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BLACKHAND MURDERERS EXECUTED

One of Pair Confesses As He Goes to Death Chair

DUG GRAVE FIRST

Then They Killed Rent Collector—Police Captain Captured of Police is Probably Murdered

Danmore, N. Y., Jan. 6.—Dominick Ferrera and Vincent Leonardo, young Italians from Albany who murdered a rent collector at the behest of the blackhand, went to the electric chair in Clinton prison this morning. Just before he was strapped in the electrodes, Leonardo made a confession which substantiated the evidence of the Italian detective who had himself placed in a cell next to the accused men before their trial.

Leonardo said that he and Ferrera had been selected by the blackhand to dispose of the rent collector, Phelps. First they dug a grave under the floor of Phelps' favorite saloon and then while he was drinking they suddenly attacked him. Leonardo declares that his companion did the actual stabbing with a sharpened file which was afterwards found in the room of one of the accused. Being unusually large and powerful, Phelps threw off the assailants and staggered out to the street. He died later with half a dozen stab wounds in his head and body.

Both men were calm and nothing occurred to interfere with the electrocutions. Duluth, Minn., Jan. 6.—Two armed bandits entered a Superior-Duluth car near the interstate bridge, Duluth early this morning and held up the passengers and crew. Policemen Chase on his way to work, boarded the car, not knowing the bandits were at work and the shot and instantly killed. The robbers escaped but are being pursued by men in automobiles.

Spokane, Wn., Jan. 6.—Vigorous search is being made here for some clue to the identity of the would-be assassin who last night shot and fatally injured Police Captain John Sullivan. Sullivan's assailant fired through the window of the captain's home where he was seated reading a paper. Sullivan was taken to a hospital. He cannot recover.

He was formerly chief of police here and is well known throughout the northwest. The police are looking for a convict who had been captured and convicted for robbery was brought about by Captain Sullivan and who was recently paroled against the vigorous opposition of the captain. He is alleged to have declared that he would "kill" Sullivan.

HAVE RUSSIA AND GERMANY ENTERED INTO AGREEMENT?

(Associated Press.)

London, Jan. 6.—An evening paper publishes what purports to be the text of an agreement between Russia and Germany on Persian affairs, and supposed to be a result of the meeting of Emperor Wilhelm and Emperor Nicholas at Potsdam last November.

According to the text printed, Germany declines any political interest in Persia, and recognizes Russia's interests in Northern Persia. Russia agrees to co-operate in building the long proposed Bagdad Railway, and its branches, and to give German commerce in Persia equality of treatment.

This important pact quite likely will be resented by Great Britain and France as disloyalty on Russia's part, to their entente.

The sequel of the visit of the Russian monarch to Germany has been anticipated jealously in England, where it was believed that the too cordial relations between Germany and Russia would be found to have been followed by a better understanding possibly to the disadvantage of Great Britain.

THE SCOTSMEN'S VISIT TO THE HOME LAND

Glasgow, Jan. 6.—Scotland is being visited by 3000 Canadian and American Scots according to the Herald of this city, which says that the movement originated at a series of home-coming, or reunion, held in Canada in the summer of 1909, and the idea of a visit to Scotland was taken up with much enthusiasm throughout the dominion and in the states.

At a meeting in Detroit in July an international committee composed of Scotsmen was formed to carry out the project. Two of the Allan line steamers—the Gram pian and the Hesperian—have been chartered, and the large party will embark on those vessels at Montreal, arriving at Glasgow in July.

It is expected that the Glasgow corporation will officially welcome the visitors. Among the places included in the itinerary are Arr. Strirling, Bannockburn, Loch Lomond and the Trossachs, Edinburgh and Inverness.

Air town council will officially welcome the visit, and it is probable that other towns will also do so. The trip coincides with the Scottish National exhibition.

TWO WERE KILLED

Railwaymen Die in Collision of Trains—Wreckage Takes Fire

Mulvane, Kans., Jan. 6.—The northbound passenger train No. 18 on the Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, was wrecked on a curve near here last night. A freight train was trying to make a siding in the Mulvane yards when the heavy passenger, drawn by two engines, ran into its rear. The passenger was going about fifty miles an hour, and because of the curve the engineer did not see the lights of the freight until almost on it.

Fireman Zeinmeister and Engineer Shields were killed. No passengers were hurt. The wreckage took fire and three baggage and mail cars were burned, but the contents were saved.

CANBERRA IS TO BE AUSTRALIA'S CAPITAL

Washington, Jan. 6.—Architects and landscape artists from practically every section of the world will be invited to submit designs for the new capital city of the Commonwealth of Australia, according to a dispatch from Canberra, New South Wales, as the site. It probably will be some distance from the actual building operations are commenced.

The government already has appropriated \$250,000 for initial preparatory work.

SPOKANE TO BE RULED BY COMMISSION

Hundred Candidates for Five Positions Under New Charter—Election Will Be Held on March 7

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 6.—There will be more than 100 candidates, including Mayor Nelson S. Pratt, J. Oscar Peterson, city treasurer; George W. Armstrong, president of the board of public works; E. V. Lambert, president of the city council; Charles M. Passett, president of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce; nine members of the city council, and bankers, merchants and tradesmen, for five commission ships under the new charter, which is carried by a majority of 2,223.

The election will take place on March 7, the commission taking charge of the city's affairs as soon as the vote is certified. The salary is \$6,000 a year and three of the commissioners are for terms of four years.

The charter provides for first, second and third choices, which give promise of complicating matters to make it one of the most spectacular campaigns in the history of the northwest. Charles W. Fleming, city clerk, announces that any person may become a candidate by obtaining the names of twenty-five bona fide electors. There is no charge for filing.

EARL GREY TO ARCTIC AT TIME OF CORONATION

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—(Special)—It is reported that Earl Grey will not attend the coronation but instead will start for the Arctic Ocean on his proposed long trip down the Mackenzie River in June when the coronation is being held. It is not usual for the British authorities to invite governors-general to coronations and it is understood that there will be no special invitation for Earl Grey on this occasion.

The naval college at Halifax will be opened on January 18.

HIGH PRICES BLOW TO POOR

Thousands of New York Families in Condition Far Below Normal

New York, Jan. 6.—According to the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor the cost of living for the poor in New York has increased about 10 per cent.

This has been determined by a comparison and by statistics presented last night by the association to the board of directors of the association. Some of the statistics are as follows: The cost of foodstuffs increased by about 15 per cent, the number of patients and the dietary remaining about the same.

It is also set forth in the report that although industrial and financial conditions have gradually improved until the city has reached normal opportunities for employment, thousands of families are still away below the normal conditions.

This is accounted for in a statement by R. Fulton Cutting, president of the association, who said that the city has been hit by the slowness with which the poor recover from industrial depression.

"At the beginning of the year," says Mr. Cutting, "it was hoped that improvement in industrial conditions would lighten the association's task of ministering to the needs of the poor. The year has been full of disappointments, and the number of families applying to us for aid during the last twelve months has been less than 10 per cent. below that of the year before, while the number for whom we were obliged to provide the necessities of life was less than 5 per cent. below that of 1909."

CANNOT AGREE ABOUT JOHNSON'S SPARKLER

Chicago, Jan. 6.—The person who owns the diamond ring possessed by Jack Johnson and claimed by George W. Little, his former manager, and over which the two men have been quarrelling for several months, still is a mystery. A jury who heard testimony in the trial of the case before Judge Goodnow in the municipal court, reported yesterday that they could not agree. They were discharged.

Jersey City, N. J., Jan. 6.—Eleven persons were injured today when a Pennsylvania accommodation train from Perth, Amboy, N. J., crashed into the rear of a standing Lehigh Valley train in the terminal station here.

UNCLE SAM READY WITH PROPOSALS TO CANADA

ONE ST. JOHN FIRM LOST THROUGH HIM

Some Particulars of Lumber Dealings With Man Now Under Arrest in Boston Are Learned of

There is at least one St. John lumber firm among the maritime province people reported out of pocket as a consequence of business transaction with William W. Wheatley of Worcester, Mass., arrested by United States government officials in Boston yesterday. It is alleged he offered inducements for shipments of produce and lumber from these provinces by fraudulent representations. The practice reported was, after receiving the shipment, to take the goods to a place in good condition and to refuse to pay for them while at the same time he realized on the shipment.

The man under arrest, it is learned from the St. John people who had brief experience with him, gave the impression by his pretentious letter heads, that his business was of large connections and of years' standing. He gave out that he was a dealer in hay, oats, feed, produce, coal and lumber, and had offices in Lawrence and Winchester. He sent out circulars requesting quotations.

After some correspondence a car of lumber was shipped by the local house, as a trial shipment to be followed by two other cars. As was the practice a right draft, however, was returned by Wheatley who asked the privilege of examining the car. The matter was placed in the hands of solicitors by the St. John firm and later Wheatley wrote that the lumber was not as represented and offered half price for it in settlement. Rather than have any further trouble this was accepted. In the meantime the other cars had gone forward, one arriving in Boston and the other reaching Montreal. That shipped to Boston was disposed of by them and the other stopped at Montreal.

Another feature of the affair is that the car of the first shipment were broken, and it was for this reason more than any other that it was sold at half price. As a result of this a claim was put in by the local firm with the C. P. and it is understood that they are taking this up with the Boston & Maine road. It is understood that the latter company's lawyer today, said that they had come to light.

The Thomas & Nelson Lumber Company also received Wheatley's circulars but they did not do business except through their agent in the city. It was said that the United Bank of Halifax shipped to the Winchester man, but Roy Smith, the manager of the bank, said today that this was not so. From what can be learned many small shipwrecks which furnish thousands of poor goods to Wheatley.

NEW RAILROAD FROM BANGOR TO HOULTON

Charter Sought for Line That Will Shorten Journey by Thirty-Five Miles

Augusta, Me., Jan. 6.—A new railroad scheme is to come before the present session of the legislature with a request for a charter. The charter asked for will be for the Eastern Maine railroad and will contemplate a direct line from Bangor to Houlton, a distance of 108 miles, there being a detour of 145 miles by the present route. The line would pass through the town of Bangor according to present connections by about 35 miles. Hon. A. L. Lambert, president of the International Mercantile Company in a letter to the governor, says that the line is of great importance to the capitalists who are interested in the building of the road. A survey has already been made.

This route will open a section of Maine that is bound to be opened as a railroad for the Eastern Maine railroad and will give a large amount of business to the railroad and will also be open for development. It will meet the Maine Central at Brewer with terminal facilities in the union station at Bangor.

NEW YORK FIRE TIES UP THE ELEVATED

New York, Jan. 6.—Fire in a six story factory building in Wooster street this morning, devoured material estimated to be worth \$100,000 and tied up the Sixth avenue elevated railroad for more than two hours during the busy time.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Times' Gallery of Men and Women of Prominence

The Women's Council will meet next week to discuss the matter of a patrol wagon for the police department. Some time ago the women sent a communication to the council stating that they would assist the council in financing such an undertaking.

Mrs. David McLellan, president of the Women's Council, said this morning that the statement that the women would provide a wagon was incorrect. They had offered to assist and a meeting would be held next week to decide to what extent they could help. Mrs. McLellan was much pleased to see that the safety board had included \$1,000 in the estimates for the upkeep of a patrol wagon.

R. Forget of Montreal

Just returned from Paris, he says that Canadian industries are attracting French capital. Mr. Forget is vice-president of the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Co., and M. P. for Charlevoix.

Get Good Battle

San Francisco, Jan. 6.—Bing Bodie, outfielder of the San Francisco Club, has signed with the Chicago Americans for 1911. Bodie won a reputation last season by his ability to knock out home runs.

Washington Despatch Says Reciprocity Meeting Will Get Quickly To Business

President Taft Aims at More Than Hushing Up Cry on Lumber, Pulp and Print Paper Items—Some Matters in the Mission of Minister of Marine to Washington

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The Globe special from Washington says with reference to the reciprocity commissioners' meeting, it can now be stated without hesitancy, that the meeting will be held in the city of the United States and Canada, in preparing to make to the Canadian visitors definite proposals looking to the lowering of the tariff wall between the two contiguous territories. It is also prepared to receive definite proposals from Canada.

"No time will be wasted in generalities and officials here are convinced that the first proposals of the two sets of negotiators are near enough together to promise early agreement."

"It is understood that settlement hinges not alone on duties on raw materials, lumber, coal and the like but on manufactured products also. Stress has been laid on the duty on lumber and woodpulp and print paper levied by the United States and Mr. Taft aims at more than hushing the cry on these particular items."

The Globe's Ottawa special says the minister of marine, while in Washington, will take up with the United States authorities several matters affecting the carrying out of the new uniform national fishery regulations and marine and navigation interests in the boundary waters. It is understood also that he will make some representations at Washington with a view to ascertaining an understanding with the American government as to the mutual action of the United States and Canada in preventing any private interests from securing power rights on international streams which might prejudicially affect the public or navigation interests of either country.

This will apply especially to a bill now before congress relative to the project of a private company which seeks authority to dam the St. Lawrence for power purposes at Long Sault Rapids. Sir A. Aylesworth, the despatch further says, will endeavor against the St. Peter's dam in American government looking to final settlement of pecuniary claims of several Canadian citizens against the United States as referred to in the treaty of two years ago.

NEW YORK PIERS TOO SHORT FOR NEW LINERS

Titanic and Olympic Will Stick Out Sixty Feet Into the River

New York, Jan. 6.—The pier head line established in New York harbor by the war department has been outgrown by modern ocean liners. Unless the government consents to a lengthening of the docks beyond the line, the latest additions to the transatlantic fleet, the Titanic and Olympic of the White Star fleet will stick out into the harbor sixty feet or more as they lie in their berths.

The attention of the department is called to the fact by P. A. S. Franklin, vice-president of the International Mercantile Company in a letter to the secretary of the navy. The Titanic will arrive here on her maiden voyage this spring. The company's longest pier is 835 feet in length, while the latest six feet of the steamer will leave sixty feet of the steamer's bows in the harbor. Permission is asked to lengthen the piers 100 feet, but hitherto the government has been inclined to hold that the North River is crowded enough already.

DRIVE OUT BIG EMPLOYERS OF LABOR

Anti-German Feeling Held Responsible for the Expulsion

Berlin, Jan. 6.—A news despatch from Strassburg says that three brothers, composing the firm of Dewendell & Company, proprietors of one of the largest iron works in Germany, employing 30,000 men, have been expelled from Alsace-Lorraine.

The reasons are not revealed, but presumably they were due to the alleged anti-German agitation of the Dewendells, who are an old and prominent French family. A fourth brother is a member of the Reichstag and of the Council of State of Alsace-Lorraine.

ANARCHISTS' GUNS BETTER THAN THOSE USED BY POLICE

London, Jan. 6.—The inquest into the death of the two outlaws killed while resisting the police in their Sydney street home on Tuesday, began today. The testimony showed that soldiers were summoned by the commissioner of police because the anarchists' revolvers were so superior to the weapons of the police, and that less than fifty police officers participated in the siege, the remainder being required to deal with the crowds.

The examination developed that one of the men was shot by the police or soldiers, while the other probably died from suffocation.

The inquest was adjourned till Monday.

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THE TIMES' NEW REPORTER

Mr. HENRY is a BURGLED. When The Times new reporter asked Mr. Peter Binks this morning if he was in favor of a radical change in the system of city government in St. John, Mr. Binks seized the young man, backed him against a post and said—

"Young man," the present system of city government is bad, but if you changed it you would get a worse one."

"The people," then, are not fit for self-government," suggested the new reporter. "Is that your view?"

"The people," said Mr. Binks, "don't know what they want. They are not to be trusted. They must have a few men like myself to keep them quiet, and to warn them against rushing into changes of any sort."

"You are satisfied, then," said the new reporter, "with the system in which you are now conducted?"

"Well," cautiously observed Mr. Binks, "I wouldn't say that No—I would say that together say that. But there must be no change. We must get along as we are."

"Wouldn't you favor the extension of business principles to civic affairs?"

"Never!" cried Mr. Binks. "Business is

FIGHT FOR WATERWAYS—MONEY IS ON

Action by Alberta Government Against Banks Begun in Edmonton—Report Connects the Name of J. P. Morgan

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 6.—The fight for \$7,400,000 of Alberta & Great Waterways monies deposited in the Royal, Union and Dominion banks is now on. An appearance to the action brought by the Alberta government against the banks to compel payment of the monies was entered by Dawson Hyndman & Hyndman, on behalf of the Royal Bank and by J. E. Wallbridge acting for the Dominion bank. The Union Bank are pursuing a different course. They apparently intend to pay the \$1,000,000 on deposit with them into court withdrawal from the dispute and let the claimants fight it out among themselves.

They were granted a chamber summons calling upon the parties interested to appear before Mr. Justice Deck in chambers on January 27, and put forward their claims in support of the application.

According to Montreal despatches J. Pierpont Morgan may be drawn into the dispute.

TROUBLE IN HOCKEY RANKS

Three of Chatham Men, Now Here, Under M.P.A.A.A. Inquiry and Wires are Working

With the arrival of the Chatham hockey team of the N. B. H. L. to play the St. Johns tonight, came trouble a plenty, for A. W. Covey, one of the M.P.A.A.A. committee, held up three of the visitors, who, he says, are under the ban for playing against the St. Peter's hall team in Chatham last summer. The men are: Welling, Stinnett, and McLean.

Mr. Covey is in communication with L. B. MacMillan of Charlottetown, secretary of the M.P.A.A.A., in the matter, and it was said that an endeavor will be made to get permission to play the game tonight under protest.

The Sussex team for playing with Chatham last night, are now under suspension.

REGISTERED MAIL STOLEN

Sacks With Contents Valued at \$50,000, Taken in San Francisco

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 6.—Three bags of registered mail with contents valued at \$50,000, have been stolen during the last few days in San Francisco or on the journey across the harbor to Oakland, according to the Call.

"The stolen sacks," the Call says, "contained late Christmas shipments and money orders, drafts, checks and currency forwarded by local banks to close their year's accounts in the east and northwest. The loss will fall most heavily on the banks."

SEEKING CLERGYMEN FOR WESTERN CANADA

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 6.—Canon Jeffrey will leave on Saturday for England via Montreal and Halifax in the interest of the Church of England in the west in connection with the Colonial and Continental Missionary Society and to induce suitable young men to enter the mission field in the west.

REPAIRING CABLES

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 6.—(Special)—The steamer Grenada, under command of Capt. A. Lange, London; Miss Macdonald, Mid-disborough; J. D. McGruer, Miss S. K. Mitchell, Mr. J. Murray, Henry Pearce, Mrs. Pearce, Miss M. Pearce, Miss P. Pearce, Mrs. Agnes Pickering, A. E. Pileton, London; Miss L. Richardson, Leeds; F. W. Saller, Loughborough; R. Sanby, Nottingham; J. H. Shaw, Montreal; H. T. Shaw, Southampton; Dr. W. Stickey, Rutland, N. Y.; Gordon Strachy, Jr., Mrs. Strachy, Montreal; Miss Violet Trelawney, London; Prof. Swale Vincent, West Bromwich; A. E. Littleton, London; P. Glickman, Montreal; R. S. Farlen, London; C. W. Robinson, Moncton.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

Lyons, France, Jan. 6.—The Archbishop of Lyons today issued a diocesan decree forbidding Catholics reading four Republican newspapers published in the diocese and declaring the reading of the papers a sin.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 6.—Fire in the packing room of the Kansas City Bolt and Nut Works today did damage of \$200,000.

Minneapolis, Jan. 6.—An explosion today wrecked the East side power plant of the Minneapolis General Electric Company. Two men were seriously injured. The city is temporarily without electric current.

London, Jan. 6.—Word was received today that the aviator's cap and glasses picked up in the North Sea, have been identified as those worn by Cecil Grace.

SASKATCHEWAN TO HAVE A COMPENSATION ACT

Regina, Sask., Jan. 6.—Speaking at opening of new Liberal Club rooms Wednesday night, Premier Scott referred to the intention of the attorney general to introduce a compensation bill which will have embodied in it the principle that workmen who suffer from accident shall be assured of a certain amount of compensation without being obliged to find a remedy in courts.

MAY CLOSE HOTEL IN CAPITAL

This is Report in Connection With Windsor Hall, Fredericton

GAS TURNED OFF

Lighting Company Took Action for Non-payment of Bill—Arrests for Drunkenness in Year Numbered 183—Miramichi Pulp Co.

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 6.—(Special)—Windsor Hall, the leading temperance hotel in the city is likely to be closed in a few days. Proprietor Hart recently went away, and George McEwen is now managing it for the owner, E. S. Murray of St. John. This week the gas light company turned off the lights for non-payment and the boarders have since been going to bed in darkness. Recently the hall levied on the furniture for rent. A Scott Act case against Harvey Hanson was dismissed in the police court today for want of evidence.

Judge Barry, in chambers this afternoon, will receive the report of the temporary liquidator in the case of the Miramichi Pulp & Paper Company, and appoint a permanent liquidator.

There were 383 cases disposed of in the Fredericton police court last year. The number of arrests for drunkenness was 143.

The case of Kennedy vs. Gorman is still going on before Judge White in circuit. There is some talk of the jury taking a trip to Cape to inspect the lake in dispute.

TO PROTECT FARMERS FROM LOSSES IN THE SALE OF CHEESE

Dairymen's Association in Perth Passes Resolution for Legislation

Perth, Ont., Jan. 6.—Last night the convention of the Eastern Dairymen's Association closed the second day of a series of most interesting meetings.

A feature was the unanimous carrying of a resolution regarding the payment for cheese.

Many Montreal firms engaged in the purchase and sale of cheese have failed within the last few years, causing serious losses to farmers and other cheese makers. A resolution was passed, it recommended legislation making it compulsory for cheese buyers to furnish a bond to guarantee payment for such purchases.

EMPEROR OF BRITAIN IS AT THE POINT

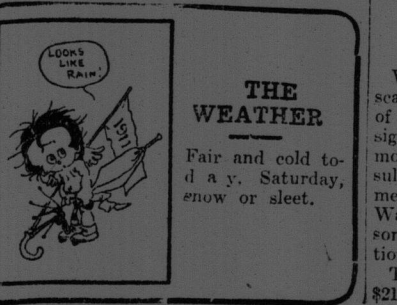
C. P. R. steamer Empress of Britain, Capt. Murray, arrived in St. John, N. B., about 2 o'clock, from Liverpool via Halifax. She brought to Halifax 331 passengers, as follows:—Mrs. A. M. de Beck, Mrs. de Beck, second cabin, and 313 steerage. A few disembarked at Halifax, among the number being Donald Macdonald, Mr. Brindle, P. formerly a resident of Montreal. Geo. McL. Brown, the C. P. R.'s English representative, is among the passengers to this city, and goes through to Montreal. Take in an Empress.

The following saloon passengers came on the steamship, due here tomorrow—John Armitage, Mrs. Armitage, Newton Stoddart, W. B. A. M. de Beck, Mrs. de Beck, Paris; Hamilton Benn, M. P. London, Eng.; W. Bovey, Mrs. Bovey, Montreal; Geo. McL. Brown, Mrs. Brown, London; E. J. H. Cordell, Vancouver; R. E. Clouston, Montreal; Mrs. E. Duff, A. P. Green, London; S. Johnson, Mrs. Johnson, Capt. A. R. Jones, Mrs. Jones, James Jones, Vancouver; Mrs. A. M. de Beck, A. Lange, London; Miss Macdonald, Mid-disborough; J. D. McGruer, Miss S. K. Mitchell, Mr. J. Murray, Henry Pearce, Mrs. Pearce, Miss M. Pearce, Miss P. Pearce, Mrs. Agnes Pickering, A. E. Pileton, London; Miss L. Richardson, Leeds; F. W. Saller, Loughborough; R. Sanby, Nottingham; J. H. Shaw, Montreal; H. T. Shaw, Southampton; Dr. W. Stickey, Rutland, N. Y.; Gordon Strachy, Jr., Mrs. Strachy, Montreal; Miss Violet Trelawney, London; Prof. Swale Vincent, West Bromwich; A. E. Littleton, London; P. Glickman, Montreal; R. S. Farlen, London; C. W. Robinson, Moncton.

BOY OF FOURTEEN HOLDS UP WOMAN AT REVOLVER POINT

Boston, Jan. 6.—(Special)—Charged with holding up Miss Ellen McCalla at the point of a revolver in Winchester last night and robbing her, Paul Boyce, fourteen years old, was held for further hearing today.

Boyce is the boy who robbed numerous places in Digby and vicinity including a Dominion Atlantic Railway station at a summer house. He was arrested at Bear River, but escaped from the home for feeble minded some time before he was placed on probation. He will be sent to a similar place.



THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N.B., FRIDAY, JANUARY 6, 1911

OUR ANNUAL AFTER STOCK-TAKING SALE OF MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING and FURNISHINGS

Will Open Tomorrow, Saturday Morning, at 8 O'clock With a
GREAT BARGAIN BROADSIDE

Come and enjoy mixing with the bargain throngs on the opening day and save your hard earned dollars. We have cut the prices of piles of seasonable merchandise so that every dollar bill will appear to be of twice its ordinary value at this Grand Bargain Feast.

It is such sales as this that keep us pre-eminent in the clothing business, keeps our stocks fresh and attractive and our styles up to fashion's latest edicts. This is a glorious opportunity for you to secure the best grade of goods at very little money. We make mention of only a few of the bargains, but the store is running over with them.

THE STORE IS CLOSED TODAY TO ENABLE US TO GET THE STOCK IN SHAPE FOR THIS SALE

Men's Clothing

OVERCOATS

50 Fancy and Plain Tweed Overcoats, with velvet collars. All sizes in the lot. Regular \$15.00 and \$18.00 Coats, Sale price, each \$8.00

Black Frieze Overcoats, regular \$8.50, Sale price \$6.49

Heavy Tweed "Prussian" Overcoats, nice color effects, regular \$10.00, Sale price \$6.98

OVERCOATS

\$12.00 Tweed Overcoats, "Prussian" style, Now \$8.00

\$15.00 "Prussian" Overcoats, made of fancy tweeds, Now \$9.60

\$16.50 "Prussian" Overcoats, Now \$12.00

\$20.00 Tweed "Prussian" Overcoats, Now \$14.40

MEN'S PANTS

\$1.50 Tweed Pants, Now \$1.00
2.00 Tweed Pants, Now 1.25
2.50 Tweed Pants, Now 1.50
3.00 Tweed Pants, Now 2.00

MEN'S SUITS

Mixed Tweed Suits, regular \$12.00, Sale price \$8.00

Fancy Tweed Suits, regular \$15.00, Sale price \$9.60

Boys' Clothing

TWO-PIECE SUITS

Ages 4 to 14 years.

\$2.00 Tweed Suits, For \$1.50
3.50 Tweed Suits, For 2.00
4.50 Tweed Suits, For 2.50

THREE-PIECE SUITS

Ages 10 to 15 years.

\$6.00 Suits, For \$3.50
6.50 Suits, For 3.75
7.50 Suits, For 4.00

BOYS' REEFERS

Boys' Blue, Nap and Grey Reefers, regular \$4.50, Sale price \$2.70

JOVERCOATS

Boys' Tweed Overcoats, ages 9 to 16 years.

\$6.25 Overcoats, For \$3.00
7.50 Overcoats, For 3.50
9.00 Overcoats, For 4.00

Boys' Fancy Overcoats, ages 4 to 8 years.

\$4.00 Coats, Now \$2.50
5.50 Coats, Now 3.50
6.75 Coats, Now 4.00

BOYS' PANTS

\$0.75 Tweed Pants, For \$0.50
1.00 Tweed Pants, For 0.75
1.25 Tweed Pants, For 0.85
1.35 Tweed Pants, For 1.00

Look at These Prices on High Class Furnishings and Then Keep
Keep Your Money in Your Purse--If You Can

GLOVES

Men's Lined Mocha Gloves, regular \$1.00, Sale price, pair 67c.

Dent's Pure English Wool Gloves, regular 75c value, Sale price, pair 49c.

BRACES

Men's Heavy Working Braces, English makes; also the Police Braces, regular 25c and 30c, Sale price, pair 19c.

HANDKERCHIEFS

Men's White Handkerchiefs, with corded edge, Sale price 25c.

Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs, hemstitched border, Sale price, dozen 69c.

UNDERWEAR

Ellis Spring Needle Wool Underwear, unshrinkable, Sale price, garment 69c.

Boys' Shetland Wool Underwear, all sizes, regular 50c. value, Sale price, garment 29c.

"Stanfield's," "Henson's" and "Eureka" Pure Wool Unshrinkable Underwear, Only, garment 89c.

UMBRELLAS

Good Strong Umbrellas, just the thing for the children going to school, Only, each 49c.

CAPS

Warm Winter Caps, for Men and Boys, Only, each 49c.

SWEATERS

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CANADIAN CLUB

Prof. Grant of Queens University, gave a highly instructive address before the Canadian Club last evening, taking for his subject "Canadian Ideals and the Canadian Navy." M. E. Agar, president of the club, presided.

Prof. Grant summed up his address under two heads:

1. The building of a good citizenship, and its protection.
2. The building of Canada that will endure, but when the time does come, if it must, a Canada that will be willing to die.

He paid a tribute to the Hon. Joseph Howe and others of Nova Scotia and complimented New Brunswick on being the birthplace of his favorite poet, Charles G. D. Roberts.

President Agar conveyed the thanks and hearty appreciation of the Canadian Club to Prof. Grant for his excellent and interesting address.

FAMOUS GEMS OF PROSE

NAVIGABLE STREAMS AS WORLD CIVILIZERS

By Cushman K. Davis

From a speech on "Improvements in St. Mary's River," in the U. S. senate, January 9, 1890.

THE discovery of the construction of new maritime routes has often changed the orbits of commerce, has exalted or depressed nations, and has crushed trading and carrying monopolies.

The discovery of the way to Asia by the Cape of Good Hope destroyed the overland trade with the east, annihilated the commercial and political ascendancy of Venice, introduced the products of Europe into regions so remote that they were known only by the fables of travellers, and imposed upon India the dominion of a European power.

The immediate effect of the first operations of the Erie canal was to expand the settled area of the United States over a region larger than the original 13 states of the union. The construction of the Suez canal affected another revolution. Commerce abandoned the passage by the Cape of Good Hope. It assured the perpetuation of India of the imperial system of England. It enforced the threat of Disraeli that he would marshal the Sepoy on the fields of European war. It subdued the eastern coast of Africa so that Stanley on arriving at Zanzibar stood within the outlook of civilization.

The genius of De Lesseps was thwarted by the obstacles that nature reared against it upon the isthmus of Panama, but the loss of hundreds of millions of treasure, of the subsidy of all France, in that stupendous failure, taught everyone by the magnitude of the catastrophe the supreme importance of the conception. At this moment American genius and enterprise are at work upon a more feasible undertaking, and the completion of the Panama canal will create a new commerce than has ever been accomplished by any similar work of man. Navigable streams are so vital to nations that they often produce civilization. They always make it possible and always infinitely extend it. The oldest civilization of the world was the gift of the Nile. The new civilization of Africa will be the gift of the Congo. The vital are the great streams felt to be by human instinct that the decisive battles for empire are almost invariably fought in their valleys. Man, as a fighting animal, instinctively attacks and defends them. They are the strategic lines of war and peace.

The forces of the union were the armies of the Potomac, of the James, of the Tennessee, of the Cumberland, of the Ohio. No substitute for the waterways has ever been able to annul their political and commercial importance. The railways have not done it. The Mississippi river is paralleled by them from St. Paul to the Gulf of Mexico. The steamboat has, it is true, largely supplanted a thing of the past, and yet the fact that there is no other mode of transport of bulk commodities or other contrivance has ever been able to control. And when the commercial relations of the northwest with the states of the lower Mississippi and of the Gulf become those of a more frequent and direct interchange of productions, as they surely will, the Mississippi and the Missouri rivers, which run through zones of different productions, will resume all their former importance.

THE DE BERCY AFFAIR

By GORDON HOLMES

Author of "A Mysterious Disappearance," "By Force of Circumstances," etc. (Copyright by McLeod & Allen, Toronto)

CHAPTER III—(Continued.)

Then he saw clearly two things—Rose de Bercy had willfully misled him as to her past life, and he was now regarded by the public as her probable betrayer. There was no blinking the fact. He had almost committed the imprudence of marrying a woman unworthy of an honorable man's love, and, as if each folly called for another punishment, he must now under the gravest suspicion until her elation was discovered and brought to justice.

Rupert Osborne's lot had hitherto been cast in pleasant places, but now he was face to face with a crisis, and it remained to be seen if the force that had kept three generations of ancestors in the front of the strenuous commercial world of Wall Street had weakened or wholly vanished in the person of their descendant.

At any rate, he did not flinch, from the drab-reality of fact. He read on, striving to be candid as to the meanings and impartial in weighing them.

At the end of the evidence were two paragraphs setting forth the newspaper's own researches. The first of these ran:

"Our correspondent at St. Heliers has ascertained that the father and sister of the deceased will leave the island by to-day's mail steamer for the double purpose of identifying their relative and attending the funeral. There can be no question that their first sad task will be in the nature of a formality. They both admit that Rose de Bercy was none other than Mirabel Armand, Mademoiselle Marguerite Armand, indeed, bears a striking resemblance to her wayward sister, while Monsieur Armand, though crippled with tail and crumple, shows the same facial characteristics that are so marked in his two daughters. The family never revealed to their neighbors in the village any knowledge of Mirabel's whereabouts. After her disappearance eight years ago her name was seldom, if ever, mentioned to any of their friends, and their obvious wishes in the matter soon came to be expected by would-be sympathizers. It is certain, however, that Marguerite, on one occasion, dared her father's anger and went to Paris to plead with her sister and endeavor to bring her home. She failed, as might be expected, since Rose de Bercy was then attaining the summit of her ambition by playing a small part in a play at the Gymnase, though at that period no one in Paris was able to foresee the remarkable success she was destined to achieve on the stage."

Each word cut like a knife. The printed statements were cruel, but the inference were far worse. Rupert felt sick at heart, nevertheless he compelled himself to gather the sense of the next paragraph. It was a favorite rose of Mademoiselle de Bercy—using the name by which the dead actress was best known—to describe herself as an Anarchist. It is certain that she attended several Anarchist meetings in Paris, probably for amusement or for good terms with his host.

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and in this connection it is a somewhat singular coincidence that Detective-Inspector Clarke, who was mentioned on Wednesday as being in charge of the police investigations into the murder, should have arrested two notorious Anarchists shortly before the year passed that was on route to the Guildhall. The two men, to their identity, were said to be no other than Emile Janco and Antoine Descares, both well-known French revolutionaries. They were brought before the Extradition Court, and ordered to be deported, the specific charge against them being the carrying of fire-arms without a license. It was stated that on each man was found an unloaded revolver."

So far as Rupert could judge, the newspaper was merely pandering to the craze for sensationalism in bracketing Rose de Bercy with a couple of unwashed scoundrels from Montmartre. On one occasion, indeed, she had mentioned to him her visits to an Anarchist club; but his object was patent when she exhibited a collection of photographs and laudatory press notices of herself in the stage part of a Russian lady of high rank who was quailed as a terrorist in order to save her lover from assassination.

"It would have been only fair," he growled savagely, "if the fellow who is raking up her past so assiduously had placed on record her appearance on the stage as Marie Dukarova. And who is this detective who made the arrests? Clarke was not the name of the man I met yesterday."

Then he groaned. His glance had just caught a detailed description of himself, his tastes, his family history, and his wealth. It was recklessly accurate and not unkindly in tone, but it grated terribly at the moment, and in sheer desperation of spirit he crushed the newspaper in his clenched hands.

At that instant his man entered. Even the quietest and most impenetrable of Jenkins spoke in an awed tone when he announced:

"Yard, wishes to see you, sir."

"Very well, show him in; and don't be scared, Jenkins. He will not arrest you." Rupert must have been stung beyond endurance before he would fling such a taunt at his faithful servant, Jenkins, at a loss for a disclaimer, glanced reproachfully at the table.

"You have hardly eaten a morsel, sir," he said. "Shall I bring some fresh coffee and an egg?"

Then Rupert laughed grimly.

"Wait till I have seen Mr. Winter," he said. "Perhaps he may join me. If he refuses, Jenkins, be prepared for the worst."

But the Chief Inspector did not refuse. He admitted that coffee-drinking and smoking were his pastimes, and his breezy cheerfulness at once established him as a professional study of an interesting type.

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borne, that my presence here this morning is entirely in your interests," he said when they were seated, and Rupert was tackling a belated meal. "The more fully we clear up any doubtful points as to your proceedings on Tuesday the more easy it will be for the police to drop you practically out of the inquiry except as an unimportant witness."

Rupert's heart warmed to this gentlemanly official.

"It is very kind of you to put things in that light when every newspaper in the country is prepared to announce my arrest at any moment," he replied.

"Winter was astonished. His face showed it; his big blue eyes positively bulged with surprise."

"Arrest?" he cried. "Why should I arrest you, sir?"

"Well, after the chauffeur's evidence—" "That is exactly what brings me here. Personally, I have no doubt whatsoever that you did not leave the Ritz Hotel between half-past six and nine o'clock on the evening of the murder. Two of your friends on the committee saw you writing those letters, and the clerk at the inquiry desk remembers supplying you with stamps just as a matter of form, you might give me the names of your correspondents."

Rupert supplied the desired information, which Winter duly scribbled in a notebook but it did not escape the American's usually quick perception that his visitor had already verified the statement made before the coroner. That being so, some other motive lay behind this visit.

What was it?

"Winter at the moment seemed to be fascinated by the leaf-color and aroma of the cigar which Jenkins had brought with the coffee. He puffed, smoked, pinched, and scrutinized—was completely absorbed in fact."

"Don't you like it?" asked Osborne, smiling. The suggestion was almost staggering to the Chief Inspector.

"Why, of course I do," he cried. "This is a prime cigar. You young gentlemen are lucky enough to command practically unlimited money can generally obtain anything you want, but I am bound to say, Mr. Osborne, that you could not buy a thousand cigars like this in London today, no matter what price you paid."

"I imagine you are right," said Rupert. "The estate on which that tobacco was grown is one of the smallest in Cuba, but it is on the old rich belt. The manager is a scientist. He knows to half an ounce per acre how much sulphate of potash to add each year."

"Sulphate of potash?" questioned Winter, ever ready to assimilate fresh lore on the subject of the weed.

"Yes, that is the secret of the flavor, plus the requisite conditions of soil and climate, of course. The tobacco plant is a great consumer of mineral constituents. A rusty nail, a pinch of salt, and a small lump of lime placed respectively near the roots of three plants in the same row, will produce three absolutely different varieties of tobacco, but all three will be inferior to the plants removed from such influences."

"Dear me!" said Winter, "how very interesting!"

But to his own mind he was saying: "Why in the world did Furness refuse to meet this nice young fellow? Really this affair grows more complex every hour."

Osborne momentarily forgot his troubles in the company of this affable official. He should be accepted. Somehow, he felt certain that Winter would have declined it if any particle of suspicion had been attached to the giver, and therein his knowledge of men did not deceive him. With a lighter heart, therefore, than he would have thought possible a few minutes earlier, he, too, lit a cigar.

"Winter saw that Rupert was waiting for him to resume the conversation momentarily broken. He began with a straightforward question."

"Now, Mr. Osborne," he said, "will you kindly tell me if it is true that you were about to marry Mademoiselle de Bercy?"

"It is quite true."

"How long have you known her?"

"Since she came to London last fall."

"I suppose you have no inquiries as to her past life?"

"No, none. I never gave a thought to such a thing."

"I suppose you see now that it would have been wiser had you done something of the kind?"

"Wisdom and love seldom go hand in hand."

The Chief Inspector nodded agreement. His profession had failed utterly to cost sentiment from his nature.

(To be continued.)

SHIPPING

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A.M. P.M.

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BRITISH PORTS.

Liverpool, Jan 5—Arr, str. Manchester Corporation, St. John.

FOREIGN PORTS.

New London, Jan 5—Arr, str. Moana, St. John for Portland; Manuel R. Cruz, St. John for New York.

Boston, Jan 5—Arr, str. Ida M. Barton, St. John from Perth Amboy.

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At the beginning of last year a well known Paris physician, Dr. Eugene Chenu, 66 years of age, was the victim of a serious automobile accident, which prevented him from following his practice for nine months and necessitated a long stay in the south of France. He brought an action against the owner of the automobile which overturned his car, claiming \$2,400 for medical treatment and his stay in the south; \$12,000 for loss of practice and \$30,000 for "diminution of clientele in the future because of the time during which he was away from his consulting rooms and of the loss of strength which will for the future prevent him from performing the same amount of work as before the accident."

The court expressed the opinion that "at the age of Dr. Chenu, the greater number of medical men aspire to a well merited repose," and considered therefore that damages to the amount of \$12,000 would meet the case. From this it would seem that the court thinks that doctors are too old at sixty-six to practice.

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John W. Emery, of Bridport, Me., unearthed an old beaver dam in a bog behind his stable. The dam was evidently built a good many years ago and was quite a curiosity in that locality, as beavers have not been around there for some time.

P. H. Brennan, claims agent of the C. P. R., was a passenger on the incoming Boston express last evening.

Hon. C. J. Oman, wife and son are registered at the Royal.

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Amalgamated	63 1/2	64 1/2	63 1/2	64 1/2
Am Car and Fdry	51	51 1/2	51	51 1/2
Am Beet Sugar	42 1/2	43 1/2	42 1/2	43 1/2
Am Steel Foundries	45	45 1/2	45	45 1/2
Am Smelters	74 1/2	75 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2
Am Tel and Telephone	141 1/2	142 1/2	141 1/2	142 1/2
Am Cotton Oil	39	39 1/2	39	39 1/2
At T and Santa Fe	102 1/2	103 1/2	102 1/2	103 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Balt and Ohio	105 1/2	106 1/2	105 1/2	106 1/2
Central Leather	32	32 1/2	32	32 1/2
Chic and St Western	22 1/2	23 1/2	22 1/2	23 1/2
Ches and Ohio	82 1/2	83 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
Con Gas	140 1/2	141 1/2	140 1/2	141 1/2
Den and Rio G	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/2
Eric	28 1/2	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
Illinois Central	132 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2
Mackay Car Co	90	90 1/2	90	90 1/2
Missouri Pacific	48	48 1/2	48	48 1/2
Northern Pacific	118	118 1/2	118	118 1/2
Nie and Western	102	102 1/2	102	102 1/2
Pennsylvania	129 1/2	130 1/2	129 1/2	130 1/2
Reading	103 1/2	104 1/2	103 1/2	104 1/2
Rock Island Pfd	61	61 1/2	61	61 1/2
Sea Railway	133	133 1/2	133	133 1/2
Southern Pacific	116 1/2	117 1/2	116 1/2	117 1/2
St. Paul	124 1/2	125 1/2	124 1/2	125 1/2
Southern Ry	28 1/2	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
Texas Pacific	26 1/2	27 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
Union Pacific	173 1/2	174 1/2	173 1/2	174 1/2
U S Rubber	74	74 1/2	74	74 1/2
U S Steel	117 1/2	118 1/2	117 1/2	118 1/2
Utah, Copper	46	46 1/2	46	46 1/2
Vir Car Chemical	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/2
Western Union	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Wabash Railway	16	16 1/2	16	16 1/2
Wabash Ry Pfd	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	35 1/2
Wells Fargo	143 1/2	144 1/2	143 1/2	144 1/2
Lehigh Valley	170 1/2	171 1/2	170 1/2	171 1/2
Sales—11 o'clock, 101.00.				

New York Cotton Market.

Cotton	Open	High	Low	Close
January cotton	14.75	14.76	14.75	14.76
March cotton	15.00	15.01	15.00	15.01
May cotton	15.14	15.15	15.14	15.15
July cotton	15.34	15.35	15.34	15.35
August cotton	15.54	15.55	15.54	15.55

Chicago Market.

Hallam's Trans.	133 1/2
Mexican	88
Montreal Power	143 1/2
Porto Rico	324
Quebec	93 1/2
Rhicleau & Ont.	93 1/2
Rio	102 1/2
Soo.	133 1/2
St. John's	91
Montreal Street	233 1/2
St. John Rails.	105
Bell Telephone	140 1/2
Tele.	111 1/2
Toronto Rails.	122 1/2
Twin City	107 1/2
Winnipeg	111 1/2
Winnipeg Power	134 1/2
Asbestos	113 1/2
Black Lake	17
Cement	23 1/2
Constructors	29
Dow Iron Corp	594
Osmium	131 1/2
Crown Reserve	248 1/2
Quebec	93 1/2
Shenandoah	109 1/2

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STARTLING FIGURES

St. John needs a new form of city government. The expenditure in the police and fire departments has doubled in ten years, and there has been a heavy increase in other departments. The citizens feel that the benefits received have not been in proportion to the increased cost. This week the boards asked for still larger appropriations, and the treasury board has cut them down to about the same as last year. It is felt by the citizens that too much money is spent on street work that is not permanent. What is there to show for the very heavy expenditure of the last ten years?

The city needs the application of the business idea to civic government. Mayor Fink is right. Five men meeting every day and always in touch with the work and conversant with the conditions and needs of the departments could do vastly better than an unwieldy council, some of whose members are thinking about patronage and some about their private business. The city, to use a current phrase, wants men *à la* job. There is no benefit in patching up the system. A radical change is needed. There is scarcely a day that does not bring news of an agitation in some Canadian or United States city in favor of the commission plan of government, or of its adoption, or of great benefits that have followed its adoption. No form of city government is ideal, but the commission plan is the last word in good administration, and St. John should get in line.

THE LESSON OF ST. JOHN'S

Referring to the defeat of the Nationalist Conservative candidate in St. John's, Quebec, the Toronto Globe says:—

"There is a lesson in this for Conservative papers in Ontario, like The Kingston Standard, that persist in upholding Mr. Monk as the official leader of Conservatism in Quebec, and for men like Mr. Foster, Dr. Sprague, and Mr. Geo. Taylor, who would like to use Nationalism for the destruction of Laurier's strength in that province careless of what passions they may rouse in the process. The lesson is that the rank and file of the Conservatives of Quebec—and of Ontario also, we believe—are far better patriots than their leaders and will lend no countenance to a policy of political incandescence. They are ready to advance party ends. In a year from now the leaders of the Conservative party will be trying to make the country believe that the messages of good-will and congratulation sent to the Monk-Bonanza combination during and after the Drummond-Arthabaska election were not intended to be taken more seriously than their denunciations of the British preference in 1907."

CANADIAN IDEALS

That Canada should cherish high ideals of citizenship, and should be ready and able to say "Hands off!" to any who would attempt to prevent her from realizing her ideals, was the message of Prof. Grant to the Canadian Club of St. John last evening.

President Agat was right in his statement that the address was one of the most interesting and inspiring to which the club has listened. It is well to be reminded from time to time of the danger that lies in the undue exaltation of material things. Great natural resources do not make a nation great. Canada must be far more than "the granary of the empire."

Thence, says Prof. Grant, was the granary of Athens. Who today talks or thinks about Thrace? But as long as the world lasts people will think and talk of Athens and the Athenians.

Prof. Grant sees in the experience of the United States great lessons for Canada. That country had great men at the outset, but her domain was thrown open to be exploited by each man as he would; and the result is that today her natural resources are so depleted that conservation is a vital necessity. Canada, therefore, is wise to have a conservation commission. In the United States, also, the enormous development of manufacturing and of

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has brought about conditions which present very grave problems. Canada, in Prof. Grant's view, is wise to have its railway commission and other commissions to bring the knowledge of experts to the solution of problems as they arise, and before intolerable conditions have been developed.

The problem of the big city is another that must be faced, and even today in some of the larger Canadian cities there are slums that would not be tolerated in English cities. Prof. Grant reiterated with much force the arguments presented before the Canadian Club by Mr. Henry Vivian, on the subject of town-planning, and insisted that there should be town-planning commissions, who would see to it that as a city grows it shall grow according to definite and prescribed plans, with proper relation to streets that have two ends, and to parks, playgrounds and such a location of houses as would prevent overcrowding.

In a word, organization and expert knowledge must be brought early to bear in the development of every phase of the civilization that is to make Canada more illustrious than the nations of the past. She is to be a nation within the British empire, and on the most friendly terms with the United States, playing a great part in bringing that country and the mother country into closer fellowship.

"Union never, but warm friendship ever and always," is Prof. Grant's ideal of the relations of Canada with the United States; and his audience heartily applauded the statement.

Touching the navy, Prof. Grant insisted that along with efforts to develop a high civilization in Canada must go the will and power to say "Hands off!" to the marauder. In his opinion we have not yet reached the stage in world politics where there is no danger from the colonizing ambitions of certain great powers. He sees no present signs of warlike intent, but war does not always give a long period of warning. He is for a Canadian navy, to be under control of the British admiralty in war time, and for the standardization of the whole imperial fleet, as to construction, armament, equipment, drill, signalling and the like.

The whole address of Prof. Grant was marked by a high note of patriotism, and he was heard with intense interest and pleasure by the large audience of ladies and gentlemen assembled to greet him. The Canadian Club is agreed to be congratulated upon having given St. John an opportunity to hear an address of national interest and great local value.

The year 1911 should be marked by a complete change of civic government in St. John.

THE OUTLOOK FOR THE DRY DOCK SEEMS TO BE GROWING STEADILY MORE PROMISING.

St. John is to have a modern apartment house. Another sign of the general forward movement.

A vigorous address on St. John ideals, with special reference to city government, police protection and the like, should be of some value at the present time.

This city should have a town-planning commission, so that the greater St. John may grow along right lines, in respect to parks, playgrounds, and the avoidance of congested districts.

The Canadian statesmen who have gone to Washington have gone in the interests of that warmer friendship which Prof. Grant says should be the aim of Canada.

The Standard continues in eruption, to the great distress of the neighbors. Mr. Hagen should adopt sanitary measures and have a fumigating commission appointed.

Prof. Grant last evening referred to New Brunswick as having given Canada a school of poetry, one of whose exponents, Charles G. D. Roberts, is his favorite Canadian poet. How many St. John people are really familiar with the work of the New Brunswick school of poets?

The Victoria Colonist (Conservative) has this to say of the navy:—"Canada is committed to a naval policy of her own, and every loyal Canadian ought to join in an effort to make that policy of real service to ourselves and the empire."

The Toronto Globe points out that there were 6,000 liquor licenses in Ontario a generation ago, and now with an increased population there are only 2,000, and every year the number is reduced.

The Ottawa Journal says:—"Sir Richard Scott, who cast his vote yesterday in the municipal elections, was a successful candidate for mayor just fifty-nine years ago. Probably there is not another instance of this continent of an ex-mayor, by fifty-eight years, still voting, and still in excellent physical and mental health. Sir Richard, in his political life, began early, and has remained late."

After many years of prohibition the people of the State of Maine are to vote once more on that question. They are not likely to turn back the clock because the law has not been as well observed as it would be if popular sentiment were more strongly in favor of law enforcement. If prohibition were defeated, local option would at once be demanded. The Democrats did not carry Maine on the anti-prohibition issue.

A WOMAN'S BACK.

Not One Woman In Twenty Has a Strong Back.

The kidneys are to blame nine times out of ten.

Mrs. A. H. Hutton, Jr., McCreary, Man., writes:—"Two years ago last spring I had a very severe pain in the small of my back. When I would rise it seemed as if my back would break. My kidneys were very badly out of order, and I would have to get up three or four times during the night. I took one box of Doan's Kidney Pills and they effected a cure."

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He loved the lowliest word, not dreamed, indeed, that it, at best, could give to him, the while.

But pitying glances, when his only need was but a cheery smile.

And thus he prayed: "God bless us, every one!"

Enfolding all the creeds within the span Of his child-heart; and so, despairing none, "We nearer saint than man."

I like to fancy God, in Paradise,

Lifting a finger over the rhythmic swing Of chiming harp and song, with eager eyes

Turned earthward, listening—

The Anthem stilled—the angels leaning there

Of Christmas bursting flower-like with the prayer,

"God bless us, every one!"

—James Whitcomb Riley.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

WHEN HE MISSED IT

"I see they have taken the seven a. m. train off this line. Do you miss it?" asked one subordinate of another.

"I miss it, certainly, but not so often as I used to when it was on."

HAD ENOUGH

Clergyman—"And how would you like to be a minister when you grow up?"

Boy—"No thank you, I'm tired of wearing things that button up the back."

Woman's Home Companion.

THEY SAY THESE THINGS

One Girl—"Why do you want to marry a lighter? He isn't to be trusted."

The Other Girl—"Why I'd trust him with my life."

"But I mean that he is not to be trusted with anything valuable—that is—er—"

A FEW OPEN DATES

Sophomore—"What are you going to do when you leave college, old chap?"

Senior—"Well, I haven't decided on anything definite for the first year, except to come back for the class reunion."

THE HAPPY MEDIUM

Squire's Daughter—"By the way, do you spell your name with a large or a small N?"

"N? Mrs. McNab?"

Villager—"Oh, middin' large, miss."

COCKNEY CHIVALRY.

There was a crash in the pit, and the audience-looking girl stood with the late comers behind the last bench. The young man in front of her, comfortably seated, was not too absorbed in the musical comedy to note that the girl looked fired as she doggedly stood out the first act. He rose when the curtain fell. "Would you," he asked, pushing past her, "like to mind my seat while I go out for a drink?" The age of chivalry is not past.—London Chronicle.

SWUNG HIS LANTERN

A lawyer tells a story of an accident at a railway crossing at night, in which a farmer's cart was struck and demolished and the farmer injured.

"I was counsel for the railway," says the lawyer, "and I won the case for the defence mainly on account of the testimony of an old colored man, who was stationed at the crossing. When asked if he had swung his lantern as a warning the old man swore positively."

"I surely did."

"After I had won the case I called on the old negro," says the lawyer, "and complimented him upon his testimony. He said:—

"Thankee, Mars Jawn. I got along all right, but I was awfully scared, 'cause I was 'traid dat lawyer man was gon' to ask me was my lantern lit. De oil done give out befo' de accident."

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MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRE

St. Edward, Boston, premier of Newfoundland, in Boston last night, said there was little likelihood of the ancient colony uniting with Canada. If Canada and the United States entered into reciprocity negotiations, Newfoundland would probably also participate. He anticipated no trouble with Gloucester fishermen. A case of smallpox has developed in Chatham, the wife of a hotelkeeper named Savoy, being the patient. The house has been quarantined. The proposal to hold winter sports in Montreal in February has been abandoned. The investigation against Special Police Officer Ginter of Fredericton, was begun yesterday and adjourned until today. Mr. Ginter said that he purchased clothes from a mail order house in Ontario, but said he did not act as agent for the house. In an address before the Canadian Club in London, Ont., last night, Hon. Clifford Sifton said he was opposed to any reciprocity that would tend to deplete Canada's forests.

At the annual meeting of the Liberal Association in Chatham on Wednesday evening, optimistic addresses were delivered by W. S. Logie, M. P., and W. B. Snowball. A resolution was passed expressing

regret at the great loss sustained in the death of W. C. Winslow. Anner Hildman, William W. Whistler, a former Halifax man, has been arrested in Boston on a charge of swindling merchants in the maritime provinces by inducing them to ship goods to him and then refusing to pay for it on the ground that it was not good. James J. Gallagher, who was sentenced to twelve years in the penitentiary for attempting to shoot Commissioner Edwards in New York, will appear. Another body, that of Mr. Purches, has been recovered in the colliery of the Nova Scotia Company at Sydney Mines, N. S. There is now reported no suffering in Campbellton from cold or hunger. The relief committee have done their work well, and the 4,000 left homeless as a result of the fire six months ago, have been provided for. It is now stated that \$208,000 in cash has been received in addition to very large quantities of food and clothing. The food and clothing have all been distributed. With the cash received thirty-six houses have been erected. Three hundred and thirty-four families have been aided to build houses receiving from \$50 to \$200 each. There were 126 women plumbers, 542 carpenters and 163 blacksmiths in the United States last year.

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ALL DRUGGISTS

The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON

"MOTHER and father were so disappointed to miss your visit. They want me to tell you to come again soon when THEY are home," I heard one young girl say to another the other day. "I don't know the girl addressed but from that sentence I'm sure I should like to."

For it meant she was the kind of girl mothers and fathers enjoy and I think that is no light recommendation of character. "Everybody liked her. Not just her young friends, but all the older people, too."

Once in awhile you hear that said about some young girl and I think it is one of the highest compliments that can be paid. It is so easy when you are young and your life is crowded and rich to have time only for other young people whose lives are also crowded and rich and to forget about the older people with their paler existences.

And it is so beautiful not to forget. It doesn't cost anything to remember. Always to say "Good night to your mother and father and mother."

It doesn't take much time to always send your love or some little message to them when you write.

It doesn't take any very great effort to chat with your friend's mother about the topics that you know from companionship with your own mother, will interest her. It can't possibly mean as much in effort to you as it does in wonderful pleasure to them for you to call on the mother and father of the chum who is married or who has a new maid or child and tell them about your good time, show them your new treasure, make them laugh over your funny mishap, gossipy them with the current of your youth.

Little things all in the doing but big in their meaning to someone. Little investments but sure to bring back dividends. Ask yourself these three questions for me, little sisters. If your mother's father and mother were away, would they be sorry to have missed your visit? If you were ill would some older folks as well as your young friends be sorry? If you should go away would they say of you, "Everybody liked her. Not just her young friends but all the older people, too?"

ESTIMATES CUT BUT ARE NEARLY HALF MILLION

Several City Employees are Voted Increase in Salaries—The Figure as Finally Passed

The treasury board last evening, in the course of a very interesting session passed the estimates for the year 1911, calling for nearly half a million dollars, and also dealt with the usual grants to public and charitable organizations as well as a lot of routine business. The estimates as presented to the board called for the increase of \$40,450 over last year's figures. This was pointed out, would mean that the amount would have to find \$2,000,000 worth of property to tax, more than last year, as the rate was fixed at \$1.88. After wrestling with the figures for some time it was decided to cut the board of works estimates down to last year's amount, \$75,000, and \$13,000 was deducted from the appropriation for interest and sinking fund in anticipation of increased revenues from the west side wharves, so that the draft of the estimates as finally passed shows an increase of \$2,450 over last year.

It is anticipated that the county estimates, which are to come, will be somewhat higher than last year's. The estimates will probably be added to later. The appropriations as passed provide for the salaries of the various departments. Chief Clerk and for an increase in the fire department funds. Reference was made by the chairman to the fact that the appropriation in the fire and police departments had almost doubled in ten years.

Grants made to the public and charitable organizations total \$7,000 for 1911, as against \$14,025 in 1910. The reason for this is that certain grants made last year were not asked for this year.

Increases in salary of \$400 each were recommended for the common clerk and chamberlain and \$300 each for Hugh McMillan, of the assessment office, and J. S. Cooper, of the chamberlain's office. Mr. Ald. Hayes presided and Mr. Willett, Sprout, Lively, White, MacLeod and McGoldrick, the mayor, the common clerk, chamberlain and comptroller and Director Wisely.

Communications from the secretary of the Union of New Brunswick Municipalities regarding a new assessment act and a communication from the board of trade asking for a bill to extend manufacturing industries from taxes under certain conditions were laid over for consideration.

An application from Wilmer S. Belyea, an ex-policeman, for appointment as a constable was recommended to the council. Applications for grants were then taken up and it was decided that the grants should be taken from general revenue.

Following is a comparative statement of the grants this year as compared with 1910:

	1911.	1910.
Free Kindergarten	\$8,300	\$8,350
Assessment Office	200	300
Play grounds committee	300	300
Salvation Army	300	300
P. E. C. A.	300	300
Every Day Club	300	300
Riverside Park	4,000	4,000
Horticultural Association	4,000	4,000
Horticultural Asso. extra.	1,000	1,000
Victorian Order of Nurses	800	1,000
extra	500	500
Natural History Society	250	500
Tourist Association	600	500
Seamen's Institute	250	250
Exhibition Association	5,000	2,000
Exhibition guarantee	2,000	
	\$7,850	\$14,025

The Free Kindergarten Association asked for \$800, the Tourist Association for \$50 and the others were given what they asked. There was no application from the Every Day Club this year as they are now without playgrounds.

The estimates were then taken up. The chairman explained that there was a total increase of \$40,450 asked for. It would mean that there would have to be \$2,000,000 in assessable property found as the rate of \$1.88 could not be raised.

The chamberlain said he thought it would be safe to cut \$13,000 from the interest amount as he anticipated that the revenue from the west side wharves would make it up. This would make the interest amount \$72,000 instead of \$85,000 as asked for last year.

There was considerable discussion over the \$100,000 asked for for street work and several of the aldermen expressed the opinion that the board of works should get along with \$75,000 and that more permanent work should be done.

It was finally decided to fix the amount the same as last year.

There was considerable discussion on the police, fire and light estimates but finally these figures as well as other items were approved.

The mayor said he thought the policy of the council was to lay permanent streets and not to scatter money on patching different streets. He thought that it would be bad policy to spend a lot of money in temporary repairs. The chairman of the board of works had said he could get along with whatever amount was decided on and he thought it was inadvisable to spend

MORNING LOCALS

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Military Veterans' Association was held last evening in the Market building. A large number of the members were present and the following officers elected for the year: President, Caleb Belyea; vice-president, Walter Knowles; treasurer, George Gorham; secretary, James Hunter; managing committee, J. Buchanan, J. Alexander, G. F. Thompson, A. Emery, M. Mitchell and F. McLeod; sick committee, T. Nixon and A. Adams. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening was by the members.

A happy time was passed last evening in the school room of St. Mary's church, when the annual Christmas tree treat was held for the children. Under the direction of Mrs. R. Doo, a fine programme was given. Presentations were made to Rev. Dr. Raymond and his wife, the latter receiving a handsome cut glass remembrance through Mrs. D. Willis, and the clergyman a purse of gold through R. Carlous, church warden.

The visit of A. E. Gould, of Presque Isle, and W. J. Scott, of the Scott Lumber Co., to the city yesterday started again rumors that the property of the Scott Co., at Magaguadavic, had been purchased at \$100,000 for an American syndicate. Nothing definite has yet been decided upon.

The Commercial Union on Wednesday evening presented a case of pipes to W. J. Myles, who has been treasurer for ten years.

At a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Alexandra Temple of Honor last night, it was decided to hold a tea in Temple building January 10.

John Kenney, Jr., government factory inspector, after completing an investigation into the accident at Hillsboro quarries of Dec. 16 last, in which Fred Nelson, Edward Collett and Theophilus Allan lost their lives, finds that no one was to blame. All the machinery was well guarded and all precaution was taken to prevent accident.

In a letter from Stoughton, N. Y., Mrs. John Callahan, of 720 Bay street asks for information of a family named McWilliams. The father was a ship builder and his first name was Thomas.

At the home of Esau Thomas, 60 Moxy street last evening Miss Jennie F. Adams of Gaspé, Quebec, was united in marriage to James Powers, of Chatham, Newfoundland by Rev. H. D. Mery, M. A. and Mrs. Powers will reside in Moore street.

Rev. Dr. Hutchinson delivered an address on temperance in Alexandra Temple of Honor Hall, Main street last evening taking for his subject, "The Progress of the Cause."

At the annual meeting of the St. John Opera Company was held last night. Besides the election of officers, the reading of reports and other routine business, it was announced that the company might put in a permanent stock company in the city. The last year has been a particular ly bad one in the show business, but the house broke even. They will, however, continue their policy of expansion and to secure a better line of plays than ever.

The following officers were elected: A. O. Skinner, president; John Mitchell, 2nd vice-president; Dr. G. A. Hetherington, 2nd vice-president; John Ross, E. W. Paul, T. A. Linton, Fred O'Connell, G. A. B. Addy, W. G. Salmon and A. E. McGinley, directors. After the meeting of the shareholders the directors met to complete organization, and elected A. O. Skinner, J. Mitchell and E. W. Paul, managers, and A. E. McGinley secretary.

DEATH OF JAMES T. BRITNEY. James Thomas Britney, eldest son of Thomas Britney, died yesterday of a lingering illness at the home of his parents, 18 Hanover street. He was eighteen years of age. He is survived by his father, mother, several sisters and brothers.

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FOR A PATROL WAGON

Safety Board Makes Provision in Estimates—Also for Eight More Policemen

A special meeting of the safety board was held yesterday afternoon to consider the estimates for the year 1911. These which call for an expenditure of \$50,000 more than last year, were passed on to the treasury board. Among other matters it was decided to accept the offer of the Women's Council to provide the city with a patrol wagon and \$1,000 was placed in the estimates for its upkeep. The sum of \$1,000 was also placed to the credit of the police department to provide for eight additional men on the force. A suggestion of Richard O'Brien, grand knight; R. J. Murphy, deputy grand knight; Very Rev. W. J. Chapman, V. G. chaplain; Dr. R. F. Oungley, chancellor; F. J. McDonald, recorder; Henry Regan, financial secretary; P. J. Delorty, treasurer; Edmund S. Ritchie, advocate; Fred T. Morris, Ward; W. E. Gale, I. G.; E. Heaney, O. G.; Timothy Collins, E. P. Greaney, J. O'Neill, trustees.

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WITH THE SOCIETIES

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WEST END DAIRY—Milk, Cream and Fresh Eggs delivered; dairy goods at 8 p. m. sharp for winter months. Phone 116-31, G. H. C. Johnston, proprietor.

ENGRAVERS

F. C. WESLEY & Co., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 682.

IRON FOUNDERIES

UNION FOUNDRY AND MACHINE Works, Limited, George H. Waring, Manager, West St. John, N. B., Engineers and Machinists, Iron and Brass Foundry.

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STOVES

GOOD LINE OF SECOND HAND Stoves, well repaired, well cheap; also new stoves of all kinds. 106 Brussels street, Phone 1308-11. H. Milley.

LAUNDRIES

BEST LAUNDRY in Carleton Place, called for and delivered. Ladies' St., corner Duke. Fred Hem. 2603-11.

WANTED TO PURCHASE

WANTED—To purchase Gentlemen's cast off clothing, footwear, fur coats, jewelry, diamonds, musical instruments, cameras, bicycles, guns, revolvers, tools, skates, etc. Call or write H. Gilbert, 24 Mill street. Phone Main 2292-11.

WANTED

WANTED—Good ship carpenters on wooden vessels, steady work, occasional of mid winter. Apply Jackson & Sharp Plant, Wilmington, Delaware. Charles S. Gawthrop, district manager.

WANTED—Drug clerk with at least two years' experience. Apply H. J. A. Watt, Haymarket Square, St. John, 243-11.

WANTED—A first class brown, upright maker at once. Apply to Miss B. Bowman, 92 Charlotte street, near American Laundry.

WANTED—Two capable cooks, two general girls, also one capable housemaid for two months' work. City references. Apply Miss Bowman, 92 Charlotte street, near American Laundry.

WANTED—We want the people to watch our windows this week for the sale of gold glass ware, beginning Saturday morning at 8 o'clock. A genuine cheap sale and just in time for Xmas. McGee's Departmental & Furniture Stores, 172, 174 and 176 Brussels street.

INTELLIGENT GIRL or Woman, spare time, each locality, address envelopes, mail circulars, pay 15 cents hour material furnished free. Rex Mailing Agency, London, Ont.

WANTED—Barn with stalls for 3 or 4 horses; also, room to keep wagon and stoves under cover. Write full particulars. Northrup & Co. Smith Warr, 183-11.

WANTED—Work by the day, washing and ironing, or cleaning offices. Mrs. R. S. Times office.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

If Your are Looking for a Genuine Bargain in a Good Upright Piano

I Have One for You. It has been in use a short time, but looks, and is, as good as new. Please call and see it. Easy terms to pay if you prefer.

Bell's Piano Store
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ROOMS AND BOARDING

LARGE FURNISHED Front Room for two gentlemen, with or without board. Apply 112 Pitt street. 77-12.

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FURNISHED ROOMS, 79 Princess St. 251-11.

PLEASANT FRONT ROOM with board, 49 Sydney street. 107-11.

FURNISHED ROOMS to LET, one large front room; also smaller one near Garden street. Terms very reasonable. Apply Box 28 near Times office. 1-11.

TO RENT—Furnished room, central locality; hot and cold water, bath, etc., suitable for one or two gentlemen. Phone 259-11.

BOARDING—Home-like board and Lodging, moderate rates, 297 Union street. 28-11.

BOARDING—Rooms with or without board, 73 Seville street. 271-11.

LOST

LOST—One pair of rimless glasses and case in City or North End, on Friday or Saturday. Finder return to 30 Albert street. 334-20.

LOST—While shopping early Saturday afternoon, Gold Beads. Finder will be rewarded on leaving at 144 Parliament Row. 3200.

LOST—A gold ring and chain between corner Paradise Row, Mill street via Mill to North street and down there to Nickel and George street. Finder will be rewarded by returning to this office or phone.

LOST—Gold neck beads, between Broad and Peter street, St. Peter's church. Sunday, Finder please leave at this office. 184-11.

STORES TO LET

STORE TO LET, 289 Main street. Apply 571 Main street. 284-11.

SHOP AND FLAT TO LET—Apply M. J. Wilkins, 291 Haymarket Square. 313-11.

MACHINIST—A marvin first-class machine, also specialists in special machines. Electric plants put up. All kinds of machine oils. All kinds of machines bought and sold, 637 Main street. 537-130.

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The following enterprises Druggists are authorized to receive **TIMES-STAR WANT ADS** and issue receipts for same. Wants left at Times-Star Want Ad. Stations are immediately telephoned to this office and if received before 2.30 p. m. are inserted the same day. Times-Star Wants may be left at these stations any time during the day or evening and will receive as prompt and careful attention as if sent direct to the Times-Star Office.

CENTRE

FRANK E. PORTER, 305 Union St. **BERNARD E. BROWN**, 103 Princess St. **J. DICK**, 144 Charlotte St. **GEO. P. ALLEN**, 29 Waterloo St. **J. F. BARDISLEY**, 109 Brussels St.

NORTH END

T. J. DUNN, 405 Main St. **ROBT. E. COUPE**, 157 Main St. **E. J. MAHONEY**, 157 Main St.

WEST END

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LOWER COVE

GEORGE E. BELL, 267 Charlotte St. **CHAS. K. SHORT**, 68 Garden St. **W. E. WADE**, 44 Wall St. **FAIRVILLE** **O. D. HANSON**, 111 Fairville.

WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—An honest and reliable young man, aged 18 to 20, to learn bookbinding in retail store. Apply 22 Mill street. 269-11.

WANTED—A good smart boy. Apply Wannamaker's Restaurant, 101 Charlotte street. 245-11.

ENERGETIC MEN Wanted. Make \$10 daily. Necessary every office. Rapid seller. Duplicate orders. Permanent business. Exclusive rights given. Canada Typewriter Co., Saskatoon, Sask. 537-1-21.

MEN WANTED—We want a reliable man in each locality to introduce and advertise our Royal Purple Stock and Sundry Specific and other goods direct to the consumers as well as to the merchants. Exclusive salary and expenses or commission. No experience needed. The largest advertised goods in Canada. Write for particulars. W. J. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Ont.

TO LET

TO LET—Furnished rooms, good locality. Phone 1738-11. Apply W. S. Times Office. 55-11.

TO LET—Flat 112 Harrison street, 50 rooms, \$9.00. Apply Arthur Walker, 69 Murray street. 261-11.

SMALL TENEMENT, also two small furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. 92 Somerset street. 491-11.

BUSINESS STAND to let. The store at Belle Isle Station, Kings Co. good stand for the right man. Apply to W. A. Fowler, Belle Isle Station, Kings Co., N. B. 241-7.

TO LET—Basement flat four rooms, 48 Eastmoor street. Apply Arnold's Ltd. 224-11.

TO LET—Small flat on High street, Inquire of J. Salmon, photographer, Cor. Main and Portland streets. 542-11.

TO LET—Flat of seven rooms, 10 Wright street. Phone 1635-22 Main. 225-11.

TO LET—Flat, eight rooms, 20 Eastmoor street. Apply at Collins & Co. North Market street. 217-11.

TO LET—A flat, also furnished room. Apply R. J. Grant, 205 Charlotte St. West. 294-11.

TO LET—Premises now occupied by W. A. Rowley, Carriage Factory at 178-180 Brussels street. Building will be fitted up suitable for any purpose. E. Wilson, 17 Sydney street. 187-11.

Having purchased what was formerly the St. James Rectory, 219 Duke street, we have entirely remodelled the same, making two self-contained flats, with new plumbing, electric lights, newly papered and painted. The upper flat contains seven rooms and bath room. The lower flat contains five rooms and bath room. These flats can be seen on application to The Saint John Real Estate Co., Ltd., Rental: Upper flat, \$29.00; lower flat, \$25.00.

TO LET—From first January, upper flat, four rooms, corner of Wentworth and British streets, newly papered and painted, modern plumbing; \$12.00 per month.

TO LET—From first January, lower flat, four rooms, containing seven rooms; \$8.00 per month. Apply to The Saint John Real Estate Co., Ltd., 129 Prince William St., next door Bank of New Brunswick. 231-11.

TO LET—The commodious building at 37 Canterbury street, formerly occupied by The Sun Printing Co. Possession at short notice. Suitable for insurance office or manufacturing. Large basement; light, airy offices. Building open to inspection anytime. Apply to The Telegraph Publishing Co. for terms and particulars.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—At once, two general girls, who can go home at night; city references required. Apply to B. Bowman, 2 Charlotte street, near American Laundry. 261-11.

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework, family of three. Apply Mrs. Richard Arset, 25 Elliott Row. 224-11.

WANTED—Cook and Housemaid. Both must have experience and references. Apply Mrs. J. L. McAvity, 83 Hazen street. 241-11.

WANTED—General girl, in family of three. Apply Mrs. Lindsay Carter, 107 Orange street. 245-11.

WANTED—A housemaid. References required. Apply Mrs. J. L. McAvity, 83 Hazen street. 241-11.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, small family; must have references. Apply Mrs. G. B. Rivers, 187 Douglas Ave. 270-12-11.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. Apply evenings at 188 Queen street. Mrs. C. W. Hope Grant. 294-11.

WANTED—Competent general help, evenings. Mrs. C. P. Humphrey, 107 Lennox street. 260-11.

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework in small family. Apply to Mrs. G. C. Carter, 92 Union street. 229-11.

GIRLS WANTED—Apply at factory corner Clarence and St. David St.

WANTED—General girl; references required. Apply Mrs. W. V. Cavell, 106 Dorchester street. 188-11.

GIRL WANTED for general work at 63 Waterloo street. 186-11.

GENERAL GIRLS, cooks and housemaids always get best places and highest pay. Woman's Exchange, 62 Germain street. 231-11.

LADIES to do plain and light sewing at home, whole or spare time, good pay; work sent any distance, charges paid; send stamp for full particulars. National Manufacturing Company, Montreal. 310.

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN—150 per cent. profit selling our newly patented automatic Key-Heater. Sample and terms 25c. Money refunded if unsatisfactory. Collecte Mfg. Co., Collingwood, Ont.

SKATE GRINDING

SKATING—All styles of Skates ground perfectly, 12c. pair. Special stone for Tubular Skates. 22 Waterloo street, J. Dabell. 741-12.

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WANTED—Girl to assist in kitchen. General Public Hospital. 651-12.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; one to go home at night preferred. Apply 65 Elliott Row. 661-9.

GIRL WANTED—37 Golding street, Mrs. Robins. 57-7.

WANTED—Girl. Apply evenings, Mrs. W. A. Henderson, 123 King street east. 253-11.

WANTED—General maid. References required. Apply Mrs. Geo. B. Hagan, 71 Hazen street. 251-10.

WANTED—A housemaid. Apply 69 Hazen street, corner Garden. 257-11.

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework; small family; must have references. Apply Mrs. A. Tapley, 155 Douglas Avenue. 23-11.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—House and barn at Crouville with building land. Apply A. Powers, 70 Germain street. 256-11.

FOR SALE—at Hampton—That beautiful All residence, and about one acre of land, formerly occupied by R. G. Flewelling, Esq., now by Mr. H. T. Cowan; all modern improvements, with house will be sold right to a good party. Allan W. Hicks. 331-11.

FOR SALE—William Bourne Square, Falmouth, B. N. S. W. 23-11.

FOR SALE—Self-contained house with shop attached. Lancaster Heights. Apply Alfred L. Belyea, or phone 101-21 West. 291-40.

FOR SALE—One blue Andalusian, 3 pullets, 1 cockerel, 6 silver Dorking, one white leghorn cock, 1 pullet, and one white leghorn hen, all pure-bred stock, selling out to make room. Apply F. E. Flewelling, Box 22, Fairville, N. B.

FOR SALE—Fifty speed and delivery sleighs and sash pumps. These sleighs and pumps are offered at a great reduction on account of the lack of show, and are undoubtedly the greatest bargains ever offered in St. John, N. B. Edgewood, 115 City Road, Phone 447, 10-12 Jan. 9-24. 241-11.

FOR SALE—That beautifully situated and fine home and grounds opposite Rotherham station. Known as the Belle View. Will be sold furnished or unfurnished. A large portion of the purchase money may remain on mortgage, if desired. For terms and particulars, apply to D. A. Pagley, agent, Pugsley-Bigg, St. John. 228-11.

FOR SALE—Two horses, cheap. Enquire at 61 St. Patrick street. Phone Main 2261-11. 228-11.

NEARLY EVERYBODY READS THE TIMES AND ALL READ WANT ADS.

SEALED TENDERS

addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Drill Hall, St. John, N. B." will be received at this office until 4.00 P. M., on Monday, January 9, 1911, for the construction of a Drill Hall at St. John, N. B. Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and on application to Mr. D. H. Waterbury, Superintendent of Public Buildings, St. John, N. B.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when

Dowling Bros.**A REMARKABLE OFFER
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In order to reduce our Dress Goods Stock, we will, for a time, commencing Monday, Jan. 9th, accept orders for the making up free of Ladies' Dress Skirts from any piece of material in our stock at 70c per yard and upwards. Every popular and stylish material is included in the stock.

**We Will Make Up Stylish Dress Skirts
Absolutely Free of Charge.**

You merely pay cash for the materials and trimmings of your costume and we make up the skirt free. If you contemplate getting a New Spring Suit, now is your best opportunity. Orders will be executed as speedily as possible in the order the measurements are taken.

All materials and trimmings for skirts made free of charge during this sale, will be for cash only at the time orders are taken.

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95 and 101 King Street

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is This Store's Pleasure.

DYKEMAN'S**A Whitewear Sale
OF VERY EXCEPTIONAL VALUES**

We have just received our 1911 stock of Whitewear and we are placing them on sale at very low prices.

WHITE LAWN WAISTERS. We have just received a large lot of fine lawn waists with finely embroidered fronts, with tucked sleeves set with insertion. The regular value of these waists is \$1.50, our January sale price is 90 cents.

Another lot of regular \$1.25 Waists with pretty embroidered fronts, some fastening in the back, others in the front, we are placing on sale at 60 cents.

See our window displays of these two specials.

We have a fine display of other Lawn Waists ranging in price from 75 cents to \$2.50.

UNDERSKIRTS. A fine line of these, all well made and prettily trimmed, at prices ranging from 50 cents to \$1.00.

We have a lot of very special **SAMPLE UNDERSKIRTS**, which we have placed at very low prices starting at 50 cents running up to \$2.25.

GOWNS. A fine showing ranging in prices from 75 cents up to \$4.00. A special line of Gowns at \$1.00, made from fine length with embroidered yoke trimmed with lace and ribbon.

DRAWERS. Prices 25c, 30c, 35c, and up to \$1.50 a pair.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.

59 Charlotte Street.

SPECIAL SALE**Caps, Gloves, Toques, Umbrellas and Mufflers
THIS WEEK****THREE SNAPS**

- 1 Lady's P. L. Jacket, Mink trimmed, regular \$200, for \$150
- 1 Lady's R. L. Jacket, regular \$65, for \$50
- 1 Lady's R. L. Jacket, Mink trimmed, regular \$75, for \$60

SEE THEM**ANDERSON & CO.**

55 Charlotte Street

Bargains in Sheetings and Pillow Cottons

The woman behind the pocket-book is the one who ought to be interested in two good values we offer in cottons. Here are some prices which demonstrate to her that there's many a chance to save by spending.

FREE HEMMING DURING JANUARY.

Bleached Sheetings 30c, 35c, 38c, 40c, per yard.

Unbleached Sheetings 24c, and 30c, per yard.

PILLOW COTTONS.

40 inch 22c, per yard. 46 inch 26c, per yard.

42 inch 24c, per yard. 48 inch 28c, per yard.

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HAPPY NEW YEAR, EVERYBODY**THIS HOME OF GOOD SHOES**

is very grateful for the patronage it has enjoyed during the year that is past. Good-by old 1910—you've given us many new friends, and made us solid with the old ones.

For 1911—Resolved that anything in the shoe line we want we shall buy at the Home of Good Shoes

**REPAIRING
WHILE
YOU WAIT****D. MONAHAN**

32 Charlotte Street

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THIS EVENING

W. S. Hawkins company at the Opera House in "A Mad Love," Moving pictures, songs and orchestra at the Nickel.

Pictures and vaudeville at the Lyric.

Picture subjects at the Star.

Pictures and songs at the Unique.

Motion pictures and songs at the Gem, Waterloo street.

Meeting of the council of the board of trade.

Annual meeting of the Bible Society in Queen Square church.

Public installation of officers of Lodge Portland, No. 246, S. O. E. in T. of H. hall, Main street.

LOCAL NEWS**CHALLENGE ACCEPTED**

The market bowlers accept the challenge of the post office clerks for a match at 7:30 Tuesday evening, Jan. 10, at the Victoria Alloys, James McGrath, Captain.

REPORTED FROM FASTNET

C. P. R. S. S. Empress of Ireland, from St. John, December 30, passed Fastnet at three a. m. today and is expected at Liverpool at 5 p. m.

CITY HALL PAY DAY.

The fortnightly payroll for city laborers was disbursed today by Cashier D. R. Willett as follows:—Water and sewerage department, \$1,673.93, and public works, \$1,772.01, total, \$3,445.94.

COURT STENOGRAPHERS

In the assignments of stenographers to the various courts for 1911, the shorthand writers named as official are Mrs. Smith, Frederick Devine, S. Dow Simmons and Miss Flewelling.

FEAST OF EPIPHANY.

In the Catholic churches today is being observed as the Feast of the Epiphany, and the masses were attended by many. Vespers will be sung this evening in the Cathedral, and in St. Peter's church.

HAYES OUT ON BAIL

Frank Hayes, one of the thirteen charged with rioting on Saturday night, was given his liberty this morning on bail of \$2,000 being taken for him. He and his father went sureties for \$1,000 each. E. S. Ritchie is acting for him. The others were arranged yesterday.

MAY SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGE

The following have been registered to solemnize marriages:—Rev. Percy Coulthart of Moncton; David Jenkins, of Woodstock; Joseph Leroy, of Waterford; Arthur Lindsay Sherry, of Stanley and Reverend George Edgar Tobin, of Lower Jemseg.

THE NEW FERRY.

Alderman F. L. B. chairman of the ferry committee, received a telegram this morning from Superintendent Waring, in New York, stating that the inspectors had finished their examination of the ferry steamer that he had in view for the city, and that he had been cleared to turn to the city tonight. He will probably arrive here tomorrow.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of S. Z. Dickson was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Service was conducted by Rev. R. A. Armstrong and Rev. A. W. Daniel and interment was in Fernhill.

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Urquhart was held from her late home in Simonds street this afternoon at 2.30 to the Mission church, Paradise road, where the burial service was read by Rev. H. A. Collins. Interment was in Fernhill.

POLICE COURT TODAY.

In the police court this morning Benjamin Felt was fined \$20 or two months in jail on a charge of assaulting his wife. May Tapley was fined \$8 on a charge of drunkenness. John Quigley and John McGeary, the same amount and Joseph McArthur \$4 on the same charge. Thos. Nelson was fined \$8 on a charge of drunkenness and fighting in Waterloo street; David Anderson, \$8 on a charge of being and lurking in the night, or so-called side, the entrance will be open into the rotunda, a large square room, with open fire place. This room will be fitted up homelike and comfortable and will be used for a general meeting room or public room for all the tenants. At the lot of this room, where the hotel writing room was located, will be a smoking room and at the rear will be a private office, a general lavatory and storage rooms for the trunks of tenants. The furnace room will also be in the rear of this floor.

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REALIZING AT CITY

HALL THAT THINGS MUST BE CHANGED

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FIRESIDE CLUB

The monthly meeting of the Fireside Club was held last night and William McIntosh read a paper on the stone age of New Brunswick.

FEAR CHATHAM

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**EXPENSES OF
RUNNING CITY
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A Look Back Over Ten Years Shows That Appropriations for Some Departments Have Been Doubled—It's Starting

A NICE 10 YEAR RECORD

	1901	1911
Streets	45,500	78,000
Fire	33,920	65,400
Police	27,250	54,167
Light	22,350	27,000
	\$129,000	\$225,567

In dealing with the estimates of the civic departments at the treasury board last evening the chairman commented on the fact that the appropriations asked for now were almost double the amount of ten years ago. There was considerable discussion as to the reason for such an increase and it was claimed that the increases in salary granted to employees in the departments were largely responsible for the advance.

Following is a statement of the warrants in the departments of streets, fire, police and light for the years 1901 to 1911 inclusive:—

Year	Streets	Fire	Police	Light
1901	\$45,500	\$33,920	\$27,250	\$22,350
1902	50,000	32,200	26,500	21,120
1903	54,000	35,000	29,000	22,700
1904	60,000	39,375	31,000	23,000
1905	70,000	43,000	34,000	24,000
1906	70,000	55,000	33,000	25,000
1907	80,000	56,000	37,000	25,000
1908	80,000	56,000	38,300	26,000
1909	80,000	54,500	41,500	25,500
1910	78,000	65,000	48,000	26,500
1911	78,000	65,400	54,167	27,000

It will be seen from these figures that the appropriations for fire and police are practically double what they were ten years ago. The street department shows an increase of \$22,200 and the light department of almost \$5,000.

Mayor Fink in commenting on these figures last evening said it was a startling condition of affairs.

APARTMENT HOUSE**IS TO BECOME FACT**

What the Plans for New Prince William Street Project Reveal—Company Being Formed

Arrangements have been made for the immediate formation of a joint stock company with a capital of \$40,000 to take over the New Victoria Hotel property in Prince William street and convert it into a four-story apartment house. Plans have been prepared and it is proposed to start early in the spring and make all the necessary changes during the spring and summer months so as to have the building ready for occupancy in the fall.

L. D. Tilley, who is promoting the project, told a Times reporter that a great deal of interest had been aroused since the first announcement regarding the scheme and he does not expect any difficulty in financing the stock or in renting apartments or rooms in the house when the alterations and changes are completed.

The front of the ground floor will be completely changed, the plate glass windows being taken out and smaller windows put in, so as to take away the hotel appearance. There will be an entrance from each side of the building by double doors. On the right, or southern side, the entrance will open into the rotunda, a large square room, with open fire place. This room will be fitted up homelike and comfortable and will be used for a general meeting room or public room for all the tenants. At the lot of this room, where the hotel writing room was located, will be a smoking room and at the rear will be a private office, a general lavatory and storage rooms for the trunks of tenants. The furnace room will also be in the rear of this floor.

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