

GENERAL CRONJE PASSED AWAY ON SATURDAY

Famous Boer Leader, Whose Military Career Ended At Paardeburg, Dies At Klerksdorp, United South Africa.

VETERANS TELL OF EXPERIENCE

(Canadian Press.) Klerksdorp, Transvaal, Feb. 4.—General Piet A. Cronje, the noted Boer general, who was captured by the Canadian regiment at Paardeburg in 1900 died today.

General Cronje was one of the greatest generals in the Boer army and left his impress on the British troops in varied and severe engagements during the earlier stages of the war and in fact until the battle of Paardeburg put an end to his career as a soldier. Members of the first Canadian contingent who were at Paardeburg and saw Cronje after the Boers surrendered to the victorious Canadians, say that the noted leader was a man slightly under middle height wearing an enormous set of blackish brown whiskers. Though short he was heavily built and gave the impression of possessing much physical power and endurance, qualities which his career showed he had in full measure. He was also a remarkably shrewd tactician and in his conduct of the western campaign inflicted severe losses upon the British troops. During the brief conflict of 1881 which ended in the defeat of the British at Majuba Hill, Cronje was in command of the Boers at one of the skirmishes which resulted disastrously for the Imperial troops.

His Last Battle. He was in command of the Boer forces during the campaigns at Belmont, Modder River and Magerfontein and it was after the approaching troops forced him to vacate the positions held at Magerfontein that the battle of Paardeburg was fought. On this occasion, as is well remembered, Cronje and his men surrendered after a terrific ten days' battle and his participation in the war was over. From that time until the treaty of peace was signed he was a prisoner on the little island of St. Helena.

Although General Joubert was the commander in chief of the Boer forces he was incapacitated early in the war and the command was usually devolved upon General Cronje and General Louis Botha. Both afterwards became premier of the South African colony and was a prominent figure at the coronation of the late King Edward. Yesterday's wires bring the news of the death of his colleague, Piet Cronje, a man, pronounced by authorities to be the best officer in the Boer army and aptly termed by an English writer, "a man of ice and steel."

WILL MEET SHEEP MEN

Dominion Commissioners Will Hold First Session At Port Elgin Today—Seek Information On Sheep Raising.

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 5.—W. A. Dryden and W. T. Ritch, the commissioners appointed by the Dominion Department of Agriculture some months ago, to make a full inquiry into the conditions attending the sheep and wool industry in Canada and several other countries with a view to the ultimate adoption of a policy having for its object the encouragement of sheep raising, will reach New Brunswick today and meet the men interested at various points.

At the request of the Dominion Live Stock Commissioner the Provincial Department of Agriculture has arranged the following itinerary for the commissioners:— February 6th, evening—Port Elgin. February 7th, evening—Sussex. February 8th, afternoon—Perth. February 9th, afternoon—Woodstock. February 10th, afternoon—Fredericton. February 11th, afternoon—Bathurst. Officers of agricultural societies at the various points and in neighboring districts will have charge of the local arrangements, and it is expected that there will be a considerable number of sheep men in attendance at the various meetings to lay their views and give information upon local conditions before the commissioners. Mrs. George Wagner died at five o'clock this morning at Victoria Hospital, where she has been since Friday. She was 35 years of age and leaves a husband and three children, the youngest of whom is one week old. John Lister died at his residence, Saunders street last evening at the advanced age of 88 years. He was a brother-in-law of George Kitchen, well known contractor, and is survived by a widow, one son, John, at St. Louis, and one daughter, Miss Mary Kitchen, residing in the States.

SIX KILLED IN G. T. R. COLLISION

Light Engine Travelling Eastward Crashes Into Passenger Train From Buffalo, Three Miles North of Paris, Ont., With Deadly Result—Only Three Left of Two Crews.

Paris, Ont., Feb. 5.—Six lives were lost and one man was seriously injured in a collision about 9 o'clock Saturday night on the Buffalo-Goderich branch of the Grand Trunk, when train No. 39, running from Buffalo to Goderich, met a light engine running east, three miles northwest of Paris. All victims but one were members of the crew of the passenger train. The baggage car was piled on top of the wrecked engine and the mail car broke in two. The wreckage caught fire and was entirely consumed. Besides those killed outright, the following were injured: W. T. Penderson, city solicitor, Grantford; Wm. McIntosh, customs clerk, Brantford; Robert Errett, engineer of light engine; W. J. May, mail clerk, Sarnia, badly burned, but will recover. The coaches remained on the track and the passengers, the conductor and the brakeman, escaped with a shaking up, as did the crew of the light engine.

The fire swept to the rear of the train and every coach was destroyed. Several lady passengers in the rear coaches were badly shaken up, but were able to get out quickly. In the meantime William McIntosh and Geo. H. Hunt, both Brantford passengers, in the first car, hastened for assistance. McIntosh went to three houses before he could secure telephone connection with Paris.

Terrible Scenes. Meanwhile terrible scenes were enacted at the wreck. Johnny Whitelaw, the express messenger, was pinned under his car, with the flames rapidly enveloping him. With one leg burnt and death but a matter of minutes away, Whitelaw drew his revolver from his belt and ended his existence. The story is vouched for by eye witnesses who heard the discharge of the revolver and who recovered Whitelaw's unrecognizable and charred remains from the wreck today. The revolver was found beside the body.

It was the first to be taken out of the wreck was W. J. May, mail clerk who was badly scalded. He was taken to the neighboring farmhouse of Mr. Errett, by ambulance. Dr. Stables, of Princeton had arrived and everything was done to relieve the sufferers. The wreck occurred just 3 1/2 miles west of Paris in the County of Oxford, at 9:20 Saturday night. The passenger train, when leaving Brantford, was 17 minutes late and only carried a few passengers. It consisted of three coaches including baggage car, mail and smoker combination, and a motor car. The engine was the momentum of the big mogul engine that the baggage car was completely telescoped and mail department at the end of the train. Only one of the men and one of its occupants killed outright. Seven occupants of the smoking car were saved only by the mail end of the car. Immediately after the crash the fire broke out from the coal oil lamps in the debris, and it was with difficulty that several passengers in the smoking car were able to free themselves in time from the rapidly spreading flames. Among the passengers was L. M. Crozier who was unable to get out and perished.

Train Master Forrester arrived with a special train from Stratford which returned with the remains of Richard Turner, the engineer, and J. Whitelaw. Every one of the occupants of the ill-fated baggage car, excepting W. J. May, perished. Engineer Turner's body was recognizable when extricated from the twisted mass of iron in the engine. Fireman Smith's body was terribly crushed. The remains of Mail Clerk Tye were practically lost in the devastating fire, only his Masonic button being found. Only a slight portion of the bodies of R. M. Crozier could be found, but the finding of his watch and a knife which he used as an inspector of traps, completed the identification. Baggage man McFarland was crushed and died after his removal to Scott's farm house. Engineer Robert Errett and his fireman and pilot on the mogul engine which crashed into the passenger train, all jumped, and only Errett was injured slightly.

Fault of Engine Crew. Stratford, Ont., Feb. 5.—From what can be learned here the blame for the fatal wreck at Richwood rests with the crew of engine 629. Movements of train on this division are controlled from the Stratford despatchers office and it is understood that the light engine was to have stopped at Drumbo to let the passenger train No. 39 westbound go by.

The engine referred to had been in the Stratford shops for repairs, and was on its way back to Fort Erie, Engineer Eckert in charge. The name of his fireman is not known here, as he was not a Stratford man. Fireman D. J. Smith, of No. 39, who was killed, lived on West Gore street, and is survived by his wife and two children. Engineer Turner, an older man, also leaves a family here. The news of their death was received here by wire very soon after the wreck occurred. Doctors Deacon, Trow and J. A. Robertson, were rushed to the scene of the accident on a special car which a number of other Stratford citizens also went down. Survivors Home. Goderich, Ont., Feb. 5.—Mail Clerk Jack May, Conductor Auebrook, and Brakeman Scheife, all that were left of the crew of the Grand-Trunk train

London, Ontario, Feb. 5.—The corrected list of dead in the Paris wreck:— Fireman D. J. Smith, lived in Stratford, survived by wife and family. Engineer A. Turner, Stratford, leaves wife and grown-up family. Wife now visiting in Hayville. J. Whitelaw, express messenger, Goderich, formerly of Whitby. Wife suffering from shock. R. M. Crozier, of Drumbo, a passenger.

No. 39 which was wrecked last night near Paris, arrived at their homes here about five o'clock this morning from the scene of the wreck. May is in a serious condition from his burns, and can give no detailed account of the accident. He cannot remember how he got out after the collision, but knows that he crawled through the bottom of the mail car, which practically split in two, just in time to escape the flames, which consumed the entire train inside of a few minutes.

Conductor Auebrook is suffering considerably from nervous shock and will not be able to take his train out tomorrow. He has been on the road thirty years, and this is the first wreck in his experience. He walked back through his train, he relates, a few minutes before the wreck occurred and sat down in one of the coaches to talk to the brakeman. "There's a whistle," said the brakeman suddenly. "No, it can't be," Auebrook replied. "There it is again," his companion insisted. Then the crash came and both men were thrown from their seats. Brakeman Scheife who was talking with the conductor, says he is fairly sure that there was no one in the train at the time of the collision. If there was any person in there it is certain that he never escaped.

CHINESE WHISKY SEIZED IN OTTAWA

License Inspector Spoils Celebration Of New Year By Confiscation Of Over 25 Cases Of Bug Juice.

Ottawa, Feb. 5.—The celebration by the local Chinese colony of their New Year tonight, was somewhat marred, License Inspector Enright made three seizures on Saturday night, embracing 25 and one-half cases of Chinese native whiskey from their storehouses. The patrol was filled and it required an extra express wagon to carry all the goods to the station. All three cases were seized at the store of Huom Quon, one of the Chinese M.P.'s from Canada. The whiskey will be sent to Toronto for analysis and if it is over proof cases will be taken at the police-court later.

DEATH OF EARL GREY'S COUSIN IN AFRICA

Ottawa, Feb. 5.—Owing to the death of his cousin, George Grey, who died after being maulled by a lion in British East Africa, Earl Grey did not attend the Canadian Club luncheon on Saturday. The Rideau Hall skating party was also postponed.

GAVIN ROWAT.

London, Ont., Feb. 5.—Gavin Rowat, one of the best known business men of Western Ontario, died at the Victoria Hospital this morning, aged 66. He was at one time head of the firm of Rowat, McLaughlin & Granger, wholesale dry goods, and was with Wm. Lind, who died last week, founder of the Western Ontario Commercial Travellers' Association. For 30 years he was buyer in the European markets. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon.

SCARE FOR OTTAWA.

Montreal, Feb. 5.—Rodolphe Forget, M. P., gave out Saturday some additional news regarding the new bank, which is to be called The Bank of Canada. Two and a half millions of the capital has been subscribed in Quebec at the Quebec Bank on Saturday night. It took ten minutes overtime to settle matters. Ottawa scored two goals, making the final tally, six to four in their favor.

MILLION U. S. FARMERS TO FIGHT PACT

National Grange Will Use Whole Power Of Organization To Defeat Bill—No Amendments Accepted.

WHOLE PROTECTION POLICY THREATENED

New York, Feb. 4.—The machinery of the National Grange, an organization claiming membership of 1,300,000 farmers in thirty states, has been started to defeat the ratification of Congress of the Canadian reciprocity treaty. The legislative committee of the Grange at a special meeting at the Hotel Manhattan, adopted a resolution protesting against the enactment of the reciprocity bill, called upon the membership to exert pressure upon Congressmen from their various districts to vote against the measure and decided to go to Washington to map out a campaign there. The legislative committee is composed of three members, ex-Governor Nathan J. Bacheider, of Concord, N. H., chairman; Aaron Jones, of South Bend, Ind., and T. A. Atkeson, of Morgantown, W. Va. Mr. Bacheider declared today that the National body was composed of 7,500 granges scattered throughout the northern half of the United States from Maine to California, and that the granges would support the committee unanimously. "We are not opposed to a general reduction of the tariff," Mr. Atkeson said, "but we are opposed to any arrangement which will make fish of our industry and flesh of another." "Itates on the tariff in steel and from manufactured articles, along with farm products, and we won't accept it." Reasons Stated. The committee issued the following statement:—"The undersigned, representing the principal organization of farmers in the United States, earnestly protest against the enactment of the Canadian reciprocity bill now pending in Congress for the following reasons:—"The bill provides for the admission free of duty of all Canadian farm products. Since Canada is the only country which exports in considerable quantities of these products can under any circumstances be imported, this would result in practically free trade in everything the farmer produces. "While putting farm products on the free list, the reciprocity bill makes no material reduction in any high tariff rates on all the manufactured articles the farmer buys, and therefore gives no relief from the heavy burden of taxation imposed by these duties. "The theory on which our protective policy has always been defended is that all classes and interests are equally entitled to protection. The farmers, however, receive no such protection on the manufactured articles for which farm products are taxed on the average about 25 per cent. manufactured articles are taxed on an average about 45 per cent. "The enactment of the Canadian reciprocity bill would still further discriminate against the farmers by abolishing the tariff on such articles as wool, cotton, and hides, while leaving the high protective duties on manufactures practically untouched. "The Canadian farmers by reason of their lower general tariff and their preferential trade arrangements can buy manufactured goods at lower prices than those prevailing in this country. The price of farm lands in Canada is also much lower than in the United States. These conditions give the Canadian farmers an advantage over us, and the free admission of their products will subject us to unfair competition. "We hold that the farmers should receive exactly the same measure of protection as is given the manufacturer, and that there must be no reduction on farm products either by reciprocity or tariff revision, unless the same measure of protection is given to the articles at the same time correspondingly reduced. "To show that this reciprocity measure is not in the interest of the farmer, it is sufficient to point out that while wheat is on the free list, flour is taxed 50 cents per bushel, and the same is true of sheep and hogs are free, meats, both fresh and cured, are taxed 1 1/2 per pound for the benefit of the meat trust."

NO SMALL BRANCHES OF \$10,000,000 BANK

Forget Says Bank Of Canada Will Be Purely Canadian Institution Though French Capital Is Invested.

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LIBERAL LEGISLATION TO SHEAR LORDS OF POWER

Preamble to Veto Bill Foreshadowing Complete Abolition of Upper House—Wording Not Drastic Enough For Irish and Laborites—Parliamentary Term Five Years in Future.



DAVID LLOYD GEORGE. Father Of Government Financial Schemes, Who Will Be Absent During First Two Weeks Of Important Session.

M'CARDY FLIES OVER HAVANA

Canadian Aviator Twice Circles Morro Castle Completing 11 Mile Flight In 16 Minutes—\$50,000 Prize.

Havana, Feb. 5.—With practically the entire population of Havana looking on J. A. D. McCardy, who recently crossed the Straits of Florida in a biplane, made a magnificent spectacular flight today from the drill grounds at Camp Columbia to Morro lighthouse, which he circled and returned. Three cannon shots from Cabana's fortress, and a red flag flung from Morro at 9 o'clock in the morning, announced that the flight was about to begin. Instantly all the streets were deserted, the people making for the sea front, the roofs of houses, and the highest points of vantage throughout the city. A few minutes after nine McCardy's airplane was seen topping Principe Hill at a high altitude. It was coming at great speed against a stiff easterly wind. Passing over San Lazaro Hospital, the aviator left land behind and swept across the shallow outer bay at an altitude of 300 feet straight for Morro. He circled the great lighthouse fifty feet above the lantern. Swinging to the left, McCardy darted seaward, then wheeled again and circled the tower once more, and straightened out gracefully on the return. He was saluted by the batteries of Cabanas and the cheers of all Havana. The official time for the round trip was 16 minutes, 12 seconds. The estimated distance was 11 miles. The machine used by McCardy was a 50 horsepower biplane and the prize for its flight was \$50,000 offered by the city. This, however, is open to competition until Feb. 28.

C.P.R. OFFICIAL DIED ON SPECIAL TRAIN

J. A. Clarke Did Not Survive Journey From Ottawa To Montreal—Stricken At Funeral Of Late Engineer.

Montreal, Feb. 5.—J. A. Clarke, the relieving purchasing agent of the C. P. R., who was stricken with paralysis while attending the funeral of the late J. E. Schwitzer, was brought from Ottawa to Montreal on Saturday. When the train arrived it was found that the patient was too seriously ill to be removed to his home, so he remained in the special car, attended by Dr. England, his wife and son-in-law and daughter. The patient rapidly became worse and expired at 8 o'clock in the evening.

APPOINTMENTS.

Ottawa, Feb. 5.—The Canada Gazette announces the appointment of Captain George W. Wetmore of Yarmouth, N. S., to be portwarden and harbor master of Yarmouth. E. S. Smith of Stratford is made deputy judge of the county of Perth, Ont. Assistant inspectors of weights and measures appointed are: P. H. Buote of Winnipeg, W. A. Wilson of Calgary, and J. I. N. Ross of Regina.

TURKEY BUYS STEAMER.

Freeman, Feb. 4.—Turkey has purchased the North German Lloyd steamer Roland for transport purposes in connection with the risin in Yemen.

London, Feb. 6.—It is understood that King George's speech at the opening of his first parliament today will be a brief one, referring to the Coronation, the Imperial conference, and the Duke of Connaught's inauguration of the parliament of the Union of South Africa and outlining the legislative programme, which will include the veto bill and measures for dealing with workmen's insurance, plural voting, the payment of members of the House of Commons, and possibly an amendment to the aliens act, as the outcome of the Houndsditch affair. It is confirmed that Premier Asquith will ask that the whole time of the House until Easter be given to government business and that the Nationalists and the bulk of the Liberals will support him, the only dissentients being the Laborites, who want to push forward a number of bills. A notable absence from the House of Commons today will be Chancellor Lloyd-George, who is now in Naples, where he probably will remain for another fortnight, and perhaps longer. His throat trouble is proving unexpectedly obstinate. The Unionist leaders have held several conferences, but it is still unknown what attitude they will adopt towards the veto bill. It is believed that the Lords may accept it as it is admitted that should the prime minister advise the creation of a few hundred peers, the King cannot constitutionally withhold his sanction. It is understood that Lord Lansdowne will almost immediately introduce a bill in the House of Lords for the reform of the Upper House on the lines indicated in the Lansdowne and Rosebery resolutions. The opposition does not intend to move an amendment to the address on the constitutional question, but Austin Chamberlain will move on the constitutional question, with special reference to the reciprocity agreement. Another amendment to the address will deal with the Aliens question. London, Feb. 5.—The new Parliament which will be first opened in state by George V. and Queen Mary will be memorable also as the first parliament to decide the status of the House of Lords, and probably thereby make the greatest change of a century in the British constitution. Parliament assembled last Tuesday but the state function was reserved for tomorrow. There will be many important measures on the programme of the party, home rule for Ireland and possibly "home rule all round," the abolition of plural voting, the establishment of the church in Wales.

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LOST HIS JOB; NOW HIS LIFE

Fabien Legere Dismissed From I. C. R. After 1896, Run Over On C. P. R. At Montreal—Increased Civic Votes. Montreal, Feb. 5.—Ames Holden Limited and the James McCreedy Co. Ltd., two of the largest boot and shoemaking establishments in the Dominion, have been acquired by J. Lorne McGibbon, who will form a new company which will probably be known as the Ames Holden, McCreedy Co. Mr. McGibbon would not give details as to the purchase price but a report has it that as high as four million dollars were paid for the two concerns. The deal has been put through on an absolute cash basis. There will be a factory for the making of high class goods a second for medium and a third for the cheaper articles such as a policy having been in operation in the shoe towns of New England for many years past, all this meaning a cheapening of production and a more efficient organization.

EXCLUDE JEWS FROM MOSCOW

Moscow, Feb. 4.—Court proceedings have been instituted against Jewish merchants in connection with their residence here. Conviction carries a maximum punishment of three months imprisonment without a fine. Prior to this the Jews have been dealt with through the medium of administrative expulsions.

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PRINCE PAUL IN AMERICA



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New York, Jan. 31.—Prince Paul Troubetzkoy likes American women.

"I like American women because they are so fine and slender," he says.

Prince Paul has lived 29 years in Italy, knows all the European capitals and married a Viking beauty from Scandinavia.

The Russian sculptor, now visiting this country, is a mysterious and enigmatical personage.

COUNCIL WILL HAVE BUSY SESSION TODAY

A large number of questions will be dealt with by the Common Council at its meeting this afternoon.

To Raise Market Rentals.

The Market Committee will recommend that the by-law against forestalling be repealed, and that the words "Market Committee" be substituted for the words "Board of Public Safety" wherever they appear in the market by-laws.

Debenture Issue.

Aid. Hayes will give notice of motion to empower the Treasury Board to issue debentures to the amount of \$53,500 for public civic works and needed civic improvements.

SUGGESTION FROM CIVIC TAX PAYER

To the Editor of The Standard: Sir.—A taxpayer wants to know if the men who are undertaking to run a campaign of civic government do really know themselves what a commission government means.

WHITE SLAVE TRADE IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Rev. D. Hutchinson Makes Charge That Emissaries of Vile Traffic Operate in Province.

In a striking sermon delivered before a large congregation in the Main street Baptist church last evening, Rev. David Hutchinson declared that the stories told of the White Slave traffic were something more than newspaper sensations, and that the agents of this vile traffic were operating in the province of New Brunswick, and trying to lure young girls to the big cities and induce them to enter a life of shame.

He also dealt with various other evils which afflict society today, with great frankness, and declared that there was grave danger in the fact that men accept with such complacency the stories of graft, corruption and dishonesty in politics and business which are continually revealed.

In opening his sermon which was entitled "Tents pitched in the wrong direction," he spoke of Lot as an interesting and unusual character from whom might be learned many lessons today.

Continuing, the speaker described the conditions which prevailed in Sodom.

White Slave Trade. In connection with the immorality of the ancient city, he referred to the White Slave traffic, declaring that agents of the traffic were proselytizing in this province, and that the extent to which it was carried on was a disgrace to Christendom.

Continuing, he spoke of the dishonesty which prevailed in politics, and in connection with management of banks, insurance companies, etc. The same dishonesty which brought down the wrath of God upon the people of Sodom prevailed in politics and business today.

He fixed his thoughts upon pleasure as a sin, and as a means of gratification by the passion for gain, he will not consider whether he is employing right methods to achieve the desires of his heart.

HALIFAX BLOCK BURNED SATURDAY

Halifax, Feb. 4.—The four story brick building owned by the National Drug and Chemical Company of Canada, was gutted by fire this morning. The fire did not spread to other buildings. It caught from a furnace pipe passing through the floor.

Nickel's Excellent New Show.

The Nickel passed through the most disadvantageous week in its four years of history the past seven days, and yet thousands enjoyed the fine programmes presented. This week the bills will be even more attractive.

to tell us what the States are doing.

I can assure those gentlemen who are agitating for the commission government that the United States today is copying our method of handling criminals, etc. Why then should it be necessary to get a man from the States to express his views.

OUR FASHION EXTRA!! SPRING STYLES HERE!



LEGISLATION SHEARS LORDS OF POWER

CO-PARTNERSHIP THE SOLUTION

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ADDRESS Commission Plan of Civic Government

OPERA HOUSE

Vigorous Health NA-DRU-CO DYSPEPSIA TABLETS

Continued On Page Two. The real interest of the struggle begins. Their policy is not yet disclosed, nor even formulated. For their part the Lords have already committed themselves to a different plan of reform.

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ENJOY EVENING WITH GREAT HYMNS

Innovation at Germain Street Church Proves Very Acceptable

A unique and enjoyable service was held for the occasion, at the Baptist church last evening. It was called an "Evening with Great Hymns," and instead of the usual form of service the hour was devoted to the singing of a number of well known hymns, such as Jesus Lover of My Soul, Rock of Ages, Abide With Me, and Others.

POETESS FROM SUPREME COURT

MRS. JEAN WRIGHT SWOPE.

The supreme court poetess has other things besides dry arguments and tiresome briefs. For instance it has a poetess—Mrs. Jean Wright Swope, daughter of Major J. Montgomery Wright, marshal of the court.

Under her maiden name, Jean Wright, she has just published a volume entitled "A Fool on a Roof."

The supreme court poetess has a fascinating gift of rhyme and a refreshing novelty of ideas. She writes poetry about just common things which all of us know.

DOUBLE FUNERAL

Union Settlement, Q. C., Feb. 4.—On Jan. 29th the people of this place were shocked to hear of the death of Alburn W. Fanjoy.

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I am instructed by C. D. McPherson, Esq., to sell by Public Auction at Chubb's Corner, on Saturday morning, Feb. 10th, at 10 o'clock.

POTS

Bay Mare, Jump Seat Pung, Rubber Tire Extension Top Carriage, Buffaloes, Robes, Brass Mounted Harness, etc.

POTS

I am instructed by Mrs. D. W. Dunham, to sell her residence, No. 163 Britain St., on Wednesday next, February 7th, commencing at 10 o'clock.

POTS

Foreclosure Sale Pursuant to a Decree of the Supreme Court, Chancery Division, in the action of Sir John Brown-Cave of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, England, Murray MacLaren of the City of Saint John in the County of New Brunswick, and Joseph R. Stone of the same place, Trustees of the last Will and Testament of John W. Nicholson, late of the City of Saint John, deceased, Plaintiffs, and Adam H. Bell and Susan Bell, his wife and Hudson M. Breen, defendants, in the foreclosure of the mortgage and sale of the mortgaged premises hereinafter described and in said Decree mentioned and described, there will be offered for sale with the approval of the Hon. J. C. Knowles, Esquire, a Master of the Supreme Court, at Chubb's Corner (so called), being the Northwesterly corner of Prince William Street, in the City of Saint John at twelve o'clock noon on Saturday the fourth day of March, 1912, all and singular the mortgage premises in the Plaintiffs' Statement of Claim and in the said Decree described as follows, that is to say:—All that certain lot, piece and parcel of land situate, being and being in King's Ward in the City of Saint John and bounded and described as follows, that is to say, beginning on the northern side of Union Street, thence running Northwesterly at right angles to Union Street, along the Western side of the prolongation Northwesterly of the Western line of Prince William Street with the said Northern line of Union Street, thence running Northwesterly at right angles to Union Street, along the Western side of the prolongation Northwesterly of the Western line of Prince William Street, thence to be laid out sixty feet in width and called to be called Hazen Avenue eighty-four feet, thence at right angles Westerly and parallel to Union Street, thence running Northwesterly at right angles to Hazen Avenue eighty-four feet to the said Northern side of Union Street and thence Easterly along the said Northern side of Union Street forty-five feet to the place of beginning, comprising the whole of lot No. 61 on a plan of a subdivision of the Chipman property so called there situate, also a strip three feet in width of the Easterly side of lot No. 61 on the plan together with all and singular the buildings, fences and improvements thereon, and the rights and appurtenances to the said lands and premises including the right of dower, property, claim and demand both at law and in equity of the said defendants in or out of the said lands and premises.

Assessors' Notice

The Board of Assessors of Taxes for the City of Saint John hereby require all persons liable to be rated for the year 1911 forthwith to furnish to the Assessors true statements of all their property, real estate, personal estate and income, which is assessable under "The Saint John City Assessment Act, 1909," and hereby give notice that the forms which statements may be furnished can be obtained at the office of the assessors, and that such statements must be perfected under oath and filed in the office of the assessors, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

Dated this Fifth Day of January, A. D. 1911. ARTHUR W. SHARP, Chairman. URIAH DRAKE, TIMOTHY LANTANUM, HARTLEY C. VANWART, JOHN ROSS, Assessors of Taxes.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the legislative assembly of New Brunswick at its next session for the passing of an act to incorporate The New Brunswick Hydro-Electric Power Company, with power to acquire and develop waterpower at Lepreau River and such other waterpowers in Charlotte and St. John counties as in the opinion of the company may be profitably developed and to generate electric power and transmit the same and to acquire rights, easements, franchises and privileges necessary for the efficient operation of the company, and with power to issue bonds to an amount not exceeding the capital stock of the company.

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NON-COMMITAL ON CANAL PLAN

Strong Delegation Present Memorials to Minister of Finance, But Receives No Definite Answer.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 2.—In the form of memorials drafted by the Canadian Federation of Boards of Trade and municipalities, in session here, the Georgian Bay Canal project was laid before Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance, at noon today by a select deputation of the Federation.

Those who waited on the minister, were Geo. S. May, president, Ottawa John Ferguson, vice-president, North Bay; W. J. Ponthore, Montreal; C. A. McCall, Ottawa; Alderman Dandurand, Montreal; Frank Cahill, Saskatoon; Denis Murphy, Ottawa; A. A. Wilson, M. P., Laval; Gerald White, M. P., Pembroke; G. F. Hodgins, M. P., Pontiac.

STAR LINE STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED, in Liquidation.

CURATOR'S SALE.

Tenders will be received up to noon of the Fifteenth day of February, 1911, for all or any portion of the property of the Star Line Steamship Company, Limited, used and employed by the said Company on its river steamer service between Saint John and Fredericton, New Brunswick.

IN THE SUPREME COURT

King's Bench Division. In the matter of the Nepsisquit Lumber Company, Limited, and its winding-up under The Winding-up Act of Canada and Amending Acts.

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The Boy and The Kaiser



This is the very latest portrait of Emperor William of Germany and his grandson, Prince William, son of the German crown prince, "Grandpa" is fifty-two now, and is mighty fond of this little German chap who may some day wear the crown now worn by the "war lord" of Germany.

BUDGET FROM CHATHAM

Chatham, Feb. 3.—On Wednesday afternoon of last week Miss Goggin entertained in a very unique manner in honor of Miss Jessie Miller. The guests were seated in pairs and each one was required to make a drawing of her vis-a-vis. These sketches were then placed in a row and the second contest was to determine the names of the ladies for whom they stood.

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FOR SALE—One Carload choice F. E. I. Horses, Edward Hogan, 45-47 Waterloo Street.

Edison Phonographs and Records, latest improved, \$16.50. New Home, Domestic and other machines \$5 up. Genuine Needles and Oil, all kinds. Sewing Machines and Photographs repaired. William Crawford, 105 Princess street, opposite White Store.

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VICTORIA HOTEL

87 KING STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. St. John Hotel Co. Ltd. Proprietors. A. M. PHILIPS, Manager. This Hotel is under new management and has been thoroughly renovated and newly furnished with Baths, Carpets, Linen, Silver, etc. American Plan.

The Globe Laundry

Messrs. Vail Bros. of the Globe Laundry are now occupying their former premises and with a new plant and improved equipment are better prepared to meet the requirements of their patrons.

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Everything in wood and glass for building. MURRAY & GREGORY Ltd., ST. JOHN, N. B.

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Contractors are invited to send specifications for special import quotations. A. E. Jubien, Manufacturer's Agent, St. John, N.B.

A Talk to Laborers

BUTTER-NUT BREAD is another tribute to the cleverness of skilled labor. Pure materials, tasty recipes, and clean ovens will only turn out good products when backed by conscientious, thoughtful workers. Butter-nut Bread is a favorite bread because it is a flavor-right bread.

Shiloh's Cure quick relief for colds, coughs, croup, whooping cough, and influenza. 25 cents.

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Jewelry for Evening Wear When you've finished dressing for a social function do you sometimes feel that something is lacking?

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For tender feet, chilblains, frost bites, corns and bunions sure relief, try a package, 25c a box at the Park Drug Store, 312 Brussels St. Phone 2298

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DIED. Stockton.—In this city on the 5th inst., Robert O. Stockton, in the 65th year of his age.

Shiloh's Cure If you are suffering from strained vision our scientific test will develop the cause and a pair of nicely fitting glasses will make seeing easier.

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INSISTENCE FOR S.S. TEACHERS NEXT WEEK

Attractive Programme Arranged for Series of Meetings Beginning Monday Next Prov. Secretary to Give Talks

The executive committee of the St. John County Sunday School Teachers' Association is arranging for an institute for Sunday School Teachers.

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IN THE COURTS

Provisional Liquidators Appointed For Nepsiluit Lumber Co. And Winding Up Order Will Be Given.

Before Mr. Justice McCleod, in the Supreme Court chambers, Saturday afternoon, the Nepsiluit Lumber Co. was wound up.

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LIKELY TO COMMIT STANTON AND STONE

Magistrate Believes He Has Sufficient Evidence to Send Prisoners Up for Trial—Accuse Each Other.

The preliminary examination of George Stanton and Harry Stone was resumed in the police court on Saturday morning when the case for the prosecution was closed with the evidence of Detective Killen and Deputy Chief Jenkins.

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GEORGIA MOONSHINERS DO RUSHING BUSINESS



Moonshiner's Still Captured in the Mountains of Northern Georgia. This still was running full blast within 100 yards of a main travelled road when the federal officers appeared.

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SHIPPING FINANCE

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, Feb. 5.—OATS.—Canadian Western No. 2, 29 1/2 @ 40, car lots ex store, extra No. 1, feed, 38 1/2 @ 36 No. 3, C. W. 28 1/2 @ 35 1/2; No. 2 local white, 37 1/2 @ 38; No. 3 local white, 36 1/2 @ 37; No. 4 local white 35 1/2 @ 36.

FLOUR.—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.60; seconds, \$5.10; winter wheat patents, \$4.75 @ \$5.00; strong bakers, \$4.90; straight rollers \$4.25 @ \$4.50; in bags \$1.90 @ \$2.00.

FEED.—Barley, car lots, ex store, 49 @ 50.

CORN.—American, No. 3 yellow, 56 1/2 @ 57.

MILL FEED.—Bran, Ontario, \$20; Manitoba, \$20 @ \$22; Middlings, Ontario, \$22 @ \$24; shorts, Manitoba, \$22 @ \$24; moultie, \$25 @ \$30.

EGGS.—Selected 28; fresh 32; No. 1 stock, 25; No. 2, 21 @ 23.

CHEESE.—Westerns 11 1/2 @ 12; Easterns, 11 1/2 @ 11 3/4.

BUTTER.—Choldest, 14 @ 24 1/2; seconds, 22 @ 23.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

(Quotations Furnished by Private Wires of J. C. Mackintosh and Co. members of Montreal Stock Exchange, 111 Prince Wm. Street, St. John, N. B., Chubb's Corner.)

Amalg. Copper	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Am. Best Sugar	44	46 1/2	44	46 1/2
Am. Car and Ferry	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Am. Cotton Oil	60 1/2	61	60 1/2	61
Am. Loco.	42	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Am. Sm. and Ref.	79 1/2	80 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2
Am. Copper	40	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Am. Sugar	119 1/2	119	119 1/2	119
Am. Steel and Wire	146 1/2	146 1/2	146 1/2	146 1/2
Am. Steel Foundries	47 1/2	46	47 1/2	46
Atchafson	106	106 1/2	105 1/2	106 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	106 1/2	106	105 1/2	106 1/2
B. R. T.	78 1/2	78	78 1/2	78 1/2
Can. Pac. Rail	208 1/2	208 1/2	208 1/2	208 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	84 1/2	85	84 1/2	85
Chi. and St. Paul	131 1/2	132 1/2	131 1/2	132 1/2
Chi. and North West	149	149 1/2	148 1/2	149 1/2
Col. Fuel and Iron	35	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Con. Gas	143 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/2
Del. and Hud.	171	171	171	171
Denver and Rio Grande	34	34 1/2	34	34 1/2
Erie	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Gr. Nor. Pac.	129 1/2	130 1/2	129 1/2	130 1/2
Gr. Nor. Ore.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Int. Met.	197 1/2	197 1/2	197 1/2	197 1/2
Lehigh Valley	143 1/2	144 1/2	143 1/2	144 1/2
Nevada Con.	106	106 1/2	106	106 1/2
N. Y. Cent. and H. J.	114 1/2	115	114 1/2	115
N. Y. Pac.	126	127 1/2	126 1/2	127 1/2
N. Y. Out. and West.	43	41	42 1/2	44
Nor. and West.	106 1/2	107	106 1/2	107
Nor. Pac.	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Pac. Mail	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Penn.	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2
People's Gas	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Pr. Steel Corp.	35	35 1/2	35	35 1/2
Pac. Tel. and Tele.	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Ry. Steel Corp.	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Reading	158 1/2	160 1/2	158 1/2	160 1/2
Rep. Iron and Steel	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Rock Island	32 1/2	33 1/2	32 1/2	33 1/2
Sloss-Sheffield	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Southern Pac.	129	129 1/2	129	129 1/2
Soo.	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
Southern Railway	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Utah Copper	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Union Pacific	178 1/2	180 1/2	178 1/2	180 1/2
U. S. Rubber	180 1/2	180 1/2	180 1/2	180 1/2
U. S. Steel	80 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd.	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
Virginia Chem.	63 1/2	66	63 1/2	66
Western Union	79 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2

RAILROADS IN WEST SHOW GAINS

New York, Feb. 4.—Stocks made a lively showing of strength during today's brief session. The opening was without decided tone, but by the time trading was well under way the market had hardened and remained strong and active to the close. Speculative activity was confined more largely to the well recognized leaders and to a few specialties in which pool manipulations are often apparent. Much of the strength probably was due to the fact that bear operators who looked for a decline at this time were forced to cover.

United States Steel, Union Pacific and Reading all gained more than a point, St. Paul and Great Northern and Northern Pacific were other strong features of the day. Western railroad issues were benefited by today's budget of December reports, with their tale of handsome net gains in every case. St. Paul reported a net gain of \$27,000; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, \$866,000; Great Northern, \$986,000 and Union Pacific \$223,000. New York Central yearly statement showed a decrease in operating income of all lines of \$2,447,000. For December the New York Central line proper reported a net decrease of \$61,000; Lake Shore a decrease of \$478,000 and Chicago, Cleveland, Cincinnati and St. Louis a net increase of \$82,000.

Trade reviews for the week reflected some betterment in the state of business, although actual distributive trade is still comparatively quiet and expansion is slow. Inquiries for iron and steel products were well up to expectations, but advices from Fall River state that the week was a quiet one in the textile industry, with slight demand.

A cash gain of \$3,057,000, as shown in the actual table in the weekly bank statement was considerably below advance estimates, while the loan expansion of \$9,752,000 was small when compared with the increase of \$24,000,000 shown in the average statement. The \$19,000 loan increase reported by the state institutions and trust companies having indirect relations with the clearing house denotes many transfers and shiftings which probably had their inception in the previous week when the \$69,000,000 city loan offering was made.

Bonds were firm, totals, par value \$1,315,000. U. S. bonds were unchanged on call on the week.

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RECIPROcity HAS MADE TAFT
Wall Street is pleased with reciprocity. Taft is lauded as a statesman as a result of this bargain. J. S. Bache & Co. refer to what they term "evolution" in their current financial review. The extract follows:
"The pressure of great responsibility either makes or breaks the character of the man assuming it. When Mr. Taft was elected and took the reins of government, great things were expected of him by thinking people. He apparently started in to give the country a business administration and so announced. Their revision he saw to be a problem (and the platform had so declared it), which must be taken up and met."
"He called the extra session and higher on what appeared to be professional covering conducted with the idea that some rally was due. There was however, no material change of sentiment, and even certain bull interests, while maintaining a belief in higher prices expressed the opinion that market must sell lower first. The general disposition is to remain actually bearish or to await fresh developments. Many people believe that the change of attitude on the part of Liverpool and Manchester will tend to weaken the Southern spot markets especially as the movement of crop continues upon a fairly liberal scale. For the time being the market looks to be a sale on all rallies."
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CLOSING COTTON LETTER.
By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.
New York, Feb. 4.—Liverpool failed to respond to the low price established at the close here yesterday, foreign prices 2 to 3 better than due. Our market opened several points higher on what appeared to be professional covering conducted with the idea that some rally was due. There was however, no material change of sentiment, and even certain bull interests, while maintaining a belief in higher prices expressed the opinion that market must sell lower first. The general disposition is to remain actually bearish or to await fresh developments. Many people believe that the change of attitude on the part of Liverpool and Manchester will tend to weaken the Southern spot markets especially as the movement of crop continues upon a fairly liberal scale. For the time being the market looks to be a sale on all rallies."
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RUSSIA HAS NAVAL SCARE
St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—The Duma committee on National Defence has drawn up a formidable indictment, charging the minister of marine with diverting the credits voted in 1908-9 for torpedo boats and submarines for the Black Sea, and with disregarding the naval programme approved by the Emperor and neglect of Russia's defensive needs.
The report dwells on Turkey's naval developments in the Black Sea, and raises a warning of possible disaster, the consequences of which cannot be foreseen.

KEEP IT DARK.
Wife (whose husband—the local mayor—has just been knighted)—
Have you heard from the man who offered to trace our pedigree?
Husband—Yes; he has found out more than enough.
Wife—What did you pay him?
Husband—"Fifty pounds—to hold his tongue!"

UNNECESSARY.
"Do you tell your wife everything you do while she is away?"
"No; the neighbors attend to that."

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MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Asbestos Com.	11	12
Bell Telephone	144	148
Can. Pac. Rail	208 1/2	208 1/2
Can. Com.	44 1/2	44 1/2
Cement Pfd.	21 1/2	21
Cement Pfd.	80 1/2	80 1/2
Can. Car. Com.	74 1/2	74 1/2
Can. Rub. Com.	39	39
Crown Reserve	25 1/2	25 1/2
Detroit United	72 1/2	72 1/2
Dom. Tex. Com.	70	68 1/2
Dom. Steel	60 1/2	60 1/2
Dom. I. and S. Pfd.	104	103 1/2
Duluth Superior	81	81
Halt. Elec. Trm.	143	142 1/2
Halt. Elec. Trm. Pfd.	92 1/2	92 1/2
Lake Woods Com.	142	141 1/2
St. Paul S.S. Marie	138 1/2	137 1/2
Mexico	91 1/2	91
Rio Com.	109 1/2	109
Mont. St. Rail	220 1/2	220
Mont. I. and P.	147	147 1/2
Mackay Com.	95 1/2	95 1/2
N. S. S. and C. Com.	94 1/2	94 1/2
New Que. Com.	61 1/2	61
Ogilvie Com.	121	120 1/2
Ottawa Power	163	162 1/2
Penn. Com.	60 1/2	59
Rich. and Ont. Nav.	94 1/2	94
Shawinigan	112 1/2	112 1/2
Tor. St. Rail	112 1/2	112 1/2
Twin City Rpd. Trm.	111	110 1/2

Mercantile Marine

DAILY ALMANAC.
Monday, Feb. 6, 1911.
Sun rises... 7:44 a. m.
Sun sets... 5:32 p. m.
High water... 4:37 a. m.
Low water... 11:18 p. m.
Atlantic standard time.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.
Arrived—Feb. 4.
Str. Rossano, 2367, Paterson, from
Louisburg CB, Dominion Coal Co., coal.
Str. Caouma, 901, Marsters, from
Louisburg CB, Dom. Coal Co., coal.
Consistive—Str. Westport III, 49, Coggins
Westport and wh. schr. James
Harber, 89, Gough, St. Martins and
old.

Arrived—Feb. 5.
Str. Sardinia, 2788, Hamilton, from
London and Havre, Wm. Thomson and
Co., mixed cargo.
Arrived—Feb. 6.
Schr. Privilia, from Boston, ballast.
Sailed—Feb. 5.
Str. Bray Head, Campbell, for Bel-
fast, Ire.

Domestic Ports.
Liverpool, Feb. 2.—Sailed—Schr. Mer-
sey, Geldert, for Boston.
Vancouver, Feb. 3.—Arrived—Str. Empress
of China from Hong Kong, etc.

British Ports.
Glasgow, Feb. 4.—Sailed—Str. Cas-
sandra, Mitchell, for St. John.
Fastnet, Feb. 2.—Passed—Str. Man-
chester, Trader, Musgrave, from St.
John for Manchester.
Liverpool, Feb. 2.—Sailed—Str. Can-
ada, Portland, etc.

London, Feb. 1.—Sailed—Str. Pomer-
anian, Henderson, for St. John.
Philadelphia, Feb. 3.—Arrived—Schr. An-
tonio, Griffiths, from St. John and Halifax.
Port Spain, Jan. 18.—Sailed—Schr. C. D.
Piccini, Pascoia, for Delta, Bolivar,
A. B. Horta, etc.

Barbados, Jan. 21.—Arrived—Schr. Ar-
chie, Crowe, from Annapolis.
Sailed Jan. 21.—Bark St. Croix, for
Halifax.

Foreign ports.
Baltimore, Feb. 2.—Arrived—Str. In-
dian, from St. John for Glasgow.
Mobile, Feb. 2.—Cleared—Schr. Lau-
ra C, for Neuva, Gerona.
Philadelphia, Feb. 3.—Arrived—Str. Man-
chester Corporation from St. John for
Manchester.

Portland, Me., Feb. 3.—Arrived—Schr. Roger
Drury, St. John NH for
Pawtucket, Emily Anderson, Matland
NS, for Philadelphia or New York.
Rockland, Me., Feb. 3.—Sailed—Schr. Lucia
Porter, New York; Great
Havann, Feb. 4.—Arrived—Str. Leu-
cia, Hilton, from St. John.

Recent charters.
Br. schr. 723 tons, lumber, gulf to
Dahqui, private terms; Br. bark, 498
tons, lumber, Jacksonville to Trinid-
ad, p. l.

Reports and Disasters.
London, Feb. 3.—Schr. Helen Stear-
wart, Berg, from St. John's, Nfld. for
Bolia, is ashore near Maragos, Brazil.

Norfolk, Feb. 3.—The Nor str. Lav-
stakken was attached here Tuesday
upon federal court libel on the part
of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad,
claiming \$7500 damages for collision
in New York harbor. The str. was bond
ed and released.

Halifax, Feb. 2.—Schr. Ella D Young,
from Halifax for Lunenburg, was
caught in the storm off Lunenburg (6-
night) and driven on the ledges. Tugs
have gone to her assistance.

Key West, Feb. 2.—Str. Louisiana,
from Havre, etc., for New Or-
leans, which went ashore near Son-

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S. S. Ocean sails Feb. 21 for Bermuda, Montserrat, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara.
S. S. S. S. S. sails Mar. 17 for Bermuda, St. Kitts, Antigua, Dominica, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara.
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Jan. 15.—Man. Spinner Jan. 28
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Jan. 20.—Man. Engineer Feb. 25
Jan. 28.—Man. Importer Mar. 11
Feb. 4.—Man. Shipper Mar. 11
Feb. 11.—Man. Corporation Feb. 11
Feb. 18.—Man. Engineer Feb. 18
Feb. 28.—Rappahannock Mar. 18
and fortnightly thereafter, dates sub-
ject to change.
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Thistle Third These
Cleveland, O., horsemen expect lives next August likely to be disarranged. The tidbit in square-gaited five between the three in the world—1553-4, world's stallion The Har- mare Joan, 2043. It has been sug- brought together. Handrail track, horse track in the horse crank in the track in the trophy instead of to be the unquest- No harness even
HAMPTON AT ST.
Three Rinks
Defeated in 57-35—A Wednesday.
St. Stephen, N. rinks of the Ham played here yet the McLellan c with the following
Hampton. J. E. Angvine, R. H. Smith, G. M. Wilson, J. B. Delong skip, 6 F. S. Compton 1 M. J. Conway 1 J. A. Sprout skip, 19 S. S. King 1 W. J. Glegg 1 W. H. March, Jr 1 F. F. Glegg skip, 10
Total, 35
On Wednesday Anherst are exp pte against the cup.
A COMMON Plaintiff (in think I will get his counsel—M
WIS "And are you boys?" "The courts have madam. We're

Thistles Have Third Victory

New Glasgow Has Backers

Tommy Burns Out of Game

These Three Great Trotters In Race to Decide Supremacy



THE HEIGHT OF HARNESS HORSE PERFECTION.

By Tip Wright. Cleveland, O., Feb. 4.—Harness horsemen expect the treat of their lives next August and they are not likely to be disappointed.

up so much interest as this proposed event. The Uhlans-Hamburg Belle and the Crescents-The Abbot matchers draw the attention of the sport's followers as no other events of their periods, but they fade when placed alongside the proposed event.

At first glance the tyro might ask what chance Joan, marked six seconds slower than Uhlans, will have with the champion. Harness horsemen know the mare is one of the speediest in the world and that she could have stepped faster than she is marked had her owner desired.

HAMPTON LOSE AT ST. STEPHEN

Three Rinks of Challengers Defeated in Friday's Match 57-35 -- Amherst Play on Wednesday.

St. Stephen, N. B., Feb. 5.—Three rinks of the Hampton Curling Club played here yesterday afternoon in the McLellan cup challenge series with the following result:—

A COMMON DIVISOR. Plaintiff (in law suit)—"So you think I will get the money, do you?" His counsel—"I think we will get it."

WISE SON. "And are you mama's boys or papa's boys?" "The courts haven't decided as yet, madam. We're in litigation."

Advertisement for Perfection cigars, featuring an image of a cigar and the text 'Perfection CIGARS'.

WHO IS HE?



This is the first picture of the third mysterious man whose patched face has appeared upon The Daily Standard sport page. Do you recognize him?

He's a well known chap, is a character in the world of sport, and could, if so inclined, boast of his gameness, which is of the terrier variety.

New York, Feb. 5.—Entries will close next Wednesday for the seventh annual National amateur racquet championship tournament which will be held at the Tuxedo Park tennis and racquet club February 11 to 13, and in which all amateurs are eligible.

NO BETTING FOR POOR IN RUSSIA

St. Petersburg, Feb. 4.—For the purpose of restricting race track gambling to the wealthy classes, the government has adopted new rules whereby minimum stakes are fixed at \$5. Clubbing and bookmaking are prohibited.

LAWN TENNIS AT NEWPORT

Strong Fight Made at Meeting of United States Association to Have Championship Go Farther West.

New York, N. Y., Feb. 4.—Newport will again be the scene of the national lawn tennis championship this year. Despite an unexpectedly strong opposition that developed at the annual meeting of the United States Lawn Tennis Association in the Waldorf-Astoria last night, delegates and supporters of the fashionable Rhode Island resort won their fight to retain the tournament by a vote of 95 to 60.

It was pointed out by Mr. Behr and that the main objection to Newport was the fact that it was not centrally located, and that the championships year after year were contested before a limited number of tennis lovers.

HOPPE WILL DEFEND TITEL IN EUROPE

New York, Feb. 4.—Instead of retiring from billiards "Willie" Hoppe has closed a contract to play in Paris for a period of three months. He has been engaged by Mons. Ducis, of the Olympia Academy, in the French capital.

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THISTLES MAKE IT 3 STRAIGHT

St. Andrews Defeated by 77 Points in Last Match of Annual Series—Winners Lead All But One Rink.

The Thistles for the third time this season defeated St. Andrews on Saturday, the total score standing 274 to 197. The following is the score by rinks:—

Table showing scores for Thistles vs St. Andrews in various matches, including Thistle Ice-Afternoon and Thistle Ice-Evening.

Table showing scores for Thistles vs St. Andrews in various matches, including Thistle Ice-Evening and Grand Totals.

St. Andrews Ice-Evening. Thistles, 274; St. Andrews, 197. Thistles, 274; St. Andrews, 197.

S. HAYWARD'S TAKE 4 FROM CANADIAN OIL. The S. Hayward Co. team took four points from the Canadian Oil Co. team on Black's alleys Saturday night.

Table showing scores for S. Hayward Co. vs Canadian Oil Co. in various matches.

HACK AND ORDEMOAN TO A FINISH. Detroit, Mich., Feb. 4.—George Hackenschmidt, "The Russian Lion," and Henry Ordemann of Minneapolis, were today matched to wrestle in Detroit on Feb. 14.

DETROIT, MICH., Feb. 4.—George Hackenschmidt, "The Russian Lion," and Henry Ordemann of Minneapolis, were today matched to wrestle in Detroit on Feb. 14.

NEW GLASGOW HOPES TO WIN

Mike Murphy, Dunphy and Morrison, of Famous Tourist Team, Will Appear Tonight Against Halifax.

New Glasgow, Feb. 5.—Never since the memorable day of 1906 when New Glasgow was "cock-o-the-walk" in hockey has such an interest been taken in a hockey match as in the game here Monday night with Halifax. Keen interest was taken in the outcome of the game at Halifax Friday night, and now that Halifax has gone down to defeat to Moncton, New Glasgow is confident of defeating Halifax here, and being for second place in the league standing.

NEW SKATING RECORD FOR LONG DISTANCE

Christiana, Feb. 4.—At the international skating races here today, the Russian Strunkow won the 5,000 metre, (about 3 1/2 miles), in eight minutes 37 1/2 seconds.

BURNS WILL NEVER ENTER RING AGAIN

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 4.—Tommy Burns, the heavyweight pugilist, will not fight Billy Long in London or Australia, April 17, and is out of the prize ring for good. This was settled when Burns injured knee was examined by a physician today.

STORIES OF GREAT 'UNS

It is 14 years since Mike Kelly died, and his equal has never been seen. Great base runners, great catchers, great batters, great "inside players," tricky players, emergency players, coaches have come and gone, but in no one man have all the qualities of greatness been combined as they have in the incomparable kingpin of the diamond—the great Mike Kelly.

It was in 1904, when New York and Boston were fighting it out for the American league pennant, that Cleveland put a crimp in the former's pennant aspirations. A terrific three-base hit by George Stallow was the trick that beat the Yanks out of the pennant, but lack of that smash was the noodle of Joss.

The bases were full when Stallow went to bat in the first game of a double header, played during the closing days of the season. The Yank's park was jammed with humanity, for upon the outcome much depended. A game won or lost meant winning or losing the pennant, practically.

Stallow stood at the plate, Joss walked past and said, "Just think of that little girl in Burlington, George, and hit the doggedest thing a mile." As the post says, "and George did it." He caught one of Chesbro's spitters just above the ground and when he stopped running three men had crossed the pan and he was on third. That hit beat the Yanks out of the pennant, but Joss furnished the inspiration for it.

Advertisement for Zooker Collars, featuring an image of a man in a suit and the text 'Zooker COLLARS'.

WHO'S WHO IN THE FLYING GAME



When Roger Sommer, the well known French aviator, carried six passengers in his Farman biplane from Bombay to Romilly, both in France, and back again, Jan. 26, he established a new world's record for cross-country flight with passengers, also a new mark for total weight carried.

Sommer is thirty-three years old and broke into the flying game about two years ago. He is one of the most successful of Henri Farman's pupils.

LATE SHIPPING

Boston, Feb. 5.—Arr: Str Stellian from Glasgow, Feb. 5.—Arr: Str Hesperian from St. John, N. B. Glasgow, Feb. 4.—Arr: Str Cassandra from St. John, N. B. Havre, Feb. 5.—Sid: Str Pomerian from St. John, N. B.

Advertisement for Shiloh's Cure, featuring the text 'Shiloh's Cure' and 'quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heats the throat and lungs.' 25 cents.

Advertisement for Nickel--Big Show Today, featuring the text 'Hereafter--Three Extra New Reels Each Week--Nine in All' and 'BIOGRAPH FEATURE VITAGRAPH COMEDY'.

Advertisement for Queen's Rink, featuring the text 'CHILDREN'S BIG ANNUAL CARNIVAL, Wednesday Afternoon, February 8th' and 'Four Handsome Prizes. Band in Attendance. Admission 15c.'

THE WEATHER.

MARITIME—Northwesterly winds, fine and much colder. Toronto, Ont., Feb. 5.—Consequent upon the advance of an area of pronouncedly high pressure from northern Saskatchewan towards the Atlantic coast, cold has been experienced in Saskatchewan, Manitoba, and Northern Ontario during Saturday and Sunday, and to a lesser extent in Southern Ontario today.

AROUND THE CITY

Sailors' Meeting. Rev. David Hutchinson addressed the meeting for sailors in the Seamen's Institute last evening. Found By Police. A pocket book found on Union St. and a key found on Charlotte St. await the owners at the Central Police Station. Postponed For Week. The Athletic Exhibition that was to have taken place in the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday night was postponed until next Saturday. Horse Shot. Yesterday afternoon Policeman Perry was called to Charles Brown's barn off Meeklenburg street, to shoot a horse that was unfit for use. Men's Bible Class. The regular meeting of the men's Bible class of St. John's (stone) church will be held this evening in the school room, at 8 o'clock. Carnival Costumes at Nickel. Fancy and comical get-ups for tonight's great carnival, to be had at Nickel theatre until 8 o'clock p. m. Moderate prices. Acknowledgement. The manager of the Seamen's Mission gratefully acknowledged the receipt of \$3.15 donated through the purse of the Empress of Ireland. Grand Hotel in Court. A case against the Grand Union Hotel for selling liquor during prohibited hours will be heard in the police court this afternoon. The offence complained of is alleged to have been committed on Jan. 17th. Loyalist Division Meeting. Rev. I. A. McLean delivered an interesting address on Temperance before a meeting held under the auspices of Loyalist Division S. of T. last evening. O. Grant presided, and there was a large attendance. Mrs. Olmstead sang a solo very acceptably. Police Called. The police were called to Timothy O'Brien's house on St. Patrick street Saturday to quell a disturbance. The police were called into Mrs. Mattie Day's house on Sheffield street, Saturday night, to eject a man who was not wanted there. A Forcible Arrest. David Ramsey presided at Thorne Lodge Gospel Temperance meeting yesterday afternoon and James Keys conducted the devotional exercises. Rev. J. H. A. Anderson addressed a large audience on the subject of Temperance. At Seamen's Institute. A pleasant temperance meeting was held in the Seamen's Mission on Saturday night under the leadership of Mrs. Seymour who gave a short address to the sailors. Rev. L. A. McLean also gave an interesting address which was much appreciated by the men. A grand concert will be given on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. Fined For Interfering. On Friday last Policeman McCollom arrested John Halpin on Brussels street on the charge of being drunk and profane. Peter Arsanault interfered with the officer and tried to take Halpin away. While the officer was giving evidence in the police court Saturday against Halpin, Arsanault appeared in the court and was fined eight dollars. Halpin was fined \$16. Was Not Stone. Mrs. Mary Normansell, who was so brutally assaulted in her house, corner of Britain and Carmarthen streets about four weeks ago, called at the police station on Saturday, but was unable to identify Harry Stone as her assailant. Mrs. Normansell said she knew Stone well and would surely have recognized him if he had been the man who attacked her. Missionary Sermon. Rev. John Ritson was the preacher at the morning service in the Main street Baptist church yesterday. He spoke on Christ's message to the disciples to go forth and preach the Word. In an interesting and able address the speaker answered the objections which are sometimes urged against missionary enterprises. The sermon made an excellent impression on the large congregation present at the service. Hon. Mr. Maxwell the Speaker. Hon. Robert Maxwell delivered a lecture on temperance at a meeting held in the Temple of Honor Hall, Main street, yesterday afternoon. He gave a brief history of the temperance movement, told a number of stories illustrating the effects of intemperance, and urged the forces of reform to continue their good work. The lecture was listened to with much interest and there was a large audience in attendance. Geo. Erb occupied the chair.

THREE ARRESTED IN LIQUOR STORE

Police Catch Spragg, McGloan and Elliott Red Handed in O'Neill's Place, North Wharf. Three men, Frank Spragg, John McGloan and Geo. Elliott of the North Wharf, were arrested at eleven o'clock last night on suspicion of having broken into Phillip O'Neill's wholesale liquor establishment on the North Wharf. Police Officer Gardner was going his rounds when he found the front door open and on investigation the three men were found in the building. When asked what they were doing in the building the men did not answer at first and then Spragg and McGloan stated that they were there with Elliott. Officer Gardner kept the trio in the store until Policeman Written came along and the three were placed under arrest and locked up in Water street lock up. While on the way to the lockup McGloan threw two bottles of liquor away breaking the bottles. On Spragg were found four bottles of liquor. Entrance was gained by the lock being smashed on the front door. The broken clasp was found by the police but they could not find the padlock. McGloan is said to have a past police record. Spragg is a South African veteran.

THREE ALARMS FOR FIRE YESTERDAY

Hole Burned in Side of Thistle Rink—Scow Load of Sulphur Smoking—Blaze in Boarding House. About 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning the fire department were called out by an alarm from box 54. The fire was in the south wall of the Thistle Curling Rink, on Golding street. The blaze is supposed to have started from a cigar butt that had been thrown there during the game Saturday night. A large hole was burned in the side of the building and the fire was extinguished by the chemical. The damage done is not extensive and is covered by insurance. About eight o'clock last night No. 2 chemical and No. 4 hose responded to a still alarm for a fire which started in a scow load of sulphur in York Point slip. The damage was only slight. About 8:30 o'clock fire was discovered in the sheathing near a stove pipe in William Foster's boarding house on Pond street. An alarm was sent from box 152 and the fire was extinguished with trifling damage.

SOCIALISTS DO NOT OPPOSE RELIGION

Rev. J. J. McCaskill Says Christianity Must be Taken Into Account in Every Attempt to Solve Economic Problems. Rev. J. J. McCaskill was the speaker at the Socialist meeting last evening. His subject, he said, was the Spirit of Socialism. By Socialism he meant the collective ownership of the means of production and distribution. In England there was a movement which has the name of Christian Socialism. Connected with it were many prominent churchmen. Its object was to establish some relationship between Christianity and Socialism. The speaker said he did not like the term Christian Socialism. Christianity was not an economic system. Socialism was an economic system, and you could not Christianize an economic system. At the same time Christian ideals should be kept in sight in every attempt to solve the social problems that confront the people. The socialist was an idealist—he had the power of spiritual vision. Tell a socialist that he cannot hope to bring about socialism in his day and it does not dampen his enthusiasm. He will tell you, "Well, I'll keep on working for the cause. Some day my children will enter into the commonwealth." Some years ago there was an idea that socialism was a protest against religion. So, likewise, there was an idea that science was opposed to religion. The speaker did not think religion and science were opposed to one another. In the past ideas held by some scientists conflicted with some ideas held by some Christians. But it was now realized that there was no fundamental opposition between them—each had believed in errors that were being cast off. Christianity today was but an effort to unite justice and brotherhood. Socialists today, looking beneath the draperies cast by the church over the spirit of Christianity, were realizing this, and were not opposing religion. Men today had practically solved the problem of production, but they had not solved the problem of distributing the product. When this problem was solved men would enter upon an era of real progress, though they would have to deal with many of the evils that now bother them. An animated discussion followed, and the speakers contending that it would not be possible to practice the precepts of Christ until the economic government had been changed.

PERSONAL

C. S. Mayer returned on Saturday from a business trip to Montreal. Saturday's New York Herald records the arrival of Miss A. L. Warner, of St. John, at the Breakers Hotel, Palm Beach, Fla.

SUDDEN DEATH OF CHARLES D. TRUEMAN

Well Known Business Man Succumbs to Stroke of Paralysis—Worried Much Over Wife's Death. Charles Dickson Trueman, a well known business man of this city, passed away at an early hour Sunday morning after a few days of illness. Death was a result of a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Trueman was in good health up to Saturday, though he had been worrying much over the death of his wife, which occurred about ten weeks ago. On Saturday afternoon about 3:30 while he was writing a letter to his daughter, he complained of numbness in his feet, and remarked that he thought he was taking a cold. A few minutes after while he was examining his mail which had just been brought in, he called his daughter-in-law and told her that he could not read his letters, and that a feeling of numbness was creeping over him. Shortly after he became unconscious, and though medical assistance was called in, he never rallied, and passed away about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. Mr. Trueman who was about 70 years of age, was born at Point De Bute, in Westmorland county, the son of the late William H. Trueman and the eldest of a family of seven. He was educated at Mount Allison. He came to St. John about 48 years ago and entered the employ of Geo. S. DeForest, where he remained for a number of years. About 25 years ago he started in business for himself on the South Wharf and at the time of his death was engaged in a brokerage business. A man of quiet habits, he enjoyed the respect of the business community and his sudden death will be a shock to a large circle of acquaintances. He was a member of Centenary church. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. Jennie Hallett, of Montreal, and two sons, Stanley, of Brookfield, N. Y., and Norman, of St. John, to mourn their loss. The funeral will take place from his late residence, 292 Princess street, on Tuesday with service at 2:30 by the Rev. Dr. Wanders. Interment will be at Fernhill.

ROBERT O. STOCKTON HAS PASSED AWAY

Death Came Suddenly After Few Hours Illness From Heart Failure—Registrar of Admiralty and Exchequer. Robert O. Stockton, one of the best known residents of the city and a prominent member of the bar of the province, died very suddenly yesterday morning in his rooms Prince William street. Mr. Stockton was about the city on Saturday and was attacked with heart trouble early yesterday morning. Dr. Levin was at once sent for and every thing possible was done for the suffering man but without avail, and death occurred about 11 o'clock. Mr. Stockton was 64 years of age and was born at Smith's Creek, Kings county. He was a barrister of many years standing, and in addition to a large practice, held at the time of his death, the offices of registrar of the admiralty court and of the exchequer court. He was for years in partnership with his brother the late Dr. A. A. Stockton, K. C., up to the time of the latter's death, when he continued in practice on his own account. Unlike his brother he was not interested in politics, but for a time was a member of the city council, representing Queens Ward. He was a Methodist in religion and much interested in all movements for the improvement of the city. He is survived by two daughters Mrs. A. J. Webster, of Shediac, and Mrs. J. V. McLellan, of this city. He leaves three brothers, C. W. Stockton and W. W. Stockton, of Sussex, and Frank Stockton, in the west. There are also five sisters, Mrs. Keith, of Petitcodiac; Mrs. Myles Blakeney, of Petitcodiac; Mrs. Charles Pickard, of Sackville, and Mrs. Mark Teakles, and Miss Hattie Stockton, of Sussex. Mr. Stockton was a man of kindly temperamental and his death will be sincerely regretted by his many friends.

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