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Newest Patterns, Latest Fashions, extra well trimmed, new cuts, double and single breasted, guaranteed perfect fit—SEE THEM. \$6.00 to \$22.00

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...That... Preposterous ..Will..

BY L. G. MOBERLY.

(Continued.) "Well—then," the old man replied in a wisper, glancing cautiously round the room, as though he feared eavesdroppers; "my girl she went away to Lunnon w' Master Gerge—the Squire's own brother—Master Gerge Haines—that was his other name—same as old Squire—Haines."

other gal like her. Eyes she had as brown as wallflowers in spring, always shining they was too, and her hair—some folks 'ud call it red, but Daddy Dan'd don't hold with them; not unless they were to mean the red that shines out of gold sometimes. Joan, she thought a lot o' my bit o' garden too," he went on, his eyes turning toward the sunflower, standing tall and stately in the sunlight, "she and me, we'd a bin happy in this here garden, if she hadn't gone away w' Master Gerge."

Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



BLOUSE DRESS FOR LITTLE GIRL. A simple and becoming little model is shown in the illustration, the design being suitable for flannel or cloth, linen, or any of the heavier cotton materials.

Seasonable Weather



Lines under seasonable weather. Cheer up! We've murmured 'gainst the cold. But such is mortal lot, Eye long we'll prattle loud and bold Because it is too hot.

HAD THIRTY-TWO BOILS AT ONE TIME

Two Bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters Cured Him. Imperfect organic action makes bad blood, so, too, bad blood, in turn, makes imperfect action of every bodily organ.

RESCUED IN NICK OF TIME

St. John Captain and Five Seamen Taken from Schooner Morancy Just Before She Went Down. Portland, Me., Feb. 27.—When the steamer Hektor, bound here from Lunenburg (C. B.), with coal, arrived early this evening, she had on board Captain George Finley and five sailors, who had been taken from their sinking schooner, the Morancy, bound from Perth Amboy for Camden (Me.), with coal.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

For all cases of bad blood. Mr. Robert B. Tupper, Round Hill, N.S., says: "I thank Burdock's Blood Bitters a great medicine for boils. I had them so bad I could not work. I had thirty-two on my back at one time. I used only two bottles of B.B.B. and they completely cured me. I cannot recommend it too highly."

FAST LINE VIA NEWFOUNDLAND

Premier Bond Proposes to Bonus Such a Company at \$75,000 a Year. St. John, Nfld., Feb. 27.—In the legislative session tonight Premier Bond proposed the adoption of a contract between the Newfoundland government and Messrs. Ochs, capitalists, London and Paris, providing for the establishment of a short line of trans-Atlantic steamers between Halifax, in the west coast of Ireland, and Green Bay, on the east coast of Newfoundland.

RECURRING HEADACHES.

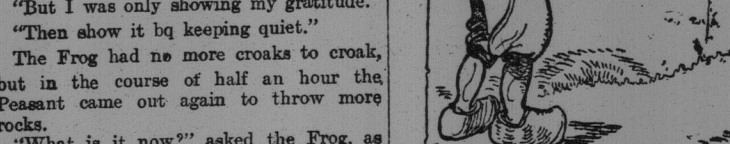
Do They Bother You? You find life a miserable affair because you have headaches, but you have neither nausea nor are you weak—You know if you could only prevent headaches you would enjoy perfect health.



THE SUPERIORITY OF MAN. Wife (to husband after his long session in the cellar)—were the pipes frozen, dear? Hubby—No, the water in the pipes was frozen. That was all.

A LATER-DAY FABLE.

One time, when a very dry season prevailed, a Peasant found a Frog by the roadside and took pity on him and carried him home and deposited him in a pond near his house. That night, as the Peasant came out again to throw more rocks, he kept it up so vigorously and so long that the Peasant finally arose and went out and began throwing rocks.



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KIDNEY DISEASE COMES ON QUIETLY

Perhaps no other organ work harder than the kidneys to preserve the general health of the body and most people are troubled with some form of Kidney Complaint, but do not suspect it. It may have been in the system for some time. There may have been backaches, swelling of the feet and ankles, disturbances of the urinary organs, such as, brick dust deposits in the urine, highly colored scanty or cloudy urine, bladder pains, frequent or suppressed urination, burning sensation when urinating, etc.

CLOSE TO THE PEOPLE

(Lower Wakefield letter in Woodstock Sentinel) One of our young men, Ray Ebbett, hurt his leg very badly by a log rolling on it, and will not be able to do for weeks. Dr. Prescott's patients, Miss Annie Melvin and E. R. Shaw, are recovering. A certain young man is travelling to a Camp, I wonder if he is hunting. Look out! Young man, the fine is on. The recent snow made the roads quite bad.

BRONCHITIS DESTROYS THE VOICE

Gradually Creeps Into the Lungs and Then it's CONSUMPTION. It cures by inhalation. You breathe in the healing balsam, inhale its soothing antiseptic vapor, and relief is immediate. Simple to use, delightful and pleasant—nothing compares with Catarrhose, which is the cure of the day for all bronchitis and throat troubles.

THE CANADIAN DRUG CO., LTD.

A Word to the Trade: We have everything you require. Drugs, Patent Medicines. Toilet Articles, Druggists' Sundries. Everything you need in the Drug Business. The best articles, the fairest prices, the promptest service. Address all correspondence to THOMAS GIBBARD, Manager. The Canadian Drug Co., Ltd., 70-72 PRINCE WM. ST., P. O. Box, 187, ST. JOHN, N. B.

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PAID UP CAPITAL, \$3,000,000 RESERVE FUND, \$4,300,000
TOTAL ASSETS, \$4,547,516.00

THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA will hereafter, until further notice, pay INTEREST ON SAVINGS BANK accounts QUARTERLY instead of semi-annually, as heretofore.

North End Branch: Cor. Main and Simonds Sts. OPEN ON SATURDAY EVENINGS, FROM 7 TO 9 O'CLOCK.

Financial and Commercial

MR. HARRIMAN AND THE STOCK MARKET

The Investigation Caused a Break in Stocks Monday—Comment of New York Paper.

(N. Y. Journal of Commerce, Tuesday) The stock market yesterday had a bad day, the result of the Harriman investigation...

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Table with columns for stock names and prices, including Amalgamated Copper, Anaconda, Am Sugar, etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Table with columns for commodity names and prices, including May Corn, May Wheat, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Table with columns for cotton grades and prices, including March Cotton, May Cotton, etc.

CANADIAN RAILWAYS

The railway statistics book for the year ending June 30, 1906, was brought out...

THE NEW RELIGION

The Rev. R. J. Campbell (Congregationalist), of the City Temple, London, addressed a crowded New Temple meeting on the 15th ult. on the "Atoning Will."



WELL, WHAT DID HE DECIDE. Kindhearted to man who had slipped on the ice—did you fall?

Bocker—I see they have discovered an island of ice in the Antarctic ocean. Knicker—And next summer, I guess, when the hot spell is on, some guy will discover a mountain of coal somewhere.

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC table with columns for date, day, moon phase, etc.

VESSELS IN PORT

Table listing ship names, companies, and arrival/departure times.

PORT OF ST. JOHN

Table listing ship arrivals and departures from the port of St. John.

BRITISH PORTS

Table listing shipping activities at various British ports.

Our Big Clearance Sale

Should Attract Special Attention! Read carefully this advertisement—and note prices, it will repay you.

The FLOODS CO., Ltd.

31 and 33 King Street, Next M. R. A.

Writing Tablets

We have an exceptionally fine stock and offer them at unheard of prices during the Clearance Sale...

Hair Brushes

Best French Make, 33 1-3 to 50 p. c. less than regular price. 108 HAIR BRUSHES, Looney make...

Exceptional Values In Note Paper

168 LBS PACKAGES CREAM LAID ANTIQUE note, regular 25c. 422 LBS. PACKAGES SILURIAN Steel-Blue Note Paper...

Toilet Soaps

At Manufacturers' Prices. We are overstocked and must effect immediate clearance.

RUSHING BUSINESS THROUGH IN UNITED STATES CONGRESS

(Continued from Page One) The president is already besieged with applicants for the places but it is believed that long ago when the subject of a commission was proposed he already had in mind the men who would be best adapted for the work.

Business Notices

No hubbed shirt buttons or plain sleeves worn laundered by Ungar's new plant. Attention is called to J. N. Harvey's ad on page 4 of this issue...

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

TOE-TALKING GOLD CUFF LINK ON UNION for brass. Please return to 'L'OST-BETWEEN ST. JAMES & DUKE St. pairs lady's gold eye-glasses also...

Distress After Eating

means that your stomach is out of order. The distress organs are not doing their work properly.

Herter's Dyspepsia Cure

will regulate all disorders of the stomach and the above troubles will disappear. Price 35 cents and \$1.00.

Dr. Scott's White Liniment Co., LIMITED

REPORTS DISASTERS, ETC.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS

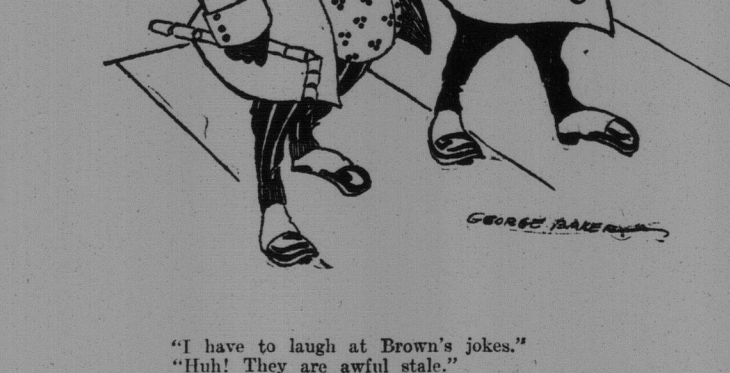
Mitford, Conn., Feb. 25—The steamer two-masted schooner, 'Sawyer', of 100 tons, owned by Charles Lewis two weeks ago, was lost on the coast of New York...

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A COMPROMISE

Mrs. Goodheart—I'll give you a breakfast if you will recite the poem about it for a hot lunch.



"I have to laugh at Brown's jokes." "Huh! They are awful stale." "Yes, but I owe him ten dollars."

French make of Toilet Soap—36 boxes of VIOLETTES de FARMES CRAB APPLE BLOSSOM, "HYACINTHE, ETC."

THE EVENING TIMES.

ST. JOHN, N. B., FEB. 28, 1907.

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CALLS IT ROBBERY

The Times copies on another page today the Telegraph's special New York letter on the astounding revelations made at the Harriman enquiry. It is the most remarkable story of watered stock and financial juggling in the history of railroads. The press of New York denounces Harriman and men of his kind as robbers and the term is certainly not misapplied. The Journal of Commerce, in a long article says in part:

"A man who uses his own capital, or that borrowed on his own credit, and takes his own risks in stock speculation may be entitled to all that he can make by the exercise of his sagacity and judgment as to the course of the market. But a man who is a dominating director and the chief executive officer of a great railroad corporation, holding a fiduciary relation to the body of stockholders and to the public for whose service that corporation is chartered, has no moral, and should have no legal, right to use the capital, credit and corporate power thus intrusted to him in speculative ventures for his own enrichment, even though he may make them profitable also to the corporation. This is what Mr. Edward H. Harriman seems on his admission to have been doing for about ten years past, though he protests against calling his operations speculations because they have incidental value to other objects. It is largely by such operations that the enormous fortune which he is credited has been amassed and not by the value of his services in directing the business of transportation by railroad."

"Now wholly apart from the main purpose of this investigation into the capitalization and mutual stockholding interests of railroads engaged in interstate commerce these disclosures have a moral aspect upon which it is well to have the fierce light of publicity turned. It shows how some of our enormous fortunes are made as well as what motives and purposes sometimes prevail in the use of the power intrusted to the directors and officers of corporations. It is a simple and elementary principle that all values are created by the productive activity of capital, labor and ability in industrial operations of one kind and another. No wealth comes out of nothing but all must be produced and distributed and what one gets by indirection another loses or fails to get. The personal profits of these speculative operations in which the capital, credit and power of corporations are used by those intrusted with their direction come out of the sacrifice or out of the public store who are lured and deceived by shippers who are overtaxed for service for which railroads are chartered out of all of these in varying proportions. In other words they are the acts of robbery."

The Nova Scotia government has introduced in the legislature a bill to provide for technical education on a broader scale than at present exists in any part of Canada. There is to be a central institution in Halifax, with subsidiary schools in industrial centres, including schools of mining, the whole to be under a director of technical education. The example of Nova Scotia should be followed in New Brunswick. The need of greater facilities for technical education is conceded. The duty to provide for it is equally plain and urgent.

If the following paragraphs from the Amherst News are read together, the inference that may be drawn is perhaps not exactly what Amherst folk would desire. "We have had no Scotts Act Inspector for a month and a half, to say the least, the average number of drunks is less than when we have an inspector on duty."

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In any further effort to be made to fight the white plague in New Brunswick there was hope when the Medical Society took up the question with the government that something would be done, but there is not even a campaign of education in progress. A return shows that there are more deaths from tuberculosis in the United States than from any other disease. The like is doubtless true of Canada and of this province.

A Boston court has awarded damages to a construction company which was interfered with by labor unions and a Christian Science church, which insisted that it should employ only union men. The court again declares the righteous principle of the open shop.

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THE BURDENS OF JAPAN. Recent mail advices from Japan indicate that the great burdens imposed by the recent war and by the ambitious programme of national development since inaugurated have brought the country close to what some native observers describe as a financial crisis. It is stated that:

taxation. Through the special war tax, each individual in the country was made to bear an additional burden of a few yen, and the people could not possibly bear a further addition to that burden of 3 or 4 yen. When the time came for this difficulty to be faced, the people would certainly be involved in heavy distress, while commerce and industry would be paralyzed."

On the same subject the Victoria Colonist of Feb. 9th says: "The steamer Empress of China brought advices that the new Japanese budget for 1907-8 is severely criticized by Japanese newspapers. Apart from the fact that a total sum of \$305,000,000 is required, \$60,000,000 more than last year, and twice as large an amount as was required to cover all expenditure prior to the Russo-Japanese war, several extraordinary appropriations are made for which provision is not in sight even after a lapse of some years. The budget provides large appropriations for naval and military increments, greatly increased over those of last year, when funds were taken from proceeds of public bonds as reserve funds, while this year they are to be taken from ordinary revenue. Schemes abandoned during the war are being revived and appropriations are included for improvement of rivers and harbors, extension of railways, telephones, iron foundries and establishment of new colleges and technical schools. Increased expenses for postbellum enterprises will amount to about \$140,000,000, and the Japanese press asks where are the resources for this. The Nichi Nichi thinks increased taxation inevitable and Count Okuma takes the same view, though he says taxes are now as high as they can conveniently be made."

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"Count Okuma, formerly finance minister and considered one of the most prominent political economists of the Mikado's empire, speaking at a general meeting of the Progressist party, a political aggregation of which he was the leader—he resigned the position at the meeting—said that under the present financial economic conditions in Japan, the nation would meet with great distress before long. The Budget for the coming fiscal year showed a deficit of nearly 200,000,000 yen in the revenue, which was simply made up with surplus from the past. This deficit would necessarily have to be made good by means of an issue of bonds, or a further increase of taxation before the lapse of two or three years. The further issue of bonds, however, was out of the question and on the other hand—so was an increase of

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Your Last Chance to Save \$5. Sale in our Tailoring Department Ends This Week. We will make to your order any of our Fancy Tweed and Worsted Suits at the following:

Reduced Prices: \$17.50 Suits to Order... \$12.50 \$4.50 Trousers to Order... \$3.75 \$18.50 Suits to Order... \$13.50 \$5.00 Trousers to Order... \$4.00 \$20.00 Suits to Order... \$15.00 \$5.50 Trousers to Order... \$4.50 \$21.50 Suits to Order... \$16.50 \$6.00 Trousers to Order... \$5.00 \$22.50 Suits to Order... \$17.50 \$6.50 Trousers to Order... \$5.50 \$23.50 Suits to Order... \$18.50 \$7.00 Trousers to Order... \$6.00

20 Per Cent. Off Winter Overcoats' Made-to-Order. Terms Cash During Sale. C. B. PIDGEON, Cor. Main and Bridge Sts., North End.

HIRAM WEBB, Electrical Contractor, 4 CHURCH STREET. ROOM 5. ORDERS TAKEN AT J. H. NOBLE'S, 25 King Square. Phone 39.

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Men's and Boys' Wool Mitts and Gloves. Heavy Wool and Fleece Lined Underwear. Heavy Socks, 25c. pr.; Fine Socks, 25c. pr.; Cashmere Socks, 25c. pr. WETMORE'S, Rubbers and Creepers, all sizes, 59 Garden St.

MR. W. F. HATHEWAY AND ALD. SPROUL. Addressed Meeting of Carpenters and Joiners Last Night.

In Union Hall last evening the carpenters and joiners of the city held a public meeting. Owing to the severity of the weather the attendance was not large. The president of the Carpenters' Union, George Breen, presided, and in opening advocated the organizing of the carpenters. From the standpoint of a union man, Ald. Sproul spoke of the introduction of the sliding scale of wages for union men, saying that there should be different prices for the different classes of workmen. President Breen said that the carpenters were not in sympathy with a Sproul's idea of a sliding scale of wages. W. Frank Hatheway addressed the gathering, and said that in Portland, Me., carpenters received \$2.25 per day, and the living there is cheaper than in St. John, where but \$2 per day is paid. Mr. Hatheway said that the argument most commonly advanced against trade unionism was that it necessitates a common wage, which Ald. Sproul had brought out. He also referred to the remark of Judge Forbes, "Would to God there were no trade unions," and then said in part: "Judges are paid alike; there are wise judges and there are others not so wise." As Mr. Hatheway was leaving the hall Ald. Sproul said that he did not concur with all of Mr. Hatheway's remarks and that he was sorry that the latter gentleman had left the hall without a discussion. Mr. Hatheway caught the remark and turned back, saying: "Oh, I have not left yet, Ald. Sproul, I am right here." Ald. Sproul again spoke strongly in favor of the sliding scale of wages and predicted that unless it was adopted the union would not be a success. Sanford Smith, J. W. Boyd and B. H. Irlam also spoke, advocating union.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. CURES ALL KIDNEY DISEASES. BRILLIANTLY EFFECTIVE IN DIABETES, GRAVEL, RHEUMATISM, BRONCHITIS, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY TRACT.

BACK TO LINDY'S

I want to go back to 'Lindy's—back to the old farm place. Where the friends I knew were true as blue and poverty no disgrace; I want to forget the sighing, the rush and the rattle of the railway-car. The whistle toot, the rumbling cart and the 'car' 'd like to go back a-roving in the drowsy afternoons. And dream the sounds of the grimy town in an ocean of clover blooms.

I want to go back to 'Lindy's—back to the 'suburb Lease'. Where it didn't take much of learning to make folks understand. Where the grasp of the hand was rugged, but the clasp was firm and true. And the eyes of the man behind them looked honest and frank at you. I want to steal off at twilight as I did when the sun sank low, And dream the dreams that were mine to dream in the hazy afterglow.

I want to go back to 'Lindy's—back to the stretch of years. I want to go back to the boyhood track beyond the doubt and fear. It seems but a step back yonder to the fields and the rose leaf rain. A step in miles, but all the years—they're linked in an endless chain! What of you? I've gathered, what little the world has done, I would have it thrice over, to live in its sweet entail.

I want to go back to 'Lindy's—where the white road and hill and dale and rill to the rim of distant gray. I want to get out in the open, where a fellow has elbow room— Where he'll never be afraid to cross the street for fear he will meet his doom. Back to the green orchard and the cool of the grateful sod— For that I'd give, I reckon, as ever I've been to God. —Exchange.

IN LIGHTER VEIN GUESS. A widow in half mourning. Doth by that sign confess That she has lost her mind—Nay, It's up to you to guess. —Puck.

WINTER SCENERY. See the snow a-falling, falling, Swirling 'mongst the leafless trees; And the people through it crawling, Cold of feet and damp of knees. —Philadelphia Ledger.

THE MAN WHO SMILES. I hate the man who always smiles. Be courteous, fair or sly, I want to stick a pin in him. And try to make him yell. —New York Sun.

WHY HE SAID IT. "Your husband says he would walk on hot ploughshares for you, Mrs. Luckie," said an envious neighbor. "Yes, because he knows he doesn't have to," retorted the wife, bitterly. "But just watch his expression when I ask him to bring up a scuttle of coal." —Baltimore American.

GIFT AND PURCHASE. There was a young fellow, 'Tis told, Whose wife was a terrible scold. Said he: "People say A bride's given away, But it strikes me the bridegroom is sold." —Louisville Courier-Journal.

A ROLLING STONE. Very Fat Gentleman (to street boy)—Sonny, can you tell me the quickest way I can get to the station? Very Naughty Boy (after looking him up and down carefully)—I should say you'd better lay down an' roll over 'bout twice.—El-Bits.

A TALMUDIC TALE Which introduces the Great Mogul, Admiral Adam and the Ludlow. Now it came to pass about the time that the winter was drawing to its close that one morning, whilst it was still early, and when the people were going to their usual occupations, a great noise was heard in the streets of the city and the citizens were amazed and dumfounded and looked at one another and stopped in the streets and said one unto another, what is the meaning of this uproar and blowing of horns which is in our ears, pray tell us? but no man answered, neither was any man able to tell the reason thereof. Whilst they were then standing and gazing at one another, lo and behold, there came towards them a man wrapped up in a great coat, even from the crown of his head to his heels, and as he came nearer to them they perceived that it was the Great Mogul who had been appointed by the Elders of the City to look after the Harbor and see that the vessels coming there were duly discharged from the hospital by the physicians, and has been returned to your Admiral, even Adam; and that she is now plying in the harbour and the noise which ye hear are sounds of horns and trumpets blown by the merchants and dwellers along the water side in honor of her recovery. Then the people were pleased and shouted at the top of their voices, "Long live Admiral Adam and his darling Ludlow!" And so it came to pass that the "Ludlow" once more resumed work and the minds of the people were at rest.

WHITEWEAR SALE. Corset Covers 12c, 18c, 25c, to \$1.50 each. Trainers, 25c to \$1.00 per pair. Night Gowns, 60c to \$1.25 each. \$12 Shirts, 60c, \$1.00 to \$2.25 each. White Lawn Waists, 60c, 90c, \$1.00 to \$1.65 each. Wall Paper Bargains—20,000 Rolls Beautiful Designs, 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, to 20c per Roll. ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE. 52-54 Charlotte street. Telephone, 1705.

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FERGUSON & PAGE. JEWELERS ETC., 41 KING STREET.

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where it would control the railroads of the nation. The financial proposition is simple. That in carrying it out, Mr. Harriman would approximately double the capitalization of the railroad properties of the country.

President Roosevelt personally directed the Interstate Commerce Commission to investigate the Harriman system. There was wonderment, after evidence had been obtained which seemed to furnish the basis for a prosecution under the criminal laws, why Mr. Harriman should himself be called and thus given immunity.

It is pointed out that the Harriman railroad system is the most extensive in the country and the most heavily capitalized. Running through a sparsely populated region, it is stocked and bonded for \$75,000 a mile. The Union Pacific itself, the parent company, is capitalized at \$133,000 a mile, while the Great Northern, as well or better equipped, has cost its owners only \$25,000 a mile.

If much of this vast capital represents not real value but waste in construction and illegitimate profits paid to Harriman and others for worthless paper, then it is not right that shippers by the Union Pacific should pay freight rates calculated to cover its interest and dividends.

It is admitted that Union Pacific freight rates have not changed in ten years, and Southern Pacific rates have risen, while the general rate for the country has decreased. Apparently the patrons of these two roads are now paying the piper for the "frenzied finance" gallop.

There is an interesting explanation of the government's apparently friendly disposition toward the Hill-Morgan group as compared to its determined hostility to the Harriman interests. This explanation, as given very frankly by a high administrative official, is that if the Harriman crowd were allowed to destroy the Hill system there would be no other power remaining in the railroad world strong enough to check the progress of Harriman to complete domination of the whole railroad situation.

Once in complete control of the trans-Mississippi territory, Harriman would extend his influence to the east, where it is already powerful, faster even than he has expanded in the west. So, it is said, the Hill group is being used as a buffer against the advances of the Harriman-Rockefeller interests until laws may be obtained under which to regulate capitalization and financial exploitation. Public opinion as expressed by the press is universally commendatory of the Harriman methods.

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CURLING

Two rinks of St. Stephen curlers will be here today to try to wrest the McCallan cup from the Thistles.

SKATING

LOGAN WAS IN HARD LUCK. The New York World of Tuesday says the men are anxious to begin their work.

BASE BALL

DIAMOND NOTES. The few New York Giants in the East left on their training trip Monday.

TURF AND TRICK NOTES

Thirty-five men and boys are employed to look after the forty-seven racers owned by James H. Keene and stabled at Sheephead Bay.

WRESTLING

SHARKEY AND GALLAGHER TRAIN. Tom Sharkey and Dennis Gallagher are training hard for their wrestling match at mixed styles, which is scheduled to be held tonight.

MORE RACES SATURDAY

The National Skating Championships of the Amateur Athletic Union will be held at Woodland Lake, Westchester County, New York, next Saturday.

THE RING

GOSSIP OF THE BOXERS. John Wilks, a Chicago heavyweight, and Harry Rogers, an Indiana, have signed articles of agreement calling for a twenty round bout to take place before the Athletics Athletic Club, of Springfield, Ark., on March 25.

EAT IT TOO FAST

The Book Agent-Madame, I'd like to sell you this cook book. Among other things it tells you 20 ways to utilize cold roast beef.

WHAT HE CAUGHT

"Did you catch the last car home from the lodge last night?" "No, I had to walk home, and caught a cold and also caught the dickens when I got home."

WHAT HE CAUGHT

At the recent meeting of the Liberal-Conservatives of Albert county, held in Hillsboro, the following were mentioned as prospective candidates in the provincial elections: J. Steeves, W. B. Dickson, J. L. Peck, W. B. Jones, J. T. Lewis and D. N. Murray.

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TONIGHT! DON'T FORGET

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TO LET—ROOMS, 147 UNION STREET.

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WANTED—INDUSTRIOUS MAN, TO Rent or Work on Shark Farm on West Side St. John River.

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WANTED TO RENT—SMALL FURNISHED flat of four or five rooms.

LOST—SATURDAY NIGHT BETWEEN 10 and 11 o'clock, a key.

LOST—IN THE UNION STATION OR ON board the Sleeping Car between St. John and Montreal.

WHAT HE CAME FOR. Prosecuting Attorney—How did you come to get mixed up in this altercation?

FOR SALE—ONE GOOD SAFE, A N D Standing Desk, also Two Sets Platform Scales.

FOR SALE—NEW HATS, NEW CAPS, New Neckwear, New Shirts.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—THAT LARGE Farm, known as "SUNSHINE" or the "Hazen Farm."

FOR SALE—HOUSE 20 SUMMER STREET suitable for 2 houses.

FOR SALE—FRESHLOD LOT AND BUILDING, 9 ROOMS AND SHOP.

FOR SALE

Double Brick House—10 rooms each, including bathroom, in fine condition.

David Richards, of Campbellton, was registered at the Victoria yesterday.

Miss Ramsay has returned home after an extended visit to New York and Boston.

Former Deputy Mayor Walter Lane, of Brockton (Mass.), is visiting St. John, his native city.

Much interest centres in the basketball game to be played tonight in the Algonquin Club rooms.

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