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PAPER MILL FOR BATHURST?

A Bathurst letter says:—Since the acquisition by the Bathurst Lumber Company, last week, of the Noniquit Lumber Co's property, rumors of the erection of a paper and pulp mill are rife.

WALL STREET NOTES

New York, Jan. 20.—Week's currency movements indicate gain of \$10,000,000 in cash by the banks.

NEW YORK SAVING BANK ASSOCIATION

Steel tariff bill to be ready for Democratic caucus Monday night, average reduction about forty per cent.

WANT FIVE GIRLS FOR HAND SEWING AT FACTORY

Factory, 195 Union street, Lowell Street, L.L. 300-1-23.

THE MARRIAGE LAW

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—There may be a reference to the courts in the matter of the marriage law by the government when Mr. Lancaster's bill is brought in on Monday.

Sir Allen Aylesworth, held that marriage, under the B. N. A. act, came exclusively within provincial jurisdiction.

CLAN MACKENZIE. The clan Mackenzie has completed arrangements for the annual Scottish night in the city.

WEEK-END BILL. At the Gen tonight the programme will be composed of "A Brother-in-Arms," a story of Mexico and Indiana.

Get Your Fall Clothing From the Union Store 223 Union St. Ideal Easy Payments.

THE BRITISH COTTON TROUBLE. Sir George Aldrich, the greatest recognized British "strike-breaker" who is trying to arrange the great British cotton workers strike.

DEATHS. FUNERAL—At Lower Norton on the 20th inst., Mrs. Leah Maria Frost, beloved wife of Samuel E. Frost.

DEATHS. FUNERAL—On the 20th inst., Mrs. H. Murphy, aged seventy-eight years, leaving two sons and one daughter.

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MUSICAL TREAT AT OPERA HOUSE

Columbus Musical Club of Halifax in Comic Opera The Isle of Palms

The Columbus Musical Club of Halifax, who are to produce the comic opera, "The Isle of Palms" at the Opera House on Monday night.

LOCAL NEWS. Bargains for this evening's shoppers at Vize's.

WANTED—A kitchen girl, Apply Royal Hotel, 104-1-23.

Rev. H. S. Mahood will speak at the Every Day Club tomorrow evening.

A meeting of the Independent Labor party will be held in the Market street building.

A returned missionary, Rev. C. B. Freeman, will speak in the Charlotte street United Baptist church tomorrow at eleven a.m.

See our window display of new photographs and be convinced of the quality that is put into our work.

Archdeacon Raymond will be the speaker at the afternoon service in the Holy Trinity church.

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W. F. Hatheway, M. P. P. will lecture Sunday 8 p.m. on "The Cause of Poverty." Questions and discussion. All invited.

SEASONABLE. Not a clearance sale, just our ordinary January values.

THE 2 BARKERS have arriving today 300 lbs. of butter, which they will sell from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.

PRESENTATION. Miss Bessie Odell, of 25 Brimley street, was surprised last evening by a party of friends who called and presented to her a beautiful watch.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Mrs. Emma J. Dibblee was held this afternoon at two o'clock from the home of her father, Wm. Dunlop, twenty-one Clifton street.

CITY PAY DAY. The first pay day since Christmas was eagerly welcomed by the city officials today.

EXCITEMENT IN ULSTER INCREASES. London, Jan. 20.—Deluge is still the predominant note on both sides in Ulster this morning.

Men's One Buckle Rubbers \$1.00 a pair. Ladies' Plain Rubbers 50c a pair. Men's Rubber Boots \$3.00 a pair. Child's Rubbers 4 to 10-12 35c a pair.

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THEY MAY STRIKE

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SUNDAY SERVICES. Congregational Church, Union street. Rev. H. S. Mahood, D.D., pastor—Services at eleven a.m. and seven p.m.

THE EAST AND THE WEST. At a meeting of the Woodstock board of trade this week, Thomas Noddin declared that New Brunswick and Carleton County in particular, was the greatest country the sun shone on.

NO INCREASE YET. Although the money required to give the additional wages has been secured, the council has not yet authorized the creation of additional offices.

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Write the above words in plain, a, neatly, as in case of a pen, both writing and neatness will be considered in this contest. Should you not happen to be a neat penman, it is worth your time to take a little trouble over this matter.

Remember, all you have to do is to mark the faces, cut out the picture, and write on a separate piece of paper the words, "I have found the seven faces and marked them."

We do not ask you to spend One Cent of Your Money in order to enter this Contest.

Send your answer at once! We will reply by Return Mail telling you whether your answer is correct or not, and we will send you a complete Prize List, together with the names and addresses of a few persons who have recently received One Thousand Dollars in Cash Prizes from us, and full particulars of a simple and easy condition that must be fulfilled. (This condition does not involve the spending of any of your money.)

Winners of Cash Prizes in our late competitions will not be allowed to enter this Contest. Below will be found the names and addresses of a few persons who have won some of our larger prizes in recent contests. Your opportunity to win a good round sum is equally as good as that of anyone else, as all previous winners of cash prizes are debarred from entering this contest.

Names and Addresses of a few Prize-Winners in Recent Contests. Mrs. W. A. Orr, 407 Grand St., W. Reg. 124. Mrs. J. A. Brown, 124 Grand St., W. Reg. 124.

And MANY OTHERS. Address: BOVEL MANUFACTURING CO. BOVEL BUILDING, MONTREAL, CANADA.

The Evening Times and Star

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THE FORWARD MOVEMENT

The Moncton board of trade has subscribed \$1,000 to establish a commercial orchard. Following the action by the St. John board, this will give a further impetus to the development of the orchard industry throughout the province.

The Woodstock board of trade wants the town and county council to grant \$500 back to aid in advertising Carleton county, and securing a good class of immigrants.

The Fredericton board of trade asks for similar action in York county. The Sackville board of trade and town council have set out upon a campaign of their own for a like purpose.

Other examples might be cited to show how thoroughly the province is waking up to a sense of its opportunities for growth and development. While there may fairly be a friendly rivalry between localities in the race of progress, there should also be the most hearty co-operation. Joint action must be taken to formulate general plans, and to urge upon the provincial government the fullest recognition of its share in the general forward movement.

The North Shore Leader says: "The advantages of Newcastle and the Miramichi will be shown to capitalists through the medium of an attractive prospectus. The decision arrived at by the Newcastle Board of Trade on Tuesday evening, a great deal of optimism was shown throughout the session which was one of the largest ever held by the board."

TECHNICAL SCHOOLS

The citizens of Ottawa realize the value of technical education, and will make increased provision for it in connection with the public school system of the city. The Journal says that it is likely the sum of \$30,000 will be spent in the near future by the public school board to erect an addition to the building now used as a technical school.

While reading of what is done in other cities to provide technical instruction for children, one is reminded that St. John makes no such provision. Beyond an occasional sporadic expression of belief that technical instruction should be given, there is no evidence that the citizens realize its value. Perhaps this is to some extent due to the fact that the city has incurred considerable expense in providing an excellent series of school buildings. And yet, a city might have splendid school buildings, and fail to give its children the kind of education most desirable. We are approaching the time when due provision must be made in St. John for technical instruction. There was talk of night schools, but they have not been opened. In order to equip very many of the children of today for a successful career it is necessary to give them technical instruction.

The combines are safe. There will be nothing to trouble them this year. The Borden government is thinking of other matters.

The last week has developed further strength in the position of real estate in St. John, and brought further proof that outside investors are looking this way.

The Conservatives of South Renfrew have broken faith with the Liberals and will oppose the election of Hon. George F. Graham. Mr. Graham does not want any more critics in the house.

There is a marked evidence of the spread of the spirit of optimism in New Brunswick in the tone and contents of the daily and weekly newspapers of the province. The Times sheds in its New Brunswick exchanges a tone quite different from that of a few years ago. This is a very healthy and hopeful sign.

An Ottawa despatch to the Telegraph says it is probable the \$1,000,000 for St. John harbor will be divided between the west side dredging and wharf building and the beginning of work at Courtenay Bay, and that it is expected the contract for the Courtenay Bay works will soon be

signed. An authoritative announcement to this effect would give great satisfaction to all parties in this city.

The Fredericton board of trade will urge the city council to advertise the city as a good location for factories, a desirable place of residence, and a city that has a very bright outlook. That's business.

The Simms factory and the big paper mill will be of enormous benefit to Fairville. What is the present situation concerning the new bridge, on which Hon. Mr. Maxwell expects work to be begun early in the spring?

The city and municipal councils should take a hand in this matter of street railway extension. Whatever difficulties are in the way of that extension should be removed, or the responsibility so fixed that every citizen may know where the blame lies.

A Montreal paper announces that Sir Rodolph Forget has promised fifty thousand dollars to Notre-Dame Hospital, if the same amount is collected from other friends of the institution, and a hundred thousand dollars if ninety subscriptions of five thousand dollars each are secured. Montreal has many liberal supporters of its public institutions.

"The minister of labor," said Hon. Mr. Crothers in parliament yesterday, "has no intention of bringing down legislation this session concerning combines or anything else." Before the new government got into power there was great and urgent need of reform in all departments, and of a progressive policy. Now that the ministerial salaries and patronage are secure, the need of reform is no longer recognized.

We are told by the Standard that Mr. Hazen raked Mr. Emmerson fore and aft yesterday. Not long ago he reduced Dr. Pugsley to splinters. What a terror Mr. Hazen has become since he went to Ottawa! Nobody who knew him at Fredericton would ever have believed him capable of such slaughter. Obviously enough both Dr. Pugsley and Mr. Emmerson are quite cheerful over the situation. Perhaps they do not know when they are demolished by this new political giant.

The Isle of Palms

Miss Edna Scriven will be heard in an introduced number at the Isle of Palms at the Opera House Monday and Tuesday evening and Tuesday matinee, and her excellent voice will be heard to advantage.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

Improvement in Strike Situation

The strike record of the Canadian labor department shows that there were only eight trade disputes in existence during December, being six less than in November and two less than in December, 1911. About ten firms and slightly more than 1400 employees were involved. The loss in working days amounted approximately to 40,000. The new disputes of the month were of only slight importance. There were only four disputes unsettled at the close of the year.

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IN LIGHTER VEIN

The other day a gentleman had occasion to go on board one of the American lines at Southampton to see the first mate, a stranger to him. Upon stepping over the gangway the first mate he met was the ship's cook, an Irishman, by the way. "Say," said the gentleman, according him, "are you the mate?" "No," said Pat, "I'm the man that cooks the mate."

AN HONEST HIGHLANDER

'Twas the grouse shooting season. An English gentleman in the North of Scotland took a notion to attend the service at the village Kirk. On arriving at the door he was met by a big honest Highlander. "Can I go in?" asked the visitor. "Well, ay," replied the native, "if wid ye gey gied tae gie ye a sate, but the empty yards are a' full."

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Nice, Clean, Fresh Goods.

- Men's Rubbers, . . . 55c.
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Boys' Rubbers, . . . 45c.
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The clearance sale of all Winter Goods still continues.

- OVERSHOES,
SKATING BOOTS,
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The prices are so low that to see them is to buy them. A clearance sale with us means that we cut the prices so low that people will buy.

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Labor Man in Australia Works His Way to Position of Importance

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Glorious Hair for Women.

Your Money Back Says A. Chipman Smith if PARISIAN SAGE isn't the Most Delightful Hair Dressing, Grower, Beautifier and Dandruff Remover you ever saw.



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Henry Labouchere

Henry Labouchere, or "Tabby," as he was frequently called, the noted editor of the "London Truth," who died the other day in Florence, Italy.

Miss Courtney Leading Lady

Miss Ella M. Courtney, who made a hit in the oratorio production last Tuesday at the Opera House Monday and Tuesday evening and Tuesday matinee, and will be heard in some very good solos and some of the latest hits.

INTERESTS HAVE THE GRIP AT OTTAWA

Government's "Do Nothing" Policy About Trusts—Courtney Bay

Ottawa, Jan. 19.—The refusal of the federal government to introduce legislation for the regulation of trusts and combines was an interesting feature of yesterday's session of the house.

Hon. Mr. Oliver asked for action with regard to the broad combine and Mr. Rogers made a reply regarding the existence of a combine to regulate retail lumber prices in the prairie provinces.

Western Liberals drew attention to Hon. Mr. Rogers' telegram saying he had set the coat of arms in Alberta several weeks before the dispute was brought to an end.

Ottawa, Jan. 19.—Because he failed to discipline the vagabond on the locomotive who interrupted Arnold Layman's speech by shouting "No more!"

Talented Singers From Halifax

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Sheer, Rich Fabrics in Popular Colorings Suitable For Dresses Blouse Waists, Drop Skirts, Coat Linings and Other Uses

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20 inches wide, Sale price 39c Yard

The sale will start at 8.30 in the SILK DEPARTMENT—SECOND FLOOR.

Keep in Mind The Free Hemming In Linen Room

During this sale of Linens and Cottons—Table Cloths, Napkins, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Towels and Quilts will all be HEMMED FREE OF CHARGE.

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NOVELTY NETS in squares, stripes and floral patterns, cream and ecru shades. Good, firm nets woven to stand the strain of laundering without losing shape or good appearance. Prices from 30c. to \$1.10 per yard.

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WEDDINGS

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RECENT DEATHS

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Women's Winter Gloves at Marked Reductions

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134-1.

ROOMS WITH BOARD, Mrs. McAfee, 186
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LOST—Between St. Paul's church and
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Finder will be rewarded by returning to
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PROPERTIES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—New two tenement free-
hold property, lot 50x175, Woodville
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ly new, stone wall foundation, fitted
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ly surrounded with lawn, shade trees and
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FOR SALE—Two covered carriages,
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WANTED—Immediately, competent
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est pay. Apply Women's Exchange, 108
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ply 1774 Waterloo street.
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WANTED—Girl for general housework;
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WANTED—A general servant with re-
ferences. Apply Mrs. Gillis, 709
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WANTED—Girl for general housework;
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burg street.
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GIRL WANTED—Apply to Mrs. War-
drop, 169 Wentworth street; refer-
ences required.
62-4-1.

WANTED—At once, a girl to care for
a few children, plain family, good
home. Box 4 Times Office.
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WANTED—Girl to assist in kitchen. Ap-
ply General Public Hospital.
398-1-22.

WANTED—A general girl and waitress.
Apply Adams House, Princess street.
38-4-1.

WANTED—General girl, willing to assist
with the care of children, 25 Queen
Square.
26-4-1.

WANTED—A capable general maid,
must have references. Apply 147 Un-
ion street.
19-4-1.

WANTED—Girl for general housework;
references required. Apply 188 Ger-
main street.
21-4-1.

GIRL WANTED for general housework.
Apply Miss Clinch, 307 Charlotte
street.
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WANTED—A dining room girl. Apply
Winey Fort Restaurant, West Side
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FOR SALE—Eight Oak Dining Chairs,
Leather bottoms, 1 ashcroft, 1 ex-
tension dining table, all in
good order at a bargain. Address Box D
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SALESMEN WANTED for nursery
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MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

In a fire which destroyed the police
court and fire hall in Kenora, Ont. last
night, \$12,000 damage was caused, and a
C. P. R. fireman, Charles Nelson, lost his
life.
Orrie McManis, before the federal
grand jury in Indianapolis last night, said
that there were five men implicated in the
explosion to cite iron works at Akron, O.
The names of three were furnished by
him.

The Victoria county council is seeking
legislation so that they could tax the C.
P. R. land owned by that company in the
county, the total value of which is
about \$2,000,000. It has also been decided
to double the rate of taxation on the New
Brunswick Land Co's property. This com-
pany will now have to pay 80 cents an
acre.

St. Anna's nursery, at St. Jacques
L'Angeles, P. Q., containing thirty trees
and 100 children, was destroyed by fire
yesterday morning while the occupants
were at breakfast. The nursery was val-
ued at \$20,000, partly insured.

Two Deer Island fishermen, Sydney and
Mark Lord, aged about forty and thirty
years, are thought to have been drowned
in the severe storm of last week. They
have been missing for some days, and
their boats were found in fragments on
the shore. Their hats were found
floating near the beach. They had been
engaged in lobster fishing. Sydney Lord
was married with wife and several chil-
dren.

The Eastern Canada Power Company,
organized by Sir Max Aitken and asso-
ciates, will apply for a Dominion charter
to erect a dam on the St. Lawrence and
Cape Rapids to generate electric power. It
is estimated that a million horsepower can
be secured. The company will have a
capital of \$100,000,000 and the dam alone
will cost \$25,000,000.

Summer Conference in Sackville
A forward policy embracing the estab-
lishment of the missionary education move-
ment in the maritime provinces through a
series of conferences at Sackville and Inst-
onville in Moncton and other places, was
adopted at the annual meeting of the Can-
adian section of the Missionary Education
Movement of America in Toronto this
week. The branch also hopes to promote
work by co-operation in the new con-
ference contemplated in British Columbia
and by the appointment of co-operating
committees and corresponding members.
The Ladies' Missionary Movement will
be approached, too, with a view to secur-
ing similar co-operation in the maritime
provinces at the White conference.

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Apples, from 15c. a bush up.
1 lb. Tin Barkers' Baking Powder, 25c.
Double Corn, 8c. a Can.

3 Packages Malta Vita, 25c.
Cups and Saucers, 50c. a dozen up.
Pates from 40c. a dozen up.
Sauce Pans, from 25c. up.
New Kettles, from 25c. up.

Diapers, from 7c. up.
Tin Pails, from 15c. up.
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at a value in a short time. So you see that our plan is the only one
that really saves the cost of high living and still gives us a living margin.

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High Cut or Ordinary Length. Made of the very best Kangaroo stock,
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Carrying Sets,
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Cloaks,
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Tea Sets,
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**PROBLEMS OF HOME RULE SITUATION**

The Irish Vote in Matters Before Parliament at Westminster

MUCH BEING MADE OF THIS

A Glance Back to the Time of the Gladstone Bill—Rural Development and its Check—Unionists and Others Get Belfast Headquarters

(Times Special Correspondent)  
Dublin, Jan. 20.—Before 1912 runs much further the cabinet will have to face the central problems of the forthcoming home rule bill, whether the new Irish parliament is to control customs and excise, and how the Irish representation at Westminster is to be settled. Mr. Birrell has said that the home rule bill is in draft. Every Irish politician knows that, but every Irish politician knows that these essential matters have yet to come to a decision.  
The ultimate resolve of ministers is fraught with the gravest consequences. The prime minister warned his followers only a few days ago as to their responsibility in the matter. He was asked to bestow a benediction on the first issue of "Home Rule Notes," the official publication of the recently formed home rule committee. Instead, he has delivered a warning which already shows a sharp contrast to the attitude of the home rule bill. He reminds his party that the forthcoming measure can only pass under the terms of the Parliament Act.  
"But," he grimly adds, "it is of the essence of the Parliament Act, both in its letter and spirit, that a home rule bill becomes law under its operation without the sanction of the House of Commons, dependent directly in its own words on the consent of the House of Commons, and the consent of the House of Commons is the only sanction which can be given to the bill. The bill is not law until it has passed the House of Commons, and the House of Commons is the only body which can give it the sanction of the House of Commons."  
It will, therefore, be in no light-hearted mood that ministers will assemble in the coming week to settle the vital provisions of the home rule bill. The bill is not law until it has passed the House of Commons, and the House of Commons is the only body which can give it the sanction of the House of Commons.  
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might, therefore, itself be at the mercy of the Irish vote.  
But this is a mild objection to the "independent" policy compared with others. Suppose a government commanding a majority in England, Scotland, and Wales proposed a tariff reform budget. This clearly is an imperial matter, and the Irish vote, although it had no mandate from its constituents on the subject, could decide the issue.  
Again, every budget, if only by reason of the fact that it imposes income tax, is an imperial matter, and so is the question of an adequate or little navy, or the allied issue of Indian government, or the franchise. Yet a government which had a clear majority of English, Scottish, and Welsh representatives on these subjects might be dominated and defeated by the Irish vote.  
Let the argument be taken a step further. Suppose such a government, with a majority in Great Britain on all Irish subjects, was defeated on an imperial question by the representatives from Ireland. Should it resign, and, leaving subject the British electorate to the inconvenience and expense of a general election, although notoriously it enjoys no confidence? It would, indeed, be a serious prospect for a British ministry that its existence may depend on the Irish vote or colonial office administration.  
Such is the great problem which the cabinet must solve without further delay. They know only too well the vast difficulty of the task of a pro-Irishist Mr. Gladstone himself abandoned as insoluble. They dare not exclude the Irish members from Westminster. To do so would mean the Irish demand on the one hand, and on the other would be a distinct step in the direction of a "pro-Irishist" policy. It is known that the "independent" policy holds the field. If it is adopted, every limitation and safeguard will be introduced to protect the British electorate from the influence of the Irish vote. If it is not pursued without restriction or qualification, the Irish vote will force the Nationalist party to cast the government from office.

Rural Development

Regarding the crisis in Irish rural progress, Mr. Birrell writes in a letter to the London Times in which he says: "For the last two or three years, rural reformers, with whom I have been associated and in whose behalf I write, have been demanding a complete scheme of rural development, their formula being better farming, better business, better living. The means of such a practice of farming and of co-operative methods into all its business, thus furnishing the means and organization through which a more comfortable and socially more attractive life could be evolved than is the main line of an attempt to build up an agricultural Ireland, emerging from an agrarian condition which is a national disaster."  
These efforts are just now suffering from a severe attack of Ireland's chronic disease, the interference with her economic progress in England. This is the result of the fact that the British minister who, acting in direct opposition to the policy of his own government, is using his official position to destroy an Irish movement to which he owes the existence of his office.  
"We do not suggest that the government are more than technically responsible; they do not know the facts, which are by no means obvious, nor do they care to know them. They are more than technically responsible; they do not know the facts, which are by no means obvious, nor do they care to know them. They are more than technically responsible; they do not know the facts, which are by no means obvious, nor do they care to know them."

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The really beautiful woman must possess the following seven points of beauty: a good complexion, a perfect figure, a nice head of hair, beautiful eyes, pretty eyebrows, a well shaped mouth, good teeth.  
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**The Irish Vote**  
The problem of the Irish vote at Westminster under home rule is by no means a simple one. It is a subject which has been discussed in many quarters. The Irish vote in matters before parliament at Westminster is a subject which has been discussed in many quarters. The Irish vote in matters before parliament at Westminster is a subject which has been discussed in many quarters.

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The play was well produced, with excellent stage setting under supervision of D. J. Cory, and between the acts pleasing specialties were enjoyed. Those assuming the characters were letter perfect in their parts—The requirements—spoken clearly and well, while their acting was easy and natural, with little to suggest the amateur. This, however, was to be expected as actors who have successfully appeared before the local footlights in other performances, were in the cast.

Barton Wetmore played excellently as Sir Simon Simple and gave a consistently good character impersonation, winning hearty commendation for his good work. On two others in the cast were also dramatic for character work and neither fell short. Clarence Carney an American Vice-Consul, as Mrs. Mold, won honors at every appearance. He was equally good in acting and in dialect, while John Sears as Mr. Mold played his part with the ease of a professional.

Leonard A. Conlon gave his usual careful and meritorious performance in the part of Mr. Murgatroyd, and Frank J. Cory was happily cast and played well in the lighter role of his clerk, Fred Grant.

Miss Rhoda Malcock and Miss Josephine Lynch had the principal female characters and were perfectly at home in the assumed personalities. Miss Margaret Kennedy and Sydney Calver, in lesser parts, completed a well balanced cast. All were rewarded with heavily expressed appreciation.

There were two specialties, daintily arranged, nicely presented and well sung under the capable direction of A. Chip Ritchie. In the first the leading parts were excellently taken by Miss Florrie Halpin, and Gerald R. McCafferty in solos and duet, supported by a good chorus. They had to respond to a hearty encore, which was made the occasion of the presentation of a bouquet to Miss Halpin. The second specialty was also much enjoyed. Miss Gorcham of Moncton was the popular soloist and the chorus in this was also well sung. The number had to be repeated, in response to the demand of the audience.

Those taking part in the specialties were Misses Florrie Halpin, W. Gorcham, K. Wallace, N. Carleton, A. Ward, K. Mounay, M. Ward, M. Kennedy, Messrs G. R. McCafferty, N. O'Neill, N. McGuire, H. Lynch, R. Thompson, L. Colborne, J. Hogue, W. E. Murphy.

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# JUDGMENTS TOTAL MORE THAN MILLION

## New York High Flyer Gets Into The Court

### \$10,000 FOR A HEN

#### Schwab Offered it and it Was Refused—English Visitor Fired Shot Into Divorce Camp—News Letter From New York

(Times Special Correspondence)

New York, Jan. 18.—Edward R. Thomas, banker, automobile enthusiast, and gayest of the town, yesterday was in court for judgment in the divorce case of \$1,130,349 and interest.

Supreme Court Justice Gleason signed an order the other day allowing the Dowling Green Trust Company, which got a \$20,000 judgment in 1908 against Thomas, of which \$7,732 remains unpaid, to garnish \$10,000 a year out of his income of \$180,000 from the estate of his father, General Samuel Thomas, until his claim is paid in full. In addition to this \$100,000 come from his father's estate, which is a trust fund, and which until recent court decisions was immune from attachment for debts, Thomas has enjoyed an income of \$30,000 a year by permission of his creditors under an agreement with them.

The proceedings wind up Thomas' sensational career as a New York banker and spendthrift. He was the reputed backer of Mahatma in "The Mocking Bird," before that dive captivated W. Ellis Corey, former president of the Steel Trust, who will be recalled divorced the wife of his youth and early struggles, in order that he might marry her.

Subsequently Thomas took a fancy to Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, the one-time actress model, whose story of the attempted murder has been covered upon her by Stanford White, who caused her estranged husband Harry Thaw to murder that famous architect. Following the incarceration of Thaw in the Matteawan Asylum for the Criminal Insane, from which he is now about to return for the fifth time as a convict to be liberated, the model and Thomas were spotted from the Knickerbocker Hotel dining room as undesignated guests.

In these days the banker and his wife occupied the \$20,000 a year royal suite of the St. Regis and spent money like water. Of late he has been living abroad and very little has been heard from him, except from Paris that his wife, who is an uncommonly beautiful woman and very popular in society, had given consent of him and would apply for a divorce. This was later denied and the couple are now dead-end in a still very hot one.

All reports to the contrary notwithstanding, the mother of the banker is very liberal with him and it is said he will see her through his present financial difficulties, however deep his creditors may slip into his patrimony.

#### A Blow at Divorce

Fresh from London news, enjoy with a set of very emphatic ideas concerning divorce and the danger to society of laws which facilitate the dissolution of the marriage tie, Doctor Stanton, C. C. author and chairman of the West London Ethical Society, has come to the throne of the colony to set up and take action. The doctor is something of an authority on the subject and has been here for the purpose of studying at close range the problem of progressive polygamy as practiced in our cities, civilization with the sanction of the courts and the seeming approval of society.

"It seems to me," said he the other day, "that the modern attitude of society toward the practice of divorce is incredibly brutal and barbarous. Summed up it is simply: 'We have got into an awful mess and let's get out of it as soon as we can.' There is not the slightest attempt, no pretence, even toward loyalty, self-respect, duty of service to a weaker member—brother or sister—there is only the bare selfish desire for individual happiness at the expense of a race ideal. The ideal society is that where the divorce is perfectly possible in law, but where no one ever takes for it. Marriage is the most wonderful partnership in the world, because it involves a sharing of the vital force. The tie between husband and wife should be as unbreakable as that between parents and children. No crime, no injury should avail to separate it."

"The divorce situation," continued Doctor Stanton, "is a very different in England from that in this country. In my own country the laws are exceedingly unfair to women, since any man may divorce his wife for unfaithfulness, while she must prove both fidelity and extreme cruelty, before she can receive a decree. Also the machinery for obtaining a divorce is costly, which gives the rich an unfair advantage over the poor. Here of course it is much easier for members of both sexes to break the marriage tie, precisely why there are so many unhappy marriages. Every union based on selfish attraction, based on the young woman's strength in the young man, is preferable to the modern marriage of convenience for the former is based on the principles of natural selection and works for the strengthening and safeguarding of the race, while the modern marriage is an artificial and almost sure to result disastrously."

#### Refused \$10,000 For Hen

The goose that laid the golden egg has nothing on Edward R. Thomas, who took part in the 1912. This royal single combed white Leghorn has the distinction of having the highest price offered for it by a fancier of which there is any record. Four times since the poultry show of 1907, Edward R. Thomas, N. Y., has taken the first prize in its class. Following his last triumph here the other day, Charles M. Schwab, the original owner of the bird, sought to buy it for a friend, who was anxious to get it for his country place. Schwab started his bid for the bird at \$200, and by successive stages raised it to \$10,000. When he reached this figure, Young, who had preemptively turned down each of the previous offers asked for time to consider it. After consulting his wife, the owner of the cockerel, who is a rich man himself, declared that twice \$10,000 would not make the bird the property of Schwab or any one else.

During the bidding, a crowd of wealthy financiers stood around the Steel Trust and were almost struck dumb when Young declined to accept his top price. Stahlman's present figure is that if the cockerel was worth \$10,000, in actual cash its progeny might be worth the ransom of a king and the eggs of the lady members of any save a Rockefeller or a Pierpont Morgan. During its stay in Madison Square Garden, the cockerel has attracted attention as a spirited thoroughbred trotter or racing horse. Night and day it was watched with as much solicitude as if it was the most precious thing on earth.

#### Clubman is Sued

With three of the fashionable "lobster palaces," where the ditty sons of indigent parents departed nightly with amber haired chorus girls to the hands of receivers and Foxhall Keene, clubman, polo player and some time Wall street broker, is being dumped for \$8,000 to the Waldorf-Astoria for chops and things, the proprietor has reason to feel that he is not so bad off after all. The lobster palace went to the wall because they could not stand the long list of credits that of late months they have been obliged to chalk up nightly on the slate. Their patrons found it inconvenient to remit promptly and the butchers put on the squeeze.

Some surprise was excited about town when it became known around that "Pete" Keene, who is the only son of James R. Keene, the multi-millionaire bear operator of the financial district had been sued by the Waldorf-Astoria for his unpaid balance. Although a high flyer, Keene was supposed to have more than an ample allowance from his father to maintain himself in the ease and luxury his tastes demand. The Waldorf-Astoria has long been the rendezvous of the Keenes. Many of the great bear movements of the last fifteen years have been arranged there. In the old days it was a familiar sight to see the elder Keene, who has been deparately called "the fox of Wall street" by those he has helped put on the wrong side of the ledger in the grim fight for control of the market, meeting reports from his army of agents while seated in one of the big leather chairs in Peacock Alley.

While more or less indifferent to business matters, Foxhall, his son, when not playing polo with the Meadowbrooks was usually on the scene when the big coup was being pulled off. Of late he has been much of an absentee, which may explain the action of the hotel management in instituting suit for the amount of its bill.

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#### WOMEN AS LIFE SAVERS

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# WEEKLY COTTON LETTER

(From E. & C. Randolph's Weekly Market Letter, furnished by J. M. Robinson & Sons.)

New York, Jan. 18.—The upward movement, which has been so strongly in evidence since the first of the year, carried prices into new high ground for the first time during the last week, with the predictions of ten cent cotton realized, after a fashion, when October sold at that price last Friday. Profit taking by recent buyers and a renewal of bear pressure halted the advance around this level, but no actual weakness appears to have developed, although prices have cooled off several points from the best.

The advance in prices is coming in time to modify the determination to refuse to speculate, that a settlement of labor agreements. Correspondents in whose judgment we have considerable confidence, tell us there will be little if any reduction of the price holds reasonably steady around the ten cent level, and from here and there in the field we receive reports that the south is being pushed somewhat for money, thus suggesting that, with the appearance of more favorable weather, spot offerings may become heavier.

Considering the fact that advances from present prices attract increased selling against spot, that a settlement of labor troubles has doubtless been discounted, as the market has advanced ever since they began, and that further gains in prices will find many southern planters in need of funds for financing next crop preparations, we can only interpret the opinions expressed in our correspondent letters, if any thing, in fact, we find it still more difficult to reconcile the existing world's situation with the idea of a permanent advance in the price of cotton until, at least, we have some actual assurance of a smaller production next season.

#### The Potato Market

(Holland Market)

The potato market is exceeding strong. Buyers began this week paying even 25¢. The condition of the Canadian market at this time will warrant an even greater price to the farmer. The almost entire absence of any other than New Brunswick potatoes leaves the consumer at the mercy of the dealer. In Anson county potatoes leaves for a long time sold for \$2.50 and better, and the great spot of Maine last week imported Scotch potatoes.

#### Money in Smith

(Chicago World)

We have heard several good jack stories from the fishing camps down river. One man got 2,200 lbs. in his net the other night. The men on the stream have made big waves, and some of them have had to be rescued. We met a young fellow the other night with a 200 lb. home that he had paid for with part of his season's fishing proceeds.

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### SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

**Baseball**  
Burchell a Magnate  
Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 18.—The sale of the Syracuse baseball team in the State League was finally accomplished last night after a conference between George Knutson, T. C. Griffin and "Lefty" Burchell. The two former are the present owners of the club, while Burchell, the purchaser is a gatcher with the Montreal International League team, and formerly played for the Boston Red Sox. Burchell, who lives in Jordan, N. Y., is now negotiating for his release from the Montreal club.

**Bowling**  
The team from T. S. Shima Company took four points from Barnes & Co's team last night on Black's alleys in the commercial league. No city league games were played. The totals were 127 and 116.

**Hockey**  
Maritime Matches  
The Montreal Victorias defeated the Halifax Socials five to two at Halifax last night. The Charlottetown Algebras defeated the Charlottetown and the New Glasgow Cubs won from the Halifax Crescents seven to four at New Glasgow.

**The Ring**  
Arthur Warner, the English ex-champion, won a decision over Richard Cooper in America, in the fourth round of a ten round bout in London last night.

**Fears Family Taint**  
Youth Asks to Be Lured For in Reformatory as He is Murderer in His Blood

**A Man of the Stars**  
Vienna, Jan. 19.—A youth of sixteen named Lorenz, has applied to the police at Karlsruhe to be allowed to enter a reformatory, on the ground that all his family have been murderers, and that he will be obliged by the force of heredity to follow their example.

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### ONE OF THE WHITE HOPES



Carl Morris, the Sappington giant, who is joining the ranks of the "white hopes." Al Palmer is out with a challenge for Morris in New York.

**There's Plenty of Fun**  
The comedy in the opera of the Isle of Palms at the Opera House Monday and Tuesday evening and Tuesday evening and Tuesday evening and Tuesday evening.

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**Morning Locals**  
At the annual meeting of the St. John County Royal Society Chapter, held in the Orange Hall, German street, last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. G. in G. Williams, M. Campbell; E. C. in C. I. Mervin; chairman, R. H. Melville; scribe, James W. Spight; treasurer, C. B. Ward; herald of arms, J. W. Dunlop; 1st lecturer, W. H. Sullivan; 2nd lecturer, G. F. Menzies; 1st conductor, F. Nias; 2nd conductor, W. W. Williams; inner herald, R. Pitt.

**Encouraging reports** telling of a good year's work were presented last evening at the annual meeting of the Young People's Society of Main street Baptist church. The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$28.81 after meeting all pledges and performing other active work.

**Election of officers** resulted as follows: Allen A. Melville, president; Bennett Wilson, vice-president; George Todd, secretary; Miss Helen Buchanan, treasurer; Miss Vandenburg, pianist; Miss Alice Burke, assistant pianist; devotional committee, Gertrude Neale, Della Harley, I. H. Thorne, Hattie Vanwart; W. J. McAlary, flower committee; Miss Helen McAlary, Miss Dot Mallins, social committee; Miss Berice, Murray-Cowan, Allan Shields, B. Wilson, G. Todd. There is also a large membership committee.

**The annual treat** of the pupils of the Ludlow street Baptist church Sunday school took place last night. It was presided and there were about 300 present. Eldon Mortall, Miss Gies, Muriel Stewart, Robert McWhinney, Pearl Wayne, Jean Burton, Blanche Ripps and Frances Ryan took part in the programme. Addresses were given by Rev. W. R. Robinson and Alderman Kierstead. Refreshments were served.

**Last night** the members of the Father Mathew Association presented to Alfred Bardsley, one of their members, a handsome suit case. Mr. Bardsley will leave this evening for Winnipeg, where he will be employed in the western branch of the R. H. Estabrooke Co. Ltd.

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**LOCAL NEWS**

**MARRIAGES AND BIRTHS**

There were three marriages registered at the office of J. H. Stone, registrar, this week. There were eight births, five boys and three girls.

**DOWLING LAST NIGHT**

The St. Joseph team took three points from the C. M. B. A. 8-0 last evening on St. Peter's Y. M. C. A. alleys. On Monday the two C. M. B. A. teams will play.

**NEW PASTOR**

The Baptist parsonage at Whitneyville which has been vacant since the departure of the Rev. H. D. Worden, will be filled about the last of the month by the Rev. Mr. McCarty.

**GRAND FALLS DEVELOPMENT**

Recent reports indicate that the development work at Grand Falls planned by the interests headed by Sir William Van Horne will be undertaken this summer and a good start made with the work.

**EIGHT DEATHS**

Eight deaths were recorded at the board of health office this week, resulting from the following causes: Bronchopneumonia, two; uraemia, pneumonia, bronchitis, one; diphtheria, tuberculosis, and carcinoma of stomach, one each.

**C. P. R. FREIGHT OFFICES**

The expectations are that by the first of next month the C. P. R. freight department will take up their office in the new building, which is practically completed, in Mill street. The final touches are now being made on the building, which will be found commodious for the purposes for which it is required. The offices are in the front, facing Mill street, and are about completed.

**DRIED FRUITS**

The market in dried fruits at present is reported discouraging. Many dealers will not handle some of the higher-priced commodities in these lines. For instance, apricots and peaches are reported so costly that not many dealers are finding it possible to handle them. Prunes are declared none too plentiful and are apt to ascend in price before long, while cranberries are about the only dried fruit which can be had reasonably.

**ST. JOHN LADY THERE**

A cable was received here last night from Toronto announcing that nearly all the missionaries in China are now safe at Shanghai. The cable stated that about forty missionaries had just arrived at Shanghai from Shantung, and had been taken there in British gunboats. Among the party were Mrs. Small, wife of Dr. Watson, and a daughter of Rev. Dr. Jackson of this city.

**THE STEAMERS**

The S. S. Manchester, Imposter, for Manchester, left port last midnight with large general cargo. The ship is owned by the Allan Line, Toronto, which is under charter to the C. P. R. for this trip, is expected to arrive at Halifax tomorrow at noon. She will come around to this port.

The C. P. R. liner Montcalm was reported 105 miles east of Cape Sable last night. She is on her way here.

**DIED IN HAMPTON**

John O'Leary, aged fifty-six, died yesterday at his home in Hampton. He is survived by his wife and four daughters, Isabel, Blanche, Mabel and Albert, and one son, Edwin, two brothers, James in Winnipeg, and David in Wakefield, Mass., and two sisters, Mrs. Samuel Allen and Mrs. Stevenson, of Haverhill, Mass., also survive. The funeral is to be held on Monday morning at half past ten o'clock.

**MRS. MARGARET O'LEARY**

The death of Mrs. Margaret O'Leary, widow of Andrew O'Leary, and daughter of the late Michael Doherty, took place this morning at her home in Blaymarket Square after a brief illness. Mrs. O'Leary was a life-long resident of this city, and was highly respected by all who knew her. She was sixty-five years of age and is survived by two sons, Andrew, with the Christie Woodworking Co., and Henry in the post office. Two daughters, Misses Mary and Margaret, also survive. John and William Doherty, both of this city, are brothers. The funeral will take place Monday afternoon at half past two o'clock.

**HAD A GOOD NIGHT**

The members of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees last evening considered a very successful smoker in the I. O. F. hall with W. N. Collins presiding in the absence of the president, Peter G. Shury. An interesting programme was given. W. F. Hatheway, M. P. P., spoke on Gibraltar and Morocco and other European places, and John Wilson, M. P. P., delivered an interesting address on labor in England. Alderman Potts spoke on land taxation and A. J. C. Jones on "The City and What We Can Make It." Alex. Gibbs was heard in a speech on the fraternal spirit among employees, and W. J. McMahon dealt strongly with social reforms. During the evening songs were given by Messrs. Moore, and C. Nichols; piano selections by F. O'Hara, violin selections by W. J. Conway, and a step-dance by W. McMahon. Supper was served by the committee in charge and a pleasant evening was brought to a close with the singing of the National Anthem.

**WINTER PORT STEAMERS ON THE WAY TO ST. JOHN**

Manchester Importer, Manchester, Dec. 23.  
Manchester Miller, Manchester, Dec. 23.  
Manchester Laurier, Manchester Jan. 2.  
Kanawha, London, Jan. 3.  
Hesperian, Liverpool, Jan. 5.  
Manchester Trader, Manchester, Jan. 6.  
Kaduna, South Wales, Jan. 6.  
Monmouth, Avonmouth, Jan. 6.  
Bray Head, Cardiff, Jan. 7.  
Montfort, Antwerp, Jan. 8.  
Happahannock, London, Jan. 8.  
Tromsø, Baidsoy, Jan. 11.  
Tunisian, Liverpool, Jan. 12.  
Indiana, Glasgow, Jan. 13.  
Manchester Mariner, Manchester, Jan. 14.

**IMPORTANT PROPERTY DEALS HERE**

Mr. Dearborn's Prince William and Water Street Plans—Other Real Estate News

F. R. Dearborn is contemplating the converting of his building in Prince William street, now occupied by Dearborn & Co., into an up-to-date office building. The property is splendidly situated for the purpose, fronting forty feet in Prince William street, and running through to Water street, about 100 feet. The intention is at present to convert two or three floors into office and if the demand warrants to add two more stories to the building, making six stories in Prince William street and six in Water street, with forty commodious offices. A passenger elevator will be installed; also a series of fire proof vaults, each vault containing four steel closets.

Mr. Dearborn also contemplates the erection of a six story building in Water street, adjoining this one, which to complete the business of Dearborn & Co., Ltd., Courtenay Bay property has certainly caught the fancy of real estate operators and new deals in that vicinity are being supplied almost daily. The latest is the formation of a new syndicate to take over some property in that vicinity with the intention of converting it into building lots. Local men are interested in the scheme. The balance, it is said, is to be supplied chiefly by Montreal capitalists, who are interested in the proposition. One of the Montreal men was in the city a couple of days ago to complete the arrangements.

Some time ago it was rumored that the residence and extensive grounds of J. Walter Holly, fronting in Coburg and Cliff streets had been purchased by the Sisters of Charity and it is now said that the purchase has been completed at a price of \$22,000. Since this deal was closed it is said that there have been negotiations for purchase of several other places in that vicinity. The purposes to which the properties would be devoted have not yet been authoritatively announced.

**KANAWHA AFIRE AT SEA; PUTS INTO ST. JOHN'S**

William Thomson & Co. received a wire today stating that the S. S. Kanawha had put into St. John's yesterday morning, after having been on fire at sea. The amount of the damage done by the fire was not stated, but the Kanawha is bound here from London.

**THISTLES AND ST. ANDREWS START ANNUAL MATCH**

The clubs selected by the St. Andrew's Curling Club for their matches with the Thistles for the afternoon and evening are as follows: F. L. Harrison, E. S. White, E. A. Smith, N. U. Thomas, J. M. Mease, A. O. Beaumont, G. Robertson, W. A. Stewart, H. P. Blissett, J. A. Kimball, H. P. Rankin, K. H. McDonald, E. A. Clark, and E. A. Jones. The names of the Thistles clubs have already been published.

**DEATH OF THOS. H. MURPHY**

Many people in Carleton, and the city proper as well, will be very sorry to learn the death of Thomas H. Murphy, which occurred this morning at his home in Rodney street. After an illness extending over several years, Mr. Murphy was a ship carpenter by occupation. He enjoyed a large acquaintance and was well liked by all who knew him. He was seventy-eight years of age. Surviving him are two sons—Thomas, of the Boston Elevated railway, and John, of the city, and two daughters—Mrs. Hannah Lynch, Mrs. Ann O'Brien and Mrs. Mary Murphy, all of Carleton. To all, the sympathy of many friends will go out. The funeral will be held on Monday morning at half past eight o'clock.

**PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS**

It has been rumored around the streets during the last few days that the life of the present provincial government might terminate before another session is held. After the dominion elections there was some talk of bringing on the provincial general elections immediately, but it was decided at that time to hold another session of the legislature first.

Recently the talk of a general election has been revived, but the suggestion that there might be an election before the house meets is greeted by members of the party, who should be in a position to know.

It is said, however, that if the elections are not brought on right away the coming session will be a short one, and the elections will occur immediately afterwards.

**HAMPTON RAISED**

The steamer Hampton was successfully raised this morning by the men engaged under direction of Fred Heams, and with the champion on one side and two axes on the other was towed to the Station Cutler wharf and tomorrow on the flood will be taken through the falls where she will be placed on the blocks for repairs.

**CAPTAIN DEMERS HERE**

Captain A. L. Demers of the marine department at Ottawa, arrived in the city last night from Halifax where he had been conducting an enquiry into the collision of two steamers just outside Halifax harbor. He will go to Ottawa tonight.

**GAME POSTPONED**

The St. John hockey team was to have played in Sussex last night but the game was postponed on account of the inclement weather. The local spectators will play the Fredericton team in the capital on Tuesday night.

**HOME AGAIN**

The members of the Union Life Insurance Co., who passed through the city en route to their way to Toronto, were in the depot again today on route back to Halifax in a special car.

**IRISH STEAMER'S CARGO**

The S.S. Inishowen Head which sailed this week took away a cargo valued at \$141,202. The Canadian goods were valued at \$142,836, and the foreign, \$1,658.

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BOYS' THREE-PIECE SUITS		BOYS' OVERCOATS	
Single and Double Breasted.		With Regular or Convertible Collars	
\$4.50 SUITS	now \$3.98	\$4.00 OVERCOATS	now \$3.25
5.00 SUITS	now 4.25	4.50 OVERCOATS	now 3.98
5.50 SUITS	now 4.99	5.00 OVERCOATS	now 4.16
6.00 SUITS	now 5.15	5.50 OVERCOATS	now 4.65
6.50 SUITS	now 5.99	6.00 OVERCOATS	now 5.15
7.00 SUITS	now 6.15	6.50 OVERCOATS	now 5.40
7.50 SUITS	now 6.45	7.00 OVERCOATS	now 5.99
8.00 SUITS	now 6.95	7.50 OVERCOATS	now 6.25
8.75 SUITS	now 7.65	8.75 OVERCOATS	now 7.45

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We are bound to move the most of our stock of Furs by the end of the month and to do so have put the prices so low that the Furs will be purchased quickly.

Below are a few lines.

Persian Lamb Ties \$4.85	were \$7.50	Mink Stoles	- -	20 p. c. Discou
Squirrel Ties - 5.00	were 6.50	Mink Muffs	- -	20 p. c. Discou
Marmot Ties - 6.00	were 8.50	Pony Coats	- -	20 p. c. Discou

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