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LOCAL NEWS

Band in Carleton Rink tonight. Trimmed hats for \$1.00. 75 German St. opposite Trinity Church. To cure a headache in ten minutes use Kumfort Headache Powders, 10 cents. The public is requested to attend the great underpriced sale, at the Paristone Store, 47 Brussels street. See page 7. The members of the Victoria hockey team will meet at the Victoria Rink at 8:15 p. m. today. A full attendance is requested. The public will be pleased to learn that M. R. A.'s early spring sale of linens and cottons will commence on Monday next, January 11th. At this important sale the hemming of cloths, napkins, sheets, etc., will be executed free of charge. Great markdown sale of clothing and furnishing at the Union Clothing Company, 25-28 Charlotte street, opposite city market.

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HARRY HARDING LOSES HIS LIFE IN TRYING TO SAVE A MILL DAM AT MUSQUASH

Gloom envelops the little village of Musquash as a consequence of the sad death by drowning of Harry Harding, who was one of the most popular young men of the place. Harding was in company with several others, among whom were Geo. Barry, Jack O'Dell, and Alton Stevens, when about 8 o'clock Wednesday morning to lift the gate of the dam belonging to the Ingelwood Pulp and Paper Company in order to relieve the pressure of water against it and prevent it from going out. A narrow plank led from the main landing to the dam. Harding, who was ahead of the others, stepped on the plank. Owing to the freshets there was terrific pressure of water against the plank and when Harding stepped upon it, it overturned, and precipitated him into the water. The young man struggled frantically, but in vain, against a heavy tide and was soon carried over the dam. His companions stunned at first by

A POLICEMAN, AN EX-POLICEMAN AND A WOULD-BE POLICEMAN ARE SAID TO BE FOND OF COCK FIGHTS

Somethingavoring of a seneschal developed in police circles last evening when Thomas Burchill, a policeman, George Garnett, an ex-policeman, and Robert Garnett, an applicant for a position on the police force, were reported by Acting Sergeant Robert Bond's of being and abetting a cock fight contrary to law, James Garnett and George A. Blair, constables, are named in the report. The interesting event at which these gentlemen are alleged to have been present, was held in a yard at the rear of Robert Garnett's residence, Hawthorne avenue, on Sunday morning and is reported to have been very short as one of the birds was decapitated by out of his class. Complaint was made to Sergeant Finlay the first of this week, and he has been working quietly on the case since that time, with the result that the above named parties have been summoned to appear in the police court Saturday. Thomas Burchill has been on the police force for a number of years and was recently appointed janitor of the outside look-ups, and a great deal of surprise is expressed that he should be found in such a place. George Garnett, another of the principals, resigned from the force some years ago and since that time has conducted a saloon on Main street near the corner of Paradise Row. Robert Garnett, the other principal, is a cousin of George and applied for a position as one of the two constables, it is understood, were interested spectators of the bout, and it is likely that their evidence will be of great value.

To Carry Their Political Warfare Into the Courts

ST. JOHN'S, N. B., Jan. 7.—In an attempt to break the deadlock in the Newfoundland legislature, which was assembled on February 1st, the Hon. Robert Bond's government today filed petitions in the supreme court asking that Messrs. Woodford and Murphy, members-elect for St. John's, be seated because of alleged acts committed by their agents during the campaign. Woodford and Murphy are supporters of Sir Edward Morris, the leader of the opposition. In the general elections early in November last the Bond and Morris forces each elected eighteen members. The Morrisites also carried the fight to the courts today by petitioning against the return of Maddock, the Bondite member for Carboneau. The Morris party managers say it is probable that petitions will be filed in a few days asking that the legislative seats held by Premier Bond and several of his cabinet ministers be declared vacant on the ground of irregular acts. No petition will be filed against Morris until his case having been decided. The bitter fight between the Bond and Morris forces, which really began a year ago when Sir Edward Morris resigned from the Bond cabinet, will be continued in the courts and legislature and may for a time prevent the transaction of public business. The Bond government continues in office and cannot be superseded unless the opposition can eventually muster a majority in the legislature. A number of politicians express the opinion that the deadlock will be broken by a general election before the close of the year if each side continues to hold its present strength.

ST. JOHN OPERA HOUSE REPORTS A GOOD YEAR

At Annual Meeting of Shareholders Officers and Directors are Elected Largest Bridge in the Province is Completely Destroyed

LINEMAN FALLS FROM POLE

AMHERST, N. S., Jan. 7.—While repairing the damage caused by yesterday's winds to the Nova Scotia Telephone Company's wires, Geo. Brown, a lineman, fell from one of the high posts to the frozen ground, breaking several of his ribs and badly bruising one leg, also cutting himself considerably about the head. He was removed to Highland View Hospital for treatment.

STORM CARRIES AWAY PERRY'S POINT BRIDGE

Word was received here yesterday morning that the Perry's Point bridge, a wooden structure which spans the Kennebecoasis between Perry's Point and Jubilee, was almost completely destroyed by the food Wednesday night. The bridge, which was about three-quarters of a mile in length, was the largest in the province and also the most expensive. Its destruction will be a great inconvenience to the people of that district. The structure was built about 20 years ago by A. E. Killam, of Moncton, and was a very expensive one to keep in repair. The bridge was in constant use. The floating box and saw mill at Perry's Point used it for hauling shipments from their mill to the I. C. R. station at Jubilee. The telephone wires were also strung across the bridge. On the eastern side the spans from the shore almost a mile, and on the Perry's Point side two spans were carried away, leaving only the centre portion with the draw.

SNOW DISAPPEARS

HARTLAND, N. B., Jan. 7.—Cold weather has prevailed today, but the river rose four feet last night and the ice broke up just above the bridge, where a huge jam has formed. There was considerable back water, but it has worked its way through the ice and no damage was done. The mercury at 8 p. m. had dropped below freezing.

"The Clown's Daughter"

A drama in circus life, by Pathe. "Tale Of A Harem" A Turkish romance from life. "Bathing--This Weather" How would you like a dip? MISS EDWARDS SINGS: "Hearts And Flowers" MR. CAIRNS SINGS: "Share My Bungalow" WATCH! Evening papers for greatest concert attraction ever put on in a Canadian picture theatre. AND THE ORCHESTRA DRAMA "Oscar's Elopement" DRAMA GRAPH

MONDAY, 11TH Italian Opera!

SUNG BY Forresto's Italian Operatic Trio PERSONNEL: SIGNOR ENRICO NOVATI, Baritone (San Remo Opera, Naples); SIGNOR MARIO TORTORICI, Tenor (San Carlo Opera, Naples); SIGNOR GIUSEPPE OTERO, Bass (Royal Italian Opera Co., Naples) RICHEST TREAT IMAGINABLE FOR NICKEL COINERS SEE SATURDAY'S PAPER

VICTORIA RINK Grand Carnival TONIGHT

\$25 IN PRIZES \$25 Band Present R. J. ARMSTRONG, Manager ANNUAL GATHERING PROVES ENJOYABLE

Andrew Emery Elected President of Military Veterans Association

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Military Association was held in their rooms, Market building, last evening. The following officers were elected: President, Andrew Emery; vice-president, Thomas Murray; secretary, James Hunter; treasurer, George Gorham. The following was managing committee elected: Colonel Buchanan, Walter Knowles, J. L. Eagles, Caleb Belyea, J. McCarty, and J. Alexander. After the election of officers the members of the executive entertained the members to coffee and sandwiches. A most enjoyable evening was spent. Mr. Emery in reply spoke of the successful year which the association had enjoyed.

PRINCESS GREAT COMEDY PROGRAMME TODAY

Jack Of All Trades One continuous screen Looking For The Sea Serpent The funniest yet The Swimming Lesson A breezy comedy Pa And The Girls One of those nice clean comedies Don't Fail to Hear The New Songs by Mrs. Jas. Tufts — Mr. Wm. Adams WATCH THIS SPACE FOR SURPRISES

TODAY UNIQUE TODAY

Those splendid song hits of last evening repeated tonight. Miss Brewer & Mr. Dick have excellent selections for this weekend. An Entirely New Programme of Motion Pictures for this Evening. The Latest and Best as Always.

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"STAR" Opens Monday-5c

Everything New UNION HALL, North Ends NEW PICTURE HOUSE Clean, Cosy, Bright and Well Conducted PROGRAMME TOMORROW

Victorias Defeat Ramblers in Game For Star Trophy

MONCTON, Jan. 7.—It took like a stern chase for the Amherst Ramblers so far as the Star trophy is concerned. In an even game as has ever been played here, marked by but three penalties for nominal offenses and by a surprisingly fast pace for the early season, the Victorias in the first of the series tonight defeated the cup hunters from Amherst by a score of four to two. At half time the Victorias were in the lead by one goal, score 1 to 1. Each team scoring in the second period the same as in the first. With the game fast and full of dash from the outset there was little opportunity for team play and individual effort was conspicuous on both sides. The Victorias had the better of the play throughout, but particularly good work by White in the Amherst nets, who performed very cleverly, was largely responsible for the small size of the score. In the dying moments of the game the Nova Scotians made a last desperate throw for a few minutes almost threatened to turn the tide, they catching the Victorias off their guard. Murray netted one, but some good work by Wortman staved off any other chances until the local forwards line failed. The game was marked by some brilliant individual work in which Murray and Twaddle figured most conspicuously for the Ramblers, both making rushes that were very spectacular. Crockett, Norman and Cushing were the pick of the forward line for the Victorias and the work was done by McGrath and Jack Brown, whose work at point and cover point by Wortman staved off any other chances until the local forwards line failed. The game was marked by some brilliant individual work in which Murray and Twaddle figured most conspicuously for the Ramblers, both making rushes that were very spectacular. 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EVERY OVERCOAT AND SUIT

REDUCED TO ABOUT COST PRICE

No half way measures! Instant clearance of every overcoat and suit in the store at prices that will make them fly along. They are the newest winter models, because we never carry them over from season to season. So this is not a clean up of old stuff but includes the newest, snappiest styles made.

Men's Overcoats	\$6.98, sale price	\$4.89
Men's Overcoats	7.50, sale price	5.69
Men's Overcoats	8.00, sale price	6.29
Men's Overcoats	9.00, sale price	7.19
Overcoats	14.00, sale price	11.00
Men's Suits	16.50, sale price	13.00
	\$5.98, 4.29, 4.50, to 13.59	

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ONE CENT PER WORD per issue is all it costs to insert advertisements like those appearing below in the lively columns of THE STAR. This ensures them being read in 6,500 St. John homes every evening, and by nearly 8,000 people during the day. SUN and Star Classified ads. are veritable little busybodies.

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DOMESTICS WANTED

- WANTED—Girl for general work. MRS. A. G. GILBERT, 178 Duke St. 8-14.
- WANTED—A good second cook. Apply Steward, Union Club. 7-14
- WANTED—Girl for general house work in small flat. References required. Apply Mrs. Paul R. Hanson, 270 Rockland Road. 6-14.
- WANTED—One chambermaid and one waitress at GLETON HOUSE. 5-14
- WANTED—Experienced chambermaid. Apply the EDWARD HOTEL, King Square. 6-14.

TO LET

- TO LET—One flat, 234 Charlotte St., one flat 44 Summer street, E.V. Godfrey, 33 Fugassy Building. 8-14
- TO LET—From first of May, upper flat, 115 Germain street, seen Wednesdays and Fridays from 3 to 5. Apply 115 Germain street, W. A. Kahn. 6-14
- TO LET—Back parlor, with or without board. 25 Carleton St. 11-12-imo
- TO LET—Shop and premises, 54 Sydney street, Apply to T. M. BURNS, 10 Exmouth street. 8-12-14

ROOMS AND BOARDING

- BOARDING AND FURNISHED ROOMS—12 Prince William street, Upper door. 8-14
- TO LET—One or more rooms, use of bath, DEWDROP RESTAURANT, Market Square. 7-14
- TWO LARGE AND THREE SMALL ROOMS, with or without board, Reasonable for winter. 113 Princess street.
- ROOMS TO RENT—To Mrs. Y. M. C. A. new building. Well furnished, steam heat, electric lights, modern plumbing, bath, etc. Apply Secretary, 28-12-12.
- WANTED—Boarders at 5 Dorchester St. 5-12
- BOARDERS WANTED—Gentlemen can be accommodated at 10 and 13 Charles Street. 2-4

FOR SALE

- FOR SALE—Two second-hand cash registers. Apply R. W. Carson, 509 Main street. 8-12-14

WANTED

- WANTED—Situation as house-keeper in small family. Address Box 590, Care Star. 5-14
- WANTED—A situation as lady's companion. Address Box 591, Star Office. 5-14
- WANTED—Small flat, 1 or 2 rooms in central locality; moderate rent. Address Box 585, Star office.
- WANTED TO PURCHASE—Gentlemen's cast-off clothing, footwear, furs, jewelry, diamonds, musical instruments, fire arms, tools, etc. Call or send postal. H. GILBERT, 24 Mill St., City.

STABLE BOARD

I have board for two horses in my stable, 189 Duke street. Warm stable, best care taken and reasonable rates. Apply A. W. Golding, board, back, lively stable, 189 Duke street. Phone 1189. 11-12-imo.

The Dream

The Story of A Woman's Happiness — By — Mabel N. Thurston

(Continued.)
IV.
It was Allison Deering who thought of it. She had been married only three months, and it was so radiantly happy that her joy brimmed over upon every one about her; and one day she had her inspiration. "For a moment she stood fairly dazed at the brilliancy of it; then she snatched up the first thing handy—it happened to be a card of her kitchen aprons—threw it over her head, and ran across the street to Mrs. McGruder's.
"I've the loveliest idea," she exclaimed, "I'll check up with excitement under the apron. I couldn't wait a minute to tell you. I—there, I've got the button caught in my hair! Will you help me, please, never mind if it comes down! It's about Miss Mattie Lovell. Why couldn't we send her to Washington to see every body who loves her? If she had ever married, I'd have given her wedding presents, wouldn't we? I never did think it fair that people who miss—the real thing—should miss all the fun of getting married, down to the presents and the new house and everything. We can tell Miss Mattie it's her jubilee present, and our jubilee because we've had her for fifty years. Oh, don't you think we can manage it?"
"I think," Mrs. McGruder answered warmly, "that that's the best idea I thought we've had in Canterbury in twenty-five years, and the doctor and I will be the first subscribers. You may put us down for five dollars apiece."
"I thought a dollar would be the most," Mrs. McGruder said, "and many little extras, and spending money."
"I believe I wasn't a bit more excited over my own wedding!" she cried.
"No doubt," Mrs. McGruder said, "there were people who thought the idea foolish, and were conscientiously compelled to decline to contribute. If I took up subscriptions for everybody who wanted to go somewhere," she said, "we should soon be bankrupt. No doubt Miss Mattie is a worthy person, and personally we should be pleased if we could help, but it is a matter of principle. Don't you believe I wasn't a bit more excited over my own wedding!" she cried.
"No, Boston, it's terrible, isn't it? It's true, I suppose we'll know by night."
"Boston's burning up!" he cried.
"Did she say Washington?" Miss Mattie, turning quite white.
"No, Boston, it's terrible, isn't it? It's true, I suppose we'll know by night."
"But long before night everybody knew and for the next three days nothing was thought of. Before the fire was out, Canterbury, like hundreds of other towns all over the country was busy raising its fund for relief. There was this ready money in Canterbury, but everybody gave ungrudgingly, and a soul mentioned Miss Mattie's surprise party. Late in the afternoon of the day the subscription was being raised, Allison Deering, going to the parsonage, found Miss Mattie in the study, with Dr. Pemberton. Miss Mattie's bonnet was on one side and her thin hair straggled wildly, but her eyes were like an eagle's child.
"Oh, how much I've been saying," she said, "but I am happy to have had the privilege of bringing it. Allison dear, what a pleasure to meet you! I am going up to your house this afternoon, to carry a few jumbles. If it wouldn't be too much trouble for you to stop on your way—Good-by, Dr. Pemberton, thank you so much."
As the door closed behind Miss Mattie, Allison's young, rebellious eyes met the minister's. Between them, on the table, lay a roll of bills.
"Did she bring it all?" the girl asked.
"The old minister smiled. "Ah," he answered, "she brought it all."
"Oh!" the girl cried, with a half sob, "I can't bear it! She has never had anything all her life, and now, when we thought she was going to have it, she has it all!"
"Allison," the old man said, "if Miss Mattie had gone, what would she have had afterwards?"
"She would have had the memory of a good time," Allison answered, and notwithstanding the reverence in which she had been brought up, there was almost defiance in her voice—she was so disappointed.
"And now," the quiet voice went on, "she has her dream. They are both good girls. What are you and I to choose for her and say that one is good and the other is not? You are young, child, some day you will understand better."
There was silence in the study. Outside a whining pear-branch brushed one of the windows, and a cold laugh sounded from the street. Allison lifted her head.
"I should like to bring my contribution," she said.

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I have the finest stock of Cigarettes and Tobaccos in the City.
News Depot—I handle all the local and foreign papers, all the American and English periodicals, with all the current magazines and novels. Also, large stock of Xmas Cards and Novelties.
Cor. Main St. and Paradise Row

MISCELLANEOUS

Anyone wishing a good home for a child may communicate with Box 589, Star Office. 5-14.

South African Veterans

Wishing to dispose of land grant for cash, write at once, stating least possible price, to JOHN BORDER, Yorkton, Sask. 4-14

STAR WANT ADS.

BRING RESULTS

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Great Bargains In Organs

During the past month I have exchanged several good organs on piano sales. Among these are Bell, Dominion, Thomas, Doherty, and other makes. These organs have been put in good order and are now offered at very low prices, some as low as \$15.00. Easy terms to pay, if you wish. Please call and examine them.

BELL'S PIANO STORE

79 Germain Street

AMUSEMENTS.

GREAT COMEDY BILL AT THE PRINCESS.

For the last two days of this week the management of the Princess offer the greatest comedy programme ever shown to a St. John audience. Jack of All Trades is a scream. A young fellow out of work and having a hard time to find any decides to accept the first position he can get, no matter what the work may be. He sees an advertisement for a chauffeur, applies and secures the job. The lady of the house orders the automobile brought in from the States. The new chauffeur does not know how to start it, so he has to push the machine to the door. When the lady gets in he tries to start it again, and then the fun commences. He tries the crank and gets a tumble in the road for his trouble. Then he goes at it with a hammer until finally the machine blows up, so he loses that job. He tries a lot more positions, but he can't find any of them. But he manages to get into trouble everywhere. It is a great big laugh. Looking for the Serpent is a beautifully colored comedy. The Swimming Lesson is one of those breezy comedies. Pa and the Girls—if you have a fit of the blues take this picture. Don't fail to hear the new songs by the peerless artists of the Princess, Mrs. Jas. Tufts and Mr. Wm. Adams. Watch this space for surprises. Matinee every day at 2:15.

THE UNIQUE SONG PROGRAMME MAKES A HIT.

As predicted the song programme at the Unique last evening proved one of the biggest successes yet scored at the Charlotte street show house. Miss Brewer was heard to better advantage in her selection of last evening, "Roses Brings Dreams of You," than in any other song she has yet sung, and Mr. Dick's splendid tenor, which was heard in each chorus, gave an added charm to the music. Mr. Dick's rendition of "I Live a Thousand Lives For You," might also be termed his best effort. The singing at the Unique is daily adding to its numbers of friends. An entire new show tonight, which will contain many of the most subjects in motion photography.

THE GREAT MADAME YAW THURSDAY NIGHT.

There will be few musical events in the history of St. John at all comparable with that of the Yaw concert Thursday night next, for which the sale of seats starts Monday morning at ten o'clock at the Opera House. Director Chapman is responsible for the lack of appearance of Madame Yaw in St. John. Mr. Chapman will accompany the great singer and her support in the day the Irish patriot, giving admiring welcome his return to St. John, remembering him for the many excellent musical treats he has provided.

MADAME YAW WILL NOT BE HEARD AGAIN IN CONCERT FOR MANY YEARS.

Madame Yaw will not be heard again in concert for many years, her opera contracts preventing. Don't by all odds miss her only appearance in St. John, as 1909 will bring no such good things musically. The prices, as will be seen by the advertisement, are popular, considering the importance of this mammoth occasion.

TRIAL OF ROBERT EMMETT BY THE CAMERAPHONE.

The feature film for today by the Cameraphone will be the trial of the Irish patriot, Robert Emmett, giving the entire court room scene and Emmett's appeal for his country. It is without doubt one of the best subjects ever produced by the Cameraphone. Italian Rose in his famous Hebrew monologue is also an excellent subject, and St. John people who saw Julian Rose and Harry Lander appear on the same bill in New York say that Rose was by far the more clever of the two. He received much greater applause than Harry Lander. Maybe it's Bear is a sweet lullaby showing a family of bears in their nightgowns gathered around their mother, who sings to them before they retire. It's a beautiful sketch which will delight both old and young. Sullivan, an Irish alderman; Bud Ross in comic character songs and dances; and the Mandy Lane Quartette are all high class numbers and well without a doubt complete the best Cameraphone performance ever presented in St. John. Note the above programme and remember that the admission is five and ten cents. Nuff sed.

"STAR" PICTURE THEATRE SEASON LARGEST.

Almost homelike in its coziness the new "Star" Theatre in Union Hall, North End, will certainly win favor with the people of that locality at once for hundreds of dollars are being spent this week in making it attractive and inviting. After thus housing its patrons comfortably it will please everybody with a well-selected programme of brand new pictures, catchy up-to-date songs and snappy music, as well as realistic effects. The endeavors of the new management to supply pure and fresh entertainment for the people of North End, Fairville, Carleton and outlying sections will be unerring—no vulgarity, no cheap features. Opens Monday.

THE NICKEL'S NEW SHOW FOR TODAY.

The leading film is entitled, "The Clown's Daughter," a drama of circus life in Europe in the days of the old-fashioned travelling cart-shows. A Tale of a Harrow is a "Turkish story" of the ordinary, and Bathing In This Weather, a chilly suggestion with no end of mirth in it. Miss Edwards will conclude her engagement with a delightful rendering of Toban's "Heart and Flowers." Mr. Cairne's new song, "Won't You Come Share My Bungalow" has caught on wonderfully, and the Dramagraph's farcical, "Oscar's Engagement," is a continuation of laughs.

Arrangements have been completed with reputable musical people in New York whereby the Nickel will on Monday next, commencing at 8 o'clock in the afternoon, present its patrons with the richest musical treat imaginable in a motion picture theatre viz: The

RAILROADS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

IMPORTANT CHANGE IN SERVICE WEST OF MONTREAL

Train No. 1 Leaving Montreal Dec 31st, will run to Calgary only, and after that date will run between Winnipeg and Calgary only until about March 1st.
Train No. 2 Will leave Vancouver Dec 31st, due Montreal Jan. 4th. Thereafter this Train will run between Calgary and Winnipeg only until about March 1st.

W. B. HOWARD, D.P.A., C.P.R., St. John, N.B.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, Oct. 11th, 1908, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows:

TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN.	
No. 6—Mixed for Moncton (Leaves Island Yard).....	6.30
No. 2—Express for Halifax, Campbellton, Point du Chene, Pictou and the Sydney.....	7.00
No. 3—Express for Ft. du Chene, Halifax and Pictou.....	12.40
No. 4—Mixed for Moncton.....	13.15
No. 5—Express for Sussex.....	17.15
No. 12—Suburban for Hampton.....	18.15
No. 13—Express for Quebec and Montreal, also Ft. du Chene, and the Sydney.....	23.30
TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN.	
No. 9—From Halifax, Pictou and the Sydney.....	6.30
No. 13—Suburban Express from Hampton.....	7.50
No. 7—Express from Moncton.....	4.30
No. 13—Express from Montreal, Quebec and Ft. du Chene.....	12.40
No. 5—Mixed from Moncton, Pictou, Ft. du Chene and Campbellton.....	17.35
No. 3—Mixed from Moncton.....	19.30
No. 1—Express from Moncton.....	21.00
No. 11—Mixed from Moncton (daily). (Arrives as Island Yard).....	4.30
All trains run by Atlantic Standard Time: 24.00 o'clock midnight.	

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Express trains Nos. 85 and 86 between Halifax and Sydney will be discontinued after Saturday, January 9th, 1909, until further advised.

CITY TICKETS

St. John, N. B. Telephone 371.

GEORGE CARVILLE, C. T. A., Moncton, Oct. 7th, 1908.

STEAMSHIPS

CANADIAN PACIFIC

LIVE STEAMERS

St. John to Liverpool

St. Jan. 2—Lake Manitoba, P.R. Jan. 8—Empress of Ireland.

FIRST CABIN

EMPRESSES—\$82.50 and up
LAKE MANITOBA—\$50.00 and up

ONE CLASS CABIN

LAKE ERIE—\$45.00 and 47.50
LAKE CHARLEVOIX—\$40.00 and 47.50

SECOND CABIN

EMPRESSES—\$48.75 and \$50.00
LAKE MANITOBA—\$42.50

THIRD CABIN

EMPRESSES—\$31.25
Other Boats—\$30.00

TO LONDON.

(c) Mount Temple—Feb. 3rd.
(d) Lake Michigan—Feb. 17th.
(e) 4rd class only (e) 1st and 3rd class.

RATE: Three Cabs, \$27.50.

Call or address, W. B. HOWARD, D.P.A., C.P.R., St. John, N.B.

A CANDID CRITIC.

"A criticism that has helped me a great deal in my work came from a man to whom I took a picture to be framed," said a young woman who spends much of her time copying in the Metropolitan Museum of Art. "As the picture progressed my friends told me it was fine, some of the other copies said it had value, character, good coloring and all those things, and even one of the guards in the gallery got real friendly one day and remarked that it was the best copy of that picture he had seen. I began to think that maybe after all, my several years of study was beginning to bear fruit. At the framers I picked out a nice frame, and the framer began to figure on the cost. 'I'll tell you, miss,' he said, 'that frame will come to \$18. If I were you I'd get something cheaper for that picture.'—New York Sun.

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A LIFE OF DEVOTION.

Announcement was made yesterday that there would be an inquiry into the death of Miss Margaret Sharp, a schoolteacher, who died during the Christmas holidays. Today there will be found elsewhere in this paper the statement that no such investigation is deemed necessary.

It is shown that Miss Sharp gave her life in devotion to duty; in addition to this it would be learned that while she was in need of a rest and medical attendance, she was unable to secure leave of absence, the school board found it difficult in complying with other requests of a similar nature. It would be learned that Miss Sharp, a lady well along in life, was compelled to climb several times daily to the top floor of Victoria school and there to spend her days in a badly heated room, a room so full of drafts that it is unsuitable even for healthy boys and girls.

It would be learned that Miss Sharp was professedly the sole support of an invalid sister and an aged aunt, both requiring almost constant attention. It would be learned that Miss Sharp was in the habit of doing the housework often before daylight hurrying home from school and devoting the afternoons and evenings to the care of those dependent upon her.

It would be learned that Miss Sharp was to be commended for her own health, but was advised that substitutes were scarce granted. From these and other facts it would be seen that Miss Sharp died from devotion to her work, and from an indifferent treatment on the part of her employers, that she died a heroine, and that her memory is to be honored by all to whom a life of self-sacrifice appeals.

MOMENTS OF WEAKNESS.

Experts on insanity are great men. Harry K. Thaw, if we remember rightly, suffered from brainstorm, which was defined as a fit of temper—a form of insanity. Peter J. Hains, another murderer, is subject to much the same affliction, but as brainstorm has become a household word and consequently has lost its impressiveness, impulsive insanity has been introduced. Mr. Hains, according to one Dr. Mason, was in excellent mental health until he saw William Anns with pistol range. Then he became insane. He was not mentally unbalanced at the time he planned with his brother all the details of the murder—this is not defined by the alienist—nor was he of unaccounted mind after the last shot was fired. Impulsive insanity is evidently just as convenient a disease as brainstorm, but is not this making a farce of justice?

It may be noted too that Mrs. Florence Erb and her sister, Mrs. Ziesler, who shot to death the husband of the Erb woman, have been found not guilty—after they freely admitted the murder. Mrs. Maybrick was imprisoned for killing her husband. A tremendous agitation was aroused in the United States demanding her release, and she was a popular upheaval having as its object the proper punishment of the Hains brothers and the Belsel sisters? Scarcely.

STARTING THE FIGHT.

The pulpit, the press, and the medical profession stand together in the fight against consumption so auspiciously inaugurated last evening. The movement has been directed first of all to the task of overcoming public indifference, and thus creating a demand for legislative action along the proper lines. When three of the strongest institutions in the country move together, the force should become irresistible and no doubt the provincial legislature which has hitherto been regarded as the immovable body, will be compelled to give way to the demands made upon it. Last evening's meeting was an excellent start in the greatest campaign of the day. It must be followed by an energetic policy of education, and active work towards the construction of a sanatorium.

Novel-Governor D. C. Fraser, of Nova Scotia, will be a member of the team of Canadian curlers to visit Scotland. Big Tuncan will see doot has a gran' time.

Dr. McAlister was last evening tendered a banquet by the Liberals of Kings-Albert. The victory was worthy of such a celebration.

UNSUPPORTED CHARGES.

With all due respect to Rev. David Hutchinson, it is ventured that his remarks last evening were beneath the dignity of a clergyman and unfair to a worthy class of merchants. Rev. Mr. Hutchinson is quoted as saying it is a matter of common knowledge that liquor can be procured at some drugstores on Sundays. Surely the speaker must have some reason for such an assertion, and if he has it is plainly his duty to give such information to the proper officers. If he has no proof in support of his words, then it becomes the right of the speaker to recast such unfair charges. But Rev. Mr. Hutchinson added, "If such is the case it is someone's duty to see that the law is enforced." This would lead to the conclusion that the speaker has no proof of his first assertion. Even in the fight against liquor it is advisable to stick to facts, and not to indulge in the habit of repeating any remarks which may be heard. The Star does not believe liquor is sold by drugstores on Sundays or any other days, nor will very many citizens agree that much good can be gained by repeating such unsupported charges.

ADVICE.

"You've got to put a certain amount of independence on yourself," said Uncle Eben. "De man dat goes aroun' lookin' for too much advice is liable to find himself in de position of de gamman dat gets so interested readin' de time-table dat he misses his train."

ON THE SAFE SIDE.

Visitor—Well son, what will you be when you grow up? Tommy (aged nine)—A soldier. Visitor—You're liable to be in danger of getting killed. Tommy—Who'll kill me? Visitor—Why, the enemy. Tommy—Then I'll be the enemy.

THE SLUMBERS OF THE BROOK.

The poetical young man with soulful eyes was walking with his mother-of-fact brother by the brookside. "How do you come to be in slumber?" he exclaimed. "Yes," answered his brother, "and you would, too, if your bed was full of stoves."

DON'T DIET FOR FAT.

You have no appetite for gruel, have you? By the same token, if you scale in excess of 150 pounds, I know you have no great liking for gymnastic stunts. As a rule fat folks are neither athletic nor ascetic, except under compulsion, and nowadays no matter how necessary it is for them to reduce, there is a third, better, and surer way of getting rid of superfluous flesh. The trouble with both dieting and exercise is, first the trouble; second, the danger (fatty heart), third, wrinkles, and fourth, stomach icks. You are liable to all four if you exercise or diet. On the other hand you can sidle up all four, and still reduce as much or more as you please, even up to losing a pound a day if you see fit, by taking a teaspoonful after meals of a little of the following simple home recipe: One-half ounce Marmola, 1/4 ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, and 4/8 ounces Peppermint Water. Any druggist will fill this prescription for you cheaply, and you may take it with perfect confidence that it will do no manner of harm. Instead it almost invariably improves the health and, likewise, the complexion.

TRAIN WRECKERS DITCHED.

GREAT NORTHERN EXPRESS.

Fireman Was Killed and Two Were Injured—Switch Was Thrown by the Criminals.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Jan. 8.

Wrecked by unknown persons who threw the switch open, locked it and put out the lantern so the engineer could not see the peril, Great Northern No. 327, northbound, left the track just south of Bellingham yards at Commercial Point last night. The engine was almost completely submerged in the bay, the mail car and the baggage car were smashed to bits, and the smelter was derailed. The fireman was killed and two were injured. The fireman's body sank with the engine and has not yet been recovered. The engine went under but came to the surface, struck out for a piling and clinging there until rescued by a boat. The passengers, of whom there were 75, were badly shaken up but none was injured. The local police and railroad detectives unite in declaring the wreck to have been deliberately planned. No arrests have been made.

MONTREAL EMBEZZLER.

ARRESTED IN OHIO.

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 8.—Frederick Gorby Pole, 31 years old, wanted in Montreal on a charge of grand larceny in the sum of \$5,000, has surrendered himself to the police here. The money was almost completely submerged in the bay, the mail car and the baggage car were smashed to bits, and the smelter was derailed. The fireman was killed and two were injured. The fireman's body sank with the engine and has not yet been recovered. The engine went under but came to the surface, struck out for a piling and clinging there until rescued by a boat. The passengers, of whom there were 75, were badly shaken up but none was injured. The local police and railroad detectives unite in declaring the wreck to have been deliberately planned. No arrests have been made.

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PASTOR INDORSES PAINT AND POWDER.

St. Louis Clergyman Declares Women are Right in Making Themselves Beautiful.

Mother-in-Law Gallantly Defended and Divorce Held to be Remedy for Bad Marriages.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 7.—Paint and powder, as aids in winning and holding husbands were indorsed by the Rev. Philip Cone Fletcher, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church in this city, in a lecture delivered in his church on "Love, Courtship and Marriage."

"Beauty is a duty," said the Rev. Mr. Fletcher. Then, coming to fear that this veiled recommendation of artificial color might be misunderstood, he said just what he thought. Here are his words: "If by the use of the powder puff, the paint brush and the brow pencil, you can make yourself more winsome, you have my consent to use them freely. It is all right to supplement the works of God. To be ugly in an age like this is but little short of a sin against God and self."

"I take the position that sweethearts should be sincere and honest with each other. Deceptive courtship means a miserable marriage. No woman can be happy with the man who has lied to win her. No man can honor and cherish the woman who caught him as the spider catches the unsuspecting fly."

"Passion is not the only important matter discussed by the lecturer. One is that the first love is the only true love. The first love may be true love, but it need not be the only true love. "Another fallacy is that love is blind. Love can see beauties where the world sees deformities. It is only a mistake to suppose that one can love truly but once. It is likewise false that 'true love never runs smooth.' What kind does run smooth is a vicious business. "The wickedness of the sin of pre-emption, particularly in matrimonial matters, was emphasized. There are not many diseased people, criminals, paupers and almost children to marry. We may expect to have an increase in divorces as long as there is an increase in pre-emption. We must be more vigorous, giggling and sporting courtships and money speculations.

RELIEF FROM BAD MARRIAGES.

"But constituted as human society is the only remedy for bad marriages is found in the divorce court. Without the remedy of divorce many a noble soul would be doomed to an earthly hell. Divorce is often a relief—often a blessing. What is more immoral than to compel a woman to live with a brute? When the husband has broken every law of the marriage relation and repeatedly heaps upon the innocent wife his cruel abuse, what must human society do? Should that woman be forced to live with such a monster? "You say, 'Let her leave him, but let her not obtain a divorce.' Would you have a sweet, pure, innocent, faithful woman remain tied to a human brute because he has broken his vows made at the marriage altar? To condemn such a woman to calvary for the rest of her days is both immoral and cruel. Her mistake was honestly made. She was human. Why punish her as though she had committed a crime by cause, unintentionally, she married an unworthy man? "But you say, 'Does not the marriage ceremony include such words as 'those whom God has joined together let no man put asunder?' " Yes, but does God always 'join' the two? Is God to be charged with the unholiness that takes place? Does God join together the man and the woman who only know each other three hours before the ceremony was performed? "Does God join together the man and the woman who are actuated in their marriage by anything short of a pure and lofty conception of the conjugal relation? Does God join together people who get married in 'honeymoon' or merry-go-rounds and up in balloons? Does God join together everybody who secures a marriage license and a justice of the peace? Rest assured, all marriages are not made in heaven."

HAS NOT TASTED WATER IN 40 YEARS.

Woman Declares Its Use is Only a Habit and a Useless One at That.

Made Her Ill When a Girl So She Stopped Using It, and Since Has Known Very Little About Illness.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 7.—Water drinking is just a habit, like gum chewing, or for the matter of that, tobacco chewing, according to the view of Mrs. Mary Craig, who lives near Plaza Creek crossing, on the line between Madison and Jersey counties. Mrs. Craig had the habit when she was younger, but she got over it after forty years has not tasted water. Not that she considers herself entitled to any considerable credit for her abstemiousness. On the contrary, she is free to confess that doing without water is as much a habit as using it. "I just got into the habit of not drinking water," said Mrs. Craig, "and like most habits I have not been able to throw it off. While I leave it alone as a matter of habit, others use it as a matter of habit. It is just as hard for me to break my habit and drink it as it would be for others to break their habit and quit drinking it. "I think the foundation for my habit of not drinking it was laid when I was a girl. I used to carry water to the harvest hands in the field. I sometimes became so warm walking in the sun that I drank too much water and it made me ill. But the habit was definitely formed during the nine years that I traveled with my husband, who was the first steward on an ocean vessel. "The water that was kept in casks on shipboard did not agree with me. I quit drinking it and drank milk and cold tea and coffee instead. By the time we left off voyaging and settled down on land the habit of doing without water was so well established that I have never broken it. "Sometimes I feel as if I would like to take a drink of water, but as I have not tasted any for forty years I know it would make me ill. "I know doing without water is not a bad habit, because in the forty years that I have been doing without it I have had scarcely a day's illness. I would not say, either, that the water drinking habit is a bad habit. I don't know that it does anybody any harm, but it is just a habit, all the same. They would be just as well off without water as with it. "There was a report in Alton the other day that Mrs. Craig had fallen off of the milk-coffee-tea wagon and was drinking water again like everybody else, but Mrs. Craig denies this with considerable asperity. "She insists that she has not tasted water in forty years and that she has not any expectation of tasting it as long as she lives. She is seventy-seven years old now and in the best of health. She makes her home with her son William, who is a water drinker, as are all of her seven living children. Mrs. Craig's husband was a water drinker, too. He died twenty years ago. There is no reason to believe, however, that water drinking had anything to do with his demise. Still, he drank water, and he is dead, while Mrs. Craig, who drinks no water, is alive. "Mrs. Craig has never experienced ill effects from the use of cold tea and cold coffee as a substitute for water. man put asunder?" "Yes, but does God always 'join' the two? Is God to be charged with the unholiness that takes place? Does God join together the man and the woman who only know each other three hours before the ceremony was performed? "Does God join together the man and the woman who are actuated in their marriage by anything short of a pure and lofty conception of the conjugal relation? Does God join together people who get married in 'honeymoon' or merry-go-rounds and up in balloons? Does God join together everybody who secures a marriage license and a justice of the peace? Rest assured, all marriages are not made in heaven."

A SUGGESTION!

Without good sight even Christmas grows less bright. A pair of the right eyeglasses or spectacles brings comfort and cheer throughout the year. D. BOYANER, SCIENTIFIC OPTICIAN, 38 Dock street.

HALIFAX CRIMINALS SENTENCED TO PRISON.

Five Prisoners Will Serve Terms in Dorchester—Light Sentences.

HALIFAX, Jan. 7.—In the county court today Judge Wallace sentenced George Bellfontaine, Henry Bremner and John Vaughan, three youths, for burglarizing the house of Mrs. Morrow, Northwest Arm, to three years in Dorchester penitentiary. Augustus Jackson, a huckster, got three years for stealing \$2 from George Chapman, whom he was driving on the Guysboro road, and Arthur Bromley got two years for stealing iron valued at 75 cents. He was only recently released from the penitentiary.

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DECIDE TO PAY TAXES.

At a meeting of the bills and by-laws committee held yesterday afternoon it was decided to prepare the legislation needed in the event of the harbor being placed under commission. Authority will also be asked of the Common Council to publish any legislation required to be enacted at the next session of the provincial house in order that the necessary requirements may be fulfilled. It was also decided to provide for a by-law covering the licensing of bill boards and shooting galleries. Ald. Baxter presided at the meeting in the absence of Ald. Pickett.

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DRISCOLL.—In this city, on the 7th inst., Ellen, widow of Michael Driscoll, in the 7th year of her age, leaving 3 sons, 4 daughters, 16 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren to mourn.

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CARD PUZZLES.

Laying Out Poker Hands—Magic Squares—Cards and Numbers.

A variation of a puzzle which is at least 200 years old is on its rounds in the clubs just now. The proposition is to take a pack of cards, shuffle them, cut them and then count off twenty-five, taking them as they come.

These twenty-five cards are to be arranged in the form of a magic square, the object being to arrange the many poker hands that can be made out of the twelve cards that the cards will form, horizontally, vertically and diagonally.

Another popular variation of the same puzzles is to take twenty-five cards and lay them out in five rows of five cards each, supposed to be poker hands, and then split them about until each row is a pat hand.

It is said by experts at this game that it is impossible to pick out any twenty-five cards from a good five pat hand cannot be made, an assertion which has cost some people a good deal of time and patience to verify.

The puzzle from which both these forms are derived was a common form of amusement in the seventeenth century, long before poker was thought of.

Suppose the sum given as the answer is 25; then the person No. 12 must have taken the card B, No. 24 must have drawn the card A, and No. 26 the card C.

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A rather curious puzzle which had a great vogue in the old days was to take this sequence of cards from the ace to the nine, mix them and throw them face down on the table.

The operator then asked each to draw a card, without showing it to the operator, but each was to show his card to the others who had drawn.

The operator then told one of them to subtract 1 from double the number of pips on his card and multiply the remainder by 5.

The operator then told him to add the number of pips on the second person's card. To this total he added 5, doubled it, and took 1 from it, after which he had to multiply it by 8 again, adding to the total the number of pips on the third person's card.

The operator then asked the sum, to which he mentally added 6, giving him a sum consisting always of three figures.

The first of these three figures is the number of pips on the card the first person took. The second figure will equal the number of pips on the card taken by the second person, and the third figure will tell the number of pips on the third person's card.

Although this process seems a little complicated in telling, it is not so in practice, and the certainty with which the cards can be named comes in the nature of a surprise, especially to the operator simply names the figures and suit, pointing rapidly to each person in turn, as "Two of diamonds, six of diamonds, eight of diamonds."

A very curious puzzle based on the properties of permutations, which is seldom seen now but which a well known business man once offered Melih 1000 to learn, is known as "The Hoodoo Number."

Take three persons and tell the first that this hoodoo number is 12; the second that this number is 21, and the third that his is 26. Then ask each of them to draw a card from a pack which you do not touch. Lay one of them mix these three cards and then lay them face up on the table for you to look at.

These three cards must be laid out in some one of six positions, and these six permutations of position are mentally numbered from 23 to 29, omitting 26, the three cards being distinguished, say, as A, B, C. No matter how the cards are laid out those drawn by No. 12, 24 and 26 must occupy one of these six positions.

Ask the first person, who is No. 12, to add together the following sums:—Half the number of the person who drew the card A; the third of the number of the person that drew the card B; and the fourth of the number of the person that drew the card C.

Let him tell you the sum, which must be one of the numbers between 23 and 29, as shown.

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CAMPAIGN AGAINST GREAT WHITE PLAGUE STARTS WITH VIGOR

Elloquent Pleas for Organized Battle Made by Speakers Ministers and Doctors Join Hands in the Matter

Dr. T. D. Walker Points Out Need of Medical Inspection

Dr. Addy Gives Estimate of Cost of Tuberculosis Hospital

Attended by a large and representative congregation who heard inspiring addresses, the first public meeting to consider the tuberculosis question held in the German street Baptist church last evening was an unqualified success.

The subject was treated in a most exceptionally interesting manner and the audience was clearly shown the great destruction wrought through tuberculosis and the need of an organized system to prevent the spread of the disease.

Venerable Archdeacon Raymond presided at the meeting and Rev. David Lang gave the Scripture reading, which was followed by prayer by Rev. A. B. Cohen. The speaker of the evening, Dr. Raymond, presided.

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LONDON HAS MYSTERY MISSING

A STRANGE CAREER Count Hamon Located in London—Warrant Out For Him

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The mysterious disappearance and the remarkable career of Miss Violet Gordon Charlesworth are furnishing the English public with a sensation equal to that of the Steinheil case in Paris.

Miss Charlesworth, an attractive spinster of 25, who lived with her parents in Bolder, St. Engh, Wales, has been reported as killed while motoring in the direction of Penmaenmawr, near the coast, on Saturday.

The sister and the chauffeur gave the foregoing account to the authorities, and since the members of the family have declined to inquire or to give further details. Those who have examined the scene of the supposed tragedy do not consider it possible that the body could have been washed away. A woman's hat was found upon the rocks, but no signs of a body having been thrown over the cliff. Miss Charlesworth's picture, a watercolor, suggests that of Madame Humbert's. She said that she was heiress of a General Gordon, her father, who left her £74,000, which was to be paid over to her on her twenty-fifth birthday, January 13th, with accumulated interest, making the sum about £2,500,000.

Miss Charlesworth usually gave her name as Gordon and visited London frequently. She operated heavily upon the London stock exchange and, according to the Evening News, owns one broker's share in a large country place at Inverness last summer, which was sumptuously furnished, the walls being draped with Gordon plaid. She had four motor cars. The story of her death is generally disbelieved.

The first of the fires occurred at 26 and 103 Hudson street, a six story double brick building occupied by the Thomas J. Lipton Tea Company, E. C. Hazard and Company and the Cranford and Godley Company, the two last named wholesale grocers. The total loss here is estimated at \$300,000.

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The fire in Hudson street started at 7.22 p. m., and the Bowers fire just 37 minutes after. At 8.17 an alarm was rung in for a fire at No. 134 Crosby street, near Houston, midway between the scenes of the other fires, and a few blocks further north. The fire was in a six story left building, occupied by Lesse, Daily and Company, straw goods manufacturers; S. Steinfeld and Company, valets and lares, and Helman and Lichten, straw goods. The loss here will probably be \$600,000.

The fire tonight was in a district in which a high pressure service has been installed, and this probably saved much valuable property.

Don't Blame Your Stomach

When Without Exertion Or Cost You Can Enjoy Meals and Cure Dyspepsia.

Don't blame your stomach or your luck when your meals declare war on your system. The stomach won't do its work if it is caused to cad.

When foul smelling odors come from your stomach, when the head aches and the sourness of mouth every morning makes you hate your breakfast, when dreams and nightmare assail you, don't give up the fight.

This is the appeal of nature and it should be heard. Over-eating, late suppers, poorly chewed food, too rich pastries and under-done cooking are some of the causes of the stomach's ill health.

When the stomach is busy, it presses and churns all the liquid matter from food and with its juices dissolves into liquid form or pulp everything which comes into it.

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Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest a full meal easily without material assistance from the stomach. They will restock the gastric fluid with all the elements needed. They build up the blood, destroy sour taste, bad breath, belching, stomach and bowel troubles and quickly restore natural conditions.

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They contain every requisite for the stomach and digestion. After a meal enters the stomach mingles with the food and digests it. It removes the fermented and decayed mass, lying stagnant there and eases the stomach at once.

It is wholly a question for you to solve. Your druggist will furnish Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets 50c the box, or send us your name and address and we will send you a trial package free. Address, F. A. Stuart Co., 159 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

TORTOISE SHELL. The comb of tortoise shell has a very pale and translucent yellow, the only really valuable kind of shell.

Many people think this pale, uncolored shell the cheaper kind, the dealer said. "Do you know why? Because the tortoise are all made like this."

"That is one vulgar error about shell. Another is that the tortoise is killed to get the shell casing. That is as absurd an error as it would be to say a sheep was killed to get its wool."

TOTAL LOSS IN NEW YORK FIRES \$1,250,000

Firemen Had Work Cut Out MANY BIG FIRES. No Lives Lost But Many Firemen Were Injured

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The fire fighting forces in the downtown section of New York had their work cut out for them tonight by a series of fires within a radius of a mile or two. The fires were at 26 and 103 Hudson street, Heater street and the Bowers and at No. 134 Crosby street. Each assumed threatening proportions and called out many of the city's fire apparatus.

It required nearly three hours' work to subdue the three fires, which caused a loss estimated at \$1,250,000. No lives were lost, but there were a number of incidents which involved injury to firemen or citizens. No one was fatally hurt.

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Chemist Testifies That Captain Hains Suffered From Impulsive Insanity

FLUSHING, N. Y., Jan. 7.—The trial of Thornton Jenkins Hains reached that stage today frequent in homicide cases, where testimony is had from medical experts and alienists. Hains' counsel, based on the stand Dr. L. Samuel Manson, an alienist, who, after listening to a hypothetical question, concerning the lay facts regarding Captain Hains' sanity, declared that on August 15, when Captain Hains shot William E. Annis he was suffering from "impulsive insanity."

Dr. Manson said that Captain Hains suffered from melancholia after the shooting, but that this mental condition showed improvement. Before an objection could be entered to an interrogation the alienist said that Captain Hains was sane when he last saw him. The cross-examination of Dr. Manson was under way when the court adjourned until tomorrow.

PLAYING ON BRIDGE WHEN HE FALLS OVER

Nine Year Old Boy Drowned at Chester, Albert County

HOPEWELL HILL, N. B., Jan. 7.—While the freshet caused by the heavy rain yesterday was at its height the nine year old son of Simon Z. Colwell, of Chester, Albert County, fell from a bridge just across a small stream near his home and was drowned. The little fellow in company with some other small boys was playing on the little bridge and watching the swollen stream, when getting too near the edge he stumbled over and before any help could reach him was carried down the rush of water. The body has not been found yet this morning, but will probably be found as the water has fallen.

RAILWAY BUILDING DURING THE YEAR 1908

(From the Railroad Age Gazette) Those who have been at all in touch with the railway situation it is not surprising that the record of new main track laid during the year just closing should show a substantial increase; the surprising thing is the amount of mileage built.

In 1907, according to the best obtainable statistics gathered from all the railway companies in the United States approximately 3,312 miles of new main track were laid, while a similar record for 1908 shows 3,214 miles, a decrease of 1,988 miles, or 58.2 per cent. The 1908 record is the smallest since 1894, when 3,822 miles were laid, a decrease of 1,608 miles, or 42.2 per cent. It is rather interesting to note that for each fifth year since 1893 the mileage record has been a little over 3,000 miles. In 1894 there were 1,790 miles of new main track laid, a decrease of 1,608 miles, or 42.2 per cent., from the mileage built in 1889. This parallels closely the percentage of decrease in the new mileage since 1888, when 3,265 miles were laid, the record again reach that of 1883, which was 3,114 miles, or 4.1 per cent. West of the Mississippi the decrease was only about 28.2 per cent., the 1908 record showing 2,438 miles and the 1907 record 3,420 miles. Montana, which was tenth in the list in 1907, with 537 miles, is first in 1908, with 537 miles. This total was built by three railroads, the Great Northern building 161 miles; the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul on its Pacific coast extension 354 miles, and the Northern Pacific 21 miles. Our report of last year showed 443 miles on this same extension, Louisiana, which was first in 1907 with 334 miles, is in the fifth place this year with but 119 miles reported. The five leading States in 1908; Montana, 537; Washington, 287; California, 214; Virginia, 168, and Arkansas, 176, are all in the western section with the exception of Virginia. The five leading States in 1907; Louisiana, 381; Texas, 329; South Dakota, 271; Washington, 231; and Florida, 251, are similarly in the western section of the country with one exception, that of Florida. This indicates a continued prevailing increase in mileage for the West and the country. Texas, which was second in 1907 with 329 miles, ranks fifth in 1908 with 185 miles, a decrease of 144 per cent.

The Pacific Coast extension of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, reaching west through Montana, Idaho and Washington, is listed in 1908 as having added 354 miles of new track, much the longest stretch built by any one company. The Southern Pacific added 448 miles, divided among the States of California, Oregon and Mexico. Of this 364 miles were laid on the Mexican Pacific Coast and the Canadian, Yagui River and Pacific. The Great Northern ranks third of the railway companies in number of miles laid, having 274 miles divided among the States of Minnesota and Montana and Canada. These three leading companies alone added 1,088 miles of the 3,214 miles of new main track in 1908. The 485 miles placed in the State of Mississippi River, or 65.6 per cent. East of the Mississippi River the Virginia railway reported the largest new mileage there being 113 miles in Virginia and West Virginia. The next largest was in Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio, with nearly eighty miles, divided among North Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia.

In Canada there was rather a substantial increase of 21.7 per cent., there being 1,346 miles in 1908, as against 976 miles in 1907. This mileage is divided among ten railway companies, the largest amount being laid by the Grand Trunk Pacific, and the second largest, 289 miles, by the Canadian Pacific. In Mexico there was an increase of 28.4 per cent., there being 435 miles in 1908 and 338 miles in 1907. Of the five companies building, the Southern Pacific, on its Mexican Pacific Coast, placed 233 miles in the States of Sinaloa and Jalisco and 102 miles in the State of Sonora.

This record covers thirty-nine States and Territories of the United States which reported mileage, and eleven in Canada, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Delaware, District of Columbia, Kansas, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Vermont did not report any new mileage in 1908, and of this number Connecticut, Delaware, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Vermont were similarly reported last year, as were Iowa and Rhode Island. There is included also seven miles of new track built by the Panama Railroad on the Isthmus of Panama. No completion has been taken of second, third or fourth tracks, sidings or electric lines.

The following table shows our figures for mileage built in the United States during the last sixteen years.

Table with 4 columns: Year, Miles, % Increase, Total Miles. Rows include 1892-1908.

DR. G. A. B. ADDY. Dr. G. A. B. Addy remarked upon the large number of cases and stated he had been doing a great deal of post-mortem examinations in an English hospital on all were found traces of tuberculosis.

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DAIRY PRODUCTS IN YEAR 1908

Smaller Exports of Butter and Cheese

Canadian Cheese, However, Continues to Hold Its Supremacy on the British Market

While Canada's agricultural development has progressed wonderfully the growth of the dairying industry has been by no means so satisfactory. Exports of both butter and cheese for the past two seasons have been on a smaller scale than for many years, although the industry itself has assumed larger proportions. But the export trade in these commodities does not in reality accurately indicate the progress in the dairying industry of the country, as in recent years the large annual increase in population and the increased purchasing power of the people have added very greatly to the home consumption. Since 1900, it is estimated, the total value of the entire annual production of cheese and creamery butter has increased over \$6,000,000. The following estimate of the value of the entire production of milk and milk products in Canada is made by the Dominion Dairy Commission for the present:

Table with 2 columns: Product, Value. Includes Creamery butter and cheese, Dairy butter, Condensed milk, Milk for direct consumption.

Total Value... \$84,000,000. In his official report the commissioner points out that the decline in the export trade does not necessarily mean a loss to the country, as he holds that it is quite as much money and just as good profit in supplying the Canadian public with dairy produce as there is in supplying the people of any other country. While this is very good economics it does not explain why this country, with the great natural advantages which it affords to the dairying industry, should not be able to keep pace with the domestic consumption and increase its foreign trade as well.

THE SEASON UNSATISFACTORY. The past season in cheese has not been a satisfactory one from the point of view either of the farmer or the cheesemaker. The shortage of milk cows throughout Ontario and Quebec brought about by last year's feed scarcity, as well as the severe drought of last midsummer, caused a short make, which is estimated at about 10 per cent less than that of 1907, while the make of 1907 was fully that much shorter

SAY MINSTER WASN'T SLAIN

Man Declares Carmichael Offered Him Money to Take Him to Canada

WIFE PROSTRATED

ST. CLAIR, Mich., Jan. 7.—Rev. J. H. Carmichael, the Methodist minister of Adair, Mich., who last night was thought to be the victim, whose dismembered and burned body was found in the stove of his church near Columbus, Mich., is tonight thought to be alive. The authorities of St. Clair County, looking upon the minister as a fugitive instead of a murderer as the police of a number of Canadian cities in the hope that a stranger who crossed the St. Clair River today from St. Clair, Mich., to Courtwright, Ont., may be the missing clergyman and that he may be returned to Michigan and clear up the "rattle run" church mystery. Indications tonight point to Gideon Browning of Adair as the person who lost his life in the desperate hand-to-hand fight which violated the rural sanctuary. The murder probably occurred in the early evening of Tuesday by the flickering light of a little oil lamp.

CANADA TAKES U. S. TRADE

During the last five years, according to Weddell & Company's statistics, the total quantity of colonial cheese imported into Great Britain has been 49,638 tons, against 329,431 during the previous five years, which shows an annual average increase of 19,943 tons, though last year there was a decrease of 4,833 tons. The highest import reached was in 1904, which was 7,802 tons more than in 1908. It is a curious fact that, notwithstanding the great falling off in the import of cheese from the United States during the last decade, the quantity of cheese received from the countries in the new world has formed an average above 80 per cent of the imported supplies. Canadian increases have on the whole balanced the losses from the United States, although there has been a steady decrease from both these sources during the past two years, owing to unfavorable weather conditions.

THE BUTTER MAKE.

The season's make of butter did not fulfill the promises of the early summer, as it was curtailed in a marked degree by the drought. Nevertheless, it was larger than in 1907, as is shown by the increased exports. But the latter have been very insignificant compared with series of years which preceded 1907. Owing to the shortage which existed last year (large quantities of butter were placed in storage early in the season, and the prices have held up at a fairly high level during the whole year. The average price in the country is reckoned at 23 1/2-c. per lb. last year. The season's exports compare as follows with previous years:—

Table with 3 columns: Year, Packages, Value. Shows data for 1908, 1907, 1906, 1905.

SEASICKNESS QUICKLY CURED

"Motherall" quickly cures Sea and Train Sickness. Guaranteed perfectly harmless to the most delicate. Money refunded if not satisfactory.

For sale at Drug Stores and first-class Steamers, or Motherall Remedy Co., Ltd., 201 State Street, Detroit.

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"No child should open a book until he is seven years of age," says Dr. Albert Wilson. It would be humane, we think, in the case of some modern novels, to raise the age limit to 100.

NEW YORK REFORMERS WANT ANTI-TRUST ACT CHANGED

Draft of Bill Will be Prepared by the National Civic Federation

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PLEADED GUILTY OF MURDER IN SECOND DEGREE

Dr. W. R. Ashbury Who Killed His Wife at Family Reunion Will Get Life Sentence

DEDHAM, Mass., Jan. 7.—District Attorney Thos. E. Grover, of Norfolk County, today agreed to allow a plea of guilty of murder in the second degree from Dr. Walter R. Ashbury, charged with the murder of his wife, at the home of the latter's mother, in Hyde Park, on Christmas Day, 1907. Dr. Ashbury's case will come up before Judge Edgar J. Sherman for trial here, on next Monday. A plea of murder in the second degree carries with it a sentence of life imprisonment. District Attorney Grover's decision to concur on the plea, was made late today, after a conference with Counsel J. F. Leahy, of Boston, of the defense and Judge Sherman was later notified.

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RESIDENTS DID NOT OBJECT TO THIS FLOOD

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Jan. 7.—Undetermined by the heavy rains of the past few days, the dam connected with the lower Ashley reservoir gave way today, flooding 22,000,000 gallons of water. The immense volume of water swept down the Pittsfield Valley into the Housatonic River, carrying with it a single barn. Instead of the flood proving detrimental to the land over which it passed, it is believed that it has rendered it more fertile and of more value for the growing crops.

OFFER OF \$100,000 TO TEMPT JEFFRIES BACK TO THE RING. BENO, Nev., Jan. 7.—According to a despatch from Manama, a mining camp in the centre of the state, the Athletic Club of that city met last night and decided to offer a purse of \$100,000 for a fight between Jeffries and Johnson, the fight to take place within the next six months at a new place, preferably on July 4.

BIBLE SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS AT MONCTON

MONCTON, Jan. 8.—At the annual meeting of the Moncton branch of the Canadian Bible Society held in St. John's Presbyterian Church tonight, the following officers were elected: President, F. W. Emerson; Vice-Presidents—Protestant clergy of the city; Secretary—G. A. McWilliams; Treasurer—J. C. Patterson.

SETTING THE RIVER ON FIRE.

In old English times, when each family was obliged to sift its own flour it sometimes happened that an energetic man would turn his sieve so rapidly as to cause it to catch fire. The sieve of sieve used in those days was called a "temse," and it became a customary saying that a lay man would never set the temse on fire. Now, it happens that the name of the river Thames is pronounced like the name of this old four sieve, and after many years, when the old fashioned temse was forgotten, it was thought that setting the temse on fire meant setting the river on fire, and that is why today we say that a stupid person will never set the river on fire.

BEIRUT, Jan. 7.—General Cipriano Castro is improving rapidly. He was able to converse today for a considerable time with his wife and others. Dr. Israel is of the opinion that the general will be confined to the hospital for about two weeks longer.

NOT SO PHILANTHROPIC TOWARDS RAILWAYS NOW

Western Provinces Refused Cash Subsidies and Only Guaranteed Bonds on Their Own Terms

WINNIPEG, Jan. 8.—An unofficial report published here tonight says that under an arrangement between Premier Rutherford of Alberta, and officials of C. N. R., that province will build lines desired by the province of Alberta under a guarantee of bonds, to the extent of fifteen thousand dollars per mile, the government to retain a first mortgage on lines so constructed. Premier Scott also said that Saskatchewan was partner to this agreement. The company solicited a cash subsidy and stood out for such an agreement, but neither Rutherford nor Scott could entertain such a proposal. About five hundred miles are to be in Southern Alberta, and the company will be asked to include the coal fields of the south, giving competition in rates. General Manager McLeod is at present in the west and nothing of a contrary nature can be obtained.

HONEYMOON INTERRUPTED BY RAILWAY WASHOUTS

FREDERICTON, Jan. 8.—Among the passengers stalled here is Editor Brennan of the Summerside Journal, on his way home from the west, John Weidner, of Fairbanks, Alaska, who was married to Miss Kilburn at Kings clear today, and expected to sail on his bridal tour from St. John tomorrow on the Empress of Britain, is also here with his bride anxiously waiting transportation to St. John. The goods in this city have entirely subsided and the weather is clear and cold.

CLOSING OUT SALE!

I have decided to Close Out my Men's Furnishing and Hat and Cap Business, at 339 Main St., and to continue my Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishing Business, at 695 Main St. As my stock of Furnishings and Hats is acknowledged to be the finest and most complete in the North End, this will be The Greatest Money-Saving Event Ever Offered the People in this end of Town Sale Starts Saturday, Jan'y 9th, and Ends Saturday, Jan'y 30th.

Wonderful Bargains in Gents' Furnishings:

- \$4.00 Fur-lined Gloves, Fowne's make, sale price \$2.99 per pr
3.00 Fur-lined Gloves, Fowne's make, sale price \$2.49 per pr
2.50 Fur-lined Gloves, Fowne's make, sale price \$1.89 per pr
2.00 Wool-lined Gloves, Fowne's make, sale price \$1.59 per pr
1.75 Wool-lined Gloves, Fowne's make, sale price \$1.39 per pr
1.50 Wool-lined Gloves, Fowne's make, sale price \$1.19 per pr
1.00, 1.25 Wool-lined Gloves, Fowne's make, sale price .79c, per pr
75 and 85c double knit Woolen Gloves, sale price 59c, per pr
50 and 60c double knit Woolen Gloves, sale price 39c, per pr
\$1.50 Stanfield's Unshrinkable Underwear, sale price \$1.19 per garment
1.25 Stanfield's Unshrinkable Underwear, sale price 99c, per garment
1.00 Stanfield's Unshrinkable Underwear, sale price 79c, per garment
Penman's Unshrinkable Underwear, sale price 69c, per garment
Penman's Fleece-lined Underwear, sale price 39 59 and 79c, per garment
75 and 85c Men's Shirts, sale price 59c, per pr
\$1.00 and \$1.25 Men's Shirts, sale price 79c, per pr
1.50 Men's Shirts, sale price \$1.19
1.75 Men's Shirts, sale price 1.39
90c Men's Heavy Flannel Top Shirts, sale price 69c, per pr
\$1.00 Men's Heavy Flannel Top Shirts, sale price 79c, per pr
\$1.25 and 1.50 Men's Heavy Flannel Top Shirts, sale price 99c, per pr
50 and 75c Neckties, sale price 39c, per pr
25 and 35c Neck Ties, sale price 19c, per pr
25 and 35 Cashmere and Woollen Hose 19c, per pr
Big Cut in Men's Hats and Caps.
\$3.00 Hats, sale price \$2.49
2.50 Hats, sale price 1.89
2.00 and 2.25 Hats, sale price 1.59

MEN'S AND BOYS' CAPS AT BIG REDUCTIONS. DON'T MISS THIS SALE OF HIGH CLASS SEASONABLE GOODS.

C. C. FLEWELLING, The Modern Outfitter. 2 Stores--339-695 Main Street.

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

Table of stock market data including Amalg. Copper, Am. Smelt and Ref., Am. Car Foundry, etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Table of Chicago market data including Wheat, Corn, Soybeans, etc.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS

Table of Montreal market data including Dom. Coal, Dom. Iron, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Table of New York cotton market data including January, March, May, July.

J. M. ROBINSON AND SONS

Advertisement for J. M. Robinson and Sons, listing various goods and services.

LOCAL NEWS

Local news items including a report on the special fire alarm, the Harry K. Thaw trial, and the future of Beckley.

ROOSEVELT SHARPLY STABBED IN CONGRESSIONAL REPORT

Main article text discussing the Roosevelt report and its implications in Congress.

TRAINS REACHED THIS CITY THIS AFTERNOON

Text detailing the arrival of trains from various cities like Chicago, Montreal, and New York.

BOYS NEARLY DROWNED AT INDIANTOWN TODAY

Text reporting on a near-drowning incident involving boys in Indiantown.

INTERESTING STORY OF AN OLD LEGACY

Text telling a story about a legacy left by Charles II, involving a woman and her children.

BREAD LIKE GRANDMOTHER

Text describing a woman's experience with bread, comparing it to her grandmother's.

THE HAIN TRIAL

Text reporting on the Hain trial, a legal case involving a woman and her family.

MILEAGE FOR WAITERS

Text discussing the issue of mileage for waiters and the impact on the restaurant industry.

Social and Personal

Social and personal news items including reports on Mrs. J.A. Marven, Mrs. B. I. Robertson, and other social events.

DRUNKS DEALT WITH

Text reporting on the handling of drunk individuals, including a case involving a woman named Alice.

MUSIC AND THE STAGE

Text discussing musical performances and stage productions, including a report on the Queen's Hall orchestra.

LEGACY OF THE MERRIE MONARCH

Text reporting on a legacy left by the Merrie Monarch, involving a woman and her family.

LAWYERS

Text advertising legal services, specifically mentioning 'Grape-Nuts' and their benefits.

PEANUT BUTTER

Text advertising peanut butter, mentioning 'Jas. Collins' and 'Opp. Opera House'.

Mr. Sydney Beckley

Text advertising Mr. Sydney Beckley's services, including 'Dickens Christmas Carol'.

INTERESTING BUDGET OF BRITISH NEWS

Text providing news from the British budget, including information on the Labor Party and financial matters.

WOMEN FALL INTO EACH OTHER'S ARMS

Text reporting on an incident where women fell into each other's arms, possibly during a social gathering.

PRIEST AS A PUBLICAN

Text discussing a priest's involvement in public affairs, including a report on a priest in the department of Dordogne.

NOT MUCH TO TELL

Text reporting on a situation where there was 'not much to tell', possibly a social event or news item.

THE SUITS

Text advertising suits, mentioning 'C. B. Pidgeon' and 'Corner Main and Bridge Streets'.

THE OVERCOATS

Text advertising overcoats, mentioning 'C. B. Pidgeon' and 'Corner Main and Bridge Streets'.

LIBRARY, HALL AND RECEPTION LAMPS

Text advertising library, hall, and reception lamps, mentioning 'O. H. Warwick Co. Ltd.' and '78 to 82 King St.'.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. FRIDAY, JANUARY 8 1909.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is this Store's Pleasure

DYKEMAN'S

A Great Clearing of Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers



About 200 in the lot and every one of them a bargain. They are made from fast color flannelette and come in neat patterns.

32 INCH WRAPPERS for small sized women at 50 CENTS EACH. Many of the Wrappers in this lot are worth \$2.00 each.

AT 85 CENTS, a splendid flannelette Wrapper, well made, with lined body and wide flounce on skirt.

AT \$1.19. This is a REGULAR \$2.00 WRAPPER. It is made from a fine quality of flannelette, kned body, nicely trimmed, wide skirt with a full flounce. Comes in sizes from 34 to 42.

AT \$1.25. A very handsome Flannelette Wrapper WORTH \$2.75, prettily trimmed, and made in an effective style, sizes 34 to 42.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.,
59 CHARLOTTE ST.

Victor Talking Machines and RECORDS.

We carry a good assortment. Call and try the new Double-Sided Records—10 inch. 90 cents.

E. G. NELSON & CO., corner King and Charlotte Streets

ART CALENDARS.

The balance of our 1909 Calendars reduced to about half regular prices to clear.

NEW YEAR POST CARDS, 3 for 5c.

We have some very neat and attractive Booklets, suitable for New Year remembrances, at 1c each.

Choosing out sale. We will allow twenty per cent. discount on all Dolls, Toys and Fancy Goods, at our North End Store, 631 Main St., Thursday and Saturday. Stores open Thursday evening.

Arnold's Department Store
83-85 CHARLOTTE ST.
Branch Store, 631 Main Street.

JEWELRY



We Handle Watches that cannot be surpassed for perfect beauty and accurate time-keeping qualities. They are in gold and silver for ladies and gentlemen. Our present stock of high grade jewelry includes Watches, Chains, Charms, Bracelets, Brooches, Wedding, Engagement, Mourning and Signet Rings, Ear-drops, Brooches, and a variety of other handsome trinkets that will make handsome presents for either sex.

We are offering the above articles at a special discount before stock-taking. Our store closes at 7:30 p. m. (Saturday excepted).

A. POYAS,
Watchmaker and Jeweler, 16 Mill St., St. John, N. B.
Phone Main 1807.

I. O. FORESTERS.

Brunswick Encampment of Royal Foresters met in Orange Hall, Simonds street, on Thursday evening and elected the following officers for next term:

III C—F. A. Corey.
III Lt C—G. Dykeman.
III Orator—W. F. Cronk.
III Chancellor—C. J. Wason.
III Arch—A. G. Perry.
III Mar—S. Thorne.
III Capt—G. J. Earle.
III Standard Bearer—G. Earle, H. J. Pratt.
III Sword Bearer—B. Logan, M. Leskey.
III I G—E. D. Starkey.
III O. G.—J. Southers.
Fin Committee—B. Logan, W. F. Cronk, W. A. Erb.

GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY.

A golden opportunity to buy made to measure clothes at greatly reduced prices. \$17 to \$25 suits are now offered to your order from \$12.50 to \$19.50. \$4.50 to \$7.50 made to order trousers average in price from \$2.50 to \$3.75. In the tailoring department of C. B. Pigeon, Cor. Main and Bridge streets.

Fred J. Carlin, a young man who was charged with disorderly conduct and threatening to kill his mother, was taken before the police magistrate this morning and after a warning was allowed to go home.

THE WEATHER

Maritime—Northerly winds, fair and cold. Saturday—early frost, fair, stationary or higher temperature.

LOCAL NEWS

Two crates of dishes found outside of a Main street store last night were cared for by the police.

A key found on Main street can be had on the owner's application at the Central police station.

The bon ton social club will hold a meeting at 4 p. m. Saturday to transact business for the winter.

The English mells from the steamer Oceanic will be due here tonight from New York.

The first of a series of Bible study classes to be held in the Seaman's institute by H. S. Coaman will meet in room No. 4 of the institute this evening. While the class is organized for the benefit of the sailors, the public is cordially invited to attend also.

Alice O'Brien, a Sheffield street dame, was to have appeared in the police court this morning on the charge of keeping a disorderly house. The case was postponed as a certificate from a physician was received by the court stating that the woman was ill.

The boys of the Wiggins Orphan Asylum went to the Old Ladies' Home Broad street, last evening and entertained the residents there with a very enjoyable concert of their own numbers. The programme was greatly appreciated by the ladies and friends who were present.

Further hearing in the matter of the claim of M. S. Brown and Company against the estate of T. L. Coughlan, a bankrupt, was postponed until Friday, the 22nd inst. L. P. D. Tilley for the claimants and J. King Kelley for the creditors.

The services in connection with the week of prayer will be held in the Main street United Baptist church this evening. The topic will be "Bible Study." The leader of the services will be Rev. J. J. McCaskill, and the speaker of the evening will be Rev. G. M. Campbell, D. D. Music will be furnished by the choir of the church and a collection will be taken up for the benefit of the Boy's Industrial Home.

In the police court report yesterday the name of Fred Carlin was mentioned as having been arrested for threatening violence to his mother. This was not correct. Mr. Carlin had appeared to be in poor health, mentally and was taken to court on the request of his family in order that he might be examined by a physician. The examination was made, and it was found that he was not in such condition as to require treatment, other than in his own home. He was accordingly released.

The prisoners' bench this morning contained six remands and one morning arrest. Fred Rice, arrested by Sgt. Baxter on Main street, was remanded to the city at one on the Express, was remanded until he recovered from his indisposition. Guy Greig, charged with being drunk and assaulting his father was fined \$5. The assault charge was allowed to stand. James Verity and Wm. Patterson were also remanded.

MEMBERS OF GOVERNMENT AND FIRE DEPARTMENT INSPECTED THE HOSPITAL

Temporary Arrangements Satisfactory—Laundry Will be Started in the Basement.

Hon. John Morrissey, Chief Commissioner of the Province, arrived in the city yesterday in response to Premier Hazen's message and this morning the Premier, the Chief Commissioner and Hon. Robert Maxwell inspected the ruins of the fire with a view to ascertaining what further arrangements are necessary before extensive repairs are undertaken. It was found that the arrangements already made have placed the hospital in very satisfactory condition to care for all the patients. The heating plant is working very well and with the assistance of the oil stoves the building is quite comfortable.

The chief inconvenience is caused by the destruction of the laundry. At present the work is being done by the city laundries but a temporary laundry will be arranged as soon as possible in the basement of the main building.

After a thorough canvass of the needs of the institution an architect will be employed to draw up plans for rebuilding the wing and the repairs will be commenced on an extensive scale as early in the spring as the weather will permit of such work.

THIS PASSENGER WILL NOT SAIL ON THE EMPRESS

Fred A. Rice, who says he is 22 years of age and hails from New Scotland, was picked up on Market Square this morning by Police Sgt. Baxter. The prisoner is most anxious to obtain his liberty as he claims that he is to be a passenger on the C. P. R. steamer Empress of Ireland, which sails this afternoon for Liverpool. Rice says that he came from Bear River and has been retained of his ticket to England and \$15. He was too drunk to be tried in the court this morning and will probably lose his passage on the steamer, for being without his ticket he has only in his possession the sum of \$1.02.

CITY FLOODED WITH MAIL ORDER CATALOGUES

Local Merchant Says Business Men Here are Not Afraid of the Competition

During the last few days the city has been flooded with the catalogues and circulars of an Upper Canadian mail order house. The various sections of the city have been candidly covered and copies left at every door. Speaking to the Star, a King street merchant said while he admires the enterprise of the Toronto firm he did not think that St. John business men had a great deal to fear from this competition.

It is different in small places, and in the country where the people do not have convenient access to good stores. This Bible society has usually found that the same goods could be procured just as cheaply in this city.

The great advantage the local stores have is that people can see what they are buying before paying their money. Again, the cost of bringing the goods by mail or express adds to the cost of goods purchased from the mail order houses. On the whole, the merchant said he did not think such methods would cut very deeply into the profits of the St. John business men.

BIBLE SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING THIS EVENING

N. B. Auxiliary Session in St. David's Church—The Programme

The nineteenth annual meeting of the New Brunswick Auxiliary of the Canadian Bible Society will be held in St. David's church this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The music will be by St. David's church choir. The programme of the meeting is:

Buck-Sing Alleluia Forth. Choir
Prayer—How Long Will Thou Forget Me. Solo
Solo by Miss Thompson.
Mendelssohn—How Lovely Are the Mercies. Solo.
Mrs. Worden.
Mendelssohn—How Lovely Are the Messengers. Choir
Opening address. Solo by Mrs. Worden.
Hon. F. E. Barker, Chief Justice in the Chair.
Psalms 98—verses 1, 2, 3, 4.
Reading of scripture. Rev. A. G. Graham.
Prayer. Rev. W. W. Camp
Opening address. Chief Justice Barker.
Secretary's report. George A. Henderson.
Address—The Bible and its Message. Rev. R. A. Armstrong, M.A., rector of Trinity church.
Hymn 117.
Address—The Bible Society and its Work. Judge Forbes
Mission. Rev. C. F. Flinders, D.D., minister Centenary church.
Address—The Bible and its Mission to the Immigrant Colonist. Rev. Dr. Heine, Ph. D.
Election of Board of Directors for 1909. Doxology.
Benediction.

PREMIER THANKS CITY AND FIRE DEPARTMENT

Mayor Bullock received a letter from Hon. D. J. Hazen this morning conveying the thanks of the commissioners of the Provincial Hospital for the city's offer of the use of buildings and other assistance. The Premier also took the opportunity to express his hearty appreciation of the work done by the city's fire department in helping to extinguish the fire.

MISSION SERVICES

Evangelist Johnnie Williams has returned to the city and will conduct a series of evangelistic meetings, lasting some weeks, in connection with the Murray Street Hospital, which has for some years been carried on by the United Baptists of this city. The Sabbath school in connection with this work and only a few weeks ago closed a very successful mission in connection with the Tabernacle Church, and so the friends of this Mission have every reason to hope for large success from this mission. The first service of the series will be conducted by Mr. Williams at 7 o'clock Sunday evening, Jan. 10th.

PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Robert L. Morrison, carpenter. Last will proved which gives to his wife all his property and appoints her sole executrix. Probate granted. Juns Elnorah Morrison, the widow, is sworn in as executrix. Real estate \$3,000. Personal estate \$500. Amon A. Wilson, K. C., Proctor.

LATE SHIPPING.

Arrived Today.
Str. Rappahannock from London via Halifax. Wm. Thomson & Co.
Str. Almorah from Glasgow. R. Bedford Co. Cleared.
Str. Empress of Ireland, Liverpool via Halifax. C. F. R.

ZEMACURA SALVE

acts quickly and soothes gently all inflammation of the skin For Eczema, Frost Bites and Burns it has no equal.

The Royal Pharmacy,
King Street.

New Years Gifts

In Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Ebony and Silver Toilet Sets

And a Large Stock of Useful Goods for the Holidays

DAVIS BROS.,
Reliable Jewelers,
65 Charlotte St. St. John, N. B.

We Have It at Last Only \$5.00

A PLATE YOU CAN EAT WITH HELD IN POSITION BY OUR NEWLY IMPROVED QUADRUPLE ATTACHMENT.

People don't want artificial teeth to carry around in their pockets nor keep at home in their bureau drawer so they will know where to find them when the door bell rings, they want teeth for service.

If you have a plate that no dentist has been able to make fit, why not try us; we have satisfied thousands and why not you?

Our teeth are so natural in size, shape, color and the expression they afford to the features as to defy detection EVEN BY A DENTIST unless closely examined.

Our new attachment holds them as solid almost as though they were riveted in the mouth.

DON'T MAKE THE MISTAKE OF GIVING YOUR ORDER FOR A SET OF TEETH BEFORE SEEING US.

BOSTON DENTAL PARLORS,
621 MAIN ST.
DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor.
Tel. 683 and 733 Main.

EVERY DAY CLUB.

With the electric light over the door, and light and warmth inside, the new Every Day Club was a pleasant place for the crowd of men, youths and boys who gathered there last evening. The tables and games spread out. The estimate of cost of improvement was too low. The total expenditure, including the lighting, additional chairs and other furniture, will be not less than \$400. The lumber alone cost almost \$200. The following additional subscriptions have been received:

Thomas Heavily. \$25
Joseph Allison. 25
W. Frank Hatheway. 25

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

WANTED—A girl for general housework, family of three, MRS. M. B. BOWDEN, 74 Sydney street. 8-1-6

Goods Damaged By Water

Damaged Blankets, worth \$6.00. sale \$3.48
Damaged Shaker Blankets, worth \$1.25. sale 90c
Damaged Under Skirts, worth \$1.25. sale 75c
Damaged Silk Underskirts, worth \$4.50. sale \$2.98
Damaged Sateen Waists, worth \$1.00. sale 65c
30 dozen Boys Fleece Shirts and Drawers, 25c. each.

WILCOX BROS.

Dock Street and Market Square.

VISIT OUR NEW STORE,

105 Charlotte Street,
DOMINION SPECIALTY CO., Ltd.

Bargains at THE 2 BARKERS, LTD.,

100 Princess, 111 Brussels 443 Main and 248 King St. West.
23 lbs. Best Cane Granulated Sugar 8 Bars Barkers Soap, 25c.
Best Canned Peas, 7c can; 85c. doz.
Best Canned Corn, 7 1/2c can; 85c. doz.
Best Canned String Beans, 7 1/2c can;
3 Pint Bottles Worcester Sauce, 25c. 85c. doz.
Pickles from 15c. Bottle up.
4 pkgs. Jelly Powder 25c.
8 pkgs. Mince Meat 25c.
3 pkgs. Corn Starch 25c.
2 Bottles German Mustard, 25c.
Best Canned Tomatoes, 5c. can; 85c. doz.
And many other bargains too numerous to mention.

It's a Great "Sail."

And ladies in search of bargains in Table Linen should come here. Better come early while the sale is young and the assortment complete.

White Table Cloths. \$1.50, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$2.85 each
Linen Table Cloths (red border and fringe), 75 and 80 cents each.

Red and White Table Cloths. \$1.00 and \$1.35 each
HEMMING FREE OF CHARGE
Store Closes at 7 O'clock Except Saturdays

S. W. McMackin,

335 Main Street, North End.

Teeth of Pearly White for You!

Wouldn't you like to have them! Easiest thing in the world if you use ROBB'S TOOTH POWDER. It cleans, beautifies, and more—preserves them. There's nothing "just as good," and hundreds who use it say "nothing better." Ought to use it if you take pride in your teeth.

"RELIABLE" ROBB, The Prescription Druggist, 137 Charlotte St.

SALE OF MEN'S COLORED SHIRTS

CONTINUED
75c. for Shirts Worth \$1.00 to \$1.50

Many have taken advantage of the sale and saved money. The shirts are desirable patterns, dressy and well fitting. Some with cuffs, others without. Figures and stripes in Madras, Prints and Gingham.

We have added some new designs as a closing feature, and have a particularly large assortment in sizes from 15 1/2 to 18. Exceptional opportunity for men wearing large size collars.

All shirts offered are from regular stock and were sold at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Now all one price, each 75c.

Men's Underwear Sale

Desirable Underwear at cut prices. Closing out of broken lines and odd sizes to make room for Spring showing. Excellent chance to secure bright, new garments at much reduced prices.

A few odd sizes of Boys' Underwear, slightly soiled, consisting of plain and Union in natural wool and elastic ribbed. Special prices to clear, 35c. and 50c per garment.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS DEPARTMENT
FREE HEMMING SALE OF LINENS AND COTTONS COMMENCE MONDAY

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