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DIED AND CAME TO LIFE.

Resurrected Man Tells of the Happiest of Heavens.

HARRISBURG, Ill., Jan. 24.—The days of miracles are not passed, according to those familiar with the death and return to life of Ulysses S. Roberts, a clairvoyant and physician. He had been afflicted with consumption for nearly a year. Two weeks ago his condition became worse, and a few days later he called his wife and two children to his bedside, and kissing them good-bye, told them of the fast-approaching end. In the presence of the family, his pastor, Rev. A. S. Macey, of the First Methodist Episcopal church, of this city, Attorney R. S. Marsh, his family physician and a number of relatives, he died.

An undertaker was called. Twelve hours had elapsed since the spirit had left the body, when suddenly the figure lying on the cot smiled and opened its eyes. Mr. Roberts then spoke and asked them how long he had been gone, and, when told, he said: "That's strange; it seems to me I have been gone 1,000 years. I have been in Heaven and I have been happy."

He told of his meeting his father, who had long preceded him, and other relatives and friends. Many questions were asked by the pastor, Rev. A. S. Macey, concerning Heaven, and the description given by him was wonderful.

"But," said he, "I have just seven days to remain on earth, when I will leave you until we meet up yonder." When asked by Rev. Macey as to how Jesus appeared, he said He was most always happy, except at times when He beheld this earth steeped in sin. Roberts expressed a desire to return to Heaven, and, true to his prediction, on the seventh day, and at the very hour named, he again died.

MAMMOTH IN A GLACIER.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 23.—Chas. Runner, a well-known hotel proprietor of Skegway, will head an expedition next month to investigate a report brought by Indians of the finding of a mammoth in a glacier northeast of St. Michael. The Indians say the body is 20 feet high, and the tusks over a foot thick. The report is that it was frozen solid and can be removed in one piece.

A DANGEROUS DAY.

The slight fall of rain Saturday left the sidewalks and streets in a glare of ice. Walking became almost an impossibility, the only place that it could be accomplished at all with ease being the middle of the street. On Saturday night the rain was falling and spread along the sidewalks, but it was not in vain, for the rain froze over it. All day Sunday the sidewalks remained a slippery glare, no effort being made by the public works department to improve the walking by the use of sand. Not until this morning did the sand men appear, and at that somewhat tardily.

The steamers Minto and Stanley are again on the route. The Stanley left Pictou at seven o'clock this morning and the Minto left Georgetown at the same hour. The latter reached Pictou at a quarter past eleven and will return to Georgetown tomorrow morning. The mails are crossing by the cables.

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Another Cut on Overcoat Prices

Our OVERCOAT SALE has met with such great success that we have had to reduce our prices still further. Read a few of the cuts:

7.50 Overcoats, now \$ 3.75. 8.00 Overcoats, now 5.00. 8.00 Overcoats, now 5.00. 12.00 Overcoats, now 8.00. 18.00 Overcoats, now 12.00.

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MORE RUMORS OF COMING WAR

Russia's Reply Not Yet in Japan's Hands.

Report that the Chinese Army is Moving on Manchuria—Russia Makes Preparations.

PORT ARTHUR, Jan. 25.—The highest officials here repudiate the published accusations of Russian hostility to the United States because of its Manchurian policy and the appointment of American consuls under the new treaty with China. It is officially asserted that no large reinforcement of the eastern forces is expected at present. The military authorities, however, state that otherwise arrangements are making for a large number of troops from the province of Chi-li for the Cossacks and mounted infantry. The demoralization of passenger and freight traffic on the Manchurian railway continues, owing to the military activity and there is a large block of freight at Port Dalry on the Liao Tung peninsula.

TOKYO, Jan. 25.—The Japanese interpreter for the Russian attaché was arrested on Saturday last on the suspicion of acting as a spy in the Yokohama fortified zone. He has been taken to Tokohama. Such treachery is a capital offense in Japan.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 24.—Reports of an alarming nature concerning the situation in the far east continue to pour in. These include the statements that the Japanese are landing an army at Ma-serona, Korea, and that three thousand Russian troops are crossing the Yalu River. The reported dispatch of a Chinese vessel, also, by European officers, beyond the great wall to preserve order in Manchuria, casts a gloom over the situation. The ports of the Japanese at Ma-Ram-Pho and the Russians at the Yalu are discredited.

While the Russian government understands the situation in Korea to be disturbed and possibly threatening it has no information of a situation grave enough to warrant the landing of a large Japanese force there.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 25.—It is said that the Rev. John Robinson, formerly editor of the Daily News, is to be elected to the position of Moderator of the St. John's Convention, which will be held at St. John's on Monday, February 1st.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 23.—For 24 years the question has been asked in vain, "When Thomas Scott was shot by order of Riel, was he a man or a traitor?" It has been generally believed that only one man who disposed of the body of Scott, and that when Riel was hanged at Regina as the penalty of inciting the rebellion, the body of the traitor was buried. But old-timers have never accepted such a theory, believing that others besides Riel and his associates were involved in the matter.

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BISMARCK'S CORNS. (Argonaut.) It is related that Pinnow, the faithful servant and personal valet of the late Prince Bismarck, who recently died, once trod on his master's gouty foot. Instead of sweating at him or ever declaring he was a clumsy fool, Bismarck, noticing that Pinnow himself was frightened, said: "Consider yourself honored. No other person, my dear Pinnow, not even the Kaiser himself, would have been suffered to tread on my corns!"

CANADIAN PRODUCTS EXHIBIT IN JAMAICA. TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 23.—A "Canadian Manufacturers' Show-room" will be established at Kingston, Jamaica, for the purpose of pushing the sale of Canadian manufactured articles in that island. This intelligence was received by the secretary of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association yesterday in a letter from G. Gustave Burke, Canadian trade agent in Jamaica, who is the father of the project. The association is asked to make suggestions and co-operate in every way possible to make the exhibition a success. The purpose is to establish a permanent show-room and agency for Canadian goods, such as exist in the various centres of commercial activity throughout the world.

There was no business in the police court this morning.

GERMAN FORCES LOSE HEAVILY.

Uprising in South West Africa More Serious.

Settlers Murdered—Garrison in Danger—Cause of Rebellion Was German Extortion.

BERLIN, Jan. 25.—An official despatch from Windhoek, German South West Africa, says the Germans have lost heavily in unsuccessful attempts to relieve Okavango. The settlers and their entire families have been murdered, and that the Hereros are threatening Windhoek. A German party which engaged the natives near Joppe Farm lost a reserve officer, four boys, one non-commissioned officer and six men killed. The garrison of Windhoek numbers 230 men, part of the force being horsemen, with two machine guns.

BERLIN, Jan. 25.—Light has been thrown by the Frankfort Zeitung on some of the contributory causes of the Herero rising in German South Africa as the result of statements of a traveller who has just returned from Windhoek and Okavango. The merchants and the traders allied with them are charged with purposely involving the natives in debt and then arbitrarily seizing their cattle without legal process in payment. By this process the natives were mulcted of 100 per cent profit.

LYNCHED BY NEGROES.

Colored Folks in Kentucky Follow the Popular Fad and Hang Negro Without Trial.

GUTHRIE, Ky., Jan. 25.—Lewis Redford, negro, was lynched here last night by a mob of from thirty to forty negroes. Redford had been arrested on the charge of killing Priscilla Frohlich, also colored. He confessed to having been in the woman's company and to assaulting her, but denied that he killed her. While Redford was in the jail corridor, a mob rushed in and demanded the keys to his cell. The guard at first refused to deliver the keys but surrendered them after a pummeling. The prisoner was dragged to a tree a few yards from the jail door and hanged.

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MURDERED SON AND FATHER.

Awful Crime of Ontario Hired Man.

Killed His Employer and Young Son on Account of a Dispute Over Wages.

Special to the Star. MONTREAL, Jan. 25.—Clement Goyette, of Montreal, yesterday killed Daniel Corrigan, a farmer, and his son Alred. Corrigan is a farmer and hired Goyette. There was trouble over wages and Goyette, who had been drinking, took the axe to the stable where the farmer was, and killed him.

PREACHERS' MEETINGS. Methodist. The Methodist ministers met at the usual time and place, Rev. S. Howard presiding. There were present Revs. S. M. Campbell, W. N. Matthews, Dr. Howard, H. Penna, C. W. Hamilton, Dr. Wilson, W. J. Kirby, H. D. Marr, C. Comben, J. A. Clarke.

On account of the Rev. S. Howard having to leave the meeting his prayer on Baptism was deferred until next meeting.

THE BAPTIST MEETINGS. The Baptist ministers met at the usual place and hour, Rev. C. Burnett in the chair. Ministers present were: Revs. Dr. Gates, Dr. Manning, H. H. Roach, A. B. Cohoe, P. J. Stackhouse, A. P. Dymally, Dr. Gates, Dr. Black, C. Burnett and David Long.

A GOVERNOR AT HIS FEED. (New York Times). Gov. Van Sant, of Minnesota, is a multi-mannered and obliging man, but after a recent incident in which he was the central figure, he remarked with sincere feeling:

STOLE LAUNDRY. A Week's Wash Lifted From Small Boy's Sled. A rather bold case of stealing was reported to the police today by a boy named James McCluskey, who lives on Patrick street. The boy was taking to the laundry a large parcel of linen belonging to a lady on Carleton street.

CARLETON CURLEERS HOPEFUL. The hearts of the Carleton curleers, which have been cast down since their defeat by Moncton a week or two ago, are now beating with joy, for the club has again won a game. Last year the West End men broke all previous records by winning three games, and they hope that the results this year would be even better.

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McKEOWN NOT A CANDIDATE.

Declines Positively to Accept Liberal Nomination.

Says He is Out of Politics—His Friends Disappointed—Mr. O'Brien's Supporters Jubilant.

Hon. H. A. McKeown told the Star today that he would not be a candidate for the liberal party in the approaching election. Mr. McKeown said, "I will not think of it under any consideration. I never intended being a politician. I am content to be a farmer and a politician. I do not care to enter Dominion politics and will not think of accepting the nomination."

UNDESIRABLE IMMIGRANTS. Turned Back from the States to Be Kept in Canada. Ten persons who were refused admission to the United States as not being fit for citizenship, were on Saturday turned loose at Sand Point to shift for themselves in Canada, where, according to the opinions of American officials, they are liable to become public charges.

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THE WEATHER.

Jan. 25. Highest temperature, 30; lowest temperature, 10; temperature at noon, 12; barometer at noon, 30.06 inches; wind at noon, N. W.; velocity, 25 miles per hour. Clear.

10 p. c. to 30 p. c. REDUCTION IN FURS.

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SOAP. HAPPY HOME SOAP saves for you labor on washing day, money on shopping day. Seven one pound cakes for 5c.

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CITY THREATENED BY FIRE. BRAZIL, Ind., Jan. 25.—A fire is threatening the city. The Calumet block in which it originated, has been destroyed and the adjoining building is burning. Fire Haste has been asked for assistance. The water mains are broken and a strong wind is carrying the flames into the business district.

CLIFTON HOUSE TO BE CLOSED. It is stated that as soon as the lease held by the Misses Peters, of the Clifton House, at the corner of Princess and German streets, expires, the owners will make it into an apartment building, such as are rapidly growing up in all the larger American cities.

Grand Evening Auction Sale! At store corner Mill and Main streets commencing Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock, and continuing every evening until whole stock is sold.

NOTICE OF SALE! The estate of the late Mr. T. F. Baymond, situated at Bon-Lomond, together with that well known summer resort, Bon-Lomond House, will be sold at Chubb's Corner, St. John, N. B., April 2, 1904.

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ST. JOHN STAR, MONDAY, JANUARY 25, 1904.

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Good Bread and Milk. Hygienic Bakery, 124 to 125 Milk street, Phone 117.

FOR SALE. Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c. FOR SALE—A clean, pungent and large wall safe in good order. Situated at 710 St. ROBINSON, warehouse, Smythe street, city.

HELP WANTED FEMALE. Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c. WANTED—A girl for general household work. Apply to 171 Prince William street.

HELP WANTED MALE. Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c. WANTED—A young man to drive delivery wagon. Apply to 171 Prince William street.

WANTED. Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c. WANTED—A small self-contained flat in pleasant location for occupation any time after February 1st. Apply to SHERK, Star Office.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The small two-masted schooner Alex, of Lonsburg, N. S., Capt. Cook, bound with a cargo of sugar from Manzanillo for New York, went ashore early this morning off the point of Rockaway Beach and became a total wreck. She lies high and dry at low water. It is believed that this vessel was abandoned by her crew.

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Of all the bye-elections coming off during the next few weeks none will be watched with more general interest than the contest in St. John. The decision of this city with regard to the government's railway policy will be accepted by the greater part of Canada as the verdict of the maritime provinces, which, more than any other section of the Dominion, are interested in that policy. Upon that verdict will in a great measure depend the attitude of the next session of parliament toward the Grand Trunk Pacific scheme when it comes up for patching.

This responsibility is placed upon St. John largely because this port is considered to be in the best position to judge of the value of the proposed road as a provider of traffic for Canadian ports, in spite of the great claims made for the road in this respect, all Canada knows that the leading men in parliament from the maritime provinces saw in the contract, as proposed, a grave menace to the welfare of that part of the country which they represented. Mr. Blair felt so strongly in the matter that he resigned his seat rather than endorse the measure, and Mr. Borden bent every effort of the opposition toward the amendment of those sections of the bill which threatened to rob St. John and Halifax of the trade that belonged to them.

In view of the great weight that their verdict will have, the electors of St. John should strongly insist upon full information from Mr. Emmerson and the liberal candidate here regarding the present status of the deal and the modifications proposed. No silly declaration from the new minister that it is unconstitutional for him at this time to state what changes are in prospect, should be accepted for an instant. The electors of St. John are the court before which a preliminary examination of a case of vast importance to Canada is being made. If the attorney for the defense refuses to place before the court pertinent evidence in his possession it must be taken for granted that the evidence is strongly prejudicial to his side.

The government's policy as it stood at the adjournment of parliament provided for a road from Moncton to Quebec to connect with a trans-continental line, but it did not adequately provide that the traffic originating in the west should be carried over this eastern section. In spite of urgent requests for such provision; in spite of evidence given that under the contract as it stood, the Grand Trunk Pacific could and undoubtedly would divert the bulk of its winter traffic to Portland, Me., the government refused to permit any amendment to that contract. Are such amendments among the changes now proposed to do those changes rather than give the Grand Trunk people even a free hand in working against St. John? Considering that the changes to be made are requested by the company, opinion will incline toward the latter view.

But Mr. Emmerson knows and must be made to tell. If the proposed changes are favorable to this port he would have no hesitation in making them public. But knowledge concerning them, whether favorable or unfavorable, is necessary for an intelligent verdict and deliberate concealment of them renders Mr. Emmerson and his lieutenant in this constituency liable for contempt of this court.

A GUARANTEE NEEDED. Since the announcement that the government would at once proceed with the dredging of Rodney ship, in apparent compliance with the city's request, the Star has repeatedly insisted that such assurance was worse than worthless unless backed by an order-in-council guaranteeing the completion of the work. As is well understood, under the tentative agreement with the C. P. R., the city is rendered liable for the whole of the work and if the agreement should be signed and the government should adopt the not unexpected course of abandoning the work after election day, the citizens would be under the compulsion of contributing probably a quarter of a million without hope of return. It is obvious that the city cannot afford this and equally obvious that the negotiations with the C. P. R. can go no further until some such guarantee is received. The belief of Col. Tucker and Deputy Mayor McGoldrick that the government, having put its hand to the dredger, will not turn back, is, with all deference to those estimable gentlemen, hardly sufficient to guarantee. Neither is Sir Wilfrid Laurier's diplomatic and easily evaded assurance that the government "will stand by St. John as far as it is concerned in its duty so to do." That story about a dredge in the St. Lawrence which is coming here sometime, has also been heard before and is not so reassuring as it used to be. Unless the government is prepared

to commit itself more definitely in the matter, the base suspicion that their action so far has been little more than another pre-election bluff, will be stirred into new growth.

The dark suspicion that every hat concealed the scheming brain of an aspirant for political honors will be allayed by the Globe's assurance that Mr. O'Brien is the only man in the field. Still, it would be interesting to learn the views of a colonel or two—Telegraph.

This Sunday observance doesn't always work out fairly. For instance, the Recording Angel had to work long over-time yesterday because St. John city could not allow the desecration of the Lord's Day by the scattering of sand on the streets.

THE ENEMY. Unskilled in Letters, and in Arts unversed. Ignorant of empire; bounded in their view By the lone walling yeldt, where they Amid great silence; as people nursed Apart—the far-sown seed of them that Against the march of the majestic world, They fight and die, with dauntless bosoms bare; Craved if you will, demented, not to yield Ere all be lost! And yet it seems to me They fought as nobel Englishmen did use Against the march of the majestic world, To fight, for freedom; and not Briton he, Who to such, valor in a desperate field A knightly salutation can refuse. —Wm. Watson, "In Time of Estrangement."

HON. GEO. E. FOSTER. Tells of the Chamberlain Campaign in Great Britain. Hon. Geo. E. Foster, who speaks in the York Chamberlain trade policy, arrived in the city Saturday and left this morning for his home in England. He spoke at this evening on the same question. Speaking of his recent trip to the old country, Mr. Foster said that everywhere he was received with warmth and hearty and enthusiastic interest. The Chamberlain tariff reform is the live topic of Great Britain, and the people seemed anxious to know the views of Canada and her wishes in the matter. Altogether he addressed about 60,000 people in four weeks he was actively at work.

A most interesting feature of his meeting here, Mr. Foster said, was the presence of workmen in great numbers. He looks upon this as a good omen, as it shows how strongly the Chamberlain idea has taken hold upon the nation and how deeply, almost personally, interested everyone is in the matter. The Irish individual trying to match himself against the foreign individual flanked and hooted by his nation, applied to the English sense of fairness as not being an equal contest.

Mr. Foster believes that Chamberlain will win in the end. He may receive a few setbacks at the first, but the tide of opinion will flow ultimately in his favor. He, however, may take some years. SANDFORD INDICTED. Head of Holy Ghost and Us Colony Charged with Manslaughter. AUBURN, Me., Jan. 23.—Frank W. Sandford, head of the Holy Ghost and Us colony at Shiloh, has been indicted for manslaughter by the Androscoggin jury.

The indictment found against Mr. Sandford charges manslaughter in causing the death of Leander Bartlett, a fourteen-year-old boy, who lived at Shiloh last winter, by neglect, cruelty to the seven-months-old child of John Swart, cruelty to the one-and-one-half-year-old child of John Swart, cruelty to the four-year-old son of John Swart, cruelty of his own son, John Sandford, aged six years. It is alleged that Mr. Sandford made the children fast forty-eight hours, and that he made his own son fast seventy-two hours. INTEREST'S PRINCE OF WALES. Verdict of a Coroner's Jury Indictment of Him. LONDON, Jan. 23.—At Lambeth to-day a coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death in the case of a woman who fell downstairs. The jury added that the landlord should be compelled to provide handrails, the lack of which indirectly caused the death. The landlord is the Prince of Wales, and the house belongs to the Duchy of Cornwall. The rent is fifteen shillings and sixpence a week. LONG JOURNEYS MADE BY WHALES. Addressing the Academy of Science of Christiania, Professor Goldschmidt said that the whales that swim about the islands which lie off the coast of Norway and Finland in March and April travel immense distances. In May they turn up at the Azores, or even at the Bermudas, and sometimes pay a visit to the Antilles. They swim fast, for in June they are back again off Norway. Some of these whales have been known to bring back evidences of where they have been, for harpoons of the peculiar kind used off the coast of South America have been found stuck in them. UNGAR'S HEAVY-PILLABLE FINISH IS WHAT PLEASES THE PEOPLE. BROWNELL—At Morse Bluff, Nebraska, on Jan. 15th, Mary, wife of the late J. Harvey Brownell, formerly of Dorchester, N. B. SUTHERLAND—In this city, on the evening of January 24th, after a lingering illness, is, with all deference to those estimable gentlemen, hardly sufficient to guarantee. Neither is Sir Wilfrid Laurier's diplomatic and easily evaded assurance that the government "will stand by St. John as far as it is concerned in its duty so to do." That story about a dredge in the St. Lawrence which is coming here sometime, has also been heard before and is not so reassuring as it used to be. Unless the government is prepared

LOCAL NEWS.

The meeting of the St. Stephen's church guild this evening will be in charge of the musical committee. The programme will include Scotch music in honor of Burns. Rev. C. W. Hamilton conducted service in the morning. Misses M. and M. night, Harold J. Dobson presided at the organ. A number of sailors from the different steamships attended the service.

The ice which has accumulated at Miramichi has served to interfere considerably with the operation of the pulp mill. The logs cannot be pulled up owing to the ice condition of the place. At the Cathedral yesterday morning Bishop Casey preached an able sermon on labor and capital. He clearly explained the position of employer and employee and their relation to each other. The bishop based his sermon on the pope's letter on Christian democracy.

The community leaves with respect of the death of one of the most respected residents of the West Side, Mrs. Christine Peterson, nee James Tilly, who passed away about thirty-five years ago. Mrs. Peterson was the daughter of E. McAlpine, of Hampstead, Queens Co., N. B., and has resided here since her marriage. Three daughters, Mrs. James W. Pyles, Mrs. C. E. Byles of St. John, (west), Mrs. Geo. Wiswell of Ashmont, Mass., and one son, James W. Peters of Bridgetown, N. S., are left to mourn the loss of a most devoted mother.

GIRLS IN DANGER. Mormon Missionaries Filling Orders for Plural Wives. NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—What is considered as a menace to the school girls in New York has just been revealed through information which has reached a prominent educator in a letter from Salt Lake City. The revelation is that Mormon missionaries, whose work has lately caused so much protest, are paid for their work after the return to Utah. It is said that \$5 is paid for every girl over 16 who becomes a convert, and if the missionary succeeds in "placing" her—using her to fill an order for a plural wife—she is worth from \$20 to \$30 to him.

This letter, which comes from a man who was formerly a Mormon and who is closely allied in friendship with the heads of the Mormon church, is in reply to questions on existing conditions in Utah, in the interests of the educator, in the interests of the school girls, and about a year or two ago he had been away from this city, where he formerly resided. He has also in so much of his wife whom he had left here. Some ten years ago the man in question was married and he left Halifax to the West to see whether he would fare better. After a ten-year struggle he finally amassed a snug little fortune, and returned to Halifax in search of his wife whom he thought was living with her parents. He learned that she had been engaged for some time as cook in a well-known hotel, and about a year or two ago had been married to another man.

The returned husband consulted a solicitor with a view to bringing an action for bigamy, but after consideration he decided not to do so, but may institute proceedings for divorce. Both the parties are natives of the eastern part of Halifax county—Acadian Recorder. ALL ABOUT CANADA. LONDON, Jan. 21.—The following selections are from the geography books used in the English schools—"Manitoba is treeless," "Halifax has almost all the essentials of a successful harbor." "The chief states at present are Quebec, Maine and New Brunswick." "The Victoria bridge is over 2,000 yards long, and connects Montreal with the mainland to the south." "The Niagara suspension bridge has two storeys." "The Atlantic coast is the most useful at present for several reasons, and has splendid communication inland by railways. But it has one great drawback, most of it is frozen up in winter." "Ottawa, though quite a small town, is a suitable place for the capital of the Dominion."

MRS. BECHTEL NOT GUILTY. ALLENSTOWN, Pa., Jan. 23.—Mrs. Catherine Bechtel, the aged mother of Mabel Bechtel, who was found murdered last October, was today acquitted of the charge of being an accessory to the murder after the fact. Myrtha, her youngest daughter, and her sons John and Charles, are under indictment on a similar charge, but their trials have been postponed until the April term of court. N. B. MURDERERS PARDONED. NEW BEDFORD, Jan. 23.—Minnie Mooney, murderess, who for several years has been confined in jail here, was released yesterday. She and Martha Williams were imprisoned together for killing their own children. The Mooney girl's release was the result of efforts of her aged father, constable at Buteouche, who labored ceaselessly until the murder after the fact. Myrtha, her youngest daughter, and her sons John and Charles, are under indictment on a similar charge, but their trials have been postponed until the April term of court. EIGHT DROWNED IN WEEK. NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Eight lives were lost in the total wreck off Quogue, L. I., of the four-masted schooner Augustus Hunt, bound for Boston from Norfolk, Va. Of the crew of 10 only two men were saved. Second Mate George Ebert, of Cleveland, Ohio, and a sailor who was unconscious when washed on the beach.

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