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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, JANUARY 20, 1910.

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WANT TO EXPROPRIATE TORONTO STREET RY.

Power Will be Asked at the Next Legislative Session

Quarter-Hour Chimes Cause Nervous Prostration—Runaway Engine Kills Employee in N.S.W.

CLINTON, Ont., Jan. 20.—Geo. Nott, a prominent citizen, was killed yesterday afternoon by being thrown out of his rig by a runaway horse. Mrs. Nott, who accompanied him, escaped uninjured. Mr. Nott leaves a grown-up family.

NELSON, B. C., Jan. 20.—The engine of a slow train getting out of control ran into the Canadian Pacific round house, where a number of mechanics were at work on other engines. W. H. Torrey, boiler-maker's helper, was badly crushed and died a few minutes after arriving at the hospital. W. H. Jackson suffered a broken wrist. Torrey leaves a widow and family. An inquest will be held.

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 20.—Legislation will be asked for at the coming session of the legislature to give power to the city of Toronto to expropriate the Street Railway Co. A resolution to this effect was adopted at a meeting of the Board of Control yesterday.

Alleging nervous collapse caused by the striking of quarter hours, Catherine Frazer of Stratford obtained at Osgood Hall yesterday, a week's injunction restraining the James Episcopal Church from allowing the church chime of the bells in the clock steeple to ring between 12:05 and 12:15 at night and seven in the morning.

TO COLLECT \$3,000 FOR SIMULTANEOUS CAMPAIGN

Money Wanted as Guarantee of Expenses—Attendance at Prayer Meeting Indicates Lack of Accommodation

The finance committee for the simultaneous campaign in February have decided to employ solicitors for a general canvass of the city. An effort will be made to raise the guarantee of \$3,000.

Rev. S. W. Anthony has been appointed by the committee to do the soliciting in the South End, and Rev. J. C. Appel will perform the work in the North End section. Solicitors have not as yet been appointed for Fairville.

The first of a series of prayer meetings, in which all of the denominations concerned in the evangelical campaign of February, are to unite once a week until the opening, was held last evening in Victoria Street Baptist Church. Similar meetings were to have been held in the city, but they were postponed on account of church annual meetings.

Rev. Neil McLaughlin, who addressed the meeting, said it is clear that it had shown that the committee were now to face a very serious problem as to the accommodation of those who would wish to attend the campaign meetings. With the Presbyterians and Methodists, which they held last evening, the church was far too small to hold the crowd. If the preliminaries were so attended, the crush at the regular meetings would be more easily imagined than arranged for.

JAPAN AND RUSSIA REJECT KNOX'S SCHEME

And Japan, Always Looking for Trouble, Charges China With Breach of Faith.

PEKING, Jan. 20.—Japan has notified China informally through the Japanese legation here that Japan and Russia will consent to the withdrawal of the proposal of the United States for the neutralization of the Manchurian railways.

PERSONAL

Ald. Hayes returned to the city at noon today. Mrs. Kate Thomas reached the city today, after spending some months with her daughter, Mrs. D. Donnell, of Boston, and will be the guest of Mrs. T. J. Price, of Wright St.

E. L. Rising returned to the city on the Atlantic express at noon. C. F. Sanford came in on the Montreal express today. F. Nell Brodie was a passenger on the incoming C. P. R. express at noon. R. F. Johnson came in on the Montreal express today.

ASQUITH'S PROMISE OF HOME RULE IS DENOUNCED AS AN ELECTION DODGE

Premier is Charged With Treachery Toward the Irish Party—Unionists Made Steady Gains Without a Single Loss in Yesterday's Contests—Not Gain of Fifty Eight Seats

LONDON, Jan. 20.—A wave of tariff striking rages in Scotland and Wales, but W. Ormsby-Gore, Unionist, son of Lord Harlech, made a notable breach yesterday in the solid Radicalism of the principality by winning Denbigh district from one of the most ardent of the Welsh Nationalists, A. C. Edwards.

Forty-seven constituencies balloted today, among the more prominent candidates being J. Henniker-Heaton, Unionist for Canterbury, of penny post fame, Timothy M. Healy, Nationalist for Louth, Thomas W. Russell, Liberal for Tyrone and Joseph Albert Pease, Liberal for Exmouth. Winston Churchill, Chief Liberal whip. The papers today accuse Premier Asquith of having tricked the Irish voters on the subject of home rule. They declare that he promised home rule before the election and that on the strength of this promise the Nationalists issued their address to the Irish in England, and asking support for the Liberals. As soon as the Irish votes were cast, however, the premier, it is charged, hedged and practically withdrew his promise.

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MARKED INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION

Figures Show 36,000 More Than in 1908

Ontario Reports Many Undesirables—Grain Shipments via Pacific—Gov't Owned Pork Packing Plants.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—The immigration into Canada for December was 8,673, as compared with 4,809 for December, 1908. The total immigration for nine months, April to December, was 158,228, as compared with 121,626 for the same period of last year, an increase of 31 per cent. For the calendar year 1909, the immigration was 184,281 and for the calendar year 1908 it was 148,700. The immigration from the United States during the period was 20,298 as compared with 17,124.

EDMONTON, Jan. 20.—General Manager of the Canadian Meat Packers Association, is here endeavoring to secure the support of the Government necessary to establish a shipping route for grain via the Pacific coast and trans-Mexican Railway. Mr. Westcott afterwards will proceed to England.

EDMONTON, Alta., Jan. 20.—Premier Rutherford, meeting the United Farmers Association yesterday, gave the assurance that a Government owned system of pork packing plants would be established provided the farmers guaranteed the necessary supply of animals to keep the plants running.

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—The Province of Ontario deported 293 "undesirable persons" during the year 1909, according to an official report on prisons and asylums just issued. The report says it is a mystery how some who come to our shores can pass any thorough system of inspection. The importation of boys and girls of a distinctly defective type should be absolutely discouraged, it declares.

ANTI-MEAT CAMPAIGN DENOUNCED BY UNION

Labor Men Should Not Kick About High Prices, But Demand Better Wages and Buy Beef.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 20.—The United Trades and Labor Council here last night denounced the strike of 10,000 workmen against the eating of meat and called on union laboring men to refuse to sign the anti-meat pledge. The true remedy, according to resolutions adopted by the council, is a demand for higher wages by workmen in order that they may buy the meat and the establishment of a municipal slaughter house for the benefit of small butchers.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 20.—Thos. McCarey is preparing to stage the Nelson-Wolcott fight for the lightweight championship here on February 22, Hester of San Francisco not having received a permit.

FIENDISH NEGROES PUBLICLY HANGED

Stood One of Their Victims in Scalding Water

Gasoline Tank at Pittsburg Soap Works Explodes With Fatal Result—Two Dead, Five Hurt

OSCEOLA, Ark., Jan. 20.—William and Charles Mullin, negroes, were publicly hanged yesterday before 3,000 spectators for the murder of A. Robinson and his daughter, houseboat dwellers. They gave out a statement just before their execution that they shot the daughter and burned her body in a blanket saturated with oil and stood the father in scalding water and then shot him. Their purpose was robbery.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 20.—Two men were consumed by the flames and five others are in hospitals suffering with burns received shortly after 2 o'clock this morning, when a huge gasoline tank exploded in the soap plant of Walker Bros. on Kerr's Island, a few miles from this city, on the Allegheny. The tank was 20 by 10 feet and was almost full. The explosion caused a fire that consumed the big garbage dry-ice plant, and it was in this blaze that the men lost their lives. The cause of the explosion is not known.

SCHOOL BOYS TO LEARN TO EXTINGUISH FIRES

Knox Hotel Burned—C. A. A. Objects to Any Mix-up of Professionals and Amateurs.

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—The senior boys of 14 public schools will shortly be given instruction in the method of using the fire extinguishers. This precaution is being taken as a supplement to the fire drill in the schools.

KENORA, Jan. 20.—The King Edward Hotel here last night was badly damaged by fire. The blaze was caused by the defective wiring.

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—President Merrick, of the C. A. A. U., announced today that the union would not permit amateurs to take part in professional matches. Bowls and Duncan lately appeared in "pro" games in Ottawa and the union has determined that there shall be no further contacts between professionals and amateurs.

HIS ARM WAS CUT OFF BY MOVING TRAIN

Harry White, of Cork, Brought to the Hospital Seriously Injured—Accident at Fredericton Junction.

Between ten and twelve o'clock last night a fourteen year old boy named Harry White, had an arm cut off by a freight train at Fredericton Junction. He is now in the hospital here, and is reported to be doing as well as could be expected.

It appears that yesterday White and a younger brother walked to the Junction from their home at Cork. As the first section of No. 28 freight was pulling out, they determined to get aboard in order to have a ride home. The younger brother managed to clamber into a box car, but Harry, while attempting to do the same, fell to the track. An arm was severed above the elbow.

The brother jumped on the car and, running back, told the station-master of the accident. The latter on going to help, is said to have found the victim walking down the platform carrying his severed arm.

Dr. Murray was summoned and dressed the wound. Soon afterwards a special train was despatched to St. John with the injured lad who reached the hospital about four o'clock this morning. It is understood the boys were under way when the affair happened, proceeded, without the members of the crew knowing anything of the accident.

GWIC PAY ROLL

Pay day for the civic officials was welcomed even more than usual today on account of the fact that the money due on the 5th had been paid in advance on Dec. 20th. The half monthly pay-roll disbursed this morning was as follows: Officials \$1,223.79; Clerks \$1,083.21; City Engineer's Department \$45.84; Police \$1,176.41; Fire and Salvage Corps \$71.65; Ferry \$61.82. \$4,767.84

YORK COUNCIL ALSO FAVORS VALLEY ROAD

Resolution Supporting Scheme Passed Without Opposition

Endorses Proposal to Guarantee Bonds and Urges That Line be of Standard Gauge.

FREDERICTON, Jan. 20.—The County Council in session this morning accomplished considerable business. A large part of the morning was taken up with the acceptance of reports from the several committees.

The St. John Valley Railway came before the council, and a resolution moved by Coun. Grant, seconded by Coun. Timmins, was unanimously adopted with but little comment. The resolution was as follows: "Whereas, we note with gratification the signs of expansion and development in different sections of the province, and whereas transportation is the basis of a country's commercial growth and industrial expansion. And furthermore, whereas we believe the St. John Valley possess natural conditions favorable to unexcelled possibilities.

Therefore resolved, that we, the Municipal Council of the county of York, do hereby endorse the movement now on foot to secure the immediate construction of the valley road, and we most heartily endorse guaranteeing bonds in a sum sufficient to provide or facilitate the railroad being built without further delay with the understanding that the road is to be of such a character as to be suitable to form a part of a transcontinental growth.

Furthermore, we desire to have on record our unanimous approval of the recent resolution of the Carleton County Council in demanding prompt recognition of the just claims of the valley people upon the federal and provincial governments.

A resolution recommending the construction of a railway between Millville and Pokok was also adopted and a committee appointed to wait upon the government to ask for aid desired.

The account of the Scott Act inpector was considered at some length. The report was adopted with the exception of two items amounting to \$200 charges made in connection with expenses incurred by Spitzer Polya. The matter was allowed to stand until Inspector McParlane was heard. At 1:30 today the council will have its photograph taken.

OVERLOADING THE CAUSE OF MANY DISASTERS

Lake Shipping Men Discuss Plans for Saving Money—Suggest Classification Committee

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 20.—That overloading of vessels is the cause of the largest percentage of accidents on the great lakes was brought out by speakers at last night's meeting of the Great Lakes Protective Association here. To relieve owners of strongly constructed ships from paying premiums on losses to lower grade ships, a classification committee similar to that of the Lloyd's was recommended.

Speaking of the causes of lake disasters, A. A. Wright of the Dominion Marine Association said: "Many vessels on the lakes are loading far beyond the safety limit, owing to their hatch construction. At the bottom of the trouble is the anxiety of the owner to get the maximum load and the greatest number of trips and the captain who is trying to beat his competitors and make the best time. As it is we have all got to contribute for the other man's nerve."

RUSSIAN SAILOR HAD AN ALL NIGHT SWIM

Paddling About Among the Banks of Ice, He Refused Help From a Ferryboat and Reached Brooklyn Unaided

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Passengers on a Brooklyn ferryboat today saw a man competently swimming through the ice fields in the harbor. He refused help from the ferryboat, swimming around it and making for a Brooklyn dock. When he was drawn to the dock from the icy water it was found that he was a Russian sailor with a remarkable tale.

"I slipped from here yesterday on the tramp fruit steamer Joseph E. Guinan," he said, "and when we were outside of Sandy Hook and I was standing on the poop deck, someone comes up behind me and hits me on the head with a belaying pin. Overboard I go, and I had a furnished room in Brooklyn. I start for there. I could have landed at Staten Island or Governor's Island, but the tide was carrying me straight for Brooklyn and as that was where I wanted to go I stayed with the tide. When I became tired I grabbed a cake of ice and resided. I don't know how long I was in the water, but I guess it was most of the night."

It is believed that the sailor swam more than ten miles through the ice floes.



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WANTED—Small farm with good house, near city, on L. C. R. or C. P. R. Address Box 82, Star Office. 19-1-6

HOUSE WANTED. Wanted—Self-contained house, four or five bedrooms, modern improvements, electric light, furnace, garage. Occupation may first. Address FAMILY, care Star Office. 19-1-7

WANTED TO PURCHASE—Gentlemen's cast off clothing, footwear, coats, ladies' furs, jewelry, diamonds, musical instruments, guns, revolvers, tools, skates, etc. Call or send postcard. H. GILBERT, 24 Mill St. 19-1-7

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CLERGYMAN'S WIFE EXPIRES SUDDENLY

DIGBY, N. S., Jan. 19.—There is sadness among the members of Holy Trinity congregation caused by the sudden and unexpected death of Mrs. Jane Ann Driffield, beloved wife of the rector, Rev. William Driffield. She was about today attending as usual to her household duties when at dinner hour she complained of a sharp pain around the heart and although the doctor was hastily summoned she passed away before he arrived. She had been under the doctor's care for the past four months receiving treatment for heart trouble.

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TO LET—Shop, 13 Sydney Street. Apply 218 King Street. 1-1-17

AMUSEMENTS

MORE NEW PICTURES NICKEL TO-DAY.

The spring-like weather of yesterday jumped the business class to record breaking proportions, and everybody who attended the theatre saw an excellent show. Chief interest was centered in the pictures of British War Vessels on review at Spithead, one of the Imperial stations, and the example of Britain's might contained in this 500 feet of film had a most inspiring effect. Round about courses of applause greeted the pictures. Of more than passing interest was the scenic film entitled "Castles Along the Shore," a study in medieval architecture in "Sunny France." A feast of merriment ensued when the comedy pictures, "Electric Insoles," and "The Old Maid and the Burglar," was thrown upon the screen. But Saturday and for the remainder of the week two more magnificent educational features will be shown, in "Chemical Experiments," a study in laboratory work, and another British Naval film entitled "Gun Drill of British Battleships." The Nickel management takes particular delight in presenting these superior features, as they are in the fact that is attracting great crowds of discriminating people. Miss Gertrude Le Roy, whose six-minute sketches are so enjoyable, will have new numbers to-day, and Master Packer is to render something unique in an illustrated song.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE ORPHEUM SHOW.

Lovers of real good clean vaudeville are being delighted with the Orpheum entertainment. The Orpheum management is endeavoring to closely study the wants of the audience, which, nightly, seem to grow larger, and every week believe they are in a better position to know the latest vaudeville and good variety is esteemed to its full worth. Zeita the Bohemian Violinist, and Zoro the Bohemian Pianist, are giving a pair of real hits, to use a slang phrase, and with the three reels of excellent subjects a better show for the money, would be difficult to secure.

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FOR SALE—Boarding business and furniture for sale. Central location. Address Box 87, Star Office. 15-1-16

FOR SALE—New and second hand slugs cheap. C. McADAM, Marsh Bridge, City. 17-1-17

FOR SALE—A lady's Silver Watch. Price \$5.00. Box 860, Star Office. 19-1-17

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DANCING CLASS

PROF. FISHER'S DANCING SCHOOL, Friday evening, over Wain's candy store, King Street. Arrangements may be made for private lessons by addressing 178 Duke Street.

MR. BROWN SUCCEEDS ARCHER BAKER

MONTREAL, Que., Jan. 19.—Announcement was made today at Canadian Pacific headquarters that George McL. Brown has been appointed European manager of the Canadian Pacific to succeed the late Archer Baker. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, President of the Company, and Mr. Bosworth, the fourth vice president, are both at present in London, and the announcement of Mr. Brown's appointment came in a cablegram from Mr. Bosworth, which said: "Advise all concerned that George McL. Brown is appointed European manager. He will continue in charge of traffic. The new European manager is a son of Mr. Adam Brown, of Hamilton, and most of his life has been spent in the service of the Canadian Pacific."

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SUNLIGHT SOAP



A BASKET FULL of clean, sweet-smelling linen is obtained with half the toll and half the time if Sunlight Soap is used. Sunlight shortens the day's work, but lengthens the life of your clothes. Follow directions.

ADAMIRALTY GUARDS AIRSHIP SECRET

Details as to Size and Features Carefully Watched

Aerial League Would Have Authorities Display Names of Cities Upon Black Background.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—Directors of the Aerial League of the British Empire, which is seeking to advance the possibilities of aviation as a military factor in the event of war, assert that they probably will follow the action of the Aero Club of Beauvais, which has the distinguished aviator,mons. Thiess, as its president in asking that the various municipal authorities have the names of their cities and towns painted in white on a large black-ground, preferably on the roofs of the principal houses and public buildings, so that an aviator can tell at a glance over which community he is flying.

"This is a proper step toward the organization of a practical system of aerial highways," said Captain R. A. Old-Brown-Cave, R. N., chairman of the Executive Committee of the Aerial League. "In addition, we will ask that the Mayors request citizens to be prepared to render all possible assistance to aviators during their flights. The next step, I presume, will be to erect tall beacons or lighthouses for aeroplanes, some astray over fields and woods."

Little accurate information has been available as to the features of the airship which Messrs. Vickers, Sons and Maxim are building to the order of the British Admiralty. This will be the first aerial craft in the world to be constructed for naval use. The huge aerodrome on the side of the Cavalry dock, in course of erection.

MEANWHILE, the various parts of the craft are being made ready in the company's plant. The vessel is to be of the rigid type, but little is known as to its size or power, though there have been many guesses. Special machinery has been built at Barrow in order to test the heavy powered motor and different types of propellers. The firm is seeking to score another success, such as it did in the construction of submarines, more than sixty of which it has built to the Admiralty's order.

Much discussion again prevails over the problem of the reliability of aerial craft to gun fire from land. Mr. Charles de Grave Sells has pointed out the peculiar results of the experiments during the Rheims aviation meeting, when opportunity was taken to endeavor to estimate the distance of elevation of machines when flying. The Curtiss machine, a biplane, was in the air, and the officer taking sights gave the distance as 7,200 feet and the elevation at 20 feet. As a matter of fact, the actual distance at that particular time proved to be 6,150 feet and the elevation 80 feet.

In the German official trials last July the results were extremely poor. The target, 100, was not an aeroplanes varying in distance of direction, but a captive balloon anchored in the air, and the officer taking sights gave the distance as 4,000 feet, and the elevation at 20 feet. The balloon first was assailed by a body of 5,000 cartridges were fired in volleys without any perceptible effect.

BUT SLIGHT HARM. The second trial consisted of an attack by two machine guns from the distance and the balloons were fired, but the balloons seemed none the worse. Finally an attack was made by field howitzers at a distance of 1,500 feet, and one of the shots managed to score a hit, making a rent in the balloon, which, however, sank so slowly that the occupants would not have been injured by the fall. An examination afterward showed that of the 5,000 shots of small calibre fired only twenty had penetrated the fabric, and the only damage sustained by the dummies was that one had a bullet through its leg.

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HAD A BAD COUGH FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS.

Was afraid to winter for a number of years which I was afraid would turn into consumption. I tried a great many remedies but only received temporary relief until I got a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and after taking two bottles my cough was cured. I can never get another cold. I can never get another cold. I can never get another cold.

Too much stress cannot be laid on the fact that when the catches cold it must be attended to immediately, or serious results may follow.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is the medicine you need. It strikes at the foundation of all throat and lung complaints, relieving or curing all Croup, Whooping Cough, Asthma, Sore Throat, etc., and preventing Pneumonia and Consumption.

So great has been the success of this wonderful remedy it is only natural that numerous persons have tried to imitate it. Don't be imposed upon but insist on getting "Dr. Wood's."

Put up in a yellow wrapper, three cents each. The Danks mark, price 25 cents. Manufactured only by The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

During the three days, the 24th, 25th, and 26th inst., on which several of the city churches will canvass for subscriptions in aid of the Seaman's Institute to wipe out the \$1500 debt on the building, a large clock will be struck by the superintendent of King Street, indicating the result of the canvass. The hands of the clock will be changed hourly. The object is to keep the hands moving as quickly as possible.

MANITOBA HOTEL DESTROYED BY FIRE

TORONTO, Jan. 19.—Windsor Hotel at Bradwardine, Man., was burned this morning. The family of J. Franco, the proprietor and several commercial travellers escaped with great difficulty. Everything is a total loss, except the furniture for sale. Central location. Address Box 87, Star Office. 15-1-16

Dr. John E. Wilkinson and his company have launched their recovery against the Montreal fire insurance companies. Similar suits have been entered against Toronto papers claiming \$300,000 damages. All this in connection with Coak's fire stealing cases.

The Ladies' Curling Club of St. Andrew's Rink met yesterday afternoon and elected skips for the match to be played with lady curlers of the Thistle Club on Tuesday morning next. Dr. Margaret Parks, Mrs. H. C. Schofield and Mrs. E. A. Smith were elected skips. They also elected the following Andrew's gentlemen curlers, to be played sometime this month: Miss Travers, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Holly and Mrs. C. H. Ferguson.

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COULD NOT SLEEP. DOCTOR SAID HEART AND NERVES WERE RESPONSIBLE.

There is many a man and woman tossing night after night on a sleepless bed. Their eyes do not close in the sweet and refreshing repose that comes to those whose heart and nerves are right. Some constitutional disturbances, such as disease has so debilitated and irritated the nervous system, that it cannot be normal, and causes nightmarish, bad dreams, starting in the sleep, twitching of the muscles, restlessness, etc.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are a specific for all people troubled in this way. They have a soothing and calming effect on the nervous system.

Mrs. Calvin Stark, Rosmore, Ont., writes: "About two years ago I began to be troubled with a smothering sensation at night when I would lie down. I got so bad I could not sleep in the dark, and would have to sit up and rub my hands, they would become so numb. My doctor said my heart and nerves were responsible. I saw Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills advertised and got a box to try them. I took three boxes and can now lie down and sleep without the light burning and can rest well. I can recommend them highly to all nervous and run-down women."

Price, 50 cents per box or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all druggists or mailed direct on receipt of price to The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Band on Carleton Rink tonight. City Championship race at the Vio tonight; also hand and skating.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use Kumfort Headache Powders.

Trusses fitted without charge. Hand book on rupture free. Moore's Drug Store, Brussels Street.

Mrs. Brown, Union Street, is having sale of trimmed hats, \$1.00; untrimmed hats, 75c. to 50c.

Large sleighs for sleighing parties at Hogan's stable, Waterloo Street. 14-1-17

Mr. Geo. Walker, barber, is now located at 22 Charlotte St., where he will be pleased to meet his friends.

Just received a large variety of G. B. chocolates. See our window display. Ice cream made fresh daily. Lemon, pineapple and orange sherbets a specialty. T. J. Phillips, 429 Main St. and 211-213 Union St. Phone 1240.

The Centenary Church Sunday school sleigh drive, which was to take place on Friday, the 21st inst., has been indefinitely postponed. Further notice will be given the scholars on Sunday.

A real estate deal of some magnitude in the North End has been put through by which Jacob L. Colwell has transferred to Maurice J. Murphy a block containing three stores, two dwellings, a blacksmith shop, and 40 coach houses. The block runs east from Albert Street with a frontage of 102 feet and a depth of 100 feet.

Dr. Edward Archibald of Montreal read an interesting paper before the members of St. John Medical Society last evening, in the Union Club. Dr. Archibald is one of the surgeons of the Victoria Hospital, Montreal, and his paper was a surgical presentation. It was of a technical nature.

An English boy named White living at Harvey Station has his arm cut off at Frederick Junction last night by the west-bound Montreal freight train which he was trying to board. The boy was brought to this city by a special train which arrived at a. m. Dr. W. A. Christie met the boy at the train. Young White was taken to the hospital.

Brussels Street Baptist Church held its 18th annual meeting last evening in the auditorium of the church. The attendance was representative of the membership. Reports received showed the passage of a year of substantial progress.

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THE SIMULTANEOUS CAMPAIGN.

The importance of the simultaneous campaign, planned for next month on the religious life of St. John, appears to be properly appreciated among those actively interested in church work.

Others whose connection with such religious movements has always been of a more or less distant nature, will no doubt be drawn into the advance as time passes.

Although the campaign is still some weeks distant, it is already making its influence felt. Of late the various denominations have been wholly forgetting their doctrinal differences.

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menting favorably on this bill, the New York Mail says: "Our national attitude is that of unreasoning, inexplicable opposition to discharging a high obligation, which should have been undertaken immediately after the restoration of peace with Spain."

The Maine should be raised and can be, if Congress will give the word. The neglected wreck in the harbor of a friendly nation, whose government would gladly have it removed, is a reproach to the American people.

Honor, duty, justice and good faith with those who pledge their lives to the national defense all demand that the lost ship be brought back to American waters and its martyrs given honorable burial in the land for which they died.

Further delay would expose the nation to the suspicion of timidity, as well as ingratitude.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 19.—Five persons, four girls and one man, left for their deaths today, in a panic caused by a fire in the four story factory building at 255-259 Chancery st., near Second and Walnut streets.

Five others suffered injuries from which they will probably die, and many more were less seriously hurt.

The dead: Morris Pessan, aged 25 years, fractured skull.

Ida Greenberg, aged 20 years, burned and crushed.

Rebecca Kaufman, aged 19 years, fractured skull.

Elizabeth Chackin, aged 16 years, burned and crushed.

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The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON

This is a little talk on unnecessary enemies. Have you any of that kind? Maybe you thought that all enemies were alike, but they aren't, by any means.

Enemies should be divided into two classes—necessary enemies, of which we have reason to be proud, and unnecessary enemies, of which we ought to be thoroughly ashamed.

I heard some one the other day reproaching a girl for saying a thoughtless thing that made an enemy for her.

"I wouldn't think much of anyone who went through life without making enemies," she retorted. "I think it would show that he hadn't much character."

The greatest people, the men who have been in advance of their times have always had the most enemies.

Quite true, but not at all a justification for her. For though to be great is to have enemies, to have many enemies is not necessarily a sign of greatness.

People are often apt to confuse the incidental greatness with its inherent signs in this way. For instance, I have even known people who were proud of their bad handwriting because so many geniuses have been poor penmen.

Emerson says: "It is so bad, then, to be misunderstood? Pythagoras was misunderstood, and Socrates and Jesus, and Luther, and Copernicus, and Galileo, and Newton, and all the great men who ever lived, to be so misunderstood."

But he did not mean, as so many impatient young people are apt to think, that to be misunderstood is to be great. The man who makes an enemy because he stands for some belief, some principle, some reform, has a right to be proud of that enemy, to regard him as one of the highest honors he has won.

The man who makes an enemy by reason of his honorably attained success or his well-won position, has a right to pity that enemy as a foolish captor, self-chosen to the chariot wheels of envy.

But the man who makes an enemy because of some unkind or thoughtless word, some neglected courtesy, some spiteful act, some misunderstanding allowed to widen into a breach, should be thoroughly ashamed and thoroughly unhappy until he has managed somehow to undo his work.

"The man who hath a thousand friends Hath not a friend to spare; And he who hath one enemy Shall meet him everywhere."

And if that one is a necessary enemy, then he shall have reason to be more proud every time he meets him than he is of the thousand friendships. But if that one is an enemy made through carelessness or selfishness, then he shall have reason to be at odds with himself and discontented with the thousand friends until he has made them a thousand and one by winning over the enemy.

Ruth Cameron

The Lighter Side of Life

"WHEN THE GOLDEN BOWL IS BROKEN." The Angel of Life leaned over the verge.

Where the seven golden bars Round the lonely rampart of heaven ran, Like a glimmering chain of stars.

The plumes of her folded wings were soft As the breast of a brooding dove; Yet the sky-like depths of her dreaming eyes.

And like a husbandman who lends His grain to the humbled loam, She flung a million souls from heaven And brought a million home.

Strange character she held the reins Of the world within her hand; While the hour-glasses, at her girde Ran centuries for sand.

But one by one each one of her words Sank down to a waverer's spark, And rain by rain, as they fell, And they vanished down the dark.

She leaned far out from the golden bar, And the sand in the glass ran low; And she asphended from her bosom fell, And she let the last world go.

And she, like a sorrowing harpist, Who has garnered all his grain, On the lonely rampart of heaven turned From the twilight home again.

Bessie—Oh, Mabel, I am in an awful dilemma! I've quarreled with Harry and he wants me to send his ring back.

Mabel—That's too bad. Bessie—But that isn't the point. I've forgotten which is his ring.

Mr. D—went to the club, leaving Mrs. D— with a lady friend whose abilities as a scandal-monger and mischief-maker were pre-eminent. When he returned he just poked his head into the drawing-room and said with a sigh of relief, "That old cat's gone. I suppose."

For an instant there was a profound silence, for as he uttered the last word he encountered the stony stare of the lady who had been in his mind. Then

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Makes no difference how stubborn the corn is. It can't resist our Corn Paint. This is a preparation which will remove any corn, quickly and permanently.

Never tried it, you have no idea how successful it is and how hard it is to get along without it. Take out a dime and give it a trial at once. 15c. Brush free.

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Boys and Girls

Have You Entered the Board of Trade Contest Yet? \$45--In Cash Prizes--\$45

Scores of Competitors Already Simply an Easy Essay-Writing Competition in which the following questions constitute the given subject:

(1)—In What Way Has St. John Improved in the Last Fifteen Years? (2)—What Improvements Are Most Needed at the Present Time? (3)—And How Can These Be Accomplished?

Essays must be not less than 1,000 words or in excess of 2,000 words. When completed hand to your school teacher.

75 per cent. Treatment of subject; 25 per cent. for composition and punctuation. All white or all black is the smartest thing affected in street wear as well as in evening costumes.

Charming colored veils of very large and unusually becoming meshes are much in demand just now for street wear with tailored and smoking gowns.

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Many of the evening gowns are made entirely of gauze net, covered with metallic embroideries and motifs. The new sleeves show a variety of ornate shapes with gathers, puffs, wide, square pocket ornaments, etc.

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Row after row of the simple chain stitch, done with heavy silk, is used to finish up many a handsome evening gown.

A NEW TEMPERANCE LODGE IN NORTH END

Last evening Loyalist Division, No. 421, S. of T., was reorganized in the Orange Hall, Simonds street by P. O. S. A. J. Althaus, and D. W. P. J. Jos. Sullivan, district secretary and John Lister, after routine business was disposed of the following officers were elected for the year.

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The division starts with a large membership, and from enthusiasm displayed will do good practical temperance work in the North End. The division will meet on Wednesday evening.

CROSS, SLEEPLESS BABIES ARE SICKLY BABIES

When little ones are sleepless and cross it is a sure sign that they are not well. Probably the little stomach or the bowels is out of order, or the child may be suffering from teething troubles.

Give Baby's Own Tablets and see how quickly the child grows well and happy and sleeps soundly—not the drugged sleep of "soothing" medicines, but the natural sleep of health.

Mr. Edward Siorid, Maskingone, Que, says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for indigestion and other troubles of childhood, and they always work like a charm. They always keep my little one well." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

F. G. Spencer has for some time, been negotiating to have Commander Peary, the North Pole discoverer, to come to St. John and lecture. The commander received \$5,000 for one hour's talk in St. Louis last week, and his first lecture in New York will be on Feb. 8th, when the minimum price of seats is \$10. It is expected, however, that the commander will be here during the week of April 18th and will lecture either in the Opera House or Victoria rink.

The Eternal Question

3 times a day and every day What Bread?

"BUTTER-NUT BREAD" is a favorite bread because it is a flavor-right bread. The palate refuses to forget that sweet nutty flavor.

DEATHS ATKINSON.—At New York, on Sunday, January 16, 1910, James A. Atkinson, formerly of Albert, Albert County, N. B., interment at Hopewell Hill on arrival of train Thursday morning, January 20. (Moncton papers please copy.)

A COLUMN FOR WOMEN

Household Hints

Never polish a piano with anything but refined linseed oil. Verdigris can be removed from brass by the use of ammonia.

Nothing makes a finer polish for furniture than good wood ashes. A mixture of borax and red pepper is good to rid closets of insects.

Medicine should never be left in sight of the invalid in the sick room. Jonquils or daffodils are placed to advantage in a brass for copper urn or vase.

To make sure that bread will rise in cold weather, warm the flour before mixing. Undue consumption of tea, coffee, cocoa and chocolate will make the skin sallow.

Shoes will last much longer if occasionally rubbed with vaseline when they are new. A long-handled button hook should be kept in the laundry to clean the line from the tub outlets.

A small quantity of chopped figs added to a nut and apple salad gives an excellent flavor. For obstinate nosebleed, put an ice pack or a cloth wrung out in ice water at the back of the neck.

A cloth skirt should never be hung up inside out, as this tends to crumple it more than anything else. Boiled rice or baked potato will go excellently with steamed bread, and this dish is good for the sick.

The cheaper and lighter the pan, the whiter and lighter your bread when you bake in a gas range. Chiffon cloth is the most excellent thing for brushing a felt hat, whether a man's or a woman's.

Fashions and Fads

A charming idea is the gluing of colored velvet petals on lace panels of a flower design. Golden flowers and jeweled butterflies are the favorite trimming for the modern ball gown.

An unusually stunning hat is the fur turban with a single poinsettia, a little to one side. Embroideries and ornamental buttons will be in conspicuous evidence the coming spring.

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Row after row of the simple chain stitch, done with heavy silk, is used to finish up many a handsome evening gown.

TRUST CONTROLS NICKEL OUTPUT

Three-fifths of World's Supply in Canada

Expert Urges Government Control to Interests of Canadian Industry and Imperial Protection.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—The mines and minerals committee of the commonsense investigation of Canada's nickel resources, which represent no less than three-fifths of the world's available supply, the balance being held in another country, New Caledonia, and the whole supply being now in the hands of an American trust, the International Nickel Company of New York.

The radical and far-reaching proposal was made to the committee by Mr. Arthur Wilson, an expert who has been for some time connected with the development of the immensely rich Sudbury nickel products and who is now making a report to the Dominion and the Empire as a whole the Canadian government should step in and take over the ownership or otherwise provide for government control of these nickel deposits. He

Select Silver

If one thing more than another proves the quality of Silverware, it is the mark "1847 ROGERS BROS."

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MISSES' AND GIRLS' SACK APRON. Paris Pattern No. 2725. All Scares Allowed.

Made up in plain colored cambray or plain, checked or figured gingham, this is a most serviceable garment for the school girl. The apron is loose and comfortable, completely covering the dress and therefore protecting it from all dirt. The lower edge is finished with a deep hem and the back is fastened with small pearl buttons. The upper edge is gathered into the low round collar and the full sleeves are gathered into cuffs of the material. If desired, the upper edge may be cut out in low-neck outline and over-sleeves may be used instead of the full sleeves.

Wide, square pocket ornaments at either side of the front, or these may be omitted, if desired. The pattern is in six sizes—6 to 16 years. For a girl of 10 years the apron, as in front view, requires 3/4 yards of material 27 inches wide, or 2 1/2 yards 36 inches wide; or, as in the back view, including over-sleeves, it needs 3/4 yards 27 inches wide, or 2 1/2 yards 36 inches wide. Price of Pattern, 10 cents.

pointed out to the committee the immense potential development possible in the industry. Noting the increasing importance of the mineral for manufacturing purposes, particularly in the construction of steel battleships, as a matter of Imperial urgency it was important that Great Britain should be placed in a position of advantage over all other countries by securing the control of the world's nickel resources both from the standpoint of naval supremacy and from a standpoint of industrial development. At present the trust by keeping down production kept the price for nickel so high that practically only governments were able to purchase it in anything like large quantities. Tens of millions of tons of the Canadian nickel deposits were now lying unexploited because it did not suit the purposes of the trust to increase production. There was being exported from Canada now to the New Jersey smelters \$38,000,000 of nickel matte, and the loss in wages to Canadian artisans through the non-manufacture in the furnished products of the country was over a million dollars per year.

The committee decided to institute an investigation into the operations of the trust, and officials of the Canadian company, who by mail at the Canadian branch of the International organization will be summoned to give data as to the industry.

PRACTICAL POLITICS IN U. M. W. CONVENTION

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 19.—The United Mine Workers of North America played politics bitter today in their convention and finally rebuffed their officers. The "ill-busters," so-called by President Lewis, carried by a large majority a motion to suspend during the convention the salaries of the international organizers who are in attendance as representatives of local unions and to place on the local unions their expenses as delegates.

The delegates divided in the debate on the motion. One set supported President Lewis against the motion and the other attacked the administration and favored the motion. The anti-administration speakers charged that about fifty international organizers under the control of President Lewis were called into the convention in the expectation that they could further the interests of the administration and that they should have remained in their districts attending to the duties for which they were paid.

President Lewis made a statement flatly denying that he asked international organizers to help him forward his policies in the convention.

In the Working Boys' rooms the "Tigers" defeated the F. M. A. at basket ball. They play a return match with the Working Boys tonight.

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Heavy Working Shirts and Cardigans.  
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Two First Class Bench Hands Wanted Immediately  
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We are the original manufacturers of Bread Wrappers now in use by leading bakers of Ottawa, Montreal, Toronto and other cities.  
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Have Removed to  
**105 Prince William St.**  
where our old and new customers will be welcome.  
**HARLEY KNOX, Manager**

### Piano Bargains

Some pianos rented throughout 1909 have been taken in, thoroughly overhauled, and are ready now to sell.

You can save \$75.00 to \$100 on any of these instruments.

#### COME IN TODAY and see them

- I. New Scale Williams, No. 44.....\$275.00
- II, Doherty, No. A.....285.00
- III. New Scale Williams, No. 9.....255.00
- IV. Brockley & Co.....225.00

**The W. H. JOHNSON CO., Ltd.,**

Dealers in  
Steinway Gerhard Heintzman Brinsmead  
Martin Orme Stainer  
**7 Market Square, St. John, N. B.**

### ELOPERS CAUGHT AT

**McADAM JUNCTION**

Two evening ago Ruby DeMille, who had been living in one of the road houses was caught at McAdam as she attempted to go through to Boston with a prominent young man who is an employe, in one of the largest firms doing business in the city. The young

man has been keeping the girl's company for some time, and his father sought the assistance of the police. When the couple boarded the train at Fairville with tickets for Boston the police were notified and a telegram sent to the immigration officers did the rest.

Why not have McPartland, the tailor, do your cleaning, repairing and pressing, Clifton House Block, 72 Prince St. Phone 1111-11.

## STRATEGIC POSITION OF NEWFOUNDLAND IN WAR

Ancient Colony Holds the Key to the St. Lawrence—Canada's Position in Wartime Would be Dependent on the Island.

In the event of the Mother Country ever going to war with a continental enemy, writes P. Moran in "Canada," Newfoundland is certain to play an important part in the struggle because of her unequalled strategic position near the Grand Banks commanding the entrance to the St. Lawrence and the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The economic and strategic aspects of the situation created by any foreign power menacing the food supply of the British Isles have already compelled the attention of the Empire's greatest statesmen. The gravity of the matter is accentuated by the proposal of Canada to establish a national transcontinental railway traversing the wheat belt of the C. P. R. line and opening up another vast area of Canadian wheat to the world.

### CURES BAD KIDNEYS AND ENDS BACKACHE

A Few Doses Clean and Regulate the Kidneys and You Feel Fine

### BLADDER MISERY GOES

A real surprise awaits every sufferer from kidney or bladder trouble who takes several doses of "Pape's Diuretic." Misery in the back, sides or limbs, sick headaches, nervousness, rheumatism, pains, heart palpitations, dizziness, sleeplessness, inflamed or swollen eyes, lack of energy and all symptoms of out-of-order kidneys simply vanish at night, morning, afternoon and evening. Uncontrollable urination, especially at night, burning, offensive and discolored water and other bladder misery ends. The moment you suspect kidney or urinary disorder, or feel any rheumatism, begin taking this harmless medicine, with the knowledge that there is no other remedy, at any price, made anywhere else in the world, which will effect so thorough and prompt a cure as a fifty-cent treatment of Pape's Diuretic. It is needless to feel miserable and worried, because the cure is simple and complete the first day you realize it. Your physician, pharmacist, banker or any mercantile agency will tell you that Pape, Thompson & Pape, of Cincinnati, is a large and responsible medicine concern, thoroughly worthy of your confidence. Accept only Pape's Diuretic—fifty-cent treatment—any drug store—anywhere in the world.

### Remnants of Choice Dress Goods

An entire clearance of hundreds of yards, 1 to 5 yards, from 1-3 to 1/2 off regular price. To the woman who would more than double the purchasing power of her money, this sale of Fine Dress Goods, Remnants, Suitings for Women, Separates, Skirts and Dresses; also Children's and Misses' School Dresses. They comprise of all this season's styles, including Blacks.

### Clearing Lines Of Silks

Balance of our season's stock of short ends from 1/2 to 4 yards, uretic, which may be purchased at a low price. There is anything in low price these silks will quickly disappear from our counter.

### 40 in. Imported White Bishop Lawn

One of the best values we have offered this season during our great January Sale. A beautiful imported white Bishop's Lawn, a firm even weaver, a very attractive fabric, appropriate for summer gowns, waists, etc. 40 in. wide. Sale Price.

**13 1-2c**

### Free Hemming During Our Great January Sale on all Linens and Cottons

It's not only the little prices, but also the splendid qualities that make this our best sale of houses-keeping linen, and bed coverings so attractive. 10 yards special long Cloth for \$1.00. 8-4 Factory Sheets for 60c. 8-4 Factory Sheets for 75c. H. S. Pillow Slips, 15c. each. Full Bleached Satin Tamess, 72 in., 75c. yard.

applied, well-armed cruisers for scouting and convoy work is maintained by naval experts to be wholly inadequate. Certainly the naval programme of the powers most likely to assail her are becoming ambitious of late that it may very well be doubted if the British ideal of a navy equal to the combined fleets of any two other powers can be much longer realized, but even if the naval strength were adequate for the emergency, the fact remains that the Canadian seaboard is destitute of a shelter port except Halifax, which is hundreds of miles from the real danger zone, the Grand Banks. But the Canadian seaboard is undefended. The whole Newfoundland coast line, which is to Canada what Ireland is to the United Kingdom, lacks a ship, a gun, or an armed man. Yet it is certain that an enemy desirous of effectively interfering with British commerce could find no such favorable theatre of operations as the Grand Banks, across which area thousands of ships must pass every year while moving between Europe and America. The presence of the powerful squadron of war craft and the existence of the mighty fortresses which guard the British Isles would make it impossible for commerce destroyers effectively to operate in these waters, so they would naturally seek the region where an undefended coast line along a much frequented waterway would permit them to harry shipping with impunity.

**GRAVITY OF SITUATION.**  
To realize the gravity of this situation it is only needful to study the map of the North Atlantic. As the Hudson's Bay route is not yet determined upon, and may be found impracticable, consideration if it may be dismissed because it would play only a very small part in any scheme of defensive ports such as is here outlined. The St. Lawrence route, however, presents a totally different proposition. As the map shows, access to

### "WHY BE SO THIN?"

Thinness is Embarrassing, Unhealthy and Not Natural—Formula Now Used Which Adds From One to Three Pounds a Week

Every one ought to have some extra flesh on their frame. It is the body, both for the sake of health and self-esteem. Most thin people are sensitive to the harsh, unfeeling criticisms which are constantly being hurled at them by the more fortunate well-fleshed persons. Every one pities a thin, bony horse, but no one knows it while thin people are both pitied and ridiculed. It ought not to be so, but it is. A well rounded figure, be it man or woman, excites admiration; not only for the figure but for the bright eyes, strength, health, beauty and sound flesh abound, if the blood and nerves are strong enough to support the weight of the body. This prescription aids nature; helps digestion, digestion and assimilation, helps distribute the blood and nerve elements which make sound flesh. Get the ingredients and make it at home and see how very fast you gain in weight. In a half pint bottle, obtain three ounces of essence of pepsin, three ounces syrup of rhubarb. Then add the ounce compound essence cardoli, shake and let stand two hours; then add one ounce tincture cardoli compound, (not cardamon). Shake well and take a teaspoonful before meals and one after meals. Also drink plenty of water between meals and when retiring. Weigh yourself before beginning.

**ADMITTS OF DOUBT.**  
That Britain can accomplish this as matter now stand, admits of considerable doubt. Her supply of hair,

## Pitcher Sale!

We are Clearing Out our stock of Pitchers at the Lowest Price

- 40c. Pitchers now... 20c
- 30c. Pitchers now... 15c
- 20c. Pitchers now... 10c

**W. H. HAYWARD CO. Ltd.,**  
65, 67, 69, 91, 93 PRINCESS STREET

The Gulf of St. Lawrence is had by two arteries—Belle Isle Strait to the north of Newfoundland, and Cabot Strait to the south. The former is but fourteen miles wide, the latter fifty-seven. The former provides the shorter route between Montreal and England, and from mid-July, when it is free of ice, till the close of St. Lawrence navigation it is utilized by almost all the freight and passenger ships in the Canadian trade. The Southern, Southern Channel, Cabot Strait, which represents an additional 110 miles in the voyage, is used from the end of April, when Belle Isle Strait is traversable. Halifax is the winter port, and the route to it is identical with that via Cabot Strait, until after rounding Cape Race, when the two lines diverge somewhat.

**COULD BOTTLE UP BELLE ISLE.**  
In the event of war one hostile cruiser could bottle-up Belle Isle Strait, because its narrowness would make it impossible for freight boats to hope to escape her. British merchantmen would accordingly have to abandon it, or else a strong force of British warships would have to be detailed to keep it open and patrol the route to the Irish coast. But the chief drawback to the successful adoption of such a policy would be that a coaling station is requisite, and there is not one nearer than Halifax, 850 miles away. Ships plying through this channel now, when obliged by accident to seek a shelter, invariably make St. John's, Newfoundland, which is but 250 miles distant, and the same port would make an excellent coaling depot for the British fleet. With regard to Cabot Strait, Halifax could afford merchantmen protection as far as Cape Race, but east of that, across the Grand Banks and away towards mid-ocean, they would be defenceless, though it is here, in the open sea, where even the wireless telegraph would be of but doubtful value in keeping track of his movements, that an enemy would most certainly lie in wait for his prey.

**REFUGES FOR WARSHIPS.**  
In the event of a naval struggle merchant ships between mid-ocean and the Newfoundland coast would need a refuge, and warships a haven to refit, repair damages and communicate with headquarters. St. John's is the ideal centre for this purpose, being a land-locked harbor encircled by cliffs 600 feet high, with a narrow but steep entrance and capable of being made impregnable at a very moderate expense. It is in direct communication with all the Atlantic cables, many of which land on the coast near by, and it possesses the largest dry dock in America, as well as foundries and ironworks, whereby the repair of war and freight vessels might be expedited. The town was fortified until 1870, when the troops were removed from the colonies, and the old batteries and a modern equipment would not be nearly as great as if a new town were chosen.

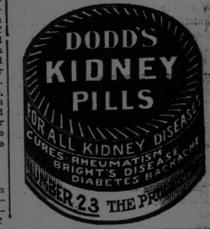
**MUST FORTIFY ST. JOHN'S.**  
The actual fact to be considered in connection with this matter is that under existing conditions a British convoy or a weak British fleet east of Cape Race has absolutely no chance of escape from a more powerful enemy, whereas with St. John's fortified, an additional assurance of safety would be afforded them. Indeed, the salvation of the empire might perhaps be achieved at a critical time, seeing that a British squadron operating on the Grand Banks could do so with the same security as one having the British Isles to fall back upon. Today, unless such a squadron was within easy reach of Halifax, it could do little or nothing, through want of coal and the inability to keep in touch with the admiralty. But St. John's would form a connecting link or half-way house between Halifax and Berehaven, enabling the squadrons attached to the three stations to form a chain right across the Atlantic, and to cooperate with one another in any movements offensive or defensive, which might be undertaken.

### DURANT GETS WHAT HE WANTS FROM THE I. R. C.

Department of Railways Grants Strip of Land and Agrees to Remove Trestle.

P. C. Durant has been successful in his negotiations with the Department of Railways and Canals for the removal of the trestle at Lower Cove on the site of the proposed sugar refinery, and the department has also agreed to give the use of the strip of land between the proposed site and the Bellis Wharf. A meeting of the Harbor Board will be called in a few days to finally settle on the agreement.

Peter Murphy was arrested by Officer McNamee last evening on the charge of beating and assaulting Michael Brien. The assault took place on Water Street. Brien refused Murphy money and the latter started to finish him. Three teeth were knocked out and Brien was otherwise bruised.



## A Little Money Goes a Long Way During F. W. Daniel & Co's January Sale

Keep in touch with this store every day if possible. It will mean much to you as many rare bargains are to be had which never see printers' ink.

White Sweaters, Button Neck. Regular price \$1.25, for \$1.39. White Sweaters, \$1.50, Sale Price \$1.29. Men's Wool Gloves, 60c. Sale Price 39c. Black Elk Squares, \$1.25, for 69c. Men's Dent's Fur-lined Gloves, \$2.25, Sale Price \$1.25. Boy's Wool Gloves, 60c. Sale Price 29c. Men's Heavy Working Shirts. Made of Wool Flannel, extra good wearing Shirts, perfect fit in every way. Regular price, \$1.09 and \$1.25. Sale Price 79c. Padded Mufflers, lined with silk or satin brocade. Regular price, \$1.00 to \$1.25. Sale Price 79c.

### Great News For Men

Men's Negligee Shirts. Regular value \$1.00 to \$1.25, made of the best Corded and Zephyr Cloth, very newest colors and designs, with cushion neck bands, guinea. Sale Price, 79c.

### Men's Heavy Working Shirts

Made of Wool Flannel, extra good wearing Shirts, perfect fit in every way. Regular price, \$1.09 and \$1.25. Sale Price 79c.

### Fleece Lined Underwear

Good Soft Wool Fleece, Sateen Facings, Ribbed Cuffs, Drawers to match. Regular \$1.50, Sale Price, 59c. Red and Blue Sweaters, Sale Price, 79c.

### Corset Covers

of Fine English Cotton, circular yoke of embroidery, neck and arms edged with lace. 25c

### Corset Covers

Fine Lawn, trimmed with embroidery and ribbon. Sale price, 48c

### Cambric Night Gowns

High neck, square yoke, with rows of embroidery and lace tucks down front, around yoke and sleeves. Sale price 97c

### BERLIN WOOL GOODS at Half Price, 50 p. c., of regular price.

CLOUDS, HOODS, BERLIN JACKETS, BOOTS, TOQUES, OVERALLS. JANUARY CLEARING PRICE, 50 per cent.

### The white Wear in Our January Sale

300 Samples Children's White Wear. Compare the values in this great under-mustin sale. Children's White Undershirts, 4 to 12 years, January price, 42c to \$1.00. Children's Gowns, 6 to 12 years, 46c. to \$1.00. Children's Drawers, 6 to 12 years, January price, 22c to 28c. Also Samples of Infants' Slips, 45c. to \$1.25.

### Our Lace Curtain Sale

Fine Nottingham and Cable Net Curtains; only two and three pairs alike. Price from \$2.00 to \$5.00. JANUARY SALE PRICE, \$1.50 to \$1.25. REVERSIBLE PORTIER DENIM, 40 to 45 in. wide. SALE PRICE, 25c. yard. TAPESTRIES, 50 in. wide; a splendid thing for Portiers or Cozy Corners. 45c. yard. FRILLED MUSLIN CURTAINS 79c. and \$1.15 pair.

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# CROUP

THERE IS NOTHING that strikes terror to the hearts of parents more than to be awakened in the night by the ringing cough which accompanies an attack of croup. The child may retire with nothing but a slight cold and a few hours later the family be aroused by the ominous symptoms. Every home where there are small children should be prepared for these sudden attacks, as prompt treatment is necessary. Do not experiment with remedies of doubtful value, but get

## CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

that has been in use for nearly forty years and never known to fail.

Mr. Homer Krohn, of Lisbon, Iowa, in a letter to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy praises this medicine for what it has done for his children. He says: "It has not only saved them once but many a time. Only two weeks ago my boy had the croup so bad in the night that had it not been for a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house he would have choked before a doctor could have gotten to the house. It is a medicine that no one should be without at any time." It is pleasant to take and many children like it.

Attacks of croup are most likely to occur during the early winter months, and every family with young children should be prepared for it. Keep a bottle of Chamberlain's COUGH REMEDY in your home. It only costs a quarter, large size 50 cents. Your druggist sells it.

### ISLANDERS IN HERO

#### ROSTER SECOND TIME

Many Others—Newspaper Man Without Debts and Mortgage.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 19.—A newspaper man with a comfortable income, no debts and a bank account, was killed by the Carnegie hero fund commission while investigating an act of heroism reported to it. The story became public today when the commission announced that seventeen more heroes had been added to the list. Geo. F. Burba, of Dayton, Ohio, is the lucky newspaper man who, under rare difficulties, rescued Catherine Murty, 12 years old, from drowning at Sandusville, Ohio, on August 12 last. Mr. Burba is editor of the Dayton Daily News, and as he had no mortgage the commission could pay off, and his children were adequately educated, the only way in which the commission could recognize his act was to award him a bronze medal.

Five silver and twelve bronze medals were awarded about \$15,000 in money. The acts of heroism include:

rescues from drowning, electrocution, trains, fire and suffocation. The heroes in the Hocking Valley in March, 1909, again figure in the awards. James E. Patterson, of Athens, Ohio, receiving a silver medal for rescuing three persons from drowning at that time.

The case of John A. Grady, of East Baltic, P. E. I., and Duncan J. Campbell, of Camp Hill, Pa., is read like a sea tale of Clark Russell's. The men receive bronze medals and great commendations for rescuing three foreigners from a ship, the back of which was broken on a reef in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, at Priday's Point, in November, 1908.

The conditions under which they effected the rescue much resemble the work of the United States life-saving corps. The complete list of heroes is: Francis T. Smith, Boston; Thomas J. Caniff, Watertown, Conn.; George F. Burka, Dayton, Ohio; Oscar H. Thomas, Milford, Ohio; Jas. W. Harriman, Woburn, Mass.; Frank B. Welk, Walker, Iowa; Anthony J. Longhammer, Covington, Ky.; Chas. W. Weid, West, Iowa; John A. Grady, East Baltic, P. E. I.; Duncan J. Campbell, Camp Hill, Pa.; P. E. I.; Cornelius H. Bertrand, New York City; Chas. P. McCrovy, Pittsburg; Edith M. Crook, North Attleboro, Mass.; Jesse E. Patterson, Athens, Ohio; Matthew Walsh, South Boston; Thos. F. Bragan, Boston; Humphrey J. Moynihan, Boston.

## INTERESTING FACTS OF NEW YORK CITY

So it seems that organic heart trouble is next to "consumption" in the cause of deaths—and yet people will continue to drink coffee when the ablest men in the medical profession have time and again stated that "caffeine in coffee is frequently the direct cause of organic heart trouble."

### SOME HARD KNOCKS

Woman Gets Bid of "Coffee Heart"

The injurious action of coffee on the heart of many persons is well known by physicians to be caused by caffeine. This is the drug found by chemists in coffee and tea. A woman suffered a long time with severe heart trouble and finally her doctor told her she must give up coffee, as that was the principal cause of the trouble. She writes: "My heart was so weak it could not do its work properly. My husband would sometimes have to carry me from the table, and it would seem that I would never breathe again. The doctor told me that coffee was causing the weakness of my heart. He said I must stop it, but it seemed as though I could not give it up until I was down in bed with nervous prostration. For eleven weeks I lay there and suffered. Finally husband brought home some Postum and I quit coffee and started new and right. Slowly but surely now I do not have any headaches, nor those spells with weak heart. We know it. Postum helped me. The Dr. said the other day, I never thought you would be what you are! I used to weigh 22 pounds and now I weigh 128. Postum has done much for me and any money for I believe it would kill me if I kept at it. Postum must be then it has a rich flavour and with cream is fine." Read "The Road to Wellville" found in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Well informed physicians will tell you that **POSTUM** is a food beverage—when boiled for 15 minutes. Builds up coffee-worn nerves and tissues—strengthens the heart, clears the brain and makes the red, red blood of good health. The real proof of anything is in the testing, so why not quit coffee for ten days or two weeks and drink Postum—you can prove the facts for yourself.

"There's a Reason" Postum Cereal Company, Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich., U.S.A.

### REPAIRING SHIPS

#### DAUGHTER'S DUTY

Every Battleship Carries Its Own Diving Equipment

Tragedy and Cozied are Mingled in Lives of Men Who Go Down Under the Sea.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—Though the recent disasters to our submarines and torpedo craft have drawn public attention to the splendid work of the navy's salvors and divers, it is little known that throughout the British fleet, from the largest and latest Dreadnought to the most tiny torpedo boat, every ship, no matter the size, carries one or more diving suits and full equipment, and have among her crew who are trained divers, receiving a penny a day extra their pay as retaining money to keep themselves efficient. It is seldom they are called for, for few people outside the service understand the arduous and often dangerous work of the diver. The diver is not a clear of barnacles, as such as four or five knots will be taken off the speed of the ship. The divers are trained to work in pairs, and at times the ship's diver has been called upon to unlash a defective propeller and fix another on the shaft. For training, the budding diver is sent to the diving schools at Portsmouth, Devonport, or Sheerness, where, under an experienced officer and a staff of instructors, the latest recruit is taken in hand. At Portsmouth the queer school is situated on a Whales Island, where a tank has been erected (not unlike the familiar apparatus with stout glass windows) in this "new chum" receives his first lesson, though previously he has had a course of instruction in the theoretical part of his new calling drummed into him as only the naval petty officer instructor can manage it. Further, he has become accustomed to his thick woolen stockings, pants, sweater and brewer's cap worn by all navy divers inside their rubber suits.

### FINEST SLEUTH

#### IN MOTHERLAND

This Praise to Edward Drew—How He Caught One Gang

Officer Arrived at Lair in the Guise of Early Morning Milkman and Was Acquitted.

A tall, very tall man, broad-shouldered, leg-hafted, with the carriage of a grubbler, the snowy hair—hair that is prematurely blanched, he is understood—and heavy moustache of a retired colonel of dragons, a handsome, well-groomed man, with the kindest of brown eyes set in a little meshwork of humorous wrinkles, in a sort of delightful middle-aged, prosperous gentleman you meet airing his white waistcoat at Lord's or Hurlingham, living over again the athletic joys and triumphs of his youth—that is the portrait of M. A. P., presently of donned the helmet and rubber, and went to the bottom of Torbay with a whole army of divers and recovered the signal book of the cruiser Diamond, which had been thrown overboard in a frenzy by a member of the crew's signal staff, who had suddenly lost control of his senses. If that precious book containing the signal book had not been recovered it would have meant altering the whole code of private signals throughout the British fleet. The diver receives a bonus for recovering valuable articles and does not always confine his operations to the work connected with his own ship or fleet, but may be loaned to a foreign warship should his services be urgently required, when the British admiralty pay him his usual pay and extras and courteously make no charge to the friendly foreigner. But to a merchant vessel, no matter whether she flies the "red" ensign or a foreign flag, for his aid, then for every day he works on the trader the government make a charge of one guinea in addition to sending him a bill for his ordinary pay.

In a calling so dangerous as that of the battleship patroller, there are of course hundreds of tales of thrilling adventures always being recorded in the "Rate" and in the rooms of our warships. But a few months ago the battleship Magnificent of the home fleet lost one of her most experienced men, a diver of Cambridge. The poor fellow, busy at his work, did not notice the swing of the ship with the result that he was hurled into the sea. The mammoth anchor cable, stretching then to length to such an extent that the ship's head and breast deck instantly by the man that depended on these slender threads for life.

### TRAGEDY AND COMEDY.

On other occasions divers have had terrible experiences. One of those that went below to save the unfortunate Eurydice that capsized and sank the other day, was overcome by the awful sight of the scores of drowned men wedged tight in the compartments in their frantic efforts to escape that he completely lost his reason. Another diver struck the "red" ensign in their frantic efforts to escape that he completely lost his reason. Another diver struck the "red" ensign in their frantic efforts to escape that he completely lost his reason.

### TAKEN TO SEA.

The next step forward is to introduce him to the real thing; in other words, he is taken out to sea in the most severely shaped little vessel attached to the school, and receives his first lesson in going down to the bottom of the sea. Of course he is comparatively safe in shallow water, but he is first trained to negotiate, though even then in certain spots his current causes the learner inconvolutions. Humphrey J. Moynihan, Boston.

### WARM SUPPORT FOR

#### BI-LINGUAL MOVEMENT

Laurier Describes English as the Language of Business and French as the Language of the Heart.

OTTAWA, Jan. 19.—A public meeting in connection with the French-Canadian Educational Congress of Ontario was held last evening in the Theatre, which was filled to overflowing. Senator Belcourt presided and amongst a number of apologies for absence, he read one from R. L. Borden, the Opposition leader, written in French, in which he said he would meet the delegates tomorrow at a dinner he was giving in their honor.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier during the course of a lengthy address described the English language as the business language of today, and French the language of the heart. He was the best and prettiest language in the world and if it came English, he regretted that the English was somewhat neglected in the schools. Every child should learn both languages. Hon. Frank Cochrane said he regretted the absence of Hon. Dr. Beauséjour, but promised that the Ontario Government would do everything possible to forward the bi-lingual movement in Ontario.

### WANT EVERY MAN

#### AND WOMAN

Suffering from the excruciating torture of piles to just send their name and address to us and get by return mail a free trial package of the most effective and positive cure ever known for this disease, Pyramid Pile Cure.

### PILES

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Fill out blank lines below with your name and address, cut out coupon and mail to the PYRAMID DRUG COMPANY, 154 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich. A sample of the great Pyramid Pile Cure will then be sent you at once by mail, FREE, in plain wrapper. Name..... Street..... City and State.....

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We import our own coconut oil from Ceylon. Otto of Roses, that costs us six dollars an ounce, lends delicate fragrance. To this we add just sufficient boric acid to soothe and heal the delicate tissues. Each cake of

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takes twenty-one days in the making—200 people have part in it! It comes to you as firm and seasoned as if it had been on your shelf six months. It will wear to a wafer.

If you wish a beautiful skin—soft and free from roughness and chaps—get Taylor's Infants' Delight Soap, today.

10 Cents a Cake At all Dealers

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Maritime Branch: Royal Bank Building St. John, N. B. Telephone 2148. J. W. ARNOLD, Representative.

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### CANADIAN ORDER FORESTERS

Assessment System, Fraternal Insurance. COURT ST. JOHN, No. 47—Orange Hall, German street, 1st Friday in month. COURT UNION JACK, No. 648—Orange Hall, German street, 4th Wednesday. COURT NORTH END, No. 567—Union Hall, Main street, last Tuesday each month. COURT YUKON, No. 732—Orange Hall, Simonds street, third Wednesday. COURT HIAWATHA, No. 732—Temperance Hall, Market Building, 1st Wednesday. Offices of the order, PALMER'S CHAMBERS, 41 Princess Street, R. W. WIGMORE, District Deputy. D. B. KENNEDY, District Organizer.

### Silent Salesman

Order now from A. E. HAMILTON, Woodworker and avoid spring rush 86 Erin St. Phone 211

### Synopsis of Canadian North West Land Regulations.

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader. Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead as a farm of at least 30 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister. In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$200 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate 20 acres extra. A homesteader who has exhausted his pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$500 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 20 acres and erect a house worth \$200.

### STAR WANT ADS.

BRING RESULTS

\$500 St. Stephen 4% BONDS due 1946

On each \$500 bond are attached 73 coupons for \$10 each, one payable on each and every 1 January and 1 July till and including July 1946, when the principal will also be paid.

We Recommend Them for Investment

\$47.50 and interest from last coupon date to date of purchase buys one bond for \$500; from which you receive \$730 in interest and \$500 in principal, and all the time your money is absolutely safe and available.

J. M. Robinson & Sons, - Bankers

A DELIGHTFUL COMEDY STAGED BY COLONIALS

Lady Huntworth's Experiment Deserves a Big House at Second Performance This Evening

"Lady Huntworth's Experiment" produced last night by Our Own Stock Company, the Colonials, proved a treat to those fortunate enough to be present.

"Myra" comes on the piece who fills the part of the girl who is engaged to a man who is a fortune teller.

TRY THEM BEFORE YOU BUY THEM

Yes, we send you a free sample of our Ointment for Rheumatism and Lame Back.

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SENSATIONAL RESCUES AT AMHERST FIRE

Inmates of Buildng Taken Out Through the Upper Windows—Building Guttered.

AMHERST, N. S., Jan. 20.—A bad fire broke out at eight o'clock this morning in the wooden building owned by C. C. Hewson on Victoria street and occupied by J. C. Reid & Son as a tailor establishment and up stairs by Ives Pipes, ex-chief of police, and others as tenants.

COMMERCIAL

AMERICAN STOCK TRANSACTIONS J. M. Robinson and Sons, Bankers, St. John, N. B., Jan. 20, 1910.

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Amalgamated, Am Car Bndry, Am Locomotive, etc.

SERIOUS DISASTERS ON RAILWAY LINES

French Express Fell into a Ravine—Fast Freight on Slope Grade Jumped the Track.

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 20.—Tearing down the mountain side at the rate of nearly a mile an hour, a freight train on the Moffat road jumped the track at a point between Jenny Lake and Antelope.

MADRID STARTS OUT TO SQUASH THE REVOLT

No Hope of Peace, Re Orders Division of Forces Against Insurgents.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Jan. 20.—President Maza, announced today that General Estrada's reply had served to nullify the peace negotiations.

POLICE COURT

There were seven prisoners in court today. Peter Murphy, a 22 year old Irishman, was charged with assaulting and beating Michael Brien on Water street.

A HINT TO LADIES SHOPPING

If you wanted anything badly, and when you got to the store were persuaded to take something else instead, when you came away wouldn't you feel a little disappointed?

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—A tentative agreement has been reached in the controversy between the Chicago railroad and the switchmen. It is likely the announcement will be made later in the day by the mediators.

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MOTHER'S BLOOD FAILED TO SAVE YOUNG SHIBLEY

Sec. of V Jim of Unknown Madman Loses in Plucky Fight for Life.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Six-year-old Arthur Shibley gave up his brave fight for life today. His mother's sacrifices had proved vain, the blood infused from her veins giving only temporary help to the desperately wounded lad.

6000 NEWS FOR ROYAL BANK SHAREHOLDERS

Dividend Increased From 10 to 11 Per Cent—Officers Elected at Annual Meeting Today.

MONTRÉAL, Jan. 20.—The fortieth annual meeting of the Royal Bank of Canada, held at the head office of the bank here today, was marked by the announcement by E. S. Holt, the president, that the dividend on the bank stock would be increased from 10 to 11 per cent.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The suspensions of Roberts, Hall and Criss, brokers on the Stock Exchange, is announced.

Local artist has made a deep impression on all who have heard him this week. Mr. Harney will be heard in the near future in some of the latest classical songs of the New York stage.

A programme composed of dramatic scenes and comedy and a story of the ancient life of the city, this new and popular theatre presents to its patrons, doubled with the Mr. Harney Harney, in illustrated songs. This

FURTHER LIGHT ON THAT WHARF PURCHASE

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DINNER SETS BARGAINS in Odd Sets and short end lots of complete sets

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Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, etc. FERGUSON & PAGE, Diamond Importers and Jewellers, 41 King Street

100 LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

WANTED—A girl for kitchen work, no washing. Apply 27 Dorchester street. 20-1-2

WANTED—A housemaid. Apply 66 Hazen street. 21-1-1

WANTED—Young girl to do light housework. Apply 125 Paradise Row, lower end. 20-1-2

LOST—Cheques for twenty dollars. Reward if returned to Star Office. 20-1-2

10 BOYS WANTED

GOOD WAGES—STEADY WORK Apply 30 Charlotte St

ACCIDENTAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. Agents for the insurance company of the Maritime Provinces. L. J. JARVIS, General Agent for New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

BUTTER IS CHEAP

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Local commission men predict that the price of butter will fall to 20 cents a pound. The fact that butter of the first quality is selling at 16 1/2 cents per pound in excess of the present demand is given as the reason for anticipating a lower price. The amount of butter in storage is said to be normal for this season of the year.

Here's Clothing News To Make You Sit Up and Take Notice! MEN'S WINTER OVERCOATS AT HALF PRICE. These overcoats are few of a kind left from the heavy selling during the past four days of our mid-winter sale and will be sold at One Half Their Original Prices. To fully realize the startling importance of this opportunity you must understand why half-price at Oak Hall means so much more than half-price anywhere else. As-makers of the clothing we sell, we sell to you directly at practically the same prices other stores pay at wholesale. For instance a overcoat for which other stores pay \$12 wholesale and for which they charge \$16.50 to \$18.00, at retail can be bought from us for \$12.00 in the first place. Now, if any other store reduces this overcoat "half-price" its cost to you would be \$8.25 to \$9.00, but when we reduce it to "half-price" all you have to pay us is half of \$12.00 or \$6.00. And so it goes right through the line. You can understand, therefore, why buying Oak Hall clothes at half-price generally means buying at 33 1-3 cents on the dollar, according to other stores' prices. Plenty of wearing time ahead for the overcoats. So it will pay you handsomely to invest in this proposition now as to the overcoats themselves. Fur and Fur-Lined Overcoats at Big Reductions. No finer coats than these are made. All the linings are of carefully selected skins, and the shells or outside are of the finest imported beaver; and at these prices they are incomparable values. GREATER OAK HALL SCOVIL BROS., Ltd. King St. cor. Germain, St. John, N.B.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. THURSDAY, JANUARY 20, 1910.

Customer's Reasonable Wish in this Store's Pleasure. DYKEMAN'S

On Friday Morning There Will Commence at Our Store a Tremendous Sale of Pillow Slips, Sheets, Sheetings, Towels, Toweling, White Cotton and Lawns.

40 inch Pillow Slips, ready for use at 10 cents each. 42 inch Pillow Slips, ready for use, at 12 1/2 cents each. The above two lines will not be sold in large quantities to any one person, not more than one dozen to each customer.

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

Sale of Fancy Vests

We have made radical reductions in the prices of our fine fancy vests, including patterns that have proven very popular during the last few months.

Prices were \$2.00, 2.50 to 3.50. Now, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00

In other words, fully FIFTY PER CENT. out from the former very reasonable prices in most cases, and in ALL cases at least 25 per cent. to 30 per cent.

This is unquestionably a very exceptional opportunity for the selection of a fancy vest of pleasing pattern and exquisite work, at a fraction of its value.

The line now includes a considerable number of designs and colorings. But brisk buying will soon deplete the stock—so call early.

Gilmour's, 68 King St. Tailoring and Clothing. 'A Good Place to Buy Good Clothes'

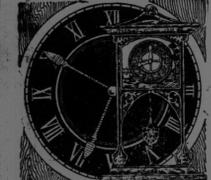
CANADIAN Pocket and Office Diaries for 1910

E. G. NELSON & CO., Cor. King and Charlotte Sts

The 'Mab' Safety Razor The most complete Safety Razor on the market.

Arnold's Department Store 45-48 Charlotte St. Tel. 1165.

IF YOU WANT A WATCH



for your own needs or one to present to a friend, you would respectfully suggest that you look over our assortment of time-pieces. We have used the utmost care, aided by judgment gained through years of experience, in the jewelry business, in selecting every watch or article of jewelry in our establishment, and we claim that for style, quality and price articles purchased here cannot be duplicated.

A. POYAS, Watchmaker and Jeweller, 32 1/2 KING STREET, Phone M. 1897.

THE WEATHER

Maritime—West to south winds, fair turning milder. Friday, light falls of rain or snow.

LOCAL NEWS

Steamship Oceanic mails via New York will be due here at midnight.

In the Inter-Society League this evening, St. John the Baptist and the I. L. B. will bowl a double header.

A pair of eye glasses that were found by the police on Charlotte street yesterday afternoon are at the Central Police Station.

All of the profit out of overcoats so they can meet modest purses at C. B. Pidgeon's corner Main and Bridge streets.

The Tunisian Pierrots and minstrel troupe will give a grand concert in the City Hall, Carleton, this evening. A large attendance is looked for.

A party of passengers for the S. S. Tunisian arrived on the Montreal express at noon. The steamer will take from St. John 20 saloon, 50 second cabin and 100 steerage passengers.

Walter Evans, the local speed skater, intends to compete in the skating championship at Charlottetown on Wednesday next. "Happy" has been confined to the house for some time but is anxious to participate in the big meet.

It is reported here that a number of I. R. C. employes at Moncton have been suspended. The yard masters and inspectors, it is said, have made large misappropriations of coal, which is responsible for their suspension.

It is reported that negotiations are in progress for the sale of the river steamer Majestic. Fred Corey of the Star Line is said to be desirous of procuring the boat and has made an offer. Along with the other steamers the Majestic is now on the blocks for repairs.

The North End chemical fire apparatus was annihilated by a still alarm to the premises of the Dominion Metal Company on Main street, this morning between nine and ten o'clock. A tarp put used in connection with some repairs to the roof had caught fire but was easily extinguished by the chemical.

A break in the gas main on Princess street early Wednesday morning might have caused fatal results to residents of the district. As it was severed, the gas was nearly suffocated and medical aid was necessary. The houses in which the effect of the gas was felt, were those of J. N. Harvey's, Miss Ann McCordock, Mrs. M. E. Satter, J. P. Trueman and Mrs. Elizabeth White.

The Senior Mission Band of Charlotte Street Baptist Church met at the home of Rev. M. E. Fletcher last evening. Miss Ethel Evans occupied the chair. Mr. Fletcher gave an address on the Telegu field after which the meeting was turned into a social gathering. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Fletcher. A goodly number of young people were in attendance.

The City Cornet band have engaged Frank Waddington, formerly of the 10th Regiment Band, Sherbrooke (Que.), to act as their leader. This position has been held by the late Henry Heenan. Mr. Waddington, besides being an excellent musician, is also a first class conductor and will no doubt give the band good service.

Suits for damages have been entered against Jaffray Bros. of Galt, J. H. Preston, publisher of the Standard, of Kingston, by J. E. Wilkinson and his company. Wilkinson was arrested on a charge of buying one stolen from Co-bit mines some time ago.

In the Alexandria Hall last evening a picked team from St. Peter's defeated the F. M. A. quintette at basket ball. The game was a fast one and was witnessed by a large number of enthusiasts. The first half was fairly even, but in the second St. Peter's had things much their own way. Howard played a fine game for the victors. This evening the F. M. A. and Majestic will meet in the league series.

In Supreme Court Chambers this morning in the matter of the winding up of the Phillips White Candy Co. limited, Mr. Justice McLeod appointed W. S. Clawson and J. H. A. L. Fairweather permanent liquidators upon their furnishing security. A. H. Threlkington, K. C., W. A. Ewing, K. C., H. H. Pickett, W. H. Harrison, Fred H. Taylor, J. H. A. Lee Fairweather and J. Roy Campbell appeared for creditors.

William F. Higgins left this morning for New York via Boston. Mr. Higgins will represent St. John at the International Convention of the Custom Cutters Association, which will take place in New York commencing on January 22. The convention will be attended by delegates from all parts of Canada and the United States. It is expected that there will be 1500 representatives at the exhibition. Mr. Higgins intends placing on exhibition an overcoat which he has lately completed.

Arthur Wilson, engaged by the British government to investigate the nickel resources of Canada addressed the mines and minerals committee of the house of commons yesterday. He stated that Canada possesses three-fifths of the stores of nickel in the world; that that store of nature's wealth is now controlled by an American trust; and that it is the duty of the Canadian government to step in and take over these nickel deposits for the benefit of the Dominion and the Empire.

Protests are being made by residents of one of the most exclusive sections of German street regarding a small building on one of the corners. The actions of the inmates are not pleasing to their neighbors and men frequenting the premises have been making more or less of a nuisance of themselves in the district. It is probable that the police will be asked to take a hand in the matter. Complaints have also been coming in from other residential districts regarding houses which might not bear too close a scrutiny.

CRITIC'S REPORT IS ENCOURAGING

A Comparison of St. John's Efforts With the Last Dominion Fair at Halifax—Special Prize Offered.

In connection with the preparations for the Dominion fair the management of the exhibition are reading with interest a report made at the time the Dominion fair was held at Halifax, comparing it with the St. John exhibition of the same year, which has never been published.

The report was made by an independent critic, who had considerable experience in exhibitions. He goes on in detail discussing the features of both fairs and points out their respective merits and demerits. He practically every department except that of live stock St. John had a better exhibition. He found little at Halifax that had not been there other years, except a large showing of cattle from Ontario.

In spite of this, however, he found reason to blame St. John people for the extremely critical skill which they displayed with regard to their own fair, saying that in this way they created an atmosphere which made success extremely difficult.

The horse racing and other amusement features proved a strong drawing card at Halifax, and in this way the purpose of the fair was defeated. Halifax is much better off as regards accommodation for a big fair, but St. John was found to be using what accommodation they had to better advantage.

Taking it altogether this report is an encouraging one for the local management and with the improvements that are being made this year and the city that is being shown in the preparation there is little doubt but that the Dominion exhibition of 1910 will far surpass in real merit anything that has ever been held in the Maritime Provinces.

A communication has been received by the secretary from the Leicester Sheep Breeders' Association offering a special cash prize for the best registered sheep of that breed, limited to ewes who have never before received one of the association's first prizes.

THE LAYMEN'S RALLY THIS EVENING

Troublesome Skin Diseases

Readily yield to the antiseptic and healing properties of ZEMACURA. 50c. a box, mailed to any address. Your money cheerfully refunded if you are not satisfied after having used it.

The Royal Pharmacy, 47 King Street.

HAVE YOU A "Cold in the 'ed'?"

A cold in the head is very annoying, and at times hard to cure. You will be immediately relieved by using our CATARRHINE.

An Inhaler with each bottle. 25 cents at BARDLEY'S PHARMACY 100 Brussels Street.



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Large, Modern, and Best Equipped Offices in Canada. Free Estimates. Operators from England, United States and Canada. Eight Dental Chairs. Best Light. Offices in the City. Two Ladies in attendance. Office Hours: 9 a. m. until 9 p. m. Telephone 422. Residence Telephone 723.

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Ex Steamer "Kanawka" 60 Bboxes and Chests Tea, Emerald Blend. \$11. Chests Crown Brand BLACK TEA, best quality. Buy now before the sharp advance.

Jas. Collins, Union 3 Opp. Opera House. Tel. 281

WASBON'S STOMACH TONIC For indigestion in any form, 45c and 10c per bottle. Money back if you receive no benefit. Sold at The Drug Store, 110 King Street.

Ever have Chapped Hands? "Reliable" ROBB, The Prescription Druggist, 137 Charlotte Street.

WINTER PORT NOTES

Grain shipments are steadily growing, and both elevators are having large business. Allan liner Tunisian, sailing on Saturday, will carry 50,000 bushels of grain. The steamer will also have a large number of passengers. Good progress has been made in discharging the Tunisian's cargo, now on her way to St. John, is under charter to the C. P. R. The Liverpool is the second steamer under charter since the opening of the season. She left Liverpool on Friday and should reach St. John on Saturday.

Donaldson liner Lakonia is lying at No. 5 berth. She is taking on coal and general cargo.

There was a report today from C. P. R. steamer Monmouth, from Bristol. The steamer will probably arrive in port tomorrow.

The York L. O. L. No. 3 will meet tonight at eight o'clock in the Orange Hall, German street.

A gentleman's glove was found on Main street yesterday and is awaiting the owner at the Central Police Station.

On Tuesday next the St. John Council, No. 133, Royal Arcanum, will hold a public installation and smoker in the Oddfellows' Hall, Union street. In invitations are out to the friends of the council, and an enjoyable time is expected.

On Tuesday evening next No. 2 company of salvage corps and fire police will entertain the members of No. 1 company in the corps' rooms on Main street, North End. An excellent programme has been arranged.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, 124 City Road, last night, when the Rev. W. R. Robinson, of Ladlow Street Baptist Church, united in marriage J. B. Burton and Miss May J. McEwan. The couple were unattended. They will reside on Watson street. Mr. Burton is the conductor of the Blue Rock division of the Street Railway Company, and his car and also the Carleton car sheds were decorated with flags and bunting in honor of the occasion.

Big Sale of Ladies' Corsets

D. & A. and Bias Filled. Two Celebrated Makes

All are light colored goods but our stock is too large prices range from \$1.00 to \$2.50 pair which we will sell all at one price 69c pair. This is a Corset opportunity that does not often come your way. All new clean stock in both white and drab, remember the price 69c pair.

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