

The Freeman's Weekly LAST EDITION

VOL. IV, NO. 123 ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1908. ONE CENT

MURDERED BABY'S BODY FOUND IN SNOW
Remains of Victim in Upper Knoxford Case Discovered.
Inquest Will be Held This Afternoon and the Examination of the Prisoner Has Been Postponed for One Week.

MULK IS IN NEW YORK
His Nawabs Has Crossed the Continent and Will Sail for England Tomorrow.

TONIGHT'S HOCKEY MATCH AT MONCTON
The Capital hockey team and a crowd of their supporters came in from Fredericton on today's Montreal train en route to Moncton, where the Victoria Capitals play tonight in the N. B. H. L. series.

THE WEATHER
FORECASTS—Strong winds and moderate rains, with clearing to westward, clearing to night and colder Friday, fair and cold.

BANK OF ENGLAND
LONDON, Feb. 20.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

EARTHQUAKES AT VIENNA
VIENNA, Feb. 20.—An earthquake shock, lasting two seconds, occurred here at 10:18 last night.

WANTED—FLAT FOR TWO ADULTS
Five rooms and bath. Central location. Apply L. D., Box 94, city.

FOUND—SMALL SUM OF MONEY, OWNER can have same, less cost of ad., by proving ownership. Apply ROBINSON'S BAKERY, office, 87 city street. 49-10

GREAT NAVY FOR RUSSIA
Commission of National Defence Considering Proposal To Spend \$1,078,000,000.
ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 20.—Representatives of the Russian admiralty submitted today to the commission of national defence of the Duma, the financial outline of the much discussed naval programme.

CHAS. W. MORSE IS A BUSY MAN
Dethroned Ice King Vigorously Pushing Fight to Restore His Shattered Fortunes.

KIDNAPPERS GET HEAVY SENTENCES
Aggregate of Fifty-five Years Imposed on Man and Wife in Chicago.

U. N. B. TOO MUCH FOR ALGONQUINS
FREDERICTON, Feb. 19.—The Algonquin basketball team arrived from St. John this morning and this evening met the U. N. B. team.

CIVIC PAY DAY
The semi-monthly payroll for civic employees was disbursed by Cashier D. R. Willets this morning as follows:

TO FIGHT BUBONIC PLAGUE
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal. Feb. 20.—In an interview on the bubonic plague, Dr. Rupert Blue, government expert in bubonic plague extermination, said:

MONTREAL STOCKS
MONTREAL, Feb. 20 (Special).—The general stock market was quiet today.

ROBINSON AND McKEOWN HAVE AGREED TO DEBATE WITH HAZEN AND FLEMMING
They Will Meet in the Opera House Tomorrow Evening.
Meeting Promises To Be the Biggest Ever Held in St. John—Provincial Finances Will Be the Subject Under Discussion.

The very latest development in the provincial political situation is the announcement on behalf of Premier Robinson and Attorney General McKeown of their agreement to meet J. K. Fleming and J. D. Hazen on the subject of provincial finances.

A Purity Conference
This afternoon at 3 o'clock a meeting is to be held in the office of Col. J. R. Armstrong, Princess street, at which a committee of five from each party will discuss the methods for carrying on a pure election without an absence of bribery and corruption.

CONGREGATION HAD A VERY LIVELY MEETING
More Fun at Church Meeting in Fredericton Last Night Than At the Ordinary Political "Talk Fest."

ENGLISHMAN VICTIM OF AWFUL ACCIDENT
Wm. Goddard Fell Into Vat of Boiling Steam at Sault Ste. Marie and Died Soon After.

BOSTON'S SIX-DAY RACE
BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 19.—The third instalment of the six day team race was covered at the Park Square Coliseum tonight and at the completion of the two and one half hours there was no change in the relative standing of the ten teams.

EXPRESS MAN ARRESTED
PORTLAND, Ogn., Feb. 20.—Howard C. Green, formerly private secretary to J. C. Fargo, president of the American Express Co., was arrested here last night at the instigation of the New York state authorities, on charges of forgery and defalcation.

A COALITION GOVERNMENT
LISBON, Feb. 20.—It has been decided that the new provincial governments shall be selected from the supporters of both political parties in order to facilitate the coming elections.

THE FATE IN STORE.
OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—(Special).—Preparations are being made to get out a new map of Canada. The work will not be completed until after March 31.

Mrs. Arthur Everett
Friends of Mrs. Arthur Everett will learn with sincere regret of her death which occurred after a prolonged illness at her home, 128 Wentworth street, at 2:30 o'clock this morning.

OF COURSE HE WILL.
CAMPELLTON, Feb. 20.—(Special).—Although he did not say so in his speech here, it is understood that Dr. Pugsley will prevail upon the minister of railways to build a great tourist hotel here, to increase the allurements of the waters of Bay Chaleur, and have the Phantom Ship come right up to the wharves.

U. S. FLEET AT GALLAO, Feb. 20.—GALLAO, Feb. 20.—The Canadian battleship left off this port.

A SUN LIFE MAN HEARD WILL DECIDE AN IMPORTANT CASE
T. B. MacAulay Appeared Before Insurance Committee Today.
OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 20.—(Special).—T. B. MacAulay, of the Sun Life, was heard again today, dealing largely with the limitation of expenses clause of the bill to which he was strongly opposed.

A Report Denied
OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 20.—(Special).—T. Bradshaw, manager of the Imperial Life Insurance Company of Toronto, denies the statement of the reported resignation of Canadian policies of the Mutual Reserve Fund in the Imperial. Mr. Bradshaw is attending the banking and commerce committee before which is the insurance bill.

GILLETTE MUST MEET HIS DOOM
Chester Gillette Convinced That There is No Hope of Pardon for Him.
SYRACUSE, N. Y., Feb. 19.—A special to the Post Standard from Auburn tonight says:

LEAPED IN FRONT OF MOVING TRAIN
Sensational Suicide at 72nd Street Subway Station in New York.

TAKEN AT THE POINT OF GUN
Italian Arrested for Brutal Assault Upon an Aged Man.

ROOSEVELT TO VISIT THE CANADIAN WOODS
He Has Accepted an Invitation To Go After Moose and Bear.

APPOINTED TO COMMAND OF THE 74TH REGIMENT
SUSSEX, Feb. 20.—(Special).—Major Chas. H. Fairweather received word this morning that he had been appointed lieutenant colonel in command of the 74th Regiment.

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THE TIMES NEW REPORTER
HIRAM'S APPRECIATION.
Mr. Hiram Hornbeam does not get on to the opera house, but he went last night. Hiram set the times in the settlement in many years prior to the introduction of the church organ, and he wanted to see the times in the great singers last night.

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**MEN'S SHIRTS**  
Men's \$1.25 Negligee Shirts, 98 Cents  
\$1.25 Negligee Shirts of a standard make, both woven and printed fabrics in light and dark colorings.  
All new shirts this season. All sizes, from 14 to 16 1-2.

**Union Clothing Company**  
26 - 28 Charlotte St., opp. City Market  
ALEX. CORBET, Manager.

**SCAMMELL'S SPORTING**  
We are having a Special Sale for a short time of really Choice Caramels For Only 15 Cents Per Lb.  
**SCAMMELL'S,**  
Tel 1118. 63 Charlotte St.  
Fire and Marine Insurance, Connecticut Fire Insurance Co., Boston Insurance Company.  
**VRONG & ARNOLD,**  
160 Prince Wm. Street. - Agents.  
**PUMPS.**  
Standard Duplex Pumps, Outside Packed Plunger Pumps, Automatic Feed Pumps and Condensers, Air Pumps, Six Section, Belt Driven Centrifugal Pumps, Steam and Electric.  
**E. S. STEPHENSON & CO.,**  
11-13 Nelson street, St. John, N. B.

**Opposition Mass Meeting**  
**OPERA HOUSE,**  
Friday Next, 21st February  
ADDRESSES BY  
**Messrs. J. D. Hazen**  
**and J. K. Flemming**  
All citizens invited. A special welcome to the ladies.  
Chair taken at 8 p. m.  
**J. B. M. BAXTER, Chairman.** **W. H. HARRISON, Sec.**

**In the Cause of Freedom,**  
By Arthur W. Marchmont.

...I have decided that she cannot safely remain in the city. "Indeed, why? Or perhaps I should ask this gentleman, you had no such thought when I saw you last." "I have had grave news from Petersburg this morning, Katinka." "Oh, are you going to run away?" "Of course not." "Then how can Volna go?" She was a past master in the art of insinuation. "I have induced my friend here to consent to take her." "Her large eyes opened as if in profound astonishment as she looked first at him and then turned them slowly upon me, and coughed most suggestively. "You have done this?" Had she put the thought in blunt words she could not have expressed more plainly her conviction that I had concocted the plan for my own ends and that Ladislav must be blind and mad to consent to it. "Yes, I have; Mr. Anstruther understands precisely the relationship that exists between Volna and me." "You mean which should but does not exist between you," she corrected, significantly. "Anstruther is my loyal friend, Katinka."

...I was dead set against the plan; every impulse and instinct protesting, except the desire to help Volna. But that she would be in grievous danger, should there be a rising in the city, was a fact too obvious to explain away; and that Ladislav was about the last man in the world to be able to save her in such a crisis appeared no less certain. If anything was practical view of things must do it; and her friends appeared to be a set of most unpractical theorists. But if I was to do anything, it must be made absolutely plain to Volna that I was acting for Ladislav—to save her for him. Surely a most obvious thing to explain. But he continued to urge me and declared he would have no doubt in her mind; and as I had no other plan, we started for the Drakons' house.

**WATCH THE STOMACH.**  
If you have either variable appetite, a faint gnawing feeling at the pit of the stomach, unassisted hunger, a loathing of food, rising and scarring of food, a painful load at the pit of the stomach, choking sensations in the throat, headache and dizziness of spirits, constipated bowels with alternate diarrhoea, are you gloomy and miserable?  
**THEN YOU ARE A DYSPEPTIC.**  
The cure is careful diet, slow eating, thoroughly chewing the food; avoid drinking at meals.  
Keep regular habits, abstain stimulants, tone the digestive powers and regulate the stomach and bowels with Burdock Blood Pura. It has cured the worst forms of dyspepsia, even of twenty-five years duration. Mrs. Geo. Parks, Cooper, Ont., writes: "I have used Burdock and find that few medicines do so great relief in dyspepsia and constipation. I was troubled for a year with dyspepsia and could not eat. I tried B.B.P. It helped me. I think it a wonderful recommendation to all."  
Sole Agents and Dealers.

**CARLETON WON FROM THISTLES**  
The doughty Thistles went down to defeat before the Carleton curiers yesterday, the west side men winning by twenty points. Of the six rinks played, Carleton won, tied one and lost one. A. G. Stevens, playing on Thistle ice, was the distinction of securing only victory for his club. J. M. Barnes and W. Watson came out even in evening match on Thistle ice. F. W. Watson and S. M. Wetmore scored. J. M. Barnes, making 17 of the Carleton total lead. The scores were:  
Thistle ice in afternoon.  
Thistles, Carleton.  
O. F. Price, W. H. Estabrook, 58  
J. M. Barnes, J. F. Bayes, 58  
Rev. W. O. Raymond, J. A. Kindred, 58  
skip..... 12 skip..... 12

**Carleton Ice in Evening.**  
Thistles, Carleton.  
W. J. Currie, W. H. Estabrook, 58  
A. G. Stevens, J. F. Bayes, 58  
J. M. Barnes, J. A. Kindred, 58  
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**FEW OLD PLUNGERS ON AMERICAN TURF**  
Turf statisticians who have carefully reviewed last season's record have neglected the plungers, who are supposed to have started the financial straggle by the addition of a new race. But, as a matter of fact, isn't the race nearly extinct? The only one who has been mentioned in Chicago, remarks an exchange, Frank Shaw called the turf scribbles together and said: "I don't mind when you follow me, but I don't mind when you follow a statement of his winnings. That sort of evidence things up, you know, and a fellow who has been chased by every creditor, 'cause I'm as likely to have debts as any one else. Now, yesterday, for instance, you said I won \$2,000 on the third race, but I quit the day \$2,000 loser."

**HOCKEY**  
Red Rose Tea Team Men vs. J. M. Humphrey & Co.  
The interesting interest is now being manifested in the mercantile hockey teams and since the crushing defeat of the septette from the Red Rose Tea Team, the Red Rose Tea hockey team has been very much depressed. The Red Rose Tea team, by conclusions with J. M. Humphrey & Co. this morning, will play a match in the Glacier rink.

**BASKET BALL**  
Want a Game.  
The Outcasts, a snappy little basket ball five, would like to arrange a game with the St. Stephen's church team, as they will be able to give the leaders of the church league a good contest.

**Catarrh Cannot be Cured**  
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hally's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hally's Catarrh Cure is one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best known, combined with the best blood purifier, acting directly on the mucous surface. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.  
E. J. CHENEY & CO., Props. Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists price 50c.  
Take Hally's Family Pills for constipation.

...He has had his ups and downs, but more down than anything else, and he is now off the turf for good. He was ruled out at Linton for offering a bribe to a rider. L'Hommiedieu was always very bitter against the Pinkertons, who dug up the evidence which resulted in the plunger being barred in the east. Robert Pinkerton, on a visit to New Orleans some years ago, sat in Morgan's restaurant dining with a friend, L'Hommiedieu entered. He had been drinking. He saw Pinkerton and swaggered up to the detective's table. "I've been looking for you," said L'Hommiedieu fiercely. "You did me in the east; you beat me for a month, where they were to play last evening."

**St. Andrew's Defeat St. Stephen.**  
St. Andrew's curiers administered a severe defeat to four rinks of St. Stephen yesterday. The St. Andrew's skips each scored twenty, making a total of eighty, while the St. Stephen's score was fifty-two. Two rinks played on Thistle ice and two on Carleton ice. The scores were:  
St. Andrew's, St. Stephen.  
A. G. Stevens, J. F. Bayes, 20  
J. M. Barnes, J. A. Kindred, 20  
skip..... 12 skip..... 12

**St. Andrew's vs. St. Stephen.**  
St. Andrew's, St. Stephen.  
A. G. Stevens, J. F. Bayes, 20  
J. M. Barnes, J. A. Kindred, 20  
skip..... 12 skip..... 12

**St. John Man Wedded in South Africa.**  
The following from the Eastern Province Herald, Cape of Good Hope, South Africa, under date of Jan. 20, will interest many in St. John:  
A pretty wedding took place at noon on the 18th inst. at Holy Trinity church, when Edmund Darden Outram, eldest son of E. D. Outram, of St. John, New Brunswick, Canada, was married to Miss Beatrice Nash, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nash, of York Elizabeth. The church was beautifully decorated with palms, asparagus and daisies by the bride's friends. The service was short and simple, and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. H. T. White. The

...groom. The bride's mother was becomingly gowned in palest gray poplin with black bugle trimmings and a toque of gray tulle trimmed with shaded hellebore geranium leaves. The duties of best man were all performed by C. R. Oronshaw. As the wedding was very quiet, there was no reception, but in the afternoon a number of the happy couple's friends were on the jetty to bid them good-bye and bon voyage, as the honeymoon is to be spent in England, and from there Mr. and Mrs. Outram go on to St. John, Canada. The bride's traveling dress was of navy tweed, and her hat a dark blue straw, tricorn in shape, and trimmed with shaded wings.

**MR. HAZEN'S POLICY**  
1. The honest collection of provincial revenues and the management of the same so as to be a permanent benefit to the province.  
2. The keeping the ordinary expenditure of the province within the ordinary revenue.  
3. The appointment of an auditor-general independent of the government, who shall have power to insist upon the accuracy and honesty of accounts before they are paid.  
4. The putting up of all public works to tender, and the giving of the contract to the lowest bidder.  
5. The cutting off of all needless extravagances in connection with the administration of the various departments and an absolute rule that public money shall not be paid out unless a proper voucher is first presented.  
6. The repeal of the present highway act and the enactment of a law which, while not diminishing the amount of provincial money to be expended on the roads, shall place the management of the roads and the appointment of all officials in the county council.  
7. The survey and valuation of our crown lands, so that the interests of the province may be conserved, and the lumber operators, both large and small, have encouragement and fair and honest treatment.  
8. The inauguration of an agricultural and immigration policy as well as the promotion of the settling of our own lands by our own people.  
9. The improvement in quality and reduction in price of our school books, so that our people shall not be robbed of hundreds of thousands of dollars, but shall get the best possible value for their money.  
10. The extension and encouragement of local schools, so that every man in the province who has a family may have an opportunity to give his children an elementary education.  
11. An increase in the provincial allowance to school teachers.  
12. The secrecy of the ballot, and an honest carrying out of the franchise laws, believing that every citizen of the province entitled to the franchise should be free to vote as his conscience directs.

**IS YOUR FACE PIMPLY?**  
Thousands of young men and women would be handsome and attractive were it not for unsightly pimples, black heads and rough uneven skin. Custom seems to recommend lotions and salves, but unfortunately their effect is but temporary. Those disgusting blemishes do not originate in the skin—their birth in every case goes further back, to the blood, which must be cleansed of humors before the pimples depart for good. A Montreal physician who has made a careful study of such cases, says that the quickest cure comes from a blood-building medicine like Ferrero's. The minute Ferrero's strikes the blood it does good work begins. Poisons are expelled. Every trace of humor is driven out, and the whole life current is supplied with nutriment and health giving qualities. You can always tell a Ferrero's complexion when you see it—the cheeks are clear and rosy, the signs of sallowness—the eyes are bright and expressive because rich, red blood is circulating through the whole system carrying health, energy and strength with it. Not only will all skin eruptions disappear, but an increase in vital strength, all-round improvement will be apparent. No rubbing tonic could be more efficient. Get Ferrero's today—Good for young and old, for well folks and sick ones too, 50c. per box or six boxes for \$2.50 at all dealers.

**Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.**



A NOVEL OF EVENING GOWN.  
Opera toilette of silver gray chiffon bodice with square décolletage, short puff sleeve and shoulder strappings of the dyed lace shows coat effect accomplished with white Irish crochet elaborated with silver sequins, and at the other side of the centre front topping this lace band is a large medallion of gray dyed lace embellished with the silver sequins. The completes the striking ensemble.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" that is Laxative Bromo Quinine & Co. on every Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

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Grand Clearance Sale at The Parisian Store
47 BRUSSELS STREET, 47

Sale Starts Friday Morning, Feb. 21st, of All Kinds of Dry Goods and Clothing.

We are going to sell goods Regardless of Cost, to make room for the Largest Spring Stock we have ever had.

LADIES' COATS from \$1.00 up.
BLACK VENETIAN SKIRTS, regular \$5.50, now \$3.48.
BLACK MELTON SKIRTS, regular \$3.50, now \$2.25.

LADIES' VESTS, regular 25c, now 17 cents.
LADIES' VESTS, regular 35 and 20cents, now 22 cents.
LADIES' IMITATION CASHMERE HOSE, 2 for 25c.

GENTS BLACK TROUSERS, Regular \$2.50, now \$1.65.
GENTS TWEED TROUSERS, Regular \$1.25, now \$1.10.
GENTS FLEECE PANTS, Best quality from 25c. up.

Be Sure and Call at the Right Place---Our Number on Each Window---47
Store Closed Today. Open Tomorrow at 9 a. m.

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING

Table with columns: Date, Ship Name, Destination, Status. Includes sections for Miniature Almanac, Foreign Ports, Vessels Bound for St. John, and Reports and Disasters.

A LIBERAL OPINION OF GOVERNMENT'S POLICY

What the Hon. Geo. F. Hill Said in a Speech in the Legislature Concerning the Guarantee of International Railway Bonds.

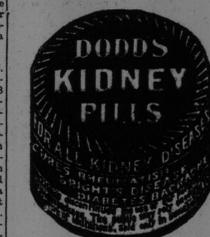
The following is from the report of the speech of Hon. Geo. F. Hill, (Liberal) in the provincial legislature. Mr. Hill was for a time a forecast member of the government.

work of manufacturing lumber. Under the United States Labor Law no man living in Canada would be allowed to work in American territory. This meant that after the lumber had been carried out of the province by this railway that our people would have to follow it.

BARGAINS AT THE 2 BARKERS, 100 Princess Street, 111 Brussels Street and 447 Main Street.

Extra Good Oranges 5c a doz, 3 doz for 50c. Sweet Jamaica Russett Oranges 15c a doz, 3 doz for 50c; 20c a doz, 3 doz for 50c.

The prices of fresh haddock and cod have advanced from 6 to 7 cents a pound and, owing to the heavy demand on the beds at Lepreau, clams have advanced in price from 15 to 20 cents per quart.



DEATHS
WALSH-In this city, on Feb. 18th, Alice Mary Mahoney (Dell), youngest child of Joseph and Katherine Walsh, aged four years and one month.

UNJUST STEWARDSHIP.

The Legal Expenses of the Province for the year 1906, were \$18,412.55. Of this total, the HON. DR. PUGSLEY got \$7,640.27, and the HON. W. P. JONES \$4,713.48, or, between them, \$12,353.75.

These gentlemen were Attorney General and Solicitor General respectively. The salary attached to the former office is \$2,100, and to the latter \$1,200,—in addition, of course, to the usual sessional indemnity of \$500.

In return for these salaries and a reasonable allowance for expenses, the above two officials were sworn to attend to the legal business of the Province. How did they fulfil this sacred obligation to the people?

They drew their official salaries with numerous large and very ill-defined extras added, yet employed no less than TWENTY-SIX LEGAL ADHERENTS OF THE GOVERNMENT to perform the duties for which they themselves were paid.

Having thus (at an additional and entirely unwarranted expense of \$6,058.80 to the Province) unloaded their obligations for the benefit of twenty-six of their friends and supporters, they unblushingly devoted themselves, as everybody knows, to their own personal legal and other profitable business.

As has been said, the Legal Expenses of the Province for the year 1906, make a grand total of \$18,412.55, and yet, even with an exceedingly liberal allowance for contingencies, this amount should not reach anything like the sum of \$12,353.75, claimed and taken by the two officials in question.

Considering the very limited revenue of our province and the crying need for strictest economy in all departments, this apparently small matter of legal expenses really becomes one of vital significance, indicating as it does the FLAGRANT AND BRAZEN MANNER in which the welfare of the Province IS PROSTITUTED TO THE SELF-INTEREST of individuals.

Precisely the same unscrupulous methods degrade the administration of every department under the present Government.

Vote for Hazen and Honest Stewardship

Follow the Crowd To PRINCESS To-Night.

See the Big Show SPECIALTIES: Straight and Comedy Musical, Singles, Doubles, Singers, Dancers, Sketches, Marionettes and etc., etc.

This Big Combination is Positively in a Class by Itself.

SPECIAL MOTION PICTURES AND ILLUSTRATED SONGS In Addition.

You Can't Miss This Think it Over.

TONIGHT AT Princess Theatre.

Liberal Ward Meetings

The workers and supporters in the various wards of the city will meet every evening as follows:—

Kings and Sydney Berrymans Hall. Queens and Dukes McLaughlin Building, 85 Germain St.

Prince and Wellington LeLacheur's Hall, Brussels Street. Victoria McLean & Holt's.

Dufferin 638 Main Street. Lorne Colwell store, opposite Car Sheds, Main Street.

Lansdowne and Stanley Watson Building, 38 Douglas Ave. Guys City Hall, Carlton, upstairs.

Brooks No. 9 Minette St., Macaulay's Store.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

AGENTS WANTED—ON SALARY AND COMMISSION—experience unnecessary. Apply J. B. R. Times, 462-2-1.

TO LET—WAREHOUSE ON NORTH Wharf; four floors and basement; furnace heat; electric elevator; large safe in building; first-class lavatory. For terms address Box 92, St. John.

LOST—SMALL GREEN AND GOLD ENAMELED Watch and Chatelaine Pin. Finder please leave at 29 Lisette Street, 465-2-2.

WANTED—M.A.D.—FOR GENERAL housework. Apply MRS. T. P. REGAN, 10 Orange street.

SEVENTY-FIVE DOLLAR CABINET ORGAN, sent to my shop, for sale at 100. I sell violin, bass, mandolin and guitar strings from five cents. WILLIAM GRAY-FORD, 105 Princess street, opposite White Star.

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The Evening Times

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DR. PUGSLEY Dr. Pugsley at Campbellton was a distinct disappointment. He failed to promise the people a palatial daily steamship service on Bay Chaleur, and does not appear even to have promised to increase the weight of the Restigouche salmon or the spread of the antlers of the Restigouche moose.

It is to be hoped that Earl Grey will remember what is due the dignity of the Mayor of St. John and be on hand to meet him when he arrives at the capital, with his aldermanic body guard.

These paragraphs, read in connection with the Sun's more recent attacks upon all who presume to mention the post office in connection with Mayor Sears' present position as a government candidate, are likely to contribute to a state of mild hilarity. The mayor, as a matter of fact, was after a federal appointment, in a federal appointment, and will be after a federal appointment—and won't be happy till he gets it. Therefore the citizens should defeat him in this campaign, that he may the sooner go to his reward. They would at the same time be electing in his opponent a real representative of the city in the legislature, under the Hasen administration.

NO DOUBT ABOUT IT This is Mr. E. H. Allen's ninth day as provincial secretary of the province of New Brunswick. It is understood that Mr. Allen, whose previous training and experience eminently fit him for so responsible a position, is already laying down plans for a large surplus. Mr. Allen's long political experience, especially in the legislature (of which he has never been a member) fit him pre-eminently for the task of producing surpluses, negotiating provincial loans, enforcing economy in the departments, and generally ensuring for the province a business-like administration of its finances. His special training as a claims agent on the I. C. R. has given him a keen insight into such matters as the handling of debtors, rail way bonds, agricultural grants, bridge money, highway funds, and all the details of the financial affairs of a whole province. His friends are confident that Gladstone or Tilley never presented such a budget as Mr. Allen will bring down when he gets a chance. The province is indeed fortunate in having prevailed upon Mr. Allen to sacrifice his prospects as a claims agent to restore the provincial finances to a healthy condition. Few men would have been so public spirited, and a still smaller number would have had the courage, while there is no man in the province so eminently qualified. In no act of his administration has Premier Robinson displayed so much foresight and political acumen, or given greater proof of his capacity to gain the confidence of business men, than in prevailing upon a claims agent to step down and accept the humble office of finance minister of New Brunswick. It was a great stroke of policy when the premier overcame the reluctance of Mr. Barnes, and prevailed upon that energetic gentleman to accept a \$2,000 job with no work attached to it; but even that was commonplace compared with the conquest of Mr. Allen. In view of the evidence, it would seem little short of criminal to doubt for one moment that the premier is a heaven-born statesman, as Dr. Pugsley would have us believe.

THE SUN AND MAYOR SEARS The St. John Sun of Dec. 12th contained this paragraph in its "shafts of sunshine": "It is to be hoped that Earl Grey will remember what is due the dignity of the Mayor of St. John and be on hand to meet him when he arrives at the capital, with his aldermanic body guard."

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When I am old, And sadly steal apart, Into the dark and cold, Friend of my youth, Remember, if you can, Not him who lingers, but that other man, Who loved and sang, and had a beating heart.

When I am old, And every star above Be tremulous and cold, My soul's desire, Remember, if you may, Nothing but you and me, and yesterday, When near us loomed, and in the years conspire To make us old!

IN LIGHTER VEIN HAD NO CHANCE. Mistress - "Jane, I saw the milkman kiss you this morning. In the future I will take the milk in." Jane - "I wouldn't be no use, mum. He's promised never to kiss anybody but me."

A BAD FAILURE. Nodd - "There was to be a meeting of my creditors today." Todd - "Well, wasn't there?" Nodd - "The unanimously agreed that they couldn't afford to spend the time."

ONE GOOD RESULT. "They say very few authors sleep more than seven hours a day." "But think how much slumber they furnish other people!"

COULDN'T HELP IT. Intelligent Rescuer (to skater who has fallen through) - "Steady, old man, steady! Keep cool!" POOB PAPA. "Mamma, may I get on the donkey's back?" "No, dear. But if you are good papa will take you on his back it will be all the same."

WHY HE REFRAINED. "Did you ever try drowning your sorrows?" "Nope; she's stronger than I am, and besides it would be murder."

SOMEWHAT MIXED. In a recent speech before the parliament of New South Wales, Australia, P. W. Sullivan said: "The present minister will stand along for a few months, but while gazing at the stars they will stumble over the pebbles and then the ambulance will take them to the hospital where the grinning skulls of their predecessors are stored."

THE IMMIGRATION PROBLEM in Canada (By E. N. LEWIS, M. P.) Canada's struggle with the race question, which broke out recently in the riots in British Columbia, is almost precisely the same struggle that our Pacific Coast States have had on their hands for many years. One of the men who has studied it is E. N. Lewis, member of the dominion parliament from West Huron.

"If this is a large and important problem for the United States, with 80,000,000 people, how much more so is it for Canada, with only 6,000,000?" "The Vancouver riots are to be lamented, but our own laws should keep them. If we make bad bargains we must stand by them, like men, until we get our first decent opportunity to change them. But the Vancouver trouble may do good by bringing to the fore now a trouble at a time when it can be easily coped with. "Politics should not enter into the discussion of this question; it is too vital; which want laborers and which hold the present so close to their eyes that they cannot see the vast results beyond, be taken too seriously."

"We are now busy laying the foundations of the last great nation, and the better will be. We are building for ourselves and for our children; let us be careful rather than sorry. We have a near example to the south of us. The negro question is a sup- posed to be the vital trouble in store for the United States, but she is now numbingly greater. In 1906 1,100,000 immigrants of whom 900,000 came from Russia and eastern Europe, entered the United States. Seven hundred and fifty thousand stayed in the eastern cities. In 1903 the New York inspector said 200,000 undesirable entered. It was informed by a physician of the United States that he had treated children of fifteen who were born in the United States and could not speak a word of English. This physician further stated that he did not believe there would be a real American living in Chicago in twenty years."

"There are thousands of laborers and domestic helps among the forty millions of people in the British Isles and the hundred millions of people in France, Germany and Sweden who can be brought out to help us in our nation-building, if the efforts therefor are organized."

"The crucial point of the Japanese question is that they are entirely non-assimilable. They come to labor on the railroads and in mercantile pursuits. They keep to themselves, a people apart, and if allowed to enter in great numbers will in time form a disturbing element that will not down. Government of the people, by the people, for the people is impossible where people cannot mix and act together."

"Now is the time to settle this question. The Japanese should go westward to Canada and Asia. The governments should arrange this on a mutual basis. We don't want our young men to go to Japan; we need them here."

British bark Edna M. Smith arrived yesterday at 11 o'clock from Kingston, J. N. S. on her way to Bear River, N. S. The vessel is now in command of Captain Steves, her former commander was Captain Rice, who died at sea, and vessel put into Janicau.

His friends of both parties will regret that Mr. W. Frank Hatheway is confined to his home with cold and sore throat, and is therefore unable for a few days to take part in the political discussion.

The Sun pretends to expect a complete report on the provincial finances as a result of four days' work by a Toronto young man at Fredericton. Such faith is surely sublime.

A Hampstead correspondent tells in today's Times what the highway act has done for the roads in Queens county. The idea is true throughout the province.

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PURITY CAMPAIGN DOES NOT MEET THEIR VIEWS

Government Party in York County is Not Enthusiastic Over It—Only Eight Members of Government Committee Attended Conference.

Fredericton, Feb. 19.—The meeting of committees from the government and opposition parties to consider and take action upon the resolution presented to each by the Social and Moral Reform Association convened this afternoon at the council chamber, city hall. Much interest was taken in the proceedings, as many were anxious to learn how the government party would meet with the question of purity in elections. After some little delay Alfred Rowley, of Maryville, was called to the chair and R. B. Hanson was requested to act as secretary. The clergy of the city were well represented, among those present being Father Carney, Canon Cowie, Sub-dean Street, Rev. J. H. McDonald, Rev. J. C. Harris, Rev. J. W. McConnell and others. The chairman in a few brief words explained the object of the meeting and asked the Rev. Mr. McDonald to present to those present the resolution passed upon by the association.

At this juncture A. D. Thomas, ardent and said as twenty-five had been selected from each party to act, he suggested the roll be called and the fifty representatives take their seats inside of the hall. This suggestion met with unanimous approval. The secretary then called the names, starting with the opposition delegation. The following answered to the roll call: David Richards, ex-Warden Scott, Dr. Harry McNally, John Oldham, C. K. Howard, Dr. Vanward, Dr. Geo. J. McNally, Capt. Guthrie, David Richards, A. D. Thomas, W. J. Dykeman, W. H. Vanward, Councillor Rogers, Messrs. White, Alex. H. McNally, Tabor Everett, C. H. Thomas, Warden Byron McNally, Councillor Smith, Matthew Tannant, John Scott, Wm. Sanson, Dr. McLeod, Alderman Doherty, making a total of 24. J. M. Wiley, the 25th delegate, was unavoidably absent. Mr. S. McNight, who was selected, making the delegation complete.

When the government committee was called only eight responded, namely: W. J. Osborne, W. A. Walsh, B. Staples, Alex. Brewer, Dr. Moore, W. K. C. Parlee, H. Goodspeed, C. F. Chestnut. After some persuasion Henry Chestnut consented to act, saying that he was expressing no political opinion, but he was strongly desirous of seeing the principle of purity in elections carried out.

For a short time it looked as if the meeting would end in a fizzle, the opposition pointing out that the government committee had failed to live up to its resolution and were represented by only one-third of that committee. Mr. Osborne and Dr. Moore, on behalf of the government party, regretted very much the way their delegates had acted but they assured all that any pledges entered into by them would be carried out by the party.

The opposition did not think this assurance satisfactory, contending that those present on behalf of the government never took an active part in elections and were not in a position to make promises for bribery and corruption. Dr. McLeod and C. H. Thomas requested that the convention act as if both parties were fully represented. They did not want to see a failure, and they felt that though the government committee failed to keep their agreement, the opposition could still be generous and take the pledges of those present as representing each party. This was finally decided upon.

The Rev. J. H. McDonald then read the resolution drawn and which the association had prepared. It was in almost the same terms as the resolution adopted in Carleton and Charlotte counties. It prohibits running and money and an improper number of agents at the polling districts, provides for the depositing of \$500 by each party in some chartered bank guaranteeing the faithful performance and the appointment of a committee of five, two chosen from each party and the fifth by the Social and Moral Reform Association. It was also agreed that twenty men be chosen from each party, the opposition opposing the agreement. Of the committee of five, the government selected Henry Chestnut and W. J. Osborne and the opposition Dr. McLeod and Councillor Rogers. The association will choose their representatives later.

The little interest taken by the government party in the movement as shown by its small attendance has given the opposition the big county vote, but it will surprise no one if these two places, instead, increase it.

At Maryville this evening Mayor McLeod and Councillor Robison addressed an audience that nearly filled the large hall. Many ladies were present and considering that Maryville in times past has always been pretty nearly unanimous for the government, the opposition gives the opposition candidates tonight must have been a sore blow to the already defeated remnants.

Mayor McLeod had a fine reception, and at the close of his able address many old time government supporters went forward and shook hands with him. They confessed openly that they were Liberals, but they thought that a change of government could not do any harm. The government party have been depending on Fredericton and Maryville to reduce the big county vote, but it will surprise no one if these two places, instead, increase it.

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TRAGEDY AVERTED I. C. R. Fireman Finds Stick of Dynamite in Coal. Montreal, Feb. 19.—While a fireman in the I. C. R. boiler room was shoveling coal in the furnace this morning he came across a stick of dynamite. Had it not been noticed in the nick of time, fearful consequences must have followed. The incident created quite a sensation throughout the works when the story was learned.

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BANJO QUARTETTE AT NICKEL TODAY Philharmonic Four Will Appear in Star Act—Good Songs and Pictures.

Popular amusement of a refined order in plentiful quantity was enjoyed by more masses of St. John folk at the Nickel last evening and today the musical mania looks more rampant. The Philharmonic Four will introduce a banjo quartette, playing old-time as well as up-to-date selections and medleys of the contagious air of the hour. This is perhaps the star feature of the week, in an accomplished band as well as they made their most pronounced hit at Keith's, Boston, and other high-class vaudeville houses last season. His adventures taken by the government party in the movement as shown by its small attendance has given the opposition the big county vote, but it will surprise no one if these two places, instead, increase it.

At Maryville this evening Mayor McLeod and Councillor Robison addressed an audience that nearly filled the large hall. Many ladies were present and considering that Maryville in times past has always been pretty nearly unanimous for the government, the opposition gives the opposition candidates tonight must have been a sore blow to the already defeated remnants.

Mayor McLeod had a fine reception, and at the close of his able address many old time government supporters went forward and shook hands with him. They confessed openly that they were Liberals, but they thought that a change of government could not do any harm. The government party have been depending on Fredericton and Maryville to reduce the big county vote, but it will surprise no one if these two places, instead, increase it.

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All opponents of the Local Government are invited to attend. W. H. HARRISON, Secretary Opposition Executive Committee.

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Ladies' Tweed Coats Misses' 34 Length Coats in sizes 32 and 34 only, loose back, broad shawl-effect, velvet collar. Former price \$7.50. Sale price \$3.00.

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Misses' Skirts Misses' Navy Blue and Black Cheviot Skirts in sizes 30, 32 and 34, length Trimmings with Black Metallics of Black Roman Satin and finished with corded buttons. Former prices \$1.98 and \$2.25. Sale price \$1.49.

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N. Y. STOCK MARKET. Thursday, February 20, 1908. New York Stock Exchange, Chicago Market report and New York Cotton Market.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT. May Wheat, May Corn, May Soy Beans.

MONTRAL QUOTATIONS. Dom. Iron & Steel, Dom. Lumber, Dom. Flour.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET. March, May, October.

Court decision on U. P. right to vote. Illa. Central stock to be handed down today.

Fair demand for stocks in loan crowd. U. S. Steel speculation of steel has improved from 40 per cent of normal.

Proportion of Bank of England reserve to liabilities is now 53.40 per cent.

Consols are 3-16 above yesterday's closing at 87 3/8 for money and 87 1/2 account.

Bank of England return reserve 28,611,000, against 28,648,000.

Reports that Fish-Harriman interests had effected transfer upon which stock market called at the close were denied.

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MULAI HAFID IS OUT FOR TROUBLE. PARIS, Feb. 20.—A special despatch from Tangier states that the French steamer Maroc, from Casablanca, reports that General D'Amade, venturing too far beyond Settat, had his communications cut by the followers of Mulai Hafid.

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THE PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS

News and Opinions Concerning the Approaching Contest in This Province.

Hazen, Fleming, Smith and Munro Address Crowded Meeting in Woodstock--Morrissy and Maxwell Trim Dr. Pugsley at Chatham--Great Outlook in Westmorland--Government Meetings in Campbellton and St. John.

Big Meeting at Woodstock

Woodstock, N. B., Feb. 19.—Upon the arrival of the noon train today with the coming premier, J. D. Hazen, on board, there was a large gathering of leading opposition workers at the station, including Mayor Balmis, chairman of the county organization, and E. R. Teed, chairman of the town committee, who escorted the leader to his hotel.

At 8 o'clock the Opera House was crowded and many were unable to gain admittance. Their speeches are apologies, retractions and regret that their legislation was bad and it would be repealed.

Mr. Hazen spoke for more than an hour. He told of the trip here by Dr. Pugsley, his effort to whip Liberals into line, the support the opposition is receiving from the old time Liberals.

He proved conclusively to the audience that the present government is in league with a St. John concern who acted as middlemen. Thus the politicians were denouncing the mothers and fathers of the province out of their hard earned dollars.

He said that the attorney-general drew \$48,000 a year. Mr. Maxwell then introduced Dr. Pugsley at Chatham. He referred to the roads of this county and said that what was wanted was that the spending of the money for the improvement of the same should be left in the hands of the municipal council, also that money ought to be spent for breaking of roads in winter.

Mr. Morrissy said that the government spent \$300,000 on roads. Where did it go to? Why to Tom, Dick and Harry, and he quoted several instances. Never were there such bad roads in Northumberland county as for the last two years, all owing to the present administration.

Mr. Morrissy then dwelt on Messrs. Robinson and Fleming's discussion of the financial situation. If the government had a surplus, why did they go to England to raise a loan? He remarked that the attorney-general drew from the province in a period of six years over the sum of \$48,000 or an average of \$8,000 per annum.

Mr. Maxwell then quoted facts and figures as to the prices of readers. He next spoke of the Central Railway. Never was a greater outrage perpetrated on the public than this. Why, look at the bridges and things that could have been built with this money.

Mr. Hazen, then went on to show how the accounts of the province were kept. In the auditor's report there was a sum of \$2,901 charged to the province which should have been charged to the New Brunswick Coal and Railway. Why should we pay to have coal hauled for private owners? Gentlemen, if they tell you that the N. B. Coal and Railway is on a paying basis tell you what is untrue.

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What do you say now? Will you bring this bill before the house? There was considerable discussion between the old gentleman and Mr. McKeown and the latter explained that the bill should be brought forward by one of the city members and he as a county member would support it. This did not seem to be satisfactory to his questioner, but he had to be content.

Edmund S. Ritchie dealt with the various acts passed by the government for the benefit of the working men, which he claimed was sufficient reason for sending those bonds would not be issued until the road was completed and yet they did issue them before the road had gone any far. If the G. T. P. would take it over, every member of the opposition would hail the fact with delight.

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TIMES DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE



February 20, 1904—Four years ago today the Iowa Supreme Court decided that a tramp has some rights, and that a tramping man should not throw him off a moving train. Find his pal. ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE. Upside down behind artist.

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THIS EVENING The Every Day Club. Pastime Picture Co. at the Opera House.

LATE LOCALS Coal steamer Cape Breton, Captain McDonald, arrived this morning from Sydney, N. B., with a cargo of coal.

The funeral of Arthur Kerr was held this afternoon from 194 Princess street at 3 o'clock.

Great interest continues in the special evangelistic services being held in the Charlotte street (west end) United Baptist church every evening except Saturday, and the attendance steadily increases.

The annual meeting of the Methodist Women's Missionary Society of New Brunswick will be held this afternoon and evening in Queen Square church.

In order to ensure getting good seats ladies attending the opposition meeting in the opera house tomorrow evening, to be addressed by Messrs. Hazen and Fleming, should be on hand early.

The police have reported Erucaan Abagau, of No. 730 Main street, for buying junk in the city without a license.

Dr. G. U. Hay will lecture in the vestry of German street Baptist church, under the auspices of the Men's League, subject, Walks in the Land of Lorna Doone.

The north end fire department was called out about 9:15 o'clock last evening for a fire in the meat shop kept by Ira B. Kierstead, 50 Wall street.

It is understood that W. D. Tammon, news editor of the Halifax Daily Echo, has been appointed to a responsible position in the marine department.

The three local lodges of Knights of Pythias will this evening celebrate the forty-fourth anniversary of the founding of the order.

The regular meeting of Court Yukon, No. 783, C. O. F., was held last evening in the court rooms, Simonds street.

The annual meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses will be held this afternoon at 50 o'clock in the Church of England Institute rooms, Germain street.

The subject of the debate at the Every Day Club this evening is—Resolved, that the pen has been of more benefit to humanity than the sword.

J. D. Hazen, M. P. P., W. H. Thorne, and L. P. D. Tilley came in on the Boston train today.

IN ALL YOUR LIFE NO GAME LIKE THIS Scribes and Pharisees to Clash in Curling Match This Afternoon.

The McLellan cup matches, the McCaffrey trophy games, or even the Montreal bonspiel will be completely smothered in point of interest with the battle royal in the St. Andrew's rink this afternoon.

Custom House. Newspaper-men. Thomas Morrissey. C. J. Kelly. George Jenkins. H. V. McKinnon. A. McHugh. Frank McCaffrey. C. F. Tilley, skip. H. (D.) Erwin, skip.

OBITUARY Mrs. Chas. F. Kinnear Many will be grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. Margaret M. Kinnear, widow of Charles F. Kinnear, which occurred yesterday afternoon at her home, 35 Carleton street.

Miss Ella Blake Miss Ella Blake, daughter of Maurice Blake, of Charlottetown (P. E. I.), died recently at her father's residence there.

William S. Stanton William S. Stanton died yesterday at the home of his father, A. H. Stanton, 87 High street, after a long illness.

Mrs. A. E. Taylor Moncton, Feb. 19—Captain J. E. Masters on Tuesday received a telegram from Enderby (B. C.), conveying the sad news of the death of Mrs. A. E. Taylor.

Louis Donald Charles Donald, of Main street, north end, received a communication yesterday announcing the death of his brother, Louis Donald, which occurred in Boston, where he had been engaged as a mechanic for the past eighteen years.

TOMORROW'S HOCKEY MATCH The Fredericton Capital-Marathon game at the Glacier rink tomorrow night promises to be a good one all the way.

DR. AND MRS. PRESTON SEPARATE Domestic infelicity has resulted in the separation of Dr. E. A. Preston, a well-known medical practitioner and his wife.

WILL PAY LICENSES Thirteen of the Sand Point laborers who were reported for working in the city without licenses were before Judge Ritchie yesterday afternoon.

A Golden Opportunity to Save Money. Your choice of any Tweed or Fancy Worsted Suiting in our stock made to your order, in the very latest style, at \$5.00 off regular price.

Prince's Beach Limerick for February, 1908. A maiden who lived in the Soo On a new kind of gum tried to chew, But of lockjaw she died, And the Coroner cried.

Separate Trousers, \$1.25 to \$3.75. About this season, most men need either an extra pair of Trousers or a second suit to finish out the winter in good style.

A SNAP IN CASHMERE HOSE 68 Dozen of Black Cashmere Stockings of Fine Quality, Full Fashioned, Perfect Fitting and Seamless. A Regular 50c Stocking for 29c a pair.

JUST OPENED: HART EMERY WHEELS. A Large Assortment of Student Lamps, \$4.50 to \$11 Each. Hall Lamps, - \$1.50 to \$10 Each. Library Lamps, \$2.00 to \$17 Each.

Banner Print Sale OF THE YEAR. 11c Per Yard---1908---11c Per Yard. Twenty-Eight Thousand Yards of High-Grade Prints to be Sold at Low-Grade Price.