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URGE POWERS TO PUT AN END TO IT

London Papers in United Demand For Peace

MAKE TURKEY ACCEPT Bulgaria and Islands For Greece—Expectation That Matters Soon Will Be Arranged

(Canadian Press) New York, Jan. 7.—A cable to the Herald from London says: The ambassadors of the powers held a long conference in the foreign office yesterday afternoon, and it is felt in diplomatic circles that in the end they will force Turkey to accept conditions that make for peace.

The newspapers this morning call upon the powers to prevent a resumption of the war. All insist that Adrianople is bound to fall and should be given to the Bulgarians, adding that the island of Greece should be restored to the Hellenic kingdom.

The Standard voice of the consensus of official press opinion, saying: "We look forward to united action which will have the effect of removing the recent block and affording the Ottoman government a necessary cause for yielding to the inevitable."

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COCHRANE NEXT TO GO

Ottawa Says Minister of Railways Is to Be Governor of Ontario

(Special to Times) Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 7.—It is understood that the next departure from the Borden government will be Honorable Frank Cochrane, who is slated for the lieutenant-governorship of Ontario on the expiration of Lieutenant-Governor Gibson's term next September.

The railway portfolio is likely to go to Hon. Mr. Pelletier or Hon. Mr. Colborne of Quebec.

Mr. Monk may not be in house this session

Former Minister Suffered Breakdown But is Now Getting Better

Montreal, Jan. 7.—The announcement was made this morning that the condition of Hon. F. D. Monk, ex-minister of public works, had shown steady improvement during the last week, though he is still far from well.

Since his return from Atlantic City after resigning from the Borden cabinet, Monk has suffered a complete breakdown and was not permitted to receive friends or to discuss business or politics.

His medical condition, however, is reported to permit him to see friends and his appearance at Ottawa during the coming session of parliament is very doubtful.

The dangers of New York streets; 532 killed in a year

Auto Responsible for 221 of the Fatal Accidents—Of Those Killed 230 Were Children

New York, Jan. 7.—Five hundred and thirty-two persons were killed in accidents in the streets of New York during 1912, according to the report of the National Highway Protective Society. Two hundred and thirty of the victims were children.

The total number of injured during the same period was 2,936. Of these injured, 1,342 were responsible for 1,342; trolleys caused injury to 704, and wagons seriously injured 237.

Slight injuries due to wagons frequently are not reported, whereas all accidents are reported when due to automobiles and trolleys.

The report of accidents in the State of New York in the streets and highways for the year 1912 shows that 234 persons were killed outside of the city of New York. Autos caused the death of 127; wagons caused twenty-eight; and trolleys seventy-nine.

The railroad grade crossing accidents on Long Island show a decrease of 50 per cent, but throughout the state show an increase. One hundred and seven were killed and 127 injured, as against 181 killed and 108 seriously injured in 1911.

Ninety-one drivers of motor cars ran away after an accident, as compared with sixty in 1911.

The comparison of 1912 as against 1911 for the accidents shows that 423 persons were killed in 1911, as against 522 in 1912. Of the increase the automobile accidents increased 38 per cent.

Bachelors a-may caught in her net

Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 7.—Five hundred love-sick bachelors from New York to Montana and North Dakota to Texas were susceptible to the "love hoodwinking" of Florence Gambill, of Boone, Iowa, who pleaded guilty today to using the mails to defraud, and was held to the federal grand jury.

Her conviction came when she was confronted with letters she had written to eight of her "prospects." They were R. A. Randolph, of Niagara Falls, Ont.; Louis Gallitzer, Halliday, N. D.; Orville Wilson, Minneapolis, Minn.; E. E. Runcorn, Rydell, Cal.; N. A. Weaver, Colorado City, Col.; N. A. Carnahan, Bunch, Iowa; Adolph Blossing, Victor, Mont.; Bert Gates, Congswell, N. D.; and J. L. Frazer, Arlington, Texas.

PROBABLE MEMBERS OF WOODROW WILSON'S CABINET



MAN REPORTED MISSING; IS HE VICTIM OF FIRE IN SILVER FALLS BARN?

Coroner Berryman has inspected the bones found in the ruins of the barn at Silver Falls on Sunday, but has not yet decided whether or not an inquest will be held.

Since the fire there have been so many visitors to the place and the ruins have been overlooked to such an extent that it is difficult to ascertain the situation at the time of the fire.

It was reported this morning that Robert Harris, who lives on the Lock Lomond road, several miles beyond Silver Falls, is missing.

BODY OF GENERAL DRURY PLACED IN RECEIVING VAULT IN FERNHILL

Funeral Not Military, Though Officers in Attendance—Many Remembrances in Floral Pieces

The body of Major General Charles W. Drury, C. B., commander of the Sixth Division, Halifax, was brought to the city this morning on the Atlantic express, which reached here about twenty-five minutes late.

It was accompanied to the city by his two sons, Chipman and Victor, and was met at the depot by local officers. The body was taken to St. Paul's church, where it lay until the services were conducted by Rev. E. B. Hooper, rector, at three o'clock this afternoon.

The pall-bearers were Colonel H. Humphrey, A. A. G. Halifax; Colonel J. M. McLaughlin, 28th Dragoons; Lieutenant Colonel J. R. Armstrong, retired; Lieutenant Colonel E. H. Sturges, 2nd Field Artillery; Lieutenant Colonel B. R. Armstrong, 2nd Artillery; and Lieutenant Colonel Woodburn, reserve.

It was at first intended that the funeral should be a military one, and orders to that effect had been issued.

Commissioners take up matter of grants to local bodies to improve the currency system

The city commissioners spent an hour today considering the list of annual grants for various public purposes. Two grants were made; four applications were held over until financial statements are submitted by the applicants and no applications were received from five organizations.

A grant of \$750 was made to the Free Kindergarten Association. This is an increase of \$200 over last year's grant. The sum of \$300 was voted to the Associated Charities.

Million fortune comes to driver of team

Former Delivery Man Gets Notice of Valuable New York Property to Be His

Montgomery, Mo., Jan. 7.—David Egan, formerly a deliveryman in Macomb, Mo., now of Fort Scott, Kan., will receive a great present in the near future, according to John Dale, his brother-in-law.

Egan has received notice that he is heir to an estate of more than a million dollars, left him by his great-grandfather. A ninety-year lease on very valuable property in the heart of New York has expired and the property reverts back to the Egan heirs and is to be settled.

Egan is the second citizen of Macomb to receive notice he had inherited a great fortune. The other one was Colonel F. W. Hoes, who received more than a million dollars when he was in poor circumstances. He spent most of it in improving his town and building the great Hoes Military Academy at Macomb, which has just passed from his estate by a ruling of the federal court at Hamilton.

WASHINGTON REPLY

Another Step in the Panama Canal Matter

LOOKS LIKE ARBITRATION Answer to British Protest Not Direct Acceptance But a Move That Way—Plan First to Clear Away All Superfluous Matter

(Canadian Press) Washington, Jan. 7.—The Panama controversy with Great Britain will be advanced another stage in a few days, when the U. S. government will reply to the note of protest of Sir Edward Grey. It was learned yesterday that the reply probably will be headed by Ambassador Bryce this week.

The note will not be an unqualified acceptance of Sir Edward's proposition that the matter be referred to arbitration. Every effort will be made to exhaust all the legitimate resources of diplomacy in stripping the dispute of superfluous matter before it is agreed to refer it to arbitration.

The chief purpose of the reply, will be to reduce the controversy to the real issue of the question, and afford a basis for an agreement as to exactly what is in dispute and what is conceded on each side.

While President Taft has publicly committed this administration to arbitration, it is intended first that it should be made clear exactly what is in dispute and what is to be arbitrated if arbitration is necessary. Every effort will be made to exhaust all the legitimate resources of diplomacy in stripping the dispute of superfluous matter before it is agreed to refer it to arbitration.

Should both governments persist in their present attitude on the main questions, then the negotiations will be directed toward an attempt to reach an agreement upon the questions which both sides are willing to submit to arbitration. Completion of this task will bring the issue before the senate to decide whether or not there shall be an arbitration.

London, Jan. 7.—The morning Post commenting in an editorial on the report that President Taft wanted the Panama Canal controversy referred to a tribunal consisting of an equal number of British and American citizens says: "This would be to court a deadlock for which the question of the Panama Canal is not a suitable subject."

Eye witnesses say that he was ordered to fly over the besieged city to ascertain whether or not the Turks were preparing for a sortie. A division of Turkish infantry, supported by artillery and cavalry was in readiness to march. The waiting Turks volunteered lead at him and the Bulgarians, watching the machine with their glasses, saw a jet of flame and a cloud of smoke enveloping the aviator. Turning around he volplaned like lightning into the middle of the Turkish cavalry, killing several.

Knowing that he was doomed, he had resolved to sell his life as dearly as possible. His body was recovered, with a bullet in his right hand. He had blown out his brains a second before the crash came.

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Looks like arbitration

WEATHER BULLETIN Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

A disturbance is forming in the Mississippi Valley, while the centre of the cold wave has now transferred to Northern Canada. Light snow is falling in many localities from the Great Lakes to the Atlantic provinces. In the western provinces the cold is moderating.

Probabilities Here. Fresh to strong southerly to northeasterly winds; fair and cold; some snow on clouds.

Quebec Dry Dock

Montreal, Jan. 7.—A difference of opinion has arisen among the engineers as to the alignment of the proposed new dry dock at Joseph De Levis, which may necessitate the appointment of a commission to arrive at a final decision.

Quebec, Jan. 7.—The Quebec harbor commissioners, Messrs. Price, Letellier and Gravel, accompanied by two engineers, went to Ottawa last night. They have taken up the plans for the proposed dry dock, as well as other harbor improvements.

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PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Yesterday.
Tug Peisopod, 79, Sweet, St. Martins to Bath, C. M. Kerrison (in far harbor).
Sch. St. Bernard, 123, McLeod, Perth Amboy, C. M. Kerrison.
Sch. Able Kest, 96, Taylor, Boston (44), J. W. Smith.
Sch. James Siver (Am), 296, Joyce, Joggins to U. S. ports (in far harbor).
Sch. W. B. & W. L. Tuck, 266, Halsey, Stoughton (44).

Sailed Yesterday.

Sir Manchester Importer, Linton, Manchester via Halifax, Wm. Thomson & Co.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Halifax, Jan. 6—Arr. str. Rappahannock, London for St. John.

BRITISH PORTS.

Quebec, Jan. 6—Arr. str. Pretorian, Portland.
Liverpool, Jan. 6—Arr. str. Empress of Ireland, St. John; Hopeman, St. John.
Southampton, Jan. 6—Arr. str. Majestic, New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Hamburg, Jan. 6—Sid. str. Prinz Oecka, Halifax.
New London, Jan. 6—Arr. str. Alice Holbrook, Calais; Jonathan Cole, Bangor; John J. Hanson, Boston.
New York, Jan. 6—Sid. str. Roma, Halifax; Lady Smith, Lunenburg.
Vineyard Haven, Jan. 6—Sid. str. Victoria, St. Andrews; Beatrice L. Corkum, do.
Southbay Harbor, Jan. 6—Sid. str. Odell, Calais.
Antwerp, Jan. 6—Arr. str. Pandora, Wright, from Havre.

INDICTMENT AGAINST PATTEN AND OTHERS HOLDS GOOD

Washington, Jan. 6.—The supreme court of the United States today laid down the far-reaching principle that "corsets" of interstate commodities, such as articles of clothing and food are in violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust Law, and held that, as far as the Sherman law was concerned, the indictment in the New York Federal Court of James A. Patten, Eugene G. Scales, Frank H. Hayne and William P. Brown, for "conspiring to run an alleged cotton carrier" was valid. The case against them was sent back for trial or other proceedings.

MORE TROUBLE IN TORY CAMP

Montreal, Jan. 6.—Brenton A. MacNab had no sooner freed himself from the Daily Star management than he started in to bombard one of Premier Borden's colleagues.

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We promise you that, if your hair is falling out, and you have not let it go too far, you can repair the damage already done by using Rexall "99" Hair Tonic, with persistency and regularity, for a reasonable length of time. It is a scientific, cleansing, antiseptic, germicidal preparation, that destroys microbes, stimulates good circulation around the hair roots, promotes hair nourishment, removes dandruff and acts to restore hair health. It is as pleasant to use as pure water, and is delicately perfumed. It is a real toilet necessity.

Little Beauty Chats
By BLANCHE BEACON

The Skin of Coarse Texture a Beauty Defect

"WHAT will contract ugly, gaping pores?" is the constant query of my sex, both young and old. The great secret lies in using common-sense methods to improve the circulation of the blood and tone up the flaccid skin.

The idea is to set the glands and blood vessels about their business, so the skin will refine itself. It is when one's internal mechanism is out of order that the skin grows to look coarse and pitted.

One of the ways to correct a case of enlarged pores is to drink quantities of cool water, for if the kidneys are kept in perfect health, skin conditions will rapidly improve. Do not disdain this simple treatment as it is most effective, and this you will see if you but give it a fair trial. Suppose you begin this very day drinking two glasses of water half an hour before breakfast and half an hour before lunch and dinner. Finally, an hour before you seek the arms of Morpheus, drink two more glasses of clean, cool water. This will make two quarts of liquid, which is all that any one needs to keep the kidneys and the digestive and eliminative organs in good condition.

It is also essential for the woman with a coarse-grained skin to eat an abundance of fruit, as it helps to keep the digestive organs on their good behavior. Such fruits as oranges, apples, and figs will be most helpful in making an ugly, pitted skin realize the error of its ways.

It is hardly necessary for me to say that it is of the highest importance that the skin should be kept immaculately clean. Do not be afraid to scrub and scour your face several times a day as this is the ideal way to obtain a skin of beautiful texture.

Friction with a soft towel or handkerchief will do much for the skin that soap does not. If you are uncleanly visible to the naked eye. If you doubt this statement, crumple a handkerchief and rub it lightly over the face, bearing down on



which will result in your refractory pores being invigorated to such an extent that they will perform their work properly.

Daily Hints For the Cook

SIMPLE DESERT.

Make a sponge cake and soft custard; when ready to serve place a slice of cake on the plate and pour the custard over it. It isn't very elaborate, but it tastes very nice and is something different from puddings made of cake and custard.

HOT WATER GINGERBREAD

One cup molasses, 2 cups flour, 1 teaspoon soda, 1 tablespoon ginger, 2 to 4 tablespoons butter, 1/2 cup boiling water, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/3 teaspoon cinnamon. Mix and sift dry ingredients; add remaining liquids. Bake 20 to 30 minutes.

APPLES AND TAPIOCA

Peel five or six apples, core without dividing the apples, fill the hole with sugar and cinnamon and on top of each place small piece of butter. Place apples in baking dish and put around them half cup of tapioca, half cup of sugar. Cover apples with water and bake slowly.

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Most Worshipful Master F. J. G. Knowlton, accompanied by a large representation of officers of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, P. and A. M., last evening paid an official visit to the Union Lodge of Portland for the purpose of installing the worshipful master and the officer of the Union Lodge of Portland for the ensuing year, as follows: Worshipful master, Rev. R. A. Armstrong; I. P. M. worshipful brother, W. B. Robertson; S. W. Bro. Gordon Hambley; J. W. Bro. Malcolm I. McPhail; chaplain, Worshipful Bro. H. R. Sturdee; treasurer, Worshipful Bro. W. B. Wallace; secretary, Worshipful Bro. J. Twining Hart; S. D. Bro. W. A. Church; J. D. H. N. M. Stanbury; S. G. H. Taylor; J. S. W. H. Campbell; D. of C. H. E. Forberg; organist, Bro. D. Arnold Fox; I. G. R. M. Shady; Tyler, Robert Clark. At the close of the ceremonies refreshments were served.

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Dr. Bryce's Lecture

Great interest is felt in the address of Dr. George Bryce, of Winnipeg, before the Women's Canadian Club on Jan. 10, at 8:15 past three in Keith's Assembly rooms. His subject will be **Leads Sickness, a Canadian Pioneer**, and the lecture will be illustrated with slides, showing the development of West Sibiria. The ladies of the Canadian Club have invited the clergy of the city to be present at the lecture. It is announced that ladies wishing to join the club should send in their names to Miss C. O. McGovern, Wellington road, that they may be registered members and receive invitation cards to this lecture. Dr. Bryce will also lecture here next week before the Archaeological Society, and after leaving St. John will go to Ottawa, where he will attend a meeting of the commission on technical education.

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DEATHS

BRANNAN—Suddenly in Boston, on Jan. 6, Jane, widow of Thomas Brannan, and formerly of St. John, in the 68th year of her age, leaving one adopted son and one brother to mourn.
The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of her sister-in-law, Mrs. George McChernock, Sydney street. The body will probably arrive on the train today.

McCLARK—In San Francisco on Dec. 1, Mrs. Mary F. McClark, aged 81 years, leaving three sons and three daughters. (Chatham and P. E. Island papers please copy).

IN MEMORIAM

DUNHAM—Samuel Frederick Dunham died January 4, 1911.
Two years have gone, and still we miss him around our home, but he is gone to rest and God will wipe away all tears.
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38 Dock street.

HAD AFTERNOON TEA
Owing to the ice being very unsatisfactory, the president vs. vice-president match which was to have been held by the St. Andrew's lady curlers yesterday afternoon did not take place. It was postponed for better ice. Instead the opening took the form of an afternoon tea which was much enjoyed. Some of the members of the executive, Mrs. J. Pope Barrow, Miss McCreath, Mrs. E. A. Smith and Mrs. Frank White, had charge of the serving.
24-11

LOCAL NEWS

The West End dancing class, Tuesday evening, Jan. 7.
231-13.

New class for beginners opens at Chale Academy on the 7th.
161-1-8.

Skates renicked and sharpened at Gromlines', 24 Waterloo street; charges reasonable.

One car of slightly damaged corn, 25c a hundred, Steam House, Celebration street.
13129-14.

F. S. Daley, operator at the Gem Theatre is the first to pass the examinations of the board of censors in St. John. Examinations were begun yesterday.

Band concert, Temple of Honor Hall, North End, Tuesday, January 7, under auspices of the St. John's Band, assisted by the famous Bizzard family and other local talent.
1-8.

During January and February H. N. DeMille & Co. will close their stores every evening at 6 p. m.; Saturdays 11 p. m.

WOOD CARVING CLASSES.
Where ladies and gentlemen may receive instruction in the art of wood carving, will be opened at 112 Duke street Tuesday evening, Jan. 14, by George Cartwright. Call Main 2114 for particulars.

Local No. 573 International Longshoremen's Association will hold their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, Jan. 7 at 8 o'clock in their hall, Water street. All members are requested to be present. By order of the president.
292-18.

The McLaughlin Carriage Company, Limited, opened their display of 1913 motor cars this afternoon in their show room, 144 Union street. This exhibit will be open to all interested every afternoon and evening for three days.

A meeting of Marine Warehouse Checkers' Union will be held in their hall, 13 Mill street, this evening, at 8 o'clock. Business of importance will come before the meeting.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Friar took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late home in Main street. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. J. O'Donovan, and interment was in Cedar Hill.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Dolan took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late home in Queen street, West End. The body was taken to the Church of the Assumption where requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. J. J. O'Donovan. Interment was in Sand Cove.

The funeral of Miss Edith Joyce took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her parents' home in Main street, Fairville. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. Collins in St. Rose's Church, and interment was in Sand Cove.

The funeral of Mrs. Annie P. Brittain was brought to the city on the Montreal express this morning. Last funeral took place from the Fairville Station. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. E. Thomas and interment was in Cedar Hill.

The body of John A. Lister was taken to McAdam Junction this morning for burial. Funeral services will be conducted at that place.

REPORT NO TROUBLE GETTING FARMS AND AT REASONABLE PRICES

The provincial Farm Settlement Board met this morning in the government rooms, Church street, and the session being held this afternoon. Chairman, T. W. Butler, Secretary James Gilchrist and A. W. Hay were present. Every afternoon the members reported on the farms they had inspected since the last meeting, and this afternoon they will map out their programme for the next few months.

So far there has been no difficulty in finding all the farms they want, all within a few miles of a town or village, and at low prices. They have met a few owners who appeared to think that they could hold up the board for stiff prices, but there was no need to dicker with them as the members are finding all the farms they want at reasonable prices. The latest farms to be inspected included a group of eight in Charlotte county, within eight miles of St. Stephen, averaging 100 acres each, with buildings and orchards, and at prices ranging from \$72 to \$140.

Messrs. Gilchrist and Hay will leave this evening for Westmorland county to look over some farms offered there, and will proceed to the North Shore, on the same mission.

Before May 1 the board expects to settle at least 100 families on abandoned farms in various parts of the province.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

WANTED—A girl to do general work—to go home at night—evens change—New Tea and Lunch Rooms 158 Union Street.

WANTED—Girl for general work. Apply Mrs. F. R. Dearborn, 230 Prince street.
223-10.

WANTED—A cook, general and nurse in household. Mrs. J. L. McAvilly, 82 Hazen street.
235-14.

WANTED—In a small family, a capable trustworthy woman as working housekeeper. Apply 75 Germania street. Telephone 62.
13117-1-8.

WANTED—To buy at Fairville or City, house of about seven rooms; good location. Address A. B., care Times.
237-14.

PLEASE leave with Conductor Thompson on Suburban train, lady's muff, left in first class car on Jan. 6th, 6:15 train Monday evening and save any further investigation.
1-8.

CANADIAN PATENT and stock of goods on an article now on the market and made in Canada. Large profits. Small investment. Man or woman. No Tear House, Portland, Maine.
231-1-9.

WANTED—Bell boy for Prince William Apartments, between 15 and 16. Must have box of references. Apply Managing Director, Prince William Apartments, Limited, 123 Prince William street.
24-11

RESULT OF LAST CONTEST

Below we give initials of holders of the twelve tickets drawn in each contest, so that they may have the satisfaction of knowing how near they came to winning our prizes.

TRIP TO DEMBARRA
No. 5383, Mrs. Placid Bourque, Milford, N. B.
No. 6863, Mrs. F. T., Main street.
3180, Mrs. M. G., Adelaide street.
4270, Mrs. A. S., Waterloo street.
3918, Mrs. M. P., Mount Pleasant.
6303, Miss M.V., Brunswick, Q. Co.
6990, Miss E. D., Summer Hill.
6707, Mrs. W. E. L., Lovellville.
4253, Mrs. H. S., Smithtown, K. Co.
5383, Miss A. K., No address given.
6992, Mrs. E. S., Moncton Bridge.

TRIP TO NEW YORK
No. 9225, Miss Agnes Owens, 13 Gilbert Lane.
No. 7294, Mr. C. F., Fairville, N. B.
5198, F. W. Munroe (druggist) Main street.
5279, Park Drug Store, Brussels street.
5123, O'Neill Pharmacy, Brussels street.
3328, Clinton Brown (druggist) Union street.
3322, F. W. Munroe (druggist) Main street.
7291, Mr. E. B. M., Prince street, west.
6314, Miss M. K., St. John street, Fredericton.
5135, F. C. Porter (druggist) Union street.
5323, G. K. Bell (druggist) Main street.

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Buy a month's supply now

Acid Boracic, pure, 25c. lb.	2 for 26c.
Aromatic Cascara, best, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
Beef, Iron and Wine, finest, \$1.00 bottle	2 for \$1.01
Bland's Iron Pills, soft, 25c. hundred	2 for 26c.
Belladonna Plasters, 25c.	2 for 26c.
Camphor, best quality, 10c. ounce	2 for 11c.
Cascara Tablets, 5 grains, chocolate coated, 50c. hundred	200 for 51c.
Carbolic Salve, 20c. box	2 for 21c.
Compound Hypophosphites, 8 ounce bottles, 50c.	2 for 51c.
Condition Powders, 25c. box	2 for 26c.
Cod Liver Oil (Norwegian) 50¢ pint	2 for 51c.
Camphorated Oil, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
English White Liniment, containing Camphor and Turpentine, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
Eczema Ointment, 25c. box	2 for 26c.
Epsom Salts, 8c. lb.	2 for 9c.
Fruit Salts, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
Effervescent for the stomach and liver.	
Laxative Cold Tablets, 25c. box	2 for 41c.
Lithia Tablets, 40c. bottle	2 for 41c.
Little Liver Pills, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.

Peroxide of Hydrogen, for mouth wash, teeth, cuts, etc. A safe and useful antiseptic. 4 ounce bottles, regular 25c., 2 for 16c.

Seidlitz Powders, 4 in box, 10c., 2 boxes for 11c.

Quinine Pills, 2 grains, 10c. dozen, 2 dozen for 11c.

Sulphur, 8c. lb., 2 for 9c.

Chemical Food, 8 ounce bottles, 50c., 2 for 51c.

Tasteless Cod Liver Oil Preparation with Malt and Hypophosphites. A great tonic and builder, \$1.00 bottle, 2 for \$1.01.

Nov-A-Gold, 25c. bottle, 2 for 26c.

Sodium Phosphate, granular effervescent, 25c. bottle, 2 for 26c.

Agnew's Catarrh Powder, 50c., 2 for 51c.

Aspirin Tablets, 75c. hundred, 200 for 76c.

Worm Chocolates, 25c. box, 2 for 26c.

Magnesium Citrate, 25c. bottle, 2 for 26c.

Wood Alcohol, 25c. pint, 2 for 26c.

Fig Syrup, containing figs, senna and aromatics, 50c. bottle, 2 for 51c.

Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil, 35c. bottle, 2 for 36c.

PERSONALS

Hon. J. D. Hazen left yesterday for Ottawa.

W. J. Shag, principal of St. Peter's school returned yesterday from New York, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. M. Shag, of 23 Paddock street.

John O'Brian left last night to continue his course at McGill.

Rev. R. G. Fulton arrived in the city yesterday, accompanying his son, Farrell, the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Charles N. Brittain.

Justus E. Barle has gone back to Calgary.

D. Russell Jack was in Vienna on Dec. 15 and spent Christmas in Dresden, going thence to London. He is expected to sail for Canada on Jan. 10.

Mrs. Warren, wife of Peter (N. S.) is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McElroy, in Chatham.

Thomas McElroy, a prosperous merchant and farmer of Ormiston, was in the city yesterday, accompanying his son, Farrell, who is entering business college here.

Jarvis Parry, of North End, returned today from Boston.

Harvey I. Watkins, of Portland, manager of the Keith Amusement, Ltd., arrived in the city at noon on matters in connection with the interests of the firm here.

Rev. Father Carleton of Johaville, arrived in the city this morning.

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Read the list below very carefully. We have determined to make this sale the biggest yet. You never before could make One-Cent buy so much.

You can buy a White Mirror worth \$2.50 for only One-Cent, if you buy one at regular price first. Other valuable articles—Hot Water Bottles, Manicure Sets, Brushes, etc., are offered in the same way.

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Almond Cream, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
Benzoin Cream, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
Bath Mitts, 25c. pair	2 for 26c.
Cream of Roses, for chapped hands, 25c.	
Cream of Roses, 25c. jar	2 for 26c.
Cold Cream, 10c. box	2 for 11c.
Emery Board, 5c. box	2 for 6c.
Egg Shampoo, 25c. jar	2 for 26c.
Face Chamolis, white, 15c. each	2 for 16c.
Face Powder, French, 25c. box	2 for 26c.
Massage Cream, 35c. jar	2 for 36c.
Perfumes, 50c. box	2 for 51c.
Pine Shampoo, 25c. jar	2 for 26c.
Perfumed Borax, 10c. box	2 for 11c.
Ribbon Tooth Paste, 25c. tube	2 for 26c.
Greaseless Face Cream, 25c. jar	2 for 26c.
Enthymol Tooth Powder, 25c. tin	2 for 26c.
Violet Talcum Powder, 25c. tin	2 for 26c.
Toilet Soap, 5c. cake	2 for 6c.
Violet Toilet Cream, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
Carbolic Soap, 5c. cake	2 for 6c.
Shaving Soap, 5c. cake	2 for 6c.
Shaving Cream, 25c. tube	2 for 26c.
Glycerine Lotion with Benzoin and Carbolic, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
Witch Hazel Cream, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
Hyponic Gray Hair Restorer, 50c. bottle	2 for 51c.
Glycerine and Rose Water, 20c. bottle	2 for 21c.

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Household Ammonia, strong, 15c. bottle.

Borax, powdered, 15c. pound	2 for 16c.
Bird Seed, mixed, 10c. package	2 for 11c.
Bird Gravel, 10c. box	2 for 11c.
Castile Soap, French, 10c. cake	2 for 11c.
Chloride of Lime, 15c. lb.	2 for 16c.
Clothes Cleanser, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
Infants' Feeding Bottles, 5c. each	2 for 6c.
Lemon Flavoring, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
Nail Brushes, 10c. each	2 for 11c.
Nail Brushes, 5c. each	2 for 6c.
Gilmour's Hand Cleanser, 10c. tin	2 for 11c.
Lye or Potash, 10c. tin	2 for 11c.
Vaseline, 5c. box	2 for 6c.
Vanilla Extract, 25c. bottle	2 for 26c.
Tooth Picks, 5c. box	2 for 6c.
Sulphur Candles, 10c.	2 for 11c.
Clover Honey, 15c. jar	2 for 16c.
Antiseptic Throat Pastilles, 25c. box	2 for 26c.

A 25c. Cook Book, more than 1,000 recipes, for one cent with a 25c. cent bottle of any Flavoring Extract, Lemon, Vanilla, Maple, Almond, Strawberry, etc.

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5c. Exercise Books	2 for 11c.
5c. Scribbles	2 for 6c.
5c. Lead Pencils	2 for 6c.
10c. Pencil Boxes	2 for 11c.
5c. boxes of Pens	2 for 6c.
7c. Tablets	2 for 6c.

EXTRA! Imitation Ebony Hand Mirrors and Hair Brushes, (silver mounted); worth 50c. to 75c., sale price 2 for 44c.

\$2.50 White Mirrors, 2 for \$2.51

CONFECTIONERY

White's Hard Mixture, 25c. lb., 2 lbs. for 26c.

Mint and Assorted Jujubes, 5c. box	2 for 6c.
Salted Peanuts, 25c. lb.	2 lbs. for 26c.
Nut Milk Chocolate, 10c. bar	2 for 11c.
Cheering Gum, 5c. bar	2 for 6c.
Sweet Chocolate 5c. cake	2 for 6c.

The Evening Times and Star

ST. JOHN, N. B., JANUARY 7, 1913. The St. John Evening Times is published at 7 and 29 Canterbury Street every evening (Sunday excepted) by the St. John Printing and Publishing Co., Ltd., a company incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Act.

GROWTH OF WINNIPEG The city of Winnipeg has an industrial Bureau which has no opportunity to get the world at large to know of the progress of the city, whose boast is that it is located where East meets West. The Times has just received from the press service department of the Industrial Bureau a long story of the growth of Winnipeg during the past year. A new court house and agricultural college were built, and plans completed for the new provincial building which will cost \$2,500,000. Two technical schools were completed and the plans for a new city hall. The city's new power plant was set in operation and the first civic art gallery was completed.

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The Bank Clearings at Winnipeg last year amounted to over a billion and a half of dollars, making that city rank third in this respect. A series of public baths were opened and plans made for a second series. It is worth noting that the growing western city pays some attention to art. With the assistance of the provincial government and the O. P. R., an art gallery was erected which is said to rival those of Montreal and Toronto. The Industrial Bureau which sends out this interesting story has itself been housed in a building covering a city block in a leading thoroughfare. This building is utilized as a non-sectarian, non-partisan social centre, for the consideration of many matters affecting civic life, and as a community meeting-place where the civic spirit may find expression.

THE WESTERN CITY IS TO BE CONGRATULATED upon its growth, and upon its civic spirit and its community work. It is said that no city in Canada pays as much attention to the welfare of the children, not only in connection with juvenile courts, probation officers, shelters, foster homes and the like, but it has spent very large amounts in providing public playgrounds, and as the city expands due provision is made for open spaces for recreation purposes.

CANNOT BE DENIED The Toronto Mail and Empire is of course an upholder of Sir James Whitney, and it is said that he will find a way out of trouble for the taxpayers of Toronto and Ontario generally, without making a change in the assessment law. Yet this leading Tory journal is compelled to make the following admission:—"By an overwhelming majority the voters of Toronto have decided in favor of having the assessment for taxation shifted more largely upon the land. That there are assessment grievances no one will deny. It is notorious that the assessment system as at present worked distributes the burden of taxation very unfairly. Assessment as we now have it is erratic, rather than systematic. That the citizens were prepared to vote for any change that gave the least promise of being for the better was manifest."

AGAIN THE FARMER A recent special report to the United States congress deals with the question of marketing farm products. It goes very thoroughly into the whole question, dealing especially with the intervention of middlemen, and makes some suggestions as follows:—"It is proposed that a corps of traveling field agents and a large corps of local agents and correspondents be established for the following items of service: To help producers organize for associative marketing; to examine and remove local difficulties in the way of such marketing; to help producers to find markets; to report the current descriptive condition of crops, in addition to the work already done by the department's crop reporting service; to estimate the probable production of crops a short time before harvest; to report the beginning and ending of the shipping season; to report the crop movement from producing points through 'gateways' to principal markets."

THE REPORT further recommends investigation as to the storage of farm products either on the farm or elsewhere pending their sale; the business of commission dealers; the various costs of marketing, properly itemized, and compared with prices of products at the farm and with consumers' prices; a description of principal markets and of kind of products; regions; and a study of problems of transportation. At no previous time, either in the United States or in this country, has so much attention been devoted to these questions, affecting alike the interests of producers and consumers. Too much expense is heaped upon an article after it leaves the producer and before it reaches the ultimate consumer, and in many cases the producer, through ignorance or lack of co-operative effort fails to receive as much for his produce as it really is worth. The apple growers of Nova Scotia are teaching the people of this country a lesson in the matter both of selling and of buying.

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AN ALERT IMMIGRATION AGENT at West St. John should be able to induce a number of desirable settlers to choose New Brunswick rather than the West, but the difficulty in most cases would be that the passengers would have through tickets to the western provinces, and would not feel disposed to stop short of their original destination. It is worth while, however, to make the effort, and have even a small number of the right kind of people induced to remain in this province. The Ottawa Journal offers this advice to the government at Ottawa:—"A very good use of Mr. Pelland's million dollar surplus, or a part of it at least, would be the establishment of a cheap parcels post with a general delivery system. The Journal was informed at the dead letter office that annually thousands of parcels remained unclaimed for at the post offices of the country at Christmas, a condition which would be greatly alleviated by the introduction of the system now in use in all the great countries of the world."

Try This Home-made Cough Remedy

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Mix two cups of granulated sugar with 1 cup of warm water, and stir for 5 minutes. Put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (fifty cents worth) in a 16-ounce bottle; then add the Sugar Syrup. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours. You will find that this simple remedy takes hold of a cough more quickly than anything else ever used. Usually ends a deep-seated cough inside of 24 hours. Splendid, too, for whooping cough, croup, chest pains, bronchitis, and other throat troubles. It stimulates the appetite and is slightly laxative, which helps and a cough.

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LIGHTER VEIN A LITTLE SERMON. Cincinnati Enquirer—"I don't profess to know much," remarked the Cheerful Idiot, "but I have discovered that anything you get for nothing is worth just what you paid for it."

AN ANATOMICAL FACT. Doctor (to small boy, aged 4)—"Put your tongue out, please." The juvenile protruded the tip of his tongue. "No, no; put it right out." "I can't, doctor," was the distressed reply. "It's fastened on to me."—Weekly Telegraph.

NO ROOM. "Berrie," said the hospitable hostess at a Sunday School treat, "would you eat some more cookies?" "I can't, I'm full!" sighed Bertie. "What do you mean by that?" "I can't," said Bertie, "I'm full, too," was the regretful answer.—Youth's Companion.

A REFORMING INFLUENCE. "That automobile I bought has been doing wonders for me," said Mr. Chuggins, "fresh air and all sort of things." "It has benefited me morally as well as physically," he has led me to avoid intoxicants and to lead a life that will insure me as beautiful an obituary as possible."

SIMPLIFIES THE PROBLEM. Sarah Bernhardt says that all the baby doctors should say to the people of Fredericton that they are not yet fit for local self government there would doubtless be some noise; and yet there is a movement on foot to take away from them the control of their police force.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is sole proprietor of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every copy of Catarrh Cure cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 5th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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Further Step in His Efforts to Instill in People's Minds Proper Care of Teeth

Another tempting offer is being made by Dr. J. D. Maher, for the benefit of the public, as will be seen by scanning page 7 of today's "Times."

If the proper care of the teeth is not instilled in the minds of the coming generation, it will not be for lack of exertion on Doctor Maher's part.

For years, by letters, lectures and advertisements, he has brought the subject of dentistry forcibly before the public, and has advocated the inspection of children's teeth in the schools, and approached the

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THIS LEGAL ACTION MOST COSTLY KNOWN

Trial of English Case Makes Record in the Old Country

COST WAS \$45 A MINUTE

Ton of Documents and Four Day Opening Speech Other Features of Suit Arising Out of a Five Million Dollar Contract

(Times' Special Correspondence) London, Dec. 26 — Forty-five dollars a minute was the cost of an extraordinary trial which has just come to an end in the British Chancery court, and has proved the most expensive on record in this country. It lasted forty-two days, and the documents on each side weighed half a ton.

This legal battle, in which no less than five "K. Cs." and a whole galaxy of "junior" barristers were engaged, arose out of a \$5,000,000 contract made by John Aird & Co., a famous English engineering firm, for the building of a dock at Singapore for the Japanese Navy. The dock was to be built on a site which had been the subject of a long and bitter dispute between the Japanese and the British. The Japanese claimed \$2,000,000 damages for alleged misrepresentations regarding the strata through which trenches had to be sunk.

The opening statement of W. H. Upjohn, K.C., took four days, and he called twenty-four witnesses. Most of the testimony was technical, but some of it was funny. Among other things, it was affirmed that there was no mud in the world to compare with Singapore mud, which is "shilbery, oily, watery and impossible to handle."

Those of Aird's men who did not catch fever got some form of skin disease, the trial judge said at night "like a motor-bus in Fleet street" the timber fell in and if a man slipped into the mud he disappeared unless somebody was near to pull him out, and then he left his boots behind. If a tool dropped in the mud it was gone forever.

The dock board denied misrepresentation, declaring that the plaintiffs were well aware of the conditions, and claimed to have suffered a loss of \$2,500,000 through Messrs. Aird not carrying out the contract.

The judge, Mr. Justice Barker, held that there had been a blunder from carelessness, but no intention to deceive, and reversed judgment on other points. W. H. Upjohn, K.C., the "leader" for Messrs. Aird, received \$12,500 on being briefed, and the leader on the other side, Mr. James Jackson, received \$10,000. The mass of documents which had been filed in the case during the previous record-holding trial, the famous "Wyer vs. Lewis" action in the King's Bench Division, which lasted thirty-five days and was known as the "everlasting case."

NELLIE GILL PLAYERS

Good Class of Plays at the Opera House This Week.

The engagement of the Nellie Gill Players which begins at the Opera House on Thursday evening assures the theatre-going public a superior class of plays. The company has a record of having played Toronto, 10 weeks; Hamilton, 10 weeks; London, Ontario, four weeks, and other equally successful engagements in the New England States. The play for Thursday, Friday and Saturday is the splendid modern drama, "Paid in Full," which ran for two years at the Astor Theatre, New York. There is sufficient recommendation as to its merit and warrants the high place it occupies in theatrical circles. The company includes Miss Nellie Gill, for two seasons leading woman with the King Stock Company; Bert S. Davis, late of the Percy Haswell Co., now playing Toronto, and a supporting company of twelve players.

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- LADIES' NET TUNICS, in white, ecru, sky, mauve, embroidered in contrasting shades, each... \$16.75
LADIES' TUNICS IN BEADED NINON, grey, sky, pink, and cerise, each... \$11.25 to \$19.50
LADIES' TUNIC IN BLACK NINON, beaded and fringe trimmed, each... \$13.75
MISSIE'S EVENING DRESSES, silk draped with ninon, pink, white, sky, rosebud trimmed, neck and sleeves finished with fine pleated lace, each... \$22.50
MISSIE'S WHITE CHARMOUSE DRESSES, draped figured beaded ninon, white and blue, white and pink, beaded fringe to match lace and shirred silk trimmings, each... \$22.50
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LADIES' EVENING COATS, in apricot and mauve, silk and broad trimmings, each... \$29.00
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Other styles in old rose, cream, brown, red and blue.
ECRU NET BLOUSES—Lace insertion trimmed, each \$5.50 to \$5.00
WHITE VOILE WAISTES—Trimmed with fine French Valenciennes, long sleeves, pleated lace at wrist, trimmed cerise, each... \$5.25
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WHITE LACE BLOUSES—Dipped and high neck, three-quarter sleeves, piped tan, Copenhagen, light blue, each... \$4.50 and \$5.25
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RECENT DEATHS

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The death of John A. Bulmer occurred at his home, Cherryfield, West Co., on Friday. Mr. Bulmer was sixty years of age. He leaves his wife, seven sons and five daughters. Three sons, who reside in the west, are Edward, Walter and Roger; and John, Oscar, Herbert and James are at home. The daughters are Mrs. C. C. McCabe, of Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. R. C. Fall, of Lewistown, N. B.; Emily of New York, Letitia and Ella at home. One son, George, died in the hospital with typhoid fever.

On Saturday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Jane Haines, Salisbury, Ethel, wife of Harry Phillips, of Moncton, passed away. Besides her mother and husband, she leaves two sons, George and Harold, and three daughters, Dora, Henrietta and Jessie; also four brothers, John, of the I. C. R., and Calvin of Moncton; George and Luther of Salisbury, and two sisters, Mrs. W. Williams of Penobscia and Mrs. Truman Banister of Hillsboro.

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WANTED - FEMALE HELP

WANTED - At once, girl 16, 53 Brussels street. 231-14. WANTED - General girl. Mrs. Sanction, 107 Orange street. 222-14. FEMALE COOK WANTED. Apply North End Restaurant, 725 Main St. 19-11. WANTED - For a few weeks, young girl for office to answer phone calls; one who can operate typewriter preferred. Apply between 11 and 12 a. m. T. M. Wright, Canadian Real Estate Office, 37 Dock street. 224-9. WANTED - Hand Sewers. Apply L. Cohen, 212 Union street, entrance on Sydney. GIRL WANTED - General Public Hospital. 180-13. WANTED - Competent girl for general housework to go home at night. Apply to Miss Hunter, 34 Sydney street. 15-11. WANTED - At once, cook, general. Apply Mrs. Walter Harrison, 69 Mecklenburg street. 16-11. GIRL - For general housework. Apply No. 1 Elliott Row. 149-11. WANTED - General girl, no washing; references required. Apply Mrs. W. A. Henderson, 123 King street East. 14-11. GENERAL GIRL WANTED, 10 Peter street. 13-11. WANTED - Girls in all departments. American Laundry, 98 Charlotte street. 49-12. WANTED - A cook, references required. Apply Mrs. M. G. Teed, 110 Hazen street. 48-12. WANTED - A young girl to assist in housework; references required. Apply Mrs. P. H. Inches, 179 Germain street. 46-12. WANTED - A few smart girls to work on shirtwaists. Apply 22 Church street, second floor. 29-12. WANTED - A dining room girl. Apply Boston Restaurant, 20 Charlotte street. 6-11. MILLINERS WANTED - Experienced trimmers, also dressmakers and alterations. Apply Mrs. E. Skinner, 60 King street. 74-11. WANTED - An experienced housemaid with references. Apply Mrs. T. E. G. Armstrong, 27 Queen Square. 1892-11. WANTED - A girl. Apply Mrs. S. Walsh, 708 Germain street. 1778-11. GIRLS WANTED at A. & I. Isaacs, 80 and 84 Princess street. 1746-11. KITCHEN AND CHAMBERMAIDS wanted, Grand Union Hotel. 1837-11. GIRLS WANTED - Sixty-two Celestion street, Wm. J. Parks. 1045-11. FOR SALE FOR SALE - The Excellent Going Business of H. S. Hoyt, Weymouth, N. S. General Store and Shoe Store. 74-10. FOR SALE, Jersey cow. Apply F. H. McNair, Norton, N. B. 101-9. FOR SALE - A small lot of enamel cloth, 30 yards (suitable for covering furniture). 1 large Axminster square, \$12.00; 1 round Mahogany Table, \$10.00; 1 Bureau and Commode, \$6.00; 1 large cot, \$2.00; Tidy Heater, \$4.00. McGrath's Furniture and Departmental Store, 19 Brussels street. DUFFY Natural Wood or Painted Tobacco Pungs, easily adjusted for one or two seats. Best sleigh made for country or city. Very popular in St. John. Ten Speed Sleighs, twenty Delivery Pungs, twelve One Horse Sleighs - new and second hand. Send for prices and catalogue. Edgecombe's, 115 City Road; Phone Main 547. FOR SALE - Ulsters and Overcoats at Bargain Prices, W. J. Higgins & Co., 182 Union street. 1894-11. GREAT BARGAINS in sample dresses and children's coats, ladies' house dresses or waists; also sale in wall paper remnants. H. Paig, 74 Brussels street. SOFT COAL - Landing, Minute and Syd. new Soft Coal. James S. McGivern, agent. Telephone 42, 5 Mill street. ENGRAVERS F. C. WESLEY & CO. Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 92. HORSES FOR SALE HORSES FOR SALE - One pair 30 hundred-weight, six years' old. McKinnon's, 83 St. Patrick street. 13123-1-8. MONEY TO LOAN MONEY TO LOAN on satisfactory securities; properties bought and sold. Stephen B. Bustin, Barrister, 62 Princess street. 253-11. St. John, N. B., Dec. 9, 1912. WANTED Agents to sell books throughout Canada. Apply from: P.J. House, Box 94, ST. JOHN, N. B. APOLI & STEED'S MacLaren's PILLS

MORNING LOCALS

The fire department was called out last night for a fire in the rear of W. G. Salmon's tailor shop in Charlotte street. It was extinguished before much damage was done. A surprise party was held last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, Kennedy street. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Anderson received a handsome silver butter dish. George Melrose, Jack Hipwell, Charlie Malcolm, Otis Bender, Frederick Bowen and Daniel McDonald left for Fredericton last night to resume their studies at the U. N. B. G. C. Needham, clerk in the C. P. R. freight office here, has been transferred to St. Stephen, and left for there last night. Albert Greese of Paris, arrived in the city on the C. P. R. liner Empress of Britain. Mr. Greese is the son of the publisher and proprietor of a group of influential French newspapers. He has just returned after a hunting trip in Africa and India. He may return to New Brunswick next year with a party of French sportsmen in search of game. He will have an interview with Premier Fleming tomorrow. Daniel J. Barrett, representing the McLean Holt Ltd., left for Toronto last night to attend the meeting of the Maritime Store Manufacturers' Association. One of the matters to come up for discussion is that of increasing the price of the U. S. Revenue Cutter "Woodbury" has arrived at Eastport with the threatened schooner Emily T. White in tow, laden with lumber from St. John for New York. She will be handed to Lubee for repairs. The Woodbury reported the British schooner Bobs on the shore at Jonesport, but not greatly damaged, and likely to float easily. An immigration bureau is to be established at West St. John by the provincial department for the purpose of laying before settlers the advantages offered by this province. WANTED - MALE HELP JUNIOR OFFICE CLERK WANTED: Must write good hand and be quick in figures. Apply P. O. Box 431. 4-11. WANTED - A young man for invoice clerk and assist in office work. Apply W. H. Hayward Co., 58 Prince street. 1-11. BOY WANTED to learn the printing trade. Apply to Chas. M. Langley, 14 Cantarley street. WANTED - At once, good smart boy, between 14 and 15. Scovill Bros. Ltd., corner King and Germain. 17-11. WANTED - Clerk in Oyster Restaurant; references required. J. Allan Turner. 129-11. WANTED - A boy. Apply D. & J. Peterson, 77 Germain street. 1897-11. BOY WANTED - At once, one who wants to learn the printing business. Fred Doug. 88 Chalmers street. WESTERN Employment Agency, 14 Rodney street, West St. John, N. B. A. Wilson, Manager. 1383-10. BOY WANTED - With some experience in the barber trade, 4 Dock street. 129-11. WANTED! Young men between ages of 17 and 20 wanted at McAvity's brass foundry. 111-11-11. TO LET TO LET - Large barn, 65 Elliott Row. 129-11. TO LET - Lower Flat of six rooms and bath. Furniture for sale if desired. Apply No. 181 Queen street, or to Stephen B. Bustin, Barrister, 62 Princess street. 21-14. TO LET - Store, 92 Sydney street, immediate occupation. Apply Thos. M. Burns, Ritchie Building, Princess street. 1224-11. TWO FLATS TO LET. From May let. Very Suitable for WAREHOUSE or SMALL FACTORY, having elevator and rear entrance for goods. We intend making a front entrance to the two flats over our Union street store which will make them very desirable and complete for other purposes. Barber Shop or Work Rooms. For further particulars apply to C. H. Smythe, care Waterbury & Rising, Ltd. Union street. 2-11. TO LET - Upper Flat 35 Douglas Ave. Miss Robinson. 13187-1-8. TO LET - Office and Warehouse, can be seen any time up to 6 p. m. Wm. Davies Co., 181 Prince Wm street. 1763-11. BUSINESS FOR SALE Tenders will be received up to the 18th day of January, 1913, by and at the office of the undersigned, Brock & Peterson, Limited, for all the uncollected book debts, shop fittings (Silent Salesmen), safe, office furniture and fixtures, goods, chattels, personal property and effects in, around and about the premises now or heretofore occupied by Frederick R. Patterson (doing business as F. R. Patterson & Co.) at No. 207 Union street in the City of Saint John, mentioned and comprised in a certain Bill of Sale dated 11 May, 1911, made by the said Frederick R. Patterson to the said Brock & Peterson, Ltd. The said property may be tendered for in bloc or separately. Terms cash. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. An inventory of the property to be sold may be seen at the office of the undersigned. Dated this second day of January, A.D. 1913. BROCK & PATERSON LIMITED, 30 King street, St. John, N. B. 43-18.

Do You Know What A Clearance Sale Actually Means

By J. R. HAMILTON Former Advertising Manager Wanamaker's, Philadelphia

AFTER YOU have read the advertising in this paper today, you are going to get down to these stores as quickly as the doors are open and then there is going to be enacted a scene that will make the old Manchester Bread Riots look like a peaceful Sunday in the park.

After you have found all the remarkable bargains in this paper today, all you have to do is to figure up how many thousands of women have also found them and then in this case you will figure it is better to be early than to be "Queen of the May."

Of course you are going to these January Sales, but now the questions are, Why are we going? And do you know why the merchants are holding such sales?

"Why," you say, "they are trying to get rid of their surplus stock."

But that doesn't answer the question, especially for staple merchandise. People are going to wear shoes next year, and therefore why should a real dollar or more be cut from the price of such staples as shoes.

People are going to wear skirts and stockings and underwear and coats. They are going to continue to use knives and forks and kitchen utensils, so why should the prices on these staple things be cut to such a point as to make you fling on your hat and start for a bargain sale as if you were starting for a fire.

The answer in a word is that the greatest dread any merchant knows is that of a broken or an uneven stock of merchandise. Most merchants refer to such a stock as a "Junk Shop," and they dread it more than anything else.

If a merchant has a broken stock of a certain kind of shoes, his clerks or his salesmen do not please you when you come to buy and you go out to where you can be pleased. If you see a certain skirt pattern that you like, and you are suddenly told that you can only get that pattern in size 16, you sigh wearily and turn away from the counter.

Merchants have learned all these things by long and bitter experience, and that is why they are willing to sell all and any of their broken lines at these prices no matter how staple these lines may be, in order that they may accomplish this one end of a clean store and complete merchandise.

A word to the wise is sufficient. In this paper today these merchants are selling you what they have at such remarkable bargain prices as to stir every instinct which every woman has for Economy.

And if what they have happens to be what you want, you will save so much money, that it will seem as if Santa Claus had left you a Bank Account.

But Remember! the secret of big bargains in these bargain days is for you to have the advertising at your finger tips and to be in the stores a half an hour earlier than those "hateful" other women who are trying to beat you there.

"A Blow Below the Belt." We wonder sometimes, when we see a chap fall, When everything seemed his way; Why he took the "count" in spite of the "call" To "force the fight" and "stay." We wonder how he lost his grit, But don't know how he felt; When whiskey won and he had to quit With a "blow below the belt." We wonder sometimes, when we see a chap rise, From the blows of old "John Barleycorn"; How he managed to win and "beat the game" Of the whiskey that led him on. We wonder how he got his "hold" And gave alcohol such a "weld," 'Twas the "NEAL WAY" did it, in "JUST THREE DAYS" With a "blow below the belt."

DOUGLAS FIR DOORS Modern Beautiful Durable Have Them in Your New Home. J. RODERICK & SON British Street.

CANADIAN PACIFIC AROUND THE WORLD VIA Canadian Pacific Empress of Russia and Empress of Asia will leave Liverpool April 1st and May 27th, respectively, and will arrive at Vancouver in about two months. \$639.10 From Canadian or American port to Liverpool, thence Gibraltar, Monte Carlo, Port Said, Suez, Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Vancouver, thence rail to original starting point. Full particulars on application to W. B. HOWARD, D.P.A., C.P.R. St. John, N.B.

PROBATE COURT, CITY AND COUNTY OF ST. JOHN. To the Sheriff of the City and County of St. John, or any Constable of the said City and County - GREETING: WHEREAS the, THE ADMINISTRATOR of the estate of George Heber Oulton, of the City of Saint John in the City and County of Saint John, Mall Clerk, deceased, has filed in this court an account of his administration of the said deceased's estate and has prayed that the same may be passed and allowed in due form of law, and distribution of the said estate directed according to law. You are therefore required to cite the heirs and next of kin of the deceased and all of the creditors and other persons interested in his said estate, to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the City and County of Saint John, at the Probate Court room in the Pugsley building in the City of Saint John, on Monday the twenty-seventh day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to attend at the passing and allowing of the said account and at the making of the order for the distribution of the said estate as prayed for and as by law directed. Given under my hand and the Seal of the said Probate Court, this eighteenth day of December, A.D. 1912. (L.S.) J. R. ARMSTRONG, Judge of Probate. H. O. McNERNEY, Registrar of Probate. MACRAE, SINCLAIR & MACRAE, Proctors. 12-25. WANTED WANTED - Good home for child of three months. Terms to be arranged. Address 31 Elliott Row. 1773-8. WANTED - Small furnished flat, immediately in vicinity of City Hall, West St. John, by married couple. Address 28 Times office. 13.

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN WANTED - No experience required. Earn good wages while learning. Write today for list of hundreds of positions now open paying \$1,000 to \$3,000 a year. Address Dept. 543, National Salesmen's Training Association, 150 Yonge street, Kent 104g, Toronto, Ont.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

SPLENDID Opportunity for anyone wishing to start in the barber business without capital. Store and all accessories for barber business to let at 47 Brussels street. Also store No. 223 Union street. Apply Askins, 221 Union street.

The Kodak Corner St. John Outgrowing Its Long Childhood PHOTOGRAPH ITS GROWTH YOU CAN DO IT WITH A KODAK The same Kodak will take many interesting personal pictures for you. Let the boys and girls take pictures of their early recollections of St. John, with a Brownie Camera. Cost is only a trifle. J.M. Roche & Co., Ltd. King St.

If You Want to Save Money buy Your Groceries at the 2 Barkers Ltd., 100 Princess St., 111 Brussels St., 443 Main St., 243 King St., West End. All connected by Telephone. Best New Seeded Raisins only 7c. per package. Apples from 15c. a peck up. Oranges from 10c. per dozen up. Cranberries only 10c. per quart. 3 lbs. Prunes for 25c. 10 lbs. Onions for 25c. Peerless Blend Tea, regular 40c. for 25c. per pound. 3 Bottles Worcestershire Sauce for 25c. 7 lbs. Western Grey Backbeet for 25c. 7 pounds Oatmeal for 25c. 6 Bars Castle Soap for 25c. 6 Cakes Toilet Soap, in box, only 25c. 3 Knife Kitchen Sets only 15c. 3 Pair Serranos, in box, only 25c. 6 Piece Kitchen sets only 65c. Jardinieres from 15c. up. Plates from 45c. per dozen up. Cups and Saucers from 50c. per dozen up.

King George's Navy Plug

YOU MUST STUDY INVESTMENTS... You cannot without statistics... An investment House of extensive clientele...

YOUR FINANCIAL PROBLEMS, WE CAN HELP YOU SOLVE THEM!... If you cannot meet the additional cost of living, we can help you to increase your income...

BUILDING LOT... Freehold building lot 40x107 on Wright St. For Sale. This is a very attractive building lot...

DESTRUCTION OF THE CANADIAN TAMARACK

The almost total destruction of the tamarack, or larch, which took place through-out Eastern Canada almost thirty years ago was caused by an insect, the larch sawfly...

FIRST WHEAT OVER G. T. P. HERE TONIGHT

It is interesting to note that the first trainload of wheat to be received over the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway from the west will reach the city this evening...

Get Medals From King

New York, Jan. 7.—Members of the American Olympic committee who attended the game in Stockholm last summer, yesterday received medals of honor from the King of Sweden...

NA-DRU-CO LAXATIVES

Women's commonest ailment—the root of so much of their ill-health—constipation yields to the gentle but certain action of Na-Dru-Co Laxatives.

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Am Copper, Am Beet Sugar, Am Steel, etc.

SOKOTO CAUGHT THE STORM HARD

The Elder-Dempster liner Sokoto, Captain Pearce, which arrived in port yesterday did not dock until noon today, having been lying in the stream on account of the lack of wharf accommodations...

RESTAURANT MEN OF NEW YORK COMBINE TO BUY MORE CHEAPLY

New York, Jan. 7.—The latest plan for wresting with the high cost of food problem in New York is a proposition being considered by the newly formed organization of restaurant and hotel proprietors...

NEW USE FOR THE FIREMEN

The Berlin, Germany, fire brigade, under the leadership of its chief, is now being used for the purpose of cleaning up the city...

Two Grand Free Return Trips DRAWING JULY 1st, 1913 FIRST PRIZE

Just think! For \$1.00 spent at either of our St. John offices you can get one dollar's worth of the best dentistry obtainable and likewise a free ticket carrying a chance for this splendid trip...

During the summer season travel is at its height. The palatial steamers that ply between Albany and New York and between New York and Boston are amongst the finest in the world...

There is no more delicious Tooth Paste on the market. Tickets will be given for either prize for SPOT CASH transactions only.

TOWN PLANNING IN CANADA

at one of the universities. In every university there are large numbers of men who, in order to provide the necessary funds to work during the term...

NOT WORRYING HERE ABOUT GASPE HOPES

The proposal to establish a terminus at Gaspé is not taken very seriously around St. John, especially by those who remember the "previous experiment" along this line...

INDIANTOWN RESCUE

About noon today in Indiantown two men named Fisher and Hickman were rescued from the ice in the vicinity of Spar Cove Road.

Here's a Chance to try

How superior Zam-Buk is to ordinary salves! We want every man, woman and child who suffers from any form of Skin Disease or injury to use Zam-Buk and get cured quickly. Try Zam-Buk for yourself at our expense.

FREE BOX Out on this advertisement, write across it the name of this paper and mail it to Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, with 1c stamp to pay return postage. We will send you a trial box FREE. Show this offer to your friends!



NOW ENJOYING
SPLENDID HEALTH

Nervousness and Dyspepsia Cured
By "Fruit-a-tives"

Walkerton, Ont., May 9th, 1911.
My trouble was extreme Nervousness,
brought on by indigestion or Dyspepsia,
from which I suffered in the worst form.
I asked Mr. Hunter, my druggist, about
"Fruit-a-tives" and he advised me to try
them.
I took several boxes and am pleased to
say I am now enjoying fine health.
I honestly believe I owe my health to
"Fruit-a-tives" and strongly advise anyone
suffering from Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Ner-
vousness or Sleeplessness, to commence us-
ing "Fruit-a-tives" and continue this reme-
dy until a cure is accomplished.
ALEX. McCARTER.
"Fruit-a-tives" is sold by all dealers at
50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial size, 25c.
—or write Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

WIFE'S HEALTH
RESTORED

Husband Declared Lydia E.
Pinkham's Vegetable
Compound Would Re-
store Her Health,
And It Did.

Ashland, Ky. — "Four years ago I
seemed to have everything the matter
with me. I had female and kidney trou-
ble and was so bad off
I could hardly read
day or night. I doc-
tored with all the
best doctors in town
and took many kinds
of medicine but noth-
ing did any good un-
til I tried your won-
derful remedy, Lydia
E. Pinkham's Vege-
table Compound. My husband said
it would restore my health and it has."
—Mrs. MAY WYATT, Ashland, Ky.

There are probably hundreds of thou-
sands of women in the United States
who have been benefited by this famous
old remedy, which was produced from
roots and herbs over thirty years ago by
a woman to relieve women's suffering.
Read What Another Woman Says:
Camden, N. J. — "I had female trou-
ble and a serious displacement and was
tired and discouraged and unable to do my
work. My doctors told me I never could
be cured without an operation, but
thanks to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable
Compound I am cured of that affliction
and have recommended it to more than
one of my friends with the best results."
—Mrs. ELLA JOHNSON, 324 Vine St.

If you want special advice write to
Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (con-
fidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will
be opened, read and answered by a
woman and held in strict confidence.

BARCKING MILLS
Chatham World—Mr. Beakley is put-
ting a crew to work on Monday to take
down and ship half of the machinery of
the Morrison Cove barking mill—namely,
fifteen barkers, three rollers, and cutting
up gear. This machinery will be sent to
Gaspé, where the Dalhousie Lumber
Co., another subsidiary of the International
Paper Co., is erecting a barking mill.
Mr. Beakley proposes to run the remain-
ing half of the Morrison Cove machinery
next summer instead of operating the
Richards' mill day and night as was done
last summer.

LABOR CANDIDATES
The Fredericton Labor Council has de-
cided to take part as an organization in
civic politics, and already steps are being
taken towards placing candidates in the
field at the next civic elections. It is not
the intention of the Labor Council to place
a complete ticket in the field.

Exhausted Nerves
Sleepless Nights

Continually Crew Worse Until On
Chase's Nerve Food Restored
Vigor and Strength



Mrs. Campbell.
What misery to be awake nights
and think of all sorts of things with-
out being able to get the rest and
sleep which is necessary to restore
the nervous energy wasted in the
tasks of the day.
This symptom of sleeplessness is
one of the surest indications of an ex-
hausted nervous system. You must
have sleep or a breakdown is certain.
Dr. Chase's Nerve Food feeds the
feeble, wasted nerves back to health
and strength. In a few days you ob-
tain the natural, restful sleep which
helps so materially in restoring vitality
to the nerves and strength to the
whole body.
Mrs. Sarah Campbell, 108 Alma
street, St. Thomas, Ont., writes: "For
months I was so bothered with ner-
vousness that I could not sleep nights.
There were other symptoms of ex-
hausted nerves, but none caused so
much misery, and I found myself
continually getting worse.
"I began using Dr. Chase's Nerve
Food, and it was not long before I
noticed great improvement in my
health. It built up the nervous sys-
tem wonderfully, strengthened the
nerves and enabled me to rest and
sleep well."
Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50c a box,
6 for \$2.50, all dealers, or Edmondson,
Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

JAMES R. KEENE LEFT
FIFTEEN MILLIONS OR MORE

New York, Jan. 4.—The funeral of James
R. Keene, millionaire banker and
racing stable owner, took place yesterday
at Grace Episcopal church. He is said to
have left a fortune estimated to be be-
tween \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000.
Hundreds of messages of condolence
have been received both by Fochall
Keene, Mr. Keene's son, and Mr. Dainger-
field, his father-in-law. Many of them
were from friends living abroad.
At the entrance to the church stood Wil-
liam Roman, Mr. Keene's confidential agent
in the financial district, and Algeron
Daingerfield, a nephew of the deceased,
whose own father, Major Fox Hall Dainger-
field, died in Lexington on Sunday. Both
hurried from the church before the services
were over to go to Lexington to attend
the funeral of Major Daingerfield.

AMUSEMENTS IN ST. JOHN;
WHAT THE PLAYHOUSES OFFER

K. B. AT UNIQUE.
For more than a month patrons of the
Unique Theatre have wondered the mean-
ing of the signs placed in a conspicuous
place in the lobby, reading "K. B. What
do they Stand For?" Visitors to this cozy
amusement house last evening were told
the secret and one and all agreed that it
was one of the best things of the kind ever
presented in a local motion picture the-
atre. An opportunity will be given the
curious again this afternoon and
evening to ascertain what the mystic let-
ters stand for, it is something well worth
finding out, and after the knowledge has
been gained, it is most likely that K. B.
will mean something worth while to us
lovers of the pantomime art as exploited
on the this strip of film.
FLANTRY MIDGERS AT LYRIC.
A novel and interesting vaudeville at-
traction was presented at the Lyric The-
atre last evening in the Flantry Midgers,
a lady and gentleman, who belong to the
Lilliputian world, offering an act of music
and comedy, and ending with an amusing
burlesque boxing match. The tiny per-
formers are hardly about three feet in
height, and to watch their antics is richly
amusing. They remind one of the days
of General Tom Thumb, and in fact look
more like two dolls dressed up in occa-
sion than anything else. Once they start
in to create heavy laughter, in which they
succeed, this idea is banished and all set-
tle back in their seats to enjoy a few min-
utes of novel entertainment. Special mat-
inees will be held this and tomorrow
afternoon for the benefit of the children,
who after school hours can behold two of
the smallest people in the world, as well as
enjoying a picture programme of great edu-
cational value.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

A delegation appeared yesterday before
the council in Fredericton asking that a
police commission of three be appointed,
one member by the city annually and the
others by the lieutenant-governor-in-coun-
cil triennially. The chief speakers in sup-
port of the move were Dr. Stevens, Bishop
Richardson and E. A. McKay.
When the dominion commission for en-
quiry into the pilotage system between
Father Point and Quebec is in session, Cap-
tain Webb, of the Hudson Bay Steamship
Company, will lay before it evidence con-
cerning the grounding of the steamer
Boishele on two occasions within twelve
hours in good weather, a pilot was in
charge.
J. T. Ellis, M. L. A., for West Ottawa,
was elected mayor of Ottawa yesterday by
1,000 majority.
A suit for divorce has been begun in
Maine by Mrs. Mary J. Sirois against her
husband, James Sirois, who is at present
serving a term of five years in Dorchester
on a charge of obtaining money under
false representations. It is said he was
living with another woman at the time of
his trial and before.
The body of Miss Catherine Rankine of
Woodstock was brought there yesterday
from New York, where death took place.
Eight men were killed yesterday near
Tonlois, France, in an explosion aboard
the French battleship Massena. The steam
collector pipe of one of the boilers burst.
The crew of the bark Carrie Winslow,
numbering eight sailors, the mate and cap-
tain, and the latter's wife, were brought
to Philadelphia yesterday on the British
steamer Syndic, whose crew braved the
raging seas in the last lifeboat they had,
to effect the rescue.

DUKE MAY VISIT PORTLAND

The Portland correspondent of the Ban-
gor Commercial writes:
It is now expected that the 43rd Rifle
of Ottawa, one of the noted Canadian regi-
ments will be in Portland, Me., during the
summer. The command is the special reg-
iment and guard of whoever happens to
be governor general of Canada, and the of-
ficer is now held by His Royal Highness
the Duke of Cornwallis, the uncle of King
George V., and the king is the honorary
colonel. The duke is an accomplished
dancer and so it is almost assumed that
in the event of the coming here of the 43rd
he might be with them. The possibility of
a visit to Maine by the regiment was sug-
gested several weeks ago and advices from
Ottawa are to the same effect.
Before the civil war, the then Prince of
Wales, afterwards King Edward VII, came
here, and it may be that the Duke of Corn-
wallis may remember that incident in the
life of his brother, and that he may want
to see the Portland of today. The regi-
ment ranks very high among the crack

Oak Hall's Mid-Winter Sale
Of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnish-
ings Begins Friday Morning

Smash Go the Prices on All Winter Goods—
An Opportunity for Money Saving that
is Without an Equal

Our Mid-Winter Sale begins Friday morning. It is the most noteworthy money-saving event of the year, an occasion upon which hundreds will take advantage of the extraordinary price reductions on Suits and Overcoats for Mid-winter and early Spring.
And such Clothing! Saint John's Best! No better styles or tailoring in all Canada. No garments that will give better wear or that will prove more satisfactory in any way.
Oak Hall prices are admittedly 25 to 33-1-3 per cent. below those of other stores. Because as manu-
facturers having no middleman's profits to pay we can and do sell to you at about the same prices other stores pay at wholesale. Bear in mind, therefore, that the saving is from prices that were already lower by 25 to 33-1-3 per cent. than any others in the city.



MEN'S OVERCOATS

Regular \$ 6.50 Overcoats	Reduced to \$ 4.95
Regular 8.00 Overcoats	Reduced to 5.85
Regular 10.00 Overcoats	Reduced to 7.25
Regular 12.00 Overcoats	Reduced to 8.85
Regular 15.00 Overcoats	Reduced to 11.00
Regular 20.00 Overcoats	Reduced to 15.00
Regular 25.00 Overcoats	Reduced to 18.00
Regular 30.00 Overcoats	Reduced to 22.00
Regular 35.00 Overcoats	Reduced to 27.50

MEN'S REEFERS AND ULSTERS

Regular \$ 4.25 Reefers	Reduced to \$ 3.45
Regular 5.00 Reefers	Reduced to 3.95
Regular 6.50 Reefers	Reduced to 5.20
Regular 10.00 Reefers	Reduced to 7.90
Regular 6.00 Ulsters	Reduced to 4.50
Regular 8.00 Ulsters	Reduced to 5.95
Regular 13.50 Ulsters	Reduced to 10.85

MEN'S SUITS

Men's 6.00 and \$6.50 Tweed Suits	Reduced to \$ 4.45
Men's 7.50 Tweed Suits	Reduced to 5.10
Men's 15.00 Tweed Suits	Reduced to 7.95
Men's 20.00 Tweed Suits	Reduced to 11.35
Men's 10.00 Tweed Suits	Reduced to 7.95
Men's 15.00 Tweed Suits	Reduced to 10.45
Men's 20.00 Tweed Suits	Reduced to 13.35
Men's 25.00 Tweed Suits	Reduced to 16.65
Men's 30.00 Tweed Suits	Reduced to 24.70
Regular 10.00 Blue and Black Suits	Reduced to 8.35
Regular 12.00 Blue and Black Suits	Reduced to 9.45
Regular 15.00 Blue and Black Suits	Reduced to 10.45
Regular 20.00 Blue and Black Suits	Reduced to 14.45
Regular 25.00 Blue and Black Suits	Reduced to 17.45
Regular 30.00 Blue and Black Suits	Reduced to 23.00

BOYS' TWO-PIECE SUIT
Ages 8 to 16 Years

Regular \$ 4.00 Suits	Reduced to \$ 3.20
Regular 5.00 Suits	Reduced to 3.95
Regular 6.00 Suits	Reduced to 4.80
Regular 8.00 Suits	Reduced to 6.40
Regular 10.00 Suits	Reduced to 7.95
Regular 12.00 Suits	Reduced to 9.60

BLOOMER SAILOR SUITS
6 to 10 Years

Suits that were \$6.50	Reduced to \$4.95
Suits that were 5.50	Reduced to 4.75
Suits that were 4.50	Reduced to 4.40
Suits that were 5.00	Reduced to 3.95

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS
Sizes 33 to 35

Regular \$ 6.00 Suits	Reduced to \$ 4.40
Regular 8.50 Suits	Reduced to 6.80
Regular 10.00 Suits	Reduced to 7.95
Regular 15.00 Suits	Reduced to 11.35
Regular 18.00 Suits	Reduced to 14.40
Regular 20.00 Suits	Reduced to 16.00

SOME SPECIALS IN BOYS' DEPARTMENT THAT MOTHERS SHOULD NOT MISS

Childs' Blanket Coats were \$3.95	Now \$3.15
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Boys' Reefers were \$2.25	Special Sale Price 1.80
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Boys' Norfolk and D. B. Suits, regular \$2.50, \$3.00	Special Price 1.79
Boys' Coat Sweaters, Special Prices 44c, 77c	

Our entire stock of Men's Suits in Single and Double-breasted Style in fancy Tweeds and Worsteds. We also place on sale our entire stock of Blue's and Black's (the bread and butter stock of the Clothing business) nothing being reserved.

Made from imported English Worsteds and Serges and fancy Tweeds. Every Suit in stock marked down from 20 to 50 per cent. below regular prices.

Good warm materials made Convertible Collar Style just like the men's. Wonderful values at our regular prices and at these Sale prices it will pay you to be on hand early. We expect every coat to go quickly.

CHILD'S RUSSIAN AND FANCY OVERCOATS
2 1/2 to 10 Years

\$3.50 Coats	Reduced to \$2.90
5.00 Coats	Reduced to 3.95
7.00 Coats	Reduced to 5.60
9.00 Coats	Reduced to 7.20



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No store, anywhere, can sell you better clothing in any particular than you will get here. In Fabrics, in Tailoring, in Fit, in Appearance, in Durability, this clothing represents the very Top-notch of Achievement. You can't get better because there is the best that can be made. Get this fact clear before you consider the remarkable savings this Sale affords. Then you'll realize that the combination of quality and value, which no one else can approach, is one that you can't afford to pass up. There are styles and patterns to please all tastes and sizes to fit all figures.

STORE CLOSED ALL DAY THURSDAY so we can be better prepared to serve you promptly when you come on the opening day.
NO GOODS ON APPROVAL

Boys' Negligee Shirts, regular prices 50c, 75c, Special Price .37
Boys' Sailor Suits, regular \$3.50, To Clear 2.80
Boys' Sailor Suits, regular \$2.50, To Clear 1.98
Our Complete Stock of Boys' Furnishings Reduced 20 Per Cent. and in many cases more.

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DUKE MAY VISIT PORTLAND

Only One "BROMO QUININE" that is
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Brown

MOTOR ICE BOAT ON NORTH SHORE
(Chatham World)

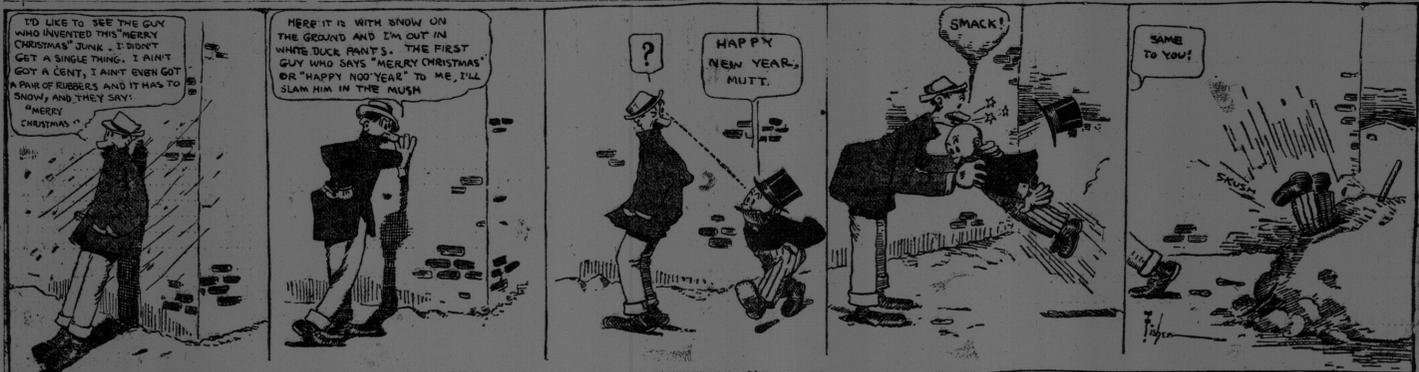
The officers of Branch 482, C. M. B. A. were installed last night by Grand Deputy R. J. Walsh. There was a large meeting in their rooms, but no special business was transacted. Those who assumed office were: Chancellor, Joseph T. Quinn; president, Thomas McCarthy; 1st vice-president, Wm. J. Murphy; 2nd vice-president, James Powers; recording secretary, Clement T. Murphy; assistant recording secretary, Joseph Connelly; financial sec-

C. M. B. A. Officers

retary, Leo J. Conlogue; treasurer, Wm. J. Shea; marshals, James P. McIntyre; guard, James Leonard; trustees, John Ellis, H. B. Kneeland, Louis Murphy, James McElwaine and J. Loney.
THROUGH THE ICE.
Although the ice is much weakened, several youngsters were to be seen yesterday on the Mill Dam, North End, some of them skating. Ronald McCormick went through and into the water, but was quickly rescued by some of his chums.
THERE IS A DIFFERENCE BETWEEN
HAIR PROMISES AND HAIR RESULTS
HERPICOIDE
Promises won't overcome hair trouble. The manufacturers of Newbro's Herpicoide promise nothing which is not justified by an intelligent use of this preparation. The desired end ultimately becomes an accomplished fact. This is the reason that Herpicoide has thousands of satisfied friends all over the world.
By keeping the scalp clean and healthy and destroying the dandruff germ, Newbro's Herpicoide makes beautiful hair. Herpicoide prevents the hair from falling and allows it to grow unimpeded and naturally except in cases of chronic baldness which is incurable.
Send for in postage for sample and book to the Herpicoide Co., Dept. R., Detroit, Mich.
Newbro's Herpicoide in 50c and \$1.00 sizes is sold by all dealers who guarantee it to do all that is claimed. If you are not satisfied your money will be refunded.
E. Clinton Brown, special agent.

Mutt Thinks the New Year Should Come April 1

By "Bud" Fisher



SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING

Y. M. C. A. MATCH
The Midgits defeated the Woodcocks on the Y. M. C. A. alleys last evening, 121 to 120. Common was high man for the Midgits, with 90, and Cameron for the Woodcocks with the same average.

On Black's Alleys

The standing in the City and Commercial League:
City League:
Tigers 23 5 211
Sweeps 29 8 714
Insurance 14 14 390
Ramblers 13 15 484
Nationals 12 16 458
Market Men 9 19 321
Wanderers 5 19 376

Commercial League

O. H. Warwick 23 5 221
T. McAvilly & Sons 21 7 737
S. Hayward Co. 21 11 636
Brook & Paterson 12 12 390
T. S. Simms & Co. Ltd. 13 13 458
Oak Hall 10 14 420
Waterbury & Rising 6 14 300
Manning Bros. & Co. 6 14 300
W. H. Thorne & Co. 5 19 338

The Rings

Tom McMahon vs. Al Kubak, Rochester, N. Y.
Jimmy Clabby vs. Ray Parker, Pond St.
Frankie Whitney vs. Jake Abel, Atlantic City.
Harry Treadall vs. W. Schaefer, St. Louis.
Bill Fleming vs. Fighter Kennedy, Martineville, R. I.

Baseball

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20th Annual Out

T. S. Andrews Sporting Annual Record Book for 1913 is now out, containing records of noted fighters, trotting, pacific, automobile, athletic, base-ball, automobile, aerophone, etc. The book contains many fine illustrations of the world's prominent fighters, and all the up-to-date news of the sporting world.

LADIES, NOTICE

Now is the time to order your fall and winter costumes. We will furnish all materials or you can bring yours. Call and leave your measure.

THE MODEL LADIES' TAILORS

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SPORTS

The game is too hard. But I suppose that if he is bound to be a boxer he will be one in spite of me. I think at that, if I let him enter the ring some day, he will be a wonder.

THE HEAVYWEIGHTS

Luther McCarty's manager, Billy McCarty, says of the future: "Luther feels that he is entitled to a rest, but as that he will not have a very restful time. We have had so many offers from theatrical agents that we do not know which to accept."

WOLGAST AND MURPHY

Jimmy Coffroth thinks so highly of "Harley" Murphy that he has offered Ad Wolgast a chance to meet the Gothamite in San Francisco on Washington's Birthday. The last time Wolgast and Murphy met the latter buffeted the champion about very roughly. So badly he beaten was Wolgast that he always refused to mix with Murphy since.

TINKER TAKES BROWN

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WHAT RUSSIE HAS COME TO

Seattle, Wash. Jan. 6.—Amos Rusie, once a pitcher for the New York Giants, was committed to the county jail here on a charge of threatening to kill his wife, who swore to the complaint. It is alleged that Rusie drove his wife, who is an invalid, and her little daughter into the street. Since the close of the baseball season he has been working as a laborer.

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LOARDS AND COMMONS INVESTING

English Society Rush to Place Their Money in Land in Canada

SELLING OFF ESTATES

List of Names High in the Political and Social Scale in Old Country Who Have Taken Financial Interest in the Dominion

(Times Special Correspondence)
London, Dec. 26.—Lord Cottesham, whose Chebich estate was sold this week, is the latest peer who is said to have disposed of an estate in this country with the intention of investing in Canada.

HEAD STUFFED? GOT A COLD? TRY PAPER'S!

One Dose Paper's Cold Compound Gives Relief—Cure in Few Hours

You will distinctly feel your cold breaking and all the Grippe symptoms leaving after taking the very first dose. It is a positive fact that Paper's Cold Compound, taken every two hours, and three consecutive doses are taken, will end the Grippe and break up the most severe cold, either in the head, chest, back, stomach or limbs.

RECENT WEDDINGS

A quiet wedding took place yesterday afternoon at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. L. A. McLean, 191 Borden Row, when William Francis Connolly and Evangeline Thyilia Philipson, both of Melbourne, Australia, were united in marriage. They were unattended.

Was a Victim of Bronchitis. HAD TO BE PROPPED UP IN BED.

Bronchitis is an acute inflammation of the membranes lining the air tubes of the lungs, and begins with a tightness across the chest, and a difficulty of breathing accompanied by a hard dry cough which later develops into the raising of a greenish or yellowish phlegm.

BURIED YESTERDAY

The funeral of Harold T. Morrow took place from his father's home in Spring street yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. Pierce and interment was in Fernhill.

AT SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE

The concert party of the Donaldson Inn, Letitia gave very enjoyable concert in the Seamen's Institute last night. Dr. H. J. Jamieson presided. Among those taking part were Mrs. Nicholson, Miss Stanmore, Mr. Kilburn and others. There was a large attendance.

In England and Wales there are forty special schools for the blind, fifty-one for deaf, and 210 for defective children.

Could Not Sleep Well For Four Years.

HEART AND NERVES WERE BAD.

To the thousands of people who toss on a sleepless pillow night after night, or who pace the bedroom floor with nerves unbridled, heart action wrong, and to whose eyes sleep will not come, Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills offer the blessing of sound, refreshing slumber.

They restore the equilibrium of the deranged nerve centres and correct the wrong action of the heart.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50 cents a box, 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed, 100 cents per box, price by The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

COMMON COUNCIL

Laborers' Tax and Assessment Matters—Police Chief's Report

An amendment to the present assessment act providing that those paying the \$3 laborers' tax will be allowed to vote, and another giving the council power to fix the number of assessors will be laid before the legislature according to an announcement made at the weekly meeting of the common council yesterday afternoon.

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AMUSEMENTS

OPERA HOUSE 2 NIGHTS ONLY

R. M. S. "EMPRESS OF BRITAIN" 1913 FOLLIES Present REFINED PIERROT AND ENTERTAINMENT Under Auspices of St. Monica Society Proceeds for Benefit of Canadian Immigration Society at Port of St. John.

OUR NEXT BEGINS THIS THURSDAY JAN. 9--10 DAYS

NELLIE GILL PLAYERS

The Biggest Dramatic Success of a Decade PAID IN FULL Two Years at Astor's Theatre, New York

LYRIC A REAL EXTRAORDINARY ATTRACTION

2 OF THE STRONGEST People in the World IN A GREAT BIG ACT OF MUSICAL COMEDY

TODAY WE LET THE CAT OUT OF THE BAG

K. B. SOMETHING EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD We've had you guessing a long time on it—now we let you into the secret—answer—see today's program.

Our Italian Operatic Artist Attracting Thousands!

NICKEL SIGNOR MANETTA TODAY: "IN THE FLAT ABOVE" "THE END OF THE FEUD"

6 FULL PROGRAMMES PER WEEK

WED. AND THUR. Two-Roll War Drama of the Great "Little E" opera "AT NAPOLEON'S COMMAND" Spectacular Film Recital of Gripping Romance When France Was Tearing Europe to Tatters.

Biograph Screens

"She's a Pippin" "Link's Birthday" Kalem Story "A Village Vixen"

"The Way of the Mountains"

Lubin Western Drama Orchestra Jack Manchester

For Backward Children

Industrial Banner—The commission appointed in 1904 in France to determine how the compulsory education laws could be applied to backward children, reached some interesting conclusions.

SOUND SLEEP

is usually impossible to the bilious. But biliousness yields—and headaches, sour stomach, indigestion go—when the bowels are regulated and the liver and kidneys stimulated by BEECHAM'S PILLS

DOWLING BROS. The largest retail distributors of ladies' coats, shirts and blouse waists in the Maritime provinces.

Women's Heavy Winter Coats

At Half Price and Some Even Less.

A Great Clearance Sale by which many women will profit. Heavy weight Cheviots, Friezes, Beavers, two tone Blanket Cloths, these in light shades only, and Tweeds—all made in latest styles. The colors are brown, navy, dark green mixtures, toupe, various dark mixtures and black.

Sale Prices \$3.90 to \$9.90 Regular Values \$8.00 to \$18.90

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DYKEMAN'S An Extraordinary Sale of Ladies' Outside Skirts

We will put on sale Wednesday morning these excellent Ladies' Cloth Skirts, at \$1.75 each. They would be considered good value at ordinary selling if priced \$3.00. Made in the very latest style with backs and trimming to suit your desires.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO. 59 Charlotte Street

1913 Ladies' Fur Lined Coats

Finished in best materials and best styles. Only a few special sizes in stock, which we offer at reduced prices.

J. L. Thorne & Co. The Centre for Seasonable Headwear 55 Charlotte Street

Women's and Children's Underwear

Whatever is needed in undergarments for women or children will be found in the splendidly complete McMackin underwear stock.

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 MAIN ST.

Chippendale Glassware

COLONIAL PATTERN Is The Chief Charm of The Table. Our Display Includes— SPOON TRAYS, CELERY TRAYS, FRUIT BOWLS, JELLY DISHES, BERRY DISHES, OLIVE TRAYS, VINEGAR BOTTLES, SUGAR BOWLS, CREAM PITCHERS, ETC.

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LOCAL NEWS

NOT THE SAME. Daniel McLaughlin of Millidge avenue desires to state that he was not the one of that name who was arrested on New Year's eve in King Square.

TO ATTEND WEDDING. Dr. E. F. Murphy of Roxbury, Mass., and Harold Murphy of Tufts College, Boston, arrived in the city at noon today to attend the wedding of their sister, Miss Genevieve Murphy, tomorrow. Doctor Murphy was accompanied by his wife and baby.

BANK NOW IN POSSESSION. The transfer of the building known as Chubb's corner, from the local syndicate by which it is held, to the Quebec Bank was completed on Saturday and the bank has taken possession of the premises. Workmen are busy fitting the ground floor offices for the bank's use, and in a week or so it is expected the new branch will be open for business.

DIED IN SAN FRANCISCO. The death of Mrs. Mary F. MacRae occurred at her home in San Francisco on December 1. She was eighty-four years, seven months and twenty-one days old. She is survived by three sons—Peter, of Sandwich Islands, and Donald and Samuel, of San Francisco. The daughters are: Mrs. L. Lindketter, of San Francisco, and Mrs. James V. Peak, of E. Island, and Mrs. Henry Russell, of St. John.

DEATH OF MRS. MARY A. COEMAN. The death of Mrs. Mary A. Coeman, widow of Shalom Coeman, occurred at Kingston, Kings county, on Monday, Jan. 6, 1913. She was in her 74th year, and is survived by five sons and two daughters. The sons are: Rev. Lemuel of Westfield; John W., Willard and Shalom, all of Kingston, and Peter L., of this city. The daughters are: Mrs. Adriano P. Shampier, of Kingston, and Mrs. J. R. Williams, of Holderville, N. B. Her husband died in this city, a brother, and Mrs. R. C. Williams, of Kingston, a sister. The funeral service will be held at the United Baptist church at Kingston at 2.30 p.m. on Thursday, June 9.

BY-LAW VIOLATION. D. H. McDonald, manager of the Opera House, was fined \$20 this morning for allowing people to stand in the aisles of the house during the performance on New Year's night. Policeman Whitten, who made the complaint, told of finding the aisles in the upper gallery blocked. He had brought the matter to the attention of Mr. McDonald, who was on duty at the Opera House on the night in question. It was his place to see that the laws were carried out, and that there was no blocking up of the passages. A fine of \$20 was imposed, this being the minimum.

THE EMPRESS'S VOYAGE. Among the cabin passengers on the S. S. Empress were Mr. and Mrs. T. McAvoy Stewart, just returning after a honeymoon trip spent abroad. Mr. Stewart said yesterday that he had never experienced anything like the weather encountered on the trip across from Liverpool. The whole voyage, he said, "was marked with severe wind storms, and we would no sooner get out of one, than we would run into another. There was quite a lot of seasickness among the passengers, but all seemed to brave the storm well. There was no danger of the ship being blown off its feet, and for nearly a whole day but little progress was made. Mr. Stewart said that while in mid ocean a floating buoy was sighted, and they learned yesterday it had drifted from Halifax.

THE LATE MRS. DOHERTY. The Toronto Star says of the death of Mrs. Doherty, mother of Manning Doherty of St. John: "Death came suddenly to Mrs. Hannah Maria Doherty, in her home, Yonge street, Edlington, this morning. Heart failure was the cause. Mrs. Doherty was in bed at the time she was overcome, and despite the work of three doctors, she never rallied. Mrs. Doherty, who is a large property owner in the north end, and well known in that district, was out yesterday voting, and died six days old, and was born in Goderich, Ont. Three sons survive, and three daughters. Dr. Charles New Westminister, B. C., Dr. Fred, Victoria; M. W. St. John, N. B.; Dr. Agastha, who is at present in London, Eng., taking a post graduate course, and Misses Josephine and Maria at home."

SCOUT CRUISERS TO WARN STEAMERS OF PRESENCE OF ICE IN ATLANTIC OCEAN

Washington, Jan. 7.—Danger of a repetition of the Titanic has led the navy department to begin preparations earlier than usual for an ice patrol to warn steamers of the presence of bergs in the northern track of the Atlantic liners. Scout cruisers will be sent out early in April as an extra precaution.

THE POLICE COURT

In the police court today, James Currie, charged with an aggravated assault on George Gillespie, was fined \$20 or two months in jail. The fine was allowed to stand pending good behavior. Currie admitted the assault, but swore that Gillespie had gone into his house drunk, and when requested to leave, refused. Gillespie, who is serving a term in jail on the charge of drunkenness, was in court with his head swathed in bandages. E. S. Ritchie appeared for Currie.

WINTERPORT NOTES

The S.S. Inishowen Head will sail tomorrow for Dublin. The S.S. Ramore Head is due to arrive here tomorrow. The C. P. R. liner Mount Temple is due here on Tuesday with 150 passengers. The Donaldson liner Saturnia is due to arrive here tomorrow night with eighty passengers. She was reported off Sable Island this morning. The S.S. Sokoto which arrived yesterday, docked at the I. C. R. wharf at noon today. The S.S. Rappahannock and the S. S. Shenandoah are due to sail from Halifax today for this port.

FISHERIES AT ADVANCE OF \$661.50

Harbor Privileges Sold Today—Some Bring Higher and Some Lower Figure

The sale of the harbor fishery lots took place at ten o'clock this morning at the Court House. The amount realized was \$3,874.45, an increase of \$661.50 over last year's receipts. Mayor Frink presided, and the other commissioners were present as members of the fisheries sale committee. The sale was conducted by Auctioneer F. L. Fette and the city chamberlain, D. G. Lingley, and A. G. McMullin, of his staff, were in attendance to receive the money.

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WILL OF J. R. BRADLEY

Other Matters in Probate Court—No Further Action Yet in Contempt Matter

In the probate court today, the will of John Bradley, blockmaker, was proved. He gives all his property, real and personal to Thomas, widow of his brother, Andrew Bradley, and nominates Arthur C. Fairweather, of Roxbury, barrister-at-law, executor. The latter having died, administration with the will annexed was granted to the universal legatee, Thomas Bradley. Real estate consisting of property on the north side of Charles street valued at \$3,000, on which there is a mortgage of \$900, and a vacant lot in Borden street, valued at \$100; personally \$25. Stewart L. Fairweather is executor.

NORTH END BRIDE TO LIVE IN CHARLESTOWN

In St. Peter's church this morning at 6.45 o'clock an interesting wedding took place, when Miss Ruth E. Scovil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scovil, of 15 Murray street, became the bride of Edward Francis Holland, of Charlottetown, Mass., formerly of St. Martin's. Rev. Charles McCormick, C.S.S.R., officiated. The bride was attended by the groom's sister, Miss Jennie C. Holland, as bridesmaid, and the groom was supported by Albert Bowers. After the wedding breakfast was served at the bride's home in Murray street, Mr. and Mrs. Holland, who were very nicely remembered by their friends, will make their home in Charlottetown.

Store closes tonight at 6 o'clock

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Table listing various boys' overcoats and reefers with their current and original prices.

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Men's Fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers, were 50c., 75c. sale price 35c. Men's Heavy Weight Elastic Ribbed Underwear, regular price, \$1.00, sale price 65c. 'Oakley' Brand Pure Nova Scotia Wool Underwear, special price 75c. Shetland Wool Underwear, regular price, 1.25, sale price 75c. Shetland Wool Underwear, regular price, \$1.50, sale price \$1.19. Pure Lamb's Wool Underwear, regular price, 75c., 85c., sale price 55c. Other Great Underwear Bargains. See them. Men's Neglige Shirts, regular price \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, sale price 75c. Cluett's 'Arrow' Brand Shirts, regular price \$1.50 to \$2.25, sale price, \$1.19. French Flannel Shirts, regular price \$2.00 to \$3.00, sale price \$1.45. Unlaunders White Shirts, regular price \$1.00, sale price 75c. Full Dress Shirts, regular \$1.50, sale price \$1.19.

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