store, 170 1/2 and 174 Brussels street, St. John, N. B. HOUSEHOLD BUG-KILLER—Eureka Cyclone Bug death, guaranteed to kill all kinds of bugs 1/2 pint can with sprayer. Colwell Bros, 61-63 Peters street. 89-4-1. FOR SALE—Eight Oak Dining Chairs, Leather bottoms, 1 sideboard, 1 extension dining table, 1 wardrobe, all in good order at a bargain. Address Box D. W., Times office. 1822-4-1. REMOVALS REMOVAL—John Gallagher, Ladies' Tailor, has removed from Room 8 at Opera House to 118 City Road, where he is prepared to meet his customers. 1822-3-13. F. C. WESLEY & CO., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 982. ENGRAVERS ENGRAVERS—F. C. Wesley & Co., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 982. REMOVALS REMOVAL—John Gallagher, Ladies' Tailor, has removed from Room 8 at Opera House to 118 City Road, where he is prepared to meet his customers. 1822-3-13. F. C. WESLEY & CO., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 982. ENGRAVERS ENGRAVERS—F. C. Wesley & Co., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 982. REMOVALS REMOVAL—John Gallagher, Ladies' Tailor, has removed from Room 8 at Opera House to 118 City Road, where he is prepared to meet his customers. 1822-3-13. F. C. WESLEY & CO., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 982. ENGRAVERS ENGRAVERS—F. C. Wesley & Co., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 982.

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PROPERTIES FOR SALE

- FOR SALE NOW—A nice little self-contained house, pleasantly situated at 243 Millidge Avenue. Apply No. 245, 2126-3-11. FOR SALE—A lot on Water street, West St. John, T. W. Morrison, 854 Prince William street. 2071-3-9. FOR SALE OR TO LET—House 331 Prince street, West; nine rooms, bath, furnace, large yards, trees, car. C. W. Winter Brown. 183-4-1. FOR SALE OR TO LET—Very desirable residence 73 Sewell street, every modern improvement. Burton L. Gerov, barrister-at-law, 102 Prince William street. 464-4-1. FOR SALE—Freehold property, Double tenement house at 178 Water street, West End. Apply on the premises to J. A. Craft. 1263-3-11. VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY—Large three-story tenement and barn in good repair, will rent May 1st, \$300, will net 14 per cent, sold subject to small mortgage 4 per cent interest. Situate 35 Erin street, near Courtenay Street. Building likely to be needed for port development. At all events is sure to greatly increase in value. Price \$1,500 over mortgage, offering for sale by Messrs. Fred Burley & Co., 40 Princess street. 272-4-1. CITY AND COUNTRY REAL ESTATE No. 1—Freehold 27x100, self-contained house, modern plumbing; also barn. Sold subject to small mortgage. A real estate. No. 2—Leasehold 4x125, new house, two nice flats, expense very low; ground rent \$24.00, pleasantly situated Millidge Avenue. Sold subject to small mortgage. Price \$400 over mortgage, will pay 25 per cent net. No. 3—Freehold 50x100, double house in good condition, situated at Water street. Sold subject to small mortgage. Price \$450 over mortgage. Will pay 20 per cent net. No. 4—Leasehold 34x125, large three-story house and barn, Erin street, near Courtenay Street. Subject to small mortgage. Price \$2,000 over mortgage. Will net 17 per cent. No. 5—Seven freehold building lots will sell separately or in block; three under 65 feet on C. P. R. track, and fronting to be needed in near future. These are all good properties with water and sewerage now. No. 6—Beautiful summer cottage, 7 rooms, at Ononette near river and station. Also building lots 7x130. Headquarters for New Brunswick Farms and Country Properties. ALFRED BURLEY & CO., 46 Princess St. Phones: Main 800; West 294. AGENTS WANTED AGENTS—\$50 to \$250 per week selling in St. John. Success Island-Vancouver. Apply to S. Simms Co., Ltd., Union street. 267-4-1. GENERAL GIRLS, cooks and housemaids always get best places and highest pay at Women's Exchange, 136 Union street. WANTED—A dining room girl. Apply Winter Park Restaurant, West Side. 171-4-1. SALESMEN WANTED SALESMEN WANTED for nursery stock, seed potatoes and automatic sprayers, either or all. Covers Bros., Galt, Ont. SALESMAN WANTED—Wanted, high class salesman for office specialty for St. John City, Salary or commission. Apply, with references, Specialty Limited, Foston, N. S. RELIABLE Representative Wanted—to meet the tremendous demand for fruit trees throughout New Brunswick at present, we wish to secure three or four good men to represent us as local and general agents. The special interest taken in the fruit growing business in New Brunswick offers exceptional opportunities for men of enterprise. We offer a permanent position and liberal pay to the right men. Stone & Wellington, Toronto, Ont. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES FOR SALE—Splendid business opportunity for party with small capital and good references to take over business and sell on premises. SPLENDID Opportunity for anyone wishing to start in the barber business without capital. Store and all accessories for barber business to let at 47 Brussels street. Also store No. 223 Union street. Apply Ashkins, 221 Union street. IRON FOUNDERS UNION FOUNDRY AND MACHINE Works Limited, George H. Waring, manager, West St. John, N. B. Engineers and Machinists, Iron and Brass Founders. REMOVALS REMOVAL—John Gallagher, Ladies' Tailor, has removed from Room 8 at Opera House to 118 City Road, where he is prepared to meet his customers. 1822-3-13. F. C. WESLEY & CO., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 982. ENGRAVERS ENGRAVERS—F. C. Wesley & Co., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 982. REMOVALS REMOVAL—John Gallagher, Ladies' Tailor, has removed from Room 8 at Opera House to 118 City Road, where he is prepared to meet his customers. 1822-3-13. F. C. WESLEY & CO., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 982. ENGRAVERS ENGRAVERS—F. C. Wesley & Co., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 982.

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MORNING LOCALS
The entertainment by the St. Stephen's Guild last evening was in charge of the historical committee. W. F. Hatheway, M. P., delivered an address, taking for his subject Some Famous Women. A very interesting programme included readings by D. B. Doig, Mrs. C. E. Patterson and Mrs. Daley. Vocal solos were rendered by Miss Drake and Harry Dunn. There was a large attendance and Rev. Gordon Dickie presided.
At a meeting in the king's daughters guild last evening, arrangements were made for an elaborate tea about the third week in March, and committees were appointed on the different circles to look after the preparations. Yesterday afternoon the comfort circle elected officers as follows: President, Miss Pearl Clarke; first vice president, Miss Laura Fowler; second vice president, Mrs. A. E. Fowler; treasurer, Mrs. T. H. Carter; secretary, Mrs. Barclay; auditor, Miss Dean.
Petitions, said to bear more than 3,000 signatures, protesting against the increase in ferry rates were presented at a meeting of the West Side indignation committee last evening. The committee will meet again today to arrange for the presentation of the petitions to the legislature. The coal bunkering business at this port has been almost doubled as the result of the strike in Great Britain. As they can't get coal on the other side the steamers are being supplied here with a large amount of stock for the voyage across and back. The number of men employed at the coal pockets has been increased from about sixty to 200.
At the quarterly meeting of the Methodist church of the Apostolic circuit in Berwick yesterday, a vote on church union was taken. Sixteen voted for union and two against. Rev. C. R. Flanders of this city, presided.
An interesting debate took place in the rooms of the Exmouth street Y. M. C. A. last night. The subject was That Eastern Canada Has More Advantages for a Young Man than Western Canada. The affirmative side, which won, was supported by W. Adams, B. Sandall and W. Lawton, while the negative side was upheld by H. Marcus, W. Case and W. Drake. Rev. E. Smart, J. E. Wilson and J. King Kelly, K. C., were judges. Miss M. Myles and Miss S. Baskin sang several solos nicely.
Captain Charles D. Watson has sold out his interest in the tug Wason, and if will be in future commanded by Captain G. M. Morrell of the tug Waring, one of the new owners. Captain D. D. Clayton will take command of the Waring.
A small laundry building at the Robtsey College was destroyed by fire yesterday. It was about a quarter of a mile from the college buildings. The loss is placed at about \$500 with \$100 insurance.
Adjutant and Mrs. Carter of the Salvation Army, who are to leave tonight for Winnipeg, were tendered a reception in the Salvation Army Metropole last night. They received a handsome traveling bag. They have been stationed in St. John for three years, during which time they have made many friends. Adjutant Cummings will succeed Adjutant Carter here.
The I. C. R. branch of the St. John Ambulance Association will in the near future start a class here for instruction in first aid to the sick and injured. The class will not number more than thirty members.

CONTRACTED HEAVY COLD
Was in Bed Two Months.
DOCTORS DID NOT SEEM TO DO HER ANY GOOD.
A cold, however slight, should never be neglected, for if it is not treated in time it will, in all probability, lead to bronchitis, pneumonia, asthma, or some other serious throat or lung trouble.
Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup contains the lung healing virtues of the Norway Pine tree, which, combined with other absorbent, expectorant and soothing medicines, makes it without a doubt the best remedy for all coughs and colds.
Miss N. McCumber, St. Martin's N. B., writes: "In January last I contracted a heavy cold which kept me in bed nearly two months, and the doctors didn't seem to be able to do me any good. I tried several proprietary medicines, but all in vain. One day a friend advised me to try Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and when I had taken three bottles I was completely cured, and I feel as well to-day as I ever did, and I am sure my lungs are once more sound, thanks to that wonderful remedy."
Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark; price 25 cents.
Manufactured only by The T. McBurn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

News of Fredericton
Fredericton, N. B., March 5.—In the Fredericton elections there are candidates on citizens' and good government tickets.
Hon. Josiah Wood, who is to succeed Hon. L. J. Tweedie as lieutenant-governor, arrived here tonight. He was accompanied by Mrs. F. B. Black, of Sackville.
March 22 is the probable date of the intercollegiate debate between the University of New Brunswick and King's College, Windsor (N. S.), when Canada's Naval Problem will be the subject of the debate. The personnel of the teams follows: University of New Brunswick, J. P. Herbert 1912, A. N. Carter 1913, and H. F. Barnes 1912. King's—F. H. A. Holmes 1914, A. C. Collett 1913, and T. Parker 1912.

REAL ESTATE ACTIVITY CONTINUES
Chief interest in real estate around the city this week seems to centre in the sale of lots in the subdivisions which have been placed on the market. Local people have been investing heavily and many sales have been made outside of the city. In Tisdale Place, although the lots have been offered for only two days, eighty-eight have been sold already.
The announcement that surveying parties are at work laying out a route from Little River has aroused increased interest in the plans of the railway which is seeking access to Courtenay Bay by that way. If, as is expected, terminals will be built in the large cove beyond the dry dock it will have a tendency to extend the area of real estate operations.
In the city there has been a continued activity in properties of all kinds in anticipation of the steady rise in values. Real estate men figure that every property in the city will share in the general increase in values, and that almost any property bought at present prices should be a good investment.
E. R. Reid, the contractor, has leased the coal shed on British street opposite the Lower Cove slip from Thomas Gorman. Thomas Martin, of Portland street, has purchased a two-story dwelling house on the corner of Douglas and Clarendon streets.
B. B. Macaulay has purchased from the estate of the late O. H. Warwick the fine house and property on Melchberg street in which Mr. Warwick resided.

WHAT MAKES YOU TIRED
So Tired That Even Sleep Fails to Restore
There Are Poisons in the Blood That Can be Removed by **DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS**
You get tired. That is only natural, whether you work with brain or muscle. But when you are not restored by a night's sleep there is something wrong. The process of living is something like the burning of a fire. When the nerve cells are consumed by the activity of life and work there is left in the system an ash in the form of poisonous waste matter. These poisons in the system cause pain and give rise to feelings of fatigue. Nothing will so quickly sweep these poisons from the system as Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. The liver is quickened in action, the bowels move regularly and the kidneys take on new vigor and activity.
The blood is purified, the waste matter which has been clogging and retarding the organs of digestion is removed. Headaches and backaches disappear, the appetite is sharpened, digestion improves and you feel fine in every way.
A single box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, at a cost of twenty-five cents, will convince you of the promptness and certainty with which this great medicine cleanses the filtering and excretory organs and restores to health and vigor the whole digestive system. One pill a dose, 25c a box, at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

IMPROVING CANADA'S CATTLE
Pedigree Animals Coming From England
—Biggest Shipment Ever Made From the Island of Jersey
London, Feb. 20.—About 120 head of pure bred Jersey Cattle are leaving Jersey this week for the pedigree stock farm of B. H. Bull & Son, Brampton, Ontario. This is the largest individual shipment of high class stock ever made from the Channel Islands to Canada, and the herd contains many animals with honors won in butter and dairy competitions and in the show-ring.
"His Reverence," the celebrated Jersey bull with the distinction of having been for two years grand champion of the island of Jersey, is one of the animals purchased by the Ontario firm.
Another Canadian breeder who has purchased considerable pedigree stock recently is J. D. McGregor of Brandon, Manitoba, who bought some very high priced Aberdeen-Angus cattle at Perth a few days ago.
From the famous Cullen House herd he bought the best animals. There was considerable competition for the first prize two-year-old heifer, "Queen Rose of Cullen," and Mr. McGregor had to raise his bid to \$1,100 before securing this animal—the highest price of the sale.

RECENT DEATHS
The death of Avis Chesworth, daughter of John and Dorothy Chesworth, occurred yesterday at the home of her parents on the Beaver Lake Road. She was sixteen years of age, and is survived by her parents, one brother, Stanley, and one sister, Dolly.
James Maloney, I. C. R. conductor, died at his home in Moncton yesterday. He was forty-six years old and leaves a wife and two young children. His run was on the northern division.
The sudden death of Mrs. Selrick Murray occurred on Friday at her home at Main River, Kent County. She is survived by her husband and seven children. There are twins, only three weeks old.
New shoes should, if possible, be tried on for the first time in the evening, when the feet are usually a little swollen after the day's fatigue. This prevents much subsequent discomfort, as, of course, foot-wear bought when the feet are at their smallest is extremely uncomfortable whenever the feet become the least swollen.

NERVOUSNESS AND DYSPEPSIA
Cured By "Fruit-a-tives" the Great Fruit Medicine
In Nervous Dyspepsia, the Dyspepsia does not come from the Nervousness—but the latter trouble does come from the Dyspepsia.
The Stomach is a network of nerves. Now if all these nerves are irritated by improper food, hasty eating, or poisoned by gases from the constipated bowels, then they will make one nervous.
"Fruit-a-tives" cures both the Nervousness and the Dyspepsia because "Fruit-a-tives" cures all stomach troubles, keeps the stomach sweet and clean, and enables you to eat and sleep as you did when a child.
At all dealers, or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.
A box, 6 for \$2.50 or trial size, 25c.

NOVA SCOTIA AMALGAMATION
Clay Works Plants at Shubenacadie, Pugwash and Annapolis Valley
The Nova Scotia Clay Works Limited, with an authorized capital of \$600,000, is soon to appear in the list of large industrial concerns of that province. The organizers are F. B. McCurdy & Co., of Halifax, J. R. McLeod, of that firm, taking the business specially in hand. The promoter is F. S. Coombe, also of Halifax.
The new company, it is stated will purchase the clay works at Pugwash, Shubenacadie, Elmdale, Annapolis, Middleton, Bridgewater and Annapolis Royal, and possibly others. The manager of the new company is to be B. Macdonald of Pugwash, a very successful railway contractor and brick maker, who has an up-to-date clay working plant at Pugwash, fitted with steam-dryers and continuous kilns. L. E. Shaw of Middleton will be the manager for the Valley and the secretary-treasurer will be F. S. Coombe.
The intention is to build one up-to-date plant in place of the three now operating in the valley. This plant will employ an average fifty to sixty hands, for nine months of the year and will have an annual capacity of ten millions of brick, which will cost in the vicinity of \$30,000.
A public meeting for the consideration of making concessions to the Nova Scotia Clay Works, Ltd., is called for the 12th inst.

F. M. A. OFFICERS.
The Father-Meetew Association elected officers last evening. The meeting took place in St. Malach's hall and the following are to guide the association during the next six months: Fred Hazel, president; Leo Holland, senior president; Wilfrid Gallagher, junior president; Joseph Kennedy, financial secretary; James McAnulty, assistant; Sydney Stanton, recording secretary; Joseph O'Brien, corresponding secretary; James McLaugh, treasurer; Louis Monahan, conductor; John O'Brien, librarian; Steven Ryan, assistant librarian; Rev. D. S. O'Keefe, J. J. Mitchell, M. E. Agar, trustees.
It has been remarked that there are three things necessary to temporal salvation—food, sleep and a cheerful disposition.

PROPERTY AND OTHER MATTERS AT COMMON COUNCIL
The common council met yesterday afternoon in monthly session but found it impossible to complete the business and the report of the bills and by laws committee was laid over for consideration at a special meeting on March 12.
The St. John Railway Co. were given permission to lay four turnouts at their new car barns in Westworth street on condition that they agree to place and keep the street in proper condition.
Bernhill's financial objection to buying uniforms for the firemen was outvoted and the section objected.
An amendment to the section recommending the award of tenders for fire hose on the grounds that the lowest tenders were not accepted was lost.
The recommendation that a lot in Church street, Fairville, be sold to W. F. Barnhill for \$1,000 was referred back but Mr. Barnhill's application for another block in Fairville at \$3,100 was granted on condition that he release the city from an agreement to supply free water to one of his lots. The butt house in Prospect street was included in the motion to sell the Mealy house by auction. The council agreed on making valuation of the property under lease to Randolph & Baker with the object of taking it over.
An amendment to the water and sewerage board requiring the engineer to approve of the size of the main to be laid on the Sand Cove Road was adopted.
After some discussion the recommendation to move the hydrant from the property leased to Wm. Lewis & Sons was adopted.
The water and sewerage board reported the purchase of 300 acres for \$1,000 from W. B. Wallace, property from John A. Adams for \$600 and from Tammie Moyer for \$300 at Spruce Lake and from the heirs of Ann Connel and Thos J. Phinney for \$600 in Simonds. Ald. J. E. Jones objected to the purchase of any more land at Spruce Lake.
The salaries of the ferry engineers were increased from \$70 to \$80 a month but increases for the mates and collectors were voted down.
Ald. J. E. Jones' motion that an investigation into the affairs of the ferry department be made before the next meeting was defeated.

COMMUNICATIONS AS FOLLOWS WERE SENT TO THE VARIOUS BOARDS: From Hamilton & Hamilton on behalf of D. J. Seely & Son regarding the lease of warehouses in Britain street to George Dick.
From joint committee of common council and board of trade with reference to the extension of the breakwater to Partridge Island.
From H. S. Ritchie and others asking that Ritchie and Rook streets be taken over and incorporated.
From the Canadian Federation of Boards of Trade and Municipalities asking for representation from St. John when a deputation waits on the government to urge the construction of the Georgian Bay canal.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRE
In London yesterday an attempt was made on the life of Leopold De Rothschild, a prominent banker, but he was not hit by the bullet. The assailant was arrested. The police say he is Wm. Tibbits, said to be an anarchist.
In the Nova Scotia legislature yesterday Premier Murray introduced a measure to borrow \$4,000,000.
A grim tragedy of the northern wild was revealed yesterday to the north of Lake Nipigon, Ontario, when a searching party seeking trace of a missing mail carrier, found a piece of one hand and a shirt, lying in the snow, while nearby lay the carcasses of four wolves showing that the carrier had fought dearly for his life.
Andrew Loggie of Dalhousie, member of the firm of A. & R. Loggie, is dangerously ill at his home there and is not expected to recover. He was operated on yesterday.
Robert Lavigne was sentenced to two years in Dorchester by Judge McLatchy in Dalhousie yesterday, for breaking into Millers' drug store in Campbellton; also two years for breaking into the store of L. E. Renault in Campbellton. Nelson LeTourneau was sentenced to two years in Dorchester for receiving stolen goods.
B. Smith of Charlottetown, P. E. I., missing railway engineer has been located at Montreal where he was visiting friends.

The Old Folks
find advancing years bring an increasing tendency to constipation. The corrective they need is **"NA-DRU-CO" Laxatives**
Entirely different from common laxatives. Pleasant to take, mild and painless. A tablet (or less) at bed-time regulates the bowels perfectly. Increasing doses never needed. Compounded, like all the 125 NA-DRU-CO preparations, by expert chemists. Money back if not satisfactory. 25c a box. If your druggist has not yet stocked them, send 25c, and we will mail them.
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TISDALE PLACE

Another Great Rush For Lots Yesterday
Shrewd Business Men and Cautious Investors Buying Quickly --- The Wage Earner Also a Big Factor in the Record of Sales

CHOICE LOTS FOR TODAY'S BUYERS

THOUGH WE HAVE HAD A MOST SPIRITED SALE OF TISDALE PLACE LOTS, there are plenty of excellent purchases awaiting those who are only now realizing the grand opportunity within their grasp. A glance at the plans will show this. Possibly no stretch of land in or about St. John could be selected that offers such uniformly good Locations. Tisdale Place is all dry and sightly. It is singularly free from rock and will prove a saving proposition to the buyer who builds upon it.

\$50 Gives You Possession of a \$250 Lot.
\$200 Will Make You a \$1000 Investor.
Two Years in Which to Pay Balances.
Values Already Increased on Lots Sold.
Thousands of Idle Money Now Working.
Everybody Optimistic—No Doubters.

Tisdale Place Visited by Hundreds.
Natural Advantages Acknowledged.
Saturday Enquirers Were Monday Buyers
Every Lot Was Sold on its Merit.
We Are Ready for Another Rush.
Clerks Busy---Our Auto on the Go.

DON'T BE A REGRETTER---BUY NOW AND REAP ALL THE PROFIT

TISDALE PLACE IS NEW BRUNSWICK'S BEST BUY!

Lots Range From \$250 Upwards—Terms: One-Fifth Cash; Balance 6, 12, 18 and 24 Months

SEE OUR PLANS, USE OUR FREE AUTO AND INSPECT THE PROPERTY ITSELF

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One Whole Block Sold by Wire Last Night ---Nearly Another Block Sold to Local Buyers Yesterday

ENORMOUS DEMAND FOR BAY VIEW LOTS

We are compelled to find more office room to accommodate the crowds of prospective purchasers and have arranged with Messrs Lockhart and Ritchie to act as our Sub-Agents, and their large office, cor. Prince William and Princess Sts., will care for the overflow from our head office. Our plans will be displayed in their windows and a competent staff will furnish information to buyers and enquirers.

WE OFFER THE PEOPLE OF ST. JOHN THE VERY CHOICEST LOTS ON COURTENAY BAY

We were the first to purchase a sub-division in East St. John and had our choice of location. We purchased the BARRETT FARM, now known as BAY VIEW, owing to the GREAT ADVANTAGE offered by its location

Directly Opposite the Dry Dock and Ship Repair Plant

This part of the COURTENAY BAY CONTRACT involves an expenditure of \$5,000,000.00, all within a stone throw of our lots. This part of the works will employ a large staff of permanent skilled laborers, drawing steadier and much larger wages than those employed about the shipping docks. Here you will find the merchant locate to supply the wants of these workmen. The first work to be done this summer, namely the building of the Breakwater, will involve an expenditure of \$1,000,000.00 and is situated just beyond our lots at Bay View.

A Direct Continuation of King Street Carries You in Our Sub-Division. Bay View is the Key to the Situation, Destined to be the Business Centre of Courtenay Bay.

We Sold a Site for General Store Yesterday.

Enormous prices will be paid for Bay View lots in very short time. BE ONE OF THOSE WHO WILL ENJOY LARGE PROFITS. From \$12.50 to \$60.00 cash secures a lot, and from \$4.90 to \$24.00 per month pays for it. You have two years to complete the payments, and in the meantime you can sell at 100 per cent and more profit almost as soon as you have made one or more payments.

BAY VIEW IS THE BEST INVESTMENT IN CANADA

Don't Lose This Opportunity to Make Big Profits in the next few months. Invest a few dollars in your first payments and realize large profits this summer.

Within 200 yards of Courtenay Bay Water Front. Unobstructed View of Harbor and Bay of Fundy. Beautiful Western and Southerly Slope. Excellent Drainage. Wide Avenues and Streets. Rear Alley to All Lots.

As soon as spring opens, Bay View will take on the appearance of a town. Contractors will be at work opening new streets and avenues. Present streets will be broadened to 66 feet. Street cars will pass directly by our lots.

Lots to the Rear of Bay View Have Every Indication of Being a Fine Buy at Low Price of \$125.00

There is every indication that the Railway will enter by the Little River Valley almost directly through these lots. The survey party has already crossed at 3 Mile House, and is in to Silver Falls on LITTLE RIVER. This is the only way they can reach harbor front from that direction. Anyone can buy one of these lots. Only \$12.50 cash and \$4.90 per month.

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THE BOY OF BORNEO

An Adventure of Peter Crewe—"The Man with the Camera Eyes"

By Harold Carter

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It was a rough passage, and though we were already half way between New York and Tibury, our destination, few of the passengers had found their sea legs. I sat on the captain's right; upon his left was a pleasant, florid, gray-haired man, rather slow of speech, who was introduced to me as Mr. Peter Crewe.

"Do you find that this Atlantic breeze agrees with you better than the air of Plainfield, N. J., Mr. Langton?" asked Mr. Crewe politely.

"Certainly does," I answered. "But may I ask you how on earth you know that I am a resident of Plainfield, N. J.?"

"To the best of my belief I have told nobody. In fact, as a matter of fact, I am naturally secretive about such matters."

"I only know," replied Crewe, "because on two occasions I have seen you hurrying to the boat from the New Jersey terminal at nine o'clock in the morning. You carried a newspaper and a suitcase, and your shoes were red with Plainfield clay. Is not that reason enough?"

"Quite," I replied. "But how in the name of conscience do you remember me?"

"Why, I saw you," returned Crewe. "Everybody within a twelve mile radius of New York has seen every body else—or at least, ninety per cent. of all other citizens, at some time. Need I remind you that on August 13, 1910, you took a small party to a roof garden on Forty-second street? Or that, the previous February, you rendered first aid to a child who had been knocked down by a street car on Sixth avenue?"

"You saw the accident?" I gasped.

"No. Your photograph was in one of the newspapers. To go further back, you walked fifth in the ninety-fourth rank of the sound money parade of 1909 on Broadway. In 1908, you will tell me the next date of my first law suit, the name of my client—"

"There my art fails me," answered Crewe. "I could not recall the name of my father or mother—except that I presume the surname coincided with mine."

Later in the day, discovering Mr. Crewe alone in the smoking room, I showed him the photograph of a young Indian in cowboy attire and asked him if he could give me his history. He took the photograph and studied it intently; then closed his eyes in mental concentration.

"I have only seen this young fellow twice," he said. "Seven years ago he strolled up Broadway from the Battery in a suit of English clothes, carrying a Gladstone bag. Three years afterward, while visiting New York from the west, he was arrested at the corner of Twenty-third street, and taken Fifth avenue on a charge of intoxication."

"I leaped from my seat. 'For the love of heaven, explain your secret to me,'" I exclaimed. "You may be the man I am most in need of."

Crewe smiled in a self-deprecating manner. "It is very simple," he explained. "You are, no doubt, aware of the discovery of psychology that every mental image remains permanently impressed upon the brain?"

"Yes."

"Unfortunately, when the average man sees a thing he straightway forgets it. Similarly with what he hears—the escape of a wave against the ship, the fall of a twig in the park—the impression is so faint that it is at once lost and never recurs in us throughout life. But when I receive an image through the eyes I never forget it. I have always had this faculty. In my earlier days it caused me much inconvenience. Now, having acquired a modest competence and retired from business, I derive considerable amusement from this power. I travel, I study, I try to turn my advantage to the good of humanity. All I could tell you strange stories in this regard. I know half London and two-thirds of Paris. Not a day passes but I meet a dozen old acquaintances, all of whom are blantly unconscious of having ever encountered me before."

"But why should you not help me?" I exclaimed. "You are just the man I need to help me in unraveling a painful mystery."

"I shall be delighted to be of service to you," said Crewe. "Let us be perfectly frank—that is all I ask. I will confess that, like many persons with some special gift, I have other deficiencies. I am a poor judge of character and motive; if a man deceives me I never give him another opportunity."

"I will be entirely frank," I answered. "I am traveling to England to investigate an affair which threatens the life of a man whom I believe to be innocent. Here is the story: Upon a small estate in Surrey there lived two brothers, retired Anglo-Indian officials. Both were widowers. Sir George Bamwell, the eldest, a baronet, had a daughter. His brother, William Bamwell, to whom the

baronetcy would in due course descend, had a son, a ne'er-do-well, who, after a rather profligate career, went off to America, where he became successively a sheepherder, prospector, and cowboy. The boy was cast off by his father, a martinet of the old English school, and it was understood that the bulk of his money would go to Selim, an Indian servant, whom William Bamwell had brought home with him, and who had served the brother faithfully for twenty years.

"The boy, I take it, is the original of the photograph you showed me," said Crewe.

"Yes, my statements in regard to him were perfectly correct. He did land in New York seven years ago, and he was arrested upon a charge of intoxication at a subsequent date.

"Last year Claude Bamwell, the son, returned home unexpectedly. He had tried of his roving life. He asked his father to give him another chance to redeem himself and to let him remain with him. The cousin, Lydia, the daughter of Sir George Bamwell, who had conceived a romantic attachment for her graceless relative, was instrumental in effecting a reconciliation between the father and son. Claude was given his chance and seemed to make good use of his opportunity. Within six months father and son were on friendly terms. William Bamwell, who was perhaps seventy years of age, had a passion for amateur photography. Claude humored his father and never tired of helping him in his hobby. Father and son began to appreciate each other better than they had ever done before.

"This increasing intimacy was not looked upon favorably by Selim, the Hindoo servant, especially since William Bamwell contemplated altering his will in favor of his son, Claude, and greatly reducing the legacy which Selim had come to look upon as his own reversionary right. However, Selim was inscrutable and kept his own counsel.

"The Bamwell brothers were very set in their ways. One of the characteristics common to both of them was their fondness for a certain East Indian cigar that came from Borneo. These cigars were imported direct from the manufacturer. Claude, however, discovered a similar brand on sale in London, and gave a box to his father for a Christmas present. At Selim's suggestion, as he declares, in fact, according to Claude, Selim discovered the existence of this brand and induced him to purchase the box. Selim, however, denies that he ever heard of these cigars and ascribes the entire scheme of purchasing and presenting to Claude.

"Now we come to the crux of the situation. Three months ago Sir George Bamwell was discovered dead in the library early one morning. He had been sitting up alone the night before, and had taken one of his brother's cigars—the first of the box he was found dead, the half-smoked cigar upon the table before him. A post-mortem investigation disclosed the presence in the body of a minute portion of a powerful poison allied to prussic acid. The cigar was analyzed, but nothing was found with it. In spite of a rigorous cross-examination of all persons concerned, no motive or clue could be discovered. Sir George was buried in the family vault, and William Bamwell became Sir William.

"Not three weeks afterward the tragedy repeated itself. Sir William Bamwell was found dead in precisely the same manner. Again the presence of the prussic acid variant was disclosed at the post-mortem; again the cigar was analyzed and found to be entirely harmless. Yet Sir William, like his brother, had undoubtedly died after smoking half of the Borneo cigar.

"But in this case several new facts were brought out at the inquest. In the first place, Claude had been with his father until a few moments before his death. The two men had been smoking together. Sir William was a very rapid smoker; Claude preferred cigarettes and barely burned away an inch of his cigars, which he smoked merely to honor his father. Again, it was proved that Claude had recently purchased prussic acid at a drug-show in the village. When interrogated, he acknowledged this fact, but asserted that his father used this deadly compound for intensifying the images upon negatives that had been under-exposed. It is perfectly true that a certain compound of prussic acid is used for this purpose, and Sir William had always compounded his own photographic chemicals.

"To cut the story short, Claude, or Sir Claude, as I must now call him, was arrested upon a charge of murder and is now awaiting trial at the assizes."

"And the motive?" Crewe queried.

"Fear that his father, who was becoming a little stiffle, and was largely under the influence of Selim, would disinherit him."

"But did Claude know the contents of the will?"

"No. It had actually been changed in the son's favor, but so far as is known Sir William had kept his own counsel."

"Then that works either way," said

Crewe, "Selim might have committed the murder, fearing lest the will would be changed in the son's favor, and not knowing that this had actually been done. And that very open purchase of prussic acid is not compatible with guilt. And the cigars—how do they come into the story? You say that analysis showed them to be harmless?"

"Entirely so; and to my mind, whoever was the murderer, it was not Claude. But the young man had a bad name, and Selim appears to have made certain statements which greatly increased the feeling against him. However, all that is now sub judice."

"It was the cousin, Lydia, who, at the instigation of Claude, telegraphed to me to gather all material I could find to show that the young man's life in America had not been so bad as is currently rumored in England, and to hurry across the water with this material to aid the defense. I may say that Claude Bamwell has never been convicted of a felony, and only stands a misdemeanor. I am the attorney who defended him on the charge of intoxication."

"And you have photographs of the other parties in the case?"

"Unfortunately not," I answered. "But now, if you will co-operate with me and lend me the use of your wonderful power, perhaps you may be the means of saving from the gallows a man in whose innocence I firmly believe. Will you do as I request, and that he could never have stooped to murder. And any remuneration—"

"Nonsense," said Crewe, waving aside the suggestion. "My dear Langton, I shall be glad to assist you to the very best of my ability, so long as you are entirely frank with me. And I confess that I am interested in your client's welfare. But I beg you never again to mention the subject of money. If I made my power the instrument of profit I should be fearful of losing it."

In this manner Crewe and I came to be associated in this first of our many enterprises.

I passed many an anxious moment until the boat docked at Tibury. As we sat up the broad staircase of the Thames we saw the cargoes of every train hurrying to the chief mart of the world. Here a lugger was beating up from France; there a steamer from India; and on every deck, allied with her swarthy, grinning Lascar crew, Norse lumber hosts, tall shipbuilders from Hamburg, and all tribes of the most plausible of the world. As we approached our dock, however, and the picture became clearer, we saw more and more of the same type. The most of the crowd were of the same type. The most of the crowd were of the same type. The most of the crowd were of the same type.

Crewe made no answer. His eyes were closed; he seemed to be calling up some memory. At this juncture Mr. Clayton returned and seated himself beside me.

"Now, gentlemen," he said briskly. "I had already introduced Mr. Crewe to him as my confidential assistant. I must confess that matters look very black indeed. In our English courts a conviction for murder is practically never reversed, and justice flows with appalling swiftness. Let me say, however, that I am assured a hideous wrong has been done, and that the real criminal is the Indian. He for his perjured evidence, a very different verdict would have been returned."

"What most impressed the jury was the fact that a prussic acid compound was found in the bodies of both Sir George and Sir William, while it was proved that Claude had bought prussic acid at the village drug store. There here was the motive—fear that the will would be revoked. But what clinched the jurors in their decision was Selim's evidence that Claude had approached him with the project of destroying his father and sharing the money that might be left, irrespective of the will. Selim had been a faithful servant for many years; Claude was reputed to have been a man of vilest character in America. The judge, who is old and testy, refused to wait until you could put in evidence in rebuttal of his law. Perhaps it was—but in fact it undoubtedly decided the jury's verdict."

"And where is Selim?" I asked.

"Living at the village hotel," said Mr. Clayton. "Living there brazenly. Says he will remain on the spot until his dear master has been avenged, and is the object of universal solicitude as Sir Claude is of execration."

"And now," I said, "what part did the cigars play in this mystery?"

"None whatever," answered Mr. Clayton. "The cigars which the murdered man had been smoking were carefully analyzed and found to be perfectly innocuous. The fact that the victim died smoking was apparently nothing more than a coincidence."

"Have you the rest of the box?"

"No," Mr. Clayton answered. "Oddly enough, it cannot be found. It disappeared on the day of the murder, together with the bulk of the prussic acid supposed to have been purchased, and with a few other little articles having relation to the crime. But none of these is material. The prosecuting attorney suggested that Claude had hidden these in an effort to destroy all evidence of his crime."

"But even if this should prove true—"

"It is true."

"What evidence can there be in the cigars?"

"That remains to be seen," my companion answered; and he would not discuss the subject further until we arrived once more at Tibury at eight o'clock that evening.

At Crewe's suggestion we purchased cloth caps and threw away our felt coats and made ourselves appear as much as possible in our role of ship's crew. As Crewe had surmised, it was kept by an East Indian, a swarthy, ill-favored fellow who crept up with no very great appreciation.

"Mate," said Crewe, "we want some spunk to take aboard with us in the morning."

Without a word the East Indian produced a handful of vile-looking cheroots. Crewe tossed them roughly aside.

"What d'ye take me for?" he said, sneeringly, as though slightly under the influence of liquor. "Gimme a box. Got any split boxes?"

Leaving over the counter I saw a small package wrapped up in a dirty cloth, which disclosed the end of a cigar.

"Gimme those," I said pointing.

The East Indian looked at me furiously. He took up the box, unwrapped the cloth—and suddenly darted through the back door of his shop. Instantly Crewe leaped upon him.

"Hold him," he cried to me, as the Indian twisted himself adroitly out of Crewe's grasp. I saw his hand go down to his side and, with a fortunate blow, knock him sprawling. His head came in contact with the edge of the door and the fall stunned him. The box fell from his clasp. Picking it up hastily I saw upon the cover the word "Borneo."

"Come on," cried Crewe, and, holding the box under my coat, I darted after him down the alley. We reached the main road painting, and, finding that we were not pursued, set off at a rapid pace toward the station. On the way we recovered our hats, which had been thrown behind some boarding. It was five o'clock on the following morning when we reached Fairview, after many hours of waiting at junctions for trains which either did not run or did so with exasperating unpunctuality. We went straight to the house and called Mr. Clayton out of bed. Crewe held up the cigars.

"Now, Mr. Clayton, we must act quickly," he said, "or you will find your quarry will have flown. Can you bring Selim to the house as soon as possible?"

"I will do it at once," said Mr. Clayton, much mystified.

"If he refuses to come—" I said.

"He will not refuse. I can procure a warrant from Mr. Tighe, our nearest magistrate. But may I ask—"

"I would rather say nothing," Crewe answered. "It is a desperate hope, drama,



"Will you oblige me by smoking a cigar with me?"

and yet it seems built upon something of a foundation. At any rate it will do no harm. May I be allowed the setting of the little drama?"

"By all means," Mr. Clayton answered.

He set off as soon as he had matched a hasty breakfast of bread and milk, and, after two hours of waiting, Crewe and I saw him reappear with Selim. The latter came in blantly; he was as suave in his demeanor as he had been pictured; nevertheless, I thought I spied discern an uneasy glance in his eye.

"Sit down, Mr. Selim," said Mr. Clayton. "These gentlemen are friends of Claude Bamwell's and wish to interrogate you."

"I shall be delighted to do everything in my power to assist them," said the Indian, seating himself easily at the table. "If only I could believe that the unhappy young man was not guilty of my dear master's death—"

"Do you smoke, Mr. Selim?" asked Crewe abruptly.

The Indian started violently; then, recovering his composure, replied: "I am not much of a smoker, sir."

"But you have smoked? Will you oblige me by smoking a cigar with me?" And he produced the box of Borneo.

I never saw such a change come over a human countenance as came over the Indian's. For a moment he gazed like a fish out of water. Before he could regain his self-possession Crewe had placed before him a sheet of paper and a pencil. Upon the paper was written:

"I swear that I and I alone am responsible for the death of my master, Sir George Bamwell."

"As an alternative to smoking, perhaps you will sign this," said Crewe. "You may do both," he added.

The Indian collapsed into his chair with a gleaming smile.

"No, I will smoke," he said, pushing the paper away.

Crewe calmly lit a cigar, and then applied a match to the Indian's. And there they sat, smoking in perfect silence, while we others gathered around in strained expectancy.

"But I never saw two men who smoked more slowly."

"Come, throw away your cigar, Selim, and sign that paper," said Crewe, after a pause. The Indian's cigar now had an inch of ash on it; Crewe's was hardly rimmed.

Suddenly, as if inspired by some invincible determination, the Indian began smoking furiously. The smoke came from his mouth in puffs. His cigar was half consumed. The silence deepened. Some dreadful tragedy seemed to depend upon the issue of that smoking match.

"Selim," said Crewe, laying down his cigar, "sign that paper." And he removed the cigar from the Indian's mouth.

I saw the Indian shoot out a trembling claw. He grasped the pencil and wrote his name almost illegibly beneath the paper. Then he glanced into our faces with a pitiful smile. "It is finished," he said, and picked up the cigar again.

Crewe leaped toward him and tried to wrest the cigar from his mouth. But the Indian, with a grip of steel, held Crewe's wrists, all the while drawing in and puffing out the smoke in thick clouds. The ash was lengthening. Still none of us stirred. We were fascinated into inertia by this strange drama.

All at once the end came. I saw the swarthy pallor overpread. Selim's swarthy face, he choked; he bent the air with his hands; then, without a sound, he toppled over to the ground. Mr. Clayton raised him quickly, but one look into Selim's face was sufficient to tell us all that life was ended.

"You see, gentlemen," said Crewe, "as I had suspected, those cigars were highly charged with a volatile poison, a variant of prussic acid. Selim had given the box to Claude to present to his father, an 'father, had cunningly contrived that Selim should purchase the box at the store in Tibury, where he had it placed on sale. The reason why no poison was found in the cigar butte was that it had already been drawn out of the cigars into the lungs of the victim."

"You know that as one smokes a cigar toward the butt the stump constantly becomes warmer and damper, the fluids being driven back by the flame. There was no danger in the cigars until they were half smoked. Then, for the poison did not vaporize. After they were half smoked, however, the acid became sufficiently heated to pass into vapor, which was inhaled into the smoker's lungs and caused immediate death. It was a diabolical trick, and could only have originated in the cunning mind of an East Indian, a race notorious for its vendettas and vengeance."

"And if you had not so opportunely seen Selim entering the shop at Tibury?" I suggested. "The coincidence was almost an impossible one, according to the laws of chance—and yet it saved an innocent life."

"There are no laws of chance," Crewe answered. "Believe me, Langton, somewhere or other lies the clue to every crime, if only one has sense to discern it."

(Next week: "The Robbery at the Tower.")

Venice.

Of the books about Venice there is no end. For the historian the "Queen of the Adriatic" has always possessed a peculiar charm, and there are any number of histories of the famous city-state. Of course the great reservoir of information concerning the Venetian republic is the "Archives of Venice," published at intervals throughout the years and still being regularly added to. In order to become posted on the "monetary system of the Venetian Republic" one would have to wade through many works bearing generally upon Venetian history. There is no single exhaustive work along that particular line, but in nearly all of the histories of the republic may be found something illustrative of her wonderful financial system.

Had Some Consideration.

Pinkham had proposed and been refused. Although he appeared in no talkative mood, a man sitting opposite in the smoking car attempted to draw him into conversation. At one moment the stranger would, with an excess of politeness, apologize for calling Pinkham's attention to the fact that the ash of his cigar had fallen on his waistcoat, or a spark was endangering his tie.

At length Pinkham exclaimed: "Why the devil don't you leave me alone? Your coat-tail has been burning for the last five minutes, but I didn't bother you about it!"

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Ottawa, March 4.—It looks as though Mr. Borden is still the master of the Borden administration.

WAGE WAR FOR MOUTH HYGIENE

First District Dental Society Will Open a Campaign in Detroit This Month

(Detroit News.) "Mouth hygiene" henceforth is to be the war cry of the First District Dental Society.



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Wretched Mail Service

(P. E. Island Farmer.) The mail service this winter emphasizes never before the need of something different.

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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

Writing K. G. Win-Four, in the Inter State Bowling League game last night the Knights of Columbus team won four points from the C. M. B. A. 134 team, 1233 to 1197. Griffiths was high man for the winners with an average of 89 and Crogrove for the losers with 72.3.

City League. The five high men in each league are as follows: Commercial League. T. E. Wilson 92.32-33, H. C. Olive 92.11-30, H. McKean 90.28-33, Y. Kelly 90.15-24, A. Eddy 90.

On Moosepath. A meeting of the St. John Moose Driving Club was held last night. The prizes won at the meet on Saturday last were presented to the winners. The winners in each class received a large fancy woolen blanket, the second, whips. Several new members joined the club.

Commercial League. Lost. P.C. Brock & Peterson Ltd. 49 10 523, C. P. R. 44 20 587, T. McAvity & Sons Ltd. 23 22 489, Waterbury & Rising Ltd. 23 22 583, S. Hayward & Co. Ltd. 21 29 516, O. H. Warwick Ltd. 21 28 575, S. R. A. Ltd. 19 33 365, T. S. Simms & Co. Ltd. 19 41 318, Barnes & Co. Ltd. 11 44 152.

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Commercial League. H. McKean 89.38-45, H. McKean 88.47-48, W. Ryan 87.41-45, H. Sullivan 87.1-45, C. Labbe 86.21-49.

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Moncton Votes 3000. The Moncton city council last night granted \$200 to the Victoria Hockey team to aid them in their fight for the Stanley cup.

Local Men Defeated. The Amherst Ramblers defeated the Company A team by a score of 5 to 4 in the Queen's Rink here last night. Three twenty-minute periods were played and the game was hotly contested all the way through.

The Stanley Cup. The Saskatoon hockey team defeated the Port Arthur team 5 to 1 at Winnipeg last night. The latter team, however, will come next and play the winners of the N. H. A. league for the Stanley Cup.

Baseball. "Cy" Young in Luck. Uncle Cy Young, of Paoli, Ohio, has struck it rich again. Here is the good news, fresh from Cy's own pen, as it was received by his old pal Col. Fred Putnam in Boston.

Diamond Sparkles. Fitcher William Verkes, who is a brother of the Red Sox utility man, has signed to play with the Brockton (New England league) team.

Pop Anson has opened his vaudeville season and has taken his act South with the Cubs. Pop does a monologue and

some buck dances and carries his own scenery. Rube Vickers is the king of minor league pitchers. It is believed that he holds two records for minor league baseball winning more games in one season than any other twirler, and total victories being the largest on record.

Harry Wolverton, the new manager of the New York Highlanders is a fighter and a hustler. He is a stickler for discipline, but treats players fairly and demands similar treatment. The one thing that he positively refuses to tolerate is loafing.

Garry Hermann, while in Pittsburgh recently said that the United States league would not even start. In Cleveland they very seldom mention Jake Daubert's name. That is, because the Naps once owned him and sent him back to the minors.

George Robe, whose hitting enabled the Sox to beat the Cubs in the memorable world's series of 1903, is now a photographer in Cincinnati. He plays ball in the Southern league during the summer.

John Dewey, who is to act as scout for the Louisville club, will journey to Hot Springs and look over the youngsters, who are there to train with the big league team.

Good catchers are valuable assets to any team. Next to the pitchers in importance they are worked harder than any of the other players on the team and they are more liable to injury and more subject to criticism owing to the active and important part they play in all games.

Charlie Ebbetts says that Hob Northern will probably have a regular place in the Brooklyn outfield this season in place of Jud Daley.

The Ring. Ever since Stanley Ketchell met his unlucky boxing fans and promoters have been searching for a boxer to take Ketchell's position at the head of the middleweight class. The victor of the division has been in a big mood during the last year, says Jack Conway in the Boston American.

Just now it looks as though Frank Klaus of Pittsburgh, Jack Dillon of Indianapolis, Eddie McGorty of Oakland, and Mike Gibbons of St. Paul have a little something on the rest of the field. These four fellows have demonstrated time and again that they possess the "stuff" that makes champions.

Of the four Klaus appears to be the best. The Pittsburgh pride is a marvel. Klaus is now 24 years of age. He was born in Pittsburgh and comes from good old German stock.

Klaus is able to make 135 pounds ring-side and still put up a great battle, something a large number of the world-be champions cannot do. Some of the men who are claiming the middleweight title will never be able to make 125 pounds unless they have both of their legs amputated.

New England boxing enthusiasts are acquainted with Klaus' style of milling as he has performed at the Army A. A. a great many times. The Pittsburgh man fights like Ketchell did when he was in his prime. He is always following his opponent around the ring and is a regular demon at infighting.

Like Ketchell Klaus will let his opponent hit him three or four times in order that he may get in close enough to slip across his right or left to the point of the jaw or to the pit of the stomach. When Klaus connects, his antagonist usually hits the mat with a loud thud.

Dillon is another slam bang fighter. He has made a wonderful record in the square circle during the past year, having bested such well known performers as Leo Houck, Billy Berger and our own Jimmy Gardner.

Houck was a strong contender for the middleweight championship before he met Dillon at Indianapolis on New Year's day. Houck was powerless before Dillon's fierce onslaught and he was forced to throw up the sponge in the eighth round.

Western fight fans are backing Eddie McGorty to beat out both Klaus and Dillon. Besides being a good puncher, McGorty is a wonderful boxer. Eddie has a habit of getting one of his hands injured

in one of the opening rounds of his bouts and then outpacing his opponent with one hand.

Mike Gibbons, the St. Paul youth whom New York sporting writers have been boasting as the only legitimate heavyweight champion, is rapidly taking on weight and inside of a year he should be able to give the best middleweights in the country a stiff argument.

He is a sensational boxer and possesses a K. O. wallop. Gibbons appears to get better with every fight.

"Buck" Crouse of Pittsburgh may be heard from in the middleweight class in a short time. Crouse is still a youngster and when he has gained a little more experience he may be able to defeat the best of them.

Ten Past Midnight. New York, March 4.—Eddie O'Keefe, a Philadelphia featherweight, generally out-punched Johnny Dundee of New York in a fast ten round bout last night, although in a mix-up in the fifth round a hard right to the jaw sent O'Keefe to the mat for the count of six.

McFarland and Hogan. New York, March 4.—Patsy McFarland the clever Chicago lightweight, and Freddie Welch, champion of New York, completed training today for a ten round bout tomorrow night. It is looked upon as something one of the best contests of the season here.

Watch in Winnipeg. Winnipeg, March 4.—Freddie Welch, challenger for Ad Wolgast's lightweight title, is in the city and looking well. He says that the first good strong boxer that meets Wolgast will probably defeat him, figuring that his recent illness will have weakened his constitution. There is a possibility that Wolgast may be matched to box in Saskatoon, his opponent being young Koschak.

Boris Tonight. Patsy McFarland vs. One-Round Hogan in New York; Bob LeFavor vs. Joe Uvanni in Williamsport, Pa.; Sailor Burke vs. Larry English in Brooklyn, N. Y.; Monte Atwell vs. Patsy Berganigan in Newcastle, Pa.; Clarence English vs. Clarence Fern in St. Joseph, Mo.

Amateur. The second of a series of indoor athletic meets is to be held this evening by the Boy Scouts of Stone church in the school room.

Cheese and the Digestion. There has been a widespread belief that cheese is not easily digested and that it is the cause of physiological disturbances. Not only the results of an extended series of digestion experiments undertaken by the department of agriculture, but the results of the experiments by the department as to the nutritive value of cheese, many facts have been made in preparing cheese for the table, the purpose being to suggest dishes and combinations of such a character that cheese might be digested and assimilated.

These naturally suggest itself as a substitute for meat, since it resembles meat in food value and is a savory food. Experience and experience have shown that it can be thus used, and that the daily fare may meet all demands as regards the nourishment it supplies just at the same time be economical.

To clean looking-glasses or window panes with tissue paper, which gives a lustre brighter than chamois leather, does.

MONCTON IN THE HOCKEY SITUATION

Ottawa, Ont., March 5.—Moncton's dates for the Stanley Cup games are likely to be Saturday and Monday, or Monday and Wednesday next, if the Wanderers beat Ottawa tomorrow night. But if home and home games are necessary between these two teams, to decide the championship of the N. H. A., there may not be any Stanley cup games at all.

It is now practically certain that the challenge of the British Columbia professional hockey association for the Stanley cup will be deferred until the commencement of next season. William Foran, Stanley cup trustee, received yesterday a telegram from Secretary Small of the coast league, as follows:

"Our championship may not be decided until March 18. Winners could play in east March 25 and 27. Please advise if possible to play on those dates."

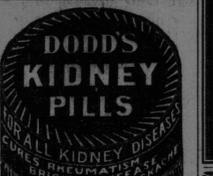
There has never been good ice in Ottawa, Montreal or Quebec on the dates suggested by the western league, and on this account Mr. Foran sent a reply to the effect that ice at that late date would be impossible.

The latest move on the part of the coast league means that there will only be two series for the Stanley cup.

Montreal, March 5.—The Canadiens made such a good showing down east last spring, that the Moncton Victorias are anxious to have them pay them another visit this year. Last night George Kennedy received a telegram from Moncton, asking him to make the trip and to set his earliest date. Kennedy says he will not consider the matter until he has referred the offer to the association, whose permission must be first obtained.

Moncton, N. B., March 4.—(Special)—The management of the Victorias today, on being acquainted with this report to the Stanley Cup dates, decided that nothing could be done to bring the Wanderers here as in the event of Quebec winning the dates would clash.

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W. J. HUNTER IS WEEK MISSING

I. C. R. Engineer Left Home Apparently on Short Hunting Trip—Fear That Something Has Befallen Him

Relatives and friends of William J. Hunter, a popular locomotive engineer with the I. C. R., are anxiously concerned over his prolonged absence from his home at 183 Waterloo street. He left home on Monday last and has not been seen since. Hunter's relatives have been unable to locate him, but today there is doubt that he will be seen again alive. Mr. Hunter is about sixty years of age. He has a large number of friends, not only in St. John but throughout the province. The matter of his disappearance will be heard of with regret. He had not been in the best of health for a little time. About three months ago he severed his connection with the I. C. R. On Monday last, a week ago today, he cleaned his gun in the morning, and after dinner, well towards three o'clock, saying "good-bye" to his wife, he left home, presumably on a few hours' hunting trip which he was frequently in the habit of taking. Since then there is no trace of him. When he did not return, inquiries were made and a search instituted, but without avail. It was thought yesterday that he had gone to Halifax, as a rumor to that effect was current in the Union depot, but L. E. Ross, terminal agent, on sending a wire to A. E. Brown, conductor of the Halifax train for Monday last, received word that Mr. Hunter had not been among his passengers. Mrs. Hunter naturally feels very anxious over the absence of her husband, and has despaired of again seeing him alive. "I know," she said to a "Times" reporter this morning, "that if he were alive he would not keep me in suspense. He was not feeling well, and would not have been able to have gone very far from home, so that if he is found, I do not think it will be at any great distance from the city. Up to last night I lived in hope that he would return, but when I learned that a friend with whom he was supposed to have gone hunting or fishing had returned, and had not been with him, I decided that it would be vain to look for his home-coming alive. "He did not tell me where he was going, and as I did not attach much importance to his taking his gun, for he was in the habit of going shooting, I did not enquire. Oftentimes, also, he handed his gun to some friend, and I did not know but that this was what he intended then. He was not the kind of man to stay away from home for any long time without letting me know where he was, and since I have had no word of him since last Monday I have given up hope of again having him with us alive."

BUSY DAY IN POLICE COURT

Drunkenness Charge is Fought—An I. C. R. Case—Too Many Girls Walking the Streets of City By Night

There was quite a lengthy docket of cases before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning. One prisoner, charged with drunkenness was fined \$8 or two months in jail, while another was remanded on a charge. Mary Bower, a young girl, arrested on charge of wandering in German street between ten and eleven o'clock last night and not being able to give a satisfactory account of herself, pleaded guilty and was remanded. She said that she had been to see a picture show and was only having a walk before going home. "There is too much of this business going on in the city nowadays," remarked His Honor. "The girls can deceive their mothers very easy now by saying they are going to see a picture show, but half of them never go. You will see them walking around the streets at night instead of being in their homes." William Golding, charged with drunkenness and also with breaking several doors in his father-in-law's house in Exmouth street, pleaded guilty to the first charge, but denied the second. He was remanded until tomorrow morning. Fights Drunkenness Charge. Considerable time was taken up with the case of John Neelson, who was arrested by Sergeant Baxter on Saturday night, charged with drunkenness. He pleaded not guilty yesterday and the case was set down for today. Mrs. Bertha Smith swore that she saw the defendant when he was placed under arrest, and that he was not drunk. She had never seen him drunk, and she had known him for several years. The prisoner was not drunk when she got him out of jail on Saturday night about seven o'clock, and it was not until five o'clock when he was arrested. The witness and Sergeant Baxter indulged in a rather heated argument in which the witness told the policeman that he arrested Neelson just for revenge. Frederick Glover, who was with Neelson when he was arrested, said that Neelson was not drunk, and that in his opinion he should not have been arrested. He was talking to Neelson in front of the ferry building when the sergeant placed him under arrest. He had known the defendant for several years and never saw him under the influence of liquor. The defendant swore positively that he was not drunk. Under cross examination he said he purchased a bottle of gin at noon. The bottle was produced in court, almost empty. The witness swore that the bottle was full when the policeman took it from him. Serg. Baxter and Serg. Caples both swore that Neelson was drunk when arrested. The former swore that the bottle was empty when he took it from the prisoner. The defendant, in answer to a question, denied having taken any liquor. The case was adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock when other witnesses will be called. Arthur Love, William Gibson, John Gynn, and Matthew Curran, co-accused, reported for going beyond the stand allotted to them at the Union Depot, on Feb. 29, pleaded not guilty and were represented by J. A. Berry, J. G. B. Boiceman Smith said the men did not go into the depot, but were inside the rail. He admitted that co-accused had been allowed to stand there for years without being reported. He had seen other men standing in the same place as those reported were on the same night, but had not reported them. The four men reported denied having infringed any of the rules on the night in question. The matter was set aside until other witnesses were called. Hearing in the case of Myer Whitman, reported for having liquor for sale on his premises in Mill street, was continued this morning. Israel Corber said he had never bought liquor from the defendant personally, but that about three or four years ago his brother had bought a bottle of alcohol there. Myer Whitman, a non-lawyer of the defendant said that liquor was always kept in the house for their own consumption. Liquor was served at dinner almost every day. Israel Ring, a boarder in the house, swore that he had a drink of brandy every day before dinner, but that he was not charged for it. Another swore that he knew the defendant quite well and never knew him to sell liquor. This closed the case. G. A. Henderson, in summing up for the prosecution said that it had not been satisfactorily proven that all the liquor found in Whitman's house was for home consumption, and that under several sections of the Temperance Act he could be proven guilty. William McConnell, aged 31, arrested on charges, was before the court and was remanded.

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LOCAL NEWS

THE BATTLE LINE. S. S. Treble, Captain Blarney for Newport, left yesterday.

TO SOUTH AFRICA. The S. S. Melville will sail this afternoon for South African ports with a large general cargo.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Alex W. MacFarlane took place this afternoon from his late home in St. David street. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. McClellan and Rev. W. Lawson and interment was in Fernhill.

ARTHUR McINNES SOUGHT. Chief of Police Clark has received a communication from Newport, Hants County, N. S., asking as to the whereabouts of Arthur McInnes, formerly of that place, who has not been heard from for some time. His relatives there are anxious to hear from him.

STILL ALARM. The fire department was called out about half past two o'clock this morning to extinguish a fire in Scovil Smith's house in Peter street. The fire was in one of the bedrooms and it is believed was started accidentally by a boarder who was lying in bed smoking a cigarette. The blaze was extinguished before any great damage was done.

C. P. R. TIME. During a recent visit of Sydney Haughton, chief time inspector of the C. P. R., St. John, to an appointed Penguin & Page as time inspectors for the eastern division of their line, from St. John to Miramichi. In connection with this service they have installed in the firm's store in King street a direct wire giving the daily time signal from McGill observatory.

DR. T. D. WALKER, IN FLORIDA, TELLS ABOUT COMMISSION HERE St. John Physician Meets Des Moines Enthusiast on This Form of City Government (Key West, Florida, Journal Feb. 28) "Yes," said Dr. T. D. Walker of St. John, N. B., at the Jefferson last night. "Up in my city we are enthusiastic on the subject of commission form of government. We sent some of our representative men to Des Moines to study it at first hand. They came back with glowing reports. We heard of its success in Galveston, Houston and other cities of the United States. We are determined to try it. Just now a new charter is being prepared." "At this juncture—the psychological moment so to speak—there arrived Rees (Gabriel) Des Moines, where the commission form of government has been tried for several years, to the satisfaction of everybody but the grafters. The introductions over Mr. Gabriel said: "Being a newspaper man you know that we citizens of Iowa's proud capital swear by our city like every true Athlonian swore by Athens. Oh, no, I wouldn't say we have no graft, but it is nothing like it was in the old days of wards and aldermen. You know we all want to see the city prosper, and another slogan we have is 'Des Moines Does Things.' We will have an election in the spring and it is dollars to doughnuts that commission will be endorsed overwhelmingly. The people would not go back to the old order of things, for there have been more improvements in the five years past than in the fifty preceding it."

FATHER OF GEORGE W. FOWLER, M.P., PASSED AWAY THIS MORNING Sussex, N. B., March 5.—(Special)—Wesley Fowler, probably the oldest resident of King's county, died this morning at nine o'clock at his residence in Hammond, Mr. Fowler was eighty-eight years of age and he died in the house in which he was born. He was a life-long resident of Hammond. Mr. Fowler was an industrious farmer who operated on a large scale and was a citizen who was well liked and had a host of friends. He is survived by four sons—George W. Fowler, M. P., now in Ottawa; David, Edward and Wesley, in town west, and one daughter, Mrs. Arthur Robinson, of Havelock.

WINTER PORT STEAMERS ON THE WAY TO ST. JOHN Anapa, London, Feb. 17. Manchester Inventor, Manchester, Feb. 19. Hampden, Liverpool, Feb. 22. Empress of Britain, Liverpool, Feb. 23. Montezuma, Antwerp, Feb. 23. Waimoa, St. John, Feb. 28. Lake Manitoba, Liverpool, Feb. 29. Kappahansuk, London, Feb. 29. Sardinian, London, Feb. 29. Virginian, Liverpool, March 1. Montreal, London, March 1. Sefaria, Glasgow, March 2.