

## ROBINSON IS ON TRIAL FOR SLAYING BABE

### Murder of Child Born to Mrs. Louisa Matthews at St. Andrews is Being Probed.

## CASE WILL LAST FOR SEVERAL DAYS

### Witness Describes River Currents at Place Child is Supposed to Have Drowned.

St. Andrews, N. B., Oct. 26.—The Charlotte county circuit court met today to take up the criminal case of the King versus Albert Robinson, charged with the murder of the infant child of Mrs. Louise Matthews, at Upper Mills, Charlotte county, on or about May 27th last.

This case is the outgrowth of the sensational case which was tried two weeks ago, when Mrs. Matthews, the mother of the child, was acquitted of the murder of her child by the jury. On her acquittal, the attorney-general preferred an indictment against Albert Robinson for the murder of the child. Mrs. Matthews had been living with Robinson at Upper Mills from Nov. 1918.

### Where Body Was Found

Her child was born on May 15th, 1920, and disappeared on May 27th, and on June 5th the body of an infant was picked up floating in the St. Croix River, about a mile below Robinson's house. The infant was identified as being the child delivered by Mrs. Matthews, and from the circumstances of the finding of the body in a bag with who would round the body and lead pipe in the bag, the Crown thought it to prefer the indictment of murder.

Intense interest is being taken in the case, the court being filled to capacity with spectators from all over the county.

Hon. J. P. Byrne, K.C., attorney-general, is prosecuting the case against Robinson on behalf of the Crown, and R. B. Hanson, K.C., of Messrs. Slipp & Hanson, Fredericton, is representing the prisoner. There are a large number of witnesses, the trial will probably last several days.

Chief Justice McKewen is presiding over the trial, and J. P. Leonard, official court reporter, is reporting the trial.

### The Petit Jury

The petit jury was empaneled at two o'clock, consisting of the following:—Alex. D. Herron, Dorell Emery, George E. Chase, Frank Scott, Andrew Johnston, Glenn Thompson, John Hopkins, Harry Atcheson, Stewart McAdam, Thomas McIntyre, Arthur Meyers and James E. Boone.

The attorney-general, on the Crown, called two witnesses this afternoon, Mrs. Estelle Hall and John McLaughlin.

Mrs. Hall acted as midwife at the birth of the child, and McLaughlin told of the finding of the sack with the body of the infant floating in the river; also regarding eddies, rocks and currents in the river at Robinson's place where the Crown claims the child was put in the river.

## BIG RECEPTION FOR PREMIER AT MOOSE JAW

### Four Thousand Men and Women Present to Hear Him and Mr. Calder.

## LATTER SINGS PRAISE OF UNION GOVT

### Premier Deals Frankly With the Tariff Question in Straight Political Talk.

Moose Jaw, Oct. 26.—Premier Meighen received a rousing reception when he arrived in the city this morning to open his tour of Saskatchewan. He was immediately escorted to the Royal George Hotel where an informal luncheon was held to which any and all were invited. The afternoon was filled in with a visit to the Robin Hood Mills and Gordon Ironworks plant, an address to the Collegiate students, whilst at 4 P. M. the Premier gave a public address to the women in the public library. A reception to Mrs. Meighen by ladies of Moose Jaw was also held from 4 to 6 which was very largely attended. In the evening Mr. Meighen and Hon. J. A. Calder, Minister of Immigration, addressed in the Armories their second audience in their Western tour.

### Deals With Tariff

Mr. Calder, speaking in his own constituency, which elected him to parliament as a Unionist three years ago, dealt frankly with the tariff question, which featured also the Prime Minister's address.

The meeting was opened with upwards of 4,000 men and women present. Mr. Calder, speaking first, said he was to give a "straight political talk." He said the old political lines had been shattered and men and women should not get back to the old rut. He declared that in those days no man remained in public life because he sought power or office.

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## Eight Cork Men Arrested On Way To MacSwiney Body

### Each Wore Republican Uniform Under Business Clothing—Were They Seeking Revenge?

Dublin, Oct. 26.—Eight men, said to be residents of Cork, were arrested last evening as they were about to sail for England, and the police are investigating whether they were merely going to the funeral of Lord Mayor MacSwiney or whether there is a possibility that they intended to avenge his death. Each of the men wore the uniform of the Irish Republican Army under his ordinary garb and one carried four disguises. None of them was armed.

## HARDING MAKES PROPOSALS TO RUSS. SOVIETS

### Promises United States Recognition of Bolshevik in Return for Concessions.

## SCHEME LAID BEFORE STATE DEPARTMENT

### Presidential Candidate Denies Report, But it is Confirmed by Russ. Agents.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Secretary of State Coby announced today that Commissioner Young at Riga, had informed the United States Department that Washington, D. Vanderlip, of California, who recently obtained concessions in Siberia, was reported to have told Lenin, Russian Bolshevik Premier, that he represented Senator Harding, the Republican presidential candidate.

The commissioner's despatch, dated October 26, said Lenin had informed H. G. Wells, a British writer, that Mr. Vanderlip had made certain proposals to the Soviet government at Moscow, looking to the recognition of the Bolshevik government by the United States. Despatches from London, yesterday, said that Mr. Vanderlip had concluded an extensive arrangement with the Russian Soviet authorities by which an organization of Western United States financiers acquired a sixty year lease on a vast tract in Northern Siberia, opposite Alaska, with exclusive rights to develop coal, oil and fisheries. Commissioner Young's despatch stated that Mr. Vanderlip also was negotiating for concessions about Kamohatsk, Siberia.

Earlier in the day State Department officials, on the basis of the London despatches, said that, since the United States had not recognized the Bolshevik government, no contract entered into by its officers would be regarded by United States government as binding.

It was pointed out that the department's announced attitude toward concessions granted by the Bolshevik authorities was first signed on April 26, 1919, in a warning to United States business men and repeated on July 17, 1920.

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## SYLVIA FEARS SHE WILL DIE IF SHE TRIES FOOD STRIKE

### Expects Six Months in Jail Anyway for Writing Letter to Lenin.

London, Oct. 26.—Sylvia Pankhurst, the militant suffragette, in a letter which she wrote to Nikolai Lenin, the Bolshevik Premier, and which is in the hands of the government, is said to have made this interesting comment:

"I expect six months' imprisonment. I have considered the hunger strike, but I am afraid that weapon has been destroyed since the government is letting the Irish hunger-strikers die."

Miss Pankhurst was arrested last week charged with publishing seditious literature. She was admitted to bail pending trial.

Several years ago Miss Pankhurst was among the first of alleged offenders against British law and order, who went on hunger-strikes after they were arrested and secured their release from prison.

## CANADIAN LINERS NOT DELAYED BY STRIKE

Montreal, Oct. 26.—Despite the fact that the westward bound boats in New York from British ports are already being delayed in departure owing to the coal strike, it was learned today that Canadian liners so far have maintained their schedule and will arrive in Montreal on time during the next ten days.

## TO PICK NEW MINISTERS ON NOVEMBER 4TH

### Foster Gov't Searching to Find Safe Seat for Defeated Minister of Agriculture.

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### Attempt to Re-Elect Hon. Mr. Tweeddale Would Split Liberals Ranks Says Friend.

On November 4th the Government will meet to fill the vacancies in the cabinet caused by the defeat of Hon. Robert Murray, provincial secretary-treasurer, and Hon. J. F. Tweeddale, minister of agriculture, at the elections of October 24th.

If any of the numerous rumors floating about are to be relied upon to any extent, there will be some smoke at the November meeting of the Government.

David Mersereau, M. L. A. for Sanbury, was in the city yesterday. He was approached by The Standard and queried as to the possibility of his receiving the portfolio of agriculture, and his own wishes in the matter. Mr. Mersereau is a free thinker and an independent actor. He is regarded by all as a man who says what he thinks and means what he says.

Ready for Task.

Mr. Mersereau says he wouldn't throw the job over his shoulder if it were offered to him, but whether it is or is not he is not very little comment to make on the situation but, if one were to judge from the little he did say, he expects to be minister of agriculture, and if he doesn't receive it the Foster political family will have an unruly member.

Working for Tweeddale said that it was Tweeddale's intention that the

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## POLLARD LOST BY TWO VOTES IN CHARLOTTE

### Recount Before Judge Carleton Results in Defeat of the Opposition Candidate.

## MARKED BALLOTS ALL THROWN OUT

### Likely to Be An Appeal from Judgment of Local Judge to the Supreme Court.

Special to The Standard.

St. Andrews, Oct. 26.—Judge Carleton, who was conducting court here for the purpose of recounting the votes cast in the county for the provincial election, finished his work this afternoon. The result of the count, as tabulated by Judge Carleton, gave the four successful candidates their tally as follows:—Taylor (O) 3691, Flewelling (O) 3567, Guptill (O) 3566, Scovell (O) 3524.

The real question in doubt up to the scrutiny of the last ballot box was whether Scovell or Pollard (O) would be the winner for the fourth place on the ticket. At the lunch hour the result was 3567 for Scovell and 3524 for Pollard. There was counted the result was a victory for Scovell by a majority of two votes.

Reject 200 Ballots.

There were 200 ballots thrown out by Judge Carleton, because they were marked with a cross. Of that number 190 were ballots carrying the name of Pollard's name, evidently by mistake the intention of the elector to vote for Mr. Pollard. Supporters of the Opposition in Charlotte are not satisfied with the position taken by Judge Carleton, and do not feel an elector should be disfranchised because he has marked his ballot with an "X", a method employed in a recent Dominion election to show the elector's intent of voting. There is every reason to believe an appeal will be taken to the Supreme Court.

## One Sugar Company Cuts Prices To 16 Cents in Montreal

Montreal, Oct. 26.—The Dominion Sugar Company announced this morning that it had cut its price for sugar for sale at \$16 per hundred pounds, while the Canadian, Atlantic, Canada and St. Lawrence sugar refineries' price is \$17 per hundred pounds. The price cut is the lowest since the war, and the Dominion Sugar Company is sure their new prices will meet any influx from the United States.

The cost of sugar, before the reduction, quoted by these latter companies, was \$19.50 per hundred weight.

Down in West, Too.

Vancouver, Oct. 26.—Another drop in the wholesale price of sugar of one cent a hundred pounds to \$17 was announced here this morning by the British Columbia Sugar Refinery.

## GOING TO FLORIDA IN BUNGALOW ON WHEELS

Special to The Standard.

New York, Oct. 26.—A bungalow on wheels, under construction by a Staten Island resident and prospective inhabitant of Florida, is claimed to be the latest device for fighting the high cost of building and railroad transportation.

Wm. Ward, designer of the rolling home, consisting of a living-room, bath and kitchen, reckoned it would be cheaper to build, equip and tow his household, intact, by automobile to a place where he would not need coal, than to ship his effects by train.

## COW'S PECULIAR APPETITE

Special to The Standard.

Marysville, N. B., Oct. 26.—One of our citizens owns a young milch cow which has a decidedly peculiar appetite. She is said to prefer silk hose, hangers and other articles of clothing to hay.

A member of the family going into the yard some time ago saw a piece of cloth protruding from the animal's mouth. Seizing the cloth he began to pull and when he had the cloth all out he found that the cow had swallowed six yards ofannellette.

## FIRE AT MONCTON

Moncton, Oct. 26.—Fire that broke out this afternoon about four o'clock totally destroyed the saw mill and blacksmith shop of J. Anderson and Son, located near Upper Dorchester, Westmorland county. The blaze originated from a spark that alighted on the roof of the mill. The loss is about \$15,000.

## SAXONIA BRINGS \$100,000,000

New York, Oct. 26.—The steamship Saxonia, from London, Cherbourg and Halifax, arrived here today with nearly \$100,000,000 in gold, consigned to the federal reserve bank.

## WORLD NEWS TODAY

### CANADA

Albert Robinson placed on trial for murder at St. Andrews, N. B., on charge of killing baby.

In Charlotte County, N. B., account gives details to Mr. Scovell, Liberal.

Premier Meighen at Moose Jaw given great welcome in second western address.

### UNITED STATES

Democracy and Progress match set to fight within few months.

THE BRITISH ISLES

The mine strikes is still unsettled.

Lord Deputy Lord Mayor in London to take part in funeral of late Terence MacSwiney.

### EUROPE

Prince Paul, of Greece, will be absent the throne left vacant by his brother.

## MAJORITY FOR DRY MANITOBA IS 9618 VOTES

### Total Vote Cast in Province Was 109,746 With Winnipeg Giving 43,508.

## PEGGS WET LEAD IS 6,286 VOTES

### Albert Gov't Will Assume Now Full Control of Liquor Trade in Province.

Winnipeg, Oct. 26.—Tonight the figures of the liquor referendum for the whole of Manitoba stands thus: 59,682 Total vote cast, 109,746. Dry 59,682. Wet 50,064. Dry majority 9,618.

The figures for the city of Winnipeg alone are: Total vote cast 43,508. Wet 24,887; dry 18,621. Wet majority 6,266.

Alberta Assumes Control.

Edmonton, Oct. 26.—The Alberta Government will now, as a result of Monday's vote, assume full control of and responsibility for the administration of liquor laws within the province. New legislation will be introduced into the session of the legislature to the way, it is expected, of amendment to present liquor law, but just what will be the nature of these changes in the law has not yet been determined.

Premier Stewart, when asked today for a statement of what his government would do in the matter, said that no policy had been decided upon and that the entire question would have to be dealt with in cabinet before making any public announcement. He stated, however, that the question would be brought up in the early stages of the legislature.

Premier Stewart Satisfied.

Edmonton, Oct. 26.—With the issue decided beyond all doubt on the side of prohibition in inter-provincial traffic, full official returns of the referendum taken in Alberta, Monday, will not likely be available for two or three days. Approximately 75,000 people are on the question in the province, and the dry majority will be somewhere between 10,000 and 15,000.

"The result is in no way a surprise," Premier Stewart stated today, "for I fully expected to see the people of this province stand out for the control of the liquor problem within our own boundary."

## TROTSKY TO BE LEADER AGAINST BARON WRANGEL

### Kovno is Expected to Fall to Poles Soon—Lett Front is Broken.

Warsaw, Oct. 26.—War Minister Trotsky, of the Russian Government, has arrived at Kharikov to supervise the regrouping of the Bolshevik armies for a general attack on General Baron Wrangel, according to advices received here Monday.

From Riga, said the Soviets have ratified the Russo-Polish peace treaty and have set the final exchange of signatures for November 2, at Lubau.

It is expected to fall soon to Polish troops. Despatches from Lubau said the Lithuanian front there had been broken.

## DEAF MUTE HIT BY RAILWAY TRAIN

Fredrickton, N. B., Oct. 26.—Oswald Crawford, a deaf mute, is at Victoria Hospital as the result of injuries received when he was struck by a train at Victoria Mills some time last night.

Crawford, who is about 25 years of age, was hit by a train while working along the railroad track on the way to his boarding house before eleven o'clock last night and because of his deafness did not hear the C. P. R. train approaching, with the result that he was struck by the engine and thrown into the ditch.

## ANDOVER HOUSE IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Andover, Oct. 26.—The house occupied until a short time ago by Morris Letosko was completely destroyed by fire on Sunday morning. The fire was confined largely to the attic, but did considerable damage to the rest of the building. Two streams of water were kept on the fire for over an hour before it was extinguished.

The house was one of the oldest in Andover and only a short time ago was sold by Mr. Letosko to Charles Demuremarch of Tilley. Damage is estimated at over \$2,000.

## GENERAL BOOTH AT OTTAWA ADDRESSES ENORMOUS AUDIENCE

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—General Booth spoke tonight in Dominion Methodist Church under the chairmanship of His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire.

At 7.30, although the meeting did not commence till 8, every seat in the church was occupied, and hundreds were left outside. At five minutes to eight, when the General arrived, the crowd outside must have numbered as many as inside. The streets were filled from sidewalk to sidewalk with a cheering, straggling mob.

General Booth said that this was an overcast meeting and, standing on the steps of his car, he addressed a few words to the crowd.

## MONEY FOR SICK CHILDREN.

Montreal, Oct. 26.—Today the total collected to date toward the fund of \$25,000 for the St. Justine Hospital for Children amounted to \$66,692.66.

C. G. M. M. SHIP BUILDING.

Montreal, Oct. 26.—The Canadian Commander is expected to be completed some time in December and will be in operation at the opening of navigation here next season.

## WONNIPPEG'S "WET" VOTE MAY MEAN SPECIAL PERMITS

### Liquor Interests Contend With of the People of That City Must be Recognized.

Winnipeg, Oct. 26.—Official statements concerning yesterday's referendum given out today by wet and dry forces conflict in interpreting the meaning of the vote.

Rev. Thomas Neville, leader of the Manitoba campaign for dry forces, declared the vote clearly indicates a desire on the part of the majority voters for absolute prohibition conditions. Dr. A. S. Grant, chief executive of the Dominion Prohibition Party, declared it to be another step in the direction of Dominion-wide prohibition.

## DEMANDS ANOTHER VOTE

R. T. Ferguson, representative of Canadian Liquor interests here, claimed that the Manitoba Government now has a mandate to hold another referendum, permitting the electorate to say exactly what it does want by way of liquor legislation. Special consideration for Winnipeg so regards provincial liquor legislation in view of the heavy wet majority may be asked for in the next session, Mr. Ferguson intimated.

## KING PAUL WILL ASCEND THRONE OF THE GREEKS

### Younger Brother of Royal Ruler to be Given the Deed Position at Once.

Athens, Oct. 26.—The Greek Cabinet assembled immediately after the death of King Alexander last evening and drew up a message to the people expressing the grief felt at the monarch's death, and adding:

"In conformity with the constitutional order of succession, the youngest brother of King Alexander, Prince Paul, is called to succeed him. However, in view of his absence, and the relation existing between the nation and the House of Ex-King Constantine, the government has decided, in conformity with Article 50 of the constitution to convoke the chamber just adjourned to proceed to the election of a regent until the arrival of the new king."

"Meanwhile, and until the oath is administered to the regent in compliance with the same article of the constitution, the Royal and Constitutional powers will be exercised by the council of ministers."

The cabinet decided that King Alexander's body shall lie in state Wednesday.

French Favor Paul.

Paris, Oct. 26.—At the French Foreign Office it was said today that the French Government is quite in agreement with the policy of Premier Venizelos in offering the Greek throne to Prince Paul, as he is the logical, as well as the dynamic, successor to the late King Alexander, owing to the elimination of former King Constantine and Prince George, who is also Duke of Sparta, on the succession.

Constantine in Tears.

Lincrope, Oct. 26.—Former King Constantine of Greece burst into tears today on learning of the death of his second son, King Alexander of Greece, news of which was received last night. The former King has not seen his son in several years.

Prince Paul was non-committal when asked whether he would accept the Greek throne in the event of the death of his brother, then still living. "I will leave the matter in the hands of my father," he replied.

It is understood that the marriage of Prince George, Duke of Sparta, and eldest son of former King Constantine, Princess Elizabeth of Rumania, has been indefinitely postponed.

## ROYAL BANK GIVES TWO PER CENT BONUS TO SHAREHOLDERS

### Large Distribution is Due to Bank Having Experienced Best Year in Its History.

Special to The Standard.

Montreal, Oct. 26.—The directors of the Royal Bank of Canada have declared a special bonus of two per cent, payable on December 15th to shareholders of Record of November 30th. This will make a total distribution of 14 per cent for the current year.

In speaking of the bonus, Sir Herbert Holt, president, stated that the Royal bank experienced the best year in its history, in all departments of its business, and it was only right that the stockholders should share in the bank's prosperity.

## SOLDIERS AND POLICE GUARD BRIXTON JAIL

### Sinn Feiners Arrive from All Parts of Ireland to Take Part in Funeral Services.

## IRISH COLORS ARE MOURNING DRAPEL

### Deputy Lord Mayor of Cork and Aldermen View Body of Terence MacSwiney.

Dublin, Oct. 26.—The funeral of the late Terence MacSwiney will probably take place Sunday. The Sinn Feiners are arranging for a modest demonstration along the whole course of the railway between Dublin and Cork while the train bearing the body passes.

London, Oct. 26.—The police guard at Brixton prison was again increased today. The total number of the guard there is unknown, as most of the troops are kept under cover, but there is a considerable garrison inside the gates.

Sinn Feiners, who arrived from Cork and other parts of Ireland for the obsequies, went to Brixton prison in little parties throughout the day to see where the Lord Mayor had died. They were all wearing Sinn Fein colors draped with mourning. Entertaining street vendors were also selling Sinn Fein roses bordered with mourning close to the prison entrance, while the police looked on without comment.

Deputy Lord Mayor O'Callaghan and other members of the Cork Corporation visited the prison this afternoon and were granted permission to view MacSwiney's body.

End Hunger Strikes.

London, Oct. 26.—Deputy Lord Mayor O'Callaghan, of Cork, informed the Associated Press this afternoon that it was his personal view that the hunger strike as a weapon of protest had been abandoned after the present experiments involving the remaining Cork hunger strikers. He declared, however, that the spirit of Irishmen is no more broken than was that of Lord Mayor MacSwiney and the determination of Ireland for complete independence was never more earnest than now.

"The United States by a formal protest to Great Britain," said he, "could obtain justice for Ireland, and until she does that we consider her protection of her interest in small nations of little value."

## COMMISSION IS TO BE IN ST. JOHN ON NOVEMBER 9

### To Meet Business Men and Others for Discussion of Tariff and Tax Questions.

## INCOME TAX EVOKES INTEREST

### Assessment on Income of Mechanics Only 1.3 Per Cent of Whole Tax Assessed.

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—The tariff commission resumed its travels on Monday. It will proceed direct to Charlottetown, where it will sit on November 4 and thence to points in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Quebec. The next item of the commission is as follows:

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Thursday, Nov. 4; Sydney, N. S., Nov. 6; Halifax, Nov. 8; St. John, N. B., Nov. 9; Moncton, N. B., Nov. 10; Quebec, Nov. 11; Sherbrooke, Nov. 12; Trois Rivieres, Nov. 13; Montreal, Nov. 15.

Sir Henry Drayton, minister of finance and chairman of the commission, said that from the different representations made before the commission during its western trip it was obvious that the new direct methods of taxation had evoked considerable interest, particularly the income tax and its enforcement.

Interesting Tabulation.

In this connection Sir Henry made public a hitherto unpublished tabulation showing in what proportion income tax was assessed last year on income derived in 1918, among different occupations.

The tabulations show that 20,445 mechanics were assessed for income tax, but their assessments did not amount to more than 1.3 per cent of the whole income tax assessed, although mechanics constituted 20.5 per cent of the total number of income taxpayers. Agriculturists assessed numbered 6,493, their assessments being 2.2 per cent of the whole. Manufacturers assessed numbered 351. Their assessments were 8.5 per cent of the whole.

"It is to be noted," Sir Henry remarked, "that in addition to paying the taxes under the income tax act, corporations also paid taxes under the special war revenue and business profits tax acts which, in the last fiscal year, amount to \$46,225,474."

## "SATURNIA" AT MONTREAL

Montreal, Oct. 26.—The Anchor Dominion liner Saturnia docked here today from Glasgow. She carried 254 cabin and 655 third-class passengers.

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Attempt to Re-Elect Hon. Mr. Tweeddale Would Split Liberals Ranks Says Friend.

(Continued from page 1) Government is arguing to a safe constituency in which to place Mr. Tweeddale. It is said the Fraser interests are very anxious to have Mr. Tweeddale in the Government...

There is one man in the party, and a member of the Government, who deserves the portfolio of agriculture, and he doesn't receive it because...

One Safe Place. "Where could an opening be found for Mr. Tweeddale?" was asked by The Standard.

"There is only one safe place where he would run," was the reply, "and that is in Madawaska, and to place a portfolio there would mean certain destruction. They say they are going to try and make a trade for him in Victoria, but it would be a trade that would never carry."

"In your opinion then, Mr. Tweeddale has no chance to keep a hold on his cabinet seat?"

"Absolutely none if the success of the Government is to be considered. If the Government must provide for the defeated minister, give him a seat in the cabinet to elect him to a constituency."

The rule will be interested in the outcome of the cabinet meeting of November 4th. What occurs on that date will be a keen way in determining the future of the Fraser regime.

### DIED.

CONNOR—On October 24th at 555½ Main Street, St. John, N.B., died...

### EARLY MORNING FIRE BREAKS OUT IN MAGEE BLOCK

Outbreak Occurred on Second Floor of Building, With Considerable Loss.

At 3.15 o'clock this morning a fire was discovered in the Magee Building on the corner of Water Street and the Ferry Approach. An alarm was sent in from box nine and in a remarkably short time the apparatus was on the scene as was Acting Chief Charles Jackson.

Chief Jackson immediately found that the seat of the fire was in the confectionery section occupied by Elliott Gale and Taylor on the second floor. The chief and his driver soon had the door broken in and a good stream of water playing on the flames which had quite a start. A second stream was taken through the window from the ferry approach.

### Loss By Water

This stream with the first one was enough to check the fire and confine it to the one room, and it was only a short while when the last sign of fire was extinguished. The part of the building occupied by Messrs. Elliott, Gale and Taylor was pretty well gutted, and the contents destroyed, while considerable water run down through the floor into the Simonds Saw Company premises on the ground floor, but the Salvage Corps, with their rubber covers, performed excellent work and saved the furnishings and other contents. The building was filled with smoke, but other than smoke damage, the loss will only be the place where the fire started and the water damage to the Simonds Company.

An early morning fire which might have been serious was stopped by the efficiency of Chief Jackson by finding the seat of the blaze and the beginning. Detective Sanderson and other police officers proved of great assistance at the start of the fire.

KILLED AT LEVEL CROSSING. South Deerfield, Mass., Oct. 26.—Mrs. Charles E. Whitney, 22, and Mrs. Edward A. Colledge, 68, both of Gardner, were killed late yesterday when their auto was struck by a Boston and Maine Express train on the Gardner street crossing. They were returning home from Ashfield, and it was said that the auto stalled on the tracks.

SENATOR PRICE DEAD. Saskatoon, Sask., Oct. 26.—Senator Joseph B. Price of Balfour, died here today of a second paralytic stroke.

### BIG RECEPTION FOR PREMIER AT MOOSEJAW

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any or for any other reason than to render public service. No field of work was so nerve wrecking. Mr. Calder emphasized his statement that he had never regretted his stand for Union Government.

### Public Change

"I am," said Mr. Calder, "an entirely different man mentally and politically from the man I was when I appeared before you three years ago. No man could have gone through these years without change. I went down to Ottawa a Liberal, having lived among Western Liberals all my life, and I found the Eastern brand of Liberalism entirely different from that to which I was accustomed. I found men in the cabinet, whom I had looked upon as Liberals were what we had called Tories, and I found men who I had thought old-fashioned Tories were as Liberal in their sentiment as I was."

### King Misses Elections.

Mr. Calder quoted demands for an election made by Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, and declared that Liberal candidates had been missing at most of recent by-elections. "To my mind," he said, "Liberal members of the House are the last people in the world to want an election." The new franchise act was defended as the best franchise act Canada ever had. The Minister asked Mr. King to be more explicit as to details in his quoted statement as regards that a Minister of the Crown had proposed to split an unannounced time to make a safe seat.

What He Is. "It has been claimed," continued Mr. Calder, "that I have become a Tory. Well, I have not, and don't intend to."

"What are you?" shouted someone in the audience. "There is one thing I am not, and that is a Mackenzie King Liberal. On the contrary, I am a Liberal, and as good a Liberal as I ever was."

"I am inclined to think," continued Mr. Calder, "that many of the Farmers have been badly advised and badly led, and I am inclined to think that when the time comes many thousands of them will refuse to follow those who are attempting to lead them at the present time. They have created a class movement (cries of "No, no.") that is bad for themselves and bad for Canada as a whole."

The Premier was given a hearty reception. He briefly replied to state-

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Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Are Nicely Balanced to Enable You to Eat What You Like Without Distress.

Indigestion is about the most universal ailment of mankind. And when the stomach is sour, gassy, bloated-like and you get that peculiar



bilious taste in the mouth due to indigestion or dyspepsia there is nothing more relieving than one or two Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Many people are afraid of nearly all the good old savory dishes, the fried eggs, sausage, steak and onions and so on, as they usually experience the peculiar acidity which often follows such food. But Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets were designed to supply the stomach with the alkaline effect to offset the acid condition. For this reason many physicians recommend these tablets and you can get them in any drug store at 60 cents a box.

### MANITOBA INDIANS WELL AND HAPPY

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 26.—Manitoba Indians are well and happy, according to information received at the Indian Office here. So far there are no indications of epidemics in any part of the country.

The summer has been a good one, said Inspector J. R. Bunn. "Fishing in Lake Winnipeg has been fine. Many Indians have been working in the harvest fields, and our reports report their work very satisfactory."

Prospects of a fur catch promise to be as good as any previous season. The fur market is unsettled, but they should receive a fair price for all skins, it was said.

### BOARD OF COMMERCE CAN DO NOTHING NOW EX-MEMBERS ASSERT

Three Former Commissioners Accept Full Responsibility for the Sugar Order.

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—The letters of resignation of the members of the Board of Commerce, together with the order in council accepting their resignations and providing that no further appointments should be made pending the result of the appeal now before the judicial committee of the privy council, were made public this morning. In his letter of resignation, certain Wm. White, the chief commissioner, declares that in passing the sugar order the board merely implemented the undertaking of the former commissioners. In view of the present condition expresses serious doubt as to the ability of the Board of Commerce to fulfill any useful purpose in the future.

F. A. Acland, in his letter of resignation, accepts his full share of responsibility for action taken, while Major G. A. Dillon, the third member of the board, expresses himself as being in agreement with his colleagues of the board.

### RATIFY PEACE PACT.

London, Oct. 26.—Ratification of the preliminary peace treaty between Poland and Bolshevik Russia was voted by the all-Russian Soviet yesterday, according to a wireless despatch from Moscow.

The Bolshevik foreign minister explained the pact, and declared Poland had refused assistance to Gen. Baron Wrangel, head of the anti-Bolshevik government of South Russia. He also asserted Poland had agreed not to land aid to forces reaction in Russia.

### PRESBYTERIAN PAPERS MERGE.

Toronto, Oct. 26.—The Presbyterian Witness, of Halifax, and the Presbyterian and Westminster, of Toronto, are to be amalgamated and to form one church weekly, under the title of the Presbyterian Witness, to be published by Presbyterians Publications, Toronto, according to a decision arrived at here at an executive meeting of the General Board of the Presbyterian Church of Canada.

The Day has come for "MACHINE ADDRESSING" which hand way is too costly. The Addressograph Way is easier, cheaper, better, and more legible. A. Hilde Proctor, Jas. A. Little, Mgr. 17-Dock St., St. John, N. B.

### All Fat People Easily Reduce

The world owes a debt of gratitude to the author of the new famous Marmol's Prescription, and it will be indebted for the reduction of this harmful, obnoxious remedy to tablet form. They are so convenient to take, and so pleasant as candy. One after each meal and oblation will quickly reduce your weight, two, three or four pounds a week, and have no evil effects such as loose, flabby skin and unshapely wrinkles. They go so easily what you like—meat, eggs, and butter—take your little tablet as directed and soon you will be your natural size, clothed in firm flesh and trim muscles. Marmol's Prescription Tablets may now be obtained at all drug stores, or by writing direct to the Marmol Co., 27 Gardiner's Building, Detroit, Mich., and they reasonable price—two dollars for the six-week course for the reduction of the violent body to normal proportions.

### J. H. WILKIE QUILTS TRADE COMMISSION

Contracts Aggregating \$700,000 for the Greek Government Yet to be Filled.

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—The resignation of J. H. Wilkie as a member of the Canadian Trade Commission, has been placed in the hands of Sir George Foster, minister of trade and commerce, and Mr. Wilkie will finish his duties with the commission at the end of the month. From that time on there will only be a staff of about half a dozen remaining to wind up the contracts still on hand, and it is expected that they will be occupied until about the end of the year.

### Big Contracts Yet

There remain some \$700,000 in contracts for serge and other clothing materials to be filled on behalf of the Greek government. As an instance of the work carried out of the trade commission during the time it has been in existence, it is pointed out that in the case of Greece alone Canada's exports to that country have risen from \$11,000 during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1914, to \$28,000,000 in the fiscal year ending March 31, 1920. Mr. Wilkie is leaving the services of the government after serving for two and a half years in the capacity, first, as secretary of the Canadian Trade Commission, and later as trade commissioner.

### WILD STRAWBERRIES IN OCT.

They are plentiful in N. B. Oct. 26—J.

### MGR. BURKE REVISITS HIS NATIVE ISLAND

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Oct. 26.—The Right Rev. Mgr. A. R. Burke, of Toronto, is revisiting the island, his native province, and was in Charlottetown today. Mgr. Burke recently returned from Mexico where he spent two years. He went there in the interests of Catholic hierarchy that had been expelled from their churches by Carranzistas during the revolution.

### The Best Cough Syrup is Home-made.

There's an emergency to cure it, but you have the best cough remedy in your home.

You've probably heard of this well-known plan of making cough syrup at home. But have you ever used it? When you do, you will understand why thousands of families, the world over, feel that they could hardly keep house without it. It's simple and cheap, but the way it takes hold of a cough will quickly earn it a permanent place in your home.

Into a 16-oz. bottle, pour 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex; then add plain granulated sugar syrup to fill up the bottle. Or, if desired, use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup instead of sugar syrup. Either way, it tastes good, never spoils, and gives you 16 ounces of better cough remedy than you could buy ready-made for \$2.50.

It is really wonderful how quickly this home-made remedy conquers a cough—usually in 24 hours or less. It seems to penetrate through every air passage, loosens a dry, hoarse or tight cough, lifts the phlegm, heals the membranes, and gives almost immediate relief. Splendid for throat ticks, hoarseness, croup, bronchitis and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and has been used for generations for throat and chest ailments.

To avoid disappointment, ask for Pinex in 16-oz. bottles, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

R. Tomlinson and family had wild strawberries for tea on Saturday last. The berries were picked that day on his farm here and was the second time during the past two weeks that he had picked wild berries.

### CLIPPER BUILT IN ST. JOHN HAS SPEED RECORD

Even Steamships Out! Pass the Old "Lightning" When in Racing Trial.

### MADE A RECORD ON MAIDEN VOYAGE

Held Sea Honors for Over a Century Until the "zona" Appeared.

To most people the racing of the symbol of speed upon the water is a matter of fact and not of fancy. The clipper ships are not anywhere as speedy as the famous clipper or sixty years or so ago or may be as fast today. About the only clipper that has ever been got out of its trials or the recent cup defeaters, fourteen knots, a rate of speed which is often exceeded by the fastest of modern craft. The clipper's role of similar length of water, heavy weather—weather in which racing machines would be carried very little sail.

As for the clipper ships, the Balmain, of the famous Black Ball line, of the Sovereign of the Sea, was a much larger craft than the old-fashioned clipper. She was built at East Boston, at the sign and builder being Don McKay, a native of Nova Scotia.

### A World Record.

What is believed to be the record for a yacht was made by the British schooner Rainbow in her first voyage from Boston Lightship to Halifax. She covered the distance of 60 miles, in four hours, on occasions during the race the schooner averaged 16 1/2 knots. But the schooner was a much larger craft than the old-fashioned clipper. She was built at East Boston, at the sign and builder being Don McKay, a native of Nova Scotia.

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### Growing Old Together

THIS aged couple, mellowed by time and the experience of life, are happily growing old together.

They are happy because they are healthy. Life is still full of interest to them, and they are wide awake to new ideas.

These are the kind of old people that everybody likes. For, in spite of the years, they are cheerful and optimistic.

It is only natural that the blood should get thin and vitality wane as age advances, but there are ways of keeping up the quality of the blood and maintaining health and vigor.

Very many men and women have found in Dr. Chase's Nerve Food exactly what they need to restore energy and strength and keep them healthy and happy.

As an example Mr. Stephen J. Leard, North Tryon, P. E. I., writes: "At seventy-five years of age my heart gave out and became very irregular and weak in action and would palpitate. My nerves also became weak and I could do nothing but lie in bed in a languishing condition, losing strength and weight. In that condition I began using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and am cured. Had I not obtained this treatment I would now be in the hospital with the roof over my head. At eighty-one I have an energy which means so, and I am writing this letter so that old people like myself may regain their old strength by using this great medicine."

There can be no doubt that this treatment contained exactly what was required to build up Mr. Leard's system.

We are constantly receiving so many letters of this kind that we can, with the greatest confidence, recommend people of advanced years to put Dr. Chase's Nerve Food on trial, as a means of restoring and maintaining health and vigor.

Here is another interesting letter. This time from a lady:

Mrs. Joseph Lalonde, Hydre Glen, Ont., writes: "I have to thank you very much for what your medicines have done for me. Specially the Nerve Food and Kidney-Liver Pills. I was so run down and nervous last summer that I was in bed most of the time, unable to do any work. I have also been troubled with my kidneys for over twenty years, and tried every doctor I knew of without any permanent result, but I can say that Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and Kidney-Liver Pills have made me feel quite different. Since taking this combined treatment I have been able to do my housework, and although I am now 75 years old, I feel better than I have for years."

"I know Mrs. Joseph Lalonde, and believe her statement regarding Dr. Chase's medicines to be true."—W. P. Fitzsimons, Port Hope, Ont.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.75, all dealers or Edman, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto. Only the genuine bears the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., the famous Receipt Book author, on every box.



### Overcoats at Your Own Prices

Starting Wednesday and continuing until Saturday night at ten o'clock, we offer every Fall and Winter Overcoat at prices that will make you smile.

Our prices will not scare you, and it is your grand opportunity to arm yourself against Jack Frost in the fight for comfort.

Overcoats of all sizes, styles and colors at big reductions.

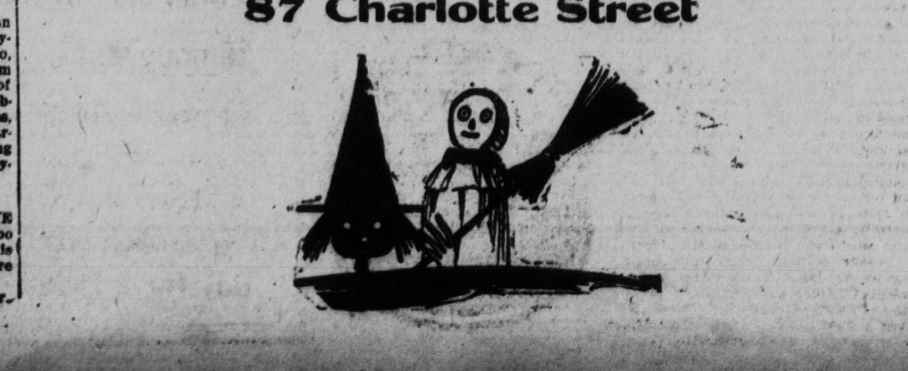
SALE PRICES	Your price
\$30.00 Overcoats	\$25.00
35.00 Overcoats	28.00
38.00 Overcoats	30.00
40.00 Overcoats	32.00
50.00 Overcoats	40.00
60.00 Overcoats	50.00

The Lightning made her grand run on her maiden voyage from Liverpool. She was commanded by a party of the brethren of the church who at present are in the city. This is better than the drum-drum vociferous cheering which make up the putting scenes of a regatta.

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### The Semi-ready Store

George T. Creary  
87 Charlotte Street



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Even Steamships Could Not Pass the Old "Lightning" When in Racing Trim.

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Yachts like the Shamrock, Vigilant, Defender and Columbia could have maintained the record speed they are credited with in racing trim...

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"We have seen many vessels pass the water, but never saw one which disturbed it less. Not a single ripple curled before her cutter, nor did the water break at a single place along her sides."

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Mrs. Ella Leftwick, an other Kansas City woman whose remarkable restoration by Tanlac has astonished her neighbors...



"Tanlac completely restored my health," she said, "and just seemed to give me a new lease on life."

"For the first time in three years I am able to eat and enjoy three hearty meals every day and not suffer in the least with indigestion afterwards."

"I was extremely nervous and couldn't sleep well, but now my nerves are in splendid shape, and I sleep like a child every night."

"Tanlac is sold in St. John by Ross Drug Co. and F. W. Munro under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative."

Peat, long used in Great Britain and Ireland as a substitute for coal, now gives considerable promise of taking the place of wood pulp for the manufacture of paper.

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### WILLS AND ESTATES

London, Oct. 26.—Probate has now been granted of the will of the Rt. Hon. John Arbuthnot Baron Fisher, of Kilverstone, O.M., G.C.B., G.C.V.O., LL.D., who died on July 10, aged 79...

### "LIQUOR" IN HEARSE EMBALMING FLUID

Windsor, Oct. 26.—License Inspector Spracklin "caught a tartar" when he stepped a hearse owned by Albany Janisse, Windsor undertaker, today...

### PEAT SUBSTITUTE FOR WOOD PULP

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### Quit Meat If Your Kidneys Act Back

Take tablespoonful of Salt Back hurts or Bladder bothers.

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well-known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging "pains" in the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night...

Ja-d-salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lull-water drink, and nobody can make a mistake by taking a little occasionally to keep the kidneys clean and active.

### JAPAN SHOWS HIGH HAND IN MANCHURIA

Troops Sent Into Hungchun Diamas Chinese Officials and Seize Telegraph Lines.

(Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger.) Peking, Oct. 26.—The Japanese forces which recently entered the Hungchun district in southern Manchuria...

The Japanese intend to stay in the territory until the Bolshevik bandits and bandits' activities are ended, which is interpreted to mean forever.

Japan defends her action by quoting the American-Mexican precedent, and insists that a military expedition cannot be called taking over administration of the territory and impairing China's sovereignty.

The Japanese troops which have arrived in Hungchun from Korea total 2,000 and reports indicate that 2,000 more Japanese infantry, cavalry and artillery were landed at Poshai Bay...

Six thousand picked Chinese troops of General Chang-to Lin's army are due in Hungchun and will act independently of the Japanese.

The Chinese director general of the Chinese Eastern Railway has called a shareholders' meeting for October 28 at Peking to install Chinese department chiefs, according to the recent agreement between the Russo-Asiatic bank and the Chinese Government.

### SWINDLERS MADE GREAT CLEAN-UP

Get Away With Military Stores by Means of a Forged Requisition.

(Copyright, 1920, by Cross-Atlantic.) Moscow, October 26.—A repetition of the famous Koepentek escapade is reported from Eastast, Baden. Two men arrived in an official military lorry at the Central Military Depot, and presented a requisition for suits of clothing, overcoats, boots and underwear, representing a value of 600,000 marks.

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Amherst Pianos are the only pianos that are manufactured in the Maritime Provinces. Factory is located at Amherst, N. S. Amherst Pianos are made from the best materials obtainable and are priced at fair prices consistent with quality. Every Amherst Piano is sold with a 20 years Factory Guarantee. If you are considering a piano for your home you will make no mistake by selecting an Amherst. We have a complete stock on display now in St. John. Amherst Pianos selected for the Royal Family. Ask to see our Princess Royal Model. Special discounts for cash during our Fall Clearance Sale.

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## You Should Have Music in Your Home

Some Exceptional Values in New and Used PHONOGRAPHS

Cremonophone	\$35.00
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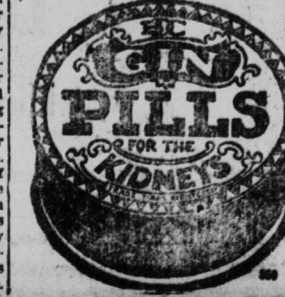
RENEWED UPRIGHT PIANOS

Hampton A Good Piano for a Beginner	\$190
Heintzman An Old Standard Make	\$345
Hayden & Sons Made in New York	\$300
Dominion Massive Walnut Case	\$325
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Wormwith A Real Bargain	\$395

A Few Dollars a month will pay for a Piano

AMHERST PIANOS, LTD. 7 Market Square, St. John, N. B.

Parlor Organs \$65, \$75, \$98



Best Cough Syrup is Home-made. probably heard of this well-known remedy for coughs, colds, and whooping cough. It is a simple and cheap, but it takes hold of a cough and keeps it from coming back.

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At 5 p. m. two hours after the pilot left her, the outer telegraph station reported her thirty miles east of Boston Light, and going along like a steamboat.



# THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

## Royal Send-off For Delawana

### Schooner Leaving Lunenburg for Halifax Tomorrow Morning

Lunenburg, N. S., Oct. 26.—All of Lunenburg town and half the county will watch the Delawana move out of the harbor on Thursday morning and head for Halifax, the battle ground for the international race series.

#### A Royal Send-Off

Plans are made to give the Canadian challenger a royal send-off, with the band supplying snap and go to the occasion. Lunenburg does not mean to do this thing by halves. It is under the most glorious weather conditions that the Delawana is to be readied for the coming contest, and it is by way of taking advantage of such conditions that the start for Halifax has been delayed from Wednesday afternoon to Thursday morning. The longer the vessel remains on the slip in the weather the better, and as the Yankee schooner will not arrive in Halifax before tomorrow night, it has been decided to make all kinds of hay while the sun shines. The hull of the Delawana is becoming drier and lighter every minute, and the skipper of her says that he would rather see her getting the sun in Lunenburg than soaking up water at a Halifax wharf.

Today the finishing coat of paint went on. Tonight the Delawana glazes like a new pin. Her bottom is as perfect as skill can make it. Her black top sides show off her bright green underbody to perfection. When she gets her white stripes of waterline tomorrow, she will be worth going far to see.

At seven o'clock sharp in the morning the challenger will slip back into the water. At the wharf the last touches will be added.

#### Given Overhauling

Today she was given such an overhauling as will make history in this port. As a result, all her standing rigging has been up. Some of her running rigging was replaced, a new foremast cross tree fits tonight where a slightly strained one did this morning. Her topmasts have been thoroughly scraped and specially treated, and with a single hobstoy to add to her altered appearance, good friends of the Delawana would hardly recognize her as the same vessel that won the carnival week race.

At the wharf tomorrow the Delawana spars will be given a swing over and a touch here and there will complete her grooming. Then will come the ballast. She has her permanent concrete. Next to this will be the iron, and on top of that will be the required amount, which will be in the aggregate greater than the tonnage of ballast she carried in the last race.

#### Spread of Sail

The addition to the Delawana's keel has caused a great deal of discussion. One skipper said today it would "show her a half a point farther in the wind." All are agreed that it will be of great assistance in windward work. The relative sail spread of the rivals still holds the centre of the speculation stage, the Esperanto is, of course, larger and heavier than the Delawana, and well understoodly come with a greater spread. The Delawana in the race will spread 3,150 yards of canvas, and it may be assumed that the American will spread at least 200 yards more than that. But none are worrying. In any kind of decent wind, Delawana can carry her spread nicely—and with all her retrimming she is going to carry it with much greater security than she did in the carnival race.

Already we are hearing talk of better throughout the province. One well known race follower said to be favoring the Delawana, giving even money on the Canadian vessel, but demanding three to two odds on the American entry. Delawana, of course, will take no sail-stretching spin here. She will get it on the way to Halifax.

#### Try Out Vessel

At the request of Captain Himmelman, Captain Angus Walters is taking the Gilbert G. Walters along on the trip as a try-out vessel. The Walters was the runner-up in the carnival race and a bunch with her between here and Halifax will test the Delawana cut after her thorough overhauling. Already shoals of messages of congratulations are beginning to come in to Lunenburg. Capt. Tommy Himmelman was kept busy today wiping the paint off his fingers to open telegrams. One to W. C. Smith and Company from Sir Robert Borden is grateful. "Pray accept and also convey to Capt. Himmelman my hearty congratulations on the recent victory of the Delawana and my best wishes for every success in the approaching international race," it read.

Commissioner Millet who will represent the State of Massachusetts in the contest, arrives here tonight from Boston, coming via Yarmouth. He is keenly interested in the race and says that it was the one topic of conversation on the trip across the Bay of Fundy and on the train to Halifax. Tomorrow he will meet the members of the committee having the race in hand.

#### The Scottish League

London, Oct. 26.—(Canadian Associated Press)—Today's football results in the Scottish League were: Albion, 2; Celtic, 0.

#### ENTER GREAT SUIT

New York, Oct. 26.—Suit for \$2,353, 416 damages against the United States Shipping Board and the emergency fleet corporation was begun here today by the Hon. Missouffe St. Paul and Blackiston Steamship Companies.

## Evidence Given In Baseball Scandal

### States Attorney's Office Exonerated Rothstein and Gideon of American League

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Arnold Rothstein, of New York, and Joe Gideon, St. Louis American League second baseman, today testified before the Cook County Grand Jury, investigating the baseball scandal, and the State attorney's office afterward announced their evidence and exonerated the two men from complicity in the throwing of games in the 1919 world series, but had materially strengthened the charges against some of the men already indicted.

The jury today completed the taking of testimony in the investigation, which has lasted more than a month and resulted in true bills being voted against thirteen men on charges of conspiracy to do an illegal act, but will hold a final session Friday to finish up clerical work. Gideon and Rothstein testified against Abe Attel, Hal Chase, Wm. Burns and others whom the jury already had acted. Their testimony probably will result in an attempt to have Attel brought back here from Canada for trial, officials said, it being believed here that he can be extradited.

## Lacrosse League Of Clubs Planned

### Organization of Professionals from Vancouver and Seattle—Contract for New Park

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 27.—Organization of an international professional lacrosse league of clubs from Vancouver and Seattle is being planned for next year. One lacrosse league, already operating, will play the champions of the new organization for the western title.

Billy Fitzgerald, it is reported, has been signed as playing manager for the Seattle team. Several years ago he was considered the fastest fielder in the game. In 1911 he was the star of the Vancouver Minto Cup team. Con Jones, Vancouver sports promoter, is backing the new league and has contracted for a new park for the games.

Arrangements are being made to bring the Shamrock of Montreal to the coast for a three-game series next May.

## Local Bowling

### Y. M. C. I. House League

Last night on the Y. M. C. I. alleys the Hawks won all four points from the Eagles. The individual score follows:

	Eagles
Doherty	80 77 83 240 80
Jenajins	74 78 100 252 84
McLaughlin	79 89 82 251 83 2-3
Kelly	77 86 91 254 83 2-3
Garnett	71 102 93 266 88 2-3
	381 434 459 1265

**Hawks.**  
Reade . . . 83 85 96 275 81  
Jeezman . . . 83 103 87 273 83  
Simk . . . 77 82 75 234 78  
Powling . . . 98 83 102 283 97 2-3  
Jarvis . . . 81 103 95 289 96 1-3

448 466 454 1365

The Robins and Falcons will roll tonight.

### WELLINGTON LEAGUE

In the Wellington League series on the G. W. V. A. alleys last night the Veterans captured all four points from the Schofield Paper Company team. The score follows:

	Schofield Paper Co.
Crowley	82 89 79 250 83 1-2
Hayter	57 68 72 207 69
Smith	77 83 87 247 83 2-3
Dickson	71 67 66 204 68
Smith	79 83 97 269 89 2-3
	270 380 401 1151

G. W. V. A.

	Hibben
Hibben	105 92 94 291 97
Angel	78 74 85 237 79
Clark	75 79 87 241 80 1-3
Roberts	113 82 88 283 94 1-3
Appley	86 87 111 284 94 2-3
	457 414 464 1335

### Fought a Draw

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 26.—Pal Moore, of Memphis, and Joey Lynch, of New York, fought eight rounds to a draw here tonight, according to newspapermen.

Moore's holding cost him the decision, newspapermen said, as he carried the fight to his opponent virtually the entire contest.

### Tender Beats Wellington

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 26.—Law Tender, of Philadelphia, won the newspaper decision over Joe Wellington, of Chicago, in a scheduled ten rounds to decision fight here tonight.

### THEM GOLFING GUYS.

"Who's the stranger, mother, dear? Looks, he knows us—ain't he queer?" "Hush, my own, don't talk so wild! He's your father, dearest child!" "He's my father? No such thing! Father died away last Spring." "Father didn't die, you dub!" "Father joined a golfing club." "But they have closed the club, so he has no place to go, you see." "No place left for him to roam. That is why he's coming home." "Kiss him—he won't bite you, child; All them golfing guys look wild!" "—The Neighbor.

## Carpentier And Dempsey Matched

### Heavyweight Champions Will Meet Between Feb. 1 and July 1, 1921.

New York, Oct. 26.—Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier were matched here this afternoon for a bout for the heavyweight championship of the world. The contract will be formally signed tomorrow.

Under the terms of the contract agreed upon today, the pugilists will meet some time between February 1 and July 1, 1921.

The conditions stipulate a bout between ten and fifteen rounds for a record purse and a percentage of the moving picture receipts.

#### The Arrangements

The number of rounds, the place of battle and the exact date are subject to discussion of the promoters, who are to inform the principals at least sixty days before the contest. Each fighter receives a 25 per cent. right in the moving picture profits, the other 50 per cent. going to the promoters.

The bout will be conducted by Tex Rickard, Charles Cochran, of London, and Wm. A. Brady, the latter representing Cochran's interests. The contract was agreed to after a long conference today, at which were present the joint promoters Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey, and Francois Descamps, manager of Carpentier, and four lawyers representing the various interests involved.

#### \$500,000 Purse

While Tex Rickard and his fellow promoters refused positively to disclose the amount of the purse to be given the pugilists, before the formal signing of the contract tomorrow, it is known that including certain percentages it will approach \$500,000.

This is far in excess of any previous purse, the record being held by Rickard's contract with Jess Willard and Jack Dempsey, whereby Willard received \$100,000 and Dempsey \$27,500 for their fight at Toledo on July 4, 1919. The division of the purse will show Dempsey receiving more than Carpentier in the role of challenger and holder of the European heavy weight title.

While the promoters are understood to be planning to hold the bout here in Madison Square Garden, ample provision is made for the shifting of the contest to another city in case opposition arises from any source.

Under the contract, it will be possible to hold the fight in Canada, Mexico, Cuba, or the West Indies. The site of the contest and the date will not be finally arranged for some time.

Many managerial and legal obstacles had to be overcome before the match could be made, because of the various contracts which one or the other of the pugilists had previously signed.

#### Iron-Clad Contract

Carpentier was under an iron-clad contract to Charles Cochran, of London, not to sign with any other promoter before January 1, 1921. Rickard had held Dempsey's signature to fight for him for some months, and it became apparent that the international heavyweight battle could not be arranged for some time to come, unless the two promoters joined forces.

This was finally accomplished by Brady, who has acted in the capacity of Cochran's United States representative, until the latter arrived here recently to complete the details personally.

While it is understood that the promoters are consulting upon a record day in order to carry the burden of the huge purse involved the moving picture receipts are expected to prove the greatest revenue. Neither boxer has been estimated that if the bout is held in Madison Square Garden, box seats around the ringside will sell for nearly \$200 each, and other seats in the arena ranging downward in proportion. The total receipts from the moving pictures of the fight, especially should Carpentier win, will be worth millions above what he is a European hero. While films could be taken of the contest in the Garden, the pictures could not be shown throughout the United States unless the present laws are changed.

#### Leaving for France

Carpentier will leave for France within the next ten days to spend the Christmas holidays with his family, but it is part of his plan to return to the United States early in the new year and begin training for his coming fight with Dempsey. Neither boxer will be permitted under the contract to complete in the ring previously to the coming battle, although exhibitions of short duration will not be prohibited.

The signing of the agreement for the Dempsey-Carpentier contest will sidetrack, temporarily at least, plans for a return bout between Dempsey and Willard. This bout was tentatively scheduled for about the middle of March, and Willard was preparing to begin training in the near future for a chance to regain the title he lost to Dempsey more than a year ago.

## Why Not A Hurdle Team Relay Race?

### London Writer Figures That Such a Contest Would Prove Interesting

By Lieut.-Col. A. N. S. Stred-Jackson, (Staff Correspondent Cross-Atlantic Newspaper Service.)

London, Oct. 26.—The magnificent hurdling which we have seen this season has brought forth the suggestion that we might start having hurdle relay races. Everyone complains of the shortness of a hurdle race from the spectacular point of view. The 130-yard hurdle race is, of course, the shortest and fastest race after the 100 yards dash. But then, in the case of the 100 yards, we don't so much mind the shortness of it, because we know that we are going to see a 400 yards and a 800 yards race later on—several heats of these probably, while there are as a rule fewer heats of the hurdles in comparison.

A very exciting race could be staged with the greatest of ease. A 480 yards hurdle race, 4 in each team, number 1 and 3 flying the hurdles from one direction—2 and 4 from the other. No. 1 hands baton to No. 2 and he flies back over the same hurdle and No. 3, who in his turn hands the baton to No. 4 who finishes where the race began. I fancy that a race of this kind will shortly figure at one of our prominent meets.

## Performed Time Honored Custom

### Field Marshal Lord Haig Officiated at Opening of "Royal Medal" Golf Meeting.

AT THE GOLF OF GOLF. (London Daily Mail; Cross-Atlantic Newspaper Service, Inc.)

St. Andrews, Scotland, Oct. 26.—A great day in the annals of the premier golf club of the world, the Royal and Ancient was the opening day of the "Royal Medal" meeting. The new captain who performed the time-honored custom of driving of the first ball was Field Marshal Lord Haig, the famous "C. in C." of the British armies in France.

St. Andrews prepared to house a record crowd and it was not disappointed, for never before has a larger number assembled around the teeing ground of the historic old course. A crowd of more than 130 caddies were especially awaiting the cap-

tain's drive, for it is the custom of St. Andrews that the caddie who secures the ball shall carry it triumphantly to the captain and receive a handsome monetary reward.

A great cheer greeted the arrival of Lord Haig at the tee. Dressed in a brown suit, with a brown hat to match, he took a slow and deliberate three-quarter swing and drove off. The ball would have landed beyond the road but for the caddies. There was a frantic rush for the ball, a regular Rugby mat in fact, and presently there emerged from the scrum

a bright little boy, W. Gilmour by name, holding the ball triumphantly aloft.

In front of an admiring crowd he handed over the ball to Lord Haig and duly received his reward. The lucky caddie was then filmed in company with such distinguished persons as the veteran Mr. Leslie Balfour-Melville, Mr. W. Norman Bone, Lord Haig, Mr. W. T. Linskill, Brig-Gen. Roland Haig and Andrew Kirkaldy. As the cannon boomed that the distinguished soldier had "played himself into office," the police and of-

ficials cleared the spectators from the vicinity of the teeing ground, and the first couple in the medal competition proper started off.

As captain of the year, Lord Haig received the Queen Adelaide medal and the silver club, his badge of office.

#### BOB MARTIN WON

Boston, Oct. 26.—Bob Martin, A. E. P. heavyweight champion, knocked out Larry Williams of Bridgeport, Conn., in the first round of a scheduled ten round bout here tonight.

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Port William, Ont., Oct. 27.—Charles C. Jenkins, manager editor of the Port William Daily Times-Journal for the past eight years, severed his connection with that journal on October 23, and will in future reside in Toronto, where he has been engaged as a special writer for Maclean's Magazine. Mr. Jenkins has been twenty years a regular newspaper man in eastern, western and central Canada.



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**PROPAGANDA IS DISTRIBUTED BY A NOVEL METHOD**

"Socialist Shrapnel" Scattered by Readers of Their New York Newspaper.

(Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger.)  
New York, Oct. 26.—Propaganda has been called "grows up publicity." The New York Call, the socialist daily, is spreading propaganda by a unique method. It is called "socialist shrapnel." An entire inside double page is divided into nine squares, each containing the identical "message"—on one side it is a short pamphlet, and upon the opposite side a Ryan Walker cartoon, instructions to readers are printed at the top of the page: "Tear the page into three parts from top to bottom. Now you have three strips. Divide these into three parts by tearing across the lines indicated. Now you have nine pieces of shrapnel. Scatter the message."  
In order to see how many socialist readers participate in the distribution the newspaper asks: "Send us a postal card on which you write these words: 'On the job.' Then sign your name and address."  
It is the endless chain idea limited to the nine persons to whom the regular reader hands the dodgers. A clever brain thought it out for there is the saving in printing, and by making it a part of the newspaper a circulator is found for the dodgers. Each day the "message" is changed. In the matter of energy and ingenuity the old political parties could well afford to study some of the publicity methods of the zealous socialists.

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**WEDDINGS.**

A pretty wedding took place this morning at five-thirty when Miss Mary McIntyre, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre, of 28 Simons street, was united in marriage to Harry Crotty, of Fredericton, N. B. The bride was attired in a grey travelling suit and a perian lamb cape. Her hat was a black picture one, and she carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses. She was attended by Miss Katherine Higgins, who wore tulle veils with hat to match, ermine furs and carried pink roses. J. O'Brien, of Fairville, supported the groom. Relatives and intimate friends were present at the ceremony. After a wedding breakfast at the home of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Crotty left for an automobile tour of Boston and New York, returning by way of Montreal. They will reside in Fredericton. Mr. Crotty is a well-known business man of Fredericton. A number of beautiful gifts were received, including several cheques and presents in gold, silver and cut glass. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Crotty, of McAdam.

**Smyth-MacLeod.**

William Bell Smyth and Sarah Christine MacLeod, both of Yank. B. C., were united in marriage at the Presbyterian manse, Nelson, B. C., on October 15th. Rev. Mr. McClintock officiating.

Mr. Smyth was formerly an N. B. boy. His parents reside at Cumberland Bay, N. B.


**Cochrane-Dickson.**

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the residence of H. V. Dickson, M. L. A., Hammond River, Tuesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, when Rev. J. A. MacKolan united in marriage Miss H. Eleanor Dickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Dickson, to Herbert M. Cochrane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cochrane, Bloomfield, Kings Co. After the ceremony, reception was held. The bride and groom left by automobile on a trip to Upper Canadian cities. On their return they will reside at Bloomfield.

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**OBITUARY.**

**Mrs. Ellen Sweeney.**  
News has been received in St. John of the death in Boston, on Monday of Mrs. Ellen Sweeney, widow of John Sweeney, formerly of St. John. Mrs. Sweeney's death was due to an accident. A short time ago she fell down stairs and received injuries from which she did not recover. Her husband who was in the shoe trade here, died a long time ago. Mrs. Sweeney's maiden name was Driscoll, and she was a sister of the late Capt. Michael Driscoll, a well known citizen. Many citizens will remember when she kept a popular boarding house at the corner of Union street and Wellington Row. Many old friends will regret to hear of her death.

Mrs. Sweeney's remains will be brought to St. John on Thursday for interment.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.**

The following real estate transfers are included amongst those recently recorded:


W. E. Collins to W. J. Osborne, property at Glen Falls.  
Coldbrook R. & D. Co. to Josephine A. Thorne, property at Glen Falls.  
Coldbrook R. & D. Co. to Ida M. Watson, property at Glen Falls.  
Amanda Christopher and husband to J. Peer and others, property in Lunenburg.  
F. Hart to Edith I. Hughson, property in Lunenburg.  
Isabelle T. McKean to Mabel A. Shea, property in Princess street.  
F. L. Peterson to Margare. Walker, property in Queen street, west.  
Kings County.  
William Arthurs to J. L. Heans, property in Westfield.  
William Arthurs to E. O. Heans, property in Westfield.  
F. E. Hayes to Leslie Hayes, property in Studholm.  
Alexander Hayes to Leslie Hayes, property in Studholm.  
C. H. McNutt to S. H. O'Dell, property in Sussex.  
Alfred Murphy to Marion Ingleton, property in Rothesay.  
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**FUNERALS.**

The body of Miss Agnes Wood, who died Monday at the advanced age of eighty-eight years, was taken to Hammond River on the noon train yesterday and service was held in the afternoon in the Hammond River Presbyterian church and interment made in the church cemetery.

The funeral of Sarah Fleming was held yesterday afternoon from 49 Garden street to Fernhill. Service was conducted by Rev. Moorehead Legate and Rev. F. S. Dowling.

The funeral of Mrs. David McInerney was held yesterday afternoon from 100 St. John street to Fernhill. Service was conducted by Rev. Samuel Howard.

The funeral of Gerald Gibbons took place yesterday morning from his parents' residence, Metcalf street, to St. Peter's church where requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. D. Coll. C.S.S.R. Interment took place in the new Catholic cemetery. Six class mates officiated as pall-bearers, and the boys of grades 7 and 8 of St. Peter's school attended the funeral in a body. A large number of spiritual and floral offerings were received.

**PROBATE COURT.**

In the matter of the estate of Walter Lynch, \$700 personally, Margaret J. Lynch has been appointed administratrix. U. J. Sweeney was proctor. The will of Anne O'Brien was probated at \$1,300 personally and \$500 realty. Joseph O'Brien was appointed executor. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., was proctor.

In the matter of the estate of Catharine Montgomery, personally \$2,100 Jim Montgomery was appointed administrator. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C. was proctor.

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# THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

## DROP IN PRICES GENERAL ON THE MONTREAL MARKET

### Riordan Heads the Downward List With a Decline to 205, a Nine-Point Fall.

Montreal, Oct. 26.—The price trend in the local stock exchange today was again irregular with the majority of the issues traded in showing a net loss at the close of the business, the paper issues being especially under pressure. The utilities were steady to strong, and the textiles and steels irregular.

The largest net losses of the day went to Alouette, which declined 3 points to 285, followed by a 6 point decline in Price Bros to 349, and a 5 1/2 point decline in Wayagamack to 142.

Other substantial losses were incurred by Canadian Locomotive, recently inactive, which sold down 5 points to 55; Dominion Textile was down 4 points to 123, only a fraction above the low of the year. Provincial Paper lost 4 points from a previous last sale some time ago, the issue closing at 107. The Spanish River stocks lost 2 points each, at 102 1/2 for the common and 107 for the preferred.

Bronpton and Abitibi were both weak, losing 1 1/2 points each at 74 1/2 and 70 1/2, respectively. Elsewhere in the list the strongest issues took in Steel of Canada, fractionally higher; Converters, two points higher; Lower issues included sugar a point down; Iron fractionally down and Quebec Railway lower by a fraction. In the bond department, Quebec Railway 7 1/2 declined 1/2 cent.

Total sales, listed, 4,355; bonds, 22,200.

## MONTREAL SALES

Morning

Asbestos Com—5 at 94
Wayagamack—75 at 139 1/2
Canada Loco—20 at 85
Dominion Textile—25 at 125
Spanish River—65 at 104 1/2
Steel Canada Com—55 at 63 1/2
Shawinigan—120 at 105 1/2
Montreal Pulp—30 at 80
Abitibi—10 at 71 1/2
Bell Telephone—20 at 103
Price Bros—5 at 339 1/2
Laurentide Pulp—45 at 104 1/2
Smelting—180 at 22 1/2
Wayagamack—75 at 148
Quebec Ry—50 at 25
Atlantic Sugar Com—100 at 89
Breweries Com—10 at 63 1/2
Span River Com—65 at 104 1/2
Ames Holden—5 at 102 1/2
Wawayamack Bonds—1,000 at 81
Quebec Ry Bonds—3,000 at 60

Afternoon

Steamships Com—10 at 60
Bronpton—150 at 75
Dem Iron—45 at 52 1/2
Laurentide Pulp—150 at 104 1/2
Shawinigan—120 at 105 1/2
Abitibi—10 at 71 1/2
Montreal Pulp—30 at 71
Smelting—20 at 22 1/2
Wayagamack—10 at 147 1/2
Quebec Ry—25 at 25
Breweries—40 at 63 1/2
Spanish River—25 at 102 1/2
Spanish River Com—9 at 103 1/2
Bronpton—85 at 74 1/2

## TORONTO GRAIN

Toronto, Oct. 26.—Manitoba oats, No. 2, cw. 71 1/2, No. 2, 64 1/2; extra No. 1, feed, 64 1/2, No. 2, feed, 58 1/2; all in store. Northern, 22 1/2; No. 2 Northern, 22 1/2; No. 3 Northern, 22 1/2; No. 4 Northern, 22 1/2; all in store. Northern, 22 1/2; No. 2 Northern, 22 1/2; No. 3 Northern, 22 1/2; No. 4 Northern, 22 1/2; all in store. Northern, 22 1/2; No. 2 Northern, 22 1/2; No. 3 Northern, 22 1/2; No. 4 Northern, 22 1/2; all in store.

## CHICAGO GRAIN

Wheat	High	Low	Close
December	2.19 1/2	2.00 1/2	2.08 1/2
March	2.02 1/2	1.93 1/2	2.02 1/2
Corn	High	Low	Close
December	.82 1/2	.80 1/2	.82 1/2
March	.80 1/2	.78 1/2	.80 1/2
Oats	High	Low	Close
December	.64 1/2	.63 1/2	.64 1/2
March	.62 1/2	.61 1/2	.62 1/2

## TIGHT MONEY IS HARD ON TRADERS IN WALL STREET

### Call Money Rose to Ten Per Cent. and Took All Life Out of the Market.

New York, Oct. 26.—Trading in stocks today was professional and restricted, the languid movement being governed almost entirely by monetary conditions. Signs in that quarter pointed to continued tightening of demand and time loans.

Call money stood at 9 per cent, the highest initial rate in many weeks and rose to 10 per cent later, but the withdrawal of almost \$50,000,000 from local banks for federal requirements caused no amendment. British exchange hovered around yesterday's recovered levels and advices from London tended to support hopes of a speedy termination of the local strike but trading between the centre and the British metropolis was very tight.

Less Pig Iron.

Domestic developments were in keeping with best existing conditions, especially the industrial situation. Trade authorities reported additional curtailment of pig iron production and motor specialties reflected further sharp cuts in prices of tires.

The most noteworthy incident of the day—the third quarterly report of the United States Steel Corporation—did not come until after the close of the session. Total earnings aggregated slightly over \$48,000,000, an increase of almost \$4,000,000 over the previous record, and were in line with most forecasts. Analysis of the statement, however, taking earnings by the month offered further proof that consumers are holding off in anticipation of a downward revision of prices scheduled before the end of the year. Specialties were the heavy features of the stock list, the usual favorites among industrialists and rail registers. Total sales amounted to 490,000 shares, the usual normal changes, the most part, United States Steel was a case in point, gaining the smallest fraction.

Old United States bonds were unchanged on call.

## GOSSIP AROUND THE MARKETS

The Merchants and Miners Transportation Company has been awarded \$430,000 annually as compensation for the use of its property during federal control by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Washington dispatches announce that the southern bankers at the convention presented a plan for the formation of a \$12,000,000 corporation to finance the movement of cotton to European markets.

A forced loan and increased taxes are being considered by Germany to cancel a deficit of \$5,700,000, according to the Journal of Commerce.

Bids were opened in Washington District of Columbia for \$5,000,000 of 12 per cent. Manila Port bonded bonds. The joint bid of Kuhn, Loeb & Co. and William A. Road & Co. was the highest at 101.27.

Finland is now sending 30 per cent of its wood pulp to this country, and can greatly increase its production at present prices that will meet any competition, according to Finnish paper manufacturers visiting this country.

Directors of King Motor Company have filed a petition in Circuit Court of Michigan calling for dissolution and appointment of a receiver to take over affairs of that corporation.

## N. Y. QUOTATIONS

	Open	High	Low	Close
Am Car Pdy	100	100	96 1/2	96 1/2
Am Loco	96 1/2	96 1/2	104 1/2	105 1/2
Am Sugar	100 1/2	105 1/2	104 1/2	105 1/2
Am Smelt	100	100	69 1/2	69 1/2
Am SSI Pdy	37 1/2	37 1/2	37	37
Am Tele	99 1/2	100	99 1/2	99 1/2
Anacosta	51	51	50 1/2	51
Am Can	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Atchafalaya	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
Bain and O.	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Bald Loco	113 1/2	113 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
Beth Steel	71 1/2	71 1/2	70 1/2	71 1/2
Brick Rap	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Chino	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Cent Leath	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Can Pacific	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
Crucible SSI	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Erie Com	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Erie 1st Pfd	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Gen Motors	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Gen Steel	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Indus Alco	84 1/2	84 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Ingr Corp	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Konop	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Mer Mar Pdy	71	71	69 1/2	69 1/2
Mex Petrol	192 1/2	192 1/2	191 1/2	191 1/2
Midvale SSI	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Miss Pac	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
N Y NH and H	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
N Y Central	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
NYPAC	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
Pennsylvania	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Reading Com	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Republic SSI	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Royal Dutch	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
St Paul	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
South Pac	99 1/2	99 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Studebaker	66 1/2	66 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Un Pacifie	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
U S SSI Com	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
U S Rubber	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Utah Copper	58 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
U S SSI Pdy	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2

## PRICE BROS. TO INCREASE CAPITAL

Price Bros. Ltd. was the best of Quebec, Oct. 26.—At a meeting of the shareholders of the firm of Price Bros. held yesterday, the resolution of the directors of the firm to sell the concern to the Price Bros. and Company, Ltd., was unanimously approved. The transfer will take place on Nov. 1. The capitalization of the new company will be \$4,871,000 as compared with \$3,534,200, which is the capitalization of the present company. The increased capital will enable the new company to realize the extensive developments in the lumber, pulp and paper industries for which plans have been made.

## N. Y. COTTON MARKET

Cotton	High	Low	Close
January	22 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
March	22 1/2	20 1/2	21 1/2
May	21 1/2	20 1/2	21 1/2
July	21 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
October	22 1/2	21 1/2	22 1/2

## APPLE PRICES IN LONDON

London, Oct. 26.—Present prices for Nova Scotia apples are:—Gravenstein, No. 1, per barrel, 48 to 50 shillings; No. 2, 40 to 45 shillings; Ribston, No. 1, 45 to 50 shillings; Blenheim, No. 1, 40 to 45 shillings; Kings, 45 to 50 shillings.

## IN THE PUBLIC EYE

### GEORGE HERBERT WOOD.

George Herbert Wood, is the Senior Partner of Wood, Gandy & Company, dealers in Government and Municipal Bonds, President, Standard Land & Development Company, Limited; Director, Edinburgh Canadian Mortgage Company, Limited. He was born in Cheshire, England, February 17, 1867, son of George William Wood and educated in English and Toronto schools and Jarvis Collegiate Institute.

After some years' experience in Insurance and Real Estate, became identified in 1895 with the bond business, holding responsible offices until 1905, when, with Mr. J. H. Gandy, the present firm of Wood, Gandy & Company was established. He is a recent of Victoria University; Member International Y. M. C. A. Committee; Member, Missionary Executive of Canadian Methodist Church; Member, Canadian National Y. M. C. A.; Vice-President, Toronto Y. M. C. A.

## O'BRIEN TIMBER SALE IN OTTAWA VALLEY COMPLETE

### Over 1,125 Square Miles of Pulp Timber Secured by the Riordan Company.

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—A further invasion of timber, pulpwood and water power rights of the Ottawa Valley has been made by the Riordan Company, Limited, which company has purchased over 1,125 square miles of timber lands and water powers on the Quize River, near Lake Temiskaming, for a consideration of between \$1,250,000 and \$1,750,000 from Senator M. J. O'Brien, of Renfrew.

The sale is one of the most important that has occurred in the Ottawa Valley since the consummation of the \$6,000,000 merger in July last, whereby the Riordan Company, Limited, absorbed the interests of W. C. Edwards, Gilmour & Hughson, the Kipwee Company and the Ticadodaga Pulp and Paper Company.

## AMERICAN AUTO MAKERS AFTER ENGLISH MARKET

### Warned That Only Light Cars, Easy on Gas, Will Find Ready Sale.

By HAL S. WHITE. (Copyright, 1920, by Cross-Atlantic.)

London, Oct. 26.—American automobile manufacturers are carrying on an intensive campaign to capture the British market, but they must realize the fact that on account of the terribly high price of gasoline here only light cars of low horsepower have a ready sale," said F. W. Brown, Service Manager of the High Automobile Company.

"My impression is that American capital, which has been doubtful, on account of various and several conditions in England about investing heavily in the British market, need not be nervous. English is sound; the trouble are only on the surface."

## VICTORY BOND EMBARGO STAYS

Toronto, Oct. 26.—The "embargo" against the importation of securities from overseas and the sale of victory bonds by the market committee will be continued for some time yet, according to Sir Henry Drayton, minister of finance, who had a conference here yesterday with several hundred leaders of finance on these two questions.

As to the embargo the minister intimated that it might be discontinued by February next, if not earlier, and that the sale of victory bonds by said he would like them to continue in the hands of the market committee a little while longer.

## STEEL CORPORATION FINANCES LARGE

New York, Oct. 26.—The United States Steel Corporation at its quarterly meeting here today declared regular dividends of 1 1/4 per cent, on its common and 1 3/4 per cent, on its preferred stock.

Total earnings for the quarter ended September 30, 1920, were announced as \$48,501,540; net income \$35,739,137 and surplus \$17,869,939.

These figures compared with total earnings of \$43,155,705, net income of \$21,688,204, and surplus of \$13,776,863 for the previous quarter.

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## MONTREAL PRODUCE

Montreal, Oct. 26.—OATS—Canadian Western, No. 2, 92 1/2; No. 3, 86. FLOUR—Manitoba spring wheat patents, first, \$13.00. ROLLED OATS—Bag 50 lbs. \$4.20. MILLED—Bran, \$40.25; shorts, \$45.25. HAY—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$31 to \$32. CHEESE—Finest eastern, 22 lb., BUTTER—Choicest Creamery 49 to 51 lb. EGGS—Fresh, 68 to 69. POTATOES—Per bag, car lots, \$1.30 to \$1.40.

## FARMERS DEMAND \$3 PER BUSHEL FOR ALL WHEAT

### Refuse to Sell Under That Price and Urge All Others to Do Likewise.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 26.—The United States Wheat Growers' Association with a membership of 70,000 in Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Nebraska and South Dakota, issued a proclamation from its office here on October 19, urging all its members to refrain from selling wheat after eight p.m., October 25, until such time as the price of good wheat is increased to \$3 a bushel at growers' terminal markets.

The proclamation set forth that the wheat growers' expenses for labor and equipment were the highest in average in ten years, and that with reduced price for wheat the farmer stood to lose half his investment.

Seek Fair Price

Topeka, Kas., Oct. 26.—Farmers' organizations throughout Kansas generally have adopted resolutions favoring holding back their wheat until they can get "a fair price" for it. This week's official crop report by the state board of agriculture mentioned that wheat shipments were slow. Farmers' organizations have set \$2.75 to \$3 as a fair price. Grain dealers say the volume of wheat now moving to market is less than a fourth the amount nominally shipped at this time of year. However, car shortage is officially reported, and it also has been instrumental in preventing shipments.

## WHEAT MARKET UP TEN CENTS

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Big upward swings in the price of wheat took place today accompanied by signs of concerted stoppage of run selling and by increased export demand. The market closed strong 9 1/2 to 10 1/4 cents net higher. Corn gained 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 cents and oats 1 1/2 to 1 7/8. Provisions the outcome varied from 35 cents decline to a rise of 1 1/2.

Wheat, Dec. 2.0 9 1/2; March, 2.02 1/2; Oats, Dec. 1.14; May, 59 3/4. Pork, Nov. 23.60; Jan. 25.00; Ribs, Oct. 16.50; Jan. 14.30.

## SEES BRIGHT FUTURE FOR CANADIAN TRADE

Frederick, N. B., Oct. 26.—If the readjustment of commodity values is carried out upon the basis of replacement costs the business outlook in Canada is such that one can look forward with optimism to the future, John D. Palmer, president of the Hart Book and Shoe Company, declared when interviewed by the Canadian Press upon his return from a visit to Montreal, Toronto, Ottawa and other Upper Canadian cities.

"Indiscriminate and unjustified price cutting at this time without regard to replacement costs would have the effect of causing widespread unemployment and large curtailment in the output of many commodities, which would probably be a factor in causing an increase in certain lines where a gradual decrease in price should and would take place, providing the process of reduction had been gradual and justified by the replacement costs," said Mr. Palmer.

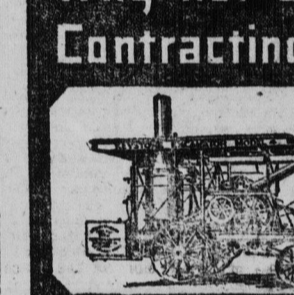
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## Have Invented Machine Which Threatens to Put U. S. Out of the Market.

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This machine is known as the 15 Patent, Spiral Grooved Gear Planer, the first Gear Planer to be made in England. It is the result of experiments made by Mr. Wright, chief engineer for Smith and Coventry Manchester, and tests of an end view nature have shown the new machine to be quicker and more accurate than those formerly shipped from the United States.

In simple language, it is a machine for cutting geared wheels with teeth curved instead of straight, suited to answer the demand for silent gearing of motor vehicles. Produced entirely at Manchester, it is hoped to put the new machine on the market in sufficiently large quantities not only to supply home demands, but also to oust American firms in this line of business from European markets.

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Peking, Oct. 26.—O. T. Wang, formerly a member of the Chinese delegation to Paris, has reached Peking to serve as chairman of the foreign office advisory commission of investigation of the Versailles treaty. The commission's function being to guide Chinese policy on the League of Nations. Mr. Wang will investigate the situation in the first place. The Government states that the report that General Chang Hsiang, the military commissioner despatched to Moscow last spring to investigate the Soviet State by the Chinese military authorities is now suggesting for a commercial treaty with the Soviet Union is untrue. Chang's mission was merely to establish relations with Moscow privately and without Peking's consent. China is not having any relations with the Soviet.

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LANSING WILL PUBLISH BOOK ABOUT TREATY  
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PUBLICATION IS EAGERLY AWAITED  
Will be Based on Personal Diary Kept During the Negotiations of Treaty.

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By ROBERT T. BARRY.  
Washington, Oct. 26.—Publication of an "inside story" of the peace negotiations at Paris during the writing of the treaty. The impressions of Lloyd George, Dr. E. J. Dillon, Bernard M. Baruch and others who, of necessity, were denied access to intimate details of the conference on political questions as possessed by Mr. Lansing, despite the effort of the president to conduct all of the negotiations single-handed.

Nothing Until Election Over.  
With respect to Mr. Lansing's refusal to discuss his book at this time, and to wish that there be no discussion of its probable contents, it is pointed out that he does not desire to be placed in the position of acting vindictively toward the president at the moment Mr. Wilson's administration is on trial before the bar of public opinion in America. Mr. Lansing's whole conduct since his summary dismissal by the president has commanded the admiration of all elements of official life in Washington. He has avoided with great care all efforts to exploit him as a martyr in order to embarrass the president and his refusal to discuss his book at this time is held to be in accord with that course of action.

Not Out Soon.  
Mr. Lansing said today it was not true his book was about ready for publication, as had been stated. He would not say when it might be expected nor indicate its contents. He declared it was true he intended publishing a book that he had planned for some time to do so but that he was not working on it at present. He objected to discussion of the matter at this time. The form in which Mr. Lansing will speak, public his story of the peace conference is represented as being largely a reproduction of a personal diary kept by him while at Paris. Although there have been numerous books bearing upon the peace negotiations, published here and abroad, none has come from the pen of the actual signers of the treaty, the commissioners, and Mr. Lansing's revelations are anticipated with especial eagerness because of the light they might throw on many disputed issues that are certain to be reconsidered when the Senate attempts to make a separate peace with Germany or to ratify the Versailles covenant of the League of Nations.  
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Picture of Lucrezia Borgia Discovered  
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Rome, Oct. 26.—A picture of Lucrezia Borgia has just been discovered in a church in Ferraro, Italy. It is an engraving representing the famous woman as Duchess of Ferrara presenting her baby son to Saint Annunzio, who, while giving his benediction, lays his hand on the child's head.  
To Republican senators of his state and with reference to many of the transactions at Paris during the writing of the treaty. The impressions of Lloyd George, Dr. E. J. Dillon, Bernard M. Baruch and others who, of necessity, were denied access to intimate details of the conference on political questions as possessed by Mr. Lansing, despite the effort of the president to conduct all of the negotiations single-handed.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the  
Petition and Application of the New  
Brunswick Telephone Company, Limited, filed this day with the Board of  
Commissioners of Public Utilities of  
the Province of New Brunswick, praying  
that this Board may approve the  
issue of a proposed issue of Four  
Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$400,000.00) capital stock of the said Company  
and grant a certificate therefor, and  
FURTHER that the said Board may  
approve of an increase of two million  
dollars (\$2,000,000.00) of the capital  
stock of the said Company granted  
by Supplementary Letters Patent issued  
on September 24th, 1920 under  
the provisions of Act 10 Geo. 5, Cap.  
63, will be heard on Tuesday, the 26th  
day of October next at the Government  
Rooms, Prince William Street  
in the City of Saint John, at the hour  
of 10.30 in the forenoon, when and  
where all parties interested may  
attend and be heard.  
The Petition of the said Company  
is on file in the office of the Clerk of  
the Board in the City of Fredericton,  
in the County of York, where the  
same may be inspected.  
DATED this 23rd day of September,  
A. D. 1920.  
BY THE BOARD,  
CHAS. FRANK P. ROBINSON,  
CLERK.

# FOR WOMEN

# AMUSEMENTS

## Answers to Monday's Questions

1.—In Women's societies, good usage has decided the right way to address the chair is to say either, "Madame President" or "Madame Chairman."

## Defer Action Re School Site

The City Council yesterday decided to defer action on the request for a school site on the West Side, thinking there might be some objection from the taxpayers of that section to having the public land voted away.

## Reflections of A Bachelor Girl

When love dies, it would be some consolation to a woman, to give it an elaborate burial, if the man wouldn't always insist on bringing the next woman to the funeral.

## Wonderful Recital At The Imperial

Edison has snared the soul of music. The truth of this was demonstrated yesterday afternoon at a recital at the Imperial theatre in which the following artists took part: Miss Betsy Lane Shepherd, soprano; Miss Madeleine MacGuigan, violinist; Ignor Sokoloff and Reinal Thomas, pianist.

## Woman Wants To Sit In Lords

London, Oct. 26.—Viscountess Rhondda, who is a peeress in her own right, has petitioned King George to order a writ summoning her to serve in parliament as a member of the House of Lords.

## "Diamond Dyes" Are Guaranteed

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## ST. JOHN DEATH RATE LOWEST OF N. B. CITIES

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 26.—Statistics on the deaths and marriages collected by the Department of Health for September show that Madawaska and Restigouche had the highest rates in birth rate and infant mortality.

## FOUND BY THE POLICE.

Two parcels were picked up by the police yesterday, one at the street car waiting bench on Charlotte street and the other at the foot of King street.

## KILLED THE CAT.

A hurry-up call was received by the police to dispatch a man immediately to an address on Charlotte street for the purpose of exterminating a cat, which was undergoing great pain as the result of having been injured.

## LAUNDRY WINDOW BROKEN.

A local celestial carrying on a laundry business on the street near the McLaughlin Motor Co. had the plate glass of his window broken about ten o'clock yesterday evening as the result of the throwing of stones. The police are investigating with a view to locating the culprit.

## PAID TO REV. H. E. BENNETT

The pastor of Rev. H. E. Bennett's mission church, who is away on a short tour for England, a farewell party was given by the St. John's church, Badminton Club hall, in the school room. The guests included Rev. H. E. Bennett, Rev. Young, of the Mission and Rev. Canon Kubring, rector of Stone church.

## MOTHERS' AND DAUGHTERS' BANQUET

Arrangements Made at Meeting of Golden Rule Group C. G. I. T.

## SIR DAVID WATSON SAILS FOR LIVERPOOL

Montreal, Oct. 26.—Among the cabin passengers on the C. P. O. S. liner Victoria, which sailed from Quebec this afternoon for Liverpool were Major-General Sir David Watson, chairman of the Quebec Harbor Commission; Major-General Sir Charles M. Dobell, of London, who commands the British forces in the Cameroons, Africa, during the war; Sir Thos. H. G. Esmond, who was a delegate at the Empire Congress of Chambers of Commerce at Toronto last month; and Sir Wm. Taylor, of Dublin, returning from the recent congress of American surgeons here.

## THE POLICE COURT.

In the police court, yesterday, evidence was heard in the case of George Levine, charged with assaulting Frank Veno at Long wharf. Two men charged with drunkenness were each fined \$5.

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Paris, Oct. 26.—More than half the population made homeless by the Franco-German war has been rehabilitated, according to French official figures on the progress of reconstruction work just issued. Out of 2,712,000 persons who became deprived of their homes, 1,338,000 have been provided with living quarters.

These and other figures indicate that the work of building up the devastated sections has advanced much farther than generally was believed. More than 2,000 houses have been reconstructed and 14,000 have been temporarily repaired. These numbers, however, provide only a partial picture of the relief needed. In war 319,266 houses were entirely destroyed and 373,675 partly destroyed.

## CHILD HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Morrison's Mills, N. B., Oct. 26.—The three year old child of Mr. and Mrs. John McArthur, Morrison's Mills, had a narrow escape this morning from instant death when it strayed on the railroad track just as a freight train was approaching. The child's mother saw it in its perilous position and rushed from the house and got the child off the track just as the train was approaching. In another moment the child would have struck the child and killed it instantly.

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Of 4,875 bridges and viaducts made useless by the Germans, 3,424 have been rebuilt. The enemy destroyed 5,840 miles of railroad and 1,881 miles of canals, but 4,070 of the former and 730 of the latter have been relaid and reconstructed.

More than 6,000,000 acres of ground were made useless, but 5,767,000 have been reclaimed. The Germans destroyed 11,500 factories in which 278,000 persons were employed in 1914.

DUE CAUTION NOT TAKEN IN HUNTING TRAGEDY AT DEVON

Coroner's Inquest Pronounces Death of Soldier Near Fredericton An Accident.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 26.—The death of the late T. Woodford Close, of North Devon, the returned soldier who was killed while hunting on the Nashwaak on Thanksgiving day, was due to an accident, but "due caution was not taken in the firing of the rifle," according to a verdict rendered by the jury which conducted an inquest into the fatality at North Devon last night under the direction of Dr. B. M. Mullin, who as coroner was instructed by the Attorney General's department to hold an inquest.

After bearing the evidence of five witnesses, the jury spent three-quarters of an hour in consideration of their verdict, which included a recommendation that the Provincial Government at its next session of the legislature take steps to provide further protection for human life in the forests of New Brunswick.

but 3,540 have been reconstructed and put into operation and 3,842 are in course of reconstruction. In the factories now rebuilt 257,821 persons are employed. The enemy destroyed, entirely or partly, 3,720 towns and villages. The foregoing figures on reconstruction work are reported to be conservative and do not include a vast amount of projects for which surveys have been made, plans drawn and materials fabricated, but which have not actually been begun.

ITALIANS OCCUPY CITY OF TRIESTE

Rome, Oct. 26.—The city of Trieste was occupied by Italian troops Sunday, according to telegrams from that place to the Corriere d'Italia and the Idea Nazionale. A report had been circulated that a landing by Gabriele D'Annunzio was imminent, but this did not materialize. D'Annunzio telegraphing from Fiume a denial of any intention to land at Trieste. General Vaviloff assembled the officials of Trieste and appealed to their patriotism, the despatch added. He urged unity and discipline for the defence of the country and abstention from any attempt at reaction.

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MARINE NEWS

PORT OF ST. JOHN Wednesday, Oct. 27. Arrived Tuesday

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BRITISH PORTS Barbadoes—Arrived previous to Oct. 26, sch Huntley, Bathurst, N. B.

New York—Arr Oct. 24, sch Emma W. St. George, N. B.; sch Minas King, Parrabore.

City Island—Passed Oct. 23, str Beholm, New York for Walton, N. S.

Head Beller Trouble On account of leaking boiler tubes the steamer Majestic had to turn back to Indiantown yesterday morning shortly after she left for Cole's Island.

Another Insult. "The Irish are about as good as any immigrants," is the dictum of U. S. Under-Secretary of State Davis in discussing immigration from the distressed island. This insult will have to be avenged.

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CHANCERY SALE There will be sold at public auction at Chubb's Corner (so called) in the City of Saint John, in the County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, on Saturday, the sixth day of November, A.D. 1920, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree of the Supreme Court, Chancery Division, issued sixth day of August, A.D. 1920, in an action between Besse K. Marr and Henry G. Marr, Plaintiffs, and Marion E. Jack, Defendant, the lands and premises in the said decree and the plaintiff's statement of claim described as follows:

"A certain lot of land and premises in the said City of Saint John, situate lying and being in Kings Ward in the said City, being a portion of the lots designated by the numbers 219 and 220 and a certain plan of that portion of the said City of Saint John lying south of Union Street bounded as described as follows: 'Beginning on the southern side line of Union Street at a point thereon distant seventy feet four and one-eighth inches (77 ft. 4 1/8 in.), measured westwardly along the said line of Union Street from the intersection thereof by the western line of Charlotte Street going thence westwardly along the said line of Union Street fifty feet four inches (50 ft. 4 in.), or to the easterly line of property fronting on Charlotte Street now stands thence southwardly along the said line being the line of division between the aforesaid lot Number 219 and the adjoining lot Number 218 ninety feet (90 ft.) to a lot formerly owned by one Calaghan thence easterly along the line of the said lot and parallel with Union Street aforesaid twenty-five feet nine inches (25 ft. 9 in.) to the rear line of property fronting on Charlotte Street aforesaid now owned by the Grantor and others thence northwardly along the line of the said property seven feet eight inches (7 ft. 8 in.) to the northwest corner of the brick building now standing thereon thence easterly along the line of the said lot and parallel with Union Street aforesaid one foot four inches (1 ft. 4 in.) to the easterly side of the concrete building now standing upon the lot of land hereby conveyed and thence northwardly along the side of the said concrete building twenty-one feet four and one-quarter inches (21 ft. 4 1/4 in.) to the southern side of another building fronting on Union Street thence easterly along the line of the said building twenty-three feet two inches (23 ft. 2 in.) and thence northwardly sixty-one feet (61 ft.) more or less to the place of beginning together with all buildings, erections and improvements thereon and the rights, members, privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any manner appertaining, such sale to be made subject to existing leases and the option to lease that portion of the said property occupied by J. A. Marston, Limited, with the approval of the undersigned Master of the Supreme Court pursuant to The Judicature Act, 1909, and Acts in Amendment thereof."

All parties have leave to bid. For terms of sale and further particulars, apply to the Solicitor for the Plaintiff, or to the undersigned master. Dated this twenty-eighth day of August, A.D. 1920.

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THE WEATHER. Toronto, Oct. 26. Pressure is highest over the north-western states, and the depression which was in Missouri is now approaching the Great Lakes with gradually increasing energy. Rain has fallen from Lake Huron to Western Quebec. Elsewhere in the Dominion the weather has been fair.

AROUND THE CITY. LATE ARRESTS. The number of patrons of the police station was augmented last night by three drunks, who will appear this morning, before the magistrate in answer for their inebriated condition. In addition, Joseph Carr was arrested last evening on a charge of vagrancy.

1914-15 STARS. A proportion of undistributed stars are in the possession of the Department of Militia Headquarters, Ottawa, and personnel who are entitled thereto are requested to send their names and addresses to the Secretary Militia Council, attention of Director of Records, Militia Department, Ottawa.

MARKET ATTRACTION. A black bear, weighing 450 pounds, was a feature of attraction at the market yesterday. It was a beautiful specimen of the brute family and was shot by a lad by the name of McErmott at Baronsville. Three shots were required, the first breaking the jaw, the second the left hind leg, the third securing the heart.

RED CROSS WORK. Miss Bertha Rutledge of the Red Cross Society is speaking at various points between Salisbury and St. John this week in the interests of Red Cross work. With Miss Jervis she addressed meetings yesterday at Riverview, Albert County in connection with the McElnally Memorial Hospital.

GUESTS AT BANQUET. About fifty of the Sunday school teachers and officers of the Ladies' were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Miller at a banquet at Bond's restaurant last evening. Rev. W. B. Williston was the speaker of the evening and delivered a forceful address on Sunday school aims and methods.

THE CIRCUIT COURT. The entire session yesterday of the Circuit Court was taken up in a suit for \$25,000 damages by John E. McDonald against H. J. Fleming. The claim is based upon a charge for the misdirection of the affections of the wife of plaintiff by the defendant. D. Mullin, K. C., appears for plaintiff; Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., and W. H. Harrison for defendant.

KEEP MOVING. A police constable remarked last evening that out of the greatest tasks he and other officers have on their minds is to keep the people moving on the Charlotte street and Union street sidewalks. Whenever a few people stop for a conversation, there is either a hissing or other objection and they are obliged to walk on the street.

FIRE WORKS DISPLAY. The few night trollers who happened to be on Prince William street last midnight were treated to an exceptional programme of fire works. The first street car to travel over the eastern side of the street for the past few weeks made the journey and the wheels coming in contact with the tar on the rails, as well as the electricity showing from the trolley wire caused an illumination all along the route until the car rounded into St. James street.

BOARD OF TRADE NOTES. A copy of the new customs tariff of British Honduras, which went into effect on October 12 last, has been received at the Board of Trade, and persons interested may look it over there.

RETAIL MERCHANTS ADVISORY BOARD. At a meeting of the New Brunswick executive advisory board of the Retail Merchants' Association held yesterday afternoon the following out-of-town members were present: W. G. deWolfe, St. Stephen; H. E. Book, St. Stephen; James Brown, St. Stephen; C. H. Burr, Fredericton; J. J. Weddell, Fredericton; T. B. Price, Moncton; P. R. Dixon, Moncton; R. F. Carli, Charlottetown; W. S. Smith, Harvey Station; Jas. Flacey, Miramichi.

Board of School Trustees' Accounts

Audit of Books Before City Council Showing Assets and Liabilities. The report of the city comptroller auditing the books and accounts of the Board of School Trustees was placed before the City Council yesterday and quite a little discussion took place as a result. Commissioner Bullock advocated the making of a separate levy and bill for the school assessment, as is done in the water department, so the people might have a better idea of just what the schools are costing and how much of their tax bill goes for that purpose.

The Report. October 22nd, 1920. To His Worship The Mayor and Members of the Common Council of the City of Saint John, Gentlemen:—I have the honor to present to you my annual report upon the books, accounts and finance of the Board of School Trustees of the City of Saint John.

The Trust's liability to the Bank of Nova Scotia on the 30th June last was \$125,063.23. No debentures were issued during the school year nor did any mature. The bonded debt on the 30th day of June last was \$994,500.00. The annual interest on that debt was \$27,175.00. The interest paid to Bank of Nova Scotia on overdraft account during the year was \$5,872.27.

The cost of coal for heating the schools for the year ending 30th June last was \$35,204.15. The amount of teachers' salaries was \$232,678.20 and the sum required for janitors was \$18,851.23. The amount for Sinking Fund for the year was placed at the credit of that account with bankers. The Sinking Fund account had at its credit on the 30th day of June last \$74,409.57 and is invested as follows, viz:

Dom of Canada. War loan bonds \$20,500. Prov. of New Brunswick bonds \$2,000. Prov. of Alberta bonds 3,000. City of St. John School bonds .. 5,000. Face value \$66,500 cost \$64,786.70. Special deposit in B. N. S. \$ 9,622.57. \$74,409.57

These bonds I inspected at their safety deposit box, also the securities held for the Parker Medal Trust and found them correct. The Trust carries fire insurance to the amount of \$774,775.00 on buildings and furniture, as per schedule herewith, expiring on the 27th day of June 1922. I would recommend a much larger amount of insurance to be carried, so that in the event of a fire loss the amount would more efficiently cover the present high costs of replacement.

King Edward Lodge Assists Orphanages

Members Decide to Divide \$750 Between Memorial Home and Martello Annex. A year ago King Edward Lodge, No. 54 P. A. B., ran a fair in the Curlers rink, West St. John, for the benefit of the orphanages, making the sum of \$2,007.74 clear.

REMOVING TO CALAIS. A report from Calais, Me., is to the effect that Attorney Marclie's office in that city will be taken by Dr. E. Thomas, M. D., of St. John, who is to locate in the Maine city.

Spring Quotations In Excess of Fall

F. W. Daniel and H. Mont Jones Look for Increase and Not Reduction in Prices. In the opinion of a number of retail merchants in this city with whom the matter was discussed yesterday, the impression which any one may have had that there will be a slump in merchandise in a very pronounced way, as a matter of fact all retailers approached so far on this question have held a similar view.

In analyzing and discussing the reports which have been received to date, F. W. Daniel, of F. W. Daniel & Co., Ltd., Dry Goods Merchants, remarked: "The prices will not come down in the spring as some people think. Some of the manufacturers are quoting higher prices for the spring, and the reductions which may have yet occurred were by intermediaries such as jobbers and brokers, who have old stock on hand and find it essential to realize. Any reduction that has taken place in fact, as I said before, some of the prices quoted for the spring are in excess of the fall quotations. Furthermore, the cost of English goods has not declined, and from all appearances the strike in England will, no doubt, curtail any reductions which might be hoped for from that country. The manufacturers have not been able to calculate on any difference in raw material so far owing to the present scale of wages keeping prices up, and the slight difference in the cost of raw material is not appreciable. Candidly speaking, we have been compelled, like many others, to place some of our spring orders at higher prices. Business has been very good so far, however, and we think that the prospects for a Christmas rush are excellent. Labor and transportation keep prices up; and to my mind the consumer is getting splendid values at the present market."

H. Mont Jones, a leading manufacturing furrier, when questioned on the possibility of a reduction in fur prices, said: "The great demand and serious shortage of raw furs in the early months of the year have caused a heavy advance in prices. Since then there has been a reaction, and in the majority of cases furs today are very little higher than they were at the end of last year. Wages in the fur business generally are over one hundred per cent higher than they were a few years ago, and the hours of work have been shortened. A great many of the larger manufacturers consider that production has increased over twenty-five per cent during the same period, while the number of skilled workers available has greatly diminished, and it will require some few years to bring the personnel back to its former strength and productive ability. Stocks of furs now on the hands of dealers, manufacturers and retailers are comparatively small, and men of business, who should be in a position to know, see no hope for any drastic reduction in prices this season, and do not think that much hope for next year. As an instance, it might be quoted that at the outbreak of the war there was an estimated holding of thirty-five to forty million muskrat skins in the hands of the trade, while now five million is considered about the quantity in view for immediate consumption."

ADVANTAGE WITH MR. TILLEY TUESDAY

At the Close of Recount Yesterday Mr. Hayes' Lead Reduced from 21 to 18. The result of the recount of the city polls, twenty-six boxes having been examined, shows Mr. Tilley (O.) to have gained slightly on Mr. Hayes (G.), who was declared elected on the face of the official returns.

A Millinery Sensation Today

The Marr Millinery Co., Limited, will put on sale several hundred trimmed and tailored Felt Hats, of the best quality, in Ladies' and Misses' styles. Every colored variety of stores goes on sale today, values up to \$7.50 each. They're trimmed with wide grosgrain ribbon and have elegant and unusual designs. Just the thing for Ladies' Dresses, Negligees, Waists, Pajamas, Men's Shirts, or Children's Special at only \$1.00 per yard. Better qualities at \$1.35 and \$1.60 per yard. Dykeman's, Charlotte Street.

THE LAW DIVINE AT THE IMPERIAL TONIGHT

The curtain will rise on the second of the Trans-Canada English shows tonight at 8:15 sharp—not 8:30. The company arrives on the C. P. R. at 1:45 and will at once repair to their hotel to make ready for the performance. Henry V. Esmond and wife have a suite at the La Tour. The ticket office will be open from 10 A. M. this forenoon and choice locations in all sections may still be had. At Halifax last night the attendance was larger and the people even more enthusiastic than on the opening Monday. "The Law Divine" is a play for discriminating people, devoid of trashy scenes, stage trickery and silliness. It is a satirical comedy classic and done most excellently. Tomorrow's matinee will start at 2:30. Rush seats. The final performance is to be Thursday evening.

Rev. W. B. Williston, of West China, will officiate at his missionary addresses at St. Luke's today at 3 P. M. He will speak on his method of work in China, and at 4 P. M. he will give his third address to the children. While everyone will be welcomed at the 8 o'clock meeting, Mr. Williston will speak especially to women's missionary societies.

Increase Company's Capital Stock

Public Utilities Commission Grant Permission to N. B. Telephone Co. The New Brunswick Telephone Company were granted permission by the New Brunswick Public Utilities Commission, yesterday morning, to increase the company's capital stock by \$400,000 to reimburse the company for money borrowed for plant extension and additional supplies, including the total authorized capital of the company up to \$2,322,650.

The full commission was present, consisting of A. B. Connell, K. C., of Woodstock, chairman; Felix Michaud, and J. D. P. Lewis, members, along with Fred P. Robinson, secretary of the Board, and A. E. Midram, an expert who recently made a survey of the company's books in connection with the company's application for increased rates.

PASSENGERS FROM THE WEST INDIES

R. M. S. P. Liner Caraqueet Brought 179 Passengers and Large General Cargo. The R. M. S. P. Liner Caraqueet from Bermuda and the West Indies docked at the Atlantic Rotheries wharf last evening bringing with a large general cargo consisting largely of raw rubber, molasses. The steamer brought 179 passengers, the majority being stevedores and second class.

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Coats Direct from London, Not Shown in Any Other Local Store

The tendency these days is towards the individual and away from conformity, and in no one department is this more pronounced than in what we wear. Margee patrons know that we cater to this instinct and so will be glad of the opportunity for money saving made possible by this quiet sale of London made coats.

Lumbermen's Tools. Only the most reliable makers are represented in our large stock of Lumbermen's Tools which includes Axes, Truss Saws, Chains, Peavies, Forey Handles, Iron Bars, Sleigh-Shoe Steel, Horseshoes, Horseshoe Nails. Also CAMP OUTFITS in Tinware and in Enamelled Ware. Full Stock. Prices Right. INQUIRIES RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION. W. H. THORNE & CO., LIMITED. STORE HOURS: 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Open Saturday till 10 p.m.

Today, Wednesday, sees the presentation of a Millinery collection that will further establish this store as headquarters for "style without extravagance." JUST WHAT YOU WANT. A brief inspection today will convince you that our Velvet Hats, Beaver Hats, Feather Hats, Duveltyne Hats have reached an extraordinary high mark when you consider style, material, quality and workmanship, and yet our prices are very attractive. Today we will show a number of Trimmed and Tailored Hats for the first time, these will be marked at special prices for quick selling. Marr Millinery Co., Limited

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