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## MOON WATCH AS MOON HIDES SUN

### SCIENTISTS AT THIRTEEN STATIONS GET PICTURES OF PHENOMENON

#### WIDE STRIP OF COUNTRY CAST INTO DARKNESS

#### Clouds Obscure View In Upper Canadian Cities

By FRANK GETTY

United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—

Watched by millions the sun went into total eclipse behind the dull, slate-colored disc of the moon and its shining corona in the blackness of the morning sky.

The part of the country with a thrill not to be repeated for 200 years.

Strand shadow bands recede across the earth as almost complete darkness fell over a stretch of country from Duluth to Montauk Point, N. Y.

Wide Band of Shadow

It was near night in the territory through a stretch between 85 and 120 miles wide, over which the moon's shadow raced eastward at the moment when the eclipse became complete.

The great mobilization of scientists in the history of the heavenly phenomena trained telescopes and cameras on the eclipse from 13 observatories.

They were rewarded with a slight unequaled in splendor by anything in the skies.

Few Seconds Late

Dr. S. L. Boothroyd, astronomer in charge of the observatory of Cornell University at Ithaca, N. Y., reported that conditions for observing the phenomenon were perfect.

"There was a drop in temperature of five degrees," Dr. Boothroyd said. The mysterious shadow bands were noticeable both before and after the eclipse. The time of totality was a few seconds late.

"The corona was wonderful and we had a perfectly clear image of the entire eclipse," he said.

Success crowned the efforts of other scientists in the east. Professor E. Brown of Yale University reported that "results were very satisfactory. It is too early yet, however, to make a full report."

Professor E. G. Free of the Scientific American Observation post at East Hampton, L. I., said: "Conditions perfect. All observations made as planned. Apparently full success obtained. Clear photographs of the sun."

10,000,000 Affected

The solar eclipse affected the activities of more than 10,000,000 people living in this locality area. With an hour of daylight, it was succeeded by twilight a few moments of darkness then twilight and daylight again.

The phenomenon was not greeted with terror, as was the wont of the untutored ancients but with enthusiasm for nature's greatest spectacle.

The eclipse was observed in a wide area. It was seen in Philadelphia, Chicago, Boston, Washington, Toledo, Ottawa and Montreal, but unless one was in the totality area it was a partial eclipse.

### Fun Spots On The Sun

#### CITY FAVORED WITH FINE VIEW OF PHENOMENON

#### Unclouded Sky Reveals Whole Picture to St. John

St. John's thousands were favored with a splendid view of the solar eclipse which made so many eyes-upturn this morning.

Artificial Light

From every possible vantage point, people in the city thronged to observe the gradual covering of the sun's surface by the moon's black shadow.

Some of the rarest sights given to man to see, there were few who missed viewing it.

Only Crescent

St. John witnessed a 92 per cent. eclipse. At 8:13, the first indication came when the moon's shadow appeared to bite into the sun on the right side.

A GOOD housewife, who had been hurriedly bundling up her children and sending them into the backyard with pieces of glass snuggled in the kitchen stove suddenly felt the floor shake.

Business throughout the city was affected from 10 o'clock until the end of the show. Many thousands were in the streets and gazed at it through smoked glasses.

Shadow From West

Several have been pointed out in the Mira district where he had been following a clue as to the whereabouts of Justin Bennett, missing bank clerk.

SCOTLAND WINS

EDINBURGH, Jan. 24.—(Canadian Press Cable).—Scotland defeated France in an international rugby match today by 25 points to four.

### Backs Mission

#### TRADE WITH FRANCE SHOWS INCREASE

#### Meats, Hides and Skins Exported From Canada Make Big Gain

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### Strength Is Added To Maritime Drive For Trade To the West

#### WE MUST MARCH TOGETHER (An Editorial)

THE Canadian provinces must march together if Canada—if this Confederation—is to find and occupy its full place in the sun.

The Maritime Provinces, in presenting to their fellow Canadians elsewhere in the Dominion their demands for equality of opportunity, are presenting a policy that will stand up nationally, that has, as its greatest merit, the fundamental truth that those things which we in the Maritime Provinces are asking, are not only good for the Dominion as a whole, but are necessary if the Dominion is to be crowned with that measure of Canadian unity, contentment and material success which must be thought natural and vitally necessary in a land of such varied and extensive resources, peopled by a vigorous, a resolute and a self-reliant race.

What are the Maritime Provinces seeking from the Dominion?

What remedies do they suggest for their own disabilities, which remedies also apply in so great measure to the country as a whole?

MR. A. M. BELDING, representative of The Telegraph-Journal and The Times-Star, who is now proceeding westward on his mission, and is presenting the position of the Maritimes to the rest of Canada, is daily, in public speeches and through personal contact, setting forth, definitely, and with the full force of Maritime sentiment behind him, the answers to the foregoing questions.

The Maritime Provinces want—and they say that it is good for all Canada, and necessary for all Canada, that they should have:

1—Closer cooperation between East and West—and a complete understanding between East and West—the fruits of a frank recognition that we are all Canadians and must profit together or lose together in the end.

2—The Maritime Provinces want such an enlarged use of their always open seaports as is consonant with the proved value of those ports in the scheme of All-Canadian transportation, which every government in Canada for twenty years has proclaimed thunderously at election times as the only safe, sound, profitable and self-respecting policy for the premier Dominion of the British Empire.

They want western products routed through all-Canadian channels for export, and they want the great flow of imports—soon to be immensely increased as the world picks up its business stride again—to enter this country through its own ports direct.

The Maritime Provinces say that while this policy will benefit them, it is no selfish policy, but that it will immensely benefit Canada as a whole; that it will provide two-way cargoes for steamers plying between every Canadian port and the ports of Britain and the Continent, and, indeed, the rest of the world, thus making transportation by railroad and by sea a complete and satisfactory business transaction, keeping within Canada the money, the profit, the labor, which, under present conditions, we present so lavishly to foreign taxpayers.

The Maritime Provinces want the Canadian Government Railways, built by the money of Canadians, to use Canadian ports rather than alien ports.

The Maritime Provinces, in other words, are asking that Parliament, containing their representatives without respect to politics, shall see to it that the provisions written into the statutes of this country when the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Transcontinental were built under Laurier, and when additional aid was given to the Canadian Northern under Borden, shall be carried into full effect.

These provisions were not adopted by Parliament because the Maritime Provinces wanted them. They were passed by Parliament on the broadest national grounds, on the grounds that such vast expenditures could only be justified by the development and the carrying into effect at the earliest possible day of an all-Canadian transportation policy, under which, by reason of those transcontinental lines and their branches, together with the great privately owned C. P. R., Canadian business might be handled by Canadians, to their profit and to the upbuilding of this great country along sound and independent lines.

THE Maritime Provinces say—and the rest of the country must say upon reflection, and upon being reminded of those statutory provisions—that Parliament, regardless of party politics, had no right and has today no right, to administer the publicly-owned railway lines unless and until those provisions are carried into actual effect by Parliament, or by any board, commission or instrument of its creation.

The Maritime Provinces say that this country can never win the full success promised it, and can never justify the railway expansion undertaken in our time of greatest prosperity until Parliament has met its obligations to the people of every part of Canada who paid the shot.

4.—The Maritime Provinces want the British preference confined to goods entering Canada direct through its own ports.

These provinces suggest, as sound Dominion policy, having in mind all Dominion ports and all Dominion railways, that fifty per cent. of that preference be so applied now, and the other fifty per cent. in due course. The trifling margin of preference recently thrown as a sop to the ports constituted merely an admission that the principle of a confined preference is correct, but that margin is practically useless, and it serves only to remind us that the real benefits of what was the policy of Parliament some years ago has been

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### FOUR NEW CASES SCHEDULED FOR DIVORCE COURT

#### Parties In 3 of Them Are Residents Of St. John

#### 2 ARE REMANETS

Hearing Will Commence Before Mr. Justice Crockett on Tuesday.

Special to The Times-Star. FREDERICTON, Jan. 24.—The New Brunswick Divorce Court, with His Honor Mr. Justice Crockett presiding, will meet on Tuesday morning for the January term.

Four New Cases

The new cases are—Alice Bacon vs. Wellington Bacon; Alice Maude Whitworth vs. Albert Ernest Whitworth; Lovell H. London vs. Eva Arabina London; Harold Truman Draper vs. Gertrude Draper.

In Bacon vs. Bacon, both parties reside in St. John, the defendant being a laborer. The plaintiff prior to marriage was named Brown. The marriage was performed by Rev. C. M. Campbell, Methodist, at St. John, March 9, 1904. After the wife lived together at St. John until 1910 when the husband deserted the wife, according to her statements, two sons were born.

In Whitworth vs. Whitworth, the plaintiff resides in St. John. Prior to marriage she was named Spearman. The marriage took place March 8, 1910, at St. John, the plaintiff joining the district of Ealing, Essex, England. In 1911 the defendant came from England to St. John, the plaintiff joining her there. Two daughters were born. In 1914 the defendant was called to the colors in England as a reservist and served during the war.

After the war the husband remained in England, but communicated with his wife. On Nov. 23, 1924, the plaintiff received a cablegram to the following effect: "Alice Maude Whitworth, traveling as Charles Flegg, arrives St. John by Montreal tomorrow; this from brother of intended victim aboard." As a result of receiving the cablegram plaintiff went to the steamer upon docking.

Arrives from England

The defendant in the latter case is an automobile salesman residing in Woodstock and the defendant wife resides in the same town. The parties were married at Woodstock, June 4, 1918, by A. C. Berrie. Two daughters were born. The label sets forth that on several occasions during May, 1921, the defendant stayed out at night until a late hour or all night and refused to give an account of herself. George Corkey of Woodstock was said by others to be her companion and

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### The Weather Report

SYNOPSIS.—The high pressure with cold wave which was over the Great Lakes yesterday has passed to the Atlantic coast. The low pressure which was in Saskatchewan is now moving across northern Ontario, while another cold wave is spreading into the western provinces from the north.

Forecast: Maritime—Decreasing north-west winds, fair, Sunday, fresh west and southwest winds, fair and milder. Northern New England—Partly cloudy and warmer tonight. Sunday unsettled and warmer. Moderate west winds, shifting to south west and increasing. Temperatures.

TORONTO, Jan. 24.

High	Low
8	32
Victoria	32
Calgary	38
Edmonton	42
P. Albert	41
Winnipeg	28
Toronto	38
Montreal	44
Quebec	42
St. John	46
Halifax	41
New York	44

Below zero

### ELECTION OFFICER IS UNDER ARREST

KITCHENER, Ont., Jan. 24.—A serious disclosure as to the activities of the election officer in the recent municipal election, an act which was a serious possibility that the election for council will be upset and a new one will have to be held.

The closing stages of the investigation of the second day one deputy returned the officer, William H. Gottfried, is in custody and the ballots of those boxes which were examined Thursday when suspicious looking crosses for some candidates were found will be re-examined today.

### CLAIMS OF MARITIMES CONTINUE TO GAIN SYMPATHY OF UPPER CANADIAN PEOPLE

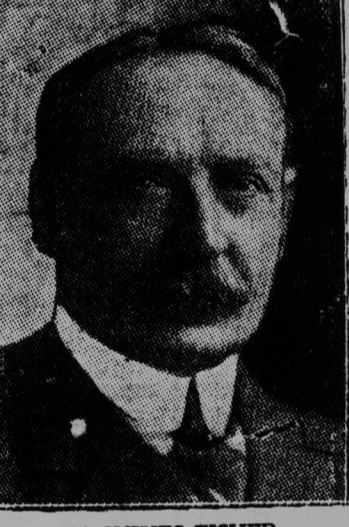
Crusaders From Atlantic Provinces Get Numerous Assurances of Their Cause and Support in Their Fight

By A. M. BELDING  
Special Representative of The Telegraph-Journal and Times-Star now touring Quebec, Ontario, Canada on a mission in the interests of the Maritime Provinces.

LONDON, Ont., Jan. 23.—The following resolution, moved by Col. W. M. Cartshore, President of the McClary Manufacturing Company, and seconded by W. M. Manning, President of the Sherlock Manning Piano Company, was unanimously adopted this evening, after it had been heartily supported by Frank White, M.P.

"RESOLVED, That this meeting of the London (Ont.) Canadian Club, and London Chamber of Commerce, strongly approves of the proposal that the national ports of Canada be used to the utmost in forwarding and importing goods, originating on Canadian railways, and routed for Canadian destinations and is impressed with the importance of the development of Canadian transportation along national lines,

### Backs Mission



W. S. FISHES

#### Former C. M. A. President Assured Ontario Will Assist

#### TARIFF QUESTION Believes New Non-Political Commission Should Re-adjust Schedules

Canadian Press Dispatch. TORONTO, Jan. 24.—In an effort to secure greater recognition in the routing of freight consigned to and from Ontario and Western Canada through the ports of St. John and Halifax, Mr. Fisher of St. John, former president of the Canadian Manufacturers Association, conferred here yesterday with local officials and members of the Canadian Manufacturers Association. Mr. Fisher stated that while the business depression had been acute in the Maritimes, the manufacturing interests and the people in general were hopeful of brighter days this year and looked for a greater volume of freight through the eastern ports.

Manufacturing interests of Toronto, he added, had given him assurances that Ontario would do its share in having the Canadian North Atlantic ports receive a larger share of freight shipments.

Urges New Routes

He thought that the Canadian Mercantile Marine fleet might better be used for opening navigation routes with continental Europe instead of competing with steamship concerns outside of Canada.

Referring to the present tariff and its effect upon trade in general, Mr. Fisher said he believed that the Dominion Government should appoint a tariff commission, free from political bias to study the great problem from a disinterested standpoint and readjust the tariff schedules according to the requirements of industry and the consumer. It would be the only way to secure stability and protect the manufacturer, he claimed.

#### NINE BELOW TODAY

Weather Continues Cold But Break is Expected Before Tomorrow.

Zero weather again prevailed today, the mercury dropping to nine degrees below zero. This was the lowest recorded at the Meteorological Observatory this morning, and the glass stood at that point between 7 and 8 o'clock. At 9 o'clock the thermometer showed seven degrees below, and at 12 o'clock three below. Indication were for continued cold weather today, although a change was expected tomorrow. At noon the wind was still blowing from the northwest at a rate of 26 miles an hour. During the night it reached a velocity varying from 36 to 42 miles an hour.

#### TOWN IS DESTROYED

Disastrous Cyclone Does £100,000 Damage in Australian District.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—(United Press)—A severe cyclone has raged the town of Roebourne, Western Australia, and done damage of £100,000 in the village and adjoining territory, according to dispatches received here today. There is no mention of loss of life.

### A Change of Plans

SINCE Mr. Belding started on his tour a large number of cities in addition to those on his programme have requested his presence to place before them the Maritime viewpoint. As The Telegraph-Journal and Times-Star are desirous of carrying the Maritime message into every city possible it was decided to accept all invitations and have Mr. J. D. McKenna, president of these newspapers, cover the tour. Mr. McKenna will address the business and the additional Ontario invitations accepted are Windsor, Guelph, St. Thomas, Peterboro and Woodstock.

He joined Mr. Belding yesterday and, as will be noted in the despatch below, spoke briefly before the London Chamber of Commerce.

with a view to upbuilding all parts of the Dominion, and therefore expresses hearty sympathy with the object of Mr. Belding's campaign.

Following my presentation of the case for the Maritimes, J. D. McKenna, M.L.A., spoke briefly in support, naming some of the London firms having branches in the Maritimes and pointing out

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**POWER SERVICE IN ST. JOHN RIVER TOWNS CRIPPLED**

Situation is Bad With Water Supply Very Low

**FEW HOURS A DAY**

Woodstock Uses Steam Pump For Water Supply—Phone Co. Calls For Equipment

There is a pronounced shortage of water power reported at Aroostook Falls and the head waters of the St. John. At least four towns supplied by the Maine and New Brunswick Power Co. in New Brunswick are affected. Woodstock, Grand Falls, Aroostook and Perth. Other New Brunswick and Maine places also are feeling the effects.

Two Causes.

The causes, as told to a Times-Star reporter over the long distance telephone this afternoon from New Brunswick Power Company, Aroostook Falls, are lack of rain and the extreme cold weather. There is a plentiful supply of snow in the woods, but the cold prevents it melting.

Very Bad.

The situation, it was further said, was worse perhaps than it had ever been in the history of power service there. The water in the St. John river and the Aroostook was very low. It had been seen for a week and the situation was growing worse instead of better. The Maine and New Brunswick Power Company, it was said, was trying to meet the situation by arranging an auxiliary service and this it was expected to have in order in a few days. Meanwhile a partial service was being given, as extended as possible, but the only hope for return to normal was in milder weather and rainfall.

Woodstock Is Hit.

The Woodstock Electric Light Company, which it was said receives its supply from the Maine and New Brunswick Power Company, and in turn supplies the town, announced this afternoon that they were to have power from 8 a.m. until 1 p.m. and from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Mr. Rutledge, town manager of Woodstock, said that the street lighting was normal, but that he was using a steam pump for some fifteen hours a day for the town water supply.

Equipment from Here.

There came to the New Brunswick Telephone Company, St. John, this morning, notification of a request for service at Woodstock, with a limited quantity of equipment and a list of equipment which the Woodstock branch of the company would be required to furnish for the charging of the batteries. This was done.

**DEVON MAN BADLY FROZEN AT CAPITAL**

Joseph Lewis Found in Serious Condition With Hands and Feet Touched.

FREDERICTON, Jan. 24—(Special)—Joseph Lewis of Devon was severely frozen last night while crossing the river from this city to Devon. He was found in a serious condition. Feet and arms were badly frozen and medical attendance was required. The injured man is a plumber for the C. N. R. He was found by Roy Flower of Devon and taken to his home.

The official minimum temperature last night was 11 degrees below zero. There were several cases of persons being more or less severely frost-bitten.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

**BIRTHS**

MURRAY—At St. Ann's, on Jan. 23, 1925, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Cecil Murray, a daughter.

**MARRIAGES**

BROWN-DONALD—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. S. S. Paul, on Jan. 23, 1925, by Rev. W. H. White, former Springfield, Kings Co., to Marion Irene Douglas of St. John, N. B.

**DEATHS**

MAGEE—At the infirmary, St. John, Jan. 23, 1925, Mrs. William L. Magee, wife of Albert A. Magee, of Hampton, N. B., aged 69 years.

Funeral at Hampton Village, Monday afternoon from the Baptist church at 2:30.

WILSON—At the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Wilson, 160 Chesley street, on Jan. 23, 1925, Walter James Wilson, aged two months, leaving his parents, three brothers and four sisters to mourn.

Funeral on Monday from 140 Chesley street, Service at 10 o'clock.

MCADLEY—At 1 King St., West St. John, on Jan. 22, 1925, Mary Louise McAdley, daughter of George and Martha McAdley, leaving behind her parents, one sister and two brothers to mourn.

Funeral to take place Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock from her residence in Cedar Hill cemetery.

McMURRAY—At the residence, 112 Main street, Fairville, on Jan. 23, 1925, Mary, beloved wife of Patrick McMurray, leaving her husband, three sons, four daughters, five brothers and four sisters to mourn.

Funeral on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 from her late residence.

**IN MEMORIAM**

SUTHERLAND—In loving memory of John Sutherland, who departed this life January 24, 1924.

Gods, but not forgotten.

WIFE.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Louis M. LeLacour desires to thank all who were so kind to him in his recent bereavement.

**Has Big Day In Police Court**

BIRMINGHAM, Jan. 24.—A Birmingham accountant, Sidney Howard Withney, had a full day at the Birmingham Police Court recently. He was sentenced to a month's hard labor for attacking the police; a month's hard labor for neglecting his wife and family; twenty-eight days imprisonment in default of payment of maintenance arrears; twenty shillings on each of five summonses for motoring offences.

A sixth summons for a motoring offence was dismissed.

**ACKNOWLEDGED TO THE PLAINTIFF THAT HE HAD BEEN**

In August of the same year she made trips to St. Andrews remaining some days each time. Misconduct with Kenneth Miller of Woodstock also is alleged. Fred C. Squires is prosecutor.

Parties Reside Here.

In Draper vs. Draper, the name of the defendant prior to marriage was Brennan. The parties reside in St. John. The marriage took place Nov. 21, 1912, at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, A. W. Meahan officiating. Three daughters and one son were born. The plaintiff husband served overseas for two years. In 1919 husband and wife separated. Misconduct at St. John with a man known to the plaintiff is alleged.

**Two Remnants.**

In Stevens vs. Stevens, the defendant wife prior to marriage was named Crossman. The marriage took place at Petrolia, Mass., on Jan. 24, 1904, Rev. A. MacNeill, Baptist, officiating. No children were born. William S. Robinson of Matapan, Mass., is named a respondent. A. A. Allen is prosecutor.

In Rive vs. Rive, the plaintiff is residing in Moncton, and the defendant in Montreal, where he is occupied as a broker. The plaintiff prior to marriage was named Alice and resided in West Kensington, England. Misconduct on the part of the husband is alleged.

**STRIKE IS ENDED**

11,000 Pennsylvania Miners Will Return to Work on Monday.

SORANTON, Pa., Jan. 24—The strike of 11,000 mine workers of the Pennsylvania Coal Company was brought to an end last night, when it was announced that the proposal discussed by the International Commission and representatives of the strikers had been accepted. The men will return to work Monday morning.

**CONFERENCE SAVED**

International Opium Meeting Reaches Unanimity on Inquiry Motion.

GENEVA, Jan. 24.—The International Opium Conference was saved from collapse today when a resolution introduced by Finland, providing for a joint committee from the first and second conferences to inquire into opium smuggling in the far east, was unanimously adopted.

**Influenza Deaths In Tokio Are 727**

TOKYO, Jan. 24.—There have been 727 deaths in the last 20 days in Tokyo from contagious influenza. An erroneous statement yesterday said the deaths had numbered 4,700.

**ST. JOHN SHARES IN FURNISHING BEATTY HOTEL**

Several Contracts For City Merchants Is Announcement

**NOT COMPLETED**

Local Prices, However, Declared To Compare Favorably With Others

A large share of the contracts for the Admiral Beatty Hotel will go to local tenderers, it was announced this morning by C. F. Sanford, one of the directors. Mr. Sanford said that while a final tabulation of the contracts had been set over until next week, he could say prices from local companies favorably compared with those from outside companies. R. H. MacDonald, of Ross St., MacDonald architects for the hotel, who has been here for the last few days, is returning to Montreal. He will come back next week and soon after his arrival an announcement concerning the award of the contracts is expected.

**POSTMASTER DEAD**

CHATHAM, Jan. 24.—(Special)—William Wilson, postmaster here, died at his home this morning following a lengthy illness. He was a native of Scotland and was about 78 years of age. He is survived by one son, Norman, of Ottawa; two daughters, Agnes, of Montreal, and Vera, at home; his wife, formerly Mary Johnston, predeceased him. Mr. Wilson was a prominent member of the Highland Society and other fraternal organizations. He had the office of postmaster for 27 years. He was president of the Chatham Curling Club for many years.

**ACTRESS WIFE SUES**

Says Husband, J. L. O'Brien, Misrepresented Social Status Before Wedding.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Supreme Court Justice Giegerich has reserved decision at the trial of an undecided suit for annulment of marriage by Mrs. Gertrude O'Brien, an actress, against John L. O'Brien, whom she married Dec. 29, 1923.

Mrs. O'Brien testified that her husband misrepresented his social position to her before her marriage by asserting that he was the nephew of former Supreme Court Justice Morgan J. O'Brien.

**OPPOSES LEASES**

Ontario Hydro Chairman in Against Rental of Provincial Water Powers.

TORONTO, Jan. 24.—Speaking over the long distance telephone from London yesterday, Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the Ontario Hydro Electric Power Commission, declared that Ontario and Quebec must stand together in opposition to the leasing of water powers. The commission, he said, will fight any attempt to alter legislation governing power export in favor of certain interests.

**CITY FAVORED WITH FINE VIEW**

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The warning broadcast by astronomers and occultists telling people to use the darkest kind of glasses to prevent bad after-effects upon their eyes turned out to have been a very wise admonition. After the eclipse had taken place pretty nearly every third or fourth person one would meet complained of blurred sight and inability to concentrate their gaze on reading matter or when writing. The effect was very much like that caused by a bilious headache, but, of course, without the more serious accompaniment.

**GOOD THINGS COMING TO THE THEATRES OF ST. JOHN**

**"THE ARAB" AT THE IMPERIAL MONDAY**

Also Boston Violinist and Orchestra Concert in Attractive Offerings.

The Imperial opens another week on Monday with a story which has been awaited with much interest by the pleasure-loving public at large, namely the Metro super-production, "The Arab," in which Ramon Novarro and Alice Terry play the leading roles. This is a sheik story on a high plane, vibrant with a love-theme which makes it intelligently appealing to every lover of fiction. "The Arab" is an extraordinary diary photoplay, also, because it was photographed in Tunis and other parts of Northern Africa and its social scenes in Paris itself. Rex Ingram the maker of the picture, also producer of "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," "Scarborough" and other masterpieces, is the husband of Miss Terry, and with Mr. Novarro journeyed afar to secure a proper atmosphere for this story. The supporting actors are Italian and French.

**Opera House Tonight And For Next Week**

"Tonight represents the last chance to see 'The Eternal Magdalene,' one of the most discussed plays ever presented at the Opera House.

Next Monday the new leading man, Mr. Frank Harrington, will make his first appearance and in one of the funniest comedies, "The Meanest Man in the World," in which Miss Duncan and Miss Kelton portray attractive roles.

The following week, that much anticipated play, "The Fool," will be seen for the first time.

**Dog Guarded Body Of His Dead Master**

LONDON, Jan. 24.—"It is not often in real life that one comes upon such a pathetic instance of the devotion of a dumb animal to its master. The dog must have been guarding the body for some days without food, and then it could not be enticed away."

So said the coroner in returning an open verdict at an inquest at Pontypool, into the death of a colliery laborer, whose body was found at the bottom of a quarry.

**TAKES HEAVY JOB AT \$20 A MONTH**

New Police Constable at Hastings, Ont., Has Work Cut Out For Him.

**WIDE STRIP OF COUNTRY BARK**

he was deprived of an opportunity to witness the greatest glory of the year—the total eclipse of the sun. At the moment of obscuration of the sun.

**At Fredericton.**

FREDERICTON, Jan. 24.—Light had to be turned on this morning when the eclipse of the sun reached its maximum. The eclipse was 92 per cent. The sky being entirely clear until 8:30 a.m. when the maximum of the most time when the maximum of the sky clouded up somewhat, but the eclipse was always observable.

**\$1.00 January Phonograph Club Sale**

**\$1.00 Cash Down Is All You Need**

To own a famous Concert Phonograph. Regular \$18.00 phonograph for less than half price. Take advantage of this liberal offer to have any of the seven models for only \$1.00 down.

**JOIN THE CLUB PLAN.**

No. 1.—\$1.00 down and any phonograph will be delivered to your home.

No. 2.—No collectors, interest or extra fees.

No. 3.—Balance in small monthly payments.

NOTE—If you join the club tomorrow you can have 12 records and pay for them in the regular club payments.

**Free Oyster Feed To Offset Scare**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Because of a scare over the danger of typhoid from oysters, local dealers have arranged an oyster dinner at the Municipal fish market where they will demonstrate to the public that they are not afraid of their wares. The public is invited to come and eat free oysters.

**Boys' hands were made to get dirty. SNAP was made to get them clean again.**

**S.N.A.P. ROLLS OUT THE DIRT**

**WILLIAMS IS INTERESTED IN SUN'S ECLIPSE**

Prisoner in Murder Case Sees Heavenly Phenomenon

**COURT DELAYED**

Morning Session Taken Up With Cross-Examination of Claude Peck

FREDERICTON, Jan. 24.—Standing in front of the court house this morning the 12 men who will decide, after hearing the evidence, if Harry D. Williams is guilty of the murder of Cynthia and Neela Porter, watched the sun being darkened by the shadow of the moon. The court had been adjourned last night until 11 o'clock this morning so that the jury, and court officials might have the opportunity of seeing the phenomenon.

**Prisoner Interested.**

Williams, the prisoner was being brought up the road from the county jail to the court house when the eclipse was at its best. He displayed a very considerable interest in the event. The cross-examination of Claude Peck was commenced by F. H. Peters, counsel for the defence. Little progress was made and Mr. Peck was still on the stand when court adjourned at 1 o'clock.

**Hearing Resumed.**

Mr. Peters said that a reply had been received from a telegram sent to the Department of Militia and Defence respecting Williams' war record and medical history sheet. The reply was not read, but Mr. Peters, Claude Peck said he had always considered Williams not a chap who would make a companion known in the profession as "whirlwind"—"vicious, dashing and rollicking." The Imperial orchestra will render its slightly concert, and for the first half of next week will offer "Foot and Peasant" movement (Suppe), the Valie Lente movement from the Ballet Suite (Sibelius) and popular selections.

**ASQUITH IS AN EARL**

London Standard Hears Former British Premier Has Accepted Honor.

**MAIL LOOTED BUT FEW CONVICTIONS**

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—(United Press)—The police are still engaged in attempting to enlarge the vast system of mail theft which existed during the Christian period in Germany. Many letters were opened, the cash extracted and the letters returned to the owners. They were accepted without question. Authorities telling the kickers that the robbers were committed abroad or on route. There have been numerous local prosecutions, but in few cases were there convictions and in practically no cases were there recoveries of stolen mail.

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**IS HERE TO SPEAK**

Dr. J. L. Paton Arrives to Address Canadian Clubs on Monday.

Dr. J. L. Paton, who is to address a combined meeting of the Men's and Women's Canadian Clubs on Monday afternoon, arrived in the city today and is registered at the Royal. In addition to his address to the Canadian Clubs, he will speak to the High School students on Monday morning.

Dr. Paton comes to St. John under the joint auspices of the two Canadian Clubs of the city to address a public meeting in the Pythian Hall on Monday night, but he will also give an address for the pupils of the High School on Monday morning, and will speak to the pupils of Rothersey school on Monday afternoon.

He is making a high record in the number of addresses which he is delivering in his Canadian tour, but Saturday afternoon and Sunday are allowed to him for holidays this week. He will be a guest at the Royal Hotel while he is in St. John.

**PRESIDENTATION MADE.**

A surprise party was given last evening at the home of Mrs. H. H. McCurdy, Hospital street, in honor of A. L. Gardner, who is assisting Rev. R. Taylor McKim at St. Mary's church, St. Bartholomew's, Goldbrook and All Saints' church, East St. John. After the company had enjoyed a number of courses, Rev. Mr. McKim, on behalf of the company, presented to Mr. Gardner a new sapphire. He congratulated the recipient on the work he had been doing.

**BURNS.**

January 25, 1789-July 21, 1796.

(By Hope A. Thomson.)

Thirty fifty years and more have passed, (Whose stirring songs all Scotsmen love) was born; Master of Song, and mad philosopher, Who found alas! that "Man was made to mourn."

He sang of Nature's God, His words sublime; That love should rule the world, his message ran: How have we heeded his prophetic rhyme? How fares the brotherhood of "Man to Man?"

O! Shade of him who held that glowing pen, Who lived five hundred years before his time— We write these—"One who loved his fellow-men, And died while entering his manhood's prime."

Miss Estelle Fox, the talented soprano, who has been singing this week in the Imperial Concert, is to sing in the German Street Baptist Church tomorrow, Sunday, at both services.—2086-126.

**STERLING EXCHANGE.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 24 (noon)—Sterling exchange steady, quotation (in cents): Great Britain, demand, 4.78 1/2; France, demand, 5.40; Italy, 4.15.

**HAS RETURNED.**

Max Marcus has returned home after a trip to Montreal, Toronto and New York.

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that every additional man employed down there meant more consumers for Ontario products and more wages for Ontario workers.

Col. Gantshore said that his company shipped through Canadian ports, and believed in the principle. He spoke in high praise of our mission and declared more Ontario people should visit the Maritimes and learn about their own country.

Mr. Manning said he also shipped through Canadian ports, and most heartily approved of the resolution. He spoke with enthusiasm about the Maritimes.

Frank White, M.P., said the visitors had presented a grievance without a grouse, and should be commended. He heartily approved of their mission to the rest of Canada, and declared that the British preference should apply only to goods entering through Canadian ports.

Request From Peterboro

THE Telegraph-Journal yesterday received the following letter from the secretary of the Peterboro, Ont., Chamber of Commerce:

Mr. Manning said he also shipped through Canadian ports, and most heartily approved of the resolution. He spoke with enthusiasm about the Maritimes.

Arthur R. Ford, of the London Free Press, who presided, and who has done much to interest the Associated Boards of Trade of Western Ontario in the Maritime Provinces, urged that the London Chamber of Commerce arrange a tour of the Maritimes.

He spoke in strong support of the mission of Mr. McKenna and myself. He added that Gratian O'Leary, another New Brunswicker, would address the club next week.

The meeting was most representative and included leaders in industry and trade, who, the chairman observed, did not usually attend evening meetings.

Given Warm Welcome. Fred London, president of the Canadian Club, extended a warm greeting and pointed out that the Canadian clubs could do Canada a notable service, by such meetings as that of this evening.

When the visitors arrived in London, this morning, they were met by Arthur R. Ford, George and F. C. Wesley, well known in St. John, R. H. Dowler, president, and Gordon Phillips, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

Tumultuous Applause. They found every provision made for their comfort. Mr. Ford took them as guests to the Kiwanis Club luncheon, where they were greeted with tumultuous applause when introduced as Maritime Province men on a mission to the other provinces.

In the afternoon Messrs. Wesley and Mack Manufacturing Company plant, where Frank McCormack greeted them heartily, showed them over the plant and declared his full sympathy with their mission. They were also taken to see London's splendid new university buildings, where they were warmly greeted by Colonel Brown. At the Kiwanis Club they met Rev. George Wood, of Ingalls, formerly of Antigonish.

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Going to Winnipeg. I will leave Toronto tomorrow night for Winnipeg and the west. Before leaving London, however, the visitors will tomorrow confer with the heads of some of the large industries.

George and F. C. Wesley have bought out the photographic and engraving plant of the British and Colonial Press here, but F. C. Wesley will retain his St. John home, at least for summer use.

RATIFIERS DEBT PACT. WARSAW, Jan. 23.—The Polish Diet today ratified an agreement with the United States for the funding of Poland's debt to the United States. The debt, amounting to \$178,000,000, is due for full credits given Poland in 1919 and 1920.

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Did the Eclipse Hurt Your Eyes? The last time there was an important eclipse, the extra effort it cost in watching it made some eyes smart more than others, made some heads ache more than others.

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Selling the Maritimes To the West

(Continued from page 1.) and the National Transcontinental were under construction, Parliament fully discussed this question of using the British preference as a lever for the upbuilding of Canadian ports and railroads, and at that time it was promised that when the new railroads had been completed, and when we were no longer in danger of having the United States abrogate the bonding privilege, the British preference would be so employed. It was said that the preference would be proved by the bad business years following the war, but soon to be improved by the growing volume of world and Canadian trade, have been denied to the people because of the failure of succeeding Parliaments to implement the pledges given when the country consented to be taxed for these railway enterprises.

Let it be remembered that when the Grand Trunk Pacific These reasons convinced the people of Canada that the railroad expansion of that day was a good investment, but the full benefits of that investment, darkened for a period by the bad business years following the war, but soon to be improved by the growing volume of world and Canadian trade, have been denied to the people because of the failure of succeeding Parliaments to implement the pledges given when the country consented to be taxed for these railway enterprises.

5.—The Maritime Provinces want their full share of the Dominion immigration propaganda and of all Dominion expenditures upon immigration. They want these as a natural right, because it is as much in the interest of the Dominion as a whole that the potentially productive vacant land and undeveloped resources of these provinces be made fruitful, as it is that there should be any similar transformation through immigration in any other part of the Dominion. We have paid our pro rata in connection with immigration, as in connection with the railways, canals and all other federal services. Shall we not reap where we sow, equally with our fellow Canadians elsewhere?

MR. BELDING, as he goes from city to city in his swing westward, is presenting these truths of wide application, not on his own personal authority, not yet merely as the policy of the newspapers he represents, but as the position which the Maritime Provinces desire to make clear in every other part of Canada. These definite wants and policies, he is telling everyone he meets, have been put forward by the Maritime Provinces in season and out of season for many years past, and recently, because they have been so long ignored, and because they are truly national—this Maritime platform has been thrust more firmly and more frequently upon the attention of the Canadians in the other provinces, in order that, understanding, they might listen, think, admit, and act in co-operation with the Canadians peopling these Provinces. Mr. Belding, in pointing out, is reminding the people he meets these demands, are not sectional, is reminding the people he meets their need for service and lower rates, will be met the sooner, indeed can scarcely be met at all, unless a greater volume of Canadian exports and imports shall be handled by our ports and railroads, giving increased employment, wiping out deficits permitting railway betterments and lower rates, and distributing at home the additional employment and disbursements which now, through our national weakness, through our lack of faith in ourselves, we give to the ports and railroads of the United States.

The Maritime Provinces do not want charity. They are peopled by a breed who have never asked for charity at the hands of the rest of Canada, and they would throw it in the faces of those who offered it to them. The people of these provinces—their history proves it—are resolute, self-reliant, industrious, resourceful and of high intelligence. They come from forefathers who conquered a vast wilderness and wrested a living from it with hard hands and with valiant hearts.

Presenting their case to the rest of the Dominion, the Maritimes say that it is a case that will stand up nationally, that it is good for Canada, that indeed this Confederation cannot move forward to its full place in the sun until Canadian unity, Canadian co-operation, Canadian understanding, have ceased to be sentimental words employed with a flourish by orators seeking votes, but have been translated into actualities.

They say the time for that translation is long overdue. They think what Canada needs today chiefly is courageous

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BUSINESS LOCALS

Good watch repairing. Geo. J. Barrett, 82 Germain St. Over Oak Hall. 8976-1-26. Bridge and forty-fives in aid of Holy Trinity school fund, Y. M. C. I. Tuesday, Jan. 27. 9110-1-26. Good watch repairing. Geo. J. Barrett, 82 Germain St. Over Oak Hall. 8976-1-26. Victoria Rink tonight. Band as usual and good ice. 1-26. Regular meeting Moulton Temple, No. 14, Pythian Sisters, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Important business. 9073-1-26. Dancing tonight, the Studio. Members of the Women's Canadian Club! Don't fail to hear Dr. Paton, Pythian Hall, Monday evening. 9109-1-26. NOTICE. Campbell's Meat Market has removed to 223 Union St., near Waterford. 9074-1-26.

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ECLIPSE

Well, it's over, and the millions who saw it at the blackest held their breath in awe and wonder, and then gave forth a mighty sigh of mingled relief and admiration. Such a spectacle on such a stage! In another 200 years there'll be another. That one will be good, too. The people of that day will probably stare far out into space to watch it. We of this generation—well, no doubt we should all have reserved seats—somewhere—and we shall, as you might say, have a different view of those things.

SHERLOCK HOLMES AND THE OCCULT

Those who have been plying Conan Doyle as a doddering old gentleman whose once hard and brilliant brain has gone buttery-chasing in the realms of the psychic or the spiritual, might do well to read his "Memories and Adventures." Likewise, those who are inclined to be cock-sure about the soul and its destiny, or even about the possibilities—having the long view in mind—of communication between those in this stage of development and those which surely comes after that we call death, might well be less headlong in conclusion after reading that Balfour, nor but in his intellectual prime, has thought it well to say that there are matters, or happenings in connection with what we loosely call the supernatural, which have led to him the necessity for some mental readjustment.

Mr. Ralph D. Paine, an American author of note and of growing distinction, recently reviewed at length for the New York Sun Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's "Memories and Adventures," and early in his penetrating survey of Doyle's latest work—largely autobiographical—Mr. Paine wants us that a study of this book must give pause to those who are disposed to look with unimpaired pity upon the Doyle of today through comparing him with the Doyle who created Sherlock Holmes. Mr. Paine is an American, and vastly proud of it, as he fits a good patriot, but he has a heritage which gives him uncommon capacity to grasp British and British affairs, and on top of that heritage he has piled much travel and observation, including a considerable period of service with the British fleet during the great war. As to his heritage, his father was a veteran of the Crimean War, and settled in the United States just in time to serve in artillery of the North when Lincoln called for men to serve the Union. Mr. Paine has seen more than one war and is thereby the better able to judge of Conan Doyle's definitely varied life in war and in peace, and to assay, in the light of his last book, the present-day fibre of his mind—the mind which, after so many excursions into so many fields, turns, naturally enough, into the final one, that of the occult.

"To the public at large Sir Arthur Conan Doyle is the paradox who invented a human thinking machine, as logical as algebra, called Sherlock Holmes, and, in his elderly years, wandered off in the misty fields of spiritualism where credulity waves detection aside. There are those who feel sorry for him as a man of distinction who has gone very wrong and is making an almost pitiable show of himself. An unfair verdict this, if his present crusading zeal is held to time's impartment of one of the most robust and adventurous mentalities of his day. It is the pen of Conan Doyle at his best that writes this person's narrative of a life of action and richly colored variety. The pace moves very briskly, and against the modern background he displays the rugged chivalry of his own Sir Nigel Loring of the White Company."

Let none who has not read "Memories and Adventures" for himself too lightly dissent from that verdict. If it seems a surprising phenomenon for a typical British sportsman, the legendary John Bull in flesh and blood, to manifest a curious interest in the human soul and its destiny, let us hear Conan Doyle himself on that head. In concluding his book he tells his vast public that he has flown off at no sudden tangent, but that his present position with respect to the other world is the result of thirty years of thought, and that his present work in that connection is the most important thing in his life, "the thing for which every preceding phase, my gradual religious development, my books, which gave me an introduction to the public, my modest fortune, which enables me to devote myself to unaltruistic work, by platform work, which helps me to convey the message, and my physical strength, which is still sufficient to stand arduous tours and to fill the largest halls for an hour and a half with my voice, have each and all been an unconscious preparation."

Necessarily one passes over many other illuminating passages in Mr. Paine's review of Doyle's wonderfully varied career, containing oneself with his final summary—

Odds and Ends Letters to The Editor

"You never know what you'll find among the odds and ends."—From "Notes by a Waitress."

Leacock Satirizes Follies

Professor Leacock, in his most recent book, "The Garden of Folly," says in the foreword "that the world is full of odd ideas and new ones; laughs at ancient superstitions and shivers over modern ones." With the thought of the modern superstitions uppermost in mind, says the Montreal Free Press, the author proceeds with ironic humor, to ride down some of the follies of this generation. In the chapter labeled "A Manual of Mentalities," the Canadian professor discusses the "mind." "It is generally admitted," says he, "that the human mind was first discovered about four years ago by a brilliant writer in one of the Sunday journals and his article, 'The Subliminal Ego,' caused revolutionary results. All our best magazines are now full of 'mind.' In every direction there is a new psychical, auto-suggestion, and psychical, psychiatric, and things never thought of before, and all will-power is being openly sold by correspondence at fifty cents a kilo-watt. Everybody's mind is now analyzed. People who used to be regarded with the huzzest of plain thinking or with none at all, now resolve themselves into 'reflexes and complexes' and 'impulses.' Some of our brightest people are pronouncing dolomites and kleptomaniacs. 'The chestnut and the mulberry tree' are turned out to be subnormal and not worth knowing. Some of the biggest business men have failed in the intelligence test and have been rained. And a lot of our criminals turn out to be not criminals at all, but merely having a reaction for another person's money."

The intelligence test, which is supposed to be a measure of the intelligence of a person, is a thing which has fallen so heavily upon the people, but most cruelly upon the professional classes and upon those whose incomes too great incomes arose from investments which shrank under the war pressure and were diminished by the advance in the cost of all the necessities.

The United States Government has cut the income tax considerably, and if business picks up as many financiers expect, will cut it again. In many parts of Canada where a federal income tax is piled on top of a civic one, and even, in some places, upon a provincial one as well, the people have long been looking to Ottawa for at least some income tax relief. Judging from recent Ottawa advices, including some utterances by the Prime Minister, the outlook for a cut is none too good; yet there is evidently no definite decision as yet, and the question must remain open as to the future of the coming season's activities. While the country awaits the day of vastly improved business in the world at large, and which is surely coming—which, indeed we may now expect with confidence—such economy in the national budget as will permit of some scaling down of the income tax and the elimination of some of the stamp taxes is bound to invite extended discussion at the coming session.

TRYING TO CHANGE THE CALENDAR

It is explained by the American Association for the Advancement of Science that if we reform the calendar to thirteen months of twenty-eight days as a year and one "year day" besides, there would be some important advantages without very much trouble in changing the calendars. In the first place they say that the proposed calendar will be much simpler than the present one. There would be exactly four weeks in each month, and every month would be of the same length. This would make much easier the reckoning of dates and periods of time. The first day of the month would always be on a Sunday, as would be the 8th, 15th and 22nd days. The second Tuesday would always be on the 10th day of the month, and the third Friday would always be on the 20th.

There might be some advantages, but there are so many other reforms that would be for the benefit of everybody that we would be too busy trying to do everything at once. Every nation would have to join in a movement to change the calendar. National effort is somewhat strained just at the present time and it is not well to add to the work already undertaken for the common good. However, anybody who is paid by the month would probably be very delighted at having thirteen instead of twelve months in the year. This is just a little difficulty, but one of many that will occur to those opposed to any change.

Old Sol looked pretty sick there, for a while, but he certainly made a good recovery.

There's a Come-back.  
(Magnolia Oil News.)  
Customer—"But if you are selling these watches under cost price, where does your profit come in?"  
Assistant—"We make our profit out of repairing them."

Florida

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IN LIGHTER VEIN.

The Modern Girl.  
(The Evening Standard.)  
"I hope that's a nice book for you to read, darling," said a conscientious mother to an disgraced schoolgirl daughter.  
"Oh, yes, mummy," said Miss Thirteen. "It's a lovely book, but I don't think you would like it. It's as bad as the one you gave me." "How is it, darling?" "Well, she dies, and he has to go back to his wife."

Sergeant (in charge of firing party)—"You've got a nice book for you to read, darling."  
Sergeant—"It's in that field on the right of the target!"

Mr. Flood has to have the opinion that the efforts of the directors of the Power Company to do something that will benefit this community is a sign of weakness, and an indication that the Power Company cannot continue its present rates for electricity.

Mr. Flood says the present Hydro rates are sound and can be maintained. He should know that Prices, Waterhouse do not accept responsibility for making any such statement, but since Mr. Flood refers to that report, and says that the Civic Hydro records are open to the public, I would like to ask Mr. Flood for information regarding an item of \$9,249.25 for inventory taken by the Civic Hydro Commission over the city on the 30th of June, 1924, the date of the report, and which item does not seem to appear in the report. If this item has been omitted from the Civic Hydro Commission's liabilities, will Mr. Flood explain how that was omitted?

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space, I am,  
Very truly,  
NEW BRUNSWICK POWER COMPANY,  
M. A. Pooler,  
Vice-President and General Manager.  
St. John, Jan. 23, 1925.

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Old Age.  
(John Hudson in New York Sun.)  
I dreamed that growing old would be so easy!  
A long-drawn yawn, as when creeping cold Drifts down from autumn dawnings, or in blue faded days when the birds are dead.  
To the brown monotone of forest moods—Yet, when I woke one morning I was old.  
Old over night, and oddly I was glad. The days of dreaming, doing those so fair Behind me, I was glad to leave them there.  
To learn that only little lay ahead, And glad at last to lose the parking dread.  
Of loneliness—this truth I had not guessed:  
When birds are flown, leaves dead, the tree can rest.

Conservative Organization Meeting for Women  
All women voters in sympathy with the Conservative Party are requested to meet at the Church of England Institute Hall on Friday next, 30th Inst., at 8 p. m. to organize and elect officers in preparation for Provincial and Dominion Elections.  
The meeting will be addressed by Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, M. P., E. P. D. Tiller, K. C., and Dr. Murray McLaren, M. P.  
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CIVIC DISTRIBUTION A MINORITY POLICY  
In view of statements as to the alleged great body of public opinion behind the policy of Civic distribution of electricity in St. John, an analysis of the election figures, in which the Hydro issue predominated, provides some interesting facts.  
These figures show clearly, that Civic Distribution, far from being the expressed wishes of the majority of the electorate is, in reality, a policy endorsed by a minority of the eligible vote.  
In the first election (April 1922), nearly one-half the voters of the city had been disqualified for non-payment of taxes. The exact figures are 8,596 out of a total of 18,304.  
In that election, Mr. McLellan defeated Mayor Schofield 4,532 votes to 2,964, a majority of 1,568. Mr. McLellan's vote was less than 50 per cent of the total eligible vote.  
In what sense, then, was Mr. McLellan's vote overwhelming?  
In the recall election (November, 1922), with a Civic Distribution System in the offing, Mr. Fisher defeated Mayor McLellan, 4,304 votes to 3,289—a majority of 1,015.  
Yet, Mr. Fisher's vote was only about one-third of the total eligible vote of 12,469. Of this vote but 61 per cent was cast.  
Where, then, was the manifestation of any tremendous desire on the part of the citizens for a Civic Distribution System?  
In April 1924, Mayor Fisher appealed to the electorate purely on his Hydro policy—Civic Distribution.  
Mr. McAvity, chairman of the Civic Power Commission, was also a candidate for Mayor.  
Naturally, if the electors of St. John had such a feverish desire for Civic Distribution, a great rallying to these two gentlemen should have been expected.  
BUT—  
Mayor Fisher was defeated by Mr. Potts, 4,343 votes to 3,238—a majority of 1,105 for Mr. Potts, or a greater majority than Mayor Fisher had obtained over Mayor McLellan.  
The vote was the heaviest cast in the three elections, 77 1/2 per cent of the eligible electorate exercising their franchise.  
Mr. McAvity was eliminated in the primaries.  
Clearly, then, Civic Distribution was not—and is not—in such demand as its advocates have advanced, and are advancing.  
Mr. Potts had not been identified with the Hydro movement previous to his election.  
SINCE THESE THINGS ARE SO—and the figures prove them to be so—the logical solution, where public opinion is so divided, is a compromise, as outlined in our letter, now before the Mayor and Commissioners.  
Its adoption will reconcile both sides and assure to the City all that remains of the benefits of the Government development of the Musquash.

**PRESENT CAME TO  
VICTORIA SHERIFF**

**James Tibbits Had Been Municipal Secretary-Treasurer For 34 Years.**

ANDOVER, N. B., Jan. 23.—Victoria County Council, which is in session here, today presented Sheriff James Tibbits an address and a silver-mounted ebony cane as a token of appreciation of his faithful services as secretary-treasurer of the county from 1890 to 1924.

The address, which was read by Councillor A. W. Ridgewell, was signed by Anders J. Jensen, warden; A. W. Ridgewell, ex-warden; J. W. Kites, ex-warden; R. W. L. Earle, M. D., James Watson, George H. Brooks, James A. Daigle, James R. McLaughlin, Herbert S. Rideout, J. Alexander Grant, John W. Campbell, James A. Haddock, R. H. Ross and B. H. Waugh.

**WEDDINGS**

**Hayes-Gamache.**

The marriage of Miss Lucy Gamache, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis P. Gamache of Ramford, Me., and Robert Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes of 26 Thorne avenue, St. John, was solemnized at Ramford on Sunday, Jan. 18, by the Rt. Rev. Benjamin



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Brewster, Episcopal Bishop of Maine. The bride wore a becoming dress of navy blue satin and carried a bouquet of roses and sweet peas. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Griffin attended the bride and groom, and only immediate friends were present. After the wedding, a dainty luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes will reside for the present at 30 Eberle street, Ramford.

**DEATHS**

**John Owen March.**

Word was received yesterday afternoon by Herbert E. Wardroper, common clerk, of the death of his nephew, John Owen March, at Cowichan Bay, British Columbia. The young man, who was only 27 years of age, was killed instantly when he was struck by a tree which had just been felled by himself and another man. The tree in falling struck a log which was lying on the ground and bounding up hit Mr. March in the abdomen.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry March and was taking the place of his brother, who had obtained a few days' leave of absence. The fatal accident happened on January 7.

**Adelbert Wynan.**

YARMOUTH, Jan. 23.—Adelbert Wynan, for many years in the express and transfer business in Yarmouth, died at his home late last night after an illness of four years of paralysis. Mr. Wynan was 64 years of age and leaves his widow and one sister, Mrs. Hallet C. Cook, of Yarmouth.

**Mrs. M. Melanson.**

MONCTON, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Minnie Melanson, wife of James Melanson, Williams street, Lewisville, passed away at her home this morning after an illness of more than two years. Mr. Melanson was absent in Fredericton at the time. Mrs. Melanson is survived by her husband, her two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan LeBlanc, of this city; two daughters, Margaret and Doris; two sons, Larry and Polyneke, one brother, Edmund LeBlanc, and one sister, Mrs. Frank Gagnon, of Lewisville.

**Miss Jane Wall.**

CHATHAM, N. B., Jan. 23.—Miss Jane Wall died early this morning after a protracted illness. She was one of Chatham's oldest residents, being 83 years of age. One sister, and one step-brother survive her. The funeral will be held here on Sunday afternoon. Interment will be made in St. Michael's cemetery.

Mrs. Charles Robinson and her daughter, Clara, of 18 Horsfield street, arrived home yesterday after a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Dobson, at Moncton.

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- New gingham morning dresses, straight line style with linen or pique collar. **January Sales \$1.98**
- One piece flannellette pyjamas, elastic at ankle, trimmed colored stitching. **January Sales \$1.39**
- 3 dozen crepe gowns, round neck, kimono sleeves, several shades. **January Sales 98¢**
- Kiddies' fleece lined sleepers, good and warm, sizes 2 to 8 years. **January Sales \$1.19**
- New lot silk scarves, fancy knitted, striped or plain shades. **January Sales \$1.39**
- New leather pouch bags—cocoa, brown, navy, black, neatly fitted. **January Sales \$2.68**
- Fine wool scarves, ladies' or children's—white, fawn or cocoa tassled ends. **January Sales .97¢**
- 1,000 yards Scotch Ginghams, just in—a spring shipment. **January Sales 29¢ yd.**
- Women's and Misses' Chamoulette gloves, slit or circular, cuff in mode, gray or brown. **January Sales 89¢**
- H. S. linen towels, good size, only two dozen left. **January Sales 39¢**
- 36 inch marquisette, white, cream of colored with fancy designs. **January Sales 29¢ yd.**
- Ladies' Taffetina, undershirts—jade, purple, peacock, Navy, black. **January Sales 89¢**

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**Yarmouth Church Reduces Its Debt**  
YARMOUTH, Jan. 23.—Zion United Baptist church of this town has just completed a successful year. The treasurer's report at the annual meeting showed that during the year all obligations had been well met and the church entered upon the new year with a good surplus.

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- Size 36x36 in. Sale \$1.75 ea
- Size 45x45 in. Sale \$2.50 ea
- Size 54x54 in. Sale \$3.00 ea
- Size 54x63 in. Sale \$3.50 ea
- Size 63x63 in. Sale \$4.00 ea
- Size 72x72 in. Sale \$4.50, \$5.25, \$5.75 ea
- Size 72x90 in. Sale \$5.95, \$6.95, \$8.50 ea
- Size 72x108 in. Sale \$7.00, \$9.75 ea

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- Size 22x22 in. Sale \$6.25 and \$8.75 doz

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**Father McDonald At Rome Ceremony**  
Father Roy McDonald, of the Cathedral staff here, writing from Rome, tells of his presence at the ceremonies of the opening of Holy Year on Christmas eve. With Fathers Milligan and LeBlanc, of New Brunswick, Father

McDonald is in Rome taking a two-year's course. St. Peter's, he says, was crowded for the event and the sight was a magnificent one. This was the third occasion on which he had seen the Pope. Before that the New Brunswick priest had had two audiences with the Holy Father. In the first one they had the privilege of kissing his ring and in the

second they heard him speak for half an hour. The ceremony on Christmas eve, the letter says, was the finest the New Brunswick priests had ever seen. Italian enthusiasm on that occasion was indescribable and was quite contagious. Notwithstanding some Fourth tendencies, freetrader exports from Hongkong to the United States increased during 1924.

**Russian Cabinet Resigns Office**  
BERLIN, Jan. 23.—Following a sensational session of the Diet today, and a subsequent caucus of the Socialists, Democrats and Sentrists, the Prussian Ministry headed by Herr Von Brauns, resigned. The Diet adjourned until Jan. 30.

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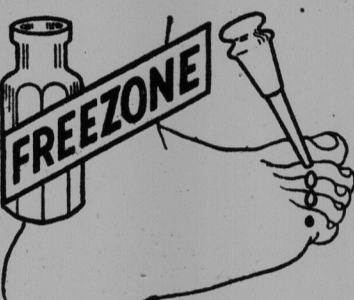
By Olive Roberts Barton.



So the Queen wrote the note and then they all tip-toed out. There sat the whole fifteen of Sally Wigton's dolls on her bed—not a whole one among them. "Yes, she pulled out half my hair," said one.

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THE OLD HOME TOWN

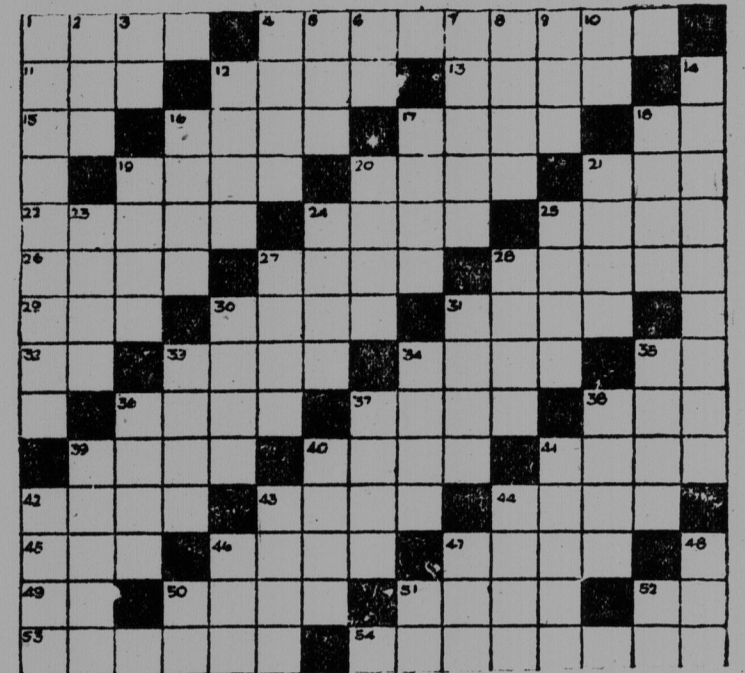
By STANLEY



HOLD ER NEWT SHE'S AREARIN'! YOU SAY—YOU DONT THINK HIS MACHINE WILL EVER PAY? NO-NO-! SAY HES WOUND UP TO TALK ALL DAY! AFTER THE BIG WHEELS GO ROUND TWO HOURS THEN THE LITTLE ONES REVERSE VERY SIMPLE SO ON WITH YOUR STORY! WHERE'D YUH HITCH?

WHAT WAS FIRST THOUGHT TO BE A FIST FIGHT IN FRONT OF WHITTAKER'S LIVERY STABLE WAS ONLY OLD MAN TIMMEAN'S EXPLAINING HIS PERPETUAL MOTION MACHINE TO A FRUIT TREE SALESMAN

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



- Horizontal. 1. To rid. 4. Pains in the head. 11. Speed. 12. Station. 13. Precise in manner. 14. Preposition. 15. Raw skin. 17. Hollow sound of the sea. 18. Half a laugh. 19. Sleigh. 20. Stringed instrument. 21. Except. 22. Bar by estoppel. 24. To leave. 25. Class. 26. Confusion. 27. Without life. 28. Blackboards are made of it. 29. Incline the head. 30. Ale. 31. Station. 32. Indefinite article. 33. Young beef flesh. 34. Manner of walking. 35. Spilled type. 36. Close. 37. Builds homes in trees. 38. Bring forth young. 39. To be full of. 40. End of a freeracker. 41. Noise the freeracker makes. 42. Dread. 43. Normal. 44. Bothersome thing. 45. A cereal. 46. Frenzied passion. 47. Use violent language. 48. White. 49. Ring as a bell. 50. Mother's sister. 51. Mother. 52. Recollection. 54. Witnessed. Vertical. 1. Brotherly. 2. House pest. 3. Half an em. 4. Past participle of hold. 5. Corode. 6. Denotes presence. 7. Toward the left side of a ship. 8. Caw of a bird. 9. Pronoun. 10. Printer's measure. 12. Percioate. 14. Besting. 15. Scheme. 17. Belt. 18. Demage. 19. Nail with a large head. 20. Listen. 21. Water Tax. 22. Anon. 24. Section of a motion picture. 25. Silt. 27. Part of a salutation of a letter. 28. Slipped. 30. A ray of light. 31. Without covering. 33. Change direction. 34. The main point of a matter. 35. Breathe hard. 36. Oratory. 37. Active. 38. Point of the compass. 39. To torment. 40. Roll up. 41. Inclinations (plural). 42. Froth. 43. Hot month. 44. Window. 45. Preposition. 47. Track in the road. 48. Sinful. 50. Near. 51. Identical with No. 6 vertical.

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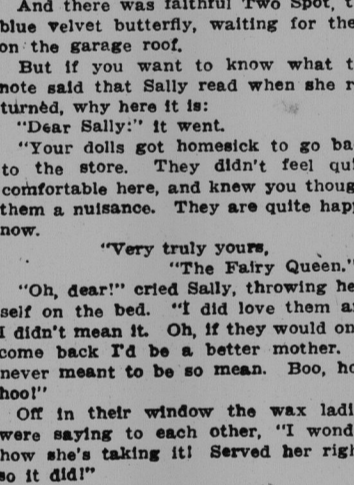


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RELAY INSTRUCTION. (Boston Transcript.) The new minister and his wife were making pastoral calls. At the home of a colored member of the flock the minister's wife remarked: "I suppose you get your children to Sunday school in time, don't you?" The mother replied: "Land sakes, ma'am, I've got thirteen chilluns, a by the time I get 'em last un ready to get 'em comin' home agin'."

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



IT'S TOO BAD FRECKLES AWAY GOT A DIME SO HIS COULD GO WITH US. HA! HA!

LIQUIDATING!



WELL, WELL, WOULD'T THE TROUBLE, MY BOY?

By BLOSSER



AM, 'N OTHER KIDS ALL HAD A DIME 'T GO 'T 'N MONIES AN I DIDNT HAVE ANY SO I-I CANT GO!!

By MARTIN



I'LL SELL YOU MY CHANCE FOR A DIME!!

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



WELL, I GUESS I'LL WRITE FANNIE ANOTHER LETTER—JUS 'T WANTA GIVE HER A LITTLE ENCOURAGE—MEND! I DONT THINK SHE NEEDS MUCH THOUGH.

MORE ABOUT FANNIE



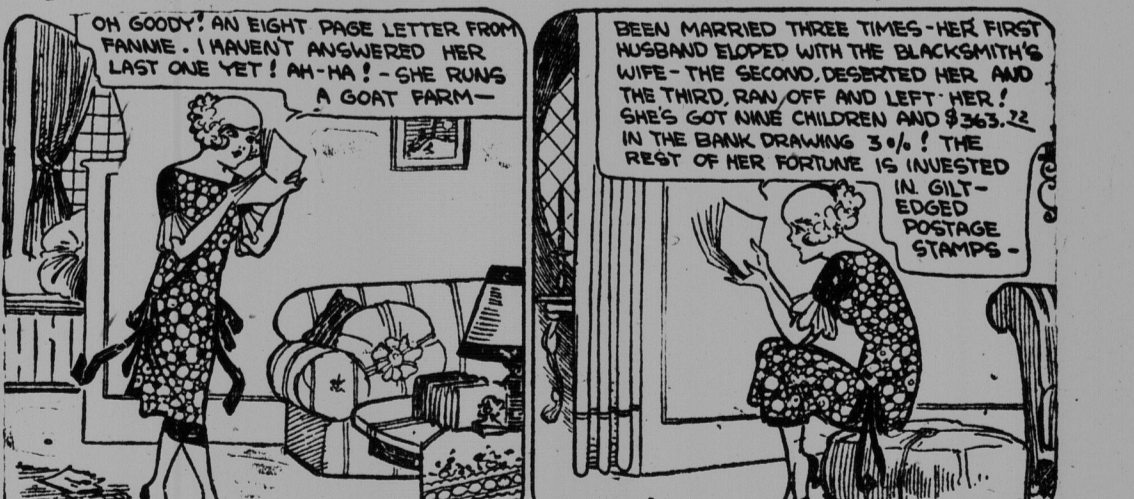
I WONDER WHO THE DICKENS THIS FELLOW, SAM HILL IS—I NEVER SAW ANYBODY AROUND HERE BY THAT NAME.

By SWAN



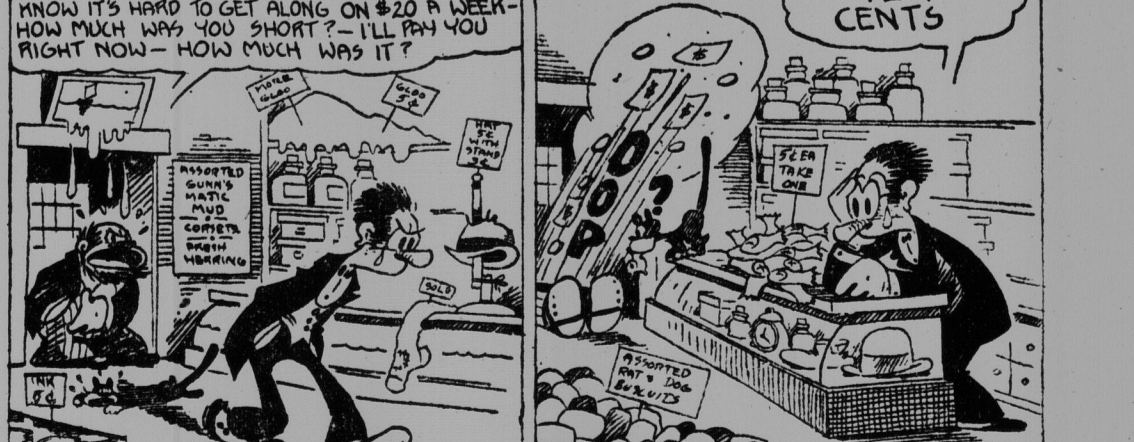
OH GOODY! AN EIGHT PAGE LETTER FROM FANNIE. I HAVEN'T ANSWERED HER LAST ONE YET! AH-HA!—SHE RUNS A GOAT FARM—

SALESMAN SAM



DRAGONIT—GUZZ CANT GET ALONG WITH THAT STUFF ON ME.

WHAT IF IT HAD BEEN \$10



SAM GUZZ—I WAS SHORT-CHANGED IN MY PEN ENVELOPE LAST SPRING—DRAGONIT—GOT PULL I CAN DO TO GET ALONG ON \$20 A WEEK WITHOUT YOU HOLDING OUT PART OF IT ON ME.

TEN CENTS



I NEVER INTENDED TO SHORT-CHANGE YOU—I KNOW IT'S HARD TO GET ALONG ON \$20 A WEEK—HOW MUCH WAP YOU SHORT?—I'LL PAY YOU RIGHT NOW—HOW MUCH WAP IT?

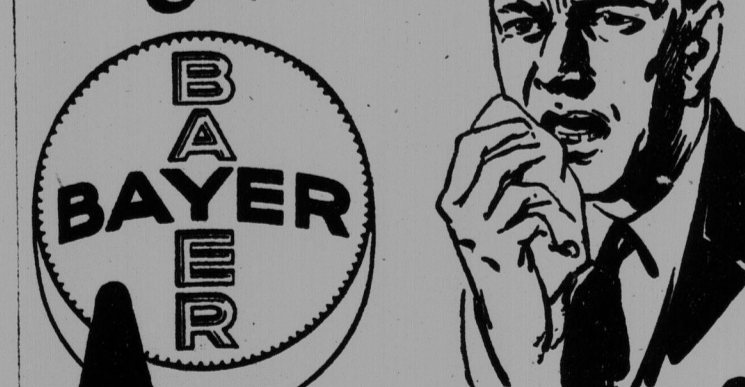
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CONDITIONS SERIOUS HERE. At a meeting of the St. John Social Hygiene Council held last night in the Health Centre the situation in St. John was considered and it was stated that conditions were quite serious. C. B. Lockhart, president, was in the chair. Plans were made for further work.

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THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 1925

# New Railway Depot at Haymarket Square Is Demand of Women

## LOCAL COUNCIL TAKES STAND ON PUBLIC MATTERS

## Critique Structure Placed on Court House Roof

## VOTING QUESTION

## Municipal Franchise in Rural Districts—Mrs. A. W. Estey Chosen President

The meeting of the local council of the St. John Council of Women yesterday, Mrs. Pickett presiding, was held in the drawing room of the court house, and was a most successful one. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Pickett, after which the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The first item on the agenda was the matter of the new railway depot at Haymarket square, the removal of the structure from the top of the court house, and the making uniform of federal, provincial and municipal methods of voting. The report of the convenor of the standing committee for citizenship, Mrs. H. H. Pickett, presented at the annual meeting of the St. John Council of Women yesterday. Mrs. Pickett first recalled the many achievements of women throughout the world in the year just closed and then read a recently published editorial on the need of a uniform ballot. Her report said that she believed as an organization the Women's Council should interview the authorities and ask them to make the voting uniform.

might speak of the useless expenditure of \$200,000 on our station. Let us have a new station in a new place, where there is less traffic. I would suggest a building facing Haymarket square at the corner of Gilbert's Lane. Now the people of the North End, coming in cars are obliged to travel by way of Rockland road or Paradise row and to turn up City road and Bond street, when Mill street is blocked with traffic. The ride would be no longer to Haymarket square and there would be no crossing of tracks and no great traffic. Our city seems to be growing to the east and the Haymarket square location seems a more logical one.

standing vote of appreciation was given her. Mrs. J. H. Doody first vice-president, presiding, read the minutes of the last annual meeting. Cordial greetings were extended to the newly affiliated society, Cathu Lodge, L. O. B. A., which had sent the list of its delegates.

President's Letter. A letter from Mrs. A. W. Estey, president, was read. Mrs. Estey was detained in Moncton by the illness of relatives and she earnestly thanked the council for sympathy extended her in her recent bereavement.

any endeavor. Because of the lessening of the city grant it was necessary to extend some of the play centres but this was overbalanced by very efficient work of two special play leaders, who took their time on the various grounds. The six centres were in operation, but the staff was reduced slightly. The daily attendance on the grounds for July and more than 800 for August.

is under the direction of the association, there was everything to encourage. The boys had taken up the work of raising money to build a place for their work and have now the credit of \$602. This spirit of helping themselves had also been seen in the summer play centres and goes as every season to believe that the playground for July and more than 800 for August.

Useless Expenditures. Her report continued as follows: "And while we are about it we

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## Court House Criticized.

And further as citizens cannot we ask the city fathers to remove the ugly structure from the top of the courthouse? We are delighted to see the plan proposed but why this awful blunder?"

The meeting heartily approved the report and in commenting upon it Mrs. Richard Hooper and Mrs. J. W. Lawlor spoke of the fact that women in rural districts have not the municipal franchise. They held the council of the day to have this right granted to the women as it is granted to the men.

## Societies Report.

Reports from affiliated societies, of which there are now 34, made a review of women's work in the city which summed up a magnificent record of accomplishment, greater than had been realized, and the reports of the standing convenors told of the wide scope and energetic endeavors of the committees of the council. The meeting was held in two sessions in the Board of Trade rooms, and was largely attended in spite of the severity of the weather.

## Officers Elected.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. A. W. Estey; vice-presidents, Mrs. L. A. McAlpine, Mrs. E. A. Young, fourth, Mrs. J. H. Doody; fifth, Mrs. J. F. Bullock; sixth, Mrs. William McAvilly; treasurer, Mrs. T. H. Carter; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Emma Colwell; recording secretary, Mrs. L. A. Clark; convener of standing committees, soldiers' pensions and dependents, Mrs. E. A. Young; mental hygiene, Miss H. Dykeman; immigration, Mrs. Margaret Lawrence; professions and employment, Mrs. Walter Morris; equal standards, Mrs. C. A. Clark; educational, Mrs. W. Edmond; lay affairs and printing matter, Mrs. A. C. D. Wilson; and housing, Mrs. E. A. Young. Mrs. E. A. Young presided over the meeting, Mrs. J. H. Doody presiding.

## Made Honorary Member.

By acclamation, Mrs. H. B. Peck was made an honorary member of the executive with voting powers. A

## Delegates to Convention.

Delegates appointed to attend the annual convention of the Provincial Council of Women in Sackville on Jan. 28 were: Mrs. A. C. D. Wilson, Mrs. H. B. Peck, Dr. Mabel Huntington, Mrs. G. Wilford Campbell, Mrs. J. Goldman and Mrs. W. F. Bonnell.

In preparation for the business of electing officers the following were appointed scrutineers: Mrs. G. M. E. Blizard, Mrs. J. D. Sealy, Mrs. Walter Greig, Mrs. J. Goldman and Mrs. E. T. Burton. Tellers appointed were Mrs. J. W. Lawlor and Miss Lillian Hays.

## Great Mrs. McLellan.

Heartily greeted was given Mrs. David McLellan, honorary member of the executive, who entered the meeting at this point.

The report of Mrs. H. B. Peck, retiring corresponding secretary, told of the work accomplished during the year. Two new societies had been added to the roll. Eighteen meetings had been held during the year. She had issued 1,801 cards of notice and 47 letters.

## Treasurer's Report.

Mrs. Leavitt was appointed auditor for the coming year.

## By-Laws Read.

In order that procedure for the election of officers might be strictly parliamentary Mrs. Lawlor's request that the by-laws be read was adopted. Mrs. Lawlor insisted that the by-law which said conveners of standing committees have no vote be adhered to. Mrs. E. A. Young protested that this procedure was not followed in the St. John Council.

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## Reports of Affiliated Societies.

Reports of affiliated societies, presented at the evening meeting, were as follows: Children's Aid, Mrs. W. B. Tennant; St. John North Sub-Division Catholic Women's League, Miss Sarah Lynch; St. Vincent's Alumnae, Mrs. E. J. Hemmery.

Standing committee reports were next received. Mrs. W. B. Tennant reported the free milk fund, which had reached more than 500 babies. In the four years only eight of the babies had been reported as referred to the Times-Star collection which replenishes the fund in time of need and told of the welcome reduction of milk prices in the city. There was still need of replenishing the fund. Mrs. Tennant referred to the coming departure of Mrs. E. A. Young, superintendent of the V. O. N.

Mrs. H. H. Pickett, as convener of the citizenship committee, told of some of the famous women of the year and gave some pertinent suggestions for local help. Mrs. E. A. Young, in her report as convener of the committee on soldiers' dependents and pensions, said Canada returned soldiers and there were now 60,000 pensioners with the many activities of her own committee in caring for distress among returned soldiers.

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## Civil Welfare Report.

Mrs. C. A. Clark gave the report of the child welfare committee, giving a review of the Dominion, provincial and local efforts in this most important matter.

Mrs. H. B. Peck gave an excellent report of the delegate to the annual meeting of the National Council held in the summer at Toronto. The International Council of Women, said and reported the assistance given her by local organizations and individuals. As a society of the council was making a plan for the aid and closed with a plea for support of the fund for the erection of a civic war memorial to honor the dead.

## Playgrounds Report.

Mrs. A. M. Belding, convener of the ladies' committee of the St. John Playgrounds Association, reported that the year's encouragements outweighed discouragements which always enter into it.

## Mothers' Pensions.

Mrs. E. A. Young, in her report as convener of the committee on mothers' pensions, told of the substantial work accomplished in an effort towards securing a Mothers' Pension Act for New Brunswick. She told of the making of a royal commission of the survey in St. John for which she was convener. She understood the commission report would favor a Mothers' Pension Act and she closed with an appeal until work for obtaining such legislation.

## Affiliated Societies.

Reports of the affiliated societies were received in the afternoon as follows: St. John Health Centre, Mrs. H. Dykeman; Ladies' Association of the National Health, Mrs. A. A. Young; Daughters of Israel, Mrs. J. Isaacs; West St. John Field Comforts Association, Mrs. J. D. Sealy.

## Social and Personal Notes

Sir Douglas and Lady Hazen entertained most delightfully on Thursday evening at their residence, Hazen street. In the drawing room, where bridge and Mahjong were played, there were three most lovely pink carnations, freesia and other spring flowers for decoration. Those present were Colonel Murray MacLaren, Dr. and Mrs. Stewart Skinner, Judge and Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer, Hon. W. L. McLeod, Dr. and Mrs. J. Roy Campbell, Mrs. Percy Robinson, Colonel and Mrs. W. B. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mortiey, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jack, Mrs. Busby, Mrs. Fenwick Fraser, Mrs. M. S. Sherwood Skinner, Mrs. F. Caverhill Jones, Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Jones, Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. H. C. Sparling, Mrs. C. J. Coster, Miss Sidney Smith, Mrs. Herbert W. Clinch, Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Peck, Miss Mabel Siddons Smith, Miss May Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Jones, Mrs. Sherwood Skinner, Major General Hugh H. McLean, Lieut.-Col. Alexander McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Skinner, Mrs. Francis P. Starr, Mr. F. E. Sayre, Mrs. Keltie Jones, Mr. Bowyer Smith, James G. Harrison and Mr. Cyrus Inchee.

Mrs. R. H. Gordon was hostess at a most enjoyable small bridge yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. C. E. MacPherson, Winnipeg, and Mrs. Percy Robinson, Ottawa. Those present were Mrs. MacPherson, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Walter E. Foster, Mrs. Stewart Busby, Mrs. Sherwood Skinner, Mrs. H. B. Robinson, Miss Sidney Smith, Mrs. G. A. Young, Mrs. Cluett Jones and Ethel Siddons.

Mrs. Roland Skinner was hostess at a most enjoyable bridge of five tables last Wednesday evening at her residence, Duke street. Those present were Mrs. W. H. Hall, Mrs. Fred Harding, Mrs. Allan Rankin, Mrs. L. Dev. Chipman, Mrs. Fred Fisher, Mrs. Ralph P. Cowan, Mrs. Ralph Fowler, Mrs. George Scarborough, Mrs. R. Ernest Smith, Mrs. O. T. Wainwright, Mrs. William Barnes, Mrs. A. C. Currie, Mrs. Stanley Smith, Mrs. Norman Scanlon and Mrs. George Noble.

Mrs. Herbert W. Clinch, who has been in New York on a business tour, returned to the city the week of the week and is a guest at the Sign of the Lamb Hotel, Piquette street. Mrs. Clinch expects to sail for England next week.

Miss Laura Ingram, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Cortlandt Robinson, and Mr. Robinson, Hazen street, will leave today to visit relatives in Fredericton.

Mrs. Frank D. Alward was hostess at a most delightful at home yesterday afternoon at her residence, Mount Pleasant avenue. Mrs. Alward, in receiving her guests, wore a gown of black lace with touches of gold embroidery, and was assisted by her daughter, Miss Thelma Alward, who wore a black crepe back satin frock with corsage bouquet of white geraniums and smart, smart of the same shade. Many daffodils and narcissus were artistically arranged in the drawing room. Mrs. Alward presided at the prettily appointed tea table, which was centred with the same lovely spring flowers. Assisting were Mrs. Percy Robinson, Mrs. H. H. Pickett, Mrs. Marjorie MacIntyre, Miss Wilhelmina Goodwin and Miss Sally Macdonald.

Among those present were Mrs. E. H. Estabrook, Mrs. Blanchard, Mrs. H. B. Miles, Mrs. E. A. Goodwin, Mrs. H. G. Thompson, Mrs. Ernest Titus, Mrs. Harold Nase, Mrs. Pearce, Mrs. Read, Mrs. W. A. Henderson, Mrs. Perry Turcotte, Mrs. John Gale, Mrs. Neil McLean, Mrs. Grant Smith, Mrs. Murray Sinclair, Mrs. W. H. Mott, Mrs. Louis Titus, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. G. H. O'Connell, Mrs. William Hamm, Miss Sylvia Ferguson, Miss Greta Gibson, Miss Aleva Rogers, Miss Nora Doody, Miss Doris DeVeber, Miss Olivia Gregory, Miss Margaret Hendon, Mrs. Irene Egan and Mrs. Margaret Parr.

Major and Mrs. Sherman, who were the guests for a few days of Captain and Mrs. H. A. Campbell, sailed yesterday on the Montrose for England.

Mrs. George White of Toronto, who has been the guest for a few days of Mrs. H. G. Thompson, sailed yesterday on the Montrose and will visit in Edinburgh for some time. Mrs. White entertained informally at tea on Thursday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. White.

Mrs. Hammond J. Evans entertained at a most enjoyable bridge yesterday afternoon at her residence, Duke street. Mrs. Evans was assisted in receiving by her daughter, Miss Dorothy Evans. The drawing room, which was lighted by candles, had a large open fire and over bowls of marmalade and freesia artistically arranged. The tea table, which were presided over by Mrs. Edwin Stewart and Mrs. George Warwick, were effectively arranged with rose lighted candle, rose snapdragon and freesia. Assisting were Mrs. Percy Robinson, Mrs. George Ewing, Miss Nora Stewart, Miss Margaret Evans, Miss Florence Warwick and Miss Marjorie Evans. Among those present

were: Mrs. William McAvilly, Mrs. H. H. Pickett, Mrs. Fred Barbour, Mrs. John McAvilly, Mrs. Frank Robertson, Mrs. Hope Grant, Mrs. William Angus, Miss Mary Bizard, Mrs. W. B. Tennant, Mrs. William Golding, Mrs. Norman Scanlon, Mrs. Percy McAvilly, Mrs. Fred Fisher, Mrs. Thomas McAvilly, Mrs. Kenneth I. Campbell, Mrs. W. A. Henderson, Mrs. Reginald Schofield, Mrs. Fred Stewart, Mrs. Adam MacIntyre, Mrs. E. A. Rowley, Mrs. Charles Harrington, Mrs. Percy Mackenzie, Miss Alice Hagan, Miss Ann Armstrong, Miss Gladys Hagan, Miss Louise Stewart, Miss Grace Fleming, Miss Sally Gowen, Miss Elizabeth Foster, Miss Marion Henderson, Miss Elizabeth Armstrong, Miss Jean Angus and Miss Agnes Harrington.

In the Army on Thursday evening a round robin tournament was enjoyed by the members of the St. John Garrison Badminton Club. Due to the lateness of the hour the final was not played, but will be played at this afternoon. Those taking part will be Mrs. George McA. Blizard and Mr. Donald Skinner, Mrs. Walter A. Harrison and Mrs. Gladys Hagan, Mrs. James R. Curry and Mrs. Allan Sparling. Those present on Thursday evening were Mrs. Walter A. Harrison, Mrs. Daniel Mullin, Mrs. J. Lupton McAvilly, Major and Mrs. William Vassie, Mr. and Mrs. William Angus, Mrs. W. A. Ewing, Major and Mrs. George Keefe, Mrs. Lawrence MacLaren, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Porter, Major and Mrs. Robert Viner, Mrs. Russell Sturdee, Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Stuard, Mr. and Mrs. George Oland, Captain and Mrs. Gerald Pauling, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew West Murray, Dr. and Mrs. L. Dev. Chipman, Captain and Mrs. H. A. Campbell, Major and Mrs. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Wright, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fisher, Major and Mrs. Harry C. Patterson, Mrs. Grace Robertson, Miss Mary Bizard.

Mrs. Regina D. March entertained at tea at her home, Queen street, yesterday afternoon in honor of her cousin, Mrs. H. W. Douglas Frite. The rooms were tastefully arranged with a color scheme of blue and yellow predominating, while carnations and tulips were used in the decorations. Mrs. A. V. Lee presided, while Mrs. W. A. Golding, assisted the guests to the tea room. Assisting Mrs. March were Mrs. H. D. Fritz, Mrs. J. N. Golding, the Misses Josephine Humphrey, Margery Staples, Dorothy Smith, Margaret Golding and Florence Titus. Miss Evelyn Frite opened the door. Among the guests present were Mrs. W. H. McDonald, Mrs. James H. Hamilton, Miss Helen F. H. Foster, Mrs. A. E. Henderson, Mrs. James Johnston, Mrs. D. R. Willet, Mrs. George F. Cochran, Miss E. Geraldine Melick, Mrs. Sherman Dearborn, Miss Jean Dearborn, Mrs. Lorie Whittaker, Mrs. M. C. Ewing, Miss M. Robinson, Mrs. C. Olive Dickson, Mrs. H. O. Evans, Mrs. Kenneth I. Campbell, Miss Annie Palmer, Mrs. R. C. Stammers, Miss Margaret Foster, Mrs. Ronald Miller, Mrs. Walter Coleman, Mrs. Charles Harding, Mrs. G. G. Spencer, Mrs. Rex Gentry, Mrs. Wm. Humphrey, Miss Humphrey, Mrs. J. L. Carleton Lee, Mrs. James C. O'Brien, Mrs. Fred Miles, Mrs. G. H. V. Belva, Mrs. Freeman Hamann and others.

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Rev. William Lawson, who attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Boodie, in Boston a few days ago, has returned home to his residence, Burpee avenue.

Mrs. Stanley Webb, Victoria street, entertained on Thursday evening at a bridge party in honor of Miss Minnie Nipston of New York. Among the guests were Mrs. W. F. Roberts, Mrs. W. Edgart Miss Margaret Edgar, Mrs. T. Fred Miller and Mrs. W. W. Roberts.

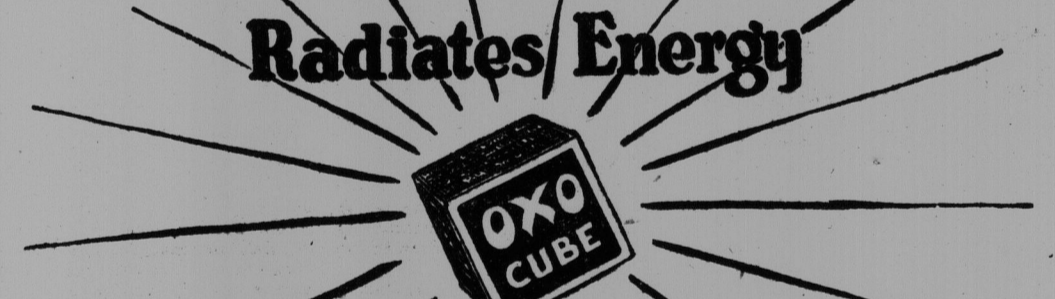
Mrs. E. B. Jones, of Riverside, Alberta county, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. R. Dunn, and her sister, Miss Lulu Dunn, Pitt street, has returned home.

Mrs. Robert Aiken, of St. Catharines, Ont., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. J. Merryfield, West St. John.

H. J. Rodgers is to leave this afternoon for a trip to Montreal and New York.

Minard's Lintiment for the Grippe.

CLUB ENTERTAINED. The St. John branch of L'Alliance Francaise met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. Dev. Chipman, Coburg street, with Miss Kathleen James in charge of the programme. There was a discussion on the book "Mille de la Maison", and readings were given by Mrs. Frederick Foster, Millie LeRoy and Mrs. Milner Wood. There was a large attendance and the afternoon was greatly enjoyed.



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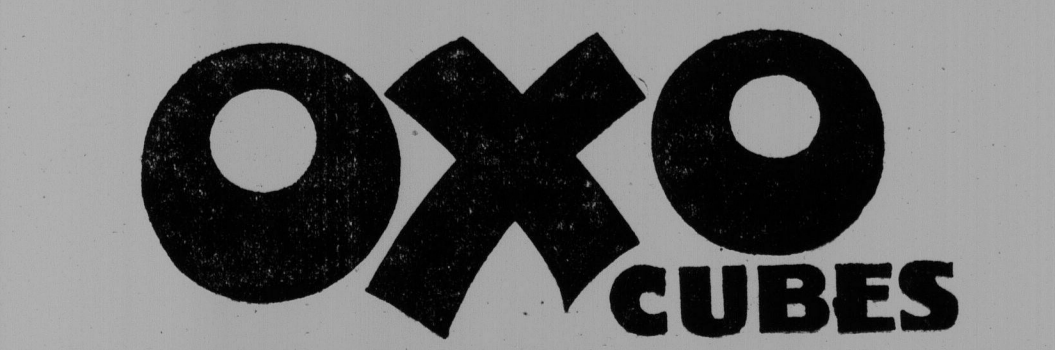
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'Bootleg King' of Plattsburg, Sentenced Along With Four Others at Schenectady.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Jan. 24.—William Buckles, who was termed 'the king of Plattsburg's bootleggers,' was sentenced to one year and three months in the Atlanta Penitentiary.

The five pleaded guilty to charges growing out of the transportation of a cargo of Canadian ale and a gun fight they had with federal officers at Hague, Warren county.

Those sentenced with Buckles were James Freyman, Plattsburg; Luciano Cutillo, White Plains, and Matte Lowry and Philip Magory, both of New York City.

New N. S. Governor Assumes Position

HALIFAX, Jan. 23.—James Robson Douglas, of Amherst, was sworn in as Lieut-Governor of Nova Scotia at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

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Rutgers Square A view of Rutgers Square, New York, located on the lower East Side, the name of which it is proposed to change to Gompers Square, in honor of the dead labor leader.

SEEKS BACKING FOR SUBSTITUTE PLAN

Ottawa's Decision on Geneva Instrument Likely Framed After Session Starts.

British United Press. By HERBERT BAILEY LONDON, Jan. 23.—What Austin Chamberlain is actually striving for in trying to persuade the Dominion to accept the protocol or adopt his own alternative scheme for security was revealed in a dispatch from London.

TAMMANY MAN LEFT BUT SMALL ESTATE

Friend of Foley Says But \$20,000—Gave Away Much in Prosperous Days.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Although Thomas F. Foley's will has not been filed, his friends believe that he has a close idea of his financial position. One of his intimates said that when the document is put on record it will surprise the public, but not the Tammany man's associates.

HISTORY OF STREET LIGHTING.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—(United Press)—The first street lighting on record was in 1688, when the people of Paris, France, were ordered to place lighted candles in front of their houses. In 1788, pitch or resin bowls were substituted for the candles.

Hats and Heads.

(Sunday Express, London). The origin of feminine fashions is an impenetrable mystery. Take, for instance the shingled head. Who invented the craze for making girls cut their hair behind like boys? And who invented the verb 'to shingle'?

MID-OCEAN HOTELS ON AIRWAY IS PLAN

Will Break Seven-Day Trip That Now Requires 22 Days.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Hotels on floating islands in mid-Atlantic will be a feature of the airway to be opened next spring, which will make it possible to reach Buenos Aires by way of Paris in less than a week from London.

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Insist on having an answer to this question, when you are offered a prepared mixture for Anti-Freeze purposes. You are entitled to know what you pay for and what you put in your automobile radiator, because you will have to pay for repairs if any damage is done.

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Halifax Nurse Recommends

Halifax, N. S.—"I am a maternity nurse and have recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to many women who were childless, also to women who need a good tonic. I am English and my husband is American, and he told me of Lydia E. Pinkham while in England. I would appreciate a copy or two of your little books on women's ailments. I have one which I keep to lend. I will willingly answer letters from any woman asking about the Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. S. M. COLEMAN, 24 Unkles St., Halifax, Nova Scotia.

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GUTTERS RUN WITH PERFUME.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The gutters on the Thames Embankment flowed with eau de cologne and lavender water when a crate of perfume, worth \$3,000 fell out of a van outside St. Stephen's House, the home of the Liberal party campaign committee.

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Coolidge Opposes Cancellation of French Debt To U. S.

HIGH FINANCE TRYING TO PAY OLD \$100 DEBT

New Yorker Pyramids Obligations on Ursurers' Demands NOW IS IN COURT

Forgery Charge Laid Against Moe Truman Brings Out Amusing Tale

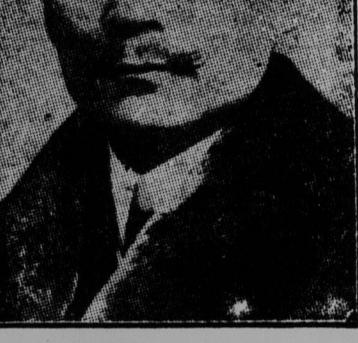
NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Moe Truman of Brooklyn was indicted for forgery in the second degree and held by Judge Keegan in \$5,000 bail for trial on charge of forgery of a note for \$6,000. Behind this lies what Chief Assistant District Attorney Ferdinand Pecora characterized as "the most amazing narrative I have ever heard."

The story told by Truman in the district attorney's office was that when he was left the head of a family by his father's death, with a mother and several brothers and sisters, he was forced to borrow a large amount at usurious interest and gradually out of this grew a system of "pyramiding."

His culminating step, he said in his confession, came when, methods he had previously used failed to keep up with the demand for negotiable paper. Then he turned to the use of promissory notes, which he acknowledges are spurious and which aggregate \$130,000.

Truman told Mr. Pecora he estimated the total net loss to others on his transactions would be \$1,300,000, and yet on Jan. 17 he had a bank balance of a few cents over \$14. The authorities, he said, have seized forged notes, which he acknowledges are spurious and which aggregate \$130,000.

President Dead



DR. SUN YAT SEN

FIRST PRESIDENT OF CHINA IS DEAD

Dr. Sun Yat Sen Had Varied Career in Native Country.

YANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 23.—A despatch from Peking to the Vancouver Chinese Times today states that Dr. Sun Yat Sen died today.

Several statements, past or present, have known more ups and downs, more victories and defeats, more loyalty or more treachery than Dr. Sun Yat Sen, the first provisional president of China, ever referred to as "Father of the Republic."

DRIFT BACK FROM UNITED STATES IS CONTINUED

37,317 Canadians Returned During 9 Months of 1924 FEWER SETTLERS

Total Immigration to Dominion For Year Shows Decrease Of 12,870

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—Immigration to Canada for the calendar year 1924 totaled 124,450, according to an official statement by the Department of Immigration and Colonization. This total is made up of 77,612 from Great Britain and Ireland, 16,928 from the United States and 30,910 from other countries.

CORDIAL WELCOME GIVEN HANCE LOGAN

Trinidad Business Men Believe Dealings With Canada Can be Increased.

Another Rumor



Again Dame Rumor has picked a bride for the Prince of Wales.

The fact is that the Chamber of Deputies is lashing the Chamber of Deputies for taking United States Senator William E. Borah's debt scolding without a murmur.

WILL WEAR KHAKI AT HOUSE OPENING

Impressive Ceremony is Planned For Inauguration of 1925 Session.

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—Parade orders to the military units taking part in the opening of Parliament ceremonies a week from next Thursday, call for regulation war time khaki uniforms.

CASH DEPUTIES FOR BORING TO BORAH'S STAND

French Press Accuses Chamber of Deserting Marin

LOAN QUESTION

TO PROBE STORY OF PITCHERS OF RUM

White Plague Is Big Menace In Rio

Anti-Saloon League Investigation Reports of Drinking by Congressmen.

Quadruplets In Home of \$30 A Week Clerk Doubles Family

ATTACHES SAID THEY THOUGHT THEY COULD SAVE HIM.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The anti-saloon league is investigating the Congressional junketing trip to Panama, made famous in the divorce trial of Congressman Scott, of Michigan.

COUNCIL NOW FACES MATTER OF GRANTS

They Totaled \$25,643 Last Year—Will be Considered During Next Week.

Next week the members of the city council will start to grapple with estimates for the coming year.

STAND CITED IN ANSWER TO TALK OF MARIN

President Says It Is In Best Interests Of World

CREDIT MATTER

OBSERVANT YOUTH HELPS DETECTIVES

Takes Number of Auto in Which Robbers Get Away With \$4,700 Loot.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—An observant 14-year-old boy gave the Brooklyn detectives an excellent clue to four robbers who lined up the manager and five young men in the Bay Ridge Branch of the Prudential Life Insurance Company and took \$4,700 of the office funds.

MA FERGUSON FOR EXECUTIVE MERCY

Arousing Ire of Legislators by Sentimental Rulings as Texas Governor.

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—Governor Ferguson of Texas, has written President Coolidge asking him, "as a favor to the Governor of Texas," to permit Mrs. Anastas Kostas, aged Greek immigrant, to remain with her children in Houston, Texas.

MARITIMES DESIRE COAL PROTECTION

Government Considering Requests For Action in Matter of U. S. Imports.

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—It is understood that the Government is considering requests which have been received from the Maritime Provinces for protection against the competition of United States coal in the Canadian market.

MEETS TRAGIC END

Capt. John E. Murphy Falls Dead on Street in Yarmouth.

YARMOUTH, N. S., Jan. 23.—A tragedy occurred in this town this afternoon when Captain John E. Murphy was struck with heart failure and fell dead in Main street.

THREATENS END OF OPIUM CONFERENCE

U. S. Delegate Refuses to Retreat From "Impossibly Idealistic" Position.

GENEVA, Jan. 23.—Congressman Stephen Porter today refused to cooperate with a mediation commission which is seeking to avert rupture of the League of Nations' anti-drug conference.

Town Topics Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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## USE X-RAY TO FIND \$1,000 DIAMOND

### Police Believe Prisoner Swallowed Ring When Caught After Break in Bowery

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The X-ray will take a look at the internal apparatus of Jack Goldberg to see if there is a \$1,000 diamond ring caught anywhere. And if there is, Jack will be charged with robbery in addition to a present charge of pistol totting, which landed him in jail on Friday.

Policeman Tootie was passing Dave Perle's jewelry store on the Bowery, when a jewel tray crashed through the window. He ran up and collided with Goldberg, who seemed to be in tremendous haste to be somewhere else.

They rolled on the sidewalk but Tootie finally took a pistol away from Goldberg.

"The ring," shouted Perle. "My thousand dollar diamond," he said. "I couldn't find the ring and on his report of the arrest he made a note that he believed Goldberg had swallowed it."

### The Voltstat Act and the Doctor.

(From the Washington Post.)

There are signs of the beginnings of a fairly general agreement that the so-called Voltstat Act, which interprets and violates the Eighteenth Amendment, is in need of radical revision in certain particulars. Foremost among these is the regulation regarding doctors' prescriptions. A starting case of the danger to human life involved in the existing limitation has come to light in New York within the last few days. The executive officer of a civil organization learned of a case of severe illness in his district which needed prompt attention. When he went to the home in question, he found a young woman very ill with pleuro-pneumonia in a flat in which there was no heat. On asking if anything was required, he was told that the doctor had left instructions for real French brandy to be obtained and a small portion of it, mixed with milk, to be frequently administered to the patient. There was, however, no prescription. A phone message to the doctor, who is a man of standing and respects in his profession, brought the information that he had no prescription to issue, as he had already exhausted his quota of blanks for the current month.

Confronted with this awkward situation, the philanthropist, who had hitherto prided himself on the fact that he had never violated the prohibition law, proceeded deliberately to break it. In the interest of humanitarianism, he saw no bootleggers nor their source of supply, and so he betook himself to one hotel after another—without result. At length, he met a stranger to whom he told the whole story, and the latter sold him the brandy at a \$100 a quart. The purchaser carried the brandy in his automobile to the home of the patient who was thus given the sole remaining chance of life.

Both the buyer and the seller of the brandy violated the law, and the former braved disgrace, his liberty and his car for his charitable act. Yet, who that has not a heart of stone in his breast, will blame either of the law-breakers? One may legitimately wonder how many physicians are hampered in their efforts to save lives by the restriction of liquor prescriptions. Who is to decide how many blanks a physician may properly use? Is the man with a large practice on a par in this matter with the man whose practice is small? Common sense, if nothing else, would seem to indicate that, in cases in which life is at stake, the discretion of the medical profession might be safely trusted, and that the objectionable limitation now in force might be appropriately removed.

The average yearly American output of cotton varies from 10,000,000 to 15,000,000 bales of 500 pounds each.

## \$1,600 For a Kiss



After robbing him of \$1,600, Nellie Paschal, 23, kissed James Butler, bank messenger, and told him to "beat it," according to Butler. She is being held in Kansas City, Mo., on a charge of having kidnaped Butler.

## ROTHESAY SOCIAL NOTES

ROTHESAY, Jan. 23.—Among those from Rothestay who on Tuesday evening attended the hockey match between St. John and Sussex at St. John were Mr. and Mrs. Pollard Lewin, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Frink, Mr. and Mrs. Collin Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Allison, Misses Audrey and Ann Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Armstrong, Miss Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mackay, Jr., Mrs. Royden Thomson, Miss Betty Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. John Sayre, Mr. Hugh Mackay, Mr. Fred Crosby, Mr. Harold Ellis and Mr. Jack Holly.

Mr. Munroe of Toronto spent Sunday here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Royden Thomson.

On Thursday Mrs. R. E. Puddington and Miss Puddington entertained at the home of Mrs. Charles MacPherson of Winnipeg and Mrs. Percy Robinson of Toronto.

In honor of the birthday anniversary of her son, Master deB. Holly, eight boys were delightfully entertained by Mrs. Walter Holly on Tuesday. After a fine time roasting tea was served, the table centerpiece being an attractively decorated birthday cake.

The following were present: deB. Holly, Jim Crosby, Hugh Armstrong, Arthur Fairweather, Jack Sayre, Tom Houle, Eric Blanche and Robert Cannon.

Miss Ruth Robinson will leave today to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Parker, and her uncle, Mr. Lindsay Parker, at Jackson, Michigan, stopping at the Nevele Club at her pretty home at Fair Vale tomorrow.

Most of the members of the club of 11 girls will come from the city.

The day pupils of Netherwood School entertained the graduating class of the school today at Mr. and Mrs. William S. Allison's camp on Long Island. The party crossed the ice in the afternoon, enjoyed winter sports and supper and returned in the evening.

Mrs. James H. McAvity of St. John and Mrs. Percy Robinson of Houlton were for a few days this week guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Schofield.

Mrs. Charles Gwynne of St. John spent the last week-end in Rothestay, guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Daniel. After enjoying a ten days' stay in

## PHILLIPS' MILK OF MAGNESIA

Accept only genuine "Phillips", the original Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 50 years as an antacid, laxative, corrective.

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## FRENCH CHAMBER SITTING SUSPENDED

### Scene of Unparalleled Disorder Demonstration Against Government.

PARIS, Jan. 23.—The Chamber of Deputies this afternoon was thrown into an uproar that lasted 25 minutes and the session had to be suspended after Deputy Desjardins had criticized bitterly the action of the Chamber in refusing to order the posting of Deputy Marlin's speech on the inter-Allied debts. It was a scene of such disorder as had never before been witnessed in the Chamber.

Deputy Desjardins kept on shouting that the Government majority was afraid to endorse Marlin's theory of the inter-Allied debts, and the cry of 'led debts because of the deplorable effect it had had on the American Senate'.

After President Painlevé had jammed his hat on his head as a signal that the session was over, the deputies continued to thump the desks, gesticulate and shouting. They quitted down somewhat, however, and the session was resumed. Premier Herriot took the rostrum.

The Premier's supporters applauded him, but Opposition greeted him with cries of derision.

Schoolboy "Howlers" (London Correspondence)

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## NEW HALF DOLLAR

### Philadelphia Mint Officials Begin Coining of Memorial Pieces.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24.—Coining began today at the Philadelphia Mint of the Stone Mountain half dollar, commemorating the valor of the soldiers of the Confederacy and the carving of the colossal memorial on the Georgia mountain.

The new coins, made from designs by Guston Borglum, the sculptor, are the standard half dollar size and will be turned over to the Stone Mountain Confederate Memorial Association at Atlanta in exchange for their part value in current coinage. The act of Congress authorizing the issuance of the coins provides for a maximum coinage of 5,000,000 pieces.

A Fine Record (Ottawa Citizen)

If Canada is not the best educated country in the world, it surely must come near to being the most educated. Bulletin XVII, relating to the sixth census of Canada has just been issued, and it discloses the fact that 1,688,917 young people, or 61.72 per cent, of all persons between the ages of 5 and 19, attended school for some period during the year 1921. Better still is the showing of the scholars between the ages of 7 and 14. A total of 1,944,371, or 92.10 per cent, of a possible 1,986,946, attended schools more or less regularly during the year.

Ontario made an even better record. There are 492,740 children in the province between the ages of 7 and 14. Of this number, 418,947, or 91.87 per cent, attended school during the census year. Divided into rural and urban scholars, the urban percentage was 98.85, and the rural 86.06. Ottawa in that year had 15,055 school children of the age mentioned. The percentage attending was 92.73, which is slightly higher than in the case of Hamilton, and slightly lower than Toronto's percentage. Letbridge and Medicine Hat were the two cities in Canada showing the best percentage of school attendance, both cities recording 97.61 per cent.

These figures illustrate in graphic form the importance and magnitude of elementary education in Canada. The figures for total attendance are probably higher now than they were in 1921, due to the introduction of adolescent school laws, requiring longer attendance at school. A conservative

## VALUABLE CANVAS LEFT AS SECURITY

### Seascope, Believed by Turner, is Discovered in London Hotel.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The discovery of a seascope believed to be by Turner is reported from Soho. The canvas measures about four feet by three feet, and depicts a fishing boat on the crest of a wave in a heavy sea.

It has been for some years in the possession of the proprietor of a hotel and restaurant in Soho. It was left with him by an art agent, with another picture said to be by the Italian painter Guido Real, as security for an unpaid bill.

The bill remained unpaid. The proprietor did not return, and died in Paris. Experts say the seascope is by Turner, and it is suggested that the Tate Gallery authorities be asked for an opinion. The owner is willing to lend the picture to the Gallery for public exhibition.

London's New Theatre.

In a week or two London's newest and most expensive theatre, the Capitol, will be opened on the island site in the Haymarket. It is a stately edifice, in keeping with London's new architectural spirit, and will cost £200,000.

The interior decorations are to be bold in their novelty, and one innovation will be fits for the audience. The "gods" will ascend smoothly to their seats, instead of mounting upon the usual narrow steps. A restaurant will be attached to the theatre, courtesy enough for the first time in London, though big provincial cities experimented thus long ago. The Capitol will be either a cinema or a legitimate theatre, as required. It will seat 2,000, but it will have to face an annual rent of £40,000.

## Best For Coughs & Colds

### MINARD'S LINIMENT

Minard's gives quick relief for coughs and colds, grippe, influenza, etc. Madamemoiselle, Edmond, Potras of Faubourg, St. Jean Bte., Quebec, is only one of hundreds who highly recommend it.

"After having tried several syrups and rubbing lotions for my cough and cold, I have found Minard's Liniment gives me satisfaction. I also value it for warts, which have quickly removed with Minard's."

Certain Instances. (Toronto Star.)

A florist in Alliston sent a bill to the Ontario government for \$200 damages to his greenhouse caused by a deer jumping through the glass of it, with the result that a great many valuable plants were frozen. The deer is a gam animal protected by law, and the florist felt that the government as the owner and protector of the deer should accept responsibility for the damage it had done. But it is hard to persuade any government to pay any bill—except those provided for in the estimates. The reply of the fish and game department was that no precedent could be found for paying this bill, and that, as the deer was understood to have been unlawfully chased by dogs at the time, the florist's only course was to identify the dogs, discover their owners, and collect damages from them.

Isn't there some evasion here? The Fisherton Advance argues that there is. The province owned this deer and should be responsible for it. But if the dogs were caught and the government deer it should be the job of the government, not the florist, to do the detective work and identify the dog. The same Journal tells of a farmer who found a deer so injured that he had to kill it as an act of mercy. So he took the deer and the carcass in his barn, and notified the government to come and get them. Nothing was ever done about it and the venison hung in the barn—nobody dare use it—until it rotted.

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### Instantly! End Indigestion, Gas, Heartburn, Acidity

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en route for short visits with friends at Fredericton and Montreal.

The Lady Byng Sewing Circle of Fair Vale met on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Secley, River Road, with 14 members present. Mrs. Leonard Wetmore is the president. Next week's meeting will be held again at Mrs. Secley's with Mrs. Thorne as tea hostess.

Mr. Harold Brock returned home on Sunday.

Mrs. Pollard Lewin spent two days this week in St. John as guest of Mrs. In Downing Patterson, Carden street.

The Ladies' Bridge Club, meeting on Tuesday afternoon, was this week entertained in St. John by Mrs. Ernest Barbour.

Miss Mary Seaton of St. John was guest of Mrs. Gwynne, Fair Vale, over the last week-end.

Rothestay ladies who attended the "Edge of Time" on Wednesday were: Mrs. W. S. Allison, Mrs. Walter Allison, Mrs. H. P. Puddington, Mrs. Walter Holly, Mrs. DeB. Carrière, Mrs. John M. Robinson and others.



## Beauty

### A Gleamy Mass of Hair

35c "Danderine" does Wonders for Any Girl's Hair

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## Mother!

### Your Sick, Constipated Child Needs "California Fig Syrup"

Hurry Mother! Even a feverish, bilious or constipated child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup". This gentle, harmless laxative never fails to sweeten the stomach and open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. It doesn't cramp or overact. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must get an imitation fig syrup.

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COURT LOG CABIN OFFICERS CHOSEN

Foresters Also Enjoy Interesting Programme—Public Installation to be in March.

Court Log Cabin, No. 1761, I. O. F., at its meeting last night heard gratifying reports and conducted its election of officers. The election resulted as follows: C. D. H. C. R., F. W. Jenkins; court physician, Dr. A. E. Legler; chief ranger, L. F. Scott; vice-chief ranger, Mrs. James Akerley; recording secretary, George A. Biddiscombe; financial secretary, E. J. Todd; treasurer, W. H. MacBride; orator, Miss Muriel Akerley; organist, Miss Jean Hoyt; S. W., J. E. Arthurs; J. W., Victor McNeil; S. B., H. O'Brien; J. B., A. M. Storm; finance committee, J. E. Arthurs and H. H. Bell; trustees, A. M. Belling and Thomas Jenkins; past chief ranger, H. H. Bell; representatives to High Court, L. S. Clark, H. H. Bell and J. E. Arthurs.

Before the Ball

A warm bath with a liberal lather of Baby's Own Soap, leaves one refreshed, ready for the dance, and with the clinging aroma of the Roses of France which inspire its fragrance. You cannot get a purer or more delicately perfumed soap at any price—yet Baby's Own sells in individual cartons, 10c. a cake.

"Best for you and Baby too"

by Miss Muriel Akerley and the pianist of the evening was Miss Jean Hoyt. The report of the financial secretary, E. J. Todd, showed the Court to be in a very flourishing condition with a substantial balance in the bank and a large number of new members enrolled during the year. It was decided to have a public installation of officers at the March meeting, and High Court officers will have charge of the ceremony.

TWO IMMIGRATION MEN DISCHARGED

Still Further Suspensions May Follow Investigation at Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—As the result of the discovery of some irregularities in connection with the work of some men temporarily engaged in the exhibition branch of the Department of Immigration and Colonization here, it is learned that two men have been suspended and that it is possible that further suspensions may follow the investigation now being conducted by the department. While the exhibition branch is under the supervision of the Immigration Department its work is really not related to that of immigration and colonization.

Slight Damage in Fire at Chatham

CHATHAM, Jan. 23.—An alarm was rung in this evening for a fire in the building in Cunard street occupied by J. A. McDonald as a shoe store. The building is owned by William Gay, of Neguac. The damage was slight and is covered by insurance.

The Test. "Is Alice of a forgiving nature?" "Very. She often forgives her friends for the Christmas presents they send her."

HAD BOILS ALL OVER HIM

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

There is only one way to get rid of boils and that is by going right to the seat of the trouble—the blood—and the bad blood must be made pure before the boils will disappear. Mrs. Chas. Rankin, Bulyea, Sask., writes:—"A few years ago my husband had a terrible time with boils. On one arm he had 16 between his elbow and wrist; five on the back of his neck, and several more on different parts of his body. He tried everything he could think of but got no relief until he took Burdock Blood Bitters, and to his surprise it completely relieved him of his boils, in a very short time."

SEEMS TO CONFIRM PAPER MILL REPORT

Fraser Companies Ask Edmonton Council Regarding Pulp Carrier.

Canadian Press Despatch. EDMUNDSTON, N. B., Jan. 23.—Substantiating rumors that have been in circulation for some time to the effect that a paper finishing mill would be erected at Madawaska, Me., facing this municipality, the Town Council has received a formal written communication from the Fraser Companies requesting that a feed pipe be constructed, maintained and repaired, the pipe to start from the proposed site of the mill at Edmundston and traversing certain streets of the town until it terminates at the international bridge over the St. John River. The feed pipe will be utilized for transporting the pulp to the new mill where the product will be converted into paper.

AXE IS USED IN BATTLE OVER LAND

Wilfred Fraser Arrested and Alfred Delaney Seriously Injured in N. S.

NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Jan. 23.—Wilfred Fraser, 30, of Waterville, Guysboro county, appeared before Magistrate D. W. Ross at Sherbrooke this afternoon, charged with causing grievous bodily harm to Alfred Delaney, 40, also of Waterville, who is at his home in a serious condition, the result of a battle waged between the two men in the Guysboro woods yesterday, in which it is alleged Delaney used a double bit axe and Fraser a peavy. The alleged affray which, it is stated, was the result of a dispute over the possession of certain property, took place about two miles from Delaney's home at a property formerly occupied by him, and from which he was dispossessed some time ago pursuant to a Supreme Court judgment in favor of the Guysboro Wood & Pulp Company, Ltd., of which Fraser is an agent.

COURT ADJOURNED

Circuit Court adjourned yesterday afternoon until Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. The case of Stockford vs. Mackay Lumber Co., Ltd., an action involving claims in connection with lumber contracts, will be resumed when court reopens.



Powder With Cuticura Talcum After Bathing

After a bath with Cuticura Soap and warm water Cuticura Talcum dusted over the skin is soothing, cooling and refreshing. If the skin is rough or irritated, anoint with Cuticura Ointment to soothe and heal.

Sailings to Europe

Table listing shipping schedules to Europe, including destinations like Liverpool, London, and New York, with dates and ship names.

WHITE STAR DOMINION LINE

WILL ASK MOHE FOR CITY SCHOOLS

Assessment a Little Higher But Figures Not Given Out—Vocational Plans.

The Board of School Trustees at a special meeting held last night completed the preparation of estimates to submit to the City Council. Dr. L. M. Curran, M.L.A., chairman, presided. While the estimates will not be given out before they have been presented to the City Council, it is understood that they will show some slight advance over the estimates of last year because insurance charges must be paid this year and other regular expenses must be met. The board recently secured legislation authorizing a considerable advance on the assessment which it had previously but it is said that the estimates for the current year are considerably below the maximum which the board has authority to ask shall be assessed for by the City Council.

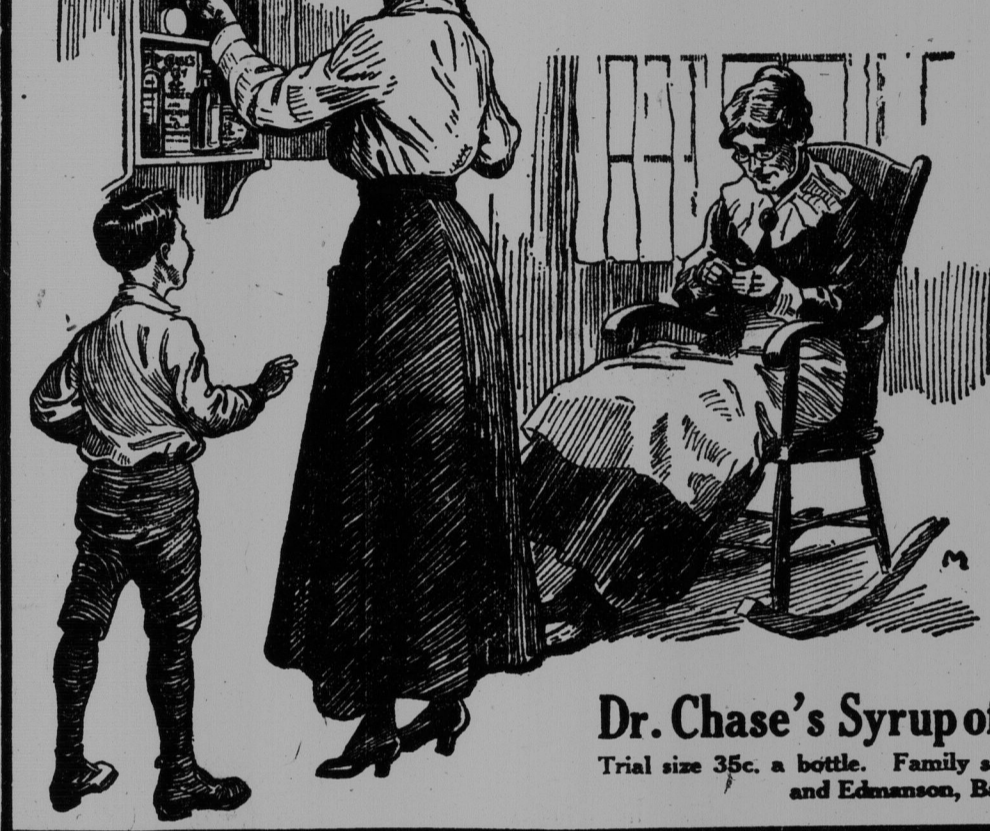
Vocational

At a short meeting of the St. John vocational committee held last night in the office of the school trustees the plans of the vocational school were submitted by the architect, F. Neil Brodie, and were looked over and approved. It was reported that copies of the plans had been submitted to the Provincial Government and had been taken by Fletcher Peacock, provincial director of vocational education, to Ottawa for the approval of the Dominion director of technical education. A committee of the Board of School Trustees has in hand the matter of expropriation of the site of the vocational school and it is understood that arrangements for expropriation are now nearly completed.

For First Aid—Minnard's Liniment. New Orleans is rated the second largest port in the United States.

Why Not Give to Your Child The Treatment Your Mother Gave You

It is just as effective as ever in relieving coughs and colds, and still holds first place as the most popular of cough medicines.



Bronchitis. Mrs. Chris Dresser, Bayfield, Ont., writes: "We have used Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine in our household for some time, and have always received good results. I have used it for my children as well as for myself for colds and bronchitis, and we find it gives immediate relief. Three bottles of this medicine once relieved me of an obstinate cold when doctor's medicine had failed."

Asthma. Mr. Felix White, Box 5, Glenboro, Man., writes: "Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine I have found excellent for a kind of asthma from which I used to suffer in the fall of the year. It seemed like a closing of the bronchial tubes, due to cold and dampness. I would wake up at night, scarcely able to breathe, and almost suffocating. I found that a dose of Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine would relieve this sensation right away, and I would be able to get to sleep again without any difficulty."

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. Trial size 35c. a bottle. Family size, three times as much, 75c. All dealers and Edmanston, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.



Those Dear Little Kids of Yours

LOOK at your little boy tonight when you go home and see the way he imitates you. Tries to walk like you, tries to talk like you; imitates your little mannerisms. You are his hero—that's why. He thinks you are one of the greatest men in the world.

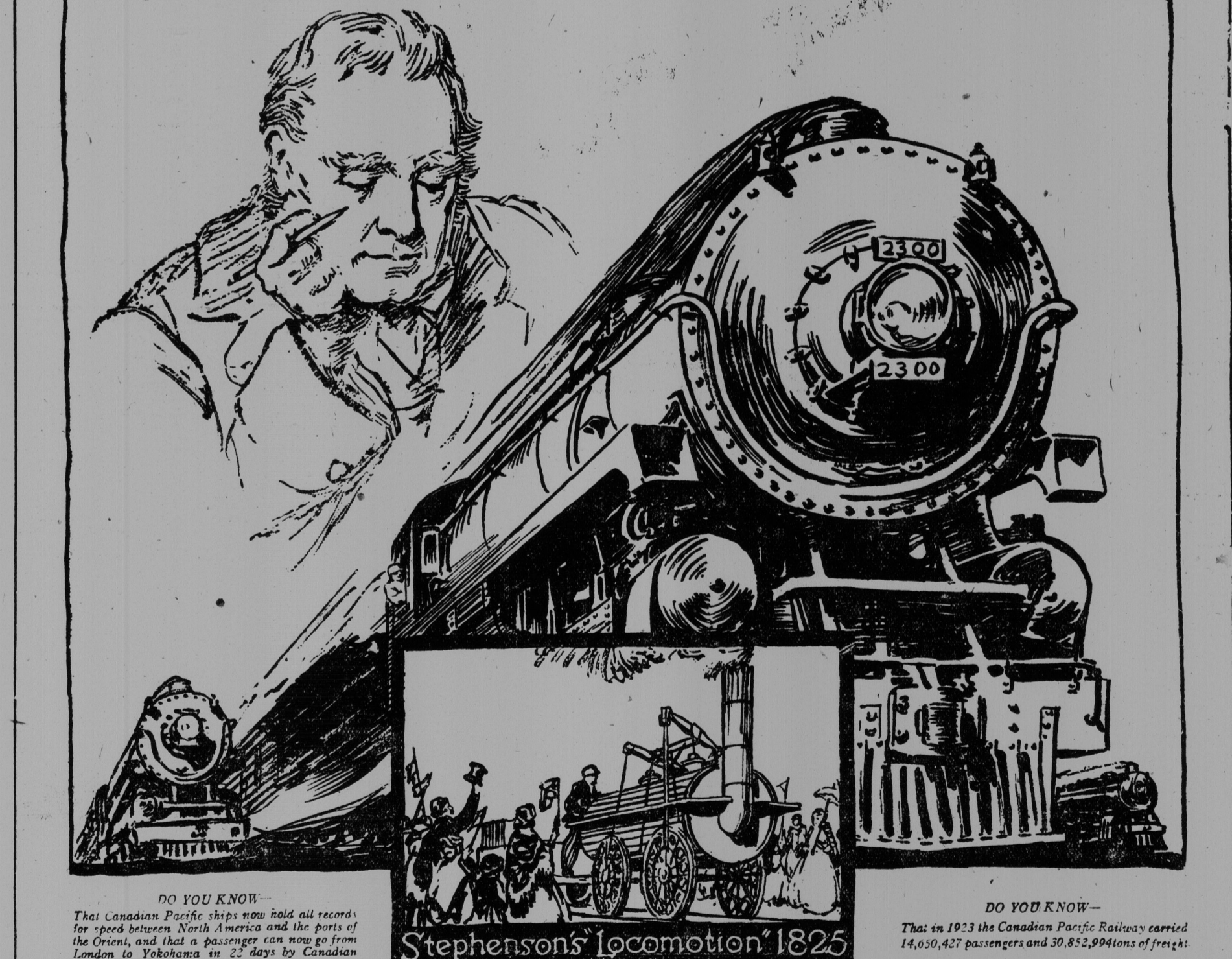
Your little daughter does not care if you are the greatest man or not. She thinks you are the nicest—and she loves you anyway. Is there anything in your power you wouldn't do to make sure of their health, their happiness, their safety, and their future success in life?

Yes, there is, and you know it. And every day you wait makes it harder and riskier. Think it out, right now. How long would the insurance you carry keep your little boy and your little girl and their mother if they had to depend upon what you have provided? Could they maintain their accustomed shelter, the comfort, the standard of living to which you have accustomed them—for more than one year?

The MUTUAL LIFE OF CANADA, Waterloo, Ontario

HUGH CANNELL, Provincial Manager, 124 Prince William Street, St. John, New Brunswick.

THE BUILDING OF THE DOMINION



Centennial of the Steam Railway

1925 marks two important anniversaries—the hundredth of the steam railway—the 40th of the Canadian Pacific. Just one hundred years ago, according to the scribe on the spot, a "great concourse" of people witnessed the first trial of the steam railway. The locomotive (inset above) and thirty-eight "waggons" made the run from Brüsselton to Stockton. To quote the local Chronicle: "Such was its velocity that in some parts the speed was frequently twelve miles an hour." George Stephenson, the engineering genius back of this epoch-making enterprise, ventured this prophecy: "You will live to see the day, though I may not live so long, when railways will come to supersede almost all other methods of conveyance in this country—when mail coaches will go by railway, and railroads will become the great High Way for the King and his subjects. The time is coming when it will be cheaper for a working man to travel by railway than to walk on foot."

CANADIAN PACIFIC It Spans the World

DO YOU KNOW— That the Canadian Pacific ships now hold all records for speed between North America and the ports of the Orient, and that a passenger can now go from London to Yokohama in 22 days by Canadian Pacific.

DO YOU KNOW— That in 1923 the Canadian Pacific Railway carried 14,650,427 passengers and 39,852,994 tons of freight.

# POOR DOCUMENT

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THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 1925

Want Ads Are Money Makers—Use The Times-Star Classified Columns.

The Evening Times-Star Classified Advertisements

**RATES**  
 General Classifications—Two cents a word each insertion; minimum charge 25c.  
 Situations Wanted—One cent a word each insertion; minimum charge 15c.  
 The average daily net paid circulation of The Times-Star for the six months ended March 31, 1924, was 45,717.

\$5, \$10, \$15, \$20  
 or more, will be your

**REWARD**

for that chair, table, bed, carpet or surplus furniture stored away in your attic. Why hold on to furniture you do not require? Somebody is looking for the very articles you do not need. Write a "For sale" ad, and turn it into cash. The Times-Star classified columns will do it for you.

**LOST AND FOUND**

LOST—Bible, 1857 edition, gold top and bottom, bound in red, leather. Finder please call M. 1854-41.  
 LOST—Black Eveready pencil, gold top and bottom, bound in red, leather. Finder please call M. 1854-41.  
 LOST—Storm blanket, telephone 1534-12.  
 LOST—On Clarendon street, pair of shoes, brown, leather, size 7 1/2. Finder please call M. 1854-41.  
 LOST—Parcel containing lady's blouse. Call M. 2551.  
 LOST—Between Duke and Seely. Suitcase containing money, lost in nearby circumstances. Please have at Times Office.  
 LOST—Gold cuff-links, monogram "M." at Venetian Gardens, Tuesday. Phone M. 3581.  
 LOST—Gold watch, "Eaton's".

**MALE HELP WANTED**

\$200.00 a month to distribute everyday household necessities, this and small town districts. No money needed. Million dollar firm and H. W. R. Write particulars, state territory desired. H. R. Johnson, 215 Craig St., Montreal. 939-1-25.  
 LEARN BARBER TRADE, only few weeks required. Big demand and great opportunities. Big demand and great opportunities. Apply to the Barber College, 25 St. Lawrence, Montreal, or 275 Barrington St., Halifax.  
 FORD SALESMAN. Call at office, 309 Union street, Monday morning.  
 WANTED—A sober, competent mechanic, capable of looking after and setting up two machines and two saws. No living. Write to the Times Office, 1011-1-25.  
 WANTED—A man to copy and distribute cards for four parties in the district. Make money at home. No canvassing. We instruct and supply. Write to the Times Office, 1011-1-25.

**FEMALE HELP WANTED**

WANTED—Undergraduate nurse for night duty in coal office preferred. Write Box V 48, Times. 902-1-25.  
 WANTED—Maid for general house work. Family of two—Apply Mrs. J. Marzetta, 10 Wentworth street. 909-1-25.  
 WANTED—Capable woman to care for two children in coal office. Write Mrs. N. H. 297-1-25.  
 WANTED—Girl for general house work. Apply 184 Union. 909-1-25.  
 WANTED—Maid, general house work. References required—Apply Mrs. H. E. Hayes, 1 Mt. Pleasant. 825-1-25.  
 WANTED—Capable woman for general work—Apply 70 Main street. 914-1-25.  
 WANTED—Cook. Apply Supt. Protestant Orphan, 315 Britannia. 913-1-25.  
 WANTED—Housemaid. Apply with reference to Mrs. S. H. 297-1-25.  
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**AGENTS WANTED**

**YOUR OPPORTUNITY** to better yourself—There is a good living to be made. No capital required. No experience necessary. We teach you how to become a National Representative, selling our splendid line of top-quality clothing for the entire family from factory direct to consumer through local representatives. The National "Store at your door" selling outfit is a complete outfit, including a neat, simple, sample case. Experienced salesman sell unutilized time in your own proposition. Spring line now ready. Heavy and better quality clothing. You yourself of an exclusive territory by writing immediately naming the district you want. Rural communities and city territories equally profitable. Large volume of distribution to be a National Representative. Apply Salesmanager, National Mail Order House Limited, Dept. 43, Box 3017, Montreal.

**DISTRIBUTORS**

START RIGHT NOW in the Watkins Business Plan. 150 products which sell in every family. No failure possible. Exclusive territory.—J. R. Watkins Company, 373 Craig West, Montreal. 939-1-25.  
 NEW WONDROUS SELLER—\$60 profit every dollar sales. Deliver on spot. Licence unnecessary. Sample Free. Mission Factory, 5 New Pitt Windsor, Ont. 974-4-25.  
 A SPLENDID opening for sales organizer for quick-selling auto accessory. Apply by letter, writing references, to Hubbard Co., 782 King West, Toronto.  
 MAKE MONEY AT HOME—11 to \$2 an hour for your spare time. No canvassing. We instruct and supply you with the best. Apply to the Times Office, 1011-1-25.  
**SITUATIONS WANTED**  
 WANTED—Lady wants light work in respectable home for room and board.—Box V 48, Times.  
 WANTED—Auditor, accountant, expert in federal tax returns. Specializing in bookkeeping, adjustments, business investigations.—Address P. O. Box 516, St. John, N. B. 835-2-25.  
 WANTED—Experienced stenographer desires position.—P. O. Box 817-1-25.

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**FLATS TO LET**  
 TO LET—Small flat, Apply 23 Wright street. 902-1-25.  
 TO LET—Clean modern flat, three bedrooms, near King Square. 201-1-25.  
 TO LET—Flat, 22 Bentley street. See by appointment. Call Main 966.  
 TO LET—Flat, corner Camden and Simonds streets, three rooms.—Apply No. 1 Union street. 903-1-25.  
 TO LET—Now, heated flat, 25 Wright street. 891-1-25.  
 FLAT TO LET—J. E. COWAN. 903-1-25.  
 TO LET—Upper flat, rear 28 Peter, 14 a month. Main only. 837-1-25.  
 FLAT, 64 Moore, \$10. 833-1-25.  
 TO LET—Bright warm upper flat. Telephone 1401.  
 TO LET—Modern corner flat, city view. 892-1-25.  
 TO LET—Upper flat, 207 Rockland road, rooms, modern, hot water heating. Separate furnace—M. 472. 878-1-25.

**Mattresses and Upholstering**  
 CARSTY & KAIN, 28 1/2 Waterloo St., Main 354. Manufacturers—Mattresses, springs, divans, etc. Mattresses cleaned and recovered. Best Springfield. Feather Mattresses and Pillows made. Careful any size or shape.  
 ALL KINDS OF MATTRESSES and Cushions made and repaired. Upholstering re-stretched. Feather Beds made into mattresses. Upholstering done—Walter Lamb, 55 Eglinton street. Main 587.  
**Metal Work**  
 STOVES and Furnace Repairs of all kinds promptly attended to. Murray W. Baird in charge of this work. D. A. Massie, 79 King street. Phone M. 5231.  
**Nickel Plating**  
 SKATES re-nickel at ground, the "Plater", 24 Waterloo street. 909-1-25.  
**Nursing**  
 PRIVATE NURSES can care \$15 to \$20 a week. Home by home study. Catalogue free. Dept. 24, Royal College, Science, Toronto.  
**Piano Instruction**  
 PIANO INSTRUCTION and harmonium. Studied with Mr. Heinrich, Belgian concert pianist. 41, Burke, 105 Douglas, Toronto.  
**Piano Moving**  
 HAVE your piano moved by auto and modern gear. Furniture moved to the county and general city. Reasonable rates.—Phone Main 4421—A. S. Stackhouse.  
**Roofing**  
 GRAVEL ROOFING—Also galvanized iron and copper work.—Joseph Mitchell, 18 Eglinton St. Telephone M. 288-1-25.  
**Second Hand Goods**  
 WANTED—Purchase ladies' and gentlemen's cast off clothing, boots. Call at residence, 2 Alma St. 2-26-124.  
**Tailors and Furriers**  
 FUR COATS made to order and made over. Work guaranteed.—Morin, Tailor and Furrier, 57 King street.  
**Tuition**  
 MATRIMONIAL Subjects.—Douglas Fritz, B. A., M. 1779. 902-1-25.  
**Weather Stripping**  
 SAVE COAL—"Chamberlain" Metal Weatherstripping. It saves fuel, saves fuel, saves fuel. Campbell & Co. Agents and Installers. 904-1-25.  
**MONEY ORDERS**  
**Concrete Block and Brick for Sale**  
 We have in stock, manufactured by our plant, ready for immediate delivery. Large of Small Orders Appreciated. Prices on Application.  
**Maritime Construction Co., Ltd.**  
**TENDERS**  
 Applications will now be received at the office of Barnhill, Sanford & Harrison for leading the three stores and the barber shop in the Admiral Beatty Hotel.  
**PERSONAL**  
 BOOKS, Mystery, hidden secrets, business opportunities, fortune telling, astrology, late, humorous, Write Sloper, Hancock, Wisconsin. \$16-1-25.

**APARTMENTS TO LET**  
 TO LET—May 1st, five room apartment with use of bath, heated and lighted. Central—Box V 37, Times.  
 TO LET—May 1st, heated apartment. Orange—Telephone M. 462-1-25.  
 TO LET—Modern heated apartment, 32 Mechenburg street.—Apply Hart M. 568-1-25.  
**FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET**  
 TO LET—Furnished rooms, 10 Peter street. 904-1-25.  
 TO LET—Two bright furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Reasonable. Phone M. 1496-25.  
 TO LET—Nice furnished bedroom and living room. Central—Phone Main 212-1-25.  
 FURNISHED Room, heated, 141 Union street. 904-1-25.  
 TO LET—Two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping.—109 Eglinton. 907-1-25.  
 TO LET—Light housekeeping rooms.—M. 258-1-25.  
 TO LET—Furnished rooms, 97 Orange street. 901-1-25.  
 TO LET—Furnished rooms, 81 Orange street. 901-1-25.

**BOARDS WANTED**

TO LET—Rooms and board. "Good table menu. Reasonable rates.—Apply Henry Dolan, 125 Union street. 903-1-25.  
 WANTED—Boarder, man or child. Low charge.—Box V 46, Times. 899-1-25.  
 TO LET—Room and board, 265 Charlotte street. Phone M. 408-1-25.  
 WANTED—A gentleman boarder. Miss Murray, 144 Cambridge street. 817-1-25.

**OFFICES TO LET**

Office or Store to Let  
 May 1st, at present occupied by the Consumers' Coal Co., No. 86 Prince William Street, near King Street. Apply to Waterbury & Rising, Ltd. 908-1-25.  
 TO LET—Office and warehouse, 51 Dock street.—Apply F. Fales & Sons, Times.  
**STORES TO LET**  
 TO LET—Store with rooms, corner Simonds and Camden streets.—Apply No. 1 Union street. 902-1-25.  
 TO LET—Two shops, Union street.—Apply Henry Dolan, 125 Union street. 903-1-25.

**Business and Professional Directory**

**Carpenters-Builders.**  
 STANLEY W. WILLIAMS, Carpenter and Contractor. First class work done at reasonable prices. Appliances and etc. Main 2031, 48 Princes street.  
**Homefitting**  
 HOMEFITTING at reasonable prices. 212 Princes St., M. 2307-21.  
**Men's Clothing**  
 FALL and Winter Overcoats, custom and ready to wear.—W. J. Higgins Co., 182 Union St.  
**Marriage Licenses.**  
 WASSONS issue Marriage Licenses at both stores, Sydney St. and Main St.

**HOUSES TO LET**

TO LET—Cottage on Mount Pleasant, 12 minutes from King street, six rooms and bath, hardwood floors, electric gas, open fireplace, garden and lawn. Immediate occupation or May 1st. 432-467 2/2 Parka street, Phone Main 1486.  
 TO LET—10 room house, hot water and electric lights. Most desirable site in Main. Apply Dr. Maher. 903-1-25.  
 TO LET—A desirable self-contained house, 12 rooms and bath—34 Crown street.—Apply Dr. W. Paddington, 11 North Windart.  
 TO LET—House, 45 Ellsworth street.—James Ritchie, 45 Ellsworth street. 910-1-25.  
 TO LET—Self-contained house with shop, South End.—Box V 32, Times. 1-25-27.  
 WANTED—Modern flat, 1st May. M. 877.  
 TO LET—Furnished apartments, 205 Charlotte street, West. 911-1-25.  
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**Use the Want Ad. Way**

**COAL AND WOOD**  
 RADIATORS HERE FOR COURT HOUSE  
 RADIATORS for the Court House arrived yesterday and will be installed immediately. J. S. Coughlan, the plumbing contractor, expects to have heat in the building within a few days. The boiler is already in place. Other work on the building is progressing well and the interior shape of the structure is fast assuming its permanent form. Many of the partitions are in place and the work of decorating will soon be started. James Sprudge, the general contractor, said yesterday that conditions were now favorable for the early completion of the building.  
**COAL AND WOOD**  
 Hard and Soft on Hand  
 The Colwell Fuel Co., Ltd.  
 Phone West 17-90  
 CHOICE HARD WOOD  
 Can supply any lengths required. Telephone the width of your fireplace and we will saw it to fit. Price lower while lasting. Phone W. 52.  
 JAMES W. CARLETON  
 FOR SALE—Dry Cut Wood, \$2.50 large stack (load). W. P. Turner, Harrow Street, Extension, Phone 112.

**AUCTIONS**

**BURGOYNE & WESTRUP**  
 WHY KEEP SURPLUS FURNITURE, ORNAMENTS, etc., about the house, accumulating dust? BURGOYNE & WESTRUP, Sole Agents, 82 Germain Street, Main 81.  
 Phone, call or write.

**POTTS**  
 GREAT MONEY MAKER  
 11 Room Rooming House, present revenue \$18.00 per month, fully furnished, gas range, coal range, furnace, set tubs, running water in some rooms, all floor coverings new, and furniture up to date. Location most central part of city. Very reasonable for quick sale. Apply F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer, 36 Germain street. Phone Main 973.  
**POTTS**  
 RARE OLD MAHOGANY ANTIQUE FURNITURE  
 Grandfather's Clock, Mahogany Buffet, Mahogany Sofa, (Empire Style), Mah. Com. Desk and bookcase, 6 Rush Bottom Chairs, Swing Mirrors, Rare Old Mirrors in Mahogany and Gilt, 1 large Clock, 2 Card Tables, 1 Rocker, Round and Square Table's, Tip Top Table, Butternut Side Table, 1 Mahogany Chair, 2 large Oil Paintings, Sheffield Plate, Fruit Dish, Candle Slick, Ornaments, Baskets, comfortable, and a large quantity of other household effects. BY AUCTION at auction room, 36 Germain St. on Monday afternoon, Jan. 26th, commencing at 3 o'clock.  
 F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

**FOR SALE**

Two, only, attractive self-contained Homes on Dufferin Ave., Portland Place.  
 One, our popular model, containing Sun Porch, Living Room with fire place, Dining Room, Kitchen, Pantry and Rear Porch; three bedrooms and bath. Concrete basement with furnace.  
 Large lot beautifully improved with lawn, hedge and flowering shrubs.  
 The other is larger and contains Sun Porch, Living Room with open fire Place, Dining Room, Kitchen, Pantry and Rear Porch; four Bedrooms, sleeping porch and bath. Concrete basement with furnace, lawn and garden.  
 Both are nicely situated in this Garden Home district where residential restrictions prevail.  
 Terms—A cash payment, then monthly payments the same as rent. Under this plan the money ordinarily paid in rent buys a valuable freehold home.  
 Inspection by appointment any time.  
**ARMSTRONG & BRUCE LTD.**  
 171 Prince William Street.  
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**CONCRETE BLOCK AND BRICK FOR SALE**

We have in stock, manufactured by our plant, ready for immediate delivery. Large of Small Orders Appreciated. Prices on Application.  
**Maritime Construction Co., Ltd.**  
**TENDERS**  
 Applications will now be received at the office of Barnhill, Sanford & Harrison for leading the three stores and the barber shop in the Admiral Beatty Hotel.  
 Mr. O'Neill will meet applicants Friday, 23rd, or Saturday, 24th inst. 902-1-25

**IN STOCK**

**Welsh Hard Coal**  
 IN  
 Furnace—Feeder  
 Heater and Range  
 Sizes  
 "The Best Produced"  
 Main 1913  
**Consumers' Coal Co., Ltd.**

**SUSQUEHANNA STOVE COAL**

Highest Grade American HARD COAL  
 Best Size For Feeder. Heaters and Furnaces  
 J. S. GIBBON & CO., LTD.  
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Double Screened Acadia Nut, Sprinhill and Sydney  
 All sizes American and Scotch Anthracite, by the Bag, Barrel or Ton. Wood in Stove lengths—\$1.00 and \$2.28 a Load.  
**CARSON COAL CO.**  
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Only Soft Coal keeps over night. Also Queen and all sizes of American Anthracite.  
**CITY FUEL, LTD.**  
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No. 1 Double Screened Large Shipment Landing Weekly. Buy the Best, it Saves the Dollar.  
**McGovern Coal Co.**  
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Lowest Cash Prices, Prompt Delivery  
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**RANGE COAL**

A good coal at \$6 a ton.  
**SPRINGHILL ACADIA NUT, BESCO COKE, HARD AND SOFT WOOD, W. A. DOWD**  
 Hanover St. Extension. Phone 122.

**Coal! Coal! Coal!**

West St. John Residents Give us a call.  
**LANCASTER COAL CO.**  
 Phone W. 57.

**MUTT AND JEFF—AND THE COP OUGHT TO KNOW IF ANYBODY DOES**



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FINANCIAL  
**ECLIPSE HOLDS UP BUSINESS IN WALL ST. TODAY**

Opening Delayed This Morning For 45 Minutes

OILS IN DEMAND  
Only Little Activity at Montreal With Fractional Price Changes

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Mixed price movements characterized the opening of today's stock market, which was delayed 45 minutes in order to give members and employees of the stock exchange an opportunity to view the total eclipse of the sun.

Montreal, Jan. 24.—There was little activity on the local stock market during the early trading this morning, there being only a few fractional price changes.

**Price Brothers Earnings**

The average annual net earnings of Price Brothers & Company, Limited, during the past four years have been \$1,780,324. The amount required annually to pay dividends on the company's 6 1/2% Preferred Stock is \$445,000.

**Royal Securities CORPORATION**

For complete descriptive circular, write to Royal Securities Corporation, 72 1/2 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

**Fraser Companies Limited**

6 p.c. Bonds Due Jan. 1, 1925. Price 97 1/2 and interest, to yield 6.70%.

**Eastern Securities Co. LIMITED**

The Annual Meeting of the New Brunswick Presbyterian Church Association.

Table with columns: Item, Price, Change. Includes items like Flour, Wheat, Oats, and various oils.

**REPORTS OF TRADE HERE AND HALIFAX**

WINNIPEG, Jan. 23.—The weekly trade report of the Canadian Credit Association, Limited, states:—

**SHIPPING**

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived: Saturday, Jan. 24. Stmr. Haukefel, 1241, from Boston.

**MARINE NOTES**

The steamer Haukefel arrived this morning from Boston to load potatoes and general cargo for Havana.

**CANADA IS LAUDED**

Recent Visitors Say Better Opportunities Here For Old Country People.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Children from Dr. Bernard's Homes and kindred institutions who are emigrating to Canada have better opportunities than if they remain in this country.

**NOTED CRIMINAL**

Greatest London "Fence" 70 Years Old, Spent 30 Years in Prison.

**Passengers Are Shovelled Out**

Canadian Press Dispatch. PLOU, N. S., Jan. 23.—The electric train operating on the branch line between Pictou and New Glasgow ran into a snowstorm this morning and became stuck in such heavy drifts that no further progress could be made.

**Played for Pope**

IGNACE JAN PADEREWSKI, played a special programme of music for the Pontiff and several of the high ecclesiastics in the Vatican recently.

**GUIDES EXPECTED TO HAVE BUSY WEEK**

Training Course to be Begun—New Company may be Formed—Recent Activities.

With a Guides training course commencing next week, a pantry sale to be held to pay the expenses of the class and the prospect of the formation of a new company, the guides of St. John District are looking forward to a busy and progressive week.

**ST. JOHN DISTRICT**

The 5th St. John had a very good meeting on Tuesday with Miss Hazen in charge. About 20 members were present.

The 7th St. John. The 7th held a very successful skating party and bean supper last Wednesday under Miss Allen, secretary of the company.

**Man's Debt to Science**

All we've got to say is that in our opinion Mr. H. G. Wells is a poor judge of women. His books show precious little respect for them.

**DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS**  
THE MOST EFFECTIVE...  
For all kidney ailments, including rheumatism, backache, and bladder issues.

**Old Dutch**  
Keeps Kitchen Sinks clean and sanitary. Quickly removes dirt and grease. Contains no lye or acid.

**A Poor Judge.** (Ottawa Journal). H. G. Wells writes to say that "there is a menace to culture and civilization in the United States" in the women teachers of American youth.

**Man's Debt to Science.** The average individual who goes about his own business every day is perhaps little concerned about what science has done for him.

**Man's Debt to Science.** The Smithsonian Institution of Washington in its annual report just issued attempts to answer the question in a plea for a wider public interest in scientific research.

**BACK TO THE BIBLE MEETINGS**  
Paradise Hall, 83 Charlotte, Near King.

**Seventh Day Adventist**  
NO! The world will not end Feb. 6. Neither will the second coming of Christ take place on that date.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**  
First Church of Christ, Scientist  
Orange Hall, 121 Germain Street.  
SUNDAY, 11 A. M. SUBJECT FOR SUNDAY, JAN. 25, WILL BE: TRUTH. WEDNESDAY SERVICE 8 P. M. Including Testimonies of Healing Through Christian Science.

**CENTENARY METHODIST CHURCH**  
REV. R. G. FULTON, Minister.  
11 a. m.—Rev. F. T. Bertram. 2:30 p. m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes. 7 p. m.—The Minister. Sermon Topic: The Judgment Day; When is It? A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL SERVICES.

**NEWS OF THE CHURCHES**

**DIRECTORY OF CHURCH SERVICES**

**ANGLICAN**  
ST. JOHN'S (STONE) CHURCH  
CARLETON STREET, AT TOP OF GERMAIN.  
REV. A. L. FLEMING, L. T.  
11 a. m.—Rev. John Unsworth.  
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.  
8:30 p. m.—Confirmation class.  
7 p. m.—The Rector.  
Strangers cordially invited.

**BAPTIST**  
GERMAIN ST. BAPTIST CHURCH  
(Cor. Germain and York Sts.)  
Pastor—Rev. S. S. POOLE, D. D.  
11:00 a. m.—Public Worship; subject: "THE NEMESIS OF THE COWARD."  
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School and organized Bible Classes.  
Monday, 8 p. m.—Bible Study; subject: "UNFAILING LOVE."  
Miss Estelle Fox will sing at both morning and evening services.  
A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL

**WATERLOO STREET BAPTIST CHURCH**  
THE CHURCH OF JOY HAPPINESS IN EVERY SERVITUDE.  
11 a. m.—"THE GREAT COMMISSION" Children's Story. "A Bunch of Keys," Y. Y.  
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School.  
7 p. m.—"THE CONSEQUENCE OF NEGLECT."  
Monday, 8 p. m.—B. Y. P. U.  
Wednesday, 8 p. m.—Conference meeting.  
Religion costs, but irreligion costs much more.  
Rev. E. R. MacWilliam.  
Tel. M. 8314

**BAPTIST TABERNACLE**  
Haymarket Square.  
REV. A. L. TEDFORD, Pastor.  
11 a. m.—Morning worship and sermon.  
2:30 p. m.—Bible study for all.  
The adult classes are studying Revelations. We welcome you.  
7 p. m.—Subject, "Jesus the Great Comforter—The Colony of Heaven."  
Monday—Y. P. Programme.  
Wednesday—Church prayers and business.  
All Cordially Invited.

**CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Leinster Street.  
Morning Service, 11 o'clock.  
**THE MYSTIC UNION**  
A Bible Exposition.  
Evening Service, 7 o'clock.  
**THE WOMAN**  
Her Place and Power—Citizenship. Special monthly evening service. Special music by the choir.  
Anthem—A Friend Like Jesus—Verth.

**MAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH**  
ST. JOHN DISTRICT.  
Pastor—Rev. D. Hutchinson, D. D.  
Services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor.  
2:30—Sunday School, Bible classes and Brotherhood.  
At the evening service Dr. Hutchinson will read his last Annual Pastors' Report. All members requested to be present. A hearty invitation to all to come and enjoy our HAPPY HOUR SERVICES.

**CHARLOTTE STREET WEST ST. JOHN**  
Rev. Chas. R. Freeman, D. D.  
10 a. m.—Junior B. Y. P. U.  
11 a. m.—WHEN THE DAY IS DONE.  
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School and Brotherhood Class.  
7 p. m.—FACE TO FACE WITH OPPORTUNITY.  
Good music. All seats free. Come and worship with us.

**EDITH AVE. BAPTIST CHURCH**  
East St. John.  
REV. L. B. COLWELL, Pastor.  
Preaching morning and evening by the pastor.  
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A Cordial Welcome to All.  
**VICTORIA ST. BAPTIST CHURCH**  
REV. G. E. McDONALD, Pastor.  
Sunday Services: 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Song service at 6:45. Sermon by J. D. Trail and Miss Myrtle Crawford.  
Sermon subjects—A. M. O. T. Sermon, "Consecrated Personality," P. M., "The Night of the Master." Seats free. Everybody welcome.

**PRINCE EDWARD STREET CHURCH**  
(Undenominational)  
83-85 Prince Edward Street.  
ARCHIBALD GIBSON, Pastor.  
9:30 a. m.—Prayer.  
11 a. m.—Preaching service.  
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School.  
7 p. m.—Evangelistic service.  
Wednesday—8 p. m., prayer meeting.  
Welcome to All.

**UNITED CHURCH**  
East St. John.  
Rev. William I. Bevil, Pastor.  
11 a. m.—"Warning and Invitation."  
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School.  
3:30 p. m.—Service at Little River.  
7 p. m.—"Love—True and False."  
Wednesday, 8 p. m.—Prayer service.  
All cordially invited to attend these services.

**REFORMED BAPTIST CHURCH**  
No. 1 Carleton Street.  
Preyer at 10:30, preaching at 11. Sabbath School, 2:30. Praying Band 8:30, preaching in the evening at 7. Come and enjoy all these services. Everybody Welcome.  
Rev. F. T. Wright, Acting Pastor.

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CIVICS CLINCH SECOND SERIES OF INTER-ASSOCIATION LEAGUE

CITY HALL TEAM WINS OUT AFTER HARD STRUGGLE

Have Great Race With Knights of Columbus Quintette

The second series of the Inter-Association Bowling League has been completed and statistics have been compiled.

The Civics have again been victorious winning out after a hard struggle put up by the Knights of Columbus who raced neck and neck until the finish.

High Average Men. The high average men are still holding their positions, Cosgrove and Thurston fighting hard to retain their places on the board.

The following are the men who rolled over 85 in the required percentage of games—

Table with columns: Name, Wons, P.C. listing bowling scores for various players.

Do You Know Basketball? QUESTIONS. 1. How many times can a player leave the game and still be eligible to return?

ANSWERS. 1. A player cannot enter the game after leaving it twice. 2. It is illegal. The ball goes to an opponent at the point nearest the spot where the player struck ball with his fist.

C. G. I. T. ENTERTAINED. The C. G. I. T. group of St. Matthew's Presbyterian church, with their leader, Miss Jean Robinson, held a very enjoyable meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Culver.

Wants to Let. See the want ad page.

Granting of Skating Sanctions Will Be Left To Special Committee

Along the Sport Trail

WHAT'S THE OUTLOOK for baseball here next year? It is a question already going the rounds. This is certainly a bit premature...

PERHAPS NEVER IN HISTORY has an individual caused such a commotion in athletic circles as Paavo Nurmi, the Finnish runner...

CONNIE MACK, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, has been one of the most active nags in the major leagues since the close of the 1924 campaign.

Heartily Endorse Skating Club Drive

THE movement on foot to create a comprehensive membership in the St. John Skating Association seems to be not only a proper thing for this home of skating champions...

Recalls Old Times. Hughey McCormick is still looked upon as the father of our long line of steel blade champions.

Use of Tube Skates. H. R. McEllan injected a new element of interest into skating circles when he imported that spider-legged giant, Harold Hagen, from Norway...

Interest Aroused. As off-shoots to the local situation the successful exploits of Parker, Price, Merritt and others at Montreal, all-Canada meets, and in other outside places...

HOPES TO HAVE ST. JOHN PLACED IN BIG CIRCUIT

Silas E. Rice Seeks Franchise For Moospath Park

St. John will make another effort to have Moospath track included in the Maine and New Brunswick Harness Racing Circuit in 1925.

Should Be in Circuit. St. John should be in the Maine and N. B. circuit if the race game is to prosper in this city.

Plan Fine Programme. The Fredericton Driving Club is planning a special programme for the horsemen who will visit the capital on Feb. 4.

SOUTH END BOYS RECEIVE TROPHIES

Dr. H. L. Spangler and H. Mont Jones Present Cups to Winners.

The members of the South End Improvement League last night entertained the members of the basketball teams of the East End Boys' Club and the South End Boys' Club...

PLAN GALA TIME FOR ALL BLACKS

Famous Football Team Will be Royally Entertained While in Canada.

BANFF, Alta., Jan. 24.—The famous All Blacks of New Zealand will arrive in Banff on the morning of February 1, the opening day of the Banff winter carnival and remain two days.

Open Sulphur Baths. The government is throwing open the sulphur baths to this aggregation of rugby stars.

A Wonderful Action Picture Phenomenal Jump of a Horse



This remarkable photo shows Fred Wetlach training his horse "King's Own" at Eberon, N. B., for an attack on the world's equine high jump record.

Shots Off the King Pin Results of Candle Pin Bowling on the Local Alleys

Table showing bowling scores for Commercial League and Inter-Society League.

Table showing bowling scores for City League.

Table showing bowling scores for Civil Service League.

Girls' Teams to Meet at Y. M. C. A. The third game in the Girls' City Basketball League will be played this evening in the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium.

Table showing bowling scores for Clerical League.

ST. PETER'S Y. M. SEEK SANCTION FOR BIG MEET

THE North End Amateur Athletic Association announces today that they have called off their proposed skating meet which was to have been staged in the Victoria Rink next Tuesday evening.

Would Conduct The Indoor Amateur Skating Championships. Application of the St. Peter's Association for a sanction to conduct the Maritime Indoor Amateur Championships this season...

LOCAL SKATERS TO LEAVE HERE MONDAY

Charlie Gorman and Logan Brothers Will Seek Honors in Big Circuit. Charlie Gorman, United States National and International champion, also holder of the world's 40 yard record...

Will Wear Colors Of St. Peter's Y.M.A.

FRANKIE LOGAN, the boy wonder in skating circles in this city, who is to make his initial appearance on the big circuit this year...

DARTMOUTH LEADS Wanderers Defeat Dalhousie and Are Now Tie For Second Place.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 24.—By defeating Dalhousie, 5 to 3, in a ten-minute overtime game before more than 2,000 spectators at the Arena last night, the Wanderers tied with Dalhousie and Crescents for second place in the City Hockey League...

Ban Johnson Signs McGowan As Ump.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—William A. McGowan, former umpire in the Southern Association, has been signed by President Johnson of the American League for 1925.

N. S. HOCKEY RESULTS.

KENTVILLE, N. S., Jan. 24.—Kentville defeated Acadia University 10 to 2 in an exhibition hockey game played here last night.

MONCTON LADIES WIN. MONCTON, Jan. 23.—In the hockey match here tonight between Moncton and Amherst ladies' hockey teams, the local aggregation won by a score of 5-1.

British Consols Cigarettes The Smoke of a Nation. 12 for 15¢ 20 for 25¢ also in attractive tins of 50 and 100. The Largest Independent Brand in America.

TOLLS OF BOLSHIEVIK ATHEISM CAMPAIGN

SAYS THEY TRY TO PERVERT CHILDREN

Russian Clergyman Avers There is Spiritual Revival Despite Persecution

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The atheistic character of Bolshevism and the present position of the persecuted Russian Orthodox Church were described by Father Sergius Bulgakov in an address at King's College a few days ago.

Dr. Pares introduced Professor Bulgakov as a distinguished Russian scholar, formerly Professor of Economics at Moscow.

Professor Bulgakov said the Communist Party in Russia was not only a political and an economic, but a religious party.

Communists want to "free" men from their belief in God.

Try to Pervert Children.

Atheism, he continued, was not only the profession of the Soviet Government, but was widely propagated among the people.

The church, which was disestablished and disendowed by the Bolsheviks, had no legal right to exist.

Spiritual Revival.

The Church had to adapt itself from a State organization to a tolerated and then a persecuted body.

DESIGNS COSTUMES

Comic Strip Artist Gets Important Assignment From Ziegfeld.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—(United Press)—John Held, Jr., whose girls were the most attractive lingerie in the comic strips, has designed the costumes for Flo Ziegfeld's new production, "The Comic Supplement."

BUSHMANS PARTED

Beverly Bayne Quoted as Having Left Her Actor Husband.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 24.—Francis X. Bushman, motion picture actor, and his actress wife, Beverly Bayne, have separated, the Los Angeles Times says.

BANKERS' LEAGUE

In the Bankers' League last evening Team No. 1 of the Bank of Nova Scotia took three points from Team No. 2.

Screen Artists Can Be Happily Married, Says One Who Tried

By HAROLD E. SWISHER, United Press Staff Correspondent.

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Jan. 24.—What is it that assures happy marriages among the makers of the movies? The same things which tend to wedded bliss in any other rank of life.

Tolerance Needed.

"Viewing married life from the foundation laid during our first year," said Miss Griffith, discussing the topic with the United Press.

"Tolerance, of course, entails a charitable view of shortcomings. It's reasonable to expect that the type of persons gifted in one direction, as professional people are, may be lacking in other traits.

Her Trouble Started From a Bad Cold

ONTARIO LADY'S LITTLE DAUGHTER SUFFERED FROM HEADACHES AND WAS RELIEVED BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are a Kidney remedy and can be taken by young and old.

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Always The Best Show—"Weather" Or No.

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The GIRL WHO CAME BACK

VICTORIA RINK TONIGHT

EMPRESS MONDAY-TUESDAY

MERRY GOROUND

DANCING TONIGHT at the STUDIO

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Also Comedy and "Leatherstocking" Serial

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### 8 Day Sale

—at the—

## Chief Drug Store

In further guarantee of the fact that you don't find prices lower than at the handy Ross Drug Co. (where always there are 100 Cut Prices) here is a sample list from an 8 Day Sale that includes not one hundred but several hundred Cut Prices. Sale ends next Saturday night.

Guaranteed Alarm Clocks		Medicines	
Vacuum Bottles . . . . .	\$1.39	20c. Bayer's Aspirin . . . . .	16c.
Absorbent Cotton, pound . . . . .	49c.	\$1.25 Burdock Bitters . . . . .	\$1.09
Hot Water Bottles—1 year guarantee . . . . .	79c.	\$1.25 Drees . . . . .	98c.
2 year guarantee . . . . .	\$1.50	\$1.50 Pinkham's Compound . . . . .	\$1.26
Toilet Paper, eleven triple size rolls . . . . .	\$1.00	Wine . . . . .	
100 Sheets fine Stationery and 50 envelopes . . . . .	39c.	20c. Scott's Emulsion . . . . .	98c.
25c. French Castile Soap . . . . .	15c.	60c. size . . . . .	49c.
25c. Peas Soap . . . . .	22c.	\$1 Waterbury's Cod Liver Oil Compound . . . . .	89c.
25c. Cuticura Soap . . . . .	21c.	30c. Listerine . . . . .	26c.
85c. Forlans' Tooth Paste . . . . .	26c.	60c. Listerine . . . . .	56c.
60c. Forlans' Tooth Paste . . . . .	48c.	\$1.25 Listerine . . . . .	98c.
35c. Peppermint . . . . .	36c.	25c. Riker's Milk Magnesia . . . . .	21c.
25c. Hatax Tooth Paste . . . . .	22c.	\$1 Riker's Beef, Iron & Wine . . . . .	79c.
Riker's Coconut Oil Shampoo . . . . .	39c.	\$1 Eno's Salt . . . . .	88c.
Djer Kiss Talk . . . . .	22c.	60c. Chase's Ointment . . . . .	98c.
60c. Mary Garden Talk . . . . .	39c.	60c. Gln Pills . . . . .	39c.
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60c. Hind's Cream . . . . .	49c.		

Ross Drug Co., Ltd.  
Always 100 Cut Prices—100 King Street

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Muskat Coats \$85.00 up

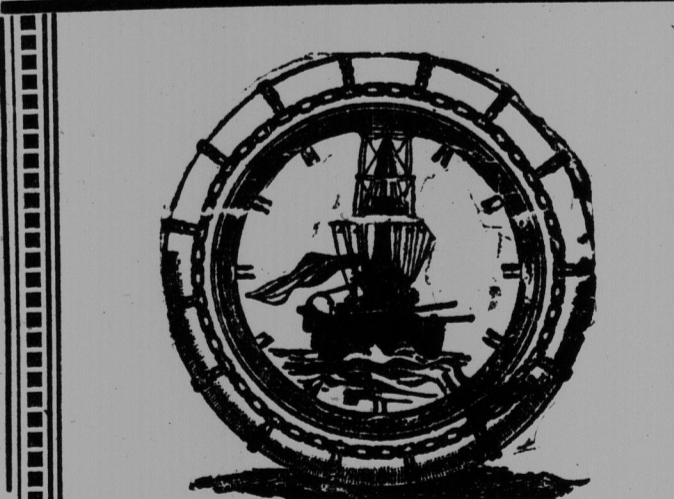
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Lives and limbs are too precious to subject to needless risk while motoring over ice-coated roads. Prevent the awful skid by equipping your car or truck with

## DREADNAUGHT Tire Chains

which give most and best in the protective service so vitally important in winter motoring. You'll find Dreadnaught Tire Chains, for Your Car or truck, in the Motor Car Accessory Department of

W. H. THORNE & CO., Ltd.  
Store Hours—8:30 to 6. Close at 1 Saturdays

## Rev. Dr. D. Hutchinson Says He Accepts Call to Brockville

Main Street Baptist Church  
Pastor Will Leave Early in May.

Rev. David Hutchinson, D. D., announced this morning to a reporter for The Times-Star, when questioned about the matter that he had accepted the call to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Brockville, Ont., and would take up his duties at the church on the first or second Sunday in May of this year.

In his ministry of 44 years Dr. Hutchinson has held four pastorates, the one he will take up in May being the fifth, and of this period 20 years have been spent in this city. He studied at Harley College, London, and under private tutors in England. Soon after completing his college course he came to America and for a time was engaged in evangelistic work.

In 1881 he was ordained to the Baptist ministry at Tugueville, Ont., and one year later received a call to the church at St. Thomas. He remained there for four years and then accepted a call to the church at St. John, where he succeeded Rev. Dr. Robert Cameron. There he remained for 15 years. His next pastorate was the First Baptist church at Moncton, where he filled the pulpits most acceptably for a little more than four years.

Here Since 1902.  
In 1902 he accepted a call from the Main street church of this city and took up his duties here on the first Sunday in May of that year. On the last Sunday in April of this year he will have completed a pastorate of 20 years and during that time the church has prospered under his wise and helpful leadership.

Soon after his serious illness of a year ago Dr. Hutchinson realized that the work of such a large church was too much of a tax on his strength and informed his board of deacons and trustee board of his intention to resign his pastorate to a close when he had rounded out the 20 years of service. His decision was regretfully received by his congregation but they bowed to his feeling in the matter regarding it as selfish on their part to ask him to remain.

In his ministry Dr. Hutchinson has been one of the outstanding men of the denomination, not only in his work which he was located for the time being, but in the whole Baptist constituency.

## LOCAL NEWS

### MAYOR ACCEPTS

Mayor Potts this morning received an invitation to address a meeting of the boys of St. Philip's church on Sunday, February 1, and has accepted.

### BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Friends of Miss Violet Green, daughter of William Green, 804 Union street, called at her home last evening to help her celebrate the anniversary of her birth. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all. The guest of honor received many nice gifts.

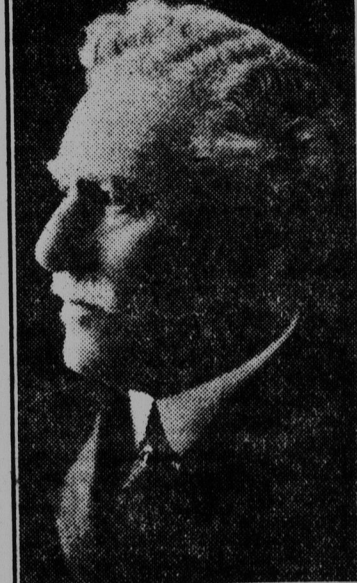
### BASKETBALL GAMES

Two games of basketball were played last night on the Y. W. C. A. floor. In the first the Beavers won from the Spartans by a score of 27 to 24, and in the second game the lovers won from the Go-Getters by a score of 43 to 16.

### THEIR CHILD DEAD

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Wilson of 140 Chesley street were called today to mourn the loss of their little son, Walter Berne Wilson, aged two months, who died this morning. Besides his parents, there survive two brothers and four sisters. The funeral will be Monday afternoon.

### GOES TO ONTARIO



REV. DR. DAVID HUTCHINSON  
ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JAN 24.

High Tide . . . . . 11:15 P.M.  
Low Tide . . . . . 5:04 A.M.  
Sun Rises . . . . . 7:32 A.M.

### WOULD COLLECT GAS TAX FROM WHOLESALE

### MAYOR SPEAKS OF CRITICISM OF COUNCIL PROPOSAL

Service Station Men Say It Would Mean Removal From City

Mayor Potts this morning referred to criticism of the proposition to impose a tax on gasoline, and said it was largely based on a mistaken conception of the manner in which it was proposed to levy the tax. The idea he had in mind in bringing up the matter was, if the necessary legislation was secured, the tax would be collected from the wholesaler, and every gallon of gasoline that came into the tanks of the companies doing business here would be subject to tax, regardless of where it went after it left the wholesaler's premises.

Under this plan, he said, he did not see how gasoline could be sold any cheaper outside the city limits than in the city proper, as the tax would have been paid before it reached the retailer.

He said his idea in suggesting this tax was to relieve the taxpayer to some extent and try and make up the shortage which must be faced this year because of exemptions to certain classes of incomes. At present the man on an income and the working man was paying all he could well afford in the way of taxes, and gasoline, said the Mayor, being to a certain extent a luxury, was a legitimate subject for special taxation.

Many Cars in City.  
In connection with the proposed tax of two cents a gallon on gasoline by the city, it was said today at the office of the N. B. government inspector of motor vehicles that there are in St. John between 8,500 and 4,000 automobiles of all descriptions. Trucks, light trucks and other business cars constitute approximately a third of this number.

Automobile service station men are up in arms over the proposal to tax gasoline two cents per gallon. They say such a tax will drive the "gas" trade into the suburbs beyond the reach of civic taxation, throw many out of employment and jeopardize the tax revenue by enterprises located in town, the dealers say.

Why Not Tax Coal? Says One.  
Firms operating business cars such as trucks and light deliveries seem to be making a sort of double imposition since they are already taxed on their cars as property holdings. It is the same for private automobiles. "Might as well tax the coal we use in our stoves," said one citizen.

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### COLD WEATHER MAKES LIGHT MARKET DAY

The cold weather was held responsible for the small display of vegetables in the country market this morning. Native rhubarb from Clifton growers was on sale and was quickly snapped up by the buyers who braved the biting wind to visit the market. There was a display of turkeys, on sale at 25 to 60 cents per pound, and fowl at 85 cents a pound. Chickens were scarce and sold at 45 to 50 cents. Eggs sold at 60 cents and butter sold at 85 to 45 cents.

### STAYED IN DIGBY

The C. P. R. Bay steamer Express is expected here tonight from Digby. The usual trip across the Bay yesterday morning but prior to her time for sailing from Digby a heavy north west wind sprang up and made general conditions so adverse that she did not leave Digby.

### HIRAM ON TOUR

TORONTO, Jan. 21.—Well, sir, I been too blamed busy to write. I never had such a time in my born days. Sat. Morn—I got my eyes opened a lot up here. You can't tell me after this that the folks up here don't care nothin' about what happens to the Settlement. All you got to do is tell 'em you're from down east an' the folks that's with while is ready to listen. They just want to be showed 'em they kin fit in an' they're ready to help us help ourselves.

### DEATHS NUMBER 16

The death rate was not so high this week as compared to that of last week but it was still slightly higher than normally. 16 deaths being recorded at the Board of Health office from the following causes: Myocarditis, two; fracture of skull, two; perniciosa anemia, two; old age, infarction, pneumonia, septicaemia, enteric fever, two; nephritis, cerebral haemorrhage, carcinoma of face, pulmonary tuberculosis and toxæmia following burns, one each.

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\$25 Suits and O'coats \$19.90  
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\$40 Suits and O'coats \$32.65  
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Men's Shop, 2nd Floor.

### MEN'S TROUSERS, OVERALLS, etc., all reduced.

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