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CLEARING

TWO CENTS

## SINN FEINERS KILL WOUNDED CROWN POLICE

### To Date Crown Has Interned 1,855 Persons in Its War Camps.

## DEATH LIST IS GROWING STEADILY

### Courts Martial Result in Sixty-Six Convictions and Two Death Sentences.

Dublin, Feb. 11.—The official survey of conditions in Ireland during the week ending February 5, issued today, states that the campaign of outrages against the Crown forces was continued with intensity, entailing 25 casualties among those forces during the week, twenty-one cases involving mortal injury. The most extensive execution it is recounted, was the big ambush at Brankan, County Limerick, when eleven of the police were killed.

The survey says the appearance of some of the bodies of the men ambushed suggested the men were killed in cold blood after having been reduced to helplessness by wounds.

The feature of the week, it is declared, was the increased frequency of bomb attacks on police and military forces on the streets of Dublin, showing a careless disregard of public safety.

Seven Attacks in Week.

There were seven such attacks during the week. The casualties of the Crown forces were slight, but one boy was killed and fourteen other persons injured.

The survey states that Sinn Fein assassinated four civilians during the week. Ninety-seven arrests were made for outrages and political offenses. Eighty-four court martials resulted in sixty-six convictions and two death sentences, one of which was commuted. The other sentences ranged from ten months to fifteen years imprisonment.

## Less Smallpox in The Ottawa District

### Travellers Will be Arrested if They Produce False Vaccination Documents.

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—A substantial decrease in the total number of small pox cases in the city were reported today by the health department, at the City Hall. Only two new cases were reported yesterday.

## Labor Wants Oath To Members in Prison

### Speaker of Manitoba House Has Unique Problem to Solve.

Winnipeg, Feb. 11.—Labor members of the provincial legislature have requested Hon. J. B. Baird, Speaker of the House, to administer the oath of allegiance to their three colleagues, George Armstrong, William Ivens and John Queen, now serving a term in the provincial jail for seditions conspiracy while they are still in prison. This would enable them to be eligible for membership on the standing committees of the House. Speaker Baird has as yet been unable to find any precedent for such a procedure. He will give his decision Monday.

## MOORS KILL SPANIARDS.

Madrid, Feb. 11.—A Spanish lieutenant, San Simon, and fifty native soldiers were killed on Feb. 6 by rebel Moors who reconquered the neighborhood of Belgorot, according to despatches from the high commissioner of the Spanish zone in Morocco. A large force of Moors attacked them when they were beyond communication with the other Spanish troops.

## Great German Vessel Comes To America

### "Bismarck," World's Largest Liner, Has Been Sold to the White Star Company.

London, Feb. 11.—The White Star line has purchased the steamer Bismarck, the largest vessel in the world, for its New York service. The Bismarck, a vessel of 46,000 tons, was built at Hamburg for the Hamburg-American Line. Last fall it was reported that fire had badly damaged the vessel while lying at her docks in Hamburg. The Bismarck was to have been delivered to the Allies under the terms of the peace treaty.

## BIG SPECIAL VOTE OFFERS END TONIGHT

### New Contestants Are Making Big Records Daily in the Great Contest.

### FOR \$19 SUBSCRIPTIONS 200,000 EXTRA VOTES

### Eight O'clock Tonight Will See the End of the Attractive Offer.

Candidates! Just a few more hours are left in which to secure the 200,000 EXTRA vote ballots for each and every \$19 worth of subscriptions secured.

How many of the 200,000 EXTRA vote ballots have YOU been given?

Do not stop when you have secured one—but immediately get busy on your second \$19 Club. There is no limit to the number of extra vote ballots that you can get—one of them will be given for each and every \$19 worth of business you secure by 8 o'clock tonight.

Closing Rules.

The closing rules of the big EXTRA vote offer appear on today's contest page. Read them carefully. Every contestant can work up to the last minute of the offer and then send or bring in his or her returns.

New contestants who have not time to receive supplies may list out the names of their subscribers on a sheet of paper and send them in with a sufficient remittance to cover them. Contestants who run out of supplies may do likewise.

The Starr Photographs.

Do not overlook the fact that two magnificent \$215 Starr Photographs are offered for the best work done in the contest by midnight, Saturday, Feb. 13th (next Saturday). These two desirable EXTRA prizes are not won by any means as yet, although the race for them is close one.

## AT THE IMPERIAL TODAY—Bryant Washburn in "What Happened to Jones"

### AT THE UNIQUE TODAY—Katharine MacDonald in "The Beauty Mark"

### AT THE QUEEN SQUARE TODAY—Gladys Brockwell in "White Lies"

### OPERA HOUSE—Vaudeville and pictures.

Two of the prizes to be given away in the Starr's big contest are opportunities to become Movie Stars with The Universal Film Company, Filmland's largest and most important Moving Picture Company.

## Nationalists Gain In South Africa

### South African Party Has 73 and Nationalists 43 Members at Latest Count.

Johannesburg, Feb. 11.—Latest returns of the South African election show the following results:—South African Party, 73; Nationalists, 43; Democrats, 1; Ties, 2.

## Lack of Funds Holds "Leviathan" in Disuse

Washington, Feb. 11.—Recommendations have been submitted to the Shipping Board by Commander R. D. Goswood, director of construction and repair, calling for the reconditioning of the giant liner Leviathan, now lying in New York in preparation for her return to service. Chairman Benson announced tonight.

The present state of the board's finances, however, he added, has forced an indefinite consideration of the proposals.

## MEIGHEN HAS THREE QUEBEC MEMBERS READY TO ENTER HIS CABINET BEING RE-FORMED NOW

### J. R. Manion, J. A. Stewart and W. A. Boys Will be the New Ontario Ministers—H. H. Stevens Likely to Enter as Western Representative—Two of the Quebec Men Are Old Time Liberals, While Third is a Conservative—By-Elections Will Test Place of Government in the Country.

### Special to The Standard

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—While there were no new developments today, it can be authoritatively stated that the Prime Minister's cabinet re-organization plans are proceeding satisfactorily and that an announcement of their consummation may be issued some time next week.

For obvious reasons names have to be withheld, but it can be stated that the Premier's plans include the taking in of three prominent French-Canadians, all of whom are in sight, and that the re-organization, so far as the English-speaking section of the cabinet is concerned, will be upon an extensive scale, at least five young, aggressive men taking the place of veterans of the present cabinet, who are to retire.

One of the men, a Westerner, is one of the outstanding Liberals in Manitoba, as well as a leader of the bar of that province, while another, also likely to be called in an ex-New Brunswick, whose name is a household word in the politics of Alberta.

### The Ontario Men

As for Ontario the new men are likely to be J. R. Manion, of Fort William and J. A. Stewart, of Perth, with W. A. Boys, of Simcoe coming as Solicitor General. Manion, who will come in without portfolio as a representative of Ontario Roman Catholics, is a young man, who had a brilliant record in the war, a physician and an author. For two sessions past he has been one of the Ontario whips in the Commons and is a debater of considerable power.

### Who from Quebec?

The proposed Quebec representatives cannot be mentioned for the present. Two of them are old time Liberals, however, and the third a Conservative; the first two are at present in the House, one of them being among its foremost members.

Just how long it will take before the re-organization is completed it is not easy to say. The problem is more difficult than most people imagine.

### String of By-Elections

At all events, it is coming. It will be followed by a series of by-elections that will afford an adequate test of the Government's popularity in the country. If the new ministers are rejected it will be the signal for a general election. If they are successful, it will be a mandate to the Government to carry on.

### May Go to Railways

J. A. Stewart, of Perth, has long been recognized as one of the ablest, perhaps the ablest, of the young men who entered the House in 1917. He is likely to take the Department of Railways and Canals, succeeding Dr. Reid, who is slated for the Senate.

H. H. Stevens, of Vancouver, will likely be brought in from British Columbia. Young, vigorous, brilliant, and a power on the stump, Stevens, who has had an adventurous career as a sailor, miner and soldier, will be a tower of strength in the House.

## RUSSIANS FIRE ON U. S. MARINES AT MOGUL HALL

### Attempt to Embroil United States and Japan in View of Many People.

Tokio, Feb. 11.—Five United States bluejackets were fired at by unknown persons in Vladivostok at 11 o'clock Thursday night, one of them being wounded, says the Saki Shimshu, the Vladivostok correspondent today. The bluejackets reinforced by Russian policemen, arrested three Russian officers, formerly under the late General Kappel, once commander of the West coast armaments of the Omak Government, the correspondent adds. The impression in Vladivostok, according to the correspondent is that the attack was arranged by communists, with the object of straining relations between Japan and the United States.

## May Have Unemployed Insurance in Speech

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—Consideration is now being given to the situation in regard to unemployment insurance and it is probable that an indication of the government's intentions will be given in the speech from the throne, when parliament opens on Monday. A curious situation, has arisen in this regard.

## Fishermen Rescued

BOSTON, Feb. 11.—Ben Muse and Eli Burke, fishermen who were left in an open boat without food or water when they shot them off from their schooner on the George Bank a week ago were brought to port here today. They were rescued by the schooner Monarch after they had been drifting only a short time.

## SENTENCED TO HANG

Riverside, La., Feb. 11.—Sir Francis Lemieux, chief justice of Superior Court pronounced the death sentence on Charles Bousell on trial for the charge of having drowned his child.

## PROSPECTORS ARE WARNED

Winnipeg, Feb. 11.—Prospectors and adventurers planning to join the ex-pedited rush into the Fort Norman oil fields in the Spring are warned today that only a comparatively small number of them can be taken to the district by the river steamers operated by the Hudson Bay Company on the Mackenzie.

## B. C. HAS SURPLUS

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 11.—British Columbia has a surplus of revenue over expenditure for the last fiscal year ended March 31 last, amounting to \$21,238, according to the public accounts presented to the legislature today by John Hart, Minister of Finance.

## WORLD NEWS TODAY

### CANADA

Premier Meighen is completing rapidly his plans for a complete re-organization of his party cabinet.

Tristram City off Halifax is burning fittings and cargo to reach port since fuel is gone.

### UNITED STATES

The White Star Company has purchased the German liner Bismarck, the biggest ship in the world.

### THE BRITISH ISLES

Demond Fitzgerald, leader of Irish propaganda, is arrested by the British.

### SOUTH AFRICA

Nationalists gain in yesterday's returns but General Smuts has big lead yet.

## HEAD OF IRISH PROPAGANDA IS UNDER ARREST

Desmond Fitzgerald, on the Run for Many Weeks, Caught in Dublin.

### CHIEF EDITOR OF SINN FEIN PAPER

Bulletin Was Issued from Various Secret Offices and at Irregular Times.

Dublin, Feb. 11.—Desmond Fitzgerald, Sinn Fein "minister of propaganda," was arrested here tonight. His arrest is considered as probably the most important since Arthur Griffith, founder of the Sinn Fein, was taken into custody.

Fitzgerald was mainly responsible for the Irish bulletin, which made statements also daily of the Sinn Fein cause against government and was widely circulated among the newspapers.

Paper Wanders Around

The Bulletin constantly has been obliged to change offices in consequence of military raids, but continued to be secretly produced.

Fitzgerald, who has been the main point of contact between the newspapers and Republican chiefs, is declared to have been on the run for weeks.

He is under thirty and married and well known as a writer.

## PITCH TENTS TO HOUSE HOMELESS

### Already 29 Bodies of Victims of the Georgia Tornado Have Been Identified.

Oconee, Ga., Feb. 11.—Tents were pitched here tonight by the Red Cross for those rendered homeless by yesterday's tornado, but a drop in the temperature caused considerable suffering.

Red Cross workers arrived here early for Atlanta with relief supplies while physicians and civilians from nearby towns rendered assistance.

Identification of the dead has been practically completed tonight when 29 bodies had been accounted for. Several injured negroes in a hospital at Sandersville, however were not expected to live through the night.

## BEAT MONTREAL BANKS

Montreal, Feb. 11.—The Bank of Montreal loses, \$10,000; the Royal Bank, \$5,000, and the Merchants' Bank, \$2,000, by a clever ruse under which a man, so far still at large, wrote out small cheques in invisible ink on each bank, had them certified and later in the week returned and cashed them when the amounts he had originally written on them had been treated chemically and developed to the raised figures.

### EDISON 74 YEARS OLD.

West Orange, N. J., Feb. 11.—Thomas A. Edison, 74 years old today, looked many years younger and acted as he looked in addition to attending the festivities arranged for his birthday, the "wizard" put in a strenuous day of work, which began when he punched the time clock at his factory at 8:30 o'clock.

### LORD CECIL CROSSES.

London, Feb. 11.—Lord Robert Cecil has definitely intimated his decision to cross the floor of the house of commons and take his seat on the front opposition bench. The intimation is contained in a letter written to Lord Edmund Talbot, chief Unionist.

### FREIGHT BY AIR

London, Feb. 11.—Goods to the value of more than \$1,000,000 were brought into and carried out of the British Isles by the air service during 1921.

## FARMERS SENT TO TRIAL FOR DEATH OF BOY

### Lad of Fifteen Years Was Horribly Bruised and Much Emaciated.

### DISTRICT INCENSED AGAINST THE PAIR

Suspect's House and Stables Burned and Cattle Shot After the Inquest.

Red Deer, Alta., Feb. 11.—Charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Chester Woolley, a lad of fifteen years, Edward Rainey, and his wife were committed for trial at conclusion of the preliminary hearing today by Magistrate Lawrence. The trial will be held in September.

Died in Hospital

Young Woolley, who was employed on the Rainey farm, a few miles from town, was removed to the hospital here a week ago, suffering from a series of small wounds and bruises and with his body emaciated as the result of malnutrition. He died three hours after being admitted.

The death of the boy has stirred the town and district during the past week and the feeling runs high. On Saturday night last, following the verdict of the coroner's jury, which held the Rainey's responsible for the boy's condition, their house and stables were destroyed by fire and their cattle and animals shot.

## ENGINE CREWS BRING CHARGE BEFORE HOUSE

### Shooting of Railway Men at Mallow by Irish Police is the Issue.

### DEMAND PUBLIC PROBE OF CASE

Threat of General Strike if the Lloyd George Government Refuses to Act.

London, Feb. 11.—At a largely attended meeting today at the executive of the National Union of Railway men it was decided to instruct J. H. Thomas, the national secretary, who is a member of the House of Commons, to raise the issue in Parliament of the shooting of the railway men in Ireland.

The case in point is the affair at Mallow, last month, where several railway men were shot, one fatally, the incident leading to action by the locomotive engineers and firemen's union in demanding a government inquiry, with the implied threat of a general strike if the government failed to act. The desire of the railway men is to have the case discussed in parliament with a view to pressing for a full public inquiry and the taking of measures to insure the protection of railwaymen in the performance of their duties.

## Sir Auckland Geddes Received By The King

London, Feb. 11.—Sir Auckland Geddes, ambassador to the United States, who is to sail for the United States Feb. 15, was received today by King George, in anticipation of the ambassador's departure.

## Naval Holiday Plans

Washington, Feb. 11.—The statement that he had received suggestions that Great Britain was "circulating propaganda" in the United States in order to deter naval building, was made in the senate by Senator Borah, Republican Idaho, during a general debate on disarmament. He understood, he said, that the facts were in possession of the navy department.

## SEEK ICELANDIC CONCESSIONS.

(Copyright, 1921, by Cross-Atlantic.) Reykjavik, Iceland, Feb. 11.—A syndicate of American capitalists are asking concessions from the Government of Iceland to use the waterfalls to generate power to work mineral deposits they have secured. If they get the power rights, they agree to build a railroad to the south end of the island also.

### PERSIAN HORDES NAILED HUSBAND TO ROUGH CROSS

Appalling Tale of Cruelty is Related by Woman Who Reaches America.

### COMPELLED TO SEE HUSBAND KILLED

Body of Murdered Man Was Cut to Pieces and Then Tossed Away.

Cleveland, Feb. 11.—I have seen women crucified, women tortured, women outraged. I have stood by a high place while my husband was murdered by Persian hordes.

I have seen horror upon horror enacted under my very eyes, until sickening sights no longer sickened me, until even the bloodiest of massacres failed to move me.

Thus spoke Mrs. Sophie Badal of Cleveland as she related in the home of her mother, Mrs. L. S. Biega, here, after a search for a haven of safety, had driven her from Persia to which she and her husband had gone back in 1912.

With her, as she talked, were her three children, a girl, born in the United States before the family left for Persia, and two boys, born in the latter country.

Safe at last after six years of terrors, Mrs. Badal told of the murder of her husband in Persia and her efforts for two years to bring her three children back to this country.

Arrived On Freighter

Since August Mrs. Badal and her children, Mildred, 13, Clyde, 7 and Daniel, 5, have been on their way to Cleveland from Tabriz, Saturday they arrived in Philadelphia on the British freighter Kingsbury, which brought them from Bombay.

Although her husband's death left her with a Persian estate valued at \$8,000, Mrs. Badal has been obliged to leave a large portion of this and the authorities say it is impossible to turn the remainder into money. The Red Cross is outfitting the family. Mrs. Badal has asked the organization to find work for her.

In 1912 Saul Badal, who was naturalized in Cleveland in 1911, a graduate of the school of pharmacy of the University of Pennsylvania, took his wife and daughter to Persia. The sons were born there. Caught by the war he applied for passports to America, but conditions prevented their being issued. He joined the British army and left his wife and children with his mother.

Later he was employed by Major Eads, British intelligence officer at Tabriz, and sent to Urumia, where the family was reunited. Two weeks later the Persians broke into the mission yard where the family was housed and murdered 250 persons, including Badal, who while trying to get his family to safety was shot in the back.

When she had hidden her children Mrs. Badal tried to find her husband's body, but was told it had been cut to pieces.

### Prince Edward Island Run By The Farmers

Toronto, Feb. 11.—Speaker Duffy, of the Prince Edward Island legislature, addressing the members of the Ontario Legislature this afternoon said the formation of a branch of the United Farmers as contemplated in Prince Edward Island, he could not understand why, because the farmers were already running Prince Edward Island.

MISSIONARIES FOR KOREA

Toronto, Feb. 11.—The executive of the foreign mission board of the Presbyterian Church in Canada has appointed Miss Christina Curry and Miss Annetta M. Ross, Nova Scotia, as members of its staff in Korea.

### Report Many Cases Of Rheumatism Now

Says we must keep feet dry, avoid exposure and eat less meat.

Slay off the damp ground, avoid exposure, keep feet dry, eat less meat, drink lots of water and above all take a spoonful of salts occasionally to keep down uric acid.

Rheumatism is caused by poisonous toxin, called uric acid, which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine. The pores of the skin are also a means of ridding the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the uric acid to double work, they become weak and cannot do their duty. This acid then accumulates and circulates through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinges of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast, each morning for a week. This is said to stimulate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus aiding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with Epsom salts in such a way that it is not only safe but also gives relief to rheumatism.

### SOUTH END BOYS' CLUB BOOMING

Good Attendance at Executive Meeting — Over Hundred Boys on the Roll Call.

The South End Improvement League's executive met in the Boys' Club, Broadview avenue, last evening and discussed the affairs of the club and of the league. The president, Frank White, presided.

The executive were much pleased to learn that the club was talking well with the boys of the South End and everything was going along with a swing. Director Bentley reported that 101 boys were already on the roll, and a number more would be admitted to the club next week.

The matter of making the club of greater benefit to the boys was taken up and discussed at some length. In regard to the South End rink it was decided that if the weather permitted, some interesting events would be staged within a short time after Charles Gorman returned from his triumphant tour of the American skating meets.

The South End Boys' Club is being taken full advantage of by the youth of that section of the city, who are very proud of the fine building and equipment that has been placed at their disposal for a nominal fee.

The club is open from 4 to 5.30 in the afternoon for the smaller boys, and from 6.30 to 9.30 for the big boys, some of whom sixteen and seventeen years of age.

Under the capable direction of Mr. Bentley, who was a physical instructor in the army, and a veteran of the South African and Great Wars, the boys go through "P. T." They have also travelling traps, a rope and ladder, boxing gloves and a wrestling mat, to work out on.

Opening out the gymnasium room is set off for reading and games, books and amusements are there placed at the boys' disposal.

The club's accommodations are quite spacious and it is hoped to add manual training later on. If vocational training doesn't prove a wash-out locally, steps will be made to secure an instructor from the schools.

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### DRIFTS SO DEEP CARS COULD NOT RUN IN ALBANY

Strike Breakers Who Had Planned Attempt to Start Cars Filled by Blizzard.

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### More Nurses Needed At Public Hospital

Commissioners Trying to Evolve Plan to Place Check on Linen Losses.

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### The Road to Thrift Leads Straight to Marcus' FURNITURE SALE!

REDUCTIONS 25 TO 50 PER CENT.

On our entire stock of Living-Room, Dining-Room, Bedroom and Parlor Furniture, Carpets, Kitchen Cabinets and Phonographs. This is your opportunity to get high grade furniture cheaper than you would pay elsewhere for the common kind. Just think what this means to you.

65c each One hundred only Fumed Oak Jardiniere Stands 65c each

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## A PAGE OF NEWS ABOUT THE MARITIME

### BURNING CARGO AND WOOD WORK TO REACH PORT

"Bristol City" Calling to Halifax for Aid That is Unavailable.

ENTIRE STOCK OF FUEL IS EXHAUSTED

Captain Declares it is Doubtful if He Can Reach Port Unassisted.

Halifax, Feb. 11.—Her bunker coal exhausted, the British steamer Bristol City, is burning her wood work and portions of her cargo for fuel, and asked for immediate assistance from Halifax to enable her to reach Louisbourg, N. S., more than 300 miles distant from her present position.

In a wireless message received tonight by the Marine Department, the captain, Captain Crink, master of the steamer, says that he is very doubtful if he can take his steamer to Louisbourg without aid. His vessel has no coal on board, and that section of the coast.

No Vessel to Aid.

The department officials here, replying to the captain's appeal, say that they have no vessel available for the purpose, but advise the skipper of the disabled steamer to procure aid from nearby ships, as his given position, latitude 42.50, longitude 63.90, is in the trans-Atlantic steamship lanes. The steamer is believed to be on a voyage from Bristol England, to New York.

The Bristol City is last reported in available shipping records as having arrived at Bristol on January 5, from New York.

### Canon Troop Goes To Charlottetown Church

Clergyman Well Known in St. John Invited to St. Paul's Church.

Special to The Standard.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Feb. 11.—The Rev. G. Ashburn, who is first charge of St. James' Church, St. John, N. B., has been invited to take charge of St. Paul's Church, here, in the absence of the Rev. H. D. Ray, the Canon Troop was organized in the year 1877 in St. Paul's Church, Halifax, where for two years he was assistant pastor to Dr. Hill.

He was called later to St. Martin's Church, Montreal, where he worked for 27 years, and under his charge St. Martin's became a power in Eastern Canada.

From 1913 to 1918 Canon Troop was in England as Vicar of Felbridge, East Oxon.

On his return to Canada he took charge of St. Mark's Church, Vancouver, in the absence of the rector on war service.

### Newcastle C. M. B. A. Elect Officers

Special to The Standard.

Newcastle, N. B., Feb. 11.—At a regular meeting of Newcastle Branch of the C. M. B. A., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:— President—Hon. John Morley, 1st Vice Pres.—Peter J. Dunn, 2nd Vice Pres.—J. D. Ryan, Recording Secretary—M. A. Lynch, Assn. Sec.—George Schuch, Treas.—Wm. W. L. Durick, Treas.—Mayor D. P. Doyle, Marshal—John Fallon, Grand Marshal—Isaac Esson, Trustees—John Fallon, Michael Lynch, J. D. Ryan, Hon. John Morley, Mayor Doyle.

### Veteran's Home At Sussex Is Burned

Special to The Standard.

Sussex, Feb. 11.—Frank McKenna, a veteran of the world's great war, who with his wife and family has been residing on the Byron Hill, Millstream, had the misfortune to have his dwelling, with all its contents, destroyed by fire. The fire was discovered by the house being filled with smoke, and its inmates had barely time to escape with their lives and were unable to get out owing to the severity of the weather and being rather scantily clad, several of the children were badly burnt before reaching shelter at Mr. Frank O'Neil's, the nearest neighbor.

Old friends of Red Rose Tea who have used it for many years find it the same good tea to-day as it was all during the war and for many years before.

### Moncton Bandits To Be Sentenced Today

One of the Pair Claims to be Resident of St. John — Prisoners Silent in Box.

Moncton, Feb. 11.—Ernest Scullion and Henry Stanley Ross, appeared in the police court here this morning charged with holding up Millegde LeBlanc, caretaker of Sunny Brae rink on Wednesday night. Both men pleaded guilty and were remanded for sentence on Saturday morning.

Ross says his home is at 97 St. James street, St. John, and that his wife resides at that address. Scullion is a Moncton resident. Masks and revolvers taken of the accused were exhibited in court today. Neither man had anything to say.

### PROMINENT FREDERICTON MAN IS DEAD

Thomas A. Wilkinson, Deputy Mayor, Died on Thursday.

ALDERMAN FOR PAST NINE YEARS

Funeral Sunday Under Auspices of Masonic Lodge—Was 48 Years of Age.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 11.—Thomas Stephen Wilkinson, deputy mayor of Fredericton and alderman for Charlottetown, died on Thursday night, ten o'clock at his home in Charlottetown street, after an illness of about a fortnight. Death was caused by pneumonia which was the latest complication.

His death caused deep regret. The flag at city hall was lowered to half staff as a token of respect.

Wilkinson was born in this city on February 21, 1872 and was in his forty-eighth year. He was of Imperial Army ancestry, his father, the late Edward Wilkinson having been sergeant-major of the coast brigade, Royal Artillery, taking his discharge and returning to Canada. One brother, Charles G. Wilkinson of Cornerville, N. B., and one sister, Mrs. Alice Maude of New York City, survive.

Ald. Wilkinson took a marked interest in the affairs of this city and was for many years a member of the Finance committee, his connection with the insurance business particularly fitting him for that position. Last year upon the election of ex-ald. J. A. Reid, as mayor, he became chairman of the Finance committee.

During the last two years he had been deputy mayor.

In Masonic circles he occupied a prominent place. He was a member of Hiram Lodge, No. 6, for some years and held offices of distinction in it. He made his home in this city for the greater part of his life. He went west early in life after remaining there several weeks, returned to Fredericton. A few years ago, as alderman, he purchased the Asa Company building at the corner of Queen and Regent streets, since known as the Burchill, Wilkinson Building.

The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon under Masonic auspices.

Frank B. Trites.

Moncton, Feb. 11.—The death occurred this morning of Frank B. Trites, at his home here after an illness of about two weeks. Pneumonia was the cause of his death.

Mr. Trites was a machinist by trade and was employed in the C. N. R. shops for many years being held in highest esteem by all who knew him. He was a son of the late Moody D. Trites, a former school teacher, Moncton.

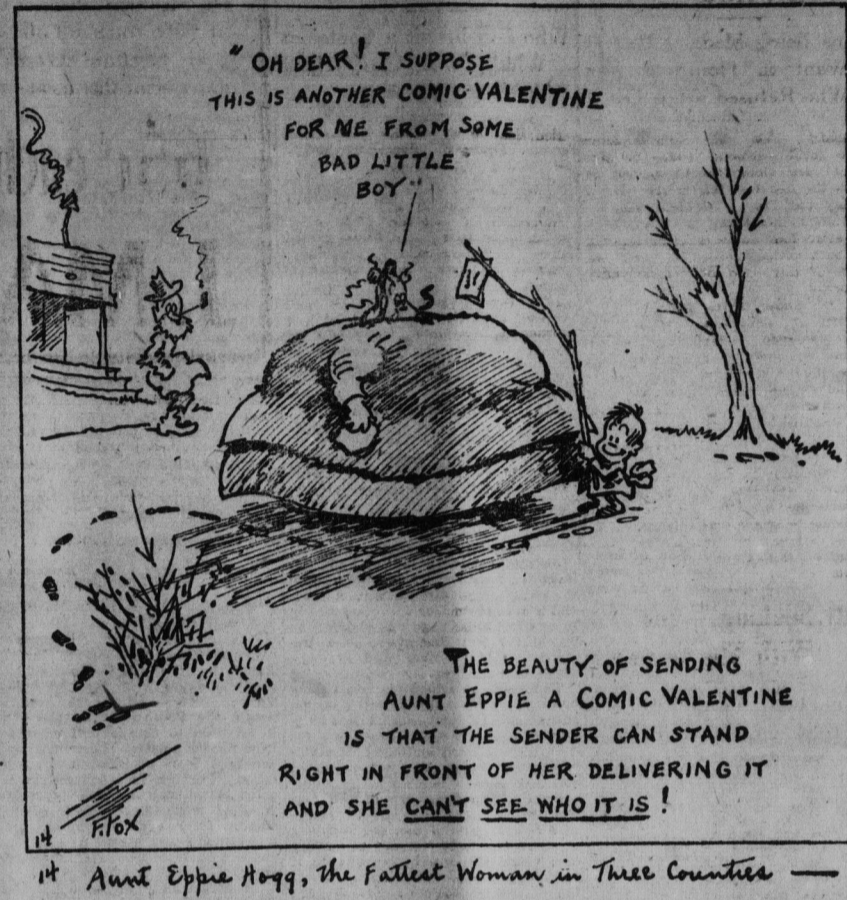
A sad feature of the death of the late Mr. Trites is the fact that his sister, Mrs. A. A. Barker had recently sailed on an extended tour abroad. He is survived by his two sons, John, aged 10 years; Albert, aged four, his mother six sisters and two brothers.

DIED IN BOSTON.

Moncton, Feb. 11.—Chief Hutchinson today received a wire from Boston telling him of the death in that city of Robert Cochrane, who formerly lived in Moncton. The local people are unable to find relatives of the dead man living in Moncton.

Miss Helen Wood, of the High School staff, Middle Sackville, attended the League of Women's marriage at Point de Buie on Tuesday.

Captain and Mrs. Milton Ward entertained a number of their friends on Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ward. The evening was spent very pleasantly with music and games. Refreshments were served about 10:30 o'clock, after which the guests repaired to their homes all declaring they had spent a very enjoyable evening.



### Sackville

Sackville, Feb. 11.—Miss Alice Pickard, student nurse at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, is spending her vacation here at the home of her brother, Mr. K. S. Pickard.

Miss Damerly of Chatham, N. B., was a week-end guest of Mrs. A. G. Miller, Weldon street.

The Misses Johnson were housewives at two very enjoyable bridge parties on Thursday and Friday afternoons of last week. Thursday afternoon prizes were won by Mrs. B. A. Trites and Mrs. H. E. Bigelow. Among the invited guests were Mrs. A. W. Bennett, Mrs. G. H. MacKenzie, Mrs. Fred Turner, Mrs. H. C. Read, Mrs. D. Campbell, Mrs. J. F. Allison, Mrs. G. A. Peters, Mrs. M. P. Cahill, Mrs. J. M. McIntyre, Mrs. C. C. Ayard, Mrs. H. E. Pawcett, Mrs. C. W. Pawcett, Mrs. H. M. Wood, Mrs. F. B. Black, Mrs. W. T. Wood, Mrs. Allister Cameron, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. H. H. Johnson, Mrs. E. A. Fisher, Mrs. C. G. Steadman, Mrs. B. A. Trites, Mrs. H. E. Bigelow, Miss Tweedie, Mrs. H. Woodworth, Mrs. F. G. Rainnie, Mrs. G. E. Pawcett, Mrs. Carrie Rose and Miss Marjorie Chapman assisted at the tea hour.

On Friday afternoon prizes were won by Mrs. McKel and Mrs. R. G. Henderson. Among the invited guests were: Mrs. Maurice Fisher, Mrs. R. J. Anderson, Mrs. R. G. Henderson, Mrs. J. Richardson, Mrs. Raleigh Trites, Miss Lou Ford, Mrs. K. S. Pickard, Mrs. Frank West, Mrs. C. G. Steadman, Mrs. L. W. Daman, Miss Marjorie Taylor, Mrs. H. Lowerison, Miss Bess C. G. Miller, Mrs. F. Harris, Mrs. Percy Gillis, Mrs. E. P. Smith, Mrs. Frank Knapp, Mrs. Walter Duncanson, Mrs. E. A. Fisher, Mrs. C. G. Steadman, Mrs. Alexander, Glasgow, Scotland, Mrs. Alex. Cameron, Miss McElroy, Miss Nell Turner, Miss Cameron, Miss Alice Sprague, Miss Carrie Cahill, Miss Ella Anderson, Miss Rogers, Mrs. Alex. Cameron and Miss Mad Henderson assisted at the tea hour.

Miss Caroline Cahill, who has been visiting relatives at Springhill, has returned home.

The many friends of Mrs. Capt. Morley, who has been very ill for the past few weeks, will be glad to learn that she is now recovering satisfactorily.

Mr. F. T. Tingler, who accompanied his wife and family to Florida a few weeks ago, is on his way home and will probably arrive this week.

Rev. H. W. Cann, a former pastor of the Main Street Baptist Church, but now of Marble Head, Mass., was in town last week, renewing old acquaintances.

About thirty young people were entertained last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Daman, the occasion being the birthday of their daughter, Irene. The young lady received many pretty gifts in honor of the event and no end of good wishes. The young people spent a very enjoyable time with music, games, etc.

Mrs. Harvey Copp, left the last of the week for Moncton, where she will spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. George Wilson.

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### INVERNESS MINE WORKERS APPEAL FOR QUICK HELP

Appeal to Provincial Government to Grant Relief from Poverty-Stricken State.

### BIG CONFERENCE IS CALLED FOR MONDAY

Miners Threaten to Take a Lien on Mine if Pay is Deferred.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 11.—A delegation of citizens of Inverness, the Capreton community threatened with privation through the shutting down of the coal mines of the Inverness Coal and Railway Company, which provides the town's sole industry, came to Halifax today to confer with the Provincial Government and the Eastern Trust Company, which represents the bondholders of the company, in pressing upon both the urgent necessity of immediate relief to save Inverness from depopulation and some of the inhabitants from starvation.

### To Confer Monday

The result of the two conferences is that a conference will be held on Monday with the people of Inverness, the Government and the company represented. Besides this, \$10,000 of the back pay due the miners was distributed yesterday afternoon, the railwaymen will be paid today, and \$10,000 more will be distributed to the miners on Monday. It was said by the delegation tonight that, should Monday's meeting fail to settle the situation, the miners of Inverness will take a lien upon the company's property for the \$51,000 wages three weeks overdue.

### Urges Government Action

J. C. Bourdon, M.P.P., for Inverness introduced the delegation, strongly advocating Government action in remedying the distressing circumstances confronting his constituency.

The delegation pointed out that out of a working population of 2,500, 2,500 were without visible means of support.

The delegation expressed satisfaction over the attitude of the Government and the result of the meeting which was the arrangement for the conference on Monday. They said they had intended to request appointment of a committee of enquiry into the situation at Inverness, but felt that the conference between represent-

### Rothsay

Rothsay, Feb. 11.—On Monday evening members of No. 2 Rotheray Troop Boy Scouts gave a very successful entertainment to a large audience. A. W. MacKain presided and announced the programme which began with Scout songs by the boys and an exhibition of Scout work, which was most interesting. The main features were the Boy Scout play, "Crossing the Rubicon," and a humorous sketch, "The Dentist's Den," which were well done. The Wolf Cubs were very clever in their part of the programme which included a signifying sketch and exhibitions of Scout work. Two recitations by Joe Allison and Hugh Ross deserve special mention. An attractive candy table in charge of Miss MacMurray, Mrs. J. C. Wetmore and Miss Kit Hendon, added well to the proceeds which will be used for the work of the Troop.

At the home of Miss Allison on Wednesday afternoon a few of our Red Cross members met and made dressing gowns for the soldiers in the Military Hospital, West St. John. Those present were Mrs. John H. Thomson, president, Miss Allison, Miss Ethel Gilbert, Miss Puddington, Mrs. Crosby, Mrs. Alex. Fowler, Mrs. Madge Robertson, Miss Purdy, Mrs. J. H. Henderson, Mrs. Hugh Cannell and Mrs. Blair.

Mrs. Alex. Fowler, Mrs. Hugh MacKay, Mrs. Colin MacKay, Miss Purdy, Mrs. Fred Crosby, Miss Daniel, Mrs. John C. Bolyea, Mrs. Royden Thomson, Mrs. J. T. Cornell and Mrs. John Sayre, who are Rotheray members of Loyalist Chapter I. O. O. E., attended the meeting of the Chapter at the home of Miss Marion Macsee, St. John this week.

Mrs. Malcolm MacKay, Jr., is here visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. Fred Crosby and family and also Mr. and Mrs. Colin MacKay.

On Saturday last Miss Sarah Harrison, Miss Emma Harrison, Miss Ethel Estey and Miss Lou Estey of St. John, spent the afternoon and evening at Renforth with Mrs. and Miss Morton.

The "Girl Guides" of Rotheray Consolidated School are holding a Valentine tea and sale of candy and valentines tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon. Luncheon and tea guests of Mrs. H. W. Schofield yesterday (Thursday) were Miss Mary Bizard and Mrs. Frank Fairweather of St. John and Mrs. Fred Crosby, Rotheray.

Mrs. Walter Fleming is spending a few weeks in Boston.

atives of the miners and of the bondholders, with the Government representatives, the interests of the people would answer the same purpose.

### Contract For Second Falls Bridge Let

Mystery of Cattle Deaths is Solved — Dry Straw Was Cause.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 11.—Hon. P. J. Veniot said this morning that the contract for the second Falls bridge, parish of St. George, Charlotte county, has been awarded to the Allen Construction Company of St. Stephen. The price is in the vicinity of \$25,000.

The mystery reported from Limestone Siding, Victoria County, concerning death of cattle from sickness or poisoning has been solved. The feeding of dry straw as a sole ration caused inflammation of the bowels and death.

### Guests Fled From Burning Hotel Fast

Amherst Scene of Quick Get-Away in Scanty Attire in St. Regis Hotel Blaze.

Amherst, N. S., Feb. 11.—Francis escapes were made shortly after eight o'clock this morning from the St. Regis Hotel here when fire broke out on the first floor of the building near the chimney and filled the hotel interior with thick smoke. The damage was limited to about \$5,000 loss, but the thrills were many. Still slumbering guests hastily aroused, fled down the fire escapes in scanty attire, and one man having a room in the third storey smashed the window pane and came down the fire rope.

### SMALLPOX IN CHARLOTTE.

Fredericton, Feb. 11.—A case of smallpox was reported to the public health department last evening from Charlotte county. Dr. William Warwick, district medical health officer of the southern section of the province, has been notified to take charge of it.

### BAPTIST PREACHER QUITS

Yarmouth, N. S., Feb. 11.—Rev. I. D. Lytle, for the past three years pastor of the Arcadia United Baptist Church, has resigned that charge and will bid farewell to that field of labor on Sunday, February 20. He is one of that denomination's strongest preachers. Mr. Lytle's plans for the future are not definitely decided.

### HIGHWAYS PROBE WILL END TASKS AT HALIFAX SOON

Only Six or Seven Witnesses Remain to be Examined Now.

### MUCH EVIDENCE IS REPETITION OF FACTS

Percy Black of Amherst Recalls Formation of the 1920 Programme.

Halifax, Feb. 11.—The beginning of the end of the investigation into the expenditures of highways monies in Nova Scotia, which has been proceeding intermittently since November 1 of last year, before a Royal Commission, headed by Mr. Justice Mellish, have in sight this afternoon, when Percy Black of Amherst the only remaining member of the provincial highways board to be examined, took the witness stand, following the completion of the evidence of Walter Crowe, K.C., of Sydney. Some six or seven witnesses in all remain to be examined, but these, it is anticipated, will take up little time, and in all probability the actual taking of evidence will be completed early next week.

Much Evidence Repeated.

Today's evidence was largely a repetition of that adduced previously. Walter Crowe, K.C., Sydney, testified that Premier Murray's consent to the 1920 programme had been secured as a necessary preliminary to the adoption of the report by the board since in the ordinary course of events it would have to be implemented by legislation. He was not aware that the minister of highways had unduly interfered with the powers of the board, since he did not feel that he was in a position to do so. He emphasized, at the same time, with the views of Colonel Canby, who had attacked the alleged aggressiveness of the minister, on several occasions, Percy C. Black stated that he still felt the Imperial Road contract should never have been entered into, despite the fact that it was now known that the chairman of the highways board had approved of the undertaking.

Gagetown, N. B., Feb. 11.—G. W. Dingel of this place has been elected a director of the Canadian Brown Swine Association at the annual meeting held this week in Toronto.

## TWO GENUINE SALES EACH YEAR February and August

We clear out the broken lots, odd sizes and samples of High Grade Footwear at figures that no person of judgement can resist. You require to see these goods and prices to comprehend the values.

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- Ladies' \$9.00 and \$11.00 Black and Dark Tan Laced Boots \$4.98
- Misses' \$4.50 and \$5.00 Button Boots \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98
- Child's \$2.25 Box Kip Laced Boots \$1.48
- Men's \$10.50, \$9.00 and \$8.00 Laced Boots \$5.95
- Men's \$11.00 and \$12.00 Laced Boots \$7.45
- Men's Job Lots (get them quickly) \$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98

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ARISTOCRACY CONFRONTING DEMOCRACY

BY WILLIAM T. ELLIS

The International Sunday School Lesson For Feb. 13 is, "Lessons on Citizenship."—Matt. 22:15-22, 34-40

Persons of short views think that our day's issues are new. Far from it. The question which is racking this old earth today is almost as old as the race. In some form or other the conflict between the serf and the servant; between aristocracy and democracy; between privilege for a few and fairness for all, has raged since the first records of organized society flared up in vividness when democracy was incarnated in Jesus, and the aristocratic order of His dangerous teachings.

A Fighting Hero

It was in the thick of a splendid fight that Jesus fell. If there be any reader who still clings to the ancient notion that Jesus was a pale anemic, shrinking, colorless saint, strong only in the passive virtues, this is the time to take down the four inspired biographies of Him to read anew that here tale of a Captain battling to the end. In vigorous and unconventional verse, Ezra Pound portrays the Master as the "Goodly Hero," or comrade, putting lines in the mouth of Simon Zelotes, after the Crucifixion:

"Ha, was lost the goodliest Hero of all For the priests, and the gallow tree? O'er ships and the open sea. "When they came 'er a host to take Our Man He smile was good to see. "First lo! these got 'er our Goodly Hero. "Or 'I'll see ye damned," says He, "Or 'I'll see ye damned," says He. "Aro He sent us out through the crossed high spears And the scorn of His laugh rang free. "Why took ye not Me when I walked about in the market? Alone in the town? says He. "Oh we drank His 'Hale' in the good roll wine. "When we list made company, No capon priest was the Goodly Hero, But a man of men was He. "I ha' seen Him drive a hundred men, WI' a bundle of cords swung free. That they took the high and holy house For their pawn and treasury. "They'll no' get him a'n a book, think. "Though they write it cunningly, No mouse of the scrolls was the Goodly Hero, But aye loved the open sea. "If they think they ha' shared our Goodly Hero, They are fools to the last degree 'Till go to the feast, quo' our Goodly Hero, 'Though I ha' seen to the gallow tree. "Ye ha' seen Me heal the lame and blind, And waked the dead," says He, "Ye shall see one thing to Master all: 'Tis how a brave man dies on the tree. "A Son of God was the Goodly Hero 'That had His brothers he. I ha' seen Him cow a thousand men. I ha' seen Him upon the tree. "He cried no cry when they draw the nails.

TO BE TROUBLED WITH CONSTIPATION The Cause of Many Ills.

If you do not feel well and go to your family physician, one of the first things he will do is ask you to hold out your tongue. The reason for this is that the condition of the tongue shows the condition of the stomach and bowels. If you allow your bowels to become constipated you will have bitter attacks, sick headaches, coated tongue, foul breath, heartburn, water brash, etc., and those troublesome piles, which cause so much annoyance and misery.

Keep your bowels moving regularly and you won't be sick. In Millburn's Lax-Liver Pills you will find just the remedy you require for this purpose. They are purely vegetable and do not grip, weaken or sicken. Mr. Jas. S. Harris, Box 904, Halifax, N. S., writes: "For two years I suffered with constipation. I could not get anything to cure me, and hardly anything would give me even temporary relief. One day my medical friend told me to try Millburn's Lax-Liver Pills and even brought me a vial. I tried them without much faith, but I soon found they were doing me good, and after using the second vial I was relieved of my trouble."

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And the blood gushed hot and free, The bounds of the crimson sky gave tongue, But never a cry cried Ho. "I ha' seen Him cow a thousand men On the hills of Galilee, They whined as He walked out calm between. WI' His eyes like the gray of the sea. "Like the sea that broods no voyaging With the winds unleashed and free, Like the sea that iteowed at the sunset WI' three words spoke suddenly. "A master of men was the Goodly Hero, WI' a wind and sea; WI' they think they ha' slain our Goodly Hero, They are fools eternally. "I ha' seen Him eat of the honey-comb Sin' they mailed Him to the tree."

Courage and sublimity were both needed in the great struggle between Jesus the democrat and the champions of the intertwined religious, social and commercial aristocracy. They were men of spirit: He was a teacher of candor. Yet in every battle His discerning insight of truth got the victory.

Strange Bedfellows

Expeditious and self-interest effect discordant alliances, as our present world reveals; and of old, as today, politics makes strange bedfellows. Aligned against Jesus were the strict Pharisees, the Nationalists, or anti-Rome party, and the moderates, or Herodians. With deep craftiness they tried to overturn the previous failure to entrap Jesus by this time bringing Him into public opposition to the jealous and watchful Roman authorities. Then Rome would do their dirty work for them, and they would stand aside, unscathed by either party to the strife. It was a deep political stratagem, in which the leaders kept themselves out of sight. For in the background lurked "that fox," Herod, affrighted by the rise of every new personality, and the arrogant leaders of the social-political-ecclésiastical organization that ruled the Jews. A common fear of Jesus, and a panicky desire to get rid of Him, bound these antagonistic groups together. In Carle I once watched a government official, whose nickname was "Silly," try to entrap an American by exactly the same dishonorable methods used by the emissaries of the aristocratic party, who came to Jesus with their mouths filled with false professions of admiration for Him and of sympathy with His viewpoint. If in another world, they are contestants of affairs in this one, I wonder what those Mars now think, as they contemplate themselves upon the pillars of the centurion's? There is something uneasy about the judgment of posterity and of one's peers. Recently a distinguished general, retreating from the funeral of a public official who had been a pall-bearer, spoke to me with shame and sorrow of the fact that this man, a publisher, had in his private life been guilty of dishonorable business practices—a "crook," in short. He left a fortune to his widow, but most of the persons for whose opinions she cares knows that it is tainted. Those inevitable post-mortem judgments should deter a certain class of unscrupulous-minded persons from the misdeeds they contemplate. Jesus perceived their wickedness, and the record concerning His questioners, and all the world ultimately, in this realm or the next, will likewise "know fully." The worst punishment of a judgment day for the wicked is complete revelation.

Religion and Citizenship

The cunning trap laid for Jesus by these contemptible adversaries was "is it lawful to give tribute to Caesar, or not?" A "yes" or "no" answer would land Him upon one horn of a dilemma. He would either affront the Jewish Nationalists or the Roman government. Had Jesus answered categorically His reply would have had only local and temporary application. Instead He laid down a principle of permanent application. It has come ringing down the ages; and His clear voice was never more needed than amid the confusion of our own day: "Render therefore unto Caesar, the things which are Caesar's, and unto God the things that are God's."

Spanking Doesn't Cure!

Don't think children can be cured of bed-wetting by spanking them. The trouble is constitutional, the child cannot help it, I will send you a copy of my pamphlet, "Spanking Doesn't Cure!" FREE treatment, with full instructions. If your children trouble you in this way, send me money, but write me today. My treatment is highly recommended to parents troubled with this difficulty by day or night. Write for free literature.

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Who Can Invent a Container Which Will Carry Them Safely to Destination.

In all big business this is an era of saving. Economy is the watchword in all the big corporations—economy in operation, machinery, labor, food and supplies of all kinds, but especially food. Now, take eggs.

Efforts are being made to reach the big egg shippers in different parts of the country, bringing home to them the needless loss in eggs, and trying to get them to comply with rules of packing and shipping which will avert unnecessary losses both to themselves and the express company.

Another campaign among handlers, including all company employees, is also under way. Agricultural colleges and State institutions are cooperating in an effort to bring forcibly before the public the fact that there is a tremendous and constant loss in eggs, much of it needless.

The express company is advertising broadcast the fact that it will welcome suggestions for the packing and shipping of eggs. It wants new ideas for containers, already patented or otherwise, all of which ideas will be sifted as they come.

Pending the discovery of the perfect egg container, eggs shipped in the case now in general use, the standard "honeycomb" filler, five tiers in each side of the case, which hold three dozen eggs each, and the cross-rows sections which leave spaces two and a quarter inches high. These would be almost perfect, according to Mr. James, if the faithful hen could be induced to lay eggs exactly to measure, or if shippers would shell eggs to exactly uniform size. But cases come through with eggs two and a half inches in length, or even as long as two and seven-eighths. These bigger

SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS

The eternal stars shine out as soon as it is dark enough.—Anon. A man only understands what is skin to something already existing in himself.—Amiel. The more we live, more brief appear Our lives' succeeding stages; A day to childhood seems a year And years like passing ages.—Campbell. It is not the man who reaches the corner first, who wins, but the man who knows exactly what he is going to do when he reaches the corner.—Charles E. Hughes. I the Lord search the heart, I try the reins, even to give every man according to his ways, according to the fruit of his doings.—Jer. 17:10. There are nettles everywhere. But the smooth green grasses are more common still; The blue in heaven is larger than the cloud.—E. B. Browning. Prayer is not overcoming God's reluctance; it is laying hold of His highest willingness.—Trench.

OUT O' ORDER STOMACHS

Indigestion, Acidity, Sourness and Gases ended with "Pape's Diapesin"

The moment you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapesin all the lumps of indigestion pain; the sourness, heartburn and belching of gases, due to acidity, vanish—truly wonderfully! Millions of people know that it is needless to be bothered with indigestion, dyspepsia or a disordered stomach. A few tablets of Pape's Diapesin neutralize acidity and give relief at once—no waiting. Buy a box of Pape's Diapesin now! Don't stay dyspeptic. Try to regulate your stomach so you can eat favorite foods without causing distress. The cost is so little. The benefits so great.

Mr. M. Summers, Windsor, Ontario, Box 487.

New Fashions in Dogs For Ladies

Alsatian Wolf Dog is Latest Fad of London Women—Dachshund Again in Favor.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers

Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little "Freezons" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly! Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezons" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Pain's enemy - I'll say it is!

WHEN you want quick relief from any pain, try "Freezons" on it. It is a powerful, yet safe, remedy for all kinds of aches, pains, neuralgia, rheumatism, sprains and strains, backaches, etc.

Keep it handy! SOLE AGENTS: At all druggists.

Ouch! Lame Back

Rub backache, Lumbago, Soreness and stiffness away! Try this!

Back hurt you! Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now listen! That's lumbago, sciatica, or maybe from a strain, and you'll get blessed relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil." Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on and out comes

the pain. It is perfectly harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin. Limber up! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle from any drug store, and after using it just once, you'll forget that you ever had backache, lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints and has been recommended for 60 years.

Box Factory Burns. Bristol, Vt., Feb. 11.—The factory of the Vermont Box Co. was destroyed by fire last night. It was valued at \$100,000. Spontaneous combustion is believed to have started the blaze.

How to Make Pine Cough Syrup at Home

This is equal for prompt results. Take it every 15 minutes and save you about \$2.

You know that pine is used in nearly all prescriptions and remedies for coughs. The reason is that pine contains several peculiar elements that have a remarkable effect in soothing and relaxing the membranes of the throat and chest. Pine is famous for this purpose. Pine cough syrups are combinations of pine and syrup. The "syrup" part is usually plain sugar syrup. To make the best pine cough remedy that money can buy, put 2 1/2 ounces of Pine in a 16-oz. bottle, and fill up with honey-sugar syrup. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you make 16 ounces—more than you can buy ready-made for \$2.50. It is sure to cure any very pleasant children take it eagerly. You can feel this take hold of a cough or cold in a way that means business. The cough may be dry, hoarse and tight, or may be persistently loose from the formation of phlegm. The cause is the same—infamed membranes—and this Pine and Syrup combination will stop coughing usually in 24 hours or less. Spleen, too, for bronchial asthma, hoarseness, or any ordinary throat ailment. Pine is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and is famous the world over for its prompt effect upon coughs. Beware of substitutes. Ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pine in directions, and I will accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pine Co., Toronto, Ont.

Had An Annoying Hacking Cough?

Got No Rest at Night?

Hacking coughs are very wasting on the system. The constant coughing disturbs the rest, and keeps the lungs and bronchial tubes in such a irritated and inflamed condition, that unless you get immediate relief the cough may become settled and serious lung trouble ensue.

There is no better remedy than Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup for relieving all kinds of coughs or colds, coming on at once the lung-healing virtues of the pine tree with which is combined with cherry bark, and the soothing and "healing" expectorant properties of other excellent herbs and fruits.

Mrs. W. J. Ross, Funchell, Ala. writes: "About three years ago I caught a very bad cold, accompanied with a severe throat and hoarseness. I was so hoarse you could not hear me speak. I could get no rest at night with the terrible annoying hacking cough. I tried several remedies, but they did me no good. I finally saw Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup advertised so I got a bottle. It at once gave me relief, and after using four of them my cough had all gone. Now I always keep it in the house."

"Dr. Wood's" is put up in a yellow wrapper; three pines cross the trade mark, price 25c. and 50c. a bottle. Manufactured only by The T. Millburn Co., Toronto, Ont.

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PURITY OATS Milled from Selected Oats of Sunny Alberta

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# Big Vote Offer Ends Tonight at 8 p.m.

200,000 EXTRA votes for each \$19 worth of business turned in. Two magnificent \$215 Starr Phonographs for best work done this week, next week and last week.

LET THE EXTRA VOTE BALLOTS AID YOU IN WINNING YOUR PRIZE.

## NO LIMIT TO THE NUMBER OF EXTRA VOTES

This week an EXTRA vote ballot good for 200,000 EXTRA votes is being given for each and every \$19 worth of subscriptions secured by 8 p. m. Saturday night Feb. 12th, as follows:

\$19 worth of subscriptions secured this week brings	200,000 Extra votes
\$38 " " " " " " " " " "	400,000 " "
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The \$19 Clubs of subscriptions can be composed of either new or renewal subscriptions to either the Daily or the Semi-Weekly Standard, ranging in length from 6 months to five years.

The Regular votes as per the following vote schedule are also given on subscriptions secured this week:

Length of Subscription	Schedule of votes during this week
6 months	7,500
1 year	30,000
2 years	75,000
3 years	135,000
4 years	202,500
5 years	270,000

Add 10,000 EXTRA votes for each and every NEW subscription which is a year or longer in length.

## CLOSING RULES OF THE BIG VOTE OFFER

1. The Added Week of Extra Vote Offer of The Standard's Big Prize Contest closes at eight o'clock Saturday night, February 12th.

2. All contestants can work up to the last minute of the offer.

3. The office of the Automobile and Movie Star Department will be open until eight o'clock Saturday night for the convenience of city contestants.

4. City contestants who are unable to bring in their returns by the above mentioned hour may mail their returns, but their letters must reach us on the first delivery of mail Monday morning, February 14th.

5. Out of town contestants can work up to the last minute of the Big Extra Vote Offer with the city contestants, and immediately mail their returns to the Auto and Movie Star Department of The Standard. The postmark of Saturday, Feb. 12th, must be on all of their letters even though their letters do not reach us until the following Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday.

6. Friends of contestants working in the out of town communities will be governed by the rules pertaining to out of town contestants. Friends of contestants working in St. John or suburbs will be governed by the rules set forth for city contestants.

7. New contestants who have not time for receipt books to reach them before the close of the Big Extra Vote Offer may list out the names of the subscriptions on a sheet of paper and send them in with sufficient cash to cover the subscriptions. Contestants already enrolled who run out of receipt books, may do likewise. Do not let anything cause you to lose out on the 200,000 extra vote ballots. One of the extra ballots will be given for each \$19 worth of sales.

8. All personal cheques sent in to cover a bunch of subscriptions must be marked "accepted" by the banks on which they are drawn.

9. Kindly keep your receipt forms in numerical order and thus assist the contest department assistants.

10. Contestants must have their middle receipt forms fully filled out before presenting them to the Contest Department Cashier on Saturday, otherwise they will lose their turns at being waited upon.

It is Not Too Late to Enter the Contest. New Entrants Still Have a Good Chance to Win one of the Free Automobiles or Other Free Prizes.

## ENTRY BLANK

GOOD FOR 10,000 VOTES  
Nominate Yourself or a Friend

PRIZE CONTEST DEPT. OF THE STANDARD  
St. John, N. B.

Gentlemen—

I hereby nominate as a candidate in your Automobile and Movie Star Contest.

NAME .....

ADDRESS .....

NOMINATED BY .....

ADDRESS .....

Note—Only one entry blank will be accepted for any one candidate.

Two opportunities to become Movie Stars with The Universal Film Company are included in the free prize list.



Elmo Lincoln  
UNIVERSAL

Famous Universal star appearing in a thrilling serial "Elmo, The Fearless" at The Queen Square Theatre Monday and Tuesday of each week.



PRISCILLA DEAN  
UNIVERSAL

Miss Dean is a popular favorite in St. John. She has appeared in the movies at the local theatres on numerous occasions.

YOU have an opportunity to gain fame and stardom in the Movies with the same company (The Universal Film Producing Co. of Universal City, California and New York) that made these two universally known favorite Movie Stars. Write, 'phone or call at The Movie Star Department of The Standard for details.

## THE SPECIAL PRIZE 'STARR' PHONOGRAPHS



Two of these magnificent \$215 "Starr" Phonographs are offered as EXTRA prizes to the two contestants (one in each district) who turns in the greatest amount of subscription money collected by midnight Saturday, Feb. 19th.

The winning contestants will be given the choice of an Oak, Walnut or Mahogany finished cabinet.

See the two special prize Starr Phonographs on exhibition at Starr & Co. (Maritime Division) 171 Prince William street, from which firm they were purchased.

## RULES OF THE SUBSCRIBERS' GUESSING CONTEST

1. A subscriber may enter into the Barley Guessing Contest, provided he or she gives a subscription to a candidate in The Standard's Big Prize Contest, or pays a subscription into the Contest Office of The Standard for the benefit of a candidate.

NOTICE—Read rule 1 carefully. Notice that the subscriber must pay direct to a candidate or to the contest office. A subscriber will NOT be allowed an estimate if his or her subscription is paid to an agent who deducts a commission on the subscription.

2. One guess will be given for each dollar paid on subscription under the above conditions.

3. The Free Prizes for the subscribers' Guessing Contest will consist of the following:

5 Passenger Ford Touring Car.  
\$215.00 Phonograph.  
Five \$10.00 Cash Prizes.  
Five \$5.00 Cash Prizes.  
10 Orders for 1 Year's Subscription to The Standard.

4. Either the candidate or the Contest Department of The Standard will supply you with the necessary blank or blanks to fill in your guesses.

5. A subscriber, or candidate may send subscriptions to boys at Military Hospitals or to other friends, and be entitled to send in guesses.

6. In the event the person subscribing does not wish to take advantage of the Subscribers' Guessing Contest, the candidate who secured the subscription may enter guesses on the subscription, provided said subscriber gives the candidate written permission to do so. In a case of this kind the following is to appear on the back of the guessing coupon: "I have submitted this guess as a subscriber did not wish to take advantage of the Guessing Contest; the candidate's signature must be attached. Then, also, this article must follow: 'I relinquish all claims to any prize in your subscribers' contest which this coupon may win, in favor of the above signed candidate.' Subscriber's signature must be attached."

7. In the event of a tie, priority will be the deciding factor, and the tying guesses which reached us first will be given the preference. If the tying guesses reached the Contest Department simultaneously, the subscriber who gave the longest term subscription will be given the preference. If the tying guesses arrived simultaneously and the same amounts were paid by the parties tying, new subscribers will be given the preference over renewals or arrears subscriptions.

8. A subscriber may give his or her subscription of subscriptions now and send in his or her guesses any

## First Prize in Subscribers' Guessing Contest



Every person who assists one of the candidates by giving a subscription, for which the candidate is entitled to votes, will be eligible to compete in a Guessing Contest for Subscribers. One guess as to the number of kernels of barley in an officially filled Small's Peanut Butter jar will be given with each dollar paid for a subscription.

The filling and sealing of the Official Jar which is being used by The Standard in the Barley Guessing Contest took place publicly on Feb. 4th. Mayor Schofield officiating. The officially filled and sealed jar is now on exhibition in the window of Macaulay Bros. & Co. (Dry Goods Store) 65 King Street, St. John.

The barley was purchased from The Robertson's Grocery Stores Cor. Waterloo and Golding and 11-15 Douglas Avenue.

First prize in the Subscribers' Guessing Contest will be a 5-Passenger Ford Touring Car, purchased from the Universal Car Company, 85 Prince William street. Second prize will be a \$215.00 Phonograph. Five \$10 Cash Prizes will follow, then five \$5 Cash Prizes then 10 orders for one year's subscription to The Standard—22 Free Prizes in all.

The automobiles which will be given away in connection with The Standard's Big \$15,000 Prize Contest will not be driven around the country or city by members of the Contest Department or any other persons. We are giving away NEW cars in this contest—not second-hand machines.

time before the close of the subscribers' Guessing Contest, which will be the same night as the close of the Candidates' Big Prize Contest.

9. We would suggest that you get a jar similar to the officially filled Small's Peanut Butter jar, fill your jar with Barley, and count the kernels in it, and thus arrive at some sort of an estimate.

10. The winners of the Subscribers' Contest will be announced with the other prize winners at the close of the Big Auto Contest.

One year's subscription to The Standard may cause you to win this elegant 5-Passenger Ford or one of the other valuable prizes offered in connection with the Subscribers' Guessing Contest. You will be assisting yourself and a candidate as well by subscribing.

CUT OUT NEATLY

The Standard's Big Automobile and Movie Star Contest

Good for 50 Votes

FOR .....

ADDRESS .....

This Coupon, when neatly cut out and brought or mailed to the Contest Department of THE STANDARD will count for the person whose name is written thereon

Void After Feb. 23. Cut Out Neatly.

The St. John Standard

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ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1921

CHANGES AT OTTAWA

Premier Meighen is unquestionably taking the wisest course in deciding to re-organise his cabinet. Far be it from us to suggest for a moment that any of the older members of the Government have outlived their usefulness.

QUEBEC'S NEW LIQUOR LAW

A bill to regulate the traffic in alcoholic liquors in the province of Quebec has been introduced in the Legislative Assembly. The main feature is the proposed creation of a commission to control practically everything connected with the trade.

A BIT OF VERSE

IN THE HEBRIDES. I live in a wide house, with stars in its roof-tree. When night sinks over me mist is my curtain.

THE LAUGH LINE

Little Miss Malaprop. "Brother," said father, at the breakfast table, "I have ordered a taxi for this afternoon, and I shall not need it after all."

ONE WAY OUT, CERTAINLY

The Hon. T. A. Crerar, who aspires to become Prime Minister of Canada when the Farmer group gains control of affairs, has evolved a new solution of the railway problem.

FOR SALE

Scotch Sewer Pipe. We are open for bids on 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 inch Scotch Terra Cotta Sewer Pipe and branches.

REPAIR HOUSES

Many of the houses have not been repaired for years. If your home needs repairs the longer you delay the more costly it will be to restore the woodwork.

THE CHRISTIE WOODWORKING CO., LTD.

100 Erie Street. Phone Main 1893. The Best Quality at a Reasonable Price.

WHAT OTHERS SAY

Lady Roberts and Queen Victoria. A tradition is related in one of the gossip books of a year ago. "The Notebook of a Splendid Lady, 1876-1883" makes a beautiful illustration of the simplicity of mind of the late Lady Roberts.

Services Remembered

A captain in the merchant marine who received a commendation for his wonderful courage and endurance during the war was asked to address a meeting in the West. He spoke first and at considerable length, and when he had finished the audience rose, almost to a man, to leave the building.

The Turns of Fortune

"I used to ship upholstery materials to the Pope automobile people in the old days," said a dry goods commission man, "when the Pope-Hartford and Pope-Tobelo were the last word in road-motocivics."

IN THE EDITOR'S MAIL

To the Editor St. John Standard: Dear Sir:—The street view of Hampton, in the county of Kings, must have a record by having one of the oldest and most dilapidated stations along the Canadian National Railway.

Women Going Too Far For Soviets

London, Feb. 8.—Emancipation of women from domestic work is going a little too far for the Soviet leaders of Russia. An attempt to commit the recent Soviet congress there to such a principle developed a humorous incident, as told by the Moscow wireless.

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Benny's Note Book

Papa black shoes was at the shoemakers being fixed and yesterday after supper he sent me up after tea and was I got back I looked at the backside on account of it feeling lighter than 2 of pops shoes, and here was in it but just one shoe on account of the other one having fell out on the way, me thinking, G. good night, G.

Special Bargains

now shown in our women's window. If you're size and fitting is among them you get a good shoe at a bargain. Women's Best Quality White Rubbers, all sizes, 39c.

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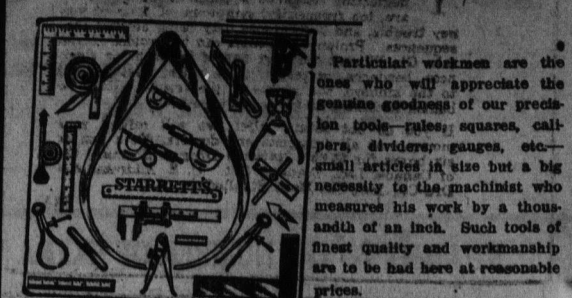
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Western Farmer Charged With

Calgary, Feb. 11.—Edward... a farmer—eight miles... Doer, and his wife, have... for the past few days... a change of management... the discovery of the... the lady, who had been... a terribly brutal... was brought to a... day, dying there three... Both feet were frozen.

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Western Farmer Is Charged With Killing
Calgary, Feb. 11.—Edward A. Raney, a farmer eight miles north of Red Deer, and his wife, have been on trial for the past few days at Red Deer, on a charge of manslaughter, following the discovery of the late John Wesley, who had been their chore boy, in a terribly bruised condition.

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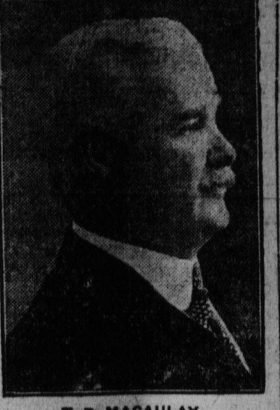
Plead Guilty To Discharging Gun
James Covenay Also Blocked a Chinese and is Remanded for Sentence.
James Covenay pleaded guilty to discharging a revolver on Mill street, and also to obtaining a meal at the Asia Cafe and refusing to pay for it, when charged in the police court yesterday morning. He was remanded for sentence.

Germans Tell Allies Best They Can Give
Only 150,000,000 Marks Can be Indemnity and This Includes All Paid Already.
Berlin, Feb. 11.—The ministry of finance has reached the conclusion that the utmost sum Germany can pay in reparations is 150,000,000 marks, this including all she has so far paid in cash and goods, according to information which the Deutsche Zeitung says it has received from a "special" source.

Paris Police Had Swift Revenge
Killed Notorious Bandit After He Had Murdered Two Inspectors.
Paris, Feb. 11.—For the death of two of their men in a revolver duel with bandits last week, the Paris police took swift revenge this afternoon. It was on Saturday last that the drums began. The inspectors cut through a group of men whom they had caught red-handed in a burglary, and on the street one of the men was killed and the other, a police inspector, was wounded.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES
RHEUMATISM, BRUISES, BACKACHE, DIABETES, GRAVEL, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, HEADACHE, INDIGESTION, BILIOUSNESS, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY TRACT.

Sun-Life Enters Its Jubilee Year With Fine Record
Is Today One of the Largest and Soundest Assurance Companies in the World.
The Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada enters this, its Jubilee Year, with a proud record. Twenty years ago the total assurance in force with the Sun Life of Canada were about half the new business actually paid for during the year 1920, when the new business reached the enormous amount of over One Hundred and Sixty Millions.



Depatie-Tremblay Marriage Is Valid
Privy Council Declares Famous Quebec Case of Marriage of Cousins is Legal.
London, Feb. 11.—The privy council rendered judgment today in the Depatie-Tremblay Quebec marriage case, allowing the appeal and declaring the marriage valid. The Depatie-Tremblay case was the most important of many marriage suits which have been before the Quebec courts. In this case cousins within the fourth degree of consanguinity, both Roman Catholic, who had not secured a dispensation from their church were married by a priest in the diocese of St. Hyacinthe, Que. The parties are Malvina Depatie and Napoleon Tremblay.

City Abandons Its Out-of-Work Men
Offered \$5 Per Day But Union Insisted Upon Another Fifty Cents.
Great Falls, Mo., Feb. 11.—All efforts of the city of Great Falls, to create work for its unemployed men are to be abandoned because of refusal of the business agent of the federal union, an unskilled organization affiliated with the A. F. of L., to permit its members to work for \$5 daily Mayor Newman announced today. The business agent contended that the men should be paid a flat scale of \$5.00. Several men put to work at the city water plant here were called off on a strike by the union. Announcement that the city would offer no more jobs was made by members of the city council.

Brings Action For A Divorce
Brooklyn Woman Names Her Own Daughter as Co-respondent in Case.
Special to The Standard. New York, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Martha E. Walker, of 1833 Pacific street, Brooklyn, named her own daughter, Thelma C. Fields, 14 years old, as co-respondent in her action for absolute divorce brought in the Brooklyn Supreme court today against her husband, Marcellus G. Walker. An affidavit filed by the girl admitted the charge made by her mother and tells of meeting her stepfather at 802 Belmont avenue and at the Pacific street address. Mrs. Walker also charged abandonment, and said that in addition to her own two children she has to support the infant child of Walker. Walker has not filed an answer. Denial was reserved on Mrs. Walker's application for alimony of \$50 a week and counsel fees of \$200, pending trial.

Bishop's Daughter Is Bride of Capt. Boy-Ed
Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 11.—Miss Virginia G. McKay Smith, daughter of the late Bishop Alexander McKay, Smith, of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Pennsylvania, and Captain Karl Boy-Ed, former German naval attaché at Washington, were married yesterday in Berlin, according to a cable received by friends here from the bride's home. The bride was accompanied by her daughter to Germany last month. Boy-Ed became famous in 1915 through his connection with marionette plots in the United States and the sending of supplies to German commerce raiders from United States ports. He was recalled by the German government at the request of President Wilson.

"Explorer" To Make Trial Trip Tuesday
If All Goes Well She Will be Turned Over to the Government at Once.
Halifax, Feb. 11.—J. E. McLaughlin, General Manager of the Halifax Shipyards, stated that the Canadian Explorer, the second ship to be built at the Shipyards, and a sister ship of the Canadian Mariner, will make her trial trip next Tuesday, Feb. 15. Following this, and her acceptance by the Marine department, she will be turned over to the Canadian Government Merchant Marine and placed in operation. Captain Dixon, of the Marine Department, has been in Halifax since the trial trip of the Mariner and will take over the new ship for the government when her trials are completed. Some time ago Captain Dixon said that satisfactory as the Mariner had proved, he was, if possible, even more pleased with the work on the Explorer and the striking success of the Mariner's trials, it is looked to be reported when the Explorer first runs under her own power. Captain Wilfred Wyman of Yarmouth, late of the Canadian Explorer, will take command of the Explorer when she is put in operation by the C. G. M. M. A. F. Day, until recently chief officer of the Canadiana Voyager, will be chief officer of the new ship.

Wash Goods Specials
New Fancy Voiles in many shades with Block, Stripe or Spot patterns. Very excellent quality. 38 inches wide, \$1.25 to \$2.00 yard.
Rep Suiting, shown in Pink, Blue and Rose. 30 inches wide, 60c. yard.
White Poplin, 36 inches wide, 90c. yard.
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Lots of Remnants.
Come and see the other bargains.

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OBITUARY.
Mrs. Jane McKay.
The death of Mrs. Jane McKay, widow of Absolom McKay, occurred February 8th at her home in Shanklin, N. B., after a very short illness. She was seven-nine years of age and leaves to mourn one sister, Mrs. Joseph Campbell of Tynemouth Creek; three sons, James of Bath, Me., and George and Robert of this city, and three daughters, Mrs. Charles Patterson, Mrs. George Capron of this city and Miss Jennie M. at home. The funeral was held on February 10. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Westmore of St. Martin's and interment was in West Quaco cemetery.

PROBATE COURT.
Sentence on granting letters of guardianship was passed in the matter of the estate of Agnes Jack, infant, child of James Jack, deceased. The probate value was \$2,000. L. P. D. Tiley was proctor and the Eastern Trust Co. was appointed guardian with power to sell certain properties of the estate. In the matter of the estate of Thomas G. Dwyer letters testamentary were granted to his widow, personally, \$1,500. W. M. Ryan was proctor. The will of James Keenan was probated appointing his widow and Richard P. Hatchford executors, personally \$4,950. W. M. Ryan was proctor.

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often tenacious, are a drain upon the vital forces.
SCOTT'S EMULSION
strengthens the whole system and helps drive out the pre-disposing cause.
Illustration of a man carrying a large fish on his back.

# FOR WOMEN

# AMUSEMENTS

### Suggests Marking Of Chinese Eggs

#### Local Council of Women Discusses Vocational Training, Health for Marrying.

Vocational training, the minimum wage, mothers' pensions, illness, the sex appeal and health careers for those desiring to marry, were matters which were discussed at length before a special meeting of the St. John Local Council of Women held yesterday afternoon.

### Jewels Should Be Chosen With Care

#### Many Necklaces and Rings Are Worn Because They Are Fashionable Not Suitable.

Jewelry for true adornment chosen to accord with the individual style of the wearer rather than as an index to the size of the bank account of the possessor, is the knowledge that she is at liberty to grow as old as she likes without apologizing.

### REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR GIRL

By HELEN ROWLAND  
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Nothing keeps a man so good as the knowledge that he is at liberty to be as bad as he likes; and nothing keeps a woman so young as the knowledge that she is at liberty to grow as old as she likes without apologizing.

### Exmouth Street Church Supper

#### About 300 in Attendance Last Evening—Under Auspices of Ladies of Church.

In the anniversary celebration of Exmouth street Methodist church, a very successful supper at six o'clock, some three hundred persons sat down to a splendid supper served by the ladies. The tables were prettily decorated with red candles, hearts and cupid.

### Young Ladies Were The Guests

#### About 75 Couples Present at Valentine Social in Y. M. C. A. Parlor Last Evening.

The Young Ladies of the Y. M. C. A. were the guests of the Seniors and intermediates at a Valentine Social last evening. About seventy-five happy couples gathered in the Y. M. C. A. parlors in what was the biggest and best entertainment of the season.

### SUCCESSFUL CONCERT

#### ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH

The Sunday School of St. Matthew's Presbyterian Church recently held a very successful concert. Every member on the programme was thoroughly enjoyed by an audience which taxed the capacity of the building.

Word from Mrs. Smith  
Mrs. Ralph Smith wrote thanking the society for congratulations on her re-election. She spoke of the cordiality shown her both by men and women societies in St. John. She stated she was to be sworn in as president of Cabinet Council. A letter to Mrs. McLellan from Miss Carmichael suggested that the committee of the Maritime Provinces make Mrs. Eddy, who has done so much for the cause of education, a life member of the National Council. Mrs. Eddy is a native of Charlottetown. On motion, the St. John Council will send their share, \$10, toward the one hundred dollars necessary to do this. Miss Ryan, vice president of the Moncton Local Council, who was present yesterday, will bring the matter before that body.

Of equal importance with the choice of the stones or combination of stones was said to be the beauty and originality of the setting. The constant mental computation of values in looking at jewelry, either in the show case or on the person, was said to be equally responsible with the conventional ideas of what was the proper thing to wear for many mistakes.

Members of All Classes Attended and Enjoyed Tea and Interesting Programme.  
St. David's Sunday School held a most enjoyable social last evening which was attended by members of all classes from the Cradle Roll to the Home Department. Tea was served in the recreation room at 5:15 to the younger members of the school. Later they adjourned to the north room where they were entertained by slides of "The Water Babies."

Gossip from Movie Land  
James Morrison, who was leading man for Jean Paige in "Black Beauty," Vitagraph special production based on the famous story by Anna Sewall, has returned to New York from Vitagraph's West Coast studios, where the picture was made under the direction of David Smith. His first act upon his arrival was to visit Vitagraph executives on a tour of the studio, where he was an audience of one a special showing of the completed picture, which he hadn't seen before.

Chicago House Was Kidnapped  
Chicago, Feb. 11.—Police today were notified to keep a sharp watch for a "kidnaped" three-story house. It appeared from its foundation off a south side lot.

INSANE OVER RELIGION.  
Kingston Feb. 11.—Worry over religion is believed to have driven Robert Ballantyne, aged 38, insane, this morning. He was locked up by the police and later became a raving maniac and was taken to Rockwood Asylum.

Want Eggs Marked  
Mrs. Melver wrote to Miss Gladys Dowling, convener of Household Economics, drawing attention to the importation into Canada through British Columbia of Chinese eggs and milk, and asking that a resolution be passed that such eggs should be marked. There are of less nutritional value than Canadian eggs. Mrs. W. Edmund Raymond, in the absence of Miss Dowling, volunteered to write to the British Columbia Council, making enquiries as to what steps are being taken in this matter.

Unsuitable Rings.  
The most flagrant offense against true sentiment, good taste, and implying either sacrifice of beauty in Miss Fobes' opinion is the conventional insistence upon the diamond engagement ring in all cases. A betrothal ring of ornate design, expressing the personal tastes of the recipient, whether of very costly or less valuable materials, seems more suitable than the conventional diamond just as large and in many cases larger than the man can afford to purchase.

Parlor Meeting Held By W. C. T. U.  
The third of a series of parlor meetings was held by the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. Hoar, 48 Hazen street last evening, in the absence of Mrs. E. Ellison, superintendent, the Provincial superintendent, Mrs. David Hildebrand, and Mrs. Berglund was pianist.

Mind Blank After Honeymoon Over  
Cincinnati, Feb. 11.—Frederick Soter, New York tobacco exporter, who was picked up in Cincinnati minus a memory Monday night, revived at a hospital today, his first words being "I want to go home."

They WORK while you sleep  
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The Imperial Optical four points from Vassio the Commercial League Black's always last night, as follows:

CHILDREN'S CARNIVAL  
Weather permitting an open air carnival will be held at the South End rink today. Prizes will be given for the best costume to a boy and a girl the prizes being donated by Frank L. Potts.

TO SPEAK IN NEW YORK  
Moncton Feb. 11.—Rev. W. H. Barclough, pastor of the Moncton Central Methodist church, has been invited to speak at the sixth year convention of Christian Endeavor, to be held in New York next July.

Noted Missionaries Coming To St. John  
Christian and Missionary Alliance to Hold Convention in City from Feb. 27-Mar. 10.  
A convention of the Christian and Missionary Alliance will be held in the City from Feb. 27 to March 10. There are 308 missionaries and 637 native workers in the field. Under the Alliance Review on better pictures, advising all to read it, and then moved secondly by Rev. C. T. U. and passed.

GERMAIN ST. CHURCH Y. M. A. ENTERTAINED  
Members Enjoyed Social Evening at Home of President Hunt, Mecklenburg Street.  
The Y. M. A. of Germain street Baptist church were entertained to a social evening at the home of their president, Mr. Hunt, 106 Mecklenburg street, Dr. Chapman was present and gave a most interesting and instructive talk on the eyes, ears, nose and throat. At the close of his talk he answered any questions asked by his hearers.

Husband and Wife Are Both Benefited  
MRS STEPHENSON FEELS IT HER DUTY TO RECOMMEND DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.  
Victoria Lady Who Suffered From Pains in the Back, Tells of the Relief She Sought and Found.

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Vocational Training  
Vocational training was thoroughly gone into, Mrs. Hooper explaining that she was absolutely in favor of vocational training, but considered that vocational education meant training for a vocation and, with others, she was striving to have vocational teaching in the schools, and in some way to educate those between twelve and sixteen in wage-earning. Tribute was paid to the work of Mrs. W. Edmund Raymond and Mrs. O'Brien by Miss Leavitt, Mrs. Hooper and Mrs. E. A. Young. Mrs. Raymond pointed out that home-making was a vocation and told of the many who had taken advantage of the classes held here. A resolution was passed advocating the permanent establishment of this education in St. John and the continuance of the classes, moved by Mrs. E. A. Young, seconded by Miss Leavitt.

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The Teachers' Association, owing to the storm, had a small attendance at their regular meeting held at the Natural History Society Rooms. Instead of the arranged programme an informal talk took place.

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### Penn Crews S In Hudson

#### Rowing Committee Not to Withhold Poughkeepsie Regatta

Special to The Standard  
Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 11.—The Penn crews of the hydrologists regatta to be held on the Hudson river for the coming season will be held at Poughkeepsie, N. Y. The regatta will be held on the Hudson river for the coming season. The regatta will be held on the Hudson river for the coming season.

### Local Bow

#### WELLINGTON L

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## Woodstock

Woodstock, N. B., Feb. 11.—Mr. Goddard Newnam and Miss Edith Newnam spent last week-end in St. Stephen, N. B. Mr. Goddard returned Sunday in town. Mr. O. C. Crockett has returned from Montreal, where he attended the show. Mr. John H. Lee, who has been confined to his home through illness, has quite recovered.

## Hillsboro

Hillsboro, N. B., Feb. 11.—Ronald McLaughlin has gone to Memramcook, N. B. to attend St. Joseph's College. Rev. S. Bishop was at Moncton last week attending an executive meeting of the Religious Education Association.

## Sussex

Sussex, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Arthur Keith has returned from Moncton, where she was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Buck. Miss Ida Campbell is visiting friends in St. John.

Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Roach left on Saturday on a trip to Toronto, Ottawa and other Upper Canadian cities. Mrs. Roach has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. M. A. MacLeod for several months, left on Tuesday for her home where she will visit friends and relatives.

Senator George W. Fowler, Ottawa, is a guest at the Depot House. Mrs. Clarke Elliott entertained a few friends very pleasantly on Monday evening at a sewing party. The guests were Mrs. O. Stubbs, Mrs. A. V. Morash, Mrs. Snowden, Mrs. W. W. Myles, Mrs. H. H. Reid, Mrs. W. J. Jeffries, Mrs. Hazen Adair, Mrs. H. Chapman, Mrs. Gordon McKay, Mrs. M. A. McLeod, Mrs. McWhin, Mrs. H. G. McLean, Miss Marion Reid, Miss Gertrude Sherwood and Miss R. Elliott.

Mrs. O. P. Wilbur spent two days this week in Moncton. Mrs. M. J. Mansel Shewen entertained a number of the young people Tuesday afternoon in honor of her daughter Edith's birthday.

Mrs. Charles Wall was at home to her friends Wednesday afternoon at her residence, Church Avenue. Mrs. Arthur Kings received with Mrs. G. P. Bolton, who out the loss, Mrs. Gordon McKay, Miss Green, Miss Alice Leake and Miss Gertrude Sherwood assisted in serving. Little Miss Dorothy Hardisty attended the door.

Mrs. Brown, St. John, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Suffren. Mrs. George Suffren was hostess Wednesday evening at a thimble party. Among the guests were Mrs. Geo. Warren, Mrs. G. P. Bolton, Mrs. H. G. McLean, Mrs. A. Black, Mrs. Walter Fairweather, Mrs. H. H. Reid, Mrs. J. P. Bolton, Mrs. W. Myles, Mrs. M. A. McLeod, Mrs. C. Elliott, Mrs. A. V. Morash, Miss Edith Stevens, Mrs. L. Moffatt, Mrs. H. Chapman, Mrs. D. Alton, Mrs. Vera Calhoun has returned home after a visit with friends in St. John.

Miss Bella Kirk and Mrs. Cassidy McNeil are guests of Dr. D. H. and Mrs. McAllister. Mrs. R. Morrison was hostess at a very enjoyable bridge on Tuesday afternoon. The guests were Mrs. W. S. Fairweather, Mrs. O. P. King, Mrs. J. E. Keith, Mrs. J. P. Atherton, Mrs. A. Forsythe, Mrs. J. E. Keith, Mrs. R. Prescott, Mrs. J. T. Prescott, Mrs. J. A. Bain, Mrs. George Bain, Mrs. George Roy, Mrs. G. S. Kinnear, Mrs. J. M. Kinnear, Mrs. S. A. McLeod, Mrs. G. B. McKay, Mrs. W. H. McLeod, Mrs. R. Murray, Mrs. J. D. McKenna, Miss Kate White, Carrie Roach, E. Hallett. The tea hour guests were Mrs. C. Flewelling, Mrs. A. R. Chartiers, Miss Marjorie Roach and Miss Jean Connelly.

Rev. A. V. Morash was called to Lunenburg, N. S. this week, owing to the death of his brother-in-law. G. P. Bolton was a visitor to Moncton on Tuesday. Mrs. G. L. Wetmore, Moncton, is the guest of her uncle, Mr. F. G. Langdowne for a few days. Mrs. P. H. Murray is spending the week-end in Moncton and her mother, Mrs. Richard Deady expect to sail from St. John on the Empress of Britain today, (Friday) for Liverpool, England, where they will visit relatives for two months. Mrs. George Jones, held her post-nuptial reception at her residence, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Jones was assisted in receiving by Mrs. W. H. Hay and Mrs. Harry Black. In the dining-room Mrs. Vera Calhoun and Mrs. G. B. McKay poured the tea and they were assisted in serving by Mrs. A. Black, Miss Leslie Jones and Miss Marjorie Jones. Apohau, Little Miss Dorothy Hardisty opened the door.

## "DANDERINE"

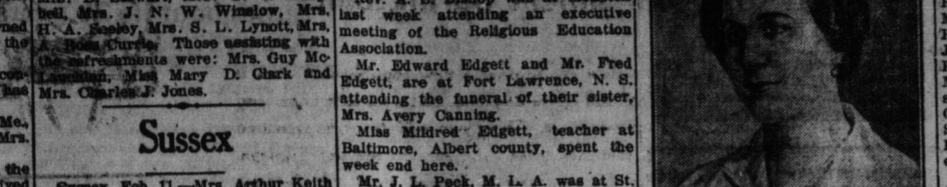
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A Bean Supper held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Haines, Salem, Albert Co., the sum of \$40.00 was realized for church purposes. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jonah passed away on Wednesday.

Special services are being held in St. Mary's Episcopal church, conducted by the rector, Rev. A. J. Langlois. The "Village Club" met in their rooms this afternoon. Mrs. Archie Stevens and Mrs. Mildred Mrs. Stevens read a very interesting article on "Genera the Millennium City" and delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Mildred. A good attendance was present and a very pleasant afternoon spent.

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## Gagetown

Gagetown, N. B., Feb. 11.—Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hood entertained a number of friends very enjoyably on Wednesday evening at a bridge of six tables. The prize winners were Mrs. J. S. Sutherland and F. H. DuVerne, while the consolation prize went to S. Sutherland. Later in the evening, a delicious supper was served, in which the host and hostess were assisted by Miss Greta Rubins and F. M. Crocker. Among the guests at this enjoyable affair were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Clara Mansel, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hood, Rev. H. T. and Mrs. Buckland, Mrs. W. M. Jenkins, Mrs. E. M. O'Neill, Mrs. Hewlett, W. Scovil, Miss Annie Dickie, Miss Mollie O'Leary, Miss Anna Jackson, Miss Greta B. Rubins, Miss Molly O'Leary, Miss Zelma Wood, Miss Mary Scovil, Messrs. H. W. S. Allingham, C. F. Kline, R. P. Scovil, Fred M. Crocker.

The Women's Auxiliary held their first working meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. T. Field, where work was given out to the members and an hour was spent in reading the new mission study course, "New Life Currents in China."

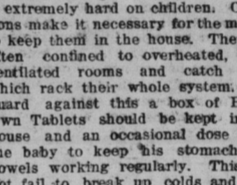
On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. J. S. C. Sutherland was hostess at a small bridge of three tables, which proved a very bright and enjoyable little function. Miss Annie Dickie held the highest score at the end of the afternoon and was awarded the dainty prize made by the hostess, Mrs. Sutherland and her mother, Mrs. Nelson Alward, served afternoon tea from a prettily arranged tea table. Those present were: Miss E. R. Scovil, Mrs. R. Reid, Mrs. E. S. Brodie, Mrs. W. M. Jenkins, Mrs. H. T. Buckland, Mrs. P. H. DuVerne, Mrs. Charles H. Jones, Miss Laurie Law, Miss Greta Rubins, Miss Annie Dickie, Miss Molly O'Leary and Miss Mary Scovil.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. John's Church held a very successful pantry sale on Saturday afternoon in Wm. C. Belyea's ice cream parlor, for the purpose of increasing their mission fund. The mission work in the Northwest, \$17.11 was realized from the sale, for which the committee were composed of Mrs. R. H. Weston, Mrs. Mary E. Barnett, Mrs. W. M. Jenkins, Mrs. Chas. H. Jones, Mrs. R. R. Reid, Mrs. Wm. C. Belyea and Miss Annie Dickie.

A. H. Peck, of Hopewell Hill, was here this week, the guest of his sister, Mrs. Joseph L. Allingham. Mrs. Fred C. Ebbett, of Lower Gagetown, who underwent an operation on her throat at the General Hospital, St.

## STORMY WEATHER HARD ON BABY

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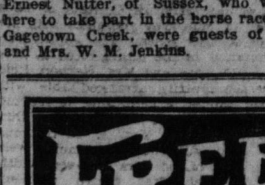


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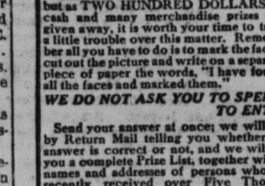
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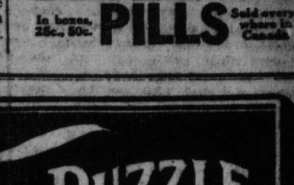
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Newcastle

Newcastle, N. B., Feb. 11.—Mrs. Bert Kane and Miss Pearl Wright of Boston, Mass., are in town this week having been called here by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Arthur Wright.

St. Stephen

St. Stephen, N. B., Feb. 11.—The Valentine Tea held at the Council Chambers on Friday afternoon, was the last of the series given by the Women's Canadian Club and was a very pretty and successful event.

Apohaqui

Apohaqui, Feb. 11.—The annual banquet given by the Ladies of the Lower Millstream Women's Institute to their husbands and friends, took place on Tuesday evening.

The Salt That Savors Windsor Table Salt

McAuley, entertained with a mirth-provoking reading, "The Busy House Wife," which was given by Mrs. L. J. Johnson.

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of the death of Mr. Murray Gilchrist of St. John. The late Mr. Gilchrist and family were residents of this village for 18 years and only last year moved to the city, and his sudden death will be sincerely mourned as an upright man whose kind and agreeable personality won him friends wherever he went.

Mr. Leonard McAuley favored the company with a solo, "There's An Old Fashioned House in An Old Fashioned Town."

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Shediac, N. B., Feb. 11.—Quantities of the beautiful are in evidence on all sides, owing to the very heavy storm of Sunday last.

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Here's wishing a very happy birthday to all our friends during the coming year. Our list are the following: Francis Wandless, Fred...







THE WEATHER.

Toronto, Feb. 11.—The disturbance which was set Virginia last night is now centered near the Bay of Fundy as an important storm; pressure is also quite low in the West-ern Provinces. Light snow falls have occurred in South-ern and Eastern Ontario and Western Quebec, and snow is falling heavily in the Maritime Provinces accompanied by gales. The weather in the Western Provinces continues fine and exceptionally mild. St. John . . . 48 50 Vancouver . . . 48 50 Calgary . . . 18 24 Edmonton . . . 15 24 Medicine Hat . . . 30 32 Moose Jaw . . . 20 40 Saskatoon . . . 13 33 London . . . 23 31 Winnipeg . . . 22 35 Toronto . . . 28 29 Ottawa . . . 20 28 Montreal . . . 16 20 Quebec . . . 15 18 Halifax . . . 28 34 Below zero. Forecast Maritime—Strong winds and gales, northerly to north-west-erly, gradually clearing; not much change in temperature. Northern New England—Snow Saturday, Sunday cloudy, not much change in tempera- ture; northwest and west gales.

AROUND THE CITY

GOT MONEY BACK. Miss Della Publicover, who last her money in a pullman car about a week ago, had the amount returned to her yesterday as a result of the activities of Special Agent James Ryan. FORD FACTORY SITE. The Mayor and Commissioners yesterday visited the site of the proposed spur track on Albion street, asked for by the Ford Company, and will report at the committee meeting on Monday.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION. John Casey, of 192 St. James street, W. E., was reported in a critical condition last evening. Mr. Casey had the misfortune to lose his balance in the dark and fall down a flight of stairs in his home about a week ago. He suffered a fractured skull and his condition has been serious ever since. He was formerly dock hand and served for a time as mate on the ferry, but has been retired for the last three years.

BEAUTIFUL PICTURE. A private showing of a very beautiful picture was held last evening at the Vitagraph rooms when a number of persons saw the picturization of the famous horse story "Black Beauty," said to be the best life story of an animal ever written. The book is faithfully followed with an old-fashioned love story of human beings introduced. Members of the S.P.C. and other animal lovers were invited last evening by H. G. Romney, local manager of Vitagraph.

VALENTINE TEA. A successful Valentine Tea was held Thursday evening by the ladies of the St. Matthew's Sewing Circle in the church vestry. The tables were prettily decorated and the large number of present thoroughly enjoyed the good things provided. Mrs. A. Galbraith, president of the circle, and Mrs. H. Smith, vice president, were in charge and they were ably assisted by the following ladies: Mrs. D. B. McLean, Mrs. L. A. Colwell, Mrs. Coles, Mrs. Robert Elliott, Mrs. M. Burton, Mrs. T. Burr, Mrs. C. E. Stover, Mrs. Brooks, Miss L. Shroeder, Mrs. A. Nickerson and Miss A. Taylor.

St. John Play-Grounds Assn.

Boys' Club on City Road Under Discussion — Mothers' Pensions Endorsed.

President W. K. Halsey presided at the monthly meeting of the St. John Playgrounds Association, which was held at the Y.M.C.A. yesterday afternoon. A general discussion of the Boys Club on City road was taken up by the meeting, and A. M. Belding and Miss Heffer were appointed a committee to meet the executive of the East End Improvement League to consider matters concerning the Boys Club. The East End League have already shown a great interest in the club and assisted in many ways, in addition to giving a treat every month.

Miss Heffer, the club director, reported the usual activity for the month. A resolution submitted to the board by the Federation of Labor favoring legislation enacting mothers' pensions and a minimum wage for female labor, voted the approval of the meeting.

Ladies to represent the playgrounds association on the Women's Council were appointed before the meeting adjourned. FOR SATURDAY BUYERS. There are plenty of good opportunities here. Ready-made coats, suits and hats you'll find at pleasing prices and be assured the values are fully better than they will be later on. Men's shirts, business and dress, are selling at 20 per cent. discount. Neckties are down: \$1 ties now 67c; \$1.50 ties now 95c. Buy three at a time and you save a little more. You'll find it worth while to help us turn over all the stock we can this month. Gil-mour's, 68 King St.

Victoria's Ring Grand Carnival Tuesday next. Six prizes are offered and many new and fancy costumes are now being made ready. There will be a grand time for everybody.

MUNICIPAL FINANCE COMMITTEE DISCUSSES HOSPITAL NEEDS

Municipality Representatives Attended Meeting to be Shown Wherein the Needs of An Additional Wing Was Closed in Peace and Harmony With Nothing Accomplished.

The finance committee of the Municipality of St. John City and County, and the staff and commissioners of the General Public Hospital met at the hospital last night to discuss the needs and requirements of the hospital at the present time, and for years to come. Some time ago there was sent to the Municipality a set of resolutions setting forth what the staff and commissioners thought should be done to make the hospital meet the demands being made upon it by the public. These resolutions called for a new epidemic and an additional unit to provide a maternity wing, an outdoor department and a number of extra private rooms, Warden Bullock presided.

Commissioner Thornton started the ball rolling by saying that the municipality representatives were present for the purpose of finding out why additions to the hospital were required and to learn all they could in order to make the hospital meet the demands being made upon it by the public. These resolutions called for a new epidemic and an additional unit to provide a maternity wing, an outdoor department and a number of extra private rooms, Warden Bullock presided.

President Agor said the resolutions were sent as a result of deliberations the commissioners had with the hospital staff. Being close to the people suffering with disease, he said, they probably were better acquainted with what was needed. Health of the community should be of first consideration. In order to supply needs of public we are lacking in accommodation, he said. People of all classes are being turned away as there is not the room to provide the different branches of service required. We are, therefore, he said, forced to appeal to the municipality to provide what the public health demands. In the way of public welfare he did not know of any way that money can be better expended than by supplying the hospital requirements. The situation must be faced sooner or later, and might as well be grappled with now.

When the new home is finished, he said, there would be some extra space in the main building that could be utilized for more hospital room. But this will not be sufficient. A new epidemic was badly needed, he said, and should be provided before any extra wings are built.

The Mayor thought it was understood we knew all that was wanted, but he would like to know what proposition the staff has to make, then let's get down to ways and means of providing same. Dr. Curran said there is urgent need and great need of additional wing. Staff was unanimous that the thing needed was epidemic and an additional unit. All physicians were meeting many urgent cases with no place for them. Almost a tragedy existed on the outside today. Without beds available, he said, we cannot take care of patients. I am telling people to ring up Councilors and all and howl about lack of accommodations. Hospital is now caring for 1-3 more than it should. Admitting demand, we must admit we cannot do anything with general nurses home as it is thoroughly unsuited for purposes that will be required. The ground floor is needed for laboratory work and that alone.

There must be accommodation for all classes of people and we do not favor taking private rooms and turning them into wards. It could be done and provide 30 more beds. If you do this the public will cry out and make you do differently. If you just alter the present hospital to make these thirty extra beds then there will be a swift public demand for the private ones. The additional unit, which we ask, he said, will pay for itself, he was sure. The epidemic is urgent and so is the other. Both should be provided together and at once. The need of a maternity wing was discussed by Dr. Skinner. He said that the epidemic was not a fit place cases going there, and one going there was going at his own risk. The present epidemic should be stopped. Let's go at the requirements which the public is demanding in hospital facilities, he said.

Promises Made. Commissioner Thornton said they were told that with the building of the Nurses' Home that would provide for fifty extra beds for hospital cases. Now, he said, the staff says new units must be built. He said he couldn't quite understand where they were at. He thought the private rooms were not necessary. Dr. Rolley argued for the need of a maternity wing at the hospital. He thought the nurses' home building and heating plant were pushed along too soon. The hospital accommodation should have been cared for first. He didn't think proper consideration had been given the subject. The need of increased accommodation is imperative and must be considered at once. He pointed out that the building of the new unit was not alone for today but was making provision for the future. He emphasized the need of the epidemic and the need of rooms for private patients.

Mayor Starts Something. The Mayor said he expected to see here some plan or sketch for a building. He said other cities were just as hard pressed for hospitals as St. John. He suggested that the staff propose a plan of what they want, the revenue they expect from private rooms, etc. If the demand is here, he says, as has been pointed out, then show it so the municipality can know where it is at. He didn't think they should be pushed into the thing blindly.

Mr. Agar thought the new unit should not be treated as a commercial enterprise. He was not prepared to say that the new unit as proposed would be self-sustaining. He said the staff wanted the hospital fixed up for all classes of people. That could only be brought about by the erection of the new unit. The rooms in the present building must be utilized for other pressing work.

Responsibility on Municipality. Mr. Curran said he was telling everybody the responsibility for the situation today as with the municipality and he intended to tell it for all time until something was done to relieve the tension. The Mayor said he assumed no responsibility until a definite plan was laid down by the staff as to what was wanted.

Dr. Agor cleared the smoke by saying the new unit should be self-supporting. There was an outdoor department in connection, and a maternity wing, many of whose patients would not be pay patients. The private rooms, of course, would be self-supporting, but it could not be expected that the private patients would support the entire wing. He referred to a proposition put up to Dominion Government to capitalize a certain number of beds here for sailors. They agreed to do it, he says, but have never come across. Should they do it, it would be a big help to the institution. Today they are getting their work done for \$8,000.

He said the local government is not doing what it should be doing. They are giving \$3,000. If they can't do better than that, he thought it should be sent back to them and the hospital cut loose from the Government. Dr. Allingham asked whether the council admitted the need of extension, and was answered in the negative. He pointed out there should be at least 250 beds for the hospital, figuring on a minimum basis. Today there are 250 beds in the hospital. The facilities for catering to these 250 beds are inadequate. He said the staff had agreed that the extra unit or wing was an absolute necessity. He said the present Nurses' Home was impossible for hospital purposes and not to be considered. It is absolutely necessary, he said, that the new wing be built. The question to settle are needs of the community such as to require the new unit. If they are required then it is up to the council to act and act at once to fulfill the requirements.

Thought Council Slow

Dr. Roberts could not understand why the council had not been convinced of the need of further accommodations. The mayor's idea of places and a prospect of business he regarded as far-fetched. He said the nurses had been cared for by the providing of a beautiful home. We have the power and now, he thought, there should be provision made for the actual need, increased accommodation for 125 more patients. He said it was his opinion that provision should be made for all classes of people, and, therefore, private rooms ample to the requirements, be provided in the new wing. He said he believed a committee representing the municipality, hospital commission and staff should be appointed to get down to business and have a crystallized proposition for the council to act upon.

Not Convicted. Commissioner Thornton admitted he hadn't been convinced of any try- ing new wing. He said when funds were asked for in the building of a Nurses Home, the funds were granted on the statement that with the building of the home it would permit an additional 50 beds in the present home for hospital cases. With that promise ringing in his ears, he said, he could not understand why now the demand for the building of a new wing. There was nothing then said about the need of a maternity wing, or a Nurses' Home for hospital purposes.

Dr. Bentley read a list showing how he had been hampered in his work by not being able to get patients into the hospital, because of the crowded condition existing. As a result some of those patients had suffered. With the presentation of that list of patients who could not get accommodation, Dr. Bentley thought it sufficient proof of the need of a new wing.

Councillor Anderson felt things had been misrepresented to the municipality when the Nurses' Home was asked for. He certainly understood that with the building of the home it would make way for 50 more beds for the hospital. Now they tell us, he said, that a new wing must be built. He couldn't understand that way of doing business.

Same Old Story. Councillor O'Brien said the same old story of hospital needs had been told for seven years to his knowledge, and nothing had ever been done. He looked for some plan tonight to work up on, coming from the staff, but he hasn't seen it. Let the staff present something feasible and then the council could get down to business. He asked for someone to propose some thing council could go ahead and do something. The meeting adjourned in peace and harmony with nothing accomplished.

NOTICE

Tickets for the complimentary banquet to Charles Gorman on Feb. 15, under the auspices of the Commercial Club and Knights of Pythias, are procurable by members of the Commercial Club at the office of the club, 64 Prince William street, until Saturday noon, the 12th inst. After this date, tickets must be procured from committee. H. R. McLELLAN, Secretary.

Engineer Seeds 25th Anniversary

Oyster Supper and Presentation to S. T. Seeds at No. 1 Fire Station.

Samuel T. Seeds, engineer in No. 1 fire station, on Charlotte street, has completed twenty-five years of a faithful service in this capacity, and after looking after a steamer for that lengthy term of service, he is now in charge of the new electrical motor pumping and chemical engine No. 2, which is housed in "Ones." Engineer Seeds is a very popular fireman and the members of No. 1 company along with some friends took occasion to give him a genuine surprise at the station last evening.

There was a large number present and after all had done ample justice to a real oyster supper, J. S. Seaton, the chairman for the evening, called on Mr. Seeds and read the following address:

St. John, N. B., Feb. 11, 1921. Samuel T. Seeds, Engineer No. 1 Fire Station: Sir—We, the members and friends of No. 1 Fire Company, take this opportunity of expressing to you on your 25th anniversary as engineer in this station, our sincere appreciation of your efforts as a fireman and of your genial manner during that long period. As a small token of our esteem, we ask you to accept this case of pipes, and trust that you will be spared to enjoy the pleasure of smoking them for many years to come, and that every ring of smoke may remind you of one of your friends among the members and friends of No. 1 Company. We have chosen pipes as a most suitable token, for the reason that we recognize that since you have recently lost your old smoke wagon you had taken over an electrical apparatus, but must still smoke, you had better smoke here than in the here- after.

Sincerely yours, J. S. SEATON, For members and friends of No. 1 Company.

Mr. Seeds was taken by surprise, and in a brief address of thanks, he expressed his appreciation for the kind thoughts and present from the guests. Addresses of a complimentary nature and congratulatory were delivered by the chairman, Mr. Seaton, Joseph McAuley, an ex-member of the Bangor Fire Department; J. Corbett, Thos. McCallough, H. Atkinson, Chas. Ferry, George Hays and others, after which the party enjoyed music and games, and incidentally talked over old times in the fire department. The evening proved most enjoyable and the occasion was a most popular one.

Winter Picnic In Queen Sq. Church

Delightful Evening of Games Followed a Supper for the Sunday School.

Members of Queen Square Sunday school held a winter picnic last evening, meeting at 6.30 for supper which was served in the vestry rooms, about one hundred and fifty were present, all departments being represented with the exception of the primary department, which had a Christmas entertainment. R. D. Sims, superintendent of the school, presided at supper and the pastor, Rev. Nell McLaughlin asked the blessing. Mrs. Horace Emery and M. Lingley were general conveners for supper, the lady teachers assisting. After supper adjournment was made to the large school room where games were played for a short period.

The Evening Programme. L. V. Linsley then took the chair and the following programme was carried out: Playlet, C. G. I. T. girls classes, directed by Mrs. Horace Emery; vocal solo, Mrs. Cecil Mersereau; reading, Miss Bessie Thompson; vocal solo, Leslie Bewick; recitation, Norman Magnusson; Miss Hilda Rayworth was accompanist. The second half of the programme included acrobatic stunts by Charles Cromwell, races, boys and girls, tug-of-war, with suitable prizes awarded for each event.

Chambrays, Gingham, Voiles and Indianheads have arrived at F. A. Dykeman's.

These much wanted goods are awaiting your inspection. The prices, as will be seen by the following quotations, are much lower than last season. Now is the time to buy and make that pretty frock or blouse you will be needing for early Spring wear. Chambrays in Pink, Blue, Buff etc. 32c.

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