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A POSITIVE REMOVAL SALE

I am going into the Manufacturing business, Cash capital wanted, and it has to be raised from my stock. A saving chance for everybody of 33 1-3 p. c. from every dollar.

Do you want some Winter or Spring goods in any staple line?

Remember 33 1-3 p. c. profit for you. Look at the prices we marked on some articles in our windows. It will give you an idea what and how much you can save on every line we carry. Remember 33 1-3 p. c. off.

Removal of Gents department only, but reduction of 33 1-3 p. c. in both stores.

D. BASSEN'S

Carleton St.,

St. George

Husband's Homecoming

An experienced and observant woman declares that the most important moment of the day to a man's peace of mind is the ten minutes that follow his return from the work of the day. At that time one word may change his whole state of feeling. He comes home usually tired. Work or the vexations of business during the day have frequently brought him to a point of fatigue or nervousness, at which a word will be for the rest of the evening. Of course, the particular disposition of every man is going to tell her, just as it does everywhere else. But the rule will hold good for the average man. The most important thing for the tactful woman to do is to wait until she sees some of his temper before she makes any decided move. Don't above all things, tell him that the plumber has just sent in a terrible bill for merely making that little alteration. Don't talk too much in the beginning on any subject. Conversation taken torrentially at the outset is likely to upset everybody who is a little tired after a day's work, and who wants the quiet enjoyment of the home.

The woman who follows this advice will find her evenings pleasanter than if she jumped at the beginning into the heart of things, especially disagreeable things.

Italy's new electoral bill, which seems not unlikely to become law, is one of the most interesting of all recent proposals for suffrage reform. It makes the franchise dependent upon ability to read and write, such capacity being proved by the sending in of a self-written application and by reading and writing a prescribed piece of matter in the presence of a commission composed of a school inspector, a school teacher and two municipal councillors. And when a man's capacity is thus proved he not only may but must vote, under penalty of 25 fine for the first failure to vote, and for the second a fine of 10 and exclusion from any public office for five years. As might be expected, the socialists bitterly oppose the bill, but the prospect is that it will be enacted, and that thus a peculiarly interesting experiment will be made.

Advertise in Greetings.

New Canadian Railways Projected

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—Parliament will be asked this session to charter a railway company to be known as the "Quebec and Northwestern," which proposes to build from Port Arthur to New Liskeard, then easterly across the height of land to Maniwaki, the present northern terminus of the Gatineau Valley Railway. The company also proposes to build direct northerly to the National Transcontinental at Ottawa, via the Conlong River. Further projects of the company are a line from New Liskeard to the National Transcontinental Railroad at Lake Abitibi, and a railway from New Liskeard to Temiskaming station on the Canadian Pacific Railway.

A federal charter will be sought this session by "The Hudson Bay, Peace River and Pacific Railway Company." The scheme seems to be original in the incident that the application mentions "Laurier Pass" as the spot which it is proposed to cross the Rockies on its transcontinental route.

It is proposed by federal legislation to give effect to the recent expression of a harbor commission for appointing a harbor commission for that city, to consist of five members, three to be appointed by the city council, one by the lieutenant governor, and one by the provincial government on the recommendation of the Toronto Board of Trade.—St. J. Globe.

A BIT OF TACTICS.

Appropos of the negotiations which are in progress between representatives of Canada and the United States for a measure of free trade between the two countries, a group of Bills has been introduced in the House of Representatives, by Mr. Mann, of Illinois, who is chairman of the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Department Committee. These Bills, fifteen in number, call for the removal or the abolition of the duties on a long list of articles, in which Canada is more or less interested. Included in these are: Salt; hops; meat and poultry; fish in all forms; eggs; hay; straw and flax; cotton cloth costing not over nine cents a yard; butter cheese and milk; timber and lumber; dried and sawed but not planed; barley and buckwheat, corn, rice, rye and wheat; beans, onions, peas and potatoes; cattle, swine, horses, mules and sheep; beet, carrot, radish, cabbage and various other garden and field seeds; barley-malt, cornmeal, macaroni, vermicelli, oat meal, rolled oats and biscuits; grain, buff, rough and sole leathers; boots and shoes, harness saddles and saddlery.

There is a good deal of speculation as to the significance of this move on the part of the member of the House, who occupies a very prominent position in the Republican party. In fact, Mr. Mann is virtually the representative of the floor leader of the House, Mr. Seno E. Payne, who is partly incapacitated by deafness, and it has been suggested in some quarters that the inclusion of certain articles which may be proper subjects of negotiations between the two countries may be taken as showing the drift of opinion in favor of lowering the tariff in the interests of the consumers. It is to be noted, however, that Mr. Mann is a strong "stand-patter" and it is suggested that his Bills have been introduced for the purpose of embarrassing the "Insurgents," who have been clamoring for tariff reform, but most of whom, as well as many of the Southern Democrats, are entirely opposed to taking off the duties on some or all of these products, and yet do not wish to go on record to that effect during the present session if they can avoid it. It may be, of course, that Mr. Mann, reading the signs of the times, is perfectly sincere in his proposal to wipe out the duties on this list of products. But it looks rather like a bit of tactics to put the "Insurgents" and tariff reform in a hole.—Hal. Chronicle.

FIGHT WITH ANARCHISTS Disarmed by Foolish Regulation, the London Police Brave the Rif-Raff of Europe

The shocking Houndsditch murders in London followed by the sensational battle with the police, are likely to effect some reforms in immigration restrictions. For more than a generation England has been the asylum of the world's riff-raff. It welcomed refugees that every other civilized and semi-civilized country spewed out, and even boasted of its hospitality. The belief prompting this line of action was to the effect that the Anarchists would not bite the hand that fed them. They valued too highly the privilege of refuge in England to turn against their protectors. As regards freedom from assaults upon members of the Royal family and high officials of state, it is true that foreign anarchists have behaved themselves in England. But the murder of a crowned head would have provoked hardly more general horror and wrath than the cruel murders of a fortnight ago.

SUSPICIOUS SOUNDS

It seems that on the night of Dec. 16 a constable making his rounds in Houndsditch had his attention called to a peculiar noise coming from one of the houses. He sounded to him as though burglars were making an entrance. He communicated with the man on the next boat, and presently five officers had gathered. They advanced to the door and knocked. A man came to the door, but he assured the officers in broken English that everything was all right. They went away, but the noise continuing, they returned and on a more summonsed the man, who appeared to be the occupant of the house. This time the occupant put his foot in the jamb of the door as he parleyed, and despite the protests of the foreman, the constables insisted on making an investigation.

THREE OFFICERS MURDERED

As the police entered the door there came a series of flashes from somewhere in the darkened hall, and with the savage barking of an automatic pistol in their ears, three of them fell dead. The other two were wounded, but unarmed as they were, attempted to make an arrest. That they, too, were not shot to pieces is one of the most remarkable incidents of the whole tragedy. When reinforcements arrived, they found the bodies of the dead and wounded policemen, and an otherwise deserted house. An investigation revealed the source of the suspicious sounds. The occupants of the house were burglars, who were attempting to drill a passage into the premises next door, which were occupied by a jeweler.

THE FINAL TRAGEDY

The hue and cry was raised, and a systematic search began for the assassins. In a day or two a doctor was found who had been called by a couple of women to attend a wounded man. He was dying, but he told the doctor that he had been shot in mistake by a friend. The next time the doctor called the patient was dead. The police assumed, and correctly enough, as the event proved, that the man was one of the gang in the Houndsditch house, so they took into custody the two women who had stuck to him after he had been abandoned by his comrades, and they are now accused of complicity in the murders. In a few days more they had discovered the identity of the other desperados, and the fight in the streets of London on Tuesday last was a fitting climax to the tragedy.

On Jan. 3, Detective Sergt. Leeson, who was watching suspicious premises, was fired on and shot through the lungs. Extra police arrived and were greeted by volleys of bullets from the besieged house. Sixty men under an officer, from the Scots' Guards were summoned from the Tower of London, and they fired a few rounds into the building from their rifles. There was a lull of five minutes, when the desperados replied with fire from Magazine rifles. Loads

of straw were backed up to the house and set on fire. The house took fire and the inmates were driven to the roof. At two o'clock the roof fell in, carrying the anarchists with it into the seething flames below. Two detectives were shot and several spectators wounded. It is reported that the remains of six anarchists have been found in the ruins of the house.

UNARMED POLICE

Two of the three murdered constables were married men with families, and the third was the support of his sister. The wife of one of the victims gave birth to another child within a week of the murders. The London public is raising a fund for widows and orphans at the rate of £500 a day, and tens of thousands of them are denouncing the ineffable folly that sends the policemen on their nightly rounds unarmed save for a baton. There are some old-fashioned pistols at every station, but, day or night, no policeman may carry one unless it is known beforehand that he is going on some particularly dangerous mission. It seems certain that this amazing regulation will be wiped out, and the police in future supplied with weapons at least as modern as those which their natural enemies are always ready to use.

TRUCKLING TO THE FOREIGNER

A more important reform should be the stretching of some sort of immigration net around England which will catch and turn back the most undesirable of the foreigners who are now flocking to her shores. The present Aliens Act is insufficient, for it only applies in those cases where the immigrants come in groups of twenty or more. England is overcrowded now, and why she has for so long permitted the congestion to be increased by streams of Russians, Poles and other foreigners is hard to understand. These aliens in London, as in other parts of the world, form themselves into little knots and communities, and at once become an object of interest and solicitation for demagogic politicians. To pamper those of them that have lawless and criminal inclinations, the police are disarmed and occasionally offered as their victims.—Exchange.

What the Londoner Thought of Uncle Sam's Sailors.

London looked with interest recently at the sailors of Uncle Sam's navy who visited Britain, and some interesting views of the American tar from an English standpoint are afforded by James Douglas' article in the London Leader.

If I were asked to say what is the physical difference between the Englishman and the American, I should say that the Englishman, as a rule, is fat and the American is thin. There are thin Englishmen and fat Americans but on the whole, the one race runs to beef and the other to bone. The instinct of caricature in this respect is accurate. Uncle Jonathan is depicted as long and lean and lanky, whereas John Bull is stout and sturdy and protuberant as to the equatorial region. Of course, the caricatures exaggerate, but they are based on a foundation of fact.

The American sailors who have been seen so often in the London streets of late are all curiously alike the conventional caricature of Uncle Jonathan. They are clean-shaven, it is true, but if one could have given one of them a goatee he would have looked very similar to the familiar picture of the typical American. The contrast between the American blue jacket and the English blue-jacket is complete. The American sailor is sad-faced and lantern-jawed, and he lacks the joviality and jollity of his British cousin. He seldom smiles and seems to have a full share of that strange American melancholy which puzzles and mystifies all observers. America is a young nation, as nations reckon youth, and yet the Americans are, as a rule, a profoundly sorrowful race. The Americans struck me as being peculiarly lugub-

rious. Perhaps it was the effect of our November fogs and rains. But they assuredly walked about our streets with gloomy faces and sad eyes.

Intercolonial Railway Calendars for 1911.

The 1911 calendars of the Intercolonial have more of real artistic merit than for several years past, being a new departure in design and coloring, and those fortunate enough to receive them will find them tastefully ornamental as well as all they should be in the way of general utility.

On a background of green and brown, a capital representation of pine cones, the words "Canadian Government Railways," "Intercolonial Railway," and "Prince Edward Island Railway" appear at the top in black shaded letters of shaded guinea gold. From the centre of the lettered space the I. C. R. emblematic moose head appears, surrounded by a halo of scarlet, in which the usual text "The Fast Line," "The People's Railway."

The centre of the calendar is taken up with a richly colored sketch of the "Ocean Limited Express" skirting the shores of Bedford Basin, on the way out of Halifax. The scene is well chosen, the cloud tints and the coloring of the far blue hills flanking the greenish blue expanse of water having a most natural effect, especially with those familiar with the scene and its surroundings. The calendar tab is of sage green, with lettering and figures of white. On each side of the tab a panel of dark brown with yellow lettering is devoted to extolling the excellence of those two famous I. C. R. through trains, the "Ocean Limited" and the "Maritime Express." A border of purple gives a finishing effect to the general design and completes a calendar that ought to be greatly admired and easily solicited.

The Toronto Globe of Jan. 6, 1911 has the following:

Among the thousands of calendars annually turned out and distributed to the public, there is ample evidence of artistic selection, and it seems that there are yet no signs that appropriate and new designs are wearing out. All that have come to the Globe this year are attractive, but the production of the calendar of the Intercolonial Railway marks a new beginning. Some beautiful scenery, as well as one of the Canadian Government Railways fine trains are shown in a dark background, making the calendar one worthy of a prominent place in the office or the home.

SOUR STOMACH

Is an Almost Certain Sign for
Acute Indigestion.

If you occasionally have a taste of sour food in your mouth, it surely shows that the food you are eating is not being digested but instead is fermenting and giving out poisonous gases.

Belching of gas is a common symptom at such times, and also that lump of lead feeling, as if your stomach was carrying a much greater load than it could stand.

If you want prompt relief and permanent cure, go to J. Sutton Clark and get a large tin box of Mi-on-a tablets for 50 cents.

J. Sutton Clark knows that Mi-on-a is a highly recommended scientific remedy, and that is why he is ready to return your money if it fails to cure acid stomach, belching of gas, dizziness, biliousness, sick headache, foul breath, and all stomach troubles.

The Commonwealth Government of Australia is going into the coal business and, it is announced, expects to mine and sell up to a million a year.

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THE GRANITE TOWN GREETINGS

BEAVER HARBOR

The members of Harbor Light Division held a concert and box social in Paul's hall last Friday evening. The following program was carried out before a large audience.

Chorus, Hark the Temperance Bells are ringing, The Division; Address of Welcome, Mrs. Addison Eldridge; Recitation, Fenwick Hawkins; Reading, Vera Justason; Solo, There's a warm spot in my heart for Tennessee, Mrs. Neil Cross; Recitation, Nina Vaddin; Tableau, Woman's Rights; Reading, Flora Eldridge; Duet, Back to Dear Old Home Sweet Home, Ina Eldridge and Will Hanson; Recitation, Light on Dealman's Bar, Mildred Cross; Flagg Drill by ten Girls; Recitation, Slave that saved St. Michael, Bessie Paul; Solo, Nobody knows, Nobody cares, Mrs. Robert Barry; Reading, At the stroke of nine, Myrtle Holmes; Tableau, Gypsy Fortune Teller; Recitation, Edna Dakin; Solo, Meet me tonight in Dreamland, Hayward Sparks; Reading, Clara Eldridge; Dialogue, Ada Eldridge and Hayward Sparks; Duet, and Hayward Sparks; Duet, Gettle Bates and Martha Babcock; Tableau, Tempel; Song, Goodnight, Division. Miss Carrie Wright presided at the organ. The proceeds amounted to \$26.50.

Mrs. Eldridge and Mrs. Nodding who were sick are improving.

Mrs. Albert Cross still remains very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Mawhinney of Maces Bay came on Monday to visit their mother Mrs. B. Barry.

Mr. Mawhinney left on Monday to attend the County council at St. Andrews.

We are pleased to report that Wm. Parker is slightly improved in health.

G. W. McKay is attending the council this week.

Hazel Eldridge returned on Friday from a pleasant visit in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Munro visited St. George on Sunday.

Roy Eldridge has gone to St. John where he is employed for the winter months.

Joe McCue and Melly Keane of St. George spent Sunday at home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ranao and their wife were guests on Sunday of Mrs. Akerley.

Vera Justason has gone to St. John where she will spend some time with friends.

A moving picture show at the hall last Thursday evening was quite largely attended.

Moving pictures in the hall were much enjoyed by all present.

Sumner Craig has been paying special business trips to Letang and Letang and Bliss Island during last week.

Mrs. Thomas French was the guest of her mother Mrs. Eben Leavitt on Sunday.

Our minister Mr. Mason preached his farewell sermon here Sunday morning. We are very sorry to part with him as he is well liked by all, we all join in wishing him success in his new field of labor and hope in time that he will be with us again.

Simon Theriault and son Frank called on friends across the bridge on Sunday last.

Frank Leavitt made a flying trip to St. George Monday.

Mrs. Frank Leavitt returned home on Monday from St. John where she has been visiting friends.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Andrew Craig is still on the sick list.

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of "Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford"

"Nesbitt declared that he had no money to buy shares to qualify, but proposed that \$5,000 be given him from the bank's funds for this purpose. This was done by Travers. The money was deposited in another bank and Nesbitt drew his cheque against it and purchased his shares. He was made a director and immediately elected president."

Toronto, Jan. 17.—So far as known the police have not yet effected the capture of Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, ex-M. L. A., first president of the defunct Farmers' Bank, for whom a warrant is out charging the sending of false returns to the government.—Exchange.

LETANG

Mrs. Logan, An tin and Byron Parsons who have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boyd returned to Eastport Saturday.

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NEW RIVER

Edgar Smith has completed his work in loading the cars of lumber.

Mrs. Chas. Giles returned from St. John on Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Murray and daughter Lilli spent Tuesday in St. John.

Chas. Giles and Edman Boyne have taken up positions with the New River Lumber Co.

Mrs. Amey Foley returned to her home in Blacks Harbor Monday after spending a few weeks with Mrs. Giles.

Thos. Mulhern spent Friday in St. John.

Mrs. Oliver Stenson and son Charles returned home on Monday.

Miss Katie McKay is spending a few weeks with her sister Mrs. Frank Casey. They are doing well in the lumber business here but they are short of teams.

Ben Austin and crew have been repairing the railroad here.

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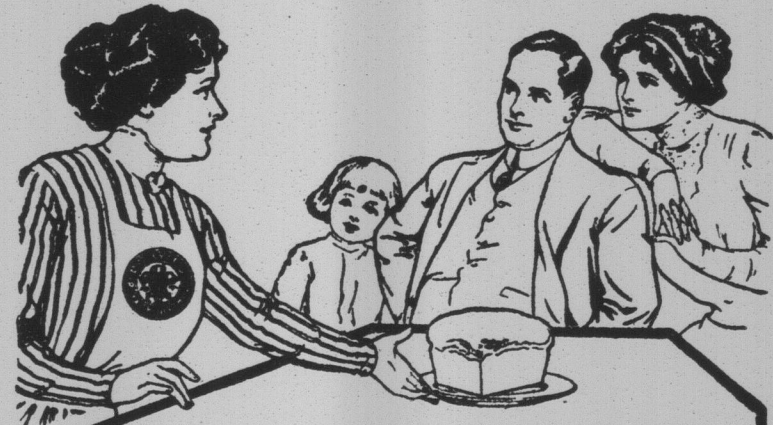
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Good, Better or Best?

A VITAL DIFFERENCE IN BREADS

QUALITY you know is comparative. Just as much so in bread, as in woollens or linens.

And it is just as good for Pastry as it is for Bread. It is the one flour which has proved an unqualified success for every household purpose. And its absolute uniformity guarantees you against failure—

If you make bread at all you naturally want it to be good—as good as, or better than your neighbor's. But is your bread as good as it ought to be? Does it furnish its full quantum of health and strength? Is it nutritious as well as delicious?

Ordinary flour may make fairly good looking bread. But if you care for *food value*, for nutrition, for digestibility, for bone and muscle and blood building quality, you will want a flour rich in the highest quality of gluten.

ROYAL HOUSEHOLD FLOUR is made of Manitoba Red Fyfe Wheat, which is especially rich in high quality gluten. It is scientifically milled in the finest mills in the British Empire and samples are regularly subjected to the most exacting of all tests, the oven test, to insure uniformity.

ROYAL HOUSEHOLD always makes the finest and most nourishing bread, the lightest, flakiest and most healthful pies, cakes, biscuits, muffins, rolls.

Order "ROYAL HOUSEHOLD" at once. Don't delay. The sooner you commence using this finest of all flours the better for your family.

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New Brunswick Southern Railway.

TIME TABLE No. 34. In effect June 19th, 1910 Atlantic Time

Trains West	Read Down	Stations	Trains East	Read Up
Train No. 2			Train No. 1	
Leave A.M.			Arr. P.M.	
7.30		St. John East Ferry	6.25	
7.45		St. John West	6.15	
7.55		Bay Shore	6.10	
8.13		Duck Cove	6.05	
8.15		Spruce Lake	5.50	
8.30		Allan Cot	5.45	
8.30		Prince of Wales	5.30	
8.43		Musquash	5.20	
9.10		Leppaux	4.50	
9.27		New River	4.25	
9.32		Pocologan	4.15	
9.50		Pennfield	4.00	
10.10		Utopia	3.37	
10.30		St. George	3.30	
10.52		Bonny River	3.10	
11.22		Dyer's	2.45	
11.35		Cassell's	2.37	
12.00		Ripley's	2.15	
12.28		Brunswick Junction	1.47	
12.12		Oak Bay	2.03	
12.28		N. B. Southern Jct.	1.47	
12.30		St. Stephen	1.45	

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BACK BAY
Mr. and Mrs. E. Dean and baby have returned home. Dorothy the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orben Harris who has been sick is improving. Stmr. Viking was laid off Saturday, she is undergoing repairs at St. Andrews. There is some talk of a dance being held here once a week in A. McGee's hall if the young folks can arrange it without any trouble.

Extraordinary Doings

In Farmers' bank

Toronto, Jan. 17.—Mr. Alexander Fraser, who received a summons to-day charging him with other provisional directors of the Farmers' Bank with conspiracy to obtain \$10,000 from the bank in 1906, expressed surprise to hear of the charge, and said he was not aware of any conspiracy. "As far as I know, the members of the provincial board were guided by legal advice in their transactions."

It is alleged that three men on one occasion voted themselves \$2,500 each out of the funds of the bank then in process of formation and that Travers was forced to go out and supply the shortage in the \$250,000 cash fund which was necessary to secure the charter and that this was done and other further shortages made up by the hypothecation of notes turned in for subscriptions for bank stock which went to make up the \$500,000 in subscriptions for stock also necessary for the granting of the bank's charter.

The story of Dr. Beattie Nesbitt's appointment as president while the institution was but a sickly infant, is told by a substantial business man. It is this and reads like an extract from the adventures

World's Biggest Apple.

The biggest apple in the world, probably the biggest that has ever been grown was sold at Covent garden recently.

The apple, which, says the Pall Mall Gazette, is a beautifully proportioned and colored Gloria Mundi, was grown at the King's Acre Fruit Trees Nurseries at Hereford, and weighs no less than 27 ounces. It has a circumference of 16 1/2 inches, and is 5 inches in height.

Immediately Messrs Garcia Jacobs & Co. put the apple up for sale, there was much spirited bidding, but it was eventually knocked down to Messrs Adam & Co., of Bond street, for £14 14s., and the amount sent to the Charity Cross Hospital.

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SEELYE'S COVE

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. French returned home on Saturday after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in Quincy, Mass.

Thos. Carter who is fishing at Black River spent a few days of last week at his home here.

Mrs. J. McAdam and daughter Mrs. George Hatten are spending the week with friends in Eastport.

Miss Lizzie Armstrong of Pennfield Ridge called on friends here last Sunday evening.

Extremely cold weather at Seelye's Cove, the class Tuesday morning registered at 21 below zero at Crow's nest cottage.

Arthur Ward is on the sick list, he is in St. George this week under Dr. Alexander's care.

The Lodge Bros of Crow Island are spending the week at their home in Eastport, we miss them and their instrumental music at the Cove.

Miss Florence Carter spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ed. Thompson at Pennfield.

Mrs. Chas. Woodbury of Utopia was a visitor here on Tuesday.

Mrs. Julia Bright has returned home from a pleasant visit with friends in Eastport.

Mrs. John Bothwick and children of Utopia are visiting at Mrs. Margaret S. ears.

Eggs are Eggs, Hen Is Not a Bird

Washington, Jan. 16.—Eggs are eggs. A hen is not a bird. So says the United States court of customs appeals in a decision which seems to settle a question which has muddled the customs, perplexed the experts and finally called in the zoologists. Eggs coming from China usually are broken out of the shells, packed in tins and frozen. Customs officials contended they entered this country in competition with home laid eggs and assessed a duty of five cents a dozen.

The importer objected, claiming they should be free of duty under that section of the tariff which puts the eggs of birds on the free list, and contended that at most they were only albumen and dutiable as such.

The full bench of five justices agreed that the importer's claim that a hen is a bird lacked merit, and that an egg is an egg in the shell or out of it.

Recently the court held that a yam was not a sweet potato.

The customs agent also recently prepared a 25-page report on the undervaluation of turnips.

Running of Motor Boats

In a letter to The Beacon, Mr. F. W. Richardson, secretary of the West Isles Weirman's Union gives some timely advice with respect to care and management of motor boats.

"Some owners of motor boats," he writes, "do not seem to care anything about their engines, the public, or the fish. They run their engines wide open at all times, which takes more fuel, oil and care, and without a good muffler is very racking and wearing on the engine, the public and the fish. They spill gasoline and oil over their engine and boat and instead of using water or cloth to clean the engine on boat they allow the gasoline and oil to go to the bottom of the boat where it floats on the water and is hauled overboard. If fishermen would be more careful and give more attention to these matters there would be little use of laws to compel them to respect themselves and the public.

"The use of a little waste and a tin box would do much to keep oil from floating on the water where motor boats are used. The engine should use the waste to soak up the gasoline and oil and place it in the tin box. Then, when no further use could be made of the waste, he should burn it, not throw it overboard as all users do now. Then there would be little complaint of oil on the water to drive the fish away. Then, by placing a good muffler on his engine, and running it in a proper manner the fish and the people could rest in peace.

"The fishermen of the County," continues Mr. Richardson, "seem to be a unit as regards motor boats driving fish into deep water and are anxious that

something should be done before another season.—Beacon.

Old Newspapers suitable for putting under carpets, etc for sale at Greetings office, Sets, a bundle.

The Thimble Club had a pleasant meeting with Mrs. H. R. Lawrence Tuesday evening, the Club meets with Mrs. Jas. Chase next week.

Miss Stella Scott of Pennfield has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. Goodell.

James Magee of St. John is visiting his daughter Mrs. Arthur Brown.

"Gentlemen," said the ex-army officer who was aspiring to parliamentary honors, "I have fought against the Russians often have I had as my bed the cold damp battlefield, and with bleeding feet I have marched over the frozen ground until utterly exhausted."

The audience seemed to be impressed and a burly son of the soil was seen to approach the platform. Then he spoke with great deliberation. "Did you say ye'd fought against the Roosshans?"

"Yes," replied the candidate.

"And that you lay out for nights the cold damp battlefield?"

"That I did, sir."

"And your feet bled as you marched over the frozen ground?"

"Yes, I assure you they did."

"Then I am sure you have done enough for your country. Go home and rest. I'll vote for the other fellow."

Boston Advertiser: Now that the subcommittee has approved Perry's claims upon congressional recognition, it is for the House and Senate to allow his retirement at a salary of about \$6,000. Of course, if the House of Senate become agitated over this, and refuse, Captain Perry may feel justified in going back north and hiding the Pole again.

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No Retreat. Buzza—Good morning. I've just looked in to tell you something about that new casher of yours.

Smartie—Yes?

Buzza—Why, I found out quite by accident that she had to bolt from New York.

Smartie—I know all about that. This is I engaged him.

Buzza—What?

Smartie—Don't you see that's a guarantee but he can't go back there—with my money—Aly Sloper.

Disturbance Ancestry. Mrs. Parsons (astonishingly)—Were any of your ancestors men of note?

Mr. Filippant—Yes, madam, I should say so. One of them was the most famous admiral of his day, and commanded the allied forces of the world.

Mrs. Parsons (with altered tone of deep respect)—Is it possible, Mr. Filippant? And what was his name?

Mr. Filippant—Noah, madam—Tit-Bits.

SMALL BOYS POINT OF VIEW.

Mamma (to Bobby, who has been gazing intently at passing girl)—Isn't that a pretty girl, Bobby?

Bobby critically—She will be when she grows up.—Chicago Chronicle.

Postmaster O'Neill of New Waterford, Cape Breton, has been taken to Sydney to await trial. The charge against him is the theft of \$7,500 from the Bank of Nova Scotia.

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INGENUOUS CHILD.



"And what do you call your horse, Charley?" asked big sister's admirer.

"I call him Beau," answered the little boy.

"Beau? That's an odd name. Why do you call him that?"

"Because I have to keep him on the string all the time or else I'd lose him and sister says if she don't keep her beaux on—"

"Charley, you must run up to the nursery to play now," firmly interrupted the big sister.—Chicago Tribune.

No Outward Indications. "You told me he was a multimillionaire."

"That's what I've always understood."

"Well, he isn't. I've seen him eat. He has the stomach of an ostrich, and he gives dollar tips."—Chicago Tribune.

The Ear of Faith. During a severe thunder shower, little Frederick was very much frightened, and began to cry. His three-year-old sister Edith, woman-like, attempted to console him.

"Don't cry, brother," she said. "That's only God nailing up the rainbow."—Little Chronicle.

His Interpretation. Little Amzi (who has an inquiring mind)—Uncle Tim, I saw the word in the newspaper—that is the "curriculum" of a college.

Uncle Timrod (promptly)—Curriculum, eh. Why, that's what them 'ere mop-headed college students comb their hair with.—Puck.

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Both Failed For Both Did too Well.

There was once a rich old uncle who had two poor nephews.

And when Christmas came the two poor nephews were anxious to show the rich old uncle how much they thought of him.

Now the first poor nephew reasoned that he should impress his rich old uncle with the great affection he bore for him by some means. So he drew out his savings and purchased for his rich old uncle a magnificent gold watch and had it neatly engraved. To it he attached a gorgeous chain, put the whole affair in a lavishly decorated box and sent it to his rich old uncle with his best wishes.

The second poor nephew figured that any extreme financial outlay would convince his rich old uncle that he was trying to jolly him a bit too much, so he invested a nickel in a neat but tasty Xmas card.

So the rich old uncle received the two remembrances and said to the first nephew:

"Humph! A man who will spend all he has for a gold watch to give to a man who already has all the watches he ever will need hasn't got enough judgment to be trusted with money."

When he looked at the card he nodded his head approvingly and said:

"There's a man after my own heart. He shows a marked economical trait and I am sure he will get along in the world without any aid from me."

So he made a new will, leaving his money to found an institution for the study of prehistoric manifestations of microbial diseases in fossilized animalcules.

Alsace and Lorraine.

Forty years have passed since the Germans took the province of Alsace and Lorraine from France. In that period it has been treated as conquered territory, now it is to be given home rule. A legislature of two branches is to be created. In the upper house of thirty-six members half will be selected by the Emperor of Germany, the other half will consist of the heads of religious bodies, representatives of boards of trade, universities, etc. The members of the lower house will be elected by the people, but there are many features which seem peculiar to residents of English speaking countries. Every man over twenty-five has a vote; every man over thirty-five has two votes, and every man over forty-five three votes. Three years residence is required, a provision intended to operate again at the socialists. In an election, when no candidate receives a majority of the votes cast, a second election must take place, with all the candidates competing. In other European countries the candidate at the foot of the poll is dropped when there is a second election. Alsace Lorraine for many years bitterly opposed German rule, but lately the people have been better satisfied with the situation. France long looked forward to a war in which they would reconquer these provinces, but little is heard of that idea now. Germany has grown immensely in population and military strength, while France has made little progress in either direction. —St. John Globe.

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THE BARRIER

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"The warmth of her caressing hands, momentarily unheeded a leaping pack of mail clothes and it was she who finally drew herself away to remind him smilingly that he was wasting time."

"My lips will be here when those mines are worked out," she said. "No, no!" And she held him off as he came toward her, insisting that if they were going they must be off at once and that he could have no more kisses for the present. "But, of course, it is a long trip, and we will have to sit down now and then to rest," she added slightly, at which he vowed that he was far from strong and could not walk a little way at a time, yet, even so, he declared, the trail would be too short, even though it led to Canada.

"Then get your pack made up," she ordered, "for we must be well up toward the head of Black Bear creek before it grows dark enough to camp. Swiftly he made his preparations. A madman was upon him now, and he took no pains to check or analyze the reasons for his decision. The thought of her lovelessness in his arms once more far up among the perfumed wooded heights as the silent darkness stole upon them stirred in him such a fret to be gone that it was like a fever. He slipped away to the barracks with instructions for his corporal, but was back again in a moment. Finally he took up his burden of blanket and food, then said to her:

"Well, are you ready, little one?"

"And you are sure you won't regret it?"

"Not while you love me."

He kissed her again before they stepped out on the river trail that wound along the bank.

Two hours later they passed where the foaming waters of Black Bear creek raged down across a gravelly bar and into the silent, sweeping river, standing at the entrance to a wooded, grass grown valley, with rolling hills and domes displayed at its head while back of them lay the town, six miles away, its low, squat buildings tiny and toylike, but distinctly silhouetted against the evening sky.

"Is it not time to rest?" said the soldier laughingly, yet with a look of yearning in his misty eyes as he took the light figure in his arms. But she only smiled up at him and, releasing his hold, led the way into the forest.

CHAPTER V.

A STORY IN HISTORY.

It's funny thing how two brown eyes was changed evering—
De cloud she's no rose on de sky,
An' winter's no sak spring,
Dee man's no rose so very light,
Dee tree she's not so long—
I'd walk it forty mile tonight
For see her eyes can see.

For marry on one piece, dat's soon,
An' if she's tole me yess, dat's soon,
Don't you be ever de word!

OLD MAN DORET sang softly as the trader came toward him through the open grove of birch. He was happy this afternoon, and, being much of a dreamer, this fresh enterprise awoke in him a boyish pleasure. Had not this discovery of "No Creeks" been providentially arranged for his own especial benefit? A fool could see that this was a mark of celestial approbation, and now but a few weeks questioned the wisdom of the gods. Had he not watched Nochs grow from a slip of thirteen and spoken never a word of his love? Had he not served and guarded her with all the gentle divinity of an olden knight? Or some? And here was his reward, a gift of wealth to crown his service, all or bar.

"Whew," said Gale, slipping out of his park stripes, "the steppers is bad."

"An' let your own boots," said Poleon. "De're mo' so tick as de sam."



Poleon Doret sang softly as the trader came toward him.

near day kill Jehanne that on de Por'zupic. Both men wore gauntleted gloves of caribou skin and head harnesses of mosquito netting stretched over globe-like frames of thin steel bands, which they slipped on over their hats.

"Let's see. It was you that found

him, wasn't it?" said Gale.

"Sure thing! I'm comin' down for erub in my canoe when I see dis feller in de bank walkin' lak he's in love berry. 'Ba gar, I say, dere's man goin' so fast he'll meet dese' comin' home!' Den he turn round an' go tear in' back, wavin' dese arms lak he's callin' me, till he fall down. 'Wen I paddle close up I don't know 'im no more dan stranger, an' me an' Jehanne that is trap together w'en winter 'Wat you tink of dat?'"

"I saw a fellow killed that way at Holy Cross," interpolated the trader.

"Hello!" I say, "Wat's de matter? An' den I see somethin' 'bout 'im dat look familiar. Hees face she's at 'zovell up an' 'heedin' lak now about. The Frenchman curled his upper lip back from his teeth and shook his head at the reminiscence.

"Iow, dat's 'vorrable sight! Den by de drive 'im craze. Hees nose an' ears look lak holes in dese red spous an' hees eye are close up tick!"

"He die before you got him in didn't he?"

"Yes. He was good man too."

"I guess you been purty glad for havin' Nochs home again, eh?" ventured Poleon after awhile, endeavored to avoid any longer the subject upper most in his mind.

"Yes. I'm glad she's through with her schooling."

"She's gettin' purty beag gal now."

"That's right."

"By an' by she's goin' marry on some feller—wat?"

"I suppose so. She ain't the kind to stay single."

"Ha! Dat's right too. Maybe you don't care if she does get marry, eh?"

"Not if she gets a man that will treat her right."

"Waal, waal! Dere's no trouble 'bout dat," exclaimed Doret fervently. "No man wafs livin' could treat her bad. She's no good an' too purty for any bad husband."

"She is, is she?" Gale turned on him with a strange glare in his eyes.

"That's the kind that get the de-fers. There's something about a good girl that attracts a bad man, particularly if she's purty, and it goes double on. The good man get the hellions. A fellow can't get so tough but what he can catch a good woman, and a decent man usually dresses a witt in front looks like a sled and acts like a thither wolf."

"Nochs wouldn't marry on no bad man," said Doret positively.

Neither man had ever spoken thus openly to the other about Nochs before, and although their language was indirect, each knew the other's thought. But there was no time for further talk now, for the others were close upon them. As they came into view Gale exclaimed:

"Well, if Lee hasn't brought Run- nion along!"

"Humph!" granted Doret. "I don't tink much of dat feller."

The three new arrivals dropped down upon the moss to rest, for the trip had been heavy. Lee was the first to speak.

"Did you get away without been seen?" he asked.

"Sure," answered Gale. "Poleon has been here two hours."

"That's good. I don't want nobody taggin' along."

Runion volunteered nothing except casts at the mosquitoes and at his pack straps, which were new and out of his already.

As no explanation of his presence was offered, neither the trader nor Doret made any comment then, but it came out later, when the old hunter dropped far enough behind the others to render conversation possible.

"You decided to take in another one, eh?" Gale asked Lee.

"I wasn't exactly my doin's," replied the hunter, "Stark asked me to let Runion come 'long, bein' as he had grub staked him, and he seemed so set on it that I reckoned, 'You see, it's the first chance I ever had to pay him back for a favor he done me in the Cassiar country. There's plenty of lead to go around."

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The time therefore has come and more than come, for the House of Lords to bow the knee. They know full well that the sword is forced for their undoing. The three coalized parties are as sure of power; their force is unshaken from the great public purpose to which it is devoted; the Cabinet is united, from its most advanced to its most moderate member; the occasion for an agreed settlement having lapsed, by the act and will of the men who hoped to gain by war, the hour for an enforced settlement has struck. Nothing more is required of the Lords than to take that place in the scheme of things which, thirty years ago, every Constitutional student of consequence assigned to them. The Lords could then revise bills and delay Bills. They could not upset party government as they have upset it during the past five years. This power of confusion they must lose. They will not be allowed to destroy our trades or our Constitution, or our representative system; and this act of wise restraint the three guiding powers in the land—the King, the Commons, and the People—will, the day after the Government is fully confirmed in office take in hand together.

Among the many bills introduced in the lower House of the Oklahoma legislature last week was one providing for physical examination and medical certification of persons about to be married.

A Prank of the Sea.

Some years ago a certain Captain Holston, afterward an inspector in the Honolulu, customs force, had a remarkable experience when the schooner of which he was in command was caught in a storm.

While Holston stood with the man at the wheel, to see that the schooner was kept ahead of the wind, an enormous wave swept the vessel from stern to bow, throwing the wheelman flat on his face, and tossing the captain overboard.

As Holston was swept over the side into the foaming water the ropes holding a boom broke and let the hook drop to the deck, with one link hanging out over the side of the schooner. A broken rope dangling from this end hit the captain on the head, and instinctively he seized it. The speed of the vessel dragged him along beside her. Presently the vessel gave a tremendous lurch, and her bulwarks went under water, when a gigantic wave tossed the captain aboard again. His presence gave the man at the wheel terrific shock, for he thought the captain had been drowned. They finally weathered the storm and brought the schooner and her cargo safely to port.

It is thought that this is the only instance on record of a man having been washed overboard and then washed back again.

It is one of the most hopeful omens of the approach of universal peace that the United States is now negotiating, through the President, for a general arbitration treaty with Great Britain. The days of talwarting seem to be gone.

Client—I don't mind what wages I pay so long as she is capable.

Registrar—I can assure you, madam, she is capable of anything.—London Opinion.

BACK BAY

(Late for Last Week.)

Capt. Neil Oliver and crew returned home Friday with a load of scallops.

Mrs. Alfred Leslie and daughter Miss Catherine spent Friday evening with Mrs. Wentworth Quigley.

Mrs. Jas. Taylor and Patsy Russel of Eastport are visiting her mother Mrs. E. Barrett.

The many friends of Miss Hilda Craig are glad to see her out after being sick for the past month.

Mrs. Jas. Leavitt is very sick with a sore hand.

Sunday being the first sleighing of the year seemed to be much enjoyed by a number of young folks.

Ernest Leavitt of Leavag spent Sunday here.

Chester Johnston and Cecil McGee attended the show in town a few nights ago.

Quite a few felt disappointed Friday evening last when the moving pictures did not reach our vicinity but we hope later on to have better luck.

Thomas Johnston paid a business trip to St. George one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Dean and Miss Violet Leslie spent Sunday with Mrs. David Leavitt.

Capt. Jas. McLeese left Sunday for New River where herring are plentiful. Mike Cook is buying clams and taking them to Eastport.

A Little Dietitian

Life

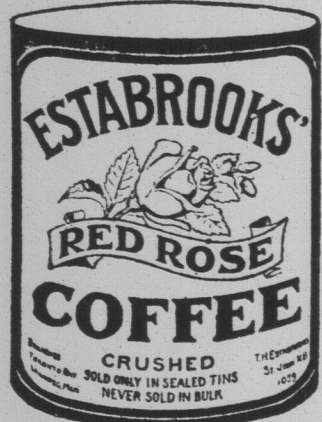
Spite of his mamma's appeals, Little Ben bolts all his meals.

Then, to show it doesn't hurt, Eats some nuts for his dessert, Nuts and bolts when in solution, Build an iron constitution.

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Blending coffee is a fine operation requiring highly developed skill. The secret of that unusual richness and briskness in Estabrooks' Coffee is in the perfect blending of strength and flavor. It is a coffee for particular folk.



Sold only in 1 and 1/2 lb. tins. Try it for breakfast to-morrow.

ST. ANDREWS

(Late for last issue)

Sgt. Addie B. Capt. Charles Teed of Freeport, N. S. left on Tuesday to spend the winter.

Sir Wm. Van Horne, R. B. Van Horne and Chief Architect Paynter of the C. P. R. were in St. Andrews Friday.

Prof. Mooney of St. George was among the last week visitors here.

Miss Ethel Clinch has returned home from Easton, Pa. where she has been visiting her sister Miss Bessie Clinch.

Guy Thompson of Westport is visiting his aunt Mrs. H. Thurber.

Miss Nellie Stuart has returned to Boston after spending her holidays with friends.

Miss Kathleen Cackburn gave a song program evening last week in honor of her friend Miss Alice Hannah of St. Stephen, who has been visiting here.

Hazen McQuoid spent the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. McQuoid.

Miss Kathleen Keenan has returned to her home in St. Stephen.

Rusted Iron Ware.

Rusted iron or sinks may be cleaned by scrubbing quickly with fat or grease, then with powdered quick lime and leaving several hours. Wash off with hot water and washing soda, using a cloth or a stick, or the sink broom, to keep the hands out of the hot mixture. To remove grease or the dirt which gathers from use, scrub with a rag dipped in kerosene oil, then flood with hot water. A good soap powder may be used, and will clean like magic.

LETETE

Miss Bernice Greenlaw of Calais, Me., arrived Tuesday to make a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Howard McNichol. Nevin Matthews returned home Tuesday from Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter.

Mr. Phillips of Halifax arrived Wednesday to do some work on the machinery at Green's Point, and is stopping with S. Dines.

Melvin Simpson was in St. George Saturday.

Mrs. Wilson Wentworth returned Thursday from a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Leland, at Eastport, Me.

Jas. Seeley, Miss Carrie Chubb and Mrs. H. O. Chubb, were pleasantly entertained at Green's Point, Wednesday by Mrs. Dines.

Sidney Dines and Mr. Phillips spent Sunday with H. O. Chubb.

Quite a number were disappointed Saturday morning when the Viking did not put in an appearance, but we were glad to hear her whistle in the evening, some repair work was being done at Eastport.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Tucker of Grand Manan, are the guests of Wilfred Tucker.

Britain's Invalid Insurance Scheme

New York, Jan. 16.—A special cable to the Tribune to-day says: It is doubtful whether the British nation has yet recognized the vast importance of the government scheme of invalid insurance. Invalid insurance must be carefully distinguished first from old age pensions, and second from unemployment insurance. There is no idea of changing the basis or old age pensions as they are at present administered. Invalid insurance is an extension only of old age pensions. Five shillings a week will still be granted on a non-contributory basis to qualified persons over the age of seventy. For this reason the insurance scheme will come to an end at the age of seventy, and there will be no overlapping contributions to invalid insurance, which will begin at the age not lower than sixteen and not higher than eighteen. Invalid insurance is quite distinct from unemployment insurance, as outlined by the Board of Trade. Unemployment insurance is intended for men and women who are able and willing to work, but cannot find jobs. Invalid insurance is meant for men and women who are debarred from working through continued illness. Invalid insurance will involve, roughly, an expenditure of ten millions of pounds. David Lloyd-George's scheme is still a cabinet secret.

Where he Scored

A statesman who was defeated for office tells a good story on himself. "I was cocksure," he says, "before the primary that I would just trim my opponent good and plenty. I didn't hesitate to say so, either. I was licked good and proper, and what happened to me is best expressed in this story."

He told of a certain chipmunk coming out of his hole and getting on a good vantage point, where he frequently reiterated this bombastic declaration: "I can lick any bird in the forest! I can lick any bird in this forest!" A big hawk was watching the chipmunk, and just when the latter was a little more bombastic than ever the hawk made a swipe at him. "There was a scuffle for a second, and the hawk came up with several souvenirs from the chipmunk's back. The latter shot into his hole. Some time later he emerged, warily peeping around. "Did you lick him?" asked the sparrow. "No; I didn't lick him," replied the chipmunk, and then proudly, "But I escaped with my life!" —Kansas City Journal.

Wondrous is the strength of cheerfulness.—Thomas Carlyle.

High Brow Philosophy

The test of pleasure is the memory of it.

Happiness is not doing what we live but having what we do.

Stop watching for chances to turn up. Hustle out and turn them up.

Life is a book. Read it carefully, for you can read it only once.

Everything comes to him who waits, save that which he is waiting for.

Build castles in the air by all means—then put foundations under them.

Opportunity knocks at every man's door, but usually makes sure beforehand that the man is out.

Switzerland in order to reduce the cost of living has reduced its duty on meats 60 per cent. Swiss legislators, like William Tell, usually hit the mark they aim at.

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FRIDAY, JAN. 20, 1911

A movement of much importance to all parts of the province is now on foot in St. John. "The government of the city by a commission" on Monday night will attend a meeting of the Board of Trade gave it a thorough discussion all present being in favor of a change from the unsatisfactory Common Council which seems to have outgrown its days of usefulness. Below we give part of the report as furnished by the Telegraph, the movement will be watched with much interest by all.

At a well attended meeting of the board of trade last night the essential points of civic government by elective commission were agreed upon and it was decided to submit them to a general meeting of the citizens to be held tomorrow night in Keith's assembly rooms for approval. At the same meeting steps will be taken to secure organization to carry on the campaign. The essential points as outlined were seven in number as follows:

1. Four commissioners and a mayor elected by the people.
2. The mayor to hold office for two years, the commissioners to hold office four years with terms so arranged as to elect two new commissioners each two years.
3. The double election plan whereby out of all the candidates voted on the two receiving the highest number of votes for commissioners are again voted for two weeks later.
4. Pay the mayor and commissioners so elected sufficient salary to enable them to devote their entire time to the city's affairs.
5. Each of the five men to have control of a particular department of the city's affairs.
6. Through the initiative and referendum provide means by which the people by petition may oblige the commission to submit important measures to popular vote.
7. Though the recall possible that the mayor or any commissioner can be obliged to stand for re-election at any time by petition of the people.

THE DISCUSSION

The discussion of these points was at all times interesting. The question of electing an auditor by the vote of the people received lengthy consideration. The point was made that by making the appointment subject to the suffrage of the people the auditor would be independent of the commissioners. John E. Wilson, M. P. P., expressed the opinion that the city auditor should be in the same position as the donation and provincial auditor in that he could not be removed except for cause, and then only on a two-thirds vote of the commissioners. Some possible dangers of this were fully pointed out, but finally on motion of W. F. Hatheway, it was resolved that in the opinion of the board of trade the auditor ought to be appointed by the commissioners.

The meeting was presided over by T. H. Estabrook. Among many others present were: A. G. Skinner, W. H. Barnaby, W. C. Allison, W. F. Burditt, H. B. Schofield, James Penley, E. A. Goodwin, John E. Wilson, M. P. P., W. F. Hatheway, M. P. P., Howard P. Robinson, T. H. Somerville, A. E. Ham-

ilton, D. Macee, G. E. Barbour and G. A. Stanley Hopkins.

The chairman first outlined the work which had been undertaken by the advertising committee of the board in reference to gathering information touching civic government by elective commission. That committee had submitted their data to the council of the board which had unanimously approved of the submission of the question to a plebiscite of the voters. In pursuance of a resolution passed by the council, the present meeting of the full board was called either for the purpose of endorsing the project or condemning it.

W. E. Anderson, secretary of the board then read the resolution calling the meeting as well as the report of the council dealing with the subject of civic government by elective commission.

Mr. Schofield, after the reading of the report by the secretary, said that the recall system would mean another election if put in force and additional expense. It was pointed out that the committee in their inquiries had not been able to find where the recall had been put in force in any of the cities which had adopted government by commission.

WILSONS BEACH

A number of friends of Rev. M. Vallas and wife assembled at their home on Thursday evening Jan. 12th, to celebrate the first anniversary of their marriage. Games were indulged in, after which cakes and lemonade were served to the guests. The party broke up about 12 o'clock all voting it the best time of their lives and wishing Mr. and Mrs. Vallas all happiness and prosperity in the future.

Measles are prevalent in this vicinity. Mrs. Howard of Eastport is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Porter.

J. W. Matthews is attending Co. Council at St. Andrews this week.

Wm. McMann of Letete is a week-end guest of friends here.

Drs. Byron and Jonah of Eastport have been called here several times recently owing to the illness of Ancil Seales.

Mrs. Thaddeus Mitchell and Oscar Cronk.

Simon Cook has been confined to the house this week with a very severe attack of Lagrippe.

Master Harry Brown entertained a number of young friends on Tuesday evening.

Miss Olive Mitchell has returned to her duties in Lubec after a two weeks visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ozo Newman and young son are visiting their sister Mrs. Frank Brown of Lubec.

Mr. and Mrs. Burden Brown spent Saturday with friends in Eastport.

Among the commercial travellers who registered at the Willows this week were Fred Dever of St. Stephen, Fred Kierstead, W. McDonald, T. Blaine and R. D. Law of St. John.

Edgar Brown returned from St. Andrews Thursday with a very fine horse, which formerly belonged to B. DeWolfe.

A young daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Anthony on the 12th.

Warren Small of Lubec is visiting his daughter Mrs. Calvados Brown.

Rome Dispatch: A lost painting by Tiepolo, representing Daphne turned into a tree, known only through seventeenth century engravings, and which it was suspected had been smuggled abroad has been discovered at Venice. It is likely that it will be purchased by the government.

MACES BAY

Jas. O'Brien is doing a good business freighting between St. John and Dipper Harbor since the stern, Connors Bros. has been laid off for repairs.

John R. Corcadden has recently gone to St. John to undergo an operation for abscess in his side.

The Orangemen met in Machinery's hall on Saturday evening 14th and received five new members.

Eily Wenn has returned from St. John where he was called on Thursday last.

John Snider and son Wilson, Fred Machinery and others are employed cutting lumber for Mr. Marchie of St. Stephen.

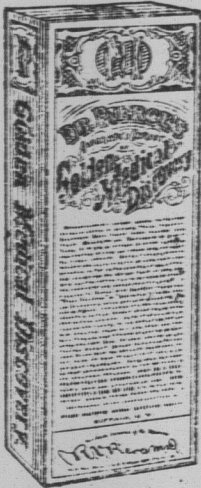
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Leonard Thompson is on the sick list.

Mrs. Edmund Wallace of Blacks Harbor is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Snider.

The lobster fishing is a failure owing to stormy weather.

Rev. Mr. Livingston preached a very nice sermon to a large congregation in Church of England last Sunday afternoon.

Rupert Craft has got a very serious attack of rheumatism.

A New Canadian Possibility

The refractory straw of the western flax crop is now burned as a useless encumbrance. The slow processes of separating the fibre which is the raw material of linen industries would be too costly to warrant the utilizing of this by-product. This fact lends special interest to the claim of a Toronto inventor who is patenting a process by which he claims he can separate the fibre from the stems in a day and can preserve it unbroken. By the processes now in use the stems or straw must be pulled and it requires soaking and rotting. Operations hot, slow and costly, to get rid of the waste material and separate the fibre. The product thus separated passes through several processes and reaches its final stages of usefulness as tow cordage or woven fabric.

By the new process it is claimed that the fibre is not necessarily broken or mixed but can be kept straight as it lies in the straw. This is an advantage in addition to the saving of time and cost. While the pulling of the flax would give fibre the new process it is claimed that it can be used profitably with straw that has been cut. There is in this invention a prospect of making the West a linen producing country. The field of invention is strewn with many disappointments, and it would be unwise to pronounce on a process still largely a secret and untried on a commercial scale. But out of many disappointments the few successful inventions are continually transforming the aspect of all productive activities. The world is alive to the wealth still to come through the utilizing of waste products. There may be some fortunes in the straw of Canada's yearly crop of flax.—Toronto Globe.

The computation of the sea strength of the navies of the world, made annually by the Navy Department, shows that, measured by aggregate tonnage, by the strength of officers and men, and by the number of battleships of 10,000 or more tons' displacement, exclusive of Dreadnoughts, the United States is now the second naval power in the world, Germany comes next and France fourth. Great Britain continues to be more than equal to the next two powers combined. Only Great Britain, the United States and Germany now possess Dreadnoughts. Great Britain has eight, and the other two powers four each.

Likely Means a Start On Georgian Bay Canal

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—The fact that \$3,000,000 is being included in supplementary government estimates for deepening the Back River at Montreal, Riviere des Prairies and the French River are taken to indicate that the government has at length decided to go ahead with the Georgian Bay canal. The works mentioned would all be of utility in any event, but they are also on the proposed route of the canal.

The minister of public works today admitted the matter was under advisement but said there was nothing definite about it.

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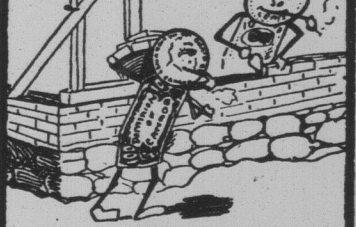
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ANDREW McGEE - Back Bay

\$90,000,000 In Presents

The Bureau of Statistics of the N. S. Department of Agriculture is to be congratulated on the promptness of its enumeration of Christmas gifts exchanged within the borders of the contiguous part of the United States. It appears that the Philippines, Hawaii, Porto Rico, Guam and Alaska are yet to be heard from and the figures are not supposed to be quite correct, even so far as they go. They are simply the first estimate of the zealous bureau given out perhaps in response to an urgent demand from the people. Thus publication anticipated the Saturday night attack on the Providence stores, though in all probability the chief of the bureau made a rough allowance for this; being, of course, familiar with the phenomenon of the Christmas Eve rush here and elsewhere. It is not often that professional statisticians are so brisk about their business.

According to the tentative figure of Chief Olmstead, Christmas presents were this year purchased in the United States to the vast amount of ninety millions dollars worth. This does not include the ten millions which Mr. Carnegie and Mr. Rockefeller each gave to the cause of peace and education respectively. It appears that, by the method adopted for compiling the statistics, these gifts were made too early to be counted as Christmas presents. From this it may also be understood that gifts purchased early in the year—in accordance with the usual post-Christmas resolution to begin right away assembling the things for the next season and thus avoid that pushed feeling—are not reckoned in the ninety millions. Perhaps there were too few to affect the result materially anyway. It is further made known that the ninety millions represent a total cash purchasers. Five million dollars' worth additional were purchased on credit, according to the estimate which seems reasonable.

There were innumerable gifts as well, which did not cost actual money, except perhaps for raw material; the little things that Joan contrives for Darby or Chole for Dauphis, or the various and indescribable fabrications of the Ladies' Aid bazaars. Fully one-half of the population, according to Mr. Olmstead are betrayed in the act of making gifts of this peculiarly precious but inexpensive character. It would be interesting in this connection to know how many knit cravats were distributed—enough, doubtless, to cast a line to the moon, at least, if sewed end to end. It is ascertained by a trifling calculation that the Christmas expenditure is about one dollar for every inhabitant of the United States. Subtracting the number of persons whose gifts are home made, it appears that the remainder averaged two dollars apiece.

A final revision of this instructive compilation may show some variation in the sums total or the analyses; but probably the deductions as they stand are substantially correct. How the Bureau of Statistics in the Department of Agriculture happened to address itself to the matter is not explained. Nor is it that necessary, if Government statistics were always required to explain to what useful intent and purposes their inquiries are directed they would not have time to gather many statistics. Some folk may suppose that would not much matter, either.—Providence Journal.

St. Paul's Cathedral has witnessed no more remarkable obsequies than the public funeral of the three London policemen killed in an encounter with burglars. It was a tribute as deserved as it was unusual.

OUR HISTORY IS MASCULINE

Hard and Uncolored Is the Chronicle of the Events Connected with America.

Our history is hard and masculine; colored with few purple lights; too little related to our tenderer sentiments and deeper passions. When older peoples have paused, as we did then, they have looked upon far different scenes, says William Garrott Brown, in the Atlantic. Fairer companies have stood about more stately figures of triumph or of tragedy than that America and the world now gazed upon. The common chamber, the gaunt, pale president, the strong, leonard counselors at his bedside—this was unlike the scenes which European peoples have fixed in their memories. Charles I. and Mary Stuart on their scaffolds, the barons and the king at Runnymede, Maria Theresa appealing to the nobles of Hungary to take up their swords for her child, Marie Antoinette and Mirabeau, and many another pageant of human love and sacrifice are treasured up by other people as we have treasured up this crude, unluckily martyrdom.

Even the great personality of Lincoln, now potent in so many individual lives, intimate and familiar to so many of our hidden moods, was not yet fully revealed to his fellows. It was the emancipator only that had fallen, the leader and shepherd of men. Outwardly at least his experience was limited as theirs was. Living in the midst of multitudes, master of armies and of navies, he was still of the frontier; as, indeed, all our American life was still, in a sense, on the frontier and western fringe of European life.

True, Lincoln also leads us back to the princess whose people he was, but we can pass from his death bed with no reverence, no sense of shock or change, to look out in the plain light of day, upon the whole wide field of work and strife and progress which was always in his thought, and glimpse the attitude and state of the republic when his summons passed, like an angel, across the continent.

HOT-WEATHER ENTERPRISE.

How a Newspaper Reporter Worked a "Heat" on a Less Inventive Rival.

One of the most cheering sights of the day was displayed to passers-by in Park Row a little after noon, says a New York exchange. A very solemn, fat reporter came down out of a newspaper office with a camera and a thermometer. He wandered about the open space aimlessly and dripping, looking for the hottest spot. After awhile he found a handy place near the Franklin monument which seemed to be the focus of more sun rays than any other. There he solemnly set up the thermometer, waited until the necessary refused to rise any higher, and then photographed the record. Then solemnly and drippingly he retired to the picture department of his newspaper.

A few minutes later another young man, from a rival newspaper, appeared in a secluded spot in William street, near the bridge arches, and likewise produced a thermometer. He however produced a match which he lighted and held under the bulb of the thermometer while another reporter with a camera took a picture. Thus are "heats" scored by the truly great.

Both Wise.

"So their engagement is broken?"

"Yes, they were both too shy to get married."

"Well, you see, he was shy of money, and she got shy of him when she found it out."—Philadelphia Ledger.

His Nature.

"Hawkins declares that if the Perkins girl does not marry him he will go to the wars," says the first friend.

"Just like Hawkins," comments the second friend.

"He's a natural born trouble hunter."—Chicago Tribune.

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A large number of our subscribers are more or less in arrears, all of whom we would ask to kindly make a prompt remittance. This is a very small matter to the individual subscriber but when multiplied by the hundreds, it is a matter of quite large dimensions to the Editor.

The date under your address will inform all of the date they are paid up to. Remember 25 p. c. discount allowed when subscriptions are paid in advance.

A good position can be had by ambitious young men and ladies in the field of "Wireless" or Railway telegraphy. Since the 8 hour law became effective, and since the wireless companies are establishing stations throughout the country there is a great shortage of telegraphers. Positions pay beginners from \$70 to \$90 per month, with good chance of advancement. The National Telegraph Institute operates six official institutes in America, under supervision of R. R. and wireless officials and places all graduates into positions. It will pay you to write them for full details at Cincinnati, Ohio, or Philadelphia.

Between the covers of the government blue books many interesting stories are told at times. In the report of the Minister of Public Works for the year ended March, 31, 1910, appears an interesting narrative of the public works that are in construction throughout Canada. Among the works in Charlotte county to which contributions were made by the Ottawa treasury appear the following: Beaver Harbor, a pile wharf; Cummings Cove, a trestle and crib pier, 440 ft. long; Leonardville, a wharf, 303 ft. long; Leete, addition to pier head Mee's Bay, a pier head at Beata's basin; North Head improvements to Dixon wharf, so called St. Andrews, a public wharf; St. George, repairs a public wharf. The dredging is in addition to this.—Beacon.

A Question of Honor. Silmon—What was the trouble between you and the little boy next door? Willie—He said he was a worse boy than I was.—Smart Set.

The Provider Senator "Bob" Taylor, of Tennessee, tells a story of how, when he was "Fiddling Bob" governor of that state, an old negro came to him and said: "Massa Gov'm, we's mighty po' this pinter, and Ah wish you would pardon mah old man. He is a fiddler some as you is and he's in the pin'tery."

What was he up in for? asked the governor. "Stud of workin' fo' it that good fo, nothin' nigger done stole some bacon."

LOCALS

Challenge. I hereby challenge A. C. Kennedy or Vaughn Dewar to meet me for a boxing match on the rink for \$5. a side with a percentage of gate receipts to be arranged. Race to take place within a month. W. H. HOLLAND.

All reports from the outlying districts are that the roads are in beautiful condition, and the people are able to move around on their several business operations to the very best advantage.

Married—Miss Josie Craig who left here last Saturday for St. John was quietly married that evening to Harry Epps who had preceded her to that city by a few days, all wish the young couple a prosperous and happy journey along life's pathway.

New York has decided to do away with its fire horses and will not purchase any more, motor trucks to gradually replace the 1,500 horses now in use by the department, this seems to be a move that should be followed by all cities with fairly level roads while the cities with many hills should retain some horses for the hilly districts.

The weather man this week treated us to a good solid dash of winter with Sunday comparatively mild, during the night the glass began going down and Monday had reached 12 below holding them pretty well during the day getting colder in the evening and Tuesday morning giving us the coldest of the season 18 below keeping well down all day, Wednesday morning followed with a very good second of 15 below.

On Monday some of the C. P. R. Clerical staff were here looking after the taking over the railroad and making arrangements for the new system of books, the road will be known as the Shore Line Sub division of the Atlantic Division of the C. P. R. making all the returns to the Superintendent at Megantic Junction. For the employees it will be quite a change for the better, as their pay will be increased from 45 to 65 per cent and in some few instances even more.

Last week the oldest resident of Charlotte Co. passed to her rest in the person of Ellen, familiarly known as Aunt Ellen, the late Adamant Gilmour of Second Falls, her age was given at 105 years but one of her close relations claims that she had about reached the 110 mark if so she undoubtedly was the oldest in Canada. Her maiden name was Boyle, and both she and her husband were well known throughout the county by the middle aged and older residents.

Latest reports seem to indicate that the Duke of Cornwall is very unlikely to come as Canada's next Governor General, but that it is very likely that the Duke of Teak, brother of Queen Mary will be the next to succeed Earl Grey.

The Citizens meeting in Kieth's assembly rooms St. John, to consider the changing of the City Government to a Commission was largely attended and very enthusiastic in favor of the change, a Committee of ten was appointed to be enlarged to 50.

Chas. Fuller made trips to several of the camps during the past week, and reports that while the snow is still somewhat light in the woods, there is now enough so that all the crews are at work hauling off the stumps to the landings, and the season will likely be above the average provided no unexpected obstacles occur in the latter part of the season.

Archie Fraser of Antigonish, N. S. Lim-forman of the Western Union Tel. arrived here on Thursday with two assistants to start some repair work on the line from here to St. Stephen, he left again in the afternoon for St. John leaving the two assistants Dan'l McDonald of Mulgrave, N. S. and Jas Quirk of Guysboro to do the work. They have just finished installing a County Record building at Anlover, Victoria Co. of which Philo Doolis is Manager.

St. George should have a public building composed of its native granite. It would be an object lesson in Granite as well as a joy forever to the townspeople.—St. A. Beacon.

Our contemporary is very fair in its putting of the question as he says St. Andrews also wants a public building but not half as badly as we do and hopes Mr. Todd's efforts will be successful in obtaining such a building for us. We hope both places will be profited with such in the very near future, as to St. George it is a crying shame that it has been neglected so long.

Among those registering at the Victoria Inn week were G. A. Perron, Que.; J. T. Norton, Tor.; Fred J. Boyer, Victoria; T. M. Wright, Fredericton; D. P. Kennedy, Montreal; Neil and Marjorie Edridge, Beaver Harbor; H. Thompson, Rook Island; R. E. Shad, St. Stephen; T. R. Blaine, F. G. Bozve, M. J. Cassidy, J. C. Earle, E. L. Corbett, H. P. Croese, Joseph S. Gray, P. L. Cosman, St. John.

In the next few weeks an interesting question of naval promotion in Great Britain will be decided. During this year four Admirals on the active list are due to retire on attaining the age of sixty five, unless they are promoted to the rank of Admirals of the Fleet, in which case their services would be extended for a further five years. These Admirals are Lord Charles Beresford, Sir G. Drury, Sir Wolcott Pasley and Sir R. Henderson.

NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the Charlotte County Weir Owners and Weir Fishermen's Union will be held in Forrester's Hall, St. George on Saturday Jan. 21st, 1911 at 1 p. m. sharp.

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NOTICE

Do you want cheaper postage?

"I don't know," replied the man who considers only his own interests. "I don't write many letters myself, and I don't see why I should be asked to make it easier for the men who send me bills."

The Selfish View.

Victoria, B. C., reports states that the first Canadian Apple "show" closed with a deficit of \$5,000. The province will provide \$4,000 of this, and the C. P. R. has sent a cheque for \$1,000.

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Greatest Warship of The United States

Camden, N. J., Jan. 14.—Stripped by none and equalled only by her sister ship now under construction a few miles down the river on the Pennsylvania side, America's latest and greatest warship, the battleship Arkansas, was launched today into the waters of the Delaware river, on whose shores so many of Uncle Sam's formidable defenders have been built by the New York Ship Building Company at South Camden, the Arkansas, a sister ship to the Wyoming, under construction at Cramp's shipyard on the Philadelphia side of the Delaware, is about fifty percent completed, and will be turned over to the government probably before the end of the year.

The launch of the Arkansas was entirely successful and was witnessed by many invited guests, including prominent officials of the Navy Department at Washington, naval officers from Annapolis, Norfolk, New York and other points, and the United States senators and representatives from Arkansas. The sponsor was Miss Macon, daughter of Representative Macon of Arkansas.

The giant battleship slid down the tallof-greased ways with the lightness of a frail lifeboat. As the great hull plunged into the water wild huzzas went up from thousands of throats, while bands played, guns boomed, and the crews of their shipping, assembled in the river joined in the chorus with deafening shrieks of their whistles.

The Arkansas is declared to have no equal afloat as a first-class fighting machine. The heaviest man-of-war given to the water so far in the British battleship Lion, which has a displacement of 35,700 tons more than the battleship launched today. The Arkansas, however, will carry much heavier armor than the Lion, and in several other respects she is reckoned as superior to the British warship.

The Arkansas has a length of 554 feet, nearly half a hundred feet longer than the Delaware, the first American dreadnought. The beam is 93 feet, 8 inches, the displacement 25,000 tons, and the contract speed 20.50 knots.

She will be the first battleship of the United States navy to carry twelve 12-inch guns. These guns, comprising her main armament, will be mounted in five turrets on the central line of the ship. Two of the turrets will be forward; one amidships and two aft. Each turret will be protected by armor eight and twelve inches thick, and will be supplied with ammunition by electrical hoists from the magazines and shell rooms immediately below. The entire handling of the great guns will be by electric motors. Twelve 5-inch guns protected by armor will be provided for defence against torpedo boat attacks. Close subdivision and strong bulkheads will form additional protection against mine and torpedo explosions.

The Arkansas also will be fitted with submerged torpedo tubes, and will have ten small guns for boat service and saluting purposes. The main armor belt

of the great ship will be about eight feet wide, with an average thickness of ten inches. Above this will be another belt of an average thickness of nine inches, and still higher will be the casement armor, protecting the secondary battery and turret bases.

Ten turbines, six for ahead and four for astern, capable of developing 28,000 horsepower will be installed. Steam will be supplied by twelve water tube boilers, and coal or oil may be used for fuel. There will be a complete protective deck from stem to stern. The most complete arrangement for obviating the dangers of turret explosions, flashbacks and other accidents which have caused so many disasters in the navy will be used to protect the men who will handle the great guns of the ship. She will be equipped with powerful searchlights, and her masts will be arranged for wireless telegraphy.

The Arkansas will be fitted for a flagship, and her complement as such will consist of a crew of about one thousand, of whom sixty will be officers. To make the life of the men below decks as agreeable as possible particular attention is to be paid to the ventilation.

The ship will be up to date throughout. She will be lighted by electricity, provided with telephones, voice pipes, call bells, buzzers, gongs, annunciators, engine and steering telegraphs, revolution and rudder indicators, heeling indicators, automatic fire alarms, warning signals and alarm signals. All these devices will be electrically operated.

Blockade of Railways In California

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 14.—With hundreds of men battling with the snow-choked passages of the Sierras in an effort to keep the railroad lines clear and bring relief to the stalled overland passengers and mail trains, all the gigantic resources of the Southern Pacific and Western Pacific Railroad companies are being brought to bear in fighting the worst snowstorm in the mountain districts in the last twenty years. Last night all east and west bound trains were moving on the Southern Pacific tracks through the Sierras, and the snow-sheds, which were damaged by the heavy fall of snow in the last two days, had been temporarily repaired.

Realizing the impossibility of forcing a passage through snowdrifts of six and eight feet deep, the Western Pacific Railroad officials last night ordered its stalled east bound overland trains in Holden and Greenville to return to San Francisco, and annulled the overland in San Francisco, which was ready to depart for the East.—Exchange.

Mr. W. F. Maclean comes forward with a large-sized order of public ownership. Mr. Borden flirts with some of them in his celebrated "Halt-fax Platform," but at not too gentle hints from his corporation allies, he did as expected. He dropped them.—Exchange.

Strike in Portugal Becomes Serious

Lisbon, Jan. 14.—Representatives of the strikers, and the directors of the railroads conferred repeatedly on Friday in an endeavor to arrange a settlement of the railway strike but their efforts were without result. The gasmen and the electricians threaten to join the strike in sympathy with the railroad men.

The necessities of life are being disturbed through the crowded centres of the country by horse and wagon and by boats on the rivers and canals, but if the strike continues for any length of time, the situation will become serious.

The governor and the city council of Oporto resigned to-day on the ground that they no longer had the confidence of the people.—Exchange.

Think it Over

(From the Stratford Herald.)

Every line of printed matter in a newspaper costs its publisher some thing. If it is to benefit some individual that individual should pay something for it. One would not go into a grocery store to ask the proprietor to hand out ten pounds of sugar for nothing, even though the grocer may be a personal friend and even though the gift may not be a large one. If the beneficiary of advertising does not pay for it the proprietor must shoulder the cost. People do not seem to understand that a newspaper pays its expenses by renting space and that it is just as much entitled to collect rent for every day that space is occupied as a landlord is for the house he rents to a tenant.

A Sea-Training Ccombine

With the gradual supersession of sail by steam, shipowners have long had difficulty in making suitable provision for the sea-training of officers, with the result that the movement which was begun some years ago by several of the leading steamship lines to acquire and set apart "windjammers" for the purpose is advancing. For instance, the North German Lloyd now owns two ocean school-ships, one of which arrived at Sydney the other day; the White Star Line has the Mersey, which is at present in Melbourne, whilst the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand bought the Clyde clipper Loch Lomond with a similar object in view. The government of Victoria has taken over her sister ship, the Loch Ryan, for conversion into a training vessel for boys, and she has been renamed the John Murray, after the State Premier. It is now reported that a company has been formed to run Messrs. Devitt and Moore's ocean training ships Port Jackson and Medway, both of which are lying at Sydney and the enterprise is an important one, since the Cunard, Union-Castle, Booth and Shaw, Savill, and Albion lines are associated with it. Other interests are now expected to combine for a similar purpose.

Specializing.

He was an American visitor and as he sauntered into the barber's shop he freely criticised British methods of work and business. "You don't specialize," he said. "You should stick to one branch of a thing and master it completely." The barber said nothing, but lathered the American's face very liberally, and then sat down to read. "Well, why don't you have me?" inquired the American after five minutes. "We only lather here," was the response; "you must go into the next street for a shave."

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UPPER L'ETANG

James Hamilton trapped another owl this week.

Fred Stein called on his mother Mrs. Bob Stein on Tuesday.

Robert Gray called on D. McLaughlin Monday.

John Patterson was in Letete Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Burgess spent Sunday in Letete with Mrs. Wallace Mathews.

Burt and James Gray spent Sunday at their home in St. George.

A good snow storm would be a welcome visitor here.

Arthur Backmore called on Otte Stein Sunday.

Allan Stuart was a visitor here on Sunday.

Misses Flora and Ada Leavitt are visiting Mrs. I. Patterson.

Arthur Henderson spent the latter part of last week at his home at Mascarone.

Bert Gray sprained his arm this week working in the woods.

Robert Gray and Roscoe Burgess were in Eastport Saturday on business.

Basil the young son of Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson was scalded quite badly last week.

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Farmer Folk of Portugal.

The peasant and small farmer has had practically no active part in the present revolution, which was carried through by one wing of the army and the Republicans of Lisbon. He is not interested in politics, and would not care to be bothered with political discussion. He is already to "let well enough alone," and does not see why his compatriots in the city do not feel the same way. The country people are contented. Most of them own their small farms. In fact, in northern Portugal it is rare that a laborer does not own a plot of ground on which to grow his vegetables, and also a few of the bright colored flowers which so delight his eye.—Christian Her.

Synopsis of Canadian North-West Land Regulations.

Any person who is the sole head of a family or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties—Six months residence and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section along side his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres, erect a house worth \$300.00.

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