

FARMERS AND DAIRYMEN MEET

Annual Session Opened Last Night at Fredericton with Large Attendance.

GRATEFUL FOR HELP GIVEN BY GOVERNMENT

Mon. J. A. Murray Urges Them to Take Advantage of Agricultural Schools—Government Praised for Assistance Given Farmers.

Fredericton, Mar. 2.—The opening session of the 35th annual meeting of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association here tonight was attended by many farmers and dairymen from all parts of the province. The interests taken in the various addresses showed that agriculturists of New Brunswick are alive to the great possibilities in the farms of the province. Hon. J. A. Murray, Minister of Agriculture, gave a very inspiring address in which he urged the farmers to take advantage of the educational opportunities offered by the department of agriculture. He spoke particularly of the new agricultural school at Woodstock and pointed out that no fees were charged for instruction there.

Wm. H. Moore, president of the organization, called the meeting to order and in well chosen words reviewed the agricultural situation in the province. He urged the members to take advantage of the suggestions offered by speakers and make notes freely.

His Worship Mayor Hooper welcomed the delegates and made a few brief remarks, referring particularly to the market provided by the city of Fredericton.

H. H. Smith in replying to Mayor Hooper thanked him and the citizens of Fredericton for their kindness to members of the association. He showed that the lands of the province were very productive.

Hon. J. A. Murray in opening his address remarked on the spirit of optimism which was displayed by the previous speakers, and he thought it presaged a great future for the agricultural interests of the province. New Brunswick was in a sound condition in spite of the business depression in other parts of the world. The people throughout Canada were beginning to realize the great advantages of the east.

At present large quantities of beef, pork, butter and eggs were being imported into the province and Hon. J. A. Murray thought the people of New Brunswick should first supply their own markets before looking to larger markets.

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EXCLUSION OF ASIATICS UNDER DISCUSSION

Failure of Laurier Government to Deal With Question, Reason for the Present Difficulties, Vancouver Member Points Out.

Ottawa, March 2.—A debate on Asiatic immigration was inaugurated in the House of Commons today by Hon. Frank Oliver, who moved for all documents relating to the immigration of Asiatics having a bearing upon the order in council passed in December last restricting entry into British Columbia.

Mr. Oliver was anxious to know by what form of reasoning the government arrived at the conclusion that it was not desirable to admit Hindus and other races while Chinese and Japanese were still allowed to come in. While drastic measures were probably necessary the passing of this order in council appeared to him to have been based on a feeling of panic. A number of Hindus had been refused admission into British Columbia. They appealed to Provincial Chief Justice Hunter, who decided that as the regulations of the immigration department were not in accordance with the statute they were invalid. This meant that the bars were down and quite properly steps were taken to amend the regulations. This having been done there was no necessity for the order in council. The immigration act gave officials full power to deal with immigrants upon arrival.

Mr. Oliver did not believe an immigrant should be given the advantage of habeas corpus until it was assured that he was a desirable settler and he urged that steps be taken to make this matter clear.

H. H. Stevens of Vancouver said the difficulties which now confronted the government was due largely to the failure of the Laurier administration to deal properly with this question. Mr. Lemieux was the minister who devised the defective arrangements and who has handed down a serious problem affecting Canada and the whole Empire.

Mr. Knowles of Moosejaw asked Mr. Stevens if he knew that five times as many Hindus came into Canada last year as entered during the final year of the Laurier government.

Mr. Stevens said that the member for Moosejaw was "quibbling." Mr. Stevens went on to say that the majority of the Hindus who came in last year were former residents of British Columbia who had a right to return to Canada. The number of newcomers was comparatively small.

Mr. Stevens declared that the influence of Hindu agitators was felt all along the Pacific coast from California to British Columbia. At Berkeley, California, there are thirty Hindu students, all of whom are anarchists. The fact that Hindus in Canada had not been dealt firmly with, he said, was doing more to stir up mutiny in India than anything else. He quoted from a newspaper published in Sanscrit in Indian territory to prove his contention. The name of this paper in English is The Mutiny. In its columns a second mutiny in India was openly advocated.

The member for Vancouver declared that the people of British Columbia would never consent to giving the franchise to the Asiatics because if they had it they would at once proceed to degrade Canadian civilization.

NEW YORK RECOVERING FROM EFFECTS OF STORM

Has Been Most Destructive Since 1888 — 11 Death Reported and Other Fatalities Probable—Other Parts of the States Suffered Heavily from the Storm.

New York, March 2.—With temperatures rising and fair weather promised, New York and vicinity tonight began to emerge from the storm which railroad and telegraph companies declare has been the most destructive in this section of the country since the memorable blizzard of 1888. Reports from other cities showed the damage caused by wind, snow, rain and sleet to be widespread.

From Cleveland on the west and Baltimore on the south to the Canadian and Nova Scotia borders the storm has been general. In New England further damage is expected from rivers and streams swollen by melting ice and snow. In and near New York ten persons perished yesterday and today and several fatalities were reported elsewhere. Except by roundabout routes and with the aid of a few wires running under ground, commercial New York tonight still remains cut off from telegraph communication with the west and south. The public service corporations reached Philadelphia by way of Montreal, and had a few wires to Washington, Baltimore and Pittsburgh. For the most part there were telephone circuits. Hope was expressed for better conditions, although it will be at least a week, it was stated, before service can be restored to normal.

Virginia Coast Storm Swept. Norfolk, Va., March 2.—While the northwesterly gale sweeping the Virginia and Carolina coast tonight was at its height, the Merchants and Miners steamer Howard, bound from Newport News for Baltimore, with passengers and freight, was driven ashore in Chesapeake Bay. At last reports she was "up the beach," but her position was said not to be dangerous.

Washington Ward Hit. Washington, March 2.—The storm which gripped the entire east during the last twenty-four hours, paralyzing traffic, demolishing telegraph and telephone lines, and causing tremendous losses to property and business generally, was reported tonight to be off Boston, Mass., and rapidly passing out to sea. Moderate temperatures with abated winds were promised by the weather bureau for tomorrow.

Train schedules between Washington and New York were still suspended tonight. Railroad officials here say that it would be several days before the regular schedules were again effective. One train from New York due at 9:30 p. m., yesterday, arrived here this afternoon at 4:30.

The Rustle in the Elephant's Hay



From the Toronto News.

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Fredericton, Mar. 2.—The legislature got down to business again this evening with a slim house and a decidedly formal session at which the routine business of the day was put through. Several new government bills were introduced and others were advanced a stage.

The first of the standing committees to organize will be the contingencies committee which has been called to meet tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

Among the visitors at the house tonight were J. A. Belyea and F. C. McNeill of St. John.

St. John Bills. The house met at 2:45 p. m. Mr. Hender presented a petition in favor of a bill relating to the fisheries in the harbor of St. John, also a petition of the trustees of School District No. 2 in the parish of Lancaster in favor of a bill authorizing them to issue debentures.

Hon. Mr. Wilson presented the petition of the city of St. John in favor of a bill to consolidate the law relating to water and sewerage in St. John.

Hon. Mr. Flemming introduced a bill to amend the general mining act.

Hon. Mr. Clarke introduced a bill to legalize certain marriages, also a bill to amend a clerical error in the Municipalities Act 2 Geo. V, 1912.

Hon. Mr. Flemming said that the house would remember that last session legislation was passed under which the municipalities were called upon to pay certain sums per week to the support of pauper lunatics in the provincial hospital. Some objection had been taken to this legislation by certain of the municipalities and resolutions protesting against the same had been passed by them and forwarded to the government. Under the law as passed last session the municipalities were asked to pay the sum of one dollar per week for each patient, and as the average cost of each patient's maintenance was three dollars per week, he thought the municipalities were getting off very reasonably when they were only asked to pay one-third of it.

In Nova Scotia the municipalities pay two dollars and one-half a week per patient out of a total cost of three and a half dollars. Altogether the municipalities of that province paid \$67,000 per year for the keep of their pauper lunatics, and the government paid only \$18,000. In Quebec there was no provincial hospital or other state institution, but the insane go to private institutions where the municipalities pay one-third and the government the other half of the keep of each patient. In this province the municipalities were only asked to pay one-third, which seemed to be, compared with the other provinces, very reasonable. When the legislation was before the house last session there was no opposition or objection and the government had no intention whatever of making any change in the law this session.

The house went into committee with Mr. Woods in the chair, and agreed to the bills to legalize certain marriages and respecting the Jordan Memorial Sanatorium repairs.

Hon. Mr. Flemming in explaining said the latter bill provided for the payment of \$10,000 additional for permanent work at the institution. The amount of unpaid bills at the present time was only between \$4,000 and \$5,000. The amount provided for in this bill would be sufficient for all work now in contemplation.

The house adjourned at 9:35 o'clock.

MUST REPEAL CLAUSE FOR PEACE SAKE

Sen. Thornton Says Exemption Clause Must be Eliminated if Friendly Relations With Powers are to Continue

Washington, March 2.—Announcing his support of President Wilson's policy to repeal the provision of the Panama Canal Act exempting from tolls American coastwise shipping, Senator Thornton, Democrat, in a statement today said the President had informed him "that in his judgment the repeal of the exemption clause is necessary for the continuance of our present friendly relations with foreign powers and the success of our foreign policies."

Senator Thornton is a member of the Inter-oceanic Canada Committee, which urged toll exemption, and he is one of several Democratic members of that committee who have told the President they would reverse their positions. He said today he formerly favored exemption, "believing the United States had the legal and moral right under the Hay-Pauncefote treaty to enact such legislation."

"I believe now, just as firmly as before," said the Senator, "that the exemption clause of the Panama act is not a violation of our treaty obligations, but I recognize now, as I always did, the substantial difference between our right of exemption and our enforcement of that right."

He believes that the repeal will carry by a substantial majority despite some party opposition, and it is believed the matter will be up within two weeks. Representative Adamson expects to introduce a repeal bill in a few days.

INTERESTING CASE BEFORE QUEBEC COURT

Pair Divorced, Man Agrees to Re-marry if the Woman Pays Him \$1,000.

Quebec, Mar. 2.—The arrest of a commercial traveller named Gosselin, on a charge of obtaining money on false pretences here, led up to a remarkable story in the court of sessions today. The accused pleaded not guilty. The charge against him was made by a young woman of month named Gaudet. Her story to the judge was that she and the accused were married some years ago but after a short time they discovered there was an impediment to their marriage. They then appealed to the courts and had the marriage declared civilly annulled. The church authorities subsequently annulled it also. The parties then drifted apart, the woman going to the United States. As the years passed the impediment to the marriage was removed by the granting of a dispensation by the church. The parties again came together, and the man informed the woman that he would marry her again provided she would give him one thousand dollars. This she agreed to, giving him a check for that amount. All arrangements for the wedding were completed, but the woman alleged that the day before the proposed ceremony the man informed her he had changed his mind about marrying and would not do so unless she gave him another thousand dollars. This she refused to do. Next day the pair accidentally met at the bank, where the woman said, she ascertained that the man had deposited the check in his name but had withdrawn \$400 of it. She then told the bank manager not to pay the rest of the money to the ac-

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London, Mar. 3.—Seen in connection with the advertisement for Earl Grey's whereabouts, inserted in the Sunday Times by the Exchange of International Colonial Commerce, Ralph Bond, Earl Grey's solicitor, who has just returned from Canada with Lord Chelmsford, stated that as Earl Grey had gone away for a complete rest, he did not wish to be bothered by letters, and had therefore left no address, but his solicitors could reach him if necessary. Mr. Bond said that he had supplied the exchange with the address at the end of the week, and he characterized its action in advertising as a piece of impudence. Both Lord Chelmsford and Mr. Bond are fairly well pleased with the result of their visit to Canada, where they went to lay the Aldwych site project for a Dominion building before the government and various public bodies. They explain that they had no desire to rush the government into a decision of hand, but they wanted to satisfy themselves that the scheme was placed before the cabinet in the proper light. The fact that the government had promised consideration was encouraging. One suggestion made was that Canada send over two representatives to study the scheme here, and at the same time meet the representatives of Australia and South Africa. Lord Chelmsford was pleased with the warm reception extended to him by the Canadian Club of Montreal and Hamilton, and the Empire Club

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"Has the Canadian government consented to any departure from the terms of the regulations?" asked Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

"There are some modifications," replied Mr. Hazen, "but none of them are important. After the treaty comes into effect, we have expressed our willingness to have the commission further consider the matter."

In response to a query by Mr. MacDonald, Pictou, Col. Sam Hughes made the formal announcement that the British war office having backed down on its regulations concerning the aperture sight, the Canadian rifle team would participate at Bleyser this year as usual whereupon both sides of the house applauded.

of Toronto. He had little opportunity to see much of Canada, on his short visit, but it was sufficient to determine him to plan a lengthier stay in the future.

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SCHR. LYRA WAS BOUND FROM ST. JOHN

Has Been Adrift in Ice Near Parrsboro — Beached Yesterday Near Spencer's Island, N. S.

Parrsboro, N. S., March 2.—The schooner which has been adrift in the ice in the Bay, and which has been sighted several times in the south shore was beached yesterday near Spencer's Island, N. S., and proved to be the Lyra of this port, twenty-nine tons register owned and commanded by Robert Newcombe, of this place. She was bound from St. John for this port in ballast. The wind is blowing a gale today from the south-east, which will drive much of the ice down the bay where it will break up, and as soon as it comes northwest again the schooner will probably get to Spencer's Island pier or into this port.

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HON. MR. WHITE SAYS NO LOAN WAS ASKED

Makes Statement Regarding Rumored Request for One by the Canadian Northern Railway.

Ottawa, March 2.—The air has been completely cleared by the statement regarding the railway financial situation made by Hon. W. T. White. There has been no application for a loan from the Canadian Northern Railway and in addition none is expected.

Mr. White's words were as follows: "No application for aid by way of a loan has been or is expected to be received by the government from any company." This statement is taken to mean that if any aid is given to the Canadian Northern it will not be by way of a loan. A cash subsidy is still more unlikely, so that in that case the best Mackenzie and Mann apparently can hope to expect will be the guarantee of bonds.

Mr. White gave also an emphatic denial to the rumor that has appeared in a number of newspapers that there was to be a further issue later on for the purpose of making a loan to a railway corporation.

CHAIRMAN OF PANAMA COMMISSION DENIES SHIPLEY WAS DISCHARGED

Col. Goethals Says Report of Suspension for Incompetence Was Untrue, and Exonerates Chief Clerk.

Washington, March 2.—Inquiry today of Col. George W. Goethals, chairman of the Panama Canal Commission, who is now here, establishes that despatches dated Panama on or about February 9 last, stating that W. F. Shipley, chief clerk in the subsistence department, had been suspended on grounds of incompetence, were erroneous. Col. Goethals says Mr. Shipley was not suspended at that time or at any time since. He also speaks of Mr. Shipley as an entirely competent official, and says he is now satisfactorily discharging the important duties of chief clerk of the subsistence department of the canal. It appears that Mr. Shipley had resigned in order to accept a business position which had been offered him, and this may have given rise to the other statements in reference to him.

Col. Goethals also entirely exonerates Mr. Shipley from any connection with the Panama Canal Commission which led to the suspension of John Burke, manager of the commissary committee.

MILITANTS WILL GO TO BUCKINGHAM PALACE

Intend to See King Whether He Wants Them or Not—Deliver Letter to His Secretary.

London, Mar. 2.—Mrs. Dacre-Fox informed a meeting of suffragettes here today she had delivered Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst's letter at Buckingham Palace under escort of the gate policeman, who refused to allow her to enter alone.

Mrs. Pankhurst's letter asked the King to receive a deputation which desired to complain of the barbarous methods of torture used by Your Majesty's Ministers.

Mrs. Dacre-Fox handed the letter to the King's private secretary. It is no reply is received another letter will be sent.

"If His Majesty is unwise enough to refuse to see the deputation," said Mrs. Dacre-Fox, "we will go to Buckingham Palace anyway."

It All Depends On the Liver

So important is the liver and so great is its influence on the other vital organs of the body that it may be said you have little in fear from the ordinary ills of life so long as the liver is in healthy working order. The digestive process is so dependent on free action of the liver that any derangement of this organ soon brings trouble.

Biliousness and constipation follow with headache and depressed spirits. Additional work is thrown on the kidneys, and soon the whole eliminating system is deranged and the blood carries poisons through the body. Careful eating is a great help towards keeping the liver right, but when it does get wrong there is nothing like Dr. Cassel's Kidney Liver Pills to restore the liver to healthy action.

With the cessation of ills by the liver, constipation and biliousness are cured and the digestive and excretory systems are set on their feet. It is worth noting the benefit obtained by a few doses of Dr. Cassel's Kidney Liver Pills which restore the liver to its normal state of health.

SHORTAGE BRITISH ARMY

Regimental Strength of Regular Army, Smallest for Ten Years—Emigration One of Causes.

London, March 2.—The regimental strength of the regular army, exclusive of men serving on the staff, was on October 1st, 247,250, the lowest figure for a decade, and comparing unfavorably with the previous year's strength of 253,762. To complete the establishment, 5,580 of all ranks were needed, as compared with 3,077 needed in 1912. The British establishment was 179,933, or 2,211 below strength. The regular reserve was 145,000 and the estimated maximum special reserve was 61,427, or 17,387 below strength. The territorial force has 246,800 officers, non-coms and men, a shortage of 66,283.

The annual report of the British army, which gives these figures, blames the active trade and the emigration of the British, Brigadier General Fitton, director of recruiting, points out that 174,478 male Britons emigrated in 1913. He says that while there are hopeful signs of a slackening of the appetite of Canada for emigrants of the unskilled laborer class, it is discouraging from a recruiting viewpoint that there was to be a further issue later on for the purpose of making a loan to a railway corporation.

VERDICT IN QUEBEC CASE

Manslaughter, Jury Decides, In Case of St. Scholastique Man Charged With Shooting Cousin.

St. Scholastique, Que., March 2.—After deliberating only fifteen minutes the jury here today brought in a verdict of manslaughter against Leonard McGibbon, aged 22 years, on trial for the past two weeks for shooting his cousin, John McGibbon, Jr., aged 28. The tragedy, the sequel of a seventeen years feud between the McGibbon families, occurred on the farm of the victim's father near Daleville post office, on August 21st.

Mr. Legault, prosecutor, addressing the jury, said the crown would not insist on a verdict of murder as it seemed probable the deceased fired the first shot.

Mr. Delaronde pleaded self defence for his client and asked for a verdict of either justifiable or excusable homicide. Upon the verdict being announced, he asked for sentence to be deferred until Wednesday, when he will make a motion for a reserve case.

EVENTURE LIKELY TO BE ASKED TO RETIRE FROM PUBLIC LIFE

Executive of Prescott Liberal Association Has Been Called to Deal With His Case.

Vankleek Hill, Ont., Mar. 2.—The executive of the County of Prescott, Liberal Association, has been summoned by President J. M. Lepoint to meet Saturday, March 7, to consider the question of Gustave Eventurel, M. L. A., and his expulsion from the party. From opinions freely expressed, it looks as though the association will almost unanimously demand Eventurel's retirement from public life. Some of his friends have started the religious cry in his favor, declaring he is being persecuted by Messrs. Fyres, Ferguson and Hanna and the Orangemen of Ontario. This was freely discussed in various parishes after church on Sunday.

Mr. Eventurel, it is understood, will be asked to attend the meeting on Saturday.

MONTREAL MAYORALTY CAMPAIGN PROMISES TO BE INTERESTING

Montreal, Mar. 2.—"My hat is in the ring" announced Mayor G. W. Stephens, ex-chairman of the harbor commission, on his arrival back in Montreal today to fight Mederic Martin, for the mayoralty. Mr. Stephens conferred with his committee of 159 headed by Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and Senator Danvers, and made his preliminary arrangements for the campaign which promises to be the hottest in years of Montreal municipal history.

SAINT ADOPTA PARLIAMENTARY AFRICA INDEMNITY BILL

Cape Town, Union of South Africa, Mar. 2.—The House of Assembly today by a vote of seventy-two to fifteen adopted the bill in the indemnity bill concerning the deportation recently of the Cape Colony because of their connection with the general strike.

FARMERS AND MILKERS MEET IN WOODSTOCK

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He spoke of the educational advantages in New Brunswick and urged farmers to attend the Woodstock agricultural school and as soon as there was need other schools would be established until every county in the province had its own school. A summer school is to be established next summer in Woodstock and teachers would be instructed in agricultural subjects.

The farmers special train last year on the C.P.R. had proved successful, and during the coming summer Hon. Mr. Murray expects to have a similar train run over the intercolonial. During the last four years 100,000 apples had been set out in New Brunswick.

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These had secured a firm hold in this province and their work had enlarged. Besides that the provincial government has done the federal government has given large sums to New Brunswick for agricultural education, \$48,411 having been given for this year.

"This was absolutely for educational work."

Wm. H. Moore, president of the association, followed Hon. Mr. Murray.

Hon. Dr. Landry's Good Work

President Moore in his address, said "I feel that we as farmers owe Hon. Dr. Landry a debt of gratitude for the able manner in which he has supervised the business of his department. He has been a friend to New Brunswick farmers, and personally I wish to thank his office staff for all assistance they have given me in the past."

"It has been my privilege during the past year to visit a number of different sections in New Brunswick and meet many of our farmers at home and at agricultural fairs and at the Fredericton. Their methods of working have been observed. Their conditions for work and especially their variations of soil that all farmers of the province should be made aware of, and I think that owing to the work of our department, a great surplus crop of one kind in all the different sections."

"Not long ago a farmer remarked to me that he thought there was too much fuss being made about the potato market. That man has not visited sections where farmers specialize in growing potatoes and where there is a road to market. He has not seen the conditions of the soil and the weather, and I think that owing to the work of our department, a great surplus crop of one kind in all the different sections."

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TWO NEW WORLD RECORDS

New York, March 2.—Five new championship records, two of which established new world records, were made at the indoor national championships of the Amateur Athletic Union, held at Madison Square Garden tonight. Two other championship records were equalled.

Thomas J. Halpin of the Boston Athletic Association and Alvin T. Meyers, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, set the two new world records.

Halpin won the six hundred yard run in the new time of 1:13 2-5. Meyers, in the 300 yard run, established a record of 32 2-5.

The other events in which new championship figures were hung up were the two mile walk, won by Richard F. Kemmer, Irish-American A. C., in 14:21 4-5; the 1,000 yard run, won by Abel R. Kiviat, Irish-American A. C., in 2:15 2-5, and the 2 mile run, won by Harry J. Smith, Bronx Church House, New York, in 8:18.

TWO CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR IN FREDERICTON

Nomination Papers Filed at the Capital Yesterday—Opposition in All the Wards.

Special to The Standard.

Fredricton, March 2.—Today was nomination day in the city election. The following were the nominations: For Mayor—Ald. W. E. Farrell and Ald. Moses Mitchell.

For Aldermen—William Ward, S. B. Ebbett and M. L. Stevenson; St. Ann's ward, Ald. Osborne, James M. Lomont, D. McBeth and A. E. Clark.

These were all the nominations up to 10 o'clock, but it was said that other papers might be filed in Kings ward before midnight.

DEATHS.

JACKSON—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. George K. Barton, 20 Summer street, Mrs. Robena Jackson, widow of Captain Andrew Jackson in her 98th year.

Funeral Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock. Service at the house. Coaches from the door.

McDONALD—On the 2nd inst. James McDonald at his residence, 342 St. James street, West-End, aged seventy years, leaving a wife, three daughters and two sons.

Funeral Wednesday morning at 2:30 o'clock from his late residence to the Church of the Assumption for high mass of requiem at nine o'clock. Friends invited to attend.

DUPUISEA—At Hoyt Station on February 19th, Mrs. Annie Dupuis, wife of Lewis Dupuis, in her sixty-sixth year, leaving besides her husband, four sons and three daughters to mourn.

COLWELL—At Upper James, March 2, Charles B. Colwell, aged ninety-one years.

Funeral Wednesday at two o'clock at James.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Save the Signatures

Savings Bank.

Savings bank transactions for the month ending February 28 show deposits \$95,706.00, withdrawals \$62,882.94.

STOCK GOING PAID WEEK IN A GREAT PLAY

"Elevating a Husband" up to Highest Standard of Thompson-Woods Players-Enjoyable Production

Few, if any, of the many excellent productions of the Thompson-Woods Stock Company will prove more acceptable to the theatre-going public than "Elevating a Husband," which was presented for the first time in St. John at the Opera House last evening. It is a powerful play which depicts the emotions, and there is a strong vein of humor running through it which adds to the interest. The play deals in the main with the efforts of a wife to educate into the ways of society her husband, who owns many prosperous five-cent stores.

Her failure is the key to the situation, but the play ends happily at the close of the fourth act.

As Charlie Sample, the owner of the stores, Sam A. McHenry played a many sided character with admirable effect. His love for his mother, his disgust at the professors, "fakers," he calls them, whom his wife insisted on entertaining, his rictus through the agency of Hubert Duncan, whom he had befriended, and his final reconciliation with his wife, who, unknown to him, had come to his assistance, were some of the strongest and most touching scenes in the play.

Mrs. Francis Grant gave an excellent interpretation as Hatty Lawton and then as Mrs. Charles Sample. Miss Edith Darby as Mr. Sample's mother, played the role with much humor in the play. "Elevating a Husband," was one of the biggest hits in recent years in New York. It is well worth seeing. The talented members of the Thompson-Woods Stock Company have got all the characters down "pat."

SHERIFF'S WIFE WILL FIGHT FOR HIS RECALL

San Francisco, Mar. 2.—In addition to having divorce proceedings against Fred S. Eggers, sheriff of San Francisco county, his wife announced today in a signed statement that she would circulate a petition for his recall from office. They have lived together thirty-five years.

"This is not spite work," said Mrs. Eggers. "I simply don't believe that Sheriff Eggers is a fit man to be in a public office."

In her statement Mrs. Eggers outlines testimony which she has given before the grand jury.

TOM MANN TO START TROUBLE IN S. AFRICA

London, March 2.—Tom Mann, English labor leader, who has been at the head of many strike movements in England, is expected to return to South Africa to organize a labor agitation in retaliation for the expulsion of the South African labor leaders after the recent general strike.

YOU'RE CONSTIPATED, BILIOUS--CASCARETS

Clean your waste-clogged liver and bowels tonight! Feel Bully

Get a 10-cent box now. No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches; how nervous and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels—you always get the desired results with Cascares.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascares tonight; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, easy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, acid, gas, indigestion, and other matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear bowels for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascares now and then. All druggists sell Cascares. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a gentle cleansing, too.

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Now a Band of Moonshiners meet their Waterloo. The light came through a Boy of the Mountains. The Story is one full of thrills.

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BLACK FOXES

The A. E. McLean Co., Ltd. Breeders of Silver Black Foxes 8 Pairs of Foxes \$200,000 4 Pairs Breeders

This old reliable company are now offering a limited number of shares to the investor who wants to participate in the 1914 dividends of the wonderful fox industry.

This is the first and only advertisement this company has ever used, and this their second year under joint stock management.

Mr. MacLean has been in the business for a number of years, with very marked success.

This company paid 50 per cent cash dividend to their shareholders this year and have added more pairs this year, and are now offering a limited number of shares for sale. Wise investors will take stock in the company that has an established name and business connection, and with proved breeders in the ranch, and whose young stock of 1914 pups are about as booked at good prices because of their reputation.

Fill out the application for shares today. Because you will be buying into a strong company with strong producing stock. We have made big money for others, let us make some for you.

APPLICATION FOR SHARES.

I hereby make application to the A. E. McLean Co., Ltd., for shares at \$100 per share, in the capital stock of this company, and which will entitle me to participate in 1914 Dividend.

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Address All Communications to
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South West Lot 16, P. E. I.
Bank reference, BANK OF N. S., Summerside, Prince Edward Island.

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Today's Vaudeville is of the Big-City Quality; Direct From N. Y.

WHO PUT ON A MOST PLEASING INSTRUMENTAL MUSICAL ACT
Introducing the Latest Song-Novels With the Audience Whistling.

Belle's Aggregation of Star Players in
TWO REELS
"THE CYPHER MESSAGE"
OR THE GREAT NECKLACE ROBBERY.
A photo-drama of high social life in Chicago, featuring famous detectives and a secret code of signals.

LOCAL NEWS VIEWS
BETTY DOWN—Soprano. "Just a Little Love—A Woo Kiss."
A Funny Predicament in Which a Chap Has Only One Shirt.
Keep Your Eye Out for Wednesday's Feature

NEXT WEEK MIDGET MUSICIANS FAMOUS 'CELLIST COMING SOON.

The Great Kathlyn's Adventures Series Starts March 20th.

OPERA HOUSE THOMPSON-WOODS STOCK CO.

ALL THIS WEEK FREE!
Louis Mann's Great Dramatic Comedy
At the
WEDNESDAY MATINEE
Box of Concha Sweets to Each Lady and Child Attending.

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From N. Y. & LUCE MUSICAL ACT... Whistling... DAY'S JAUNT IN ENGLAND... and Meyer's Parade... Boys on the March... Miller's Turret... Great Lloyd-George... and Very Popular... and W. H. Nobility... THIS PHOTO-TRIP... TRAPPHAG... Experiment... One shirt... LIST COMING SOON... arch 20th.

FREE! At the WEDNESDAY MATINEE... of... onona... Sweets to... Each Lady... and Child... Attending.

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Pure... Healthful... Nutritious

THE EVENING NEWS

SIGNAL SERVICE BULLETIN
Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries.
St. John, N. B., Mar. 8, 1914.
Ten a. m.
Cape Race, 720—Mar. 1st, nine forty-five a. m. Príncipe 260 miles east, Inward; Feb. 28th, eight p. m. Turcoman abeam, outward; four forty-two p. m. Royal Edward 540 miles east, outward; ten p. m. Royal George 790 miles east, bound west; ten p. m. Portland 290 miles east, bound west.
Sable Island, 250—Dense fog, strong east; Mar. 1st, eight a. m. Englishman ninety miles southeast, bound Portland; Feb. 27th, four p. m. Empress of Ireland 820 a. m.; Chignecto 455 p. m.; sid. Alastair 8:05 a. m.
Cape Sable, 135—Rainstorm, strong southeast.
Brier Island, 61—Raining, moderate south.
Point Lepreau, 22—Raining, gale east.
Partridge Island—Raining, gale east.
Three p. m.
Cape Race, 720—Foggy, strong north west; midnight Portland abeam, inward.
Sable Island, 250—Heavy rain, gale northeast; eight thirty a. m. Alastair 210 miles east, outward; noon Corinthian eighty-five miles east, outward.
Halifax, 267—Rain and fog, heavy southeast.
Baker Island, 61—Raining, strong east; lowebb inward at eleven a. m.
Point Lepreau, 22—Raining, strong east.
Partridge Island—Raining, strong east.

DAMAGED BY ICE.
Baltimore, Feb. 28—Stmr Belfast here yesterday, had some plates damaged by ice when off the Grand Banks.

RECENT CHARTERS.
The tern schooner Howell Leeds, has been chartered for a series of lumber cargoes from Lunenburg and Bridgewater, N. S., at private terms.

ARRIVED WITH TIES.
The steamer Oesaba arrived at Portland Saturday from New Orleans with about 50,000 railroad ties for the Grand Trunk, being the last of the lot ordered by the railroad company, the total being 170,000 ties.

THE MANCHESTER LINE.
The steamer Manchester Exchange sailed from Manchester on Saturday at noon for St. John.
The steamer Manchester Corporation with a good cargo sailed at two o'clock yesterday afternoon from Sand Point for Manchester via Philadelphia.

SALT CHARTER.
The first salt charter of the year announced at Portland, the Lord Brothers having engaged the Italian bark King Malcolm, 1233 tons register, which is expected to leave Transant about April 1 for Portland, being due to arrive here early in June. Her cargo consists of about 1,800 tons of salt.

NEW OIL TANK.
The new oil tank steamer Euphon arrived in New York Saturday on her maiden voyage from Sunderland. She was built at Alton, near Dundee, and is of 3,575 tons gross, 2,201 tons register. The vessel is fitted with all the latest appliances, and is an up-to-date oil carrying steamer. She has a capacity of 4,500 tons dead weight.

EASTERN STEAMSHIP LINE.
In regard to the advance in passenger rates on the boats of the Eastern Steamship Corporation which is to go into effect on May 1, it is understood that it will apply exclusively to lines east of Portland, and that there will be no change on the boats running between Portland and Boston and New York.

PORTLAND HARBOR ICE.
Portland, Me., March 1.—The great

PILES Quickly Cured

Instant Relief, Permanent Cure—Trial Package Mailed Free to All in Plain Wrapper.

We want every man and woman, suffering from the excruciating torture of piles to just send their name and address to us and get, by return mail, a free trial package of the most effective and positive cure ever known for this disease, Pyramid Pile Remedy.

FREE PACKAGE COUPON.
Fill out the blank lines below with your name and address, cut out coupon and mail to the PYRAMID DRUG CO., 406 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich. A trial package of the great Pyramid Pile Remedy will then be sent you at once by mail FREE, in plain wrapper.

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THE GREAT MEAL TIME

Indigestion Can Be Cured by the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.
If your digestion is weak you cannot derive proper nourishment from your food. The pain and distress you suffer is a protest from your stomach that it is unable to do the work. It is then that you lose all appetite, have dull headaches, acute pains in the chest and abdomen, nervousness and other distressing symptoms.
You cannot cure indigestion by the use of laxatives, and pre-digested foods only make the stomach more cured by giving tone to and strengthening the nerves that control the stomach. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured indigestion times without number, because they purify and enrich the blood. In this way they improve the appetite, dispel the torments of indigestion and enable you to derive benefit from the food you take.
The following is proof of these statements. Mrs. George Brien, Great Shefford, N. B., says: "A few years ago I was laid down with fever which left me suffering from nervous stomach trouble. I apparently got over it, but the trouble could not have been wholly eradicated, during the summer of 1913 I was taken down with it again. I took many medicines, and was attended by two different doctors, but instead of getting well seemed to be growing worse. I could not eat without suffering the most intense pains; even a drink of milk seemed to upset me. I slept poorly and at last dreaded to see night come. In this condition I saw in a newspaper the story of a woman who had similarly suffered and was cured through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I decided to try the pills and found by the time I had taken three boxes that they were helping me. I continued using the pills until I had taken eight boxes, and I have to thank Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for restoring my health after I had practically given up hope of ever being well again."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

er portion of the drift ice in the harbor went out to sea yesterday, and another warm day - will practically clear the main harbor. Solid ice from five to seven inches thick extends from Fish Point to MacKworth's Island, and from there half way to the Brothers, off Palmouth Forehead, but the first warm rain is likely to start it drifting. The ice which has been packed in solid for a week at the ferry landing, South Portland, broke up yesterday, and the steamer Lottie and May, which has been held up all the week, will resume operations on the ferry route soon.

STEAMSHIP NOTES.
The steamer Príncipe was 260 miles east of Cape Race, March 1st at 8:45 a. m., bound inward.
The steamer Turcoman was abeam of Cape Race, Feb. 28, at 8 p. m., bound outward.
The Royal Line steamer Royal Edward was 540 miles east of Cape Race, Feb. 28, at 4:45 p. m., bound from St. John for Avonmouth.
The Royal George was 790 miles east of Cape Race at 10 p. m., Feb. 23, bound from Avonmouth to St. John.
The Allan line steamer Westport was 390 miles east of Cape Race at 10 p. m., on Feb. 28, bound west.
The steamer Englishman was 90 miles southeast of Sable Island on March 1st, at 8 a. m., bound to Portland.

DANGERS TO NAVIGATION.
Boston, Feb. 28.—Capt. Abbott, of the stmr Newton, from Baltimore, reports a piece of timber 4 feet square projecting 6 feet out of water and covered with marine growth, 8 miles ENE from Race Point.
(Reported to the Hydrographic Office.)
Revenue cutter Seneca radiographed on Feb. 27 that a large ice field was reported Feb. 24 just north of one previously reported by stmr Canada.
Stmr Kingstonian (Br) reports Feb. 24 passed derelict dangerous to navigation in lat. 41 50 N, lon 66 10 W.
Stmr Marquette (Br) reports Feb. 22, off Cape Cod whistling buoy No. 2, passed a spar projecting about 5 feet out of water, apparently attached to wreckage; 23rd, about 15 miles ENE of Northeast End lightship, saw several pieces of wreckage.
Stmr Kingstonian (Nor) reports Feb. 22, lat 35 57 N, lon 75 02 W, passed a large piece of wreckage painted red probably the after deck of a lighter; Feb. 6, lat 35 21 N, lon 75 58, passed a quantity of planks, probably part of vessel's deck cargo.
Stmr Devonian (Br) radiographed on Feb. 6, in lat 42 19 N, lon 1 48 W, passed a derelict bottom up.
Stmr Providence (Fr) reports Feb. 25, lat 44 42 N, lon 38 55 W, passed a large derelict, showing about 30 feet out of water.
Stmr New York reports having received the following radiograms:—Stmr Teutonic, Feb. 3, lat 46 46, lon 46 53, a large berg, and lat 46 24, lon 47 38, a large berg; also field ice and numerous growlers between the above positions; stmr Cornishman, Feb. 6, lat 46 55, lon 46 50, to lat 46 30 lon 47 24, large fields of ice and many bergs.
Stmr Willissen (Br) reports Feb. 12, lat 48 55, lon 48 39, ran into a large body of field ice; altered course to south and east and continued to pass large quantities of ice until Feb. 14; lat 47 30, lon 47 10, numerous small bergs were sighted in the ice; a large berg being 100 feet high and 250 feet long was sighted Feb. 15, in lat 47 28, lon 47 10.
Two pontoons lashed together were reported Feb. 27, in lat 35 42 N, lon 75 12 W.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.
Arrived Monday, March 2nd.
Schr Charles C. Lister, 266, Robinson, New York, A. W. Adams, with coal.
Sailed Monday, March 2nd.
Str Manchester Corporation, Poale, Manchester via Philadelphia.
Stmr Heathcote, Muir, Louisburg, R. P. and W. F. Starr.
London, Feb. 26.—Sid stmr Kanawha, St. John via Halifax.
Southampton, March 1.—Ard str St. Louis, New York.
Liverpool, March 2.—Ard str Columbia, New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.
Genoa, March 2.—Ard stmr Antonio Lopez, New York.
Naples, March 2.—Ard stmr Italia, New York.
Genoa, Feb. 27.—Ard stmr Setos, San Francisco.
London, March 1.—Ard stmr Den of Glamis, Portland, Oregon.

Torribly Afflicted With Lame Back. Could Not Sweep The Floor.
When the back aches and pains it is almost impossible for women to do their household work, for every move and every turn means an ache or a pain.
Women are beginning to understand that weak, lame, and aching backs from which they suffer so much are due to wrong action of the kidneys, and should be attended to at once so as to avoid years of suffering from kidney trouble.
On the first sign of anything wrong with the back Doan's Kidney Pills should be taken.
They go right to the seat of the trouble. Mrs. Wilfrid Jolicoeur, Nouvelle, Que., writes:—"I take pleasure in writing you stating the benefit I have received by using Doan's Kidney Pills. About three years ago I was terribly afflicted with lame back, and so bad I could not sweep my own floor. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I only used three boxes, and I am as well as ever. I highly recommend these pills to any sufferer from lame back or kidney trouble."
Price, 50 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. M. Tibbura Co., Toronto, Ont.
Be ordering direct from "Doan's."

VESSELS IN PORT.
Steamers
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Ela Ora, 4,163, J. T. Knight & Co.
Montrose, C. P. R.
Manchester Shipper, Wm. Thomson & Co.
Manchester Corporation, 3,466, Wm. Thomson & Co.
Rappahannock, Wm. Thomson & Co.
Virginia, 637, Wm. Thomson & Co.
Schooners
Arthur M. Gibson, 394, J. W. Smith.
Corn May, 117, N. O. Booth.
Doona, 299, J. E. Moore.

THE BUREAU STEAMSHIPS NEXT CHILDREN

Bangor Head, bound to Halifax, and Manchester Shipper Overdue - Expected both held by gales.
The Head Line steamer Bangor Head is overdue in Halifax being now 19 days out from Ardrossan. The ship is expected any hour, and has undoubtedly been delayed by the head gales and seas.
The Manchester Line steamer Manchester Shipper, which sailed from Manchester on February 14th for St. John, has not been heard from and is now 17 days on the voyage. The head gales and seas prevailing during the last few weeks are held accountable for the delay of the ship and the agents are expecting her at any hour. It has been some years since ships on the North Atlantic have experienced such rough weather. Steamships have been delayed and damaged and all have experienced great hardships this season.

Andrew Irvine Up Again.
Andrew Irvine of police fame was hailed before the magistrate again yesterday afternoon and those interested in statistics discovered that it was Andy's 16th appearance. It seems that a few days ago the demon rum again got the better of Irvine on which occasion he entered the police station and requested a bed. Instead of this, however, he was turned out and locked up for drunkenness. Yesterday afternoon Irvine told the magistrate that Officer McNamee asked him to come up to the police station. The officer didn't remember this occurrence and Andy was again turned out into the cold grey world. Irvine if arrested a few more times will hold a record for the number of times arrested.

Property Sale.
Dr. W. P. Broderick has purchased the residence of the late Chief Justice Tuck on Orange street. The price paid is understood to have been in the vicinity of \$7,500.

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THE SUBURBAN SERVICE

If the difficulty in connection with the suburban service is settled along the lines that yesterday's conference seemed to indicate, there will be little or no ground for further complaint. One thing that the visit of Hon. Dr. Reid made abundantly clear, is that no matter how deeply people living along the I. C. R. between St. John and Hampton may have been inconvenienced by the changes put in force by Mr. Gutelius, the government was in no way responsible. A request was made to Hon. J. D. Hazen to adjust a difficulty arising entirely outside of his department. He was prompt to secure the attendance of Hon. Dr. Reid, who, in the absence of Hon. Frank Cochran, is administering the department of railways and canals, and Dr. Reid gave satisfactory assurances that the cause of grievance would be removed. The first steps in that direction will be taken today when the additional trains go on the route.

There is one thing more. The people having their homes along the I. C. R. should procure from the general manager of the railway a statement of minimum service to be expected in the future. It need not take the form of an embrace, or the detail of a timetable, but rather an undertaking that there shall be not less than a certain number of trains in each direction every working day. Such an undertaking should remove the possibility of future repetition of the present fiasco. Mr. Gutelius has intimated his willingness to enter such an arrangement, but it should not be lost sight of. In course of time, if the city continues to grow, the street cars will probably furnish transportation facilities even to Hampton, but until city growth and development demand such a service the people are entitled to the very best train arrangements that can be provided. It is nothing more than a public right.

CONCERNING UNEMPLOYMENT.

It is illuminating to note that while certain Brit newspapers have been attacking the Government on the ground that lack of employment in St. John is due to the withdrawal of the I. C. R. press steamers, and the substitution of the Royal liners, the Labor Gazette correspondent in this city cannot see any such serious situation. In the Gazette for February conditions in St. John are sized up as follows: "There were no more unemployed in St. John in former years. No relief measures were taken by the city, and applications for relief made to charitable societies were less than in any previous winter." This conclusion is remarkably like that reached by Mayor Frink, President Robinson, of the Board of Trade and officials of charitable agencies, when quoted in interviews in an upper Canadian newspaper. Even though the Mayor, the president of the Board of Trade and the charity officers might not speak with full knowledge of the situation, the correspondent of the Labor Gazette is supposed to be in touch with organized labor, and his opinions should very nearly represent the real condition, as it affects the regular workers. It shows a brighter picture than the organs of gloom provide.

BUILDING IN CANADA.

That the eastern provinces better than other portions of the Dominion withstood the effect of the financial stringency and industrial depression from which this country, in common with the world, suffered during the past twelve months, is one of the interesting questions to be drawn from the comparative return of the building operations in Canada for 1912 and 1913.

On another page of The Standard, this morning, will be found statistics from forty Canadian cities, twenty-five in the section known as the east, and the remaining fifteen from the prairie and Pacific coast region. Of the eastern cities fifteen showed an increase in building during 1913 compared with the preceding year, while ten reported an adverse condition. St. John leads all cities in Canada in the proportion of its increase, and it is interesting to note that Sydney is the only city in the Maritime Provinces that did not show a gain. In the West, conditions are different. There, all, with the exception of Medicine Hat, show on the reverse side of the ledger, and in some cases the decrease is enormous, illustrating to what an extent the financial depression caused a postponement of building plans in the cities and towns beyond the Great Lakes.

A peculiar condition is noticed in the City of Montreal and its environs. Maliciousness, heralded as the great unwholesome enemy of the Montreal of the future, was the only city in the district to show a decrease, while Westmont, the suburban suburb of the metropolis, exhibited a fine example of growth. Fort Arthur and

Fort William, the "twin cities," are also on opposite sides of the accounting, the first named showing a decline and the other an increase. Also Toronto and the great manufacturing city of Hamilton, with Guelph, Berlin, Brantford and Stratford, famous for their manufactures, declined in building activity, while Ottawa, Quebec, Montreal, St. John and Halifax, all gave evidence of good times.

In cities situated on the water, great public works in course of construction account to a considerable degree for increased activity, but even this does not detract from the fact that the showing is a distinct triumph for the east. The Canadian building statement is a valuable contribution to the arguments in favor of the contention that Canadian prosperity, in good times or bad, is not confined to the West land. The young men of today have better opportunities in the East than at any time in the history of the Dominion.

SOCIAL SERVICE.

In the city of Ottawa, this week, will assemble earnest men from all parts of the Dominion, drawn together solely by the desire to accomplish something for the good of their fellow-men and women, and an organized effort for the benefit of humanity generally, and without regard to creed or color, is assuming its proper place among the great problems of the day. Canada in the past has busied herself with the welfare of her forests, mines, fisheries and other natural resources; she has taken precautions to guard against the ravages of disease, the ravages of fire, and has enacted measures wise and useful to ensure the punishment of crime. But except what the churches have been able to accomplish within their denominational limits matters of vastly more importance to the Canadian people seem to have entirely escaped attention.

It is well to guard and conserve our resources, it is prudent to take measures to protect and develop our industries, but it is singular that there has been little or no concerted effort to build up and develop the Canadian men and most precious asset. That "man is master of his own destiny" is an adage hallowed by time, but with the utilitarian trend of the twentieth century it would be almost as true to paraphrase it to read man's destiny, at least so far as it concerns the present state, as largely a matter of circumstance. While men and women are forced to devote most of their time and energies to the problem of food and clothing, it is not surprising to find a very large proportion of both sexes content to rest in present circumstance rather than attempt the uncertain venture that may mean improvement or disaster.

There never was a time when the great social problems called for the closer attention and study. The menace of intemperance, white slavery, industrial and social unrest, the duty of child welfare, citizenship and other questions allied with these, must be grappled with and solved, not only from a moral but an economic standpoint, if Canada is to maintain her place in the race of the world. While such conferences as that opening in Ottawa today have no legislative function, the interchange of the conclusions of trained minds cannot but have a most important effect upon the future development of any movement for the general improvement of social conditions.

FREE WHEAT.

According to the United States consul at Hong Kong, there is a fear that Canadian flour may supplant the United States product in the favor of the Chinese purchasers. The consul at Hong Kong in his report to the United States Government, says: "The United States has lost considerable trade to Canadian mills as a result of a difference in quality in American flour during the past year, as compared with previous years, and of the increasing competition offered by strong Canadian flours generally." In the West Indies there is the same story. The excellence of the Canadian product is winning friends and customers in competition with the output of the great milling industry of the United States.

Milling methods in the two countries are practically the same; consequently the difference in flour quality must be explained by the superiority of Canadian wheat. One of the objections to reciprocity was that the American miller would be able to possess himself of sufficient stocks of Canadian wheat, blend it with his own softer wheat and sell the flour milled therefrom as the product of Canadian hard wheat. The same objection holds good in regard to the free wheat proposition. Canada is rapidly winning her way in the markets of the world by the excellence of her product. It is not only

necessary to protect this trade but it will soon become a duty to protect the reputation of the Canadian product. Free wheat, like reciprocity, would give the American miller the chance he is looking for, to buy Canadian wheat at the cheapest price and use its reputation as the hall mark of quality for the output of his mills. This will hardly appeal to the millers of Canada, whose operations in time are destined to outstrip in value even the gigantic milling industry of our southern neighbor.

Diary of Events

HISTORIC DAYS IN CANADA

NOTABLE POLAR EXPEDITION.

Lieut. Schwatka, of the United States Navy, who had led an overland "Franklin search expedition" in the Summer and Autumn of 1873, reached the most northerly Hudson's Bay station on his return trip thirty-four years ago today, March 3, 1890. Schwatka's party was the twenty-second to undertake the difficult task of searching for the relics of the Sir John Franklin polar expedition, and the first to be followed up by the ferocious Northland in 1845. In 1850 Her Majesty's government offered a reward of \$100,000 to any party of any country that could render efficient assistance to the crew of Franklin's missing ships, the Erebus and the Terror. Many expeditions were dispatched, both from England and America, and in 1853 indisputable proofs were obtained of the death of Sir John and his gallant men. It remained, however, for Lieut. Schwatka to find the bodies of the Franklin party. He set up memorials and brought away the remains of Lieut. John Irving, of the Terror. Although the party reached the Hudson's Bay outpost on the fringe of civilization in March, 1880, it was not until the following September that the explorers arrived in Canada with their grim relics. The remains of Lieut. Irving were turned over to the British government, and were buried at Edinburgh.

DR. BELL'S BIRTHDAY.

March 3 is the birthday of Alexander Graham Bell, who had his first experiments with the telephone in Canada, at Edinburgh, 1847. Nova Scotia elections on this date in 1901 returned the Murray Liberal government to power, with only two members of the opposition in the legislature.

THE PASSING DAY

A U. S. WAR.

Many centuries of great importance will be celebrated within the next few years, but not the least interesting, although it will doubtless pass without any formal observance, is that which commemorates the declaration of war by the United States against Algiers. One year from today, March 3, 1915, will mark the hundredth anniversary of that historic proclamation of hostilities. Algiers is now a peaceful, prosperous and productive French colony, with a beautiful harbor, and among the younger generation of Americans it is principally famous as the place where a soldier of the legion lay dying. A century ago Algiers was the abode of a piratical population, nominally tributary to Turkey but really independent, who waged unceasing warfare on the honest merchantmen of the Mediterranean, and particularly those who flew the flag of the United States. The ships were looted by the pirates and the crews taken captive, to be sold as the slaves of cruel masters if they were not ransomed by relatives or friends. The Algerians found piracy a profitable business, and the United States, in 1812, agreed to pay that chief of the Barbary pirates a tribute equal to \$22,000 a year for "protection" to American commerce. When the Algerians refused to accept this tribute, the United States sent a fleet to the Mediterranean, and the capture of American merchantmen and the enslavement of American sailors were reported.

When the United States concluded a peace with England, the infant republic turned its attention to the North. War was declared, and in the following May Commodore Decatur sailed from New York for Algiers with a fleet of 141 guns, won the praise of Nelson as "the most daring act of the age." When the American fleet arrived before Algiers the pirate ships gave battle and a sanguinary conflict followed. The Mashouds, the flagship of the Algerians, was captured and the Americans were sweeping all before them when the Day, terror, accorded to all American demands, agreed to forego tribute, and gave up the American slaves, who kissed the Stars and Stripes and went for joy to one of the most affecting pictures in history. In the following year England bombarded Algiers and forced the Day to agree to put a stop to piracy—and the pirates were thereafter careful to avoid molesting vessels flying the British or American flag.

One of the wonderful transformations of the nineteenth century and one that has passed with little attention, was that of Algiers. From a barbarian pirate stronghold to a civilized state, over which now floats the proud tri-color of France. The entire population of the Frenchman has made the city. Every year the popularity of Algiers increases, and it is likely that before long Algiers will become a real rival of the Riviera.

Little Benny's Note Book

By LER PAPE.
Last night I heard something and woke up and looked out the window in my little gown and hear 4 men was singing in front of our house, holding arms to each other under the lam post, being different size men but awl having there hats ova srookid.
They was singing Old oakid bukkid, sun of them holding the verde and sum jest noing the toon, sowingid, pritty good, and jest then I herd anuthir windo open, beingid pops windo down staves, and pop stuck his hed out to see what was the mattir, and jest then anuthir windo opened, and it was Mr. Joneses windo, neckid doas, and Mr. Jones stuck his hed out, to.
Heer, heer, pop kalled down, nite was maid for sleeping, not for ker-rowing.
The old oakid bukkid, the trun bupnd bukkid, the moss kuvvrid bukkid that hung in the well, sed the 4 men, 2 of them singing it and 2 jest saying it very low.
Go to yure own nayerhood and make yure hideyis noises, sed pop.
How deer to my hart are seems of my childhood, and the 4 men putting there arms around each other necks as if they was going to kiss each other.
Kleer out now, befor I kail an orfist.
The 4 men looked up to ware pop was looking down and wun of them sed, singing. There was an old man in nite gown, and anuthir wun, having That's it.
"What is frenid finance?"
"Financing your friends?"
Just That.
Tommy—"Pop, what is the difference between duty and pleasure?"
Tommy's Pop—"Just as much, my son, as there is between a wheelbarrow and an automobile."
Embrace 'Em All.
A bachelor minister, when about to call in a villa district, stated quite frankly:
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"Rest in Peace—until we meet again."
Poor Fellow.
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"Please, miss, ere's a young man or has brought you a pair of leg-gins."
The Dough Man.
(By Jim Mance.)
You might say he's a loafer.
You might say he's a crumb.
But, anyway, he keeps we folks Right under his thumb.
Whenever our poor appetites Make our insides feel lean,
He often has a "bun," by goah!
—The Baker man, I mean.
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UNIQUE THEATRE HAS A STRONG PROGRAMME

"The Power of Light"
Sure to Please all-Comedy Supplied by Intensely-Funny Film.

The Unique Theatre opened the week yesterday with a banner show and as usual won the hearty appreciation of its patrons. The long two reel feature, "The Power of Light," was one which at once caught the close attention of all and held it until the end. It tells in a thrilling manner of the plots of a band of moonshiners, who after holding out against law and order for some time, finally meet their Waterloo. A mountain boy plays an important part in this picture. From start to finish the picture is sure to please all.

The comedy was supplied by the side splitting film, "Mrs. Brown's Burglars." The stunts pulled off right up to the exciting finish, compell the most sober to laugh. The burglars are sighted and chased, the adventures of both burglars and pursuers making a film which all should see. Special Lenten pictures are also in order and add much to the value of the programme.

RUSSIANS SERFS.

The first step toward the freeing of the Russian peasant from the abject servitude to which they had long been subjected, was taken fifty-three years ago today, when Czar Alexander II issued an imperial decree providing for the total emancipation of the serfs throughout the empire. There were then twenty-three millions of enslaved peasants within the dominions of the Czar, and all of these attained nominal freedom. These serfs had originally been free landholders, but they had gradually been reduced to slavery by the encroachments of the nobles. The decree of 1861, however, restored the ancient rights of which they had been deprived. Even after the proclamation had been put into effect, the peasant was free in name only, and without lands, were as dependent upon the nobles as before. The imperial manifesto of 1861 gave the peasant a small degree of political equality, but the landed proprietors still retain supreme, with few checks upon their power, the requirement in European Russia being five years in the active army and fourteen years in the reserve of three months of each year in training.

"At last," cried the musician, "I have found within my grasp."
"How so?" asked his wife, who had heard the same thing before.
"You know Mendelssohn's serenade 'March,' and the marvellous repute it brought him?" said the musician.
"Yes, but what of it?"
"Well, I'm going to write a divorce march."

The Delicacy of Baby's Skin

Cold Air, Rough Winds, Strong Soaps Often Bring on Chronic Eczema.

More beautiful than the rose is baby's skin when in health, and so delicate that it is susceptible to anything which irritates. For this reason baby's skin troubles are many, and frequently chronic itching eczema is developed. Nothing can be better for baby's skin, when irritated, than Dr. Chase's Ointment, and when eczema is developed you can apply this preparation with the knowledge that its wonderful record as a healer of the skin is due to the success it has proven in the cure of eczema.

The intense itching of eczema of the face and scalp is very hard for the little one to bear, and is a source of worry and anxiety to the mother. The itching parts are scratched, and nasty and colored sores are formed. Eczema naturally becomes chronic and spreads over the body. You can positively control eczema and cure it by the use of Dr. Chase's Ointment. What is better still is to use this ointment for all chafing and irritation of the skin and prevent eczema from getting started.

THREW WHISTLES TO IMPERIAL'S PATRONS

Musical Novelty a Hit—Fine British Views and Big Feature.

The Luce & Luce musical act, which opened at the Imperial in yesterday's matinee to good crowds, introduced a striking novelty in throwing tin whistles among the orchestra chair patrons in playing the popular rag "Boys"—a rag song and of course this was a hit. The whistles are in themselves distinct novelties, and are prized by their fortunate captors. The act is very well dressed indeed, in tuneful and dashing, the finale being a violin interpretation of the descriptive piece "A Hunting Scene in England," the lady performer working in all the amusing but realistic effects in view of the audience. With orchestral support the ensemble was good and the offering received rounds of applause. Miss Betty Donn was repeatedly called back in her exquisite Little French love song, "Just a Little Love, A Little Kiss."

Perhaps the picture that caught the crowd's best was the budget of English scenes including Baden-Powell and the Boy Scouts, the Lord Mayor's Inaugural Parade, the Tommy Atkins March Back from Aldershot, Lloyd-George at Bedford, Celebration of Trafalgar Day, Hunting Scenes in the Country, The Sailor Boys of the "Wasp," etc. Prince Louis of Battenberg, familiar to St. John people, was seen in the film. This was a rousing Union Jack picture—we get too few of them. Then there was the dramatic feature entitled "The Cryer Message"—a two-reel story, and a good one. The Vitagraph people put on "Dr. Crathern's Experiment," a sweet story of two crippled and the Kalem Co. handled out a comedy called "Only One Shir." This same bill will be on again to-day and in addition Imperial's Photographic feature, being a collection of up-to-date pictures about town illustrative of the current news. On Wednesday a drama of the San Francisco earthquake will be put on in two reels by the Lubin Co. entitled "When the Earth Trembled." It is a tremendously powerful story. Friday and Saturday feature newspaper drama "The Power of Print" is to be the special offering.

BOUTS THIS WEEK

Tuesday
Jack Reed vs. Fred Halsband and Bay Woods vs. Terry Brooks, Thornton, R. I.
Tom Kennedy vs. Jack Fitzgerald, New York.
Jack Dillon vs. Jim Flynn, Kansas City.
Bombardier Wells vs. Bandmaster Blake, London, Eng.
George Chaney vs. J. Martin, Baltimore.

Wednesday
Young Jasper vs. Chick West and Tom McFarland vs. Larry Burns, Manchester, N. H.
Mike Gannon vs. Ed. Haalon, Atlanta.

Thursday
Matty Baldwin vs. Young Dyson, Marietta A. C., Providence.
Charles Pierson vs. Andy Smith, Oklahama.
Leach Cross vs. Phil Bloom, New York.
"K. O." Brennan vs. Soldier Bartfeld, Buffalo.
Jack Redmond vs. J. Dore, Peru, Ill.
Al Limerick vs. Gus Leany, Phiney Boyle vs. O. Murray and Tony Marano vs. T. Murphy, Lawrence.

Friday
Hillard Lang vs. Frank Barriou, Vancouver.
Al McCoy vs. Tom Teague, New York.

Saturday
"K. O." Brown vs. J. Lustin, New York.

Inland Revenue Receipts
The inland revenue receipts for the month of February show a decrease of \$1,702.62 as compared with the same month last year. The following is the statement:
Spirits \$11,248.29 \$8,401.94
Tobacco 51.00
Cigars 438.40 305.30
Raw salt 108.00 539.35
Bonded mals. 21.97 84.90
Other receipts 2,438.92 2,817.52
\$14,961.66 \$18,159.56

G. E. BARBOUR ENTERTAINS EMPLOYEES

Sleigh Drive, and Dinner at Ben Lomond House—Deliver Many Interesting Addresses.

On Saturday afternoon G. E. Barbour, Company Limited, the generous and progressive wholesale grocery house on North Market Wharf, entertained their employees to a sleigh drive and dinner.

At 5.15, to the sounding of horns, ringing of cow bells and the blowing of whistles of the tugs in the harbor, two large sleighs left the company's offices, No. 1625 North Wharf, and drove as far as the Ben Lomond House.

Mr. Hamm, the secretary of the company, occupied the chair, and upon arising said it was a great pleasure for him and the Barbour Company to entertain their employees on this occasion, and expressed his hope as being very pleased to be present.

Mr. Hamm, the secretary of the company, upon arising was greeted with three cheers and the singing of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." He thanked the gathering for giving him such a warm reception, and after a few introductory remarks, proceeded to discuss the advisability of each employee being thrifty—laying aside a small portion of his wages for the proverbial "rainy day" which is sure to come.

Speeches were also given by F. K. Stuart, R. W. Thorne, P. L. Griffin, L. Webb and O. L. Bentley of the staff. Miss Nan M. Ryan, E. D. Fairweather and G. A. McLennan and A. B. Thorne, late in the employ of the company, also by Theo. C. Ledingham and R. Schofield, who were guests of the firm on this occasion.

Before leaving the dining room an unanimous vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Barbour and the Barbour Company for the very enjoyable outing which was endorsed by everyone as being the best yet, also to the chaperon, Mrs. F. K. Stuart.

FINE VAUDEVILLE AT LYRIC THEATRE

This Popular House Scored another Hit Yesterday—Excellent Programme Full of Thrills.

The Lyric scored another hit yesterday in the vaudeville line when this popular house presented "The Laconic" in act full of merry songs and dances. Della Arlington, billed as a dainty dancer, lived up to and passed that mark, winning her audiences easily at each performance. Rounds of applause and roars of laughter showed in no uncertain manner how the act was appreciated. The Lyric also presented a rousing picture bill.

"The Black Sheep," a two-reel story, and a good one. The Vitagraph people put on "Dr. Crathern's Experiment," a sweet story of two crippled and the Kalem Co. handled out a comedy called "Only One Shir." This same bill will be on again to-day and in addition Imperial's Photographic feature, being a collection of up-to-date pictures about town illustrative of the current news. On Wednesday a drama of the San Francisco earthquake will be put on in two reels by the Lubin Co. entitled "When the Earth Trembled." It is a tremendously powerful story. Friday and Saturday feature newspaper drama "The Power of Print" is to be the special offering.

TRY UNGAR'S LAUNDRY FOR THE WORLD'S TITLE

Chicago, Mar. 2.—Five of the world's greatest billiard players will meet this week in an 182 tournament here. They are Willie Hoppe, the champion, whose form makes him the favorite in the meet; Koji Yamada, the Japanese; George Sutton, George Sloman and Calvin Demarest.

Hoppe and Yamada will open the tournament tomorrow night. On Tuesday afternoon Sloman and Yamada meet and on Tuesday night Demarest and Sutton play. The remainder of the schedule will be arranged according to the outcome of the first match.

The players will divide a purse of \$500 and the receipts according to their standing at the end of the tournament.

The Sybarite.
They had scrubbed through the first dance of the programme and he was leading her back.
"I could do dancing; couldn't you?" he asked.
"No," she replied. "There are pleasant ways than being trampled to death."

WENT INTO PARTS OF HOTEL FREE FIGHTING

Commenced Inquest Last Evening—Much Important Evidence Taken—Witnesses told of Efforts to Rescue Albert Johnston and Jude LeBlanc—Factory Inspector Made Suggestions.

In the court room last evening inquest was commenced into the deaths of Albert Johnston and Jude LeBlanc, whose lives were lost in the fire which on last Tuesday evening burned the Grand Union Hotel. Several witnesses were called to testify, and some interesting evidence in the matter was taken. Acting as the jury were the following:—R. T. Hayes, foreman; R. J. Walsh, F. S. Thomas, James Lewis, Edward Bates, W. H. White and W. A. Wetmore. It developed at the inquest that if the factory inspector were vested with more authority to act and compel the proprietors of hotels to see if it was possible to abide by the law much would be done to add to the general safety. Evidence was taken until after eleven o'clock, and the inquest was adjourned until Wednesday evening, March 11, at eight o'clock.

The first witness called was Harry McQuade, proprietor of the Grand Union Hotel. He said, "As far as I have known Albert Johnston was a boy of good habits. I did not know of his having been associated with anyone who were found to have been connected with the fire."

Fred L. Watters is clerk of the hotel. He has been in my employ for about fifteen years. I remember the night of the fire. I was in my house at Elliott Row, and the first intimation of the fire that I received was in a telephone message from the clerk. When I went to the hotel I met the clerk and asked him if they were all out. He said that the room was empty. If he was in his room. He said "no, they were not out," meaning the firemen.

I said "that is good." I went behind the desk to the safe. The Johnston boy generally got in about 11 or 11.30 o'clock. He generally came in by the ladies' entrance on Mill street. There is no body in charge upstairs to see who comes in or goes out. It would be possible for some one to come in unnoticed, but we try to prevent this from the office.

Tells of Hotel.
My hotel can accommodate seventy-five. I do not know the building inspector as to how the fire originated in the building. The factory inspector was in the hotel officially about a year and a half ago. At that time he inspected the rooms. I saw that the ropes were placed for escape. We have a rope in every room, except in those rooms into which the ladies' entrance on Mill street. There is no body in charge upstairs to see who comes in or goes out. It would be possible for some one to come in unnoticed, but we try to prevent this from the office.

Juryman White—"I understood from the evidence of Mr. Watters that his sole idea in going up stairs was to provide accommodation at the hotel whereby the safety of those occupying the rooms of the hotels would be assured. Inspector Kenney said that he then, would it not have occurred to you to go up the fire escape and try to save the lives in that way? Did that never occur to you in the excitement?"

A.—"No, it did not."
Juryman—"It seems to me that was the only chance there was of saving the lives in that way. It was not an idea what caused the fire?"

A.—"No."
"Did you know if the boy smoked cigarettes?"
A.—"No."
Harry B. Lockhart.
Harry B. Lockhart was next called as a witness. "I am a night porter at the Grand Union Hotel. My duties are to look after the guests, call them in the morning, and light fires. I am in charge from ten in the evening until ten in the morning. I was sitting in the office on the night of the fire. One of the guests with his grip and his clothes in his hand came running down stairs and told me there was a fire. I ran up stairs. Watters ran up after me. I thought the chef was upstairs. In my mind there was no chance of getting up the stairs and could not get any farther because of the smoke. I then went downstairs and went through one of the rooms. I had not been on the top floor of the hotel before the fire during that evening. I have no idea what caused the fire."

Charles F. Brown.
Charles F. Brown, district engineer of the fire department, was called to testify. He said: "The alarm for fire was received about a quarter of ten. My duties are to take charge of the men in the district under the chief. When I got to the fire there was one stretch of the hose out. It was over five minutes after the alarm was sounded that I got to the fire. The hose was then stretched up to the second story and I gave them a hand with it further up. Wallace McLeellan and a man named Johnston were with me handling the hose. I sent a man to give us water. I found afterwards that the water in the first plug was frozen and the hose had to be shifted to another plug. This caused delay of about five minutes."

Coroner Roberts—"Did you remark to anyone that had been known that the boy was in that room you could have got him out?"
Ans.—"I said that I could have rescued him a half hour before we did, but I did not say that we could have saved him."

"I heard talk of the boy and chef being in rooms upstairs but there was no one to tell us in which rooms they were. When we could not get up the stairs I asked if we could not get up any other way and Dennis Sullivan told us that that was the only way."

"If we had known just what room the boy was in we could have reached him a few minutes after the hose was playing on the fire."
First Plug Frozen.
"I have never yet found a plug frozen at a fire. I could offer no suggestion as to the possible origin of this fire unless by some person throwing a cigarette on the stairs. It was not a body."

"We knew that if there was anyone in that room at the head of the stairs he would be dead and it would be better to continue fighting the fire than to stop and search there for the body."
Coroner Roberts—"If someone had said to you when you came down for water that second time that your boy

was upstairs, what would you have done?"
Ans.—"I would try to get up. We tried to go upstairs but we could not. We tried to find out where he was and the only answer we could get was that he was upstairs in his room."

James Sterling.
James Sterling of No. 1 Salvage Corps, was called and said: "Our duty at fires is to save lives and furniture. Inside of three minutes I was at the scene of the fire and assisted the men in connecting the hose at the North street plug. We found the water there frozen."

Police Officers Testify.
Called to testify William A. Gibbs, police officer, said: "I was on York Point beat on last Tuesday night. It was 9.45 o'clock when the alarm was rung in. I was told that there was a boy in one of the rooms. Somebody told me he was on the top flat. I went with him to the first flat and met a Salvage Corps man, Jarvis Purdy. I told him of it, and he went up the stairs. I felt that the Salvage Corps men were looking after it and I returned to the street."

Detective Lucas said that he was met outside the hotel at the time of the fire by the mother of the Johnston boy, who told him that her boy was upstairs in bed. He asked her in what room and she thought that the woman told him room number twenty-five. Officer Lucas then went upstairs and told some of the firemen what the woman had said. They told him that they couldn't get up to the top floor and he felt confident that that was all that could be done.

John Kenney.
John Kenney, factory inspector, sworn, said that he was an appointee of the Provincial Government. He said "I am not given a list of places which I am to inspect other than what is contained in the written law. My duties are to see that there is at least one ladder that will reach from the lower to the top flats and that in each room there is a coil of rope not less than three-quarters of an inch thick. I was in the hotel officially about six months ago. I went into a few of the rooms to see that the ropes were all there."

Coroner Roberts—"Did you examine the fire escape at the Grand Union Hotel at the time of your visit six months ago?"
Ans.—"No. I inspected that two years ago."
Coroner Roberts—"Do you think that the fire escape as at present is a sane means of escape?"
Ans.—"I do."

Coroner Roberts—"Does the law require that a hammer of some sort be placed in the rooms in which the coils of rope are?"
Ans.—"No. I think that that would be a good suggestion for future cases and I think that something like that should be done."

Several suggestions were made by the factory inspector in the matter of providing accommodation at the hotel whereby the safety of those occupying the rooms of the hotels would be assured. Inspector Kenney said that he was not clothed with enough power to enable him to properly enforce the law with regard to the proper accommodations for escape from buildings. He thought that if he were given the power to suggest to the proprietors of hotels and factories that they make certain changes in their buildings and if he were in a position to compel the owners to carry out these suggestions to his satisfaction, he could work much more effectively and with greater satisfaction both to himself and to the general public. He thought that the Grand Union Hotel was as well equipped as regards means of escape as were other hotels of the city. The inquest here adjourned until next Wednesday evening.

Well, Anyway—
Sillicus—"I admit that I am lacking in imagination."
Cyrillus—"I don't believe it. The girl you are engaged to tells me you write beautiful love letters."

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Would Go Mad
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EASTERN CITIES SHOW A GOOD GAIN.

January Shows a Decrease Generally, Owing to Financial Depression—Good Year in 1914 Looked For.

Interesting information is conveyed in the comparative statement of the building permits in Canada for the years 1913 and 1912, as well as the returns for the month of January, 1913, and the same month in the present year.

It will be noticed by reference to the accompanying table that the financial stringency and industrial depression was felt in the west to a much greater extent than in the eastern provinces. Out of returns published for forty cities it will also be seen that St. John leads all others in the percentage of increase for 1913 over 1912.

CLOSING LETTER BY RANDOLPH'S

For the Year. (25 Eastern Cities.)

City	1913	1912
Toronto	\$2,038,624	\$2,941,761
Montreal	2,792,097	19,468,890
Hamilton	5,110,000	5,491,800
Ottawa	3,981,380	3,621,850
Port William	4,285,715	4,039,800
Mosonville	2,454,923	2,885,828
St. John	2,380,660	568,200
Westmount	2,009,544	1,824,369
Port Arthur	1,935,185	2,494,179
Quebec	1,929,781	933,002
Outremont	1,819,000	1,838,000
London	1,781,920	1,138,108
Windsor	1,148,975	983,063
Brantford	1,015,886	1,167,105
Hull	835,850	589,775
St. Catharines	759,478	813,895
Kitchener	686,474	645,774
Berlin	647,571	834,213
Peterboro	488,540	465,906
Preston	409,955	371,460
Guelph	378,335	388,494
Chatham	338,310	201,591
Stratford	334,085	439,496
Sydney	321,198	606,111
St. Thomas	154,471	39,846
Total	\$89,224,057	\$78,340,360

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

City	1913	1912
Winnipeg	\$18,621,650	\$20,532,750
Yancona	10,248,893	19,420,432
Edmonton	9,242,450	14,446,819
Calgary	8,619,153	20,394,220
Saskatoon	4,452,845	7,840,520
Moose Jaw	4,238,475	5,275,747
Victoria	1,037,992	8,208,155
Regina	4,018,350	8,047,309
Medicine Hat	3,851,572	2,836,219
Prince Albert	1,380,225	2,042,454
St. Boniface	1,036,840	1,251,512
New Westminster	958,975	1,634,518
South Vancouver	895,000	2,600,000
Lechbridge	594,454	1,253,250
Brandon	583,309	1,166,214
Total	\$72,703,663	\$116,886,175

LOOKS FOR IMPROVEMENT

Montreal, Mar. 2.—Mr. H. Gordon Strachan of Strachan & Co. said today on the iron dividend situation, "Even if the directors decided to pass the dividend, I believe that in view of the immensely valuable assets of the company in iron ore and coal, the price of the common stock would not be surprised if it showed some improvement."

N. Y. COTTON MARKET.

Month	High	Low	Close
Mar	12.25	11.90	12.05
Apr	11.80	11.50	11.65
May	11.50	11.20	11.35
June	11.20	10.90	11.05
July	10.90	10.60	10.75
Aug	10.60	10.30	10.45
Sept	10.30	10.00	10.15
Oct	10.00	9.70	9.85
Nov	9.70	9.40	9.55
Dec	9.40	9.10	9.25
Spot	13.05		

The New Brunswick Packing Company, Ltd.

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DIVIDENDS OF THE PAST TWO MONTHS

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Edmonton	9,242,450	14,446,819
Calgary	8,619,153	20,394,220
Saskatoon	4,452,845	7,840,520
Moose Jaw	4,238,475	5,275,747
Victoria	1,037,992	8,208,155
Regina	4,018,350	8,047,309
Medicine Hat	3,851,572	2,836,219
Prince Albert	1,380,225	2,042,454
St. Boniface	1,036,840	1,251,512
New Westminster	958,975	1,634,518
South Vancouver	895,000	2,600,000
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COUNCIL PASSES MOTION CHARGING POLICE CHIEF WITH BEING INEFFICIENT

Much Discussion at Yesterday's Session Regarding Proposed Paving By-Law.

Commissioner McLellan Introduces Formal Resolution Regarding Chief Clark, and it is Passed without Comment—Lancaster Land to be Sold by Tender.

The city council yesterday decided to make a charge of inefficiency against the chief of police, transacted routine business, and heard a delegation against the proposed paving act. A letter was received from R. Max McCarty, on behalf of the St. John River Hydro-Electric Company asking the city council to pass a resolution approving legislation sufficient to enable the company to proceed with the development of the power it controls at Meductic. According to the letter, carrying out of this project would enable St. John to obtain power at greatly reduced rates.

Wants More Information. Com. Agar thought the city should not take action, seeing that so little information was available. This company had been granted the right to dam the Meductic, but there had been a good deal of controversy in regard to the granting of this privilege. He was not opposed to the project but they should have more information. The mayor thought the city would be glad to have any company come in and give the people cheap power.

Com. McLellan thought the matter was worth looking into and moved the communication be laid on the table for further consideration. This was adopted. A communication was received from the Manchester Weekly Times, asking the city to advertise in its Canadian special edition. The communication was laid on the table.

The Chief's Case. Com. McLellan moved the following resolution: That W. Walker Clark, chief of police of the city of St. John, is inefficient in the discharge of his duties in his office; that by reason of such inefficiency the discipline of the force is relaxed; that that body is in a state of partial demoralization and the city does not receive adequate protection for the money which is expended for the purposes of the police department.

Com. Wigmore seconded this. Without discussion the motion was carried unanimously. The Finance Report. The commissioner of finance reports payments for February amounting to \$66,750, and recommends the payment of the following accounts: Treasury department, \$328,300; public works, \$388,587; public safety, \$502,366; harbor ferries and lands, \$1,487,899; water and sewerage, \$1,159,377.

A Hinted Damage Action. Mrs. George Whitsett, 345 City Road, wrote that she fell at the corner of Union and St. Patrick streets on February 21 and broke her arm. She asked the city to grant her compensation for injuries received, as the street was in a bad condition, or she would take legal action. The matter was referred to the commissioner of works and the recorder.

Tenders for renewing the wall on Acadia street were received as follows: Michael George, \$3,095.35; W. Roy Smith, \$3,344.90; A. R. C. Clarke, \$5,144.80. The lowest was accepted.

May Sell Lancaster Land. The Mayor said there was an unoccupied lot of land in Lancaster, bounded on the west by the Greenhead Road, on the south by Cedar street and on the north by the C. P. R. tracks. It was a side hill piece with a deep gully and an area of 4.6 acres. He had had proposals to purchase the land en bloc, and wanted advice. He thought it would be better to sell the block than to divide it in small lots. He moved that tenders be called for the purchase of the block, said tenders close on Saturday.

This motion was adopted on the understanding that the land will not be sold for speculative purposes.

An I. C. R. Request. In regard to the request that the I. C. R. be permitted to cross Sydney street to run a siding to the St. John Iron Works, the permission was granted, subject to repeal at 60 days notice.

The Proposed Paving Law. A delegation of citizens opposed to the proposed paving by-law was heard. B. L. Gerow, the spokesman, said they were opposed to the bill on the ground that the act adopted during the tenure of the old council gave the city authorities sufficient power. He said the proposed act would tend to increase rents and the cost of living. The old act provided that if owners of 51 per cent. of frontage applied for permanent paving the city could go ahead and charge up half the cost to abutters. If the city resolved to pave a street it required a petition representing 33 per cent. to stop it.

Citizens Opinions. G. Fred Fisher said they came before the council as a matter of courtesy. Com. Agar said it was the duty of the council to promote legislation for the improvement of the streets, but still they being public servants by public opinion. He thought the old act was not sufficiently clear, and the purpose of his bill was to settle any doubts in the city position. He said that the recorder's opinion was that even after 51 per cent. applied for pavement a counter petition signed by 33 per cent. could hold up the city.

The Recorder being called in confirmed this, saying that the absence of the word "or between the two clauses defining the conditions of promoting permanent paving made it impossible to give any other opinion, though he felt the intention of the old council was otherwise.

Wm. Thomas gave an illustration of how the act would affect him, showing it would increase his expenses considerably.

A. M. Rowan said the general impression was that all paving should be charged to general assessment except in the case of residential streets.

An Alternative Proposal. A letter was read from L. P. D. Tilley expressing his disapproval of the bill, and proposing an alternative plan. Mr. Tilley proposed that the city raise the assessment of improved streets to pay interest on long term bonds, it to provide a sinking fund to redeem the bonds.

Mr. Fisher—Has the common council power to order the assessors to raise valuation? The Mayor—I don't think so. But Mr. Tilley is a lawyer.

Com. Agar said there wasn't a council on the continent that did not have more power over its streets than the St. John council had. Under present conditions the commissioners were placed in the position of men granting favors instead of according rights.

Mr. Gerow said nobody questioned the sincerity of Com. Agar, but he did not think there was any clamorous demand for improved streets, and the proposed act would be a hardship on many poor people.

To Provide Majority Rule. Com. McLellan—If the council resolved to pave a street, and 33 per cent. objected, don't you think there should be some provision to give the majority a voice in the matter? Com. Agar said the new bill was intended to provide for majority rule in this matter.

Mr. Hamm said in the North End the people were opposed to paving either the streets or sidewalks, and charging half the cost to abutters. Com. McLellan wanted to know if they would object to the insertion of the word "or" in the old act.

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Com. Wigmore said it was not the disposition of the council to force the act upon the citizens. He thought the petition should have been sent to the council and not to the legislature. Personally he thought the old bill with a single amendment would be satisfactory.

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Cement Pfd., 3 @ 32, 16 @ 31.	
Illinois Pfd., 10 @ 92.	
Ames Com., 50 @ 15.	
C. P. R., 20 @ 210 3/4.	
Bell Phone, 135 @ 151.	
Twin City, 10 @ 106 1/2.	
Bank of Montreal, 2 @ 247 1/4.	
Textile Pfd., 10 @ 105 1/2.	
Dominion Steel, 5 @ 35 3/4.	
Iron Pfd., 10 @ 91.	
Montreal Power, 25 @ 228 1/4, 25 @ 228.	
Paint, 10 @ 60.	
Winnipeg, 5 @ 210.	
Montreal Cotton, 15 @ 59.	
Montreal Cotton Pfd., 66 @ 103.	
Steel Co. of Canada, 15 @ 112 1/2.	
Molson's Bank, 3 @ 200.	
Nova Scotia Steel, 25 @ 78 1/2.	
Shawinigan, 25 @ 140 1/2.	
Paint, 10 @ 60.	
Paint Pfd., 10 @ 102.	
Crown Reserve, 600 @ 182.	
Quebec Railway, 50 @ 15 1/2, 5 @ 16, 50 @ 16 7/8, 50 @ 16 3/4.	
Tookes, 25 @ 26.	
Marchants Bank, 1 @ 192 1/2.	
Rich and Ontario, 250 @ 107, 100 @ 106 3/4, 50 @ 106 7/8, 50 @ 106 3/4.	
8 @ 107, 40 @ 106 3/4, 102 @ 106 1/2, 80 @ 106 1/2.	
Brazilian, 45 @ 88, 50 @ 88 1/4, 75 @ 87 1/2.	
Ottawa Power, 80 @ 149 1/2, 5 @ 150.	
Ottawa Rights, 60 @ 11 1/4, 264 @ 12.	
Toronto Railway, 25 @ 142.	
Canners, 5 @ 65 1/2, 65 @ 68, 10 @ 68, 25 @ 67 7/8.	
Textile Bonds "B" 250 @ 100.	
Canada Cotton Bonds, 100 @ 81.	
Price Bros. Bonds, 40 @ 81.	
P. Lyall Bonds, 5,000 @ 88.	
Paint Bonds, 1,500 @ 100 1/2.	
Tram Debentures, 1,000 @ 82 1/2, 500 @ 82 3/4.	
Royal Bank of Canada, 1 @ 224 1/2.	
Banque d'Hochelaga, 164 @ 155.	

Montreal Unlisted Sales

Morning.	
C. P. R. Notes—100 at 103 1/2.	
Canada Light Bonds—\$1,000 at 71 1/2.	
Wyagamack—25 at 28.	
Wyagamack Bonds—\$1,500 at 76 1/2.	
Can Light Bonds—\$2,000 at 71.	
Crane—55 at 3.	
Tram Power—100 at 41 1/2.	
Porcupine—130 asked.	
Coke—3 to 4.	
Tram Power—41 1/2 at 41 1/2.	
Brick—51 1/2 asked.	
W. C. Power—40 bid.	
Wyagamack—28 bid.	
Wyagamack Bonds—75 to 77.	

Montreal Stocks

Morning.	
Canada Cement ... 31 1/2	31 1/2
Canada Cement Pfd. ... 91 1/4	91
Canadian Pacific ... 210 1/2	210
Crown Reserve ... 182	182
Detroit United ... 73	73
Dom. Steel ... 35 1/2	35
Dom. Steel Pfd. ... 92	90
Dom. Textile ... 85	84 1/2
Ills. Traction Pfd. ... 96	92
Laurentide ... 190 1/2	190
Minn. St. P. and Sault ... 132 1/2	132 1/2
Montreal Power ... 229	228
Steel of Canada ... 19	17 1/2
N. S. Steel ... 78 1/2	78
Ogilvie Com. ... 122 1/2	122 1/2
Ottawa Power ... 140	140
Panman's Com. ... 55	55
Quebec Railway ... 15 1/2	15 1/2
Richelieu and Ont. ... 106 1/2	106 1/2
Shawinigan ... 88 1/2	88 1/2
Shawinigan ... 141	141 1/2
Toronto Railway ... 142 1/2	142
Twin City ... 107 1/2	106

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ON SATURDAY OF THIS WEEK

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CHAPTER I.—As she stumbled forward and caught at his arm her huge plaited ropes of hair had fallen down.

ALL THE LATEST NEWS FROM THE ATHLETIC WORLD

FULLERTON'S AMATEUR CHAMPIONS

By Hugh Fullerton. Next October, while the champions of the world's championship two teams, representing the pick of the amateur baseball teams of North America, will struggle for the amateur championship.

The world's amateur championship series is to be played on the same dates of the professional championship, following an elimination series commencing in April that will give every first class amateur a chance to participate in the series.

Arrangements are now being made by which section by section the amateur clubs of America will decide their sectional champions; then during late July and August a series of inter-sectional battles will narrow down the field until finally two teams are left to compete for the highest honors and the cup.

That the amateur series will command almost as much interest as the professional is undoubtedly, and the amateur baseball season as arranged this year is expected to give an impetus to the game that it never before has known.

Arrangements are now being made to permit any team representing any city, county or section, to enter the gigantic tournament. The first step will be the creation of the National League of Amateur Clubs.

Modestly claiming credit for the idea I advance my plan for the nationwide amateur tournament. I propose first to divide North America into sections, approximating the number of amateur clubs.

The nation is to be divided into New England, the northern states east of Ohio, the southern states east of the Mississippi, the south central states, the northern and southern Pacific and mountain states, the central states east of the Mississippi and the central or plain states west of the Mississippi.

Amateur associations are to be formed in each district, and, in these districts amateur leagues are to be formed, each team to play all challenges to its own district.

Behind eligible to play upon notifying the district committee. On August 1 the champion amateur team of each section is to forward its record and claims, and the inter-sectional elimination battles will be scheduled.

The present plan is to divide the New England and North Atlantic states champions play each other, the north central and southern states champions meeting to decide the differences between the northern and southern central states meeting each other and the north and south Pacific and mountain states teams deciding their sectional battles at the same time.

The winning teams of these four tournaments will meet—east against the central, central against the west, west against the south, and the two teams reaching the semi-finals will meet again in October to decide the amateur championship of America.

The plan is to be submitted to the national baseball commission for their suggestions. The leaders of professional baseball are enthusiastic over the plan, believing that it will develop and reveal many skilled players who may be available for the major leagues, who otherwise might never be discovered.

Efforts also will be made to persuade college and university authorities all over America to permit the students to play ball with the amateurs during the summer and participate in the finals in case the teams to which they belong survive the elimination tests.

Complete details of the great amateur tourney are now being made, and within a short time headquarters will be established in Chicago which, on account of its central location, will be headquarters for the movement.

With the construction of the three yachts for America's cup defending honors will under way at Bristol, R. I.; Bath, Me., and Neponset, Mass., the owners and managers decided to gather in New York to discuss and probably arrange a racing schedule for the season.

Some of the yachtsmen want at least one series of trials over the regular cup course off Sandy Hook, preferably before the Shamrock IV arrives. The yachts are likely to be found in New London about June 19 for the Harvard and Yale boat race. The greater part of the racing will be on Long Island Sound and off Newport.

The Half Moon, the flag officer's boat, being built at the Herreshoff shops in Bristol, is 28 per cent completed, while the other two yachts are between 5 and 8 per cent along, with their lead keels just cooled off. The Half Moon is in frame, a number of her bronze plates have been bolted on and some of the longitudinal work has been started. Much her rigging is well in hand, while duck, specially woven, has arrived from Lowell and will soon be cut up into sails.

ST. JOHN TEAM WILL PLAY WITH HALIFAX

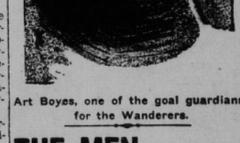
It has been four years since St. John hockey fans have had the pleasure of witnessing a Halifax hockey team on the local ice and arrangements have been made whereby a team representing all Halifax will come here to try conclusions with the speed boys of the local team. The St. John team are working well at the present time and their followers expect that when the players from the sister city cross sticks with them there will be a very fast exhibition of the best ice game.

GOLF CLUB ANNUAL MEETING

The St. John Golf Club held their annual meeting at the Golf Club house last evening and there was a good attendance. The report of the president and the other officers was read and received showing that the club had experienced a most successful year and that it was expected that there would be a large number of new members joining for the coming season.

The following are the officers chosen for the ensuing term: James U. Thomas, president; J. G. Harrison, vice-president; F. A. Peters, treasurer; J. T. Hart, secretary; Andrew Jack, F. W. Fraser, E. W. McCreedy, A. T. Skelton and Dr. J. M. Magee, managing committee.

It was announced that the members of the committee would arrange for the fixtures for the coming season at a later date.



THE MEN BEHIND THE "PUGS"

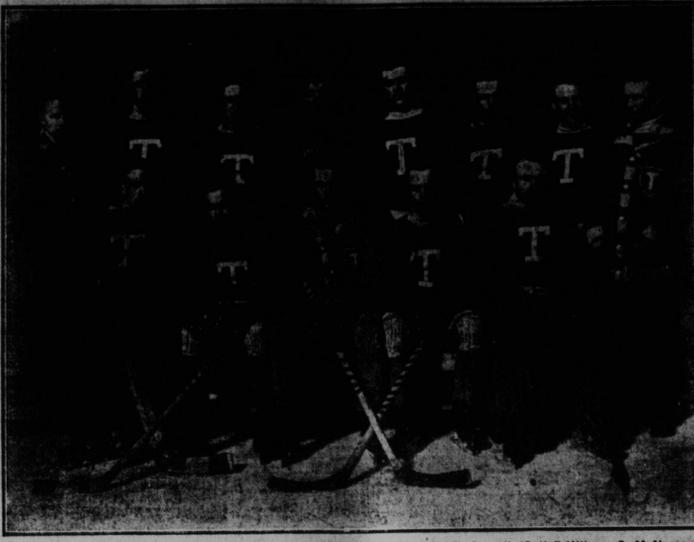
The newspapers are continually giving large space to the fighters in the limelight, but sometimes the men behind the limelight are interested as subjects of display. Take, for instance two men, Edward Gillice and Dominick Buckley, well known characters in the business end of the fighting game in the east.

Gillice is public and advertising manager of several of the prominent fighting clubs, including the Sharky Athletic Club, and at the same time writes articles on general topics for various magazines. Buckley is business manager of Gunboat Smith, the great heavyweight now looming to the fore as the leader of the white hopes, and he is one of the backers of the Sharky Athletic club. They are talking of Gunboat Smith with George Carpenter, the French champion who defeated Bombardier Wells.

At Neponset for A. S. Cochran, from designs by William Gardner, was run recently. It is reported that it contains a bronze shell for the center plate. As soon as the lead is smooth the work of attaching the bronze keel plate will begin. The shed in which the work is carried on is guarded day and night and only accredited workmen are permitted inside.

At Bath the Deffance, under construction for a syndicate of Boston, New York and Philadelphia yachtsmen from designs by George Owen, shows less progress than the Cochran yacht. Work on her masts and rigging is going ahead rapidly. One hollow stick a hundred feet in length is nearly completed at a yard in East Boston, while duck for her sails is being woven at Lawrence. As the Deffance is to be of composite construction, with an outer skin of mahogany, it is planned to tie her firmly together with frames and bolts of unusual size and strength. This boat will be launched probably by May 15, and after a few preliminary spins off Seguin Island, at the mouth of the Kennebec, will be taken to Marblehead, Mass., where E. Walter Clark of Philadelphia, treasurer of the syndicate, has a summer residence.

THE TORONTO HOCKEY TEAM



Toronto hockey team—The men are from left to right: standing, F. Carroll, "Cully" Wilson, G. McNamara, Jack Marshall, McGiffin, Con. Corbeau, Dick Carroll (trainer); sitting, Holmes, Cameron, Davidson, Foyston, Claude Wilson.

EUROPEAN COUNTRIES ADOPT AMERICAN TRAINING METHODS CAN'T GO TO ENGLAND

New York, Mar. 1.—France is beginning to look upon sports as a real asset to the nation which should be placed on the highest possible plane. The question of creating a minister of sports is being discussed. This would mean the establishment of a government department devoted to the idea, and those only lukewarm on the proposition are at least in favor of the nomination of an under secretary of sports. In case the department in this country would be France.

He saw an increasing interest in sports in that country, predicted that the American athletes might not have a walkway in the next Olympic games, and, we suppose, chuckled inwardly at finding a new sales field for sporting goods.

But, laying Spalding's business aside, there is no doubt that Europe is beginning to take more interest in sports. Kraenzlein, the great Pennsylvanian hurdler, is shaping the Germans for the Olympic games, and though England is reluctant to admit it, American methods are going to be seen cropping out in that country.

Consideration of a plan to appoint a minister of sports in France suggests whether America needs such an official. Well, hardly. There is no doubt but that France needs a driving power behind her sporting interests and recognition by the government sport was being built up and was growing they sufficed but as the game is now broadening, so should the committee governing the sports. For instance, the participation of ball players in "summer baseball" is coming just as certain as is July 1st.

That question has been batted back and forth in a dozen different ways and discussed from every angle. It has been harped on for some time without showing any great effect, but college players are going to be at it before many more seasons and the rule will simply have to be amended so that their amateur standing will not be impaired if they play summer baseball.

The value of sports is more and more being recognized not only for its physical development of the rising generation but for the value it is serving as an exhaust valve for the excessive steam of those wound up in the everyday battles.

Baseball is probably the best example of this. Uncle Sam's devotion to the baseball game has kept his brain clear and jogged up his sense of humor with dashes of pop, peanuts, froth and enthusiasm for ball parks. No matter how bitter the feeling between capital and labor, Democrats, Republicans and Bull Moozers, time can be taken out to go to a ball game, where everybody meets on an equal level, where for a couple of hours everyone's interest is the same. They may root for different teams, but for two hours the only thing that counts is hitting, fielding and base running.

When the world's series rolls around that part of the country that can't jam itself into the parks of its two contending teams glues its eye to scoreboards and spends its pennies buying baseball extras. The suffrage tariff, income tax, currency law or any other weighty question has to get up early in the morning to arouse as much discussion as a world's series, claimed the middleweight title in the croqueting of this country. Our esteemed Uncle is not greatly in danger of taking himself too seriously and going to the bow-wow.

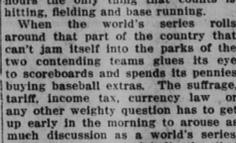
Fun at Boxing Shows. The yells of the gallery gods at the boxing shows afford almost as much fun as the fights, and sometimes a lot more. Once in a while some wag pulls a good one that overshadows the fight. At one of the recent fights here the announcer, in making his usual spiel, let it be known that Bombardier Wells had knocked out some one in Cardiff, Wales.

"How many less did the man have, one or two?" cried the man from the second section, in a loud voice. During another fight recently, one of the boys was taking a terrible beating. He was covering up and backing away while his opponent was rocking him with rights and lefts. When everyone was quiet and the crowd was waiting breathless for the finishing touch, someone yelled: "Open the door, the boy's going out!"

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LOCAL BOWLING YESTERDAY

Victoria Alleys. On the Victoria alleys last night in the five men league team No. 1 won three points from team No. 3. The individual score follows:

Table with columns for Team No. 1, Team No. 2, Team No. 3, and Team No. 4, listing names and scores.

On Black's Alleys. Last night on Black's Alleys in the Commercial League, the T. McAvity & Sons team played a double header, capturing four points from M. R. A. Ltd. team, and four points from the Ames Holden Co. team. The individual score follows:

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THE ROLL OFF
M. Garvin won the weekly roll-off with a score of 99.
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Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 21.—By a rearrangement of the provincial cabinet, that rumor says will take place this year, the Maritime Provinces will probably secure a prominent position among the Ministers of the Crown.

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The election of officers of the Conservative Association of the various districts of the province has brought many other Maritime Provinces people into prominence.

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THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Strong winds and gales, especially to north, with rain and snow.

Toronto, Mar. 3.—The disturbance mentioned last night is now centered south of Yorkmouth, but has not retained its great energy, although gales have continued from Ontario eastwards. Mild weather prevails throughout the western provinces.

Temperatures.

Min.	Max.
Atlin	0 18
Prince Rupert	40 44
Victoria	42 48
Vancouver	38 49
Kamloops	34 46
Edmonton	28 40
Battleford	30 40
Prince Albert	24 36
Calgary	32 40
Medicine Hat	34 42
Moos Jaw	25 39
Winnipeg	3 28
Fort Arthur	10 22
London	8 21
Toronto	4 23
Ottawa	3 30
Montreal	24 34
Quebec	32 36

—Below zero.

AROUND THE CITY

Faith in St. John.
Capitalists evidently have large faith in the possibilities of St. John and New Brunswick. J. H. Doody, who has just returned from the West Indies received a letter from a capitalist in Toronto worth several millions, stating he was coming to St. John, with a view to making investments.

Wants to Enjoy Life.
A letter was received by the Board of Trade yesterday from a man in the west who has made considerable money, saying that he was anxious to settle in a country where he could enjoy life and asking for information about conditions in New Brunswick. The westerner asked many questions about various things from the price of hops to the annual rain fall.

Case Settled.
In the police court yesterday afternoon the case of William Griffith, who claimed a patent screw driver purchased from Harry Gilbert, the Dock street merchant, by L. S. Thorne, was his, was tried. After considerable argument the matter was peaceably adjusted, Watson taking the screw driver and Gilbert paying Thorne the money which the latter paid for it.

Continued Bad Weather.
Yesterday's heavy rainfall not only caused a great deal of discomfort to citizens but through melting the snow caused water to run into the telephone cable conduits breaking down the insulation. About two hundred telephones, mostly in the vicinity of Dock street, were affected by the break. Several of the telephones at the head of Kings street were also out of commission. The telephone company expects to have all in shape by noon today. A heavy wind also prevailed and at times reached the velocity of forty-eight miles an hour. At an early hour this morning rain was falling accompanied by a high wind. The indications are for continued bad weather.

LETTER FROM W. A. McVAY

St. John, Mar. 2.
Sir,—For the benefit of my friends and the public in general, and in justice to myself, I wish to state the facts of the case which resulted in my being illegally arrested.

On Wednesday afternoon I sent for Engineer Springer to come over on the east side and lay out a portion of the rock excavation which he wishes to extend farther back into the cliff. Excavation had already been made there along the line, but previously laid down by the engineer, but notwithstanding this, I told them to mark out the desired excavation and I could start work at once. I was not asking anything unusual or extraordinary, as it is part of the engineer's duty to mark or stake out all portions of the work. The engineer refused to lay out the work, and after some little discussion, he said he would be done if he would lay out the work. He then started toward the highway, and as he was going out the gate I called out after him to go if he wanted to and I would get someone else to lay out the work.

A few minutes later he returned with Caretaker Shanks and gave me in charge. Shanks stepped up to me and asked Springer if he gave me in charge. I told him to keep his hands off me and they called Policeman Garnet to assist. I then ordered them to take Springer too which they refused to do. I was for a minute in doubt as to what to do, but went to the police station. When I made a deposit to appear the next day the police magistrate, after hearing the case, reserved judgment until Saturday.

This is without a doubt the most disgraceful and unprincipled act ever recorded against a government engineer and is a fair sample of what we have been up against all season. We can put up with it no longer and will demand immediate satisfaction in more ways than one. It is my intention to place the whole matter before the proper authorities.

W. A. McVAY.

WEDDINGS.

Cook-Ganong.
A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Smith, Mountain Dale, Tuesday, February 17, at four o'clock, when her daughter Sophia M. Ganong was united in marriage to J. Edgar Cook of Grand Harbor, Grand Manan, N. B.

The bride, who was unattended, looked charming in a dress of ivory tulle with lace trimmings. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Rowley in the presence of immediate friends and relatives.

The happy couple received many delicious and useful presents shown in the high esteem in which they are held. Immediately after the ceremony a dainty supper was served and Mr. and Mrs. Cook left for their home in Grand Manan followed by all good wishes of their many friends.

Proposed Paving Bill Withdrawn by Council

Commissioners Take Action after Receiving Delegation with Petitions Signed by 3000 Tax Payers, Protesting Against Bill—Com. Agar's Statement.

The paving bill which has aroused so much opposition was withdrawn yesterday after the city commissioners had heard a delegation of protestants, supported by petitions signed by 3,000 citizens.

Com. Agar proposed the following resolution: "Whereas representations have been made to the common council by citizens in person and by petitions signed by over 3,000 ratepayers that an act respecting the paving of streets should not be forwarded to the legislature, and whereas members of the legislature representing the city have expressed themselves as being opposed to the bill,

"Resolved that such bill be withdrawn."

This motion was adopted, without dissent.

Com. Agar's Statement.
Although he withdrew the bill in deference to popular opinion, Com. Agar made it plain that he still believed in the principle of the bill and was satisfied that the opinion of the bill would be in the best interests of the city. He made the following statement:

"It is with profound regret that I move this afternoon the withdrawal of the paving bill which has been before the council for consideration and approval for the last six weeks. I had hoped that the bill which was the outcome of a year's investigation and consideration would have received sufficient encouragement and support to insure its passage through the legislature.

"It appears enough opposition has developed among those who believe the bill would conflict with their own interests, fostered by those who wish to find material to injure the council in the estimation of the public. I regret that many who would have directly benefited by the adoption of the bill have signed the protest. While the bill has been left an open book it is quite evident that many who have opposed it, have not familiarized themselves with its contents, provisions, and equities. I have no hesitation in saying that it would be in the public interest and I only withdraw it in deference to the objection of citizens, not from any conviction that its provisions were improper."

TO ASK INFORMATION ABOUT THE GUTELIUS AGREEMENT

Board of Trade so Decides at Meeting Last Evening—Review of Work Done—Requests from other Boards of Trade—Reports on Conditions in West Indies.

There was a slim attendance at the meeting of the Board of Trade last evening. It was decided to press for information about the results of the Gutelius agreement with the C. P. R. and to urge the government not to renew it. Several other matters were discussed, but little of a definite nature was done.

The acting secretary read a summary of the proceedings at the council meetings, dealing with the interview with Norton Griffith, the enlargement of the dock, the South Shore steamship service, the extension of immigration work in Great Britain, summer sailings from St. John, etc. The summary was adopted without discussion.

F. DeL. Clements reported on behalf of the committee of trade and commerce appointed to deal with W. Frank Hatheway's complaints about the difficulty of getting Scotch coal. So far the committee had been unable to get any definite evidence about the cost of coal at the mines or the expense of carrying it here. He could only report progress.

As regards the duty on flour, he said that was a big national question, and that the evidence presented was not sufficient to warrant action by the committee. However, they would hold other meetings.

ROUTINE BUSINESS

The Edmonton Ad. Club sent in a letter, asking the co-operation of the board in its efforts to secure an amendment to the criminal code designed to prevent fraudulent advertising. It was referred to the legislative committee with power to act.

The Winnipeg Board of Trade requested the St. John Board of Trade to join in a protest against any extra charges being made on articles sent to the examining warehouse of the custom house.

A. A. Wetmore—There is no extra charge here.

It was decided to inform the Winnipeg board that no extra charges were made here by the customs.

GUTELIUS AGREEMENT

In reply to G. Fred. Fisher, the

SPEED ARTIST NOW IN JAIL

John Hines had Exciting and Adventurous Day—Travelled Thirty-five Miles for Liquor.

John Hines, a farmer who hails from a place fifteen miles outside of Hampton, had the most exciting and adventurous day of his career yesterday when he established a record for speed, walking fifteen miles, riding twenty miles on a train, drinking one glass of beer on an empty stomach, buying an imperial quart of rum and toasting it, being arrested by Officer Scott Smith for drunkenness, appearing before the magistrate and being fined \$8 or two months in jail all in the space of twelve hours. In fact Hines had an hour to spare. When the general belief in the court yesterday that that was going some.

It seems that Hines woke up at four o'clock yesterday morning possessed of a most terrible thirst. Quietly slipping out of bed he walked to Hampton station, a distance of fifteen miles. He arrived in St. John on the early train and then things began to happen.

In court yesterday Hines unfolded the tale. He first announced he wasn't going to court. When fined he offered the magistrate \$5 and later \$7. The magistrate viewed this with disfavor and ordered the speed artist to

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Marr have returned from a trip to Europe. They landed at Halifax from the steamer Empress of Ireland and arrived here Sunday by special train.

Judge Landry was a passenger on the outgoing Montreal train last evening.

George W. Fowler, M. P., passed through St. John yesterday on his way to Ottawa.

J. E. Jones, M. L. A.; H. B. Dickson, M. L. A., and Dr. Price, M. L. A., returned to Fredericton yesterday.

PARISH HOTEL, KING SQUARE.

Tomorrow night at the Queens Hotel the All-Halifax team will play a game with the St. John team and last hockey may be expected.

THE PRINCE WILLIAM HOTEL.

Until he recovered from the effects of the glass of beer, the fate of the imperial quart is not known.

Early Suburban will Run this Morning as Before—Other Arrangements Give Good Service.

Commencing this morning the suburban residents will be brought to the city on the early morning suburban as formerly, while the evening service will also be as before. It was announced last evening that as soon as the time tables were printed the Halifax express leaving here at 11:30 would always be held for the incoming Boston train when that train is late, in which case a special train will take the suburbanites to their country homes. When the incoming Boston train is on time the suburbanites will go out on the Halifax express leaving here at 11:30 and making the suburban stops.

The Service.

From Hampton:—
6:38 a. m., night express from Halifax, making suburban stops when flagged.
6:45 a. m., regular suburban train, replaces combination freight and passenger.
7:55 a. m., regular Sussex express making all suburban stops.
9:55 a. m., Maritime express.
1:40 p. m., suburban train, making all suburban stops.
4:56 p. m., C. P. R. express will stop at Rothesay every afternoon and on Saturday afternoons at every station between Hampton and St. John if flagged.
8:30 p. m., day express from Halifax making all stops.
From St. John:—
7:10 a. m., suburban train.
10:15 p. m., suburban train.
12:40 C. P. R. express.
6:15 p. m., Sussex express making all stops.
6:15 p. m., Quebec express leaves 20 minutes earlier and will make all stops.
11:30 p. m., night express to Halifax. If incoming Boston train is more than a few minutes late, a special suburban train will go out at 11:30 while the express waits to make connections.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Annie Duplisa, wife of Lewis Duplisa of Hoyt Station, Sunbury county, N. B., passed away February 19 in the sixty-fifth year of her age. Mrs. Duplisa had been in failing health for some time, yet the end came very unexpectedly. She leaves to mourn her loss a sorrowing husband, four sons and three daughters, besides three brothers and two sisters. Her funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. A. Bell Sunday, February 22 in the United Baptist church of Patterson Settlement of which the deceased was a member.

Little Children Die

Universal sympathy goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coleman of 128 Bridge street, where two of their children died on Saturday, the one of spinal meningitis, and the other of typhoid fever. Their little babe, Ethel, aged eighteen months, died at four a. m. Saturday and the little daughter, Mildred Grace, aged five years, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman have two other children, a son, Charles Beverly, and a daughter, Edith. The family have been sorely afflicted for some time, which makes sympathy for them the more intense. The double funeral took place at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. J. D. Wetmore.

Charles B. Colwell, Sr.

Charles B. Colwell, Sr., entered into his eternal rest at six o'clock yesterday morning at Jemseg. He was in his 81st year and leaves six sons—Capt. Chasman G. C. Bingley and Captain James A. of Jemseg, and George W., Merritt E., and L. A. Wilmet Colwell of St. John; also two daughters—Mrs. Adama Purdy of Upper James and Mrs. F. S. Purvis of St. John. There also are thirty-four grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

The funeral will be held at two o'clock on Wednesday from the home of his son, C. Bingley Colwell, where he has been cared for since the burning of the home of his son, C. G. Colwell, three weeks ago.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of Mrs. Annie Crock took place at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning from her late residence, 8 Brussels street, to the Catholic, where Requiem Mass was celebrated by the Rev. William Duke at 10 o'clock. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

Charles Travis

Newcastle, Mar. 2.—The funeral of the late Charles Travis was held Sunday morning. Rev. Dr. Harrison conducted services at the house in Newcastle and at the grave in Whitbyville Baptist cemetery. The pallbearers were Masters Wilbur Howe, Tommie Copp, Wm. Gabriel, Harry Cassidy, John Gough and Victor Moody.

Mrs. Chesley Doucet

Newcastle, Mar. 2.—The funeral of late Mrs. Chesley Doucet of Derby Junction, took place on Saturday afternoon, interment in Lower Derby Baptist cemetery. Rev. W. E. Piper of Whitbyville conducting services. Deceased was a native of Albert county and almost forty years old. She was an honored member Lower Derby Baptist church. Her husband and six children survive. Deceased died suddenly on Thursday when she was considered about cured of a two weeks' attack of pneumonia.

Tonight.

John Merritts Driver will lecture in Zion Methodist church tonight. Admission, 20c. The Sons of England Band will be in attendance also.

HALIFAX VS. ST. JOHN.

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