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LAKE SUPERIOR FREEZING OVER?

Something Unknown In The Memory Of White Man

LITTLE OPEN WATER NOW

Great Ice Field Encountered Off Cape Race by French Steamship - Boat With Twelve Aboard Lost in River Among Ice Floes

(Canadian Press) Duluth, Jan. 29.—Lake Superior is believed to be freezing over its entire area. It is the first time in the memory of the white man. The ice field is now so great, that open water can be seen from only a few points on either shore. With February and its fumes as an accompaniment, the lake is in a most making mood on Superior, there is a great reason for believing the entire surface will become solid.

New York, Jan. 29.—A field of ice, that covered the ocean like a carpet, was encountered off Cape Race, Nfld., by the steamship Hochstetler, which came in today from Havre. The line steamed for several hours through the heavy ice field.

Close watch is being kept for the missing party at Whitefish and Columbus, Ky., where the boat is expected to land if it is not lost.

FRENCH DIPLOMATS ARE HAULED OVER THE GOALS

Paris, Jan. 29.—The clumsy handling of the contraband troubles with Italy is likely to have consequences in the diplomatic corps. M. Camille Barrère, the French minister to London, is expected to be replaced at an interval, and premier Poincaré has asked M. Pichon, ex-foreign minister, to succeed him.

CANADA AND AUSTRALIA

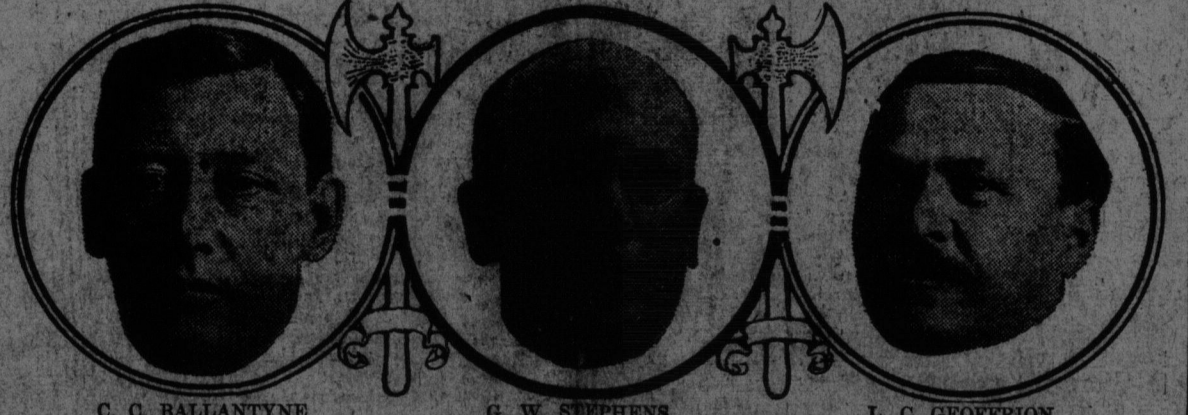
The Matter of Reciprocal Trade Agreement Not Definitely Presented Melbourne, Jan. 29.—The Australian prime minister, Andrew Fisher, has received no official intimation of the proposals for a reciprocal trade agreement between Australia and Canada, which the Canadian minister of trade, Hon. Geo. E. Foster, is said to have made.

WEATHER BULLETIN

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

Table with weather data for various locations including Toronto, Montreal, and St. John's, listing temperature, wind, and precipitation.

QUEBEC CONSERVATIVE M.P.'S DEMAND THAT THESE MEN BE DISMISSED



These are the members of the Montreal bar who have been named by the Quebec Conservative M.P.s with the approval of Hon. Mr. Monk, as having practically gone on strike and declared that Borden must dismiss them. There is now talk of a compromise—Bailantyne and Geoffrion to be dismissed and Stephens retained.

BENEFIT OF PRISON WORK TO FAMILIES

Western Plan to Make Felon's Earnings Help Wife and Children - Clearing of Logged Off Lands

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 29.—John H. Wallace, a member of the state industrial insurance commission of Washington, announced at the annual convention of the State Federation of Labor in Spokane that a concerted effort will be made at the next session of the legislature to pass a law designed to protect the families of men sentenced to the penitentiary.

MONTREAL FIRE SERIOUS

Loss of \$200,000 and a Hard Fight For Firemen - Newark Suffers From Half Million Blaze

Montreal, Jan. 29.—Amid steam and smoke, which prevented the ice coasted firemen from seeing their next mate, fire here this morning raged the fiercest since the fire at the Quebec Hotel. The fire broke out in the morning at the corner of the Boulevard de la Grande Allée and the Rue de la Montagne, in a building owned by the Quebec Hotel Co. and the National Printing Co.

BOY SET FIRE IN BOARDING SCHOOL

Kearney, Que., Jan. 29.—With a loss estimated at \$100,000, the fire in the boarding school at Kearney, Que., was extinguished early this morning.

DEAD IN BASEMENT OF COMMERCE BANK

Winchester, N. S., Messenger Succumbed to Heart Trouble

Fredericton, N. S., Jan. 29.—(Special)—Frank Chabert, caretaker and messenger of the Commerce Bank of Commerce went to his duties this morning at six o'clock and returning home, search was made and he was found dead in the basement of the bank.

THE POTATO MARKET

The potato market has gained in strength during the last few days, and now locally a solid \$2.50 a barrel is being asked.

INDEX TO TODAY'S TIMES

Table listing various news items and their corresponding page numbers, such as 'Bearing wife drum in Germany' on page one.

ONE WAS 103 AND ONE 102

(Canadian Press) Montreal, Jan. 29.—One of the oldest men in the province of Quebec, has passed away in the person of John McLean, of Grenville, Argenteuil county, who, having come into the world in Inverness, Scotland on April 11, 1806, was within a few months of 107.

BEATING THE WAR

PROGRAM IN GERMANY

SIX GOVERNORS ARE WORKING FOR COLONEL

Stubbs of Kansas, as Spokesman, Says they are Hopeful of Nominating Roosevelt

(Canadian Press) New York, Jan. 29.—Six republican governors are enrolled in a self-appointed committee to advocate the nomination of Colonel Roosevelt for the presidency, according to Governor Walter R. Stubbs, of Kansas, who is now in New York.

WAR PARTY CALL ON KAISER TO DO BATTLE

Report From London Quotes Sir Edward Grey as Proclaiming Policy of Peace and Non-Interference in Central Asia Questions

(Canadian Press) New York, Jan. 29.—In a special from Berlin, the New York American, this morning, quotes Die Post, the organ of the German war party, as urging the emperor to end the fatherland's enervating policy of peace and non-interference in Central Asia.

SERIOUS LABOR RIOTS IN LAWRENCE TODAY

Attempt to Prevent Operatives Going to Work Was in Many Cases Successful

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 29.—Serious rioting occurred today, when a crowd of strikers attempted to prevent operatives from entering the various textile mills to resume work.

COLONEL SAN WANTS YOUTHS TO BE SOLDIERS

Minister of Militia Urges Home Training Begun in Childhood

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—Speaking at the 25th annual dinner of the 37th regiment, Hon. Sam Hughes devoted the major portion of his address to his plan for preparing the young.

HON. MR. PEARSON IS CRITICALLY ILL

Today Has Seen No Change in His Condition

Halifax, Jan. 29.—(Special)—B. F. Pearson's condition has been unchanged since this morning. He is very critically ill.

FREDERICTON DELEGATES ARE HOME FROM OTTAWA

Mike Murphy Signs With Capital Hockey Team - The Proposed Experimental Farm

HALIFAX SOCIALS HAVE SUSPENDED THREE OF THE TEAM

Halifax, Jan. 29.—(Special)—The Socials have suspended Mike Murphy, Murphy, and Laing for infringing training, Murphy left for Fredericton last night. They have signed Jimmy Murphy of New Glasgow, and Jimmy Mallen, of Morrisburg, Ont.

NEW BRUCE COMING

The new steamer Bruce, for the Reid Newfoundland Company, will sail from Greenock, Scotland, on January 29, and is expected to arrive at St. John's about February 5. She will immediately begin her North Sydney-Port aux Basques service.

WHO ARE THESE CHAPS?

An exchange informs us that the citizens of Queens county will tender a banquet at Sagtown to Hon. D. Hogan, H. W. Woodson and A. B. Gligg.

CHAMBERLAIN AND THE TARIFF REFORM MATTER

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A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR

Professor W. F. Harris, formerly of Harvard, arrived in the city at noon, and this evening will address the Archaeological Society on "The Greek Theatre and Greek Plays." Professor Harris is a former maritime voyageur. His parents were United Empire Loyalists, who came to Wolfville in the turbulent days and built a home for themselves rather than join the revolt against the crown.

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CLEAN-UP SALE OF Winter Overcoats

A few dozens remain after the last few weeks' sales—some in nearly every size, including large sizes.

The Greatest Bargain ever Offered Here in Winter Overcoats

PLEASE NOTE also that these are the best class of Ready-Tailored Overcoats, regular prices of which are:

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We Offer Any Part of 1000 Shares Trinidad Electric Stock

Dividends 5 p. c. Quarterly \$4.00 Per Share

Price 77 To Yield 6.66 p. c.

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WOLTER DIES TODAY FOR THE MURDER OF RUTH WHEELER

Oswington, N. Y., Jan. 29.—Albert Wolter was put to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison at 5:41 o'clock for the murder of fifteen-year-old Ruth Wheeler nearly two years ago.

The state electrician said that Wolter showed less resistance to the electric current than any murderer put to death by electricity at Sing Sing prison.

Quebec, Jan. 29.—Hon. Mr. Devlin, minister of colonization, is ill, threatened with typhoid fever. He has not been well since the beginning of the session.

NAUGHTY BOY OF ALL THE ARTS

Max Beerbohm's Latest Cartoons Poke Fun at Spelling Reform

LORD NORTHLIFFE IS HIT

(Times Special Correspondence) London, Jan. 29.—Max Beerbohm has been at it again, with his cartoons at the New English Art Club. It must be understood that, whenever "Max," as he is always called, chooses to put forth a series of cartoons, the occasion is looked upon as something of an event in the English art world.

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Lord Northcliffe is hit off in a cartoon in which the cartoonist depicts him as a man in a top hat and a long coat, looking at a list of names.

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MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S TRYING EXPERIENCE

Geo. Chamberlain, baker at the Hygienic Bakery, in company with a fellow workman and another man, started on Saturday last to the month of Drury's Cove on the Kennebec river to fish.

Chamberlain was the only one of the three who was not killed. He was found by the other two men, who were still unconscious, and he was taken to the hospital.

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"NEW BRUNSWICK'S GREATEST DEPARTMENTAL DRUG STORE" The Place To Meet Your Friends---At Wasson's Soda Fountain

Our soda dispensing plant is the counter style, the new, rapid way to serve without turning away from the customer—and from glistening white porcelain tanks through German silver tubes, we draw the most delicious drinks you ever tasted.

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Just opened a splendid lot of "Light weight" Mill-Ends, of Factory Cotton. Just the goods for Quilt Linings, 36 to 38 inches wide, for about 6c yard.

LOCAL NEWS

Band at Carleton Blk tonight. 8:05-1:30. Feed your stock Steen Bros' celebrated...

For removal of sales. Phone 2281-3. D. St. John, 229 Duke street. 794-7.

A boarding school for children; also day school for the same. 809-5.

Children, get ready for the carnival next Saturday afternoon at the Y. Y. prizes to be given away in gold.

Leap year band night tonight at the "Vic" band in twelve numbers. See the "Vic" ad on page 7.

Men's 20c caps, 57c; men's 50c leather mitts, 37c; men's 50c gloves, 26c; women's 25c Union suits.

The Halifax Recorder says that during December last the municipal treasurer paid bonuses for thirty-nine wild cats and one bear.

COMING HERE The Shelburne Gazette says—Charles Bruce, son of mayor Bruce, has received an appointment in the public works department in St. John.

BUSINESS CHANGE The strongly accepted by Charles K. Cameron in King street has been leased by Frank Skinner who will open a retail millinery store there in a few weeks.

Triple Alliance Evangelical meetings every eighth night, except Saturday, in Waterloo street, U. B. church; churches participating, Brussels street, Elmwood street and Waterloo street.

MRS. FREDERICK GRAHAM The death of Mrs. Frederick Graham occurred at St. John on January 24, after an illness of only four days.

CENTENARY RECITAL A successful organ recital and concert was held on Saturday afternoon at four o'clock in the school room at the Y. Y.

GOES TO OTTAWA Alfred Porter of West, Thomson & Co., left for Ottawa on Monday to join a delegation from the shipping federation to go to Ottawa to interview the government.

NORTH, SOUTH, EAST AND WEST They come from all quarters—Indian town, Lower Cove, Crowsville, East St. John and Carleton, in the cars, in 2 1/2 automobiles as well as on their feet.

DID JONAH SWALLOW A WHALE? OR DID A WHALE SWALLOW JONAH? Any day there are more profitable themes for discussion than this? Five day subjects such as the value of a dollar and five cents which just at present will force three pairs of Ladies' Rubbers at Steel's shoe store, 519 Main street.

LEAP YEAR NIGHT TONIGHT Our store will be closed at 7 p. m. but before that you will have lots of time to buy anything you want. The many snags offered in Rubbers at Steel's shoe store.

ANOTHER RESIGNATION One by one the people are learning they must give up trying to get better values than their shoe store gives. Think of it, ladies, Plain or Storm Rubbers thirty-five cents, but only four pairs for a customer.

DO NOT BE LATE Many people were late looking for the men's overcoats we were selling. See you do not make this mistake about the new C. P. R. freight office on Mill street.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

Vienne, Jan. 27.—His physician reports that the condition of Count von Aehrenthal, the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, is hopeless.

London, Jan. 27.—The Equal Franchise League is the name of a new body of women fighting for "votes for women."

London, Jan. 29.—The secretary of the National Rifle Association informed the Canadian Associated Press that he had not yet received the reported prohibition of the Ross rifle at the coming Biely meeting.

PERSONALS James Johnston, formerly of Loch Lomond, is home from the west on a visit.

Rev. Martin Maloney, C. S. R., returned on Saturday from London, where he had attended the funeral of Rev. Father Lucking, formerly provincial of the Benedictine order.

Rev. J. W. Logan, M. P. P., came to the city from Fredericton today.

J. W. Jennings, president of the Fredericton Board of Trade, returned in the city on Saturday.

Miss Faith Hayward arrived at noon today from Fredericton, where she had been on a visit to her sister, Mrs. A. B. Slipp.

J. W. McCready of Fredericton arrived in the city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Napp left on Saturday night on a trip to Boston, New York, and Montreal.

DEATHS WILSON.—In this city on the 27th inst. Samuel D. Wilson, leaving one sister, five sons and two daughters to mourn.

GRAHAM.—At St. John, on Jan. 24, Mrs. Frederick Graham, leaving three sons, one daughter, one sister and two grandchildren to mourn their loss.

TURNER.—On the 28th inst. Ida Gertrude, wife of J. Allan Turner, leaving a husband and two daughters to mourn their loss.

EVERETT.—On Sunday the 28th inst. Charles S. Everett, in the 43rd year of his age.

FUNERAL.—On Tuesday afternoon from the residence of his brother-in-law, Donaldson Hunt, 209 Charlotte street; service at 2:30 o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM In loving remembrance of Robert McKee who departed this life Jan. 28th, 1910. (Resident of Lorneville).

WIFE AND FAMILY In loving remembrance of our dear wife, Mrs. J. E. Pender, 232 Brittain street.

HOUSEHOLD BUG-KILLER.—Eureka Cyanide Bug-Killer, guaranteed to kill all kinds of bugs 1/2 pint can with sprayer. 25c.—Caldwell Bros., 41-63 Peters street.

WANTED.—On or before the 1st of May, a small comfortable flat in good locality, for light housekeeping. No children. Apply J. H. Poole & Son, 22 Nelson street, 862-5.

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Table with columns: Stock Name, Bid, Asked, Change. Includes Amalgamated Copper, Am Best Sugar, Am Cotton Oil, etc.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Table with columns: Commodity, Price. Includes Wheat, Corn, Soy Beans, etc.

ST. JOHN COTTON MARKET

Table with columns: Commodity, Price. Includes Jan, Feb, Mar, etc.

MONTECARLO

Table with columns: Race, Odds. Includes 1st, 2nd, 3rd, etc.

ST. JOHN REAL ESTATE CO.—Listing

Table with columns: Property Address, Description, Price. Includes 1. Flat to let, 224 Duke street, etc.

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE

Table with columns: Destination, Time, Agent. Includes 6:45 a.m.—Express, Boston, etc.

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FREDERICTON MAN DEAD

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 29.—(Special)—James Hamilton, a former resident of this city, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ernest Langstroth, last night.

NEW DRUGGISTS

The examinations of candidates by the Pharmaceutical Society will commence tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

MIDDLE-AGED MAN WITH \$100 WANTS TO MEET YOUNG OR MIDDLE-AGED MAN WITH SAME AMOUNT

Excelsior exchange, \$3,000 yearly easily made. Must be strictly honest and sober. Write for interview, W. M., 100 Brussels street, St. John, N. B. 863-30.

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THE CITY GOVERNMENT

Will the commission plan of government be inaugurated in St. John by five men of ability, who will faithfully apply business principles, or by five trimmers and representatives of sectional groups who have seen to grind?

THE CROPS

The Census Statistics Monthly for December, issued by the Dominion department of agriculture, gives a comparative statement of the field crops of the different provinces last year.

A SHORTAGE OF BEEF

Dr. Rutherford, Dominion live stock commissioner, says that figures in his possession point to a very serious falling off in beef production in Canada.

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is the best. We make this claim based on years of actual use of this favorite application and the record of results it shows.

PORTER'S DRUG STORE

Cor. St. Patrick and Union Sts.

ed that he would not refuse a nomination if the American people made it clear that they wanted him.

THE QUESTIONER

(By Carl Werner.) I called the boy to my knee one day, And I said: "You're just past four; Will you laugh in that same light-hearted way?"

IN LIGHTER VEIN

JUMPING TO A WRONG CONCLUSION. Jimmy, like all healthy boys, was fond of playing outdoors, and like boys in general, he usually got himself scandalously dirty.

"SALT RHEUM"

HAD IT ON HANDS FOR TWO YEARS. ITCHED SO DID NOT KNOW WHAT TO DO. Tried Three Doctors and Went to Hospital.

HUGH ALLAN CONFIRMS STATEMENT ABOUT PORT OF CALL FOR STEAMERS

London, Jan. 29.—The talk of the Allan Line making Plymouth, Southampton or Dartmouth a port of call for its direct London service receives confirmation from Hugh A. Allan who expressly points out, however, that such action would need the sanction of the Dominion government.

ONE MILLION DOLLARS FOR A GOOD STOMACH

The newspapers and medical journals recently have had much to say relative to a famous millionaire's offer of a million dollars for a new stomach.

THE FOLKS FROM MAINE

The governor of Maine was at the school and was telling the pupils what the people of different states were called.

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Have Your Eyes Tested. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Gundry - 79 King St.

Gail Borden EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK. The original and leading brand since 1857. Wm. H. Dunn, Agent.

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IF YOU NEED DRESSMAKERS' SUPPLIES. Real machine Silks and Smallwares, Linings, Canvas, Satens, Wadding, etc. Go to WETMORE'S, GARDEN STREET, Agent for Home Journal Patterns.

Some Quick Selling Cold Weather Specialties. Molasses Cream Chewing Bar, Ice Cream Bar, Buttercup Paragons, Cocoa Conits, Glazed Cocoa Bon Bars, Etc. Penny Goods bought from us still afford you the same profit—we have not raised our price. Emery Bros., - 82 Germain St.

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Childs' Combination Stockings and Rubbers. Sizes 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 50c. Sizes 11, 12, 13, 1 and 2 60c.

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Childs' Warm Felt Slippers 15c to 50c.

Splendid Bargains in Men's and Women's Overshoes, Rubbers and Fine Boots.

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New Store 60 Wall St.

Cake, Pastry, Bread Fresh Daily.

Robinson's 'Phone Main 1161.

RELIABILITY! We give our personal guarantee that all the drugs and chemicals used in our medicine are absolutely pure.

"Reliable" Robb. The Prescription Druggist 187 Charlotte Street 'Phone 1339, House 'Phone 1131.

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DO YOU WANT CLEAN COAL. Our Coal is Automatically Screened and is Loaded into The Coal Carts. Buy From R. P. & W. F. STARR, Ltd. 49 Smythe St. - 226 Union St.

WOOD! Cordwood, sawed and split, any size kindling, dry, by load or in bundles. Heavy Soft Wood. Also Charcoal. Geo. Dick, 46-59 Britain St. Foot of Germain street, Phone 1118.

Coal! Scotch and American Anthracite, Broad Gove and Reserve Sydney Soft. All Orders Promptly Attended to. T. M. WISTED & CO. 321 BRUSSELS STREET Telephone Main 1597.

For Zero Weather Try Oxo, Bovril, or Armour's Extract Beef. WE HAVE A FINE COCOA at 45c a lb.

Jas. Collins, 210 Union Street - Opp. Opera House.

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**ATTENTION**  
**A Bargain For You**

\$6.00, \$5.50 and \$5.00 Patent Dongola Kid and Calf Laced Boots, Samples, Broken lots and lines we are discontinuing.

**Sale Price \$3.48**

\$5.00 Men's Patent Colt Laced Boots, Mostly all sizes, Stylish up-to-date goods.

**Sale Price \$2.48**

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**REV. R. A. ARMSTRONG**  
**AT EVERY DAY CLUB**

Rev. R. A. Armstrong, pastor of Trinity, spoke at the Every Day Club last evening. He dealt in a most interesting way with the faculty of memory, its part in human life and its place in the Christian religion. That we cannot recall an incident is no evidence that it is forgotten. On the other hand scientists tell us that memory is a great storehouse where nothing is lost. What we cannot recall today we may recall tomorrow, or at a future time. Will we remember after death? The speaker believed we would, and urged his hearers to make their memory of their own lives and sets one over which they would not grieve at the end. Mr. Armstrong congratulated the club on its growing membership, the spirit of comradeship which prevailed, and the attitude it assumed with respect to questions of public importance. The musical programme included music by the orchestra, vocal solos by Miss Pearl Ingram and Miss Hill, and a concert solo by Mr. Holder.

**ST. JOHN LABOR PARTY**

The members of the Independent Labor party met on Saturday night, A. L. Dever presiding. The question of putting a candidate in the field in the civic elections was talked over, but nothing definite was done. The party has adopted a platform of principles which includes the following: Tax reform by lessening taxation on industry and increasing it upon land values. Abolition of property qualifications for all public works. A legal work day of eight hours and six days a week. Abolition of dominion senate. Public ownership of all franchises. Government inspection of all industries. The abolition of the contract system on public works. Proportional representation with group constituencies.

Mr. Rive's Lecture  
Robert M. Rive, B.A., B.C.L., delivered a very interesting lecture on Imperialism.

**Sick headaches—neuralgic headaches—splitting, blinding headaches—all vanish when you take**  
**Na-Drin-Co Headache Wafers**  
They do not contain phenacetin, acetanilid, morphine, opium or any other dangerous drug. 25c a box at your Druggist's.

**Pocket Knives**

Why don't you carry a good knife? That apology for one that you have would not even sharpen a lead pencil. A good knife is not a luxury—it is a necessity. We sell good steel knives with metal, bone and celluloid handles at prices ranging from 25c to \$3.60. Get One Now.

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**MEMORABLE SUNDAY IN ST. PETER'S**

Presentation on Silver Jubilee of Rev. J. H. Borgmann—Close of the Services of the Retreat

January 28, 1912 will long remain fresh in the memory of the people of St. Peter's parish, North End, for it was a memorable occasion in more ways than one. There were several features marking its passing, which were interesting, pleasing, and impressive. The day marked the silver jubilee of Rev. Joseph H. Borgmann, C.S.S.R., the energetic and esteemed spiritual director of the single and married men's Holy Families, and he was the recipient of hearty congratulations on the event, as well as of a handsome and valuable gold chalice inscribed in silver, beautifully ornamental, which was presented to him by the men of the bodies of which he has for several years been spiritual director.

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**THE ABERDEEN STUDENT'S BIBLE**

Lord Rosebery talks with exquisite feeling of the story of the Aberdeen student, a student towards the professor, who was long doubtful whether he should purchase a Hebrew Bible, and finally decided for the Bible. As the winds of Aberdeen whistled through his hair that winter, they would bring a sermon, not of chills, but of exultation, as he thought of the Hebrew Bible which he had obtained at the cost of suffering. There is no excuse now-a-days for any man who does not possess his own private collection of books. It merely fills a shelf that should be dearer to his heart than the whole collection of the British Museum.

**Dandruff Causes Scalp Itching**

Clogs the pores of the scalp, prevents the hair from obtaining proper nourishment—causes it to fade and eventually to fall out. And besides, it's irritating and annoying to have your scalp itching and burning all the time.

If you want to get rid of the Dandruff germ—to stop the annoying itching and burning—to have a really clean and healthy scalp, get a bottle of HAY'S HAIR HEALTH TO-DAY—prove to yourself what a satisfaction it is to have hair health.

Your money back if not satisfactory. \$1.00 and 50c at Drug Stores or direct from receipt of price and desired name. Send 10c for trial bottle—Full Size 75c. Price 1 week's supply.

**SALE OF SLIGHTLY DEFECTIVE TABLE DAMASK BY THE YARD WILL BE CONTINUED TUESDAY—FREE HEMMING**

**A Great Chance To Get Good Overcoats At Reduced Prices**

Men who have worn M. R. A. Overcoats know that they are all that perfect tailoring can make them—style and wearing quality is put indelibly into every garment, so that when you buy one you get more than the worth of your money.

This at regular prices, but now with figures so greatly reduced you can imagine what unusual bargains these good Overcoats will be. Choose now before the one you want is taken.

**PRUSSIAN AND CONVERTIBLE COLLAR OVERCOATS**, single and double breasted styles, in the season's noblest stripes and check Cheviots, Saxony, Meltons, and Mixed Tweeds. Sale prices from \$6.65 to \$23.00.

**CHESTERFIELD OVERCOATS**, length 44 inches, self and velvet collars; not very many left. Sale prices \$6.50 to \$22.25.

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**SOME FEATURES OF CHURCH SERVICES IN CITY SUNDAY**

Mount Allison Matters Presented—Church Union Ballots—Rev. Mr. McLatchy to Stay in Moncton—Evaletic Campaign

**MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES**

Because 300 plasterers were locked out by the Winnipeg master builders on Saturday after a dispute over the rights of the union threatens suit under the Le-mieux Act to recover from \$100 to \$1,000 a day because the notice was not given to permit of the appointment of an investigating commission.

**CASCARETS WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP**

Salts, Calomel and Cathartic Pills Are Violent—They Act on Bowels as Pepper Acts in Nostrials

Take a Cascaret tonight and thoroughly cleanse your system, remove the sour, un-digested and fermenting food and foul gases that the excess bile from the liver carry off as decomposed waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels.

**MAY COMPROMISE WITH THE BOLTERS**

Government May Dismiss Two of the Montreal Commissioners—Things in Pretty Mix-up

**MRS. COOMBS SUCCEUMS IN HOSPITAL, TO INJURIES**

As the result of burns sustained by her clothes catching fire, Mrs. John H. Coombs, of 59 Smythe street, died in the hospital early yesterday morning. The accident through which she suffered was told in Saturday's Times. Her husband had his hands and arms burned badly while trying to extinguish the flames which had caught her clothing from the fire.

**RECENT DEATHS**

Many friends in the city will learn with regret of the death of Charles S. Everett, who took place early Sunday morning. Mr. Everett had been in ill health for some time but his condition was not considered serious until Saturday morning when he became much worse and had to be taken to the hospital, where he died Sunday morning. He was born in Halifax (N. S.) forty-five years ago, and early learned the furniture business with C. & K. Burdette.

**THAT TIGHTNESS OF THE STOMACH**

Caused by Formation of Nauseous Gases From Undigested Food, Stopped With a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet.

**THE DEATH OF MRS. J. ALLAN TURNER**

The death of Mrs. J. Allan Turner occurred yesterday at her home, 279 Princess street. She is survived by her husband and two daughters. Many will deeply sympathize with Mr. Turner in his great loss.

**THAT NASTY Feeling of the Stomach is Relieved by a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet.**

Thousands of people have learned so well how sure and dependable Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are for all stomach ills that they are never without a package at home and at the office, and upon any indication that the stomach is a little uneasy, they take a Stuart's Tablet after each meal for a few days until the digestive organs get started up again.

**CHILDREN'S NAVY BLUE SERGE SAILOR DRESSES**, pleated skirts, collars and cuffs trimmed with white braid, each \$6.75.

**CHILDREN'S NAVY BLUE SERGE SAILOR DRESSES**, pleated skirts, collars and cuffs red braid trimmed, each \$5.75.

**CHILDREN'S NAVY BLUE SERGE DRESSES**, with blue braid and white anchors, each \$6.25.

**CHILDREN'S NAVY BLUE SERGE DRESSES**, pleated skirt, pipings of plaid silk; brass buttons, each \$4.75.

**CHILDREN'S BLUE SERGE DRESSES**, one side reverse effect; collar, belt and cuffs braid trimmed, each \$6.75.

**CHILDREN'S DRESSES** in pretty grey material with pale blue hair-line stripe; braid and button trimmed, each \$7.00 to \$14 years.

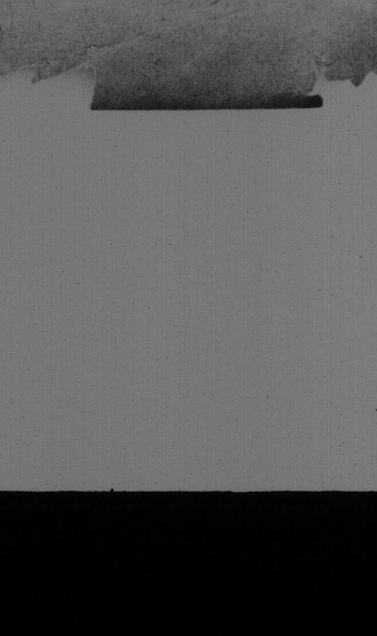
These dresses are in ages from 6 to 14 years.

**TRIAL PACKAGE FREE**

When you feel as if your stomach was being tightly choked—when the pain in intestines and you break out in a cold and clammy perspiration and there is a lump in your throat and you are weak and nauseated—all you need is a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet to clear away the wreckage of undigested food left in the stomach and maintain and restore you to your normal self again. And this can all be accomplished within a few moments.

**THE DEATH OF J. HENRY COPP OF PORT EGLE**

The death of J. Henry Copp of Port Eggle, in took place yesterday at the age of sixty-four years. He was at one time engaged in the commission business in St. John and also in Sydney. He is survived by a brother, Hazen; a sister, Mrs. Davis of Port Eggle; a daughter, Mrs. W. J. Dean, of Newcastle, and one son, Courtney B., of Port Eggle.





It Must Be the Cold Weather That Makes Mutt So Anxious to Go Home

By "Bud" Fisher



SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

On Black's Alleys. In the bowling games in the Commercial League on Saturday night the C. P. R. team took three points from the Brock & Peterson quintette total 1770 to 1585, and the S. Hayward Co. team won from Barnes & Co. three to one, total 1273 to 1150.

Chandler Rolls 1,154. A pinfall of 1,154 for ten consecutive strikes at candlepins was scored in the Adams Square motorboat contest in Boston on Thursday last by George W. Chandler of the Colonial Club. Chandler's best 100 strings in the contest total 21,077. His phenomenal strings on Thursday were, 128, 96, 147, 128, 103, 105, 113, 127, 100, 109.

Hockey. Church League. The St. Stephen's church hockey team defeated the Queen Square church team to 4 in the opening game of the Church League on Saturday night.

In Upper Canada. The Montreal Canadiens defeated the Quebec hockey team by a score of five to three in their game in Montreal on Saturday. The Montreal Wanderers defeated Ottawa nine to six in Ottawa on the same night.

St. Andrew's Won Second Match. The second match in the annual series of curling matches between St. Andrew's and Thistles was played Saturday, and the St. Andrew's club won with a total of 211 points to 184. There was no curling on Saturday in fine condition and the sport throughout was very keen.

Table listing curling scores for various teams including Thistles, St. Andrew's, D. R. Wylie, G. P. Fisher, S. W. Palmer, G. A. Kimball, G. S. Bishop, S. A. Jones, H. A. Orchard, H. H. Harvey, Rev. W. O. Raymond, A. O. Skinner, A. D. Malcolm, F. L. Harrison, J. S. Malcolm, J. U. Thomas, A. Macaulay, C. S. Robertson, W. A. Shaw, Dr. J. M. Magee, Mitchell, P. A. Clarke, J. C. Chesley, H. F. Rankin, and J. C. Chesley.

Scotchmen Beaten Again. The Scotch curlers were defeated, twice in Toronto on Saturday. In the afternoon they lost fifty-seven to fifty and at night ninety-eight to fifty-eight.

Played in Hampton. Two trials of Custom House curlers who went to Hampton on Saturday were defeated thirty-nine to nineteen.

The Weak, Lame, Aching Back Comes From The Kidneys.

Those who have never been troubled with kidney trouble do not know the suffering and misery which those afflicted undergo. On the first sign of backache Doan's Kidney Pills should be taken immediately so as to avoid years of suffering from kidney trouble. They go right to the seat of the trouble, relax the delicate membranes of the kidneys and make their action regular and natural. Mrs. Joseph Throop, Upper Point de la Pute, N.B., writes: 'I cannot speak so well of Doan's Kidney Pills. For two years I was so tired life was a burden, and I got up more tired than when I went to bed, and my back was so lame I could hardly straighten up. I took different kinds of medicine, but none of them did me any good until a friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I did so, and to-day I don't know what it is to be tired, and my back is all gone. I recommend them to any person suffering with lame back and that terrible a feeling.' Price 50 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

The Ring

Johnson-Flynn. Salt Lake City, Utah, Jan. 28.—Jack Curley, manager for Jim Flynn, and promoter of the fight for the heavyweight championship between his man and Jack Johnson, is here making preliminary arrangements for the battle. Curley said that no site had been selected, and that the date had not been definitely settled. There is a possibility that the fight may go to New Mexico, in the event that no acceptable proposition is forthcoming from Nevada towns.

The Late "Billy" Delaney. W. E. (Billy) Delaney, the famous trainer who died in Oakland, Cal., last week, aged 38 years, had been ill for several months and his death was not unexpected. While on a visit to the east last year he contracted a severe cold, complications of which caused his death.

Delaney trained many of the most prominent fighters of the last twenty-five years, including Johnson, Jeffries, Corbett, Chyoski, Kaufman and Jimmy Britt. He trained Johnson for his championship fight with Jeffries at Reno, and was also instrumental in arranging the match and backing the colored fighter.

The funeral was held on Saturday and the body will be cremated. Delaney leaves his wife and two sisters, the latter live in New York state.

While he was thoroughly familiar with every aspect of the sport, defending it staunchly and advancing its interests in every possible way, he was not heavily interested financially and rarely made large bets.

News of the Boxers. Young Saylor and Leo Kelly will meet in Peoria, Ill., on Feb. 10. Saylor and Harry Donahue will meet in Indianapolis on Feb. 5.

Albert Delmont, 40, met Frankie Burns in New Haven tonight. Tommy Tracey, the veteran Australian fighter, has been appointed boxing instructor for a period of six months by the state athletic commission which found him guilty of "faking" and "talking" in his recent bout with "Knockout" Brown.

The commission also suspended Jimmy Goodman, Attell's second, and announced that it would investigate the National Sporting Club of America, where the bout was held.

Attell now in the west, had testified before the commission that he fought to the best of his ability and believed that he had been "doped" by the injection of too much cocaine into his hand by the club's physician.

Baseball. Tigers Release Seven Men. Seven members of the Detroit American league baseball team have been released, according to an announcement by President Navin. Six will go to the Providence club of the International league, recently purchased by Mr. Navin.

Outfielder Drake, infielder Lathers and pitcher Lively will go to Providence in a trade. Outfielder Perry, the same club secured by outright release. Gather Schmidt, pitcher Renfer and catcher Reynolds. Ralph Stroud has been released to Buffalo.

Schmidt's release marks the passing of an American league veteran. A lame arm made him practically valueless to the Detroit club as a catcher last season, but he did well as a pinch hitter.

Diamond Sparkles. The Philadelphia Nationals announce that "Ben" Hunt, a pitcher of the Sacramento, Cal., club, has signed a contract to play the coming season. Fred Beck, who had a large farm on Oil Creek when Johnny was twelve years old, his uncle died. A few years afterward Oil Creek was discovered, and the farm was sold.

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Pitcher Ed Roelbach, on whom President Murphy of the Chicago National league club was given waivers and whom Murphy threatened to sell to a minor league club, has signed a year's contract with Murphy at Roelbach's terms. Pitcher Seril Slapnicka, a recruit, was disposed of to the American club of the American Association. A signed contract from outfielder Ward Miller, formerly of the Montreal and Cincinnati teams, has been received.

William Stein of Evans, Pa., made a bet with his friends that he could eat a pound of water crackers in fifty minutes without drinking a drop of water. Stein ate the pound of crackers ninety-five of them, but it took him fifty minutes, and he lost the bet. Then he drank considerable warm water to moisten his dry meal.

THE CARTOONIST ON THE DUKE'S VISIT



Chicago view of the Connaught visit, as seen by Bradley in the Chicago News.

SPENDTHRIFT IS POOR NOW

The Extravagant Career of "Coal Oil Johnny," Who is Now Old Man

SPENT \$100,000 IN DAY

Came into Immense Fortune Before He Was Capable of Handling It—He Once Bought Engine, Sleeper and Car Outright

Working out his destiny on a farm near Franklin, Pa., John W. Steele, known throughout the world as "Coal Oil Johnny," the man to whom riches proved to be a bane, is regaining his self-respect after a hard fight, and has become a credit to himself and his family.

After several decades of patient labor the one-time oil king, now nearly seventy, reviews his past with regret, tinged with a certain philosophy of life that somehow lessens his offences against himself and society.

In the estimation of the world, "Coal Oil Johnny" stands as the representative type of the spendthrift and oil region prodigal. Coming into an immense fortune before his judgment had matured and without any one to advise him, he set out to see the world, abandoning his wife and child, and friends.

This young oil Croesus had more thousands than he knew anything of. When he had finished with the world, Steele went back to the soil, not as an oil producer, but as an agriculturist and he admits that he has received more pleasure wielding the hoe than he obtained in squandering his fortune.

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THE KING OF GAMES IS CURLIN'

By John McMaster. The joy of every curler's heart, is winter near the tee. Back winter's hand will do its part To get up near the tee. The kindly spirit does curlers good; It softens many a weary mood. And many a man gangs home right proud, For getting near the tee.

"Just hand yer stane w' steady grip. And aim straight for the tee. No men, stann' by to soap it up An' bring it to the tee. You'll be a winner by this state; You've done it before, just try it again; I'll 'gild' ye agin' any man For winnin' to the tee."

But there's a time for every side To lie up near the tee; It wadna do for aye to bide, An' gettin' health and wealth and life An' gettin' near the tee. "Noe lilt the pat-lid—canny there; Soop hard, my lads, he's got it fair; It's comin' right to pass the gear, Ah, it's on the tee!"

So it is in life's busy strife— All strive for the tee. Some getting health and wealth and life An' gettin' near the tee. "Noe lilt the pat-lid—canny there; Soop hard, my lads, he's got it fair; It's comin' right to pass the gear, Ah, it's on the tee!"

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BROOD MARES OF HIGH GRADE FOR CANADA

Large Consignment of Pedigree Stock Sent Out From Scotland

(Times' Special Correspondent) London, Jan. 27.—One of the largest consignments of high-class pedigree stock, which ever left Scotland is on the way to the stock farm of B. H. Hull & Co., Brampton, Ontario.

It consists of sixteen Scotch pedigrees Clydesdale mares and fillies and includes a daughter of the noted Scotch horse, "Eveling," three daughters of the famous "May King" and several prize-winning horses with unbeaten show records. A. & W. Montgomery, Clydesdale breeders, are of the opinion that no better shipment of pure class stock has left Scotland for some years.

A brother of "Eveling" sold at auction recently for \$47,500, the highest price a horse of his class has brought under the hammer.

ARMED MAN HAS BEEN ROBBING WOMEN

London, Jan. 28.—Bradford is looking for an armed man, who has been obtaining money from women under threats of murder in some cases the man robbed the women in public places, but it is said that on one occasion he entered a bedroom where a woman was in bed with her two children, threatened her with his revolver, and robbed her. The descriptions of the assailant point, it is said to the outrages being committed by one man.

Detective Watnuff saw a man in George street, Bradford, answering the description of the person wanted. He went up to him, and told him of his suspicions, when the man promptly thrust his hand into an inside pocket. The detective closed with his man, and a struggle ensued. The detective eventually secured the man with handcuffs and conveyed him to the Town Hall. When he was searched at the station an old-fashioned pistol was found in his pocket.

At the police court this man, who gave his name as Thomas Sutcliffe, aged thirty-six, a hawker, was charged with being armed with a pistol and stealing \$1.25 and a purse from Amy Butters, and was remanded for a week. Miss Butters, the daughter of the head gardener of Peel Park, was walking in the park on Monday, when she was accosted by a man who presented a pistol and demanded her money or her life. Miss Butters handed him her purse, and the miscreant made good his escape.

Capt. Levi Eastman, seventy-seven years old, of Oundy's Harbor, Me., oldest and longest commander of coastwise vessels on the Atlantic Coast, has retired and sold his little schooner Laura and Marion. During his fifty-eight years of service as captain of coastwise vessels, he never met with an accident, nor was any man under his command injured. He has commanded fourteen vessels.

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LOCAL NEWS

REPORTED. Thomas Crawford and Lewis Deagan have been reported for working at Sand Point without a license.

WAS AGED 102. Christy Ross, widow of John McDonald of Greenvale, Pictou, N. S., who died on Jan. 18th was 102 years old.

BLESSING OF THROATS. Sunday next is to be observed in the Catholic churches as the feast of St. Blasius, and the blessing of throats will be given after the masses and in the afternoon and evening, in most of the churches. Candelmas day will be observed on Friday next.

SAMUEL D. WILSON. The death of Samuel D. Wilson occurred on Saturday in North Road, after an illness of about six months. He was a native of Donegal, Ireland, but came to this country many years ago. He was two daughters, and a sister survive. The funeral is to be held tomorrow afternoon at half past two o'clock.

THE STEAMERS. S. S. Shenandoah left London on Saturday for this port. The Donaldson liner Cassandra left Glasgow on Saturday for this port with a large general cargo and a good passenger list. The S. S. Grampian is expected to arrive here this evening at five o'clock.

THE FERRY RATES. The committee of Carleton citizens directing the agitation against the proposed increase in the ferry rates have sent to the mayor and each alderman a copy of the resolution adopted at the last public meeting. It is their intention to have a delegation present at the next meeting of the council when the matter comes up, to see what action is taken, although they do not intend to ask permission to be heard again.

THE PAPER MILL. Senator N. M. Jones of Bangor, Me., who is at the head of a newly organized pulp and paper company which is taking over the Partington mill, arrived in the city today and will meet the local men interested in the company for the discussion of some of the details of the proposition. He said that none of their plans are far enough advanced to justify them in making any more definite announcement than has already been made.

AMATEURS TO HALIFAX. The local amateurs who presented the play The Lost Paradise here with much success in June last, are to repeat the performance in the Academy of Music in Halifax on Monday and Tuesday evenings next with a medley performance Tuesday afternoon. The company with several friends, will leave for Halifax on Saturday night by special Pullman. On the return trip they will probably remain off in Moncton and give a performance there Wednesday night. Dr. J. Mullin will act as business manager.

ARE INQUIRING. The body of Frederick Lowe who died in the county jail here yesterday afternoon, is still in the jail and efforts are being made to locate the man's relatives who are supposed to reside in the State of Connecticut. An American consul is interesting himself in the matter and has written to several places up that state seeking information as to the whereabouts of the man. It was alleged that he had been in the county jail here on the morning that he was taken to the hospital and that he had not been definitely decided as yet.

TEMPERANCE MEETING. Rev. R. Smart addressed the Thoro Lodge meeting yesterday afternoon. Jose Chamberlain presented Mr. Smart's death with conditions in England and said that this country had advanced further along restrictive lines in doing with liquor traffic. But the advance, he said, should not be accepted. Every effort should be made to take advantage of different conditions and greater opportunities. In this country the fight should not be given up until the bar had gone from the realm of legalized business. His address was listened to by a large and interested audience.

GOLDEN JUBILEE. This is the fiftyth anniversary of the Natural History Society, but the event is being allowed to pass unnoticed until the fall. It is planned to have a memorable celebration in October. It is not known what nature the celebration will take as no definite plans have yet been made, but the matter is now being talked over by the members. Many entertain different ideas. One suggestion has been made that arrangements be made to have the corner stone of a new building laid, but it is not expected that this will be attempted this year, although it is realized that it must come before long. There are only a few of the charter members of the society still living, but these will come in for a share of the honors of the celebration.

INDRANI HAD ROUGH TRIP. The Donaldson liner Indrani, Captain Young, arrived in port about ten o'clock this morning covered with ice after a pretty rough trip across. The big liner arrived off the island early in the morning but did not come up to the berth at the McLeod wharf until ten o'clock. She left Glasgow on January 13. When about a day out a heavy storm started and practically lasted all the way over. Head winds and heavy seas were encountered for the most part of the trip, and these were responsible for the steamer being a day or so late in arriving here. Captain Young says that the trip was a particularly rough one, but that little or no damage was done. On some days the wind was so strong and the seas were so high, that the steamer could make but little progress. The Indrani brought over a large general cargo, including a quantity of Scotch coal. There were no passengers on board. She will unload at the McLeod wharf.

WINTER PORT STEAMERS ON THE WAY TO ST. JOHN. Manchester Miller, Manchester, Dec. 23. Manchester Empire, Manchester, Jan. 2. Kanawha, London, Jan. 3. Montezuma, London, Jan. 5. Bray Head, Cardiff, Jan. 7. Rappahannock, London, Jan. 8. Hangarian, Havre, Jan. 13. Bengore Head, from a coal port via Azores. Grampian, Liverpool, Jan. 19. Kastalia, Glasgow, Jan. 20. Manchester Shipper, Manchester, Jan. 21. Sardinian, Havre, Jan. 22. Empress of Britain, Jan. 28. Cassandra, Glasgow, Jan. 27. Shenandoah, London, Jan. 27.

TO TAKE STAND FOR PROHIBITION

New Brunswick Temperance Federation Will Hold Large Meeting Here Tomorrow

The annual session of the New Brunswick Temperance Federation, to be held here tomorrow afternoon, promises to be more than a meeting for the transaction of routine business. From St. John and various parts of the province it is expected that there will be in attendance upwards of 100 delegates. It may be that some of them will be anxious to complete the work. One matter to be dealt with is the appointment of delegates to a convention to be held in Toronto on February 12 and 13 under the auspices of the Dominion Alliance, but the most important matter will be the consideration of a prohibition bill for New Brunswick. As already announced in the Times, this was prepared by the St. John executive some time ago. It will be taken up tomorrow and discussed and definite action is looked for.

EVIDENCE GIVEN IN TWO CASES IN WHICH THEFT IS CHARGED

Two cases wherein theft is charged were up for hearing in the police court this morning. The first case was that of Thomas McNally, charged with stealing two caps and one hat from the store of Dr. Magee's Sons in King street and the other that of James Tufts, aged forty charged with obtaining goods under false pretences. In the first case the only witness called was Constable Thomas G. Gibson. He said that on one day last week, while walking along Charlotte street, Harrell Magee, manager of the King street store, told him that McNally, whom he pointed out, had stolen goods from the store. He, the witness, asked the man if he had any goods to his possession. The reply was in the affirmative and he handed him a fur cap. The witness then took McNally down King street to Magee's store and on the way down the man dropped two more caps from under his coat. When they got to the store Detective Killen arrived and placed the prisoner under arrest. In the Tufts case, Harry F. Legrain, a clerk in T. McAvity & Son's store in King street testified that on the morning of the 24th at eight o'clock Tufts went to the store and ordered several dozen desert knives, forks and spoons. The witness identified the man as James Tufts, who he said was charged to J. D. Driscoll of the Hotel Royal and he gave him the name as Marshall. Tufts said that he would take the goods with him, but he was told that the knives were not in stock and that they would be sent up to the hotel. The remainder of the goods he took with him. The articles produced in court and were recognized by the witness. The goods that were sent to the hotel were returned there on the next day and the witness then informed the police of the matter. J. Driscoll, proprietor of the Hotel Edward, said that Tufts was in his employ at the time he ordered the goods but that he had no authority to order the goods. The prisoner was further remanded.

TELEPHONE SERVICE; P. E. I. AND MAINLAND. Negotiations are in progress for a telephone service between P. E. Island and the mainland. Last week W. H. Covert of Halifax was in Charlottetown and with W. S. Grant, manager of the Prince Edward Island Telephone Company, submitted a proposition for long-distance talking between Charlottetown and Nova Scotia. This would mean the establishment of a new telephone cable of the most modern and improved kind and the opening of a service for business and for all other purposes. The proposition is submitted by the Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Company, Ltd., of Halifax which owns and operates practically the entire system of Nova Scotia and has a large interest in the Telephone Company of Prince Edward Island.

TODAY'S POLICE COURT. In the police court this morning one man charged with drunkenness was fined \$1 or two months in jail and one remanded. William Higgins, colored, charged with assaulting George Rhinehart in the I. C. R. freight shed on Saturday afternoon was also remanded. The complainant said that Higgins threatened to "beat his head off" but that no blows were actually struck. The prisoner was reported to the court some time ago with fighting with John Jackson in Union Alley and this matter will be taken up tomorrow morning. The local police are awaiting word from Wolfville, N. S. in connection with Higgins. Thomas Swain of 28 Charlotte street, "bushy-haired" witness it is announced that he was not the man of that name fined on Saturday for profane language.

DIED IN MONCTON. Mrs. Charles O'Neill, wife of Charles O'Neill of the I. C. R. shop died in Moncton on Friday. She was born in this city, the only daughter of the late Daniel Mulhern, who was a well known pioneer here. She leaves, besides her husband, four sons and three daughters. The sons are William, Harry, Thomas and Charles, of Moncton. The daughters are Mrs. J. J. Lally of Somerville, Mass., and Hattie and Zevine at home. There are two brothers, James Mulhern of this city, and Thomas of Medford, Mass. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon. Interment was in the Sheldice road cemetery.

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