

Embargo Lifted on Export of Arms From States Into Mexico

Hands Off, and Let Them Fight... REMOVE SUPPORT STEP TOWARDS SOLUTION... No One Outside Mexico Can Settle Her Affairs, and Foreign Interference Won't Help.

Washington, Feb. 3.—President Wilson, by an executive order dated today, and made public at the White House tonight, removed all restrictions against the exportation of munitions of war into Mexico from the United States, placing the contending elements on a basis of equality with respect to the purchase of arms and supplies in this country.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK BRIDGE IS BALKED

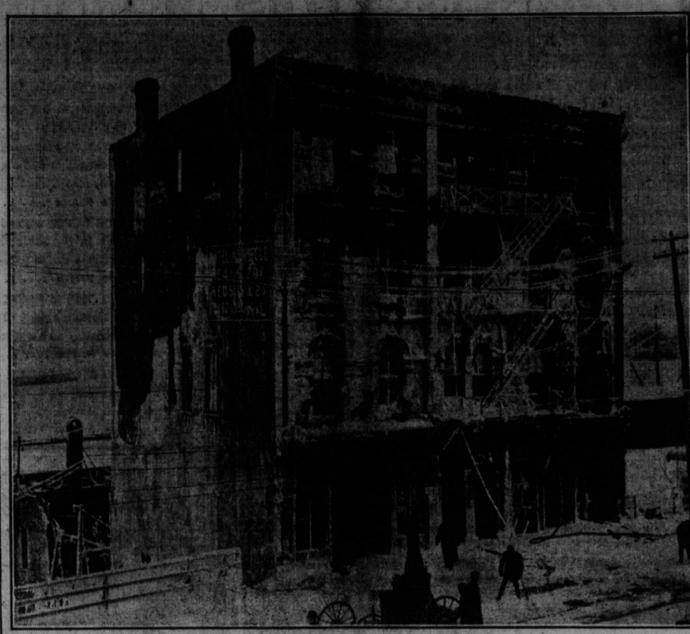
Federal Troops Repulsed in Efforts to Destroy Constitutional Lines of Communication.

Culiacan, Sinaloa, Mexico, Feb. 2.—Via Nogales, Feb. 3.—Acting in concert with the garrisons of Guaymas and Mazatlan with the object of destroying constitutional lines of communication and surrounding General Carranza, federal troops from Tepic City today attempted to destroy a railroad bridge near Yago, south of here.

Amendments Placing Ban on Immigration of Asiatics Killed Hot Debate in U. S. House on Question of Asiatic Exclusion.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Asiatic exclusion agitation was quieted temporarily, at least, in the house today after a heated debate that brought both Republican and Democratic leaders to the floor with pleas for calmness and deliberation.

Metropole After Fire Had Done Its Work.



This picture shows the Salvation Army Metropole building in Prince William street, where seventy-five men had narrow escapes from death during the progress of the fire early yesterday morning. Only the four walls remain.

BURNS DETECTIVE TELLS OF PAYING MEMBERS MONEY FOR PUTTING BILL THROUGH

Quebec, February 3.—A new element was introduced into the investigation of the Quebec graft charges today when Mr. J. S. Maloney, a Burns detective, who played the part of Tronator Simpson in connection with the Montreal Fall bill, appeared before the committee to give his evidence.

Mr. Laffamme asked the witness if he would have come without a document guaranteeing him immunity. The latter answered that the evidence which he had against the members of the legislature and it was his opinion that if it was possible for the legislature to have given them the sport end of the deal they would have done so.

Mr. Maloney told how Mousseau had been introduced to him by Lawyer Labelle as building chairman of the private bills committee at Quebec, and a very influential man.

CHICAGO WOMEN CROWD TO POLLS TO CAST THEIR FIRST VOTE

Give Their Age Unhesitatingly and Very Few Cases Wrong Identity Were Found—Several Octogenarians in the Crowd—Wife of Mayor Harrison a Voter.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Women citizens of Chicago turned out in full strength today to take advantage of their first opportunity to register as voters.

HON. MR. HAZEN AGAIN SCORES GRIT HECKLERS

Minister of Marine Proves More than a Match for Those Who Opposed Passage of His Estimates—The Alert Affair Once More Discussed.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 3.—A lively discussion and a crop of questions are inevitable when estimates dealing with the Maritime Provinces are under consideration and today was no exception to the rule.

Mr. Hazen was brought up in the house the other day by Mr. Carroll, the young Liberal member for South Cape Breton and Premier Borden proposed to look into the charge.

The printed contents of the pamphlets referred to were of varied character. They comprised a vicious attack on the Bible and the Christian religion, both Protestant and Catholic, and an alleged expose of the conduct of Catholic priests in the confessional and of the management of Catholic convents and Protestant seminaries for the education of young ladies.

Government Will Have Injustice to Indians Repaired

NOVA SCOTIA TOWNS ELECT THEIR MAYORS

A Third of Sydney Electors Unable to Vote Because Taxes Were't Paid—The New Ones.

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 3.—F. L. Kelly was elected mayor of North Sydney today by a majority of 75 over his opponent, Joseph MacDonald, barrister.

Probably the most surprising result of the mayoralty contests in Cape Breton was the defeat of Mr. Mitchell of Dominion. The new mayor is Jas. R. McLean, whose candidature was not taken seriously at first.

Decides Surrender of Red Mens Land Should be Annulled.

MEANS END OF WORST SCANDAL IN YEARS.

Indians Under Influence of Liquor and by Means of Bribery Persuaded to Give Up Valuable Lands.

Ottawa, Feb. 3.—The government has decided after most thorough investigations of the facts surrounding the case that the surrender of the St. Peter's Indian Reserve in Manitoba should be annulled and instructions were sent today to F. G. Taylor, K. C., of Portage La Prairie and C. P. Fullerton, K. C., of Winnipeg, agents of the Justice Department, to take action in the courts to set aside the surrender.

The action taken by the government today marks the beginning of the end of one of the greatest scandals in recent Canadian history. The surrender of the St. Peter's Indian Reserve was taken in 1908 by Frank Pedley until recently superintendent of Indian affairs. Statements made on the floor of parliament concerning that deal are to the effect that liquor, bribery and corruption were resorted to in order to get the Indians to agree to the surrender of their valuable lands and that the vote was taken when the young braves and the most responsible men of the band were absent.

MR. PUGSLEY MUST GO SOUTH FOR HEALTH

Physicians Order Change—Opposition Worse Off Than Ever Without His Help.

Ottawa, Feb. 3.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier received word tonight from Hon. Wm. Pugsley's physicians at St. John that the former minister of public works had been ordered south and that he would not be able to attend parliament this session.

REMAINED IN AIR FOR SEVENTEEN HOURS

Johannesburg, Feb. 3.—The aviator Brunolanger today broke the world's record for an endurance flight. He remained in the air for fourteen hours and seven minutes.

Eric Martin (St. Marys division, Montreal) objected to the committee sitting because the estimates were not yet printed in English. Hon. Mr. Hazen, whose appropriations were under discussion, explained that they would be ready tomorrow in French.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE VOTED DOWN

Washington, Feb. 3.—House Democrats at a caucus tonight went on record against the creation of a house committee on woman suffrage by a vote of 123 to 57, the caucus adopted a resolution declaring this a state question and rejecting the Baker resolution to create the committee.

Annual February Sale of Clothing for Men and Boys

COMMENCING THIS MORNING

COME AND STUDY THE REMARKABLE NATURE OF THESE FIRST OFFERINGS



MEN'S OVERCOATS offered in a great variety of styles. Overcoats with plain and belted backs in a Chesterfield and full length models with velvet and self-lap collars, also the popular convertible and storm collar Ulster styles with plain backs or in belt effects. The Overcoats are all this season's models and the cloths are Cheviots, Tweeds, Meltons and Naps, plain, also in mixtures, checks, and stripes, in black, greys and browns.

February Sale Prices, \$8.09, \$9.60, \$10.80, \$13.00, \$14.60, \$17, \$18.40, \$20.80, \$24.00.

A SPECIAL LOT OF MEN'S OVERCOATS in Fancy Tweeds, full length styles, with step and Prussian collars. Good patterns and colorings. Sizes 39, 40 and 42.

February Sale Price, each \$4.35

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN MEN'S TROUSERS—Good strong wearing Tweeds in neat, dressy patterns, also in Fancy Worsted.

February Sale Prices, \$1.15, \$1.90, \$2.10, \$3.15, \$3.60, \$3.90, \$4.25

ALL OTHER TROUSERS AT SUBSTANTIAL REDUCTIONS.

THE STYLE, FINE TAILORING, long wear and recognized good quality of M. R. A. clothing make this Annual February Sale an event looked forward to with much interest, because of the great clothing values it always affords. Exceptional bargains will prevail in all outer garments for men and boys—such truly dependable savings in fashionable apparel that not to heed, if you need clothing, will mean so much money lost.

Men's and Boys' Clothing Dept.

BOYS' FANCY OVERCOATS, ages 7 1/2 to 10 years. Most of these Overcoats button to the neck, some with velvet, others with self-collars. A variety of cute styles in Fancy Tweeds, Cheviots, also Blue Naps February Sale Prices, \$3.20, \$4.20, \$5.20, \$6.20

BOYS' CONVERTIBLE AND SHAWL COLLAR OVERCOATS, ages 8 to 17 years. Plain and belted back styles in a great range of patterns and colorings. All the new shades of browns and greys in soft fleecy Cheviots, also Tweeds; plain, mixtures, diagonal weaves and stripes.

February Sale Prices \$4.25, \$4.90, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.75, \$8.50

BOYS' TWO-PIECE SUITS with bloomer-pants, ages 7 to 10 years. Double-breasted coats (plain), also several models in Norfolk styles. Some of the suits with two pairs of bloomers. Tweeds and Worsted, mixtures stripe and check effects in all the season's shades of grey and brown.

February Sale Prices \$2.90, \$3.90, \$4.25, \$4.75, \$4.95, and \$9.00

BOYS' TWO AND THREE-PIECE SUITS, with bloomer pants, ages 13 to 16 years, plain double-breasted coats and Norfolk styles. Many suits have two pairs of bloomers. Tweeds, Worsted and Saxony Cloths, stripe, check and mixed effects in various shades of brown and grey.

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BOYS' TWO AND THREE-PIECE SUITS, plain pant styles, double-breasted coats in various stylish models. These are very exceptional bargains in sizes to fit boys from 13 to 16 years. Light, medium and dark greys and browns. Mostly in Tweeds, although there are a few neat Worsted in the assortment.

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MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALISON, LIMITED

MAY AMALGAMATE KINDERGARTEN AND SCHOOL SYSTEMS

Step Under Discussion at Meeting of Kindergarten Association, Last Evening—Do good Work.

At the regular meeting of the Free Kindergarten Association held yesterday there was considerable discussion on the question of having the public authorities adopt the kindergarten system in connection with the school system. Various speakers stated that there was a rapidly increasing interest in the work of the kindergartens, and expressed the view that it was only a question of time when the government would take over the work of the association.

TEMPORARY QUARTERS FOR FIRE SUFFERERS

Temporary quarters have been secured for the men who escaped from the fire Tuesday morning. Many of the inmates have been housed in the Seamen's Institute and others in rooms in other parts of the city.

WOULD COUGH SO HARD WOULD TURN BLACK IN THE FACE.

A cough cold is one of the most dangerous ailments. It leaves the throat or lungs, and sometimes both, affected if not taken care of immediately. Obsolete coughs and colds yield to the grateful soothing action of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, containing as it does all the long healing virtues of the Norway pine tree.

LADIES LISTEN TO A STRONG ADDRESS

Miss Jean Peacock, of Sussex, before Associate Members of Natural History Society.

A very interesting lecture on "Social and Ethical Efficiency in Its Effect on the Individual" was delivered before an appreciative audience in the Natural History Museum on Thursday afternoon. This is the fourth lecture of the free course in connection with the Ladies' Association.

Breathing Impure Air Poisoning the System

Particularly during the winter season the blood becomes loaded with poisonous waste matter as the result of artificial foods and the breathing of impure air in stuffy, overheated rooms. Elimination of poisons from the blood depends entirely on the condition of the kidneys, liver and bowels, and by awakening and invigorating these filtering organs, Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are of inestimable value as a means of purifying the blood and thereby removing the cause of much pain and serious disease.

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Mr. Hazen said it was generally the practice to ask for prices from four or five firms known to be friends of the government. "Is there no patronage list at Halifax or St. John?" queried Mr. Halliwell.

"No," replied the Minister, "the practice is just the same as was followed by the late government." The minister denied that he had in 1911 made a speech condemning this practice.

Mr. Hazen said that the boats were sent on these trips at times when they were not needed for ice breaking. A. K. MacLean, of Halifax, wanted to know if the agents of the department in making purchases asked tenders from firms generally.

MANY TEACHERS AT FIRST OF LECTURES

City Training Institute for the Sunday School Teachers Opened Auspiciously Last Evening.

The first meeting of the City Training Institute for Sabbath School Teachers was held last evening in St. David's school room. Representatives were present from the schools of the city, and the first meeting proved most successful.

CHILDREN HATE OIL, CALOMEL AND PILLS

"California Syrup of Figs" best for tender stomach, liver, bowels.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

My Meal

A Little Stuart's Aid Your Ex to Digest. Isn't it a real treat? There is a real treat for you. It's the work of a few minutes and nature resumes its normal course and repairs the exhausted digestive system.



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Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

One pill a dose, 25 cents a box, 5 for \$1.00, all dealers. Sample box mailed free if you mention this paper. Edmanston, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH POWDER 25c

It is best direct to the diseased parts by the improved blowers. Heals the inflamed, cleans the air passages, stops drops, stops the discharge and promotes recovery by pure Catarrh and Hay Fever. Use a box a blowers free. Accept no substitutes. All dealers or Edmanston, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

John Barrymore at the Imperial Today

Renowned American Star in Daniel Frohman's Production of MADELAINE LUCETTE RYLEY'S FOUR ACTS "AN AMERICAN CITIZEN" FOUR ACTS

OPERA HOUSE THOMPSON-WOODS STOCK CO.

THIS WEEK David Harum NEXT A Message from Mars

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Local and Foreign Shipping Notes

SIGNAL SERVICE BULLETIN
Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries.
St. John, Feb. 3, 1914.
Ten a. m.
Cape Race, 720—Clear, cold, light north. Eight a. m. Kristianiaford steam, inward. Feb. 2nd, eleven fifty p. m. Alsatian 410 miles east, bound east.
Sable Island, 280—Mild, light north-east. Feb. 2nd, eight fifty-five p. m. Pomeranian 130 miles east, bound east.
Cape Sable, 138—Clear, moderate south-east.
Brier Island, 61—Fair, moderate south-east.
Point Lepreau, 22—Cloudy, moderate south.
Partridge Island—Cloudy, moderate south.
Louisburg, N. S., Feb. 3—Sailed stmr Heathcote for St. John at nine a. m.

NOW ON STATION.

The steamer *Magdalen* having thoroughly undergone repairs sailed on last Saturday night to take up her service on the "Petit de Grat, Archat and Mulgrave" service.

SENT A WREATH

The Purves-Witly Co., Saturday, sent a handsome wreath to the funeral of Steward Jones of the steamer *Alsatian*, who met with accidental death at the deep water terminal at Halifax.

OWNER GOES SOUTH.

Captain Stuart Salter left Parrboro, N. S., last Saturday for Brunswick, Ga., to look after schooner *Silver Leaf*, of which he is managing owner, and which was damaged by striking Lisgar Head ledges on the voyage from Funchal to Brunswick.

LINERS FROM EUROPE.

The German steamer *Chevnits* sailed from Bremen on Sunday and has 215 passengers to land at Halifax. Other steamers leaving the continent are the *Dwink*, due to sail from Liverpool yesterday on her first voyage for the Russian-American line, and the *Principello*, on a similar cruise for the Uranium Steamship Company.

DESTROYED SAILS.

The captain of the tern schooner *Percy C.* now at Liverpool wharf, is in search of the miscreant who on Saturday night deliberately cut and slashed a portion of the sails of the vessel. The schooner is well known for its considerable damage. It is understood that the captain has his suspicions and will probably have the man arrested if he can locate him. The *Percy C.* is to be towed to Lunenburg, there to be loaded with lumber for New York delivery.

CAPTAIN HAS RIBS BROKEN.

With her captain confined to his berth suffering from fractures to two ribs, the three-mast schooner *Lawson* arrived Monday from New York to discharge at Dartmouth, N. S., a cargo of molting sand.

The *Lawson* was coming along the Nova Scotia coast Saturday night. The weather was thick and the Captain Dintson climbed atop the forecastle house to see if he could make out a light near Shelburne so he could determine his course. As he peered through the darkness the boom swung round and fang Captain Dintson over.

My Meals Don't Hurt a Bit

A Little Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet will Aid Your Exhausted Stomach to Digest Any Meal.

Isn't it a real joy to see children eat? There is almost a ridiculous humor about it. The same joy that a child feels at meal time should be experienced by "grown ups" and would be if they would only do as children do.

The work, worries and woes of adult life exhaust the digestive apparatus and nature very often is not allowed time or opportunity to renew or repair the exhausted organs and depleted digestive juices.



"Well What do You Think of a Big Feed Without Pain?"

A Stuart's tablet goes into the stomach like food. It contains nothing but natural digestive elements and when at work in a weak stomach it aids the worn-out gastric glands, supplies the right mixture of stomach juices and under the action of the stomach it thoroughly permeates all the food. Thus when the stomach work is done the meal goes into the small intestines in better shape to be assimilated by the system.

One element of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is so strong and efficient that one grain of it will digest 3,000 grains of mixed food such as meats, vegetables, grains, fruits, etc.

The simple habit of eating a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet after each meal will readjust your digestion in a very short time so that you will no longer need assistance.

Go to your druggist and obtain a box today; price 50 cents.

MARINE CERTIFICATES; THE SUCCESSFUL ONES

Those who have been Successful for the Positions of Mate or Captain.

Ottawa, Feb. 3.—Amongst those who passed were: Grey E. Leonard, mate, St. John; G. A. Lloyd Kay, master, St. John; George Scott, master, St. John; W. S. Green, mate, St. John; Robert A. Cassidy, mate, Chatham; Bennett M. Dykes, mate, St. John; Frank D. Stevens, mate, St. John; Waldo P. Currier, master, Oranmore; W. F. Lipsett, master, St. John; O. A. Fawcett, master, Oak Point; Frances L. Hurley, master, St. John; Murdoch McLean, master, St. John; Bennett M. Dykes, master, Fredericton; Harry P. Constan, master, Digby; Robert W. Robinson, mate, St. John; Fred C. Harris, mate, Bear River; Calvin F. Granville, master, St. John.

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THE SIAM MOTOR SHIP.

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Steamers.	
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Kanawha, 2488, Wm Thomson and Co.	Manchester Port, 2662, Wm Thomson and Co.
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PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

Arrived Yesterday, Feb. 3, '14.
Schr Harry Miller, 246, Adkinson, New York via Boston, J W Smith, 450 tons coal, J S Gibbon & Co.
Coastwise—Stmrs Granville, 49, Collins, Annapolis and old; Bear River, 70, Woodworth, Bear River and old.

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Stmr Orkla, 2694, Morris, Glasgow, Robert Reford Co. general cargo.
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DOMESTIC PORTS.

Louisburg, Feb. 3—Sld stmr Heathcote, for St. John.

BRITISH PORTS.

Dartmouth, Feb. 3—Passed stmr Tanagra, Dalton, bound from Antwerp for Halifax.
Belfast, Jan. 31—Ard stmr Bonzore Head, St. John, N. B.; Rathlin Head, New Orleans via Norfolk.
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Pinnacled, smokeless and boilerless, with no funnels, no coal bunkers and no stokehold, equipped with the latest word in engine propulsion, the Diesel engine, the Danish motor-ship *Siam*, Captain H. I. Hansen, of the East Asiatic Company, reached the wharf at St. John Sunday noon, docking at Gardner-Johnson's wharf.

For the first time in history, Vancouver, among other Pacific Coast ports, is being visited by this style of craft. The *Siam*, which was built by the firm of Burmeister & Wain of Copenhagen, was launched in March, 1913. This is her second trip, the first being made in April of last year to the Suez, returning in October. When she arrives back in her home port next June she will have encircled the globe.

Leaving Antwerp, she made the trip to Antofagasta, Chile, without a stop. Her Diesel engine drove her through the high seas at top speed. From that point to Los Angeles harbor, only 17 days were required. In spite of the fact that she encountered extremely rough weather.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

February Moon Phases.	
First Quarter	D. H. M.
10 1 35 p. m.	
Last quarter	17 5 23 a. m.
New moon	24 8 2 p. m.

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Steamers.	
Granplan, 6439, Wm Thomson and Co.	Hochelaga, 2603, Starr.
Kanawha, 2488, Wm Thomson and Co.	Manchester Port, 2662, Wm Thomson and Co.
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Ramoro Head, 1913, Robt Reford Co.	Ruthenian, 4714, C.P.R.

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Arrived Feb. 2
Stmr Orkla, 2694, Morris, Glasgow, Robert Reford Co. general cargo.
Stmr Hochelaga, 2603, Tudor, Louisbourg, R P & W F Starr.
Schr Arthur M. Gibbon, 296, Longmore, New York, J W Smith, coal.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

Louisburg, Feb. 3—Sld stmr Heathcote, for St. John.

BRITISH PORTS.

Dartmouth, Feb. 3—Passed stmr Tanagra, Dalton, bound from Antwerp for Halifax.
Belfast, Jan. 31—Ard stmr Bonzore Head, St. John, N. B.; Rathlin Head, New Orleans via Norfolk.
Kinsale, Jan. 31—Passed stmr Man-

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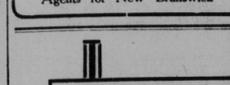


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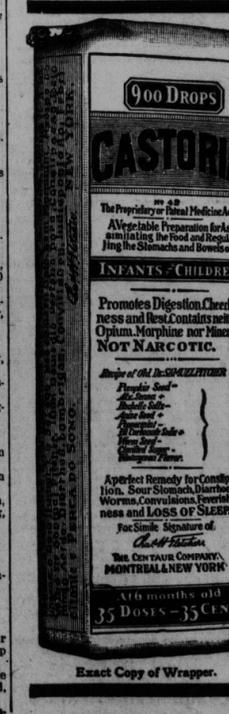


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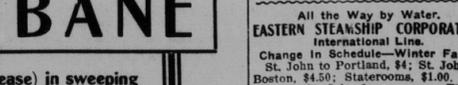
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REDISTRIBUTION.

According to announcement the Redistribution Bill will be introduced in the House of Commons in a few days, and indications are that the discussion it will arouse will be prolonged. The Bill, in the shape in which it will be introduced, will be a formal measure setting forth the number of constituencies, but making no reference to divisions which will be left to a committee of the House composed of members of Parliament of both political parties. This committee will deal with the details, and when their report is presented to Parliament later in the session it will be as complete as possible.

In the last distribution in 1903, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, then premier, adopted the committee plan, sanctioned by British precedent. His committee was composed of seven members, three Conservatives and four Liberals; thus the Liberals had the casting vote on all matters where there was a difference of opinion. Under Liberal rule the party in power, of course, dominated the divisions of the constituencies, but according to the Toronto Mail and Empire, the coming redistribution will follow as nearly as possible the municipal and county boundaries, grouping such of the numerically weaker ridings as may be necessary to bring about the reductions in representation of some of the Eastern provinces in accordance with the new unit of representation. So far as can be learned the bill will furnish little ground for serious controversy, although some existing injustices under the old redistribution are to be removed.

The new unit of representation, ascertained by dividing the fixed representation of Quebec and the total of population of that province, is 30,811. Divided into the populations of the various provinces, this would give Ontario, with a population of 2,523,208, a representation of 82. Quebec, with 2,092,712, a representation of 65; Nova Scotia, population 492,338, a representation of 16; New Brunswick, population 351,889, a representation of 11; Manitoba, population 455,614, a representation of 15; British Columbia, population 322,480, a representation of 10; Prince Edward Island, population 93,728, a representation of 3; Saskatchewan, population 492,432, a representation of 16; Alberta, population 374,863, a representation of 12; Yukon, population 8,612, a representation of 1.—Total 234 members.

The unit of representation in the large cities will be considerably larger than the general unit which will prevail in the less congested parts of the country. It will likely be in the close neighborhood of 49,000.

The present representation is: Ontario 86, Quebec 65, Nova Scotia 18, New Brunswick 13, Manitoba 10, British Columbia 7, Prince Edward Island 4, Saskatchewan 10, Alberta 7, Yukon 1.—Total 221 members.

According to the terms of the British North America Act, under which the representation is fixed, a fraction of population amounting to less than half the total required to entitle a province to a member, is disregarded, but a fraction exceeding half the unit is counted as a whole unit. The provinces which save a member each under this provision are: Ontario, Nova Scotia, Manitoba, British Columbia and Saskatchewan.

The disposition of the new bill is to give to the western provinces the additional representation to which they are entitled by their increasing population. Under its provisions Manitoba will gain five seats, Saskatchewan six, Alberta five and British Columbia six, a total gain of twenty-two. In the East the provinces, with the exception of Quebec, will lose representation, Quebec being the pivot on which the whole scheme is computed. Ontario will lose four seats, Nova Scotia two, New Brunswick two, and Prince Edward Island one, a total loss of nine, or a net gain on the whole Dominion of thirteen.

Various plans have been proposed by which the representation of the Maritime Provinces might be maintained, at least at the present figure. At the last conference of premiers, held in Ottawa, Hon. J. K. Fleming was an earnest worker to this end, but the premiers of the western provinces would not agree to any arrangement except the one of population unit, upon which the bill has been modeled.

While the Maritime Provinces will numerically lose some of their representation, the character of the man sent to Parliament from the east in the past has been such that New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island have been important contributors to the number of statesmen whose names have been written large on the page of Canadian history, and it is altogether likely that this good record will be well maintained.

THE SUBURBAN TRAINS.

Liberal newspapers, in parts of the country on the line of the I. C. R., affected by the withdrawal of the suburban trains, continue to play the game of politics by attacking Mr. Gutelius, the general manager of the railway. In taking the suburban trains off the routes, and thereby inconveniencing hundreds of patrons, the general manager of the Government railway has made a mistake, but is it all his fault?

Mr. Gutelius was brought to the Intercolonial Railway from another railway, running through a territory totally different in character; a road owned by a company whose unprofitable trains were lopped off the running cards just as soon as they became unprofitable. Consequently, in his new office he adopted the course he would have followed in his former position, and removed trains, the revenue from which did not pay for their expenses. It is, however, reasonable to believe that in so doing he was influenced, to some extent, by the opinions of others who were more in touch with conditions and sentiment. Now if it is desirable for the G. R. to play the political game, and blame Mr. Gutelius, and through him the Minister of Railways, and the whole Government, is it not equally as fair to suppose that if Mr. Gutelius had not been deliberately misled by some officials of the Intercolonial, appointed under the Laurier Government, at least he was not furnished with information as to conditions that would have saved him from committing the present blunder and antagonizing many hundreds of patrons of the road?

One assumption is as fair as the other, and it has already been intimated by the truthful Grits that the general manager of the Intercolonial is actuated by a desire to "get square." The Standard does not believe any such report, neither do we believe that the residents along the line of the I. C. R., who have a just and real grievance, place any credence in such tales.

The mistake has been made, however, and if the general manager of the Intercolonial finds he has been misled, by accident or lack of knowledge, it is up to him to provide the remedy. If, however, it should be proven that there was a desire to make political capital out of the withdrawal of the suburban trains, then the time is ripe for a wholesale separation of partisan officials from their jobs. If the Grits really desire to carry the political game to its extent, then let us have it, and just as soon as the evidence warrants it. In the meantime it is reasonable to suppose that when Mr. Gutelius finds the case of the suburbanists is as serious as it really is, he will take the necessary action to do something to meet their requests. The meeting on Saturday should be productive of a general clearing of the atmosphere. But let us hear Mr. Gutelius' defence before we convict him.

THE MEXICAN SITUATION.

A new element has been introduced into the Mexican situation by the decision of President Woodrow Wilson, of the United States, to remove the embargo on arms and munitions of war exported from that country to Mexico. As it is now both the Huerta party and that led by General Villa are on an absolute parity in official opinion at Washington and if they follow the example of the Kilkenny cats and fight each other out of existence the United States will supply them with guns and bullets, but otherwise continue in the role of an unaffected onlooker.

Some of the American newspapers have made the assertion that Huerta has succeeded in securing arms in Japan, and it is even said from the Japanese Government. American opinion seems to place little credence in the latter story, but, nevertheless, it has had the effect of creating something of a scare, especially along the Southern border, and in the South-western States. President Wilson has long desired to see Huerta removed but has declined to intervene to settle the difficulties in the troubled country. With Huerta in command of the seaports, as he is, he can secure all the guns and ammunition he can pay for while the Constitutionalists, practically put off from communication with any nation save the United States, have been unable to replenish their stocks of arms except by the sometimes costly device of capturing them from the Federals.

With the factories and the stocks of the United States open to them, however, the situation changes and at the same time the shrewd diplomat at Washington has in a measure accomplished intervention without intervening. His attitude is that of the boy who refused to interfere in a quarrel between his friend and another lad,

but handed his friend a stone and said "here I won't lick him, but you go ahead and knock his head off." President Wilson will not send troops into Mexico to fight Huerta out of the presidential chair, but he takes the step to provide Huerta's enemies with the means of doing it for themselves. Huerta has proven most undesirable as a ruler of Mexico and it is reasonable to believe that so long as he remains in possession of the governing power, so long will conditions in that country continue to be chaotic. Under the circumstances, President Wilson's latest move is probably justifiable. But "isn't he the sly 'un'?"

Diary of Events

HISTORIC DAYS IN CANADA

Major-General Sir Isaac Brock, Lieutenant-Governor of Upper Canada, delivered his famous address to the Legislature of the Province 102 years ago today. The outbreak of the war between Great Britain and the United States was still four months in the future, but Brock, with prophetic vision, realized that the struggle was imminent and certain. The man who was to be the hero of the conflict, and to give up his life to the British cause before the year had passed, said: "England is not only protected the harbors of the United States while they afford a shelter to cruisers of her inveterate enemy, but she is likewise compelled to resist those maritime rights which she has long exercised and enjoyed. Insulting threats are offered and hostile preparations actual commenced; and though not without hope that cool reflection and the dictates of justice may yet avert the calamities of war, I cannot be too urgent in recommending to your early attention the adoption of such measures as may be necessary to insure the peace of the country and defeat every hostile aggression."

Brock's stirring address, in which he declared that Great Britain would stand by Ontario, to her last man and her last gun, did much to ally interest and enabled the country to present a united front to the enemy when war was declared on February 4 is the anniversary of the Niagara tragedy of 1912, when three people were swept to death on an ice bridge which broke from its moorings and passed down the river. On that date in 1875 a new Canadian reciprocity treaty was rejected by the United States Senate.

THE PASSING DAY

CONGRESS OF CHATILLON. One hundred years ago today, Feb. 4, 1814, congress was held at Chatillon, on the Seine in France, at which the representatives of England, Prussia, Russia and Austria discussed terms of peace with Napoleon. The negotiations, which continued until the nineteenth of March, varied according to the success or failure of the armies in the field. Napoleon had reached a point where he would gladly have accepted the terms offered in 1813, but the allies refused to renew that proposal. They decreed that France must come down to her limits of 1793. Napoleon, however, refused to "leave France smaller than I found her." He swore, and fought on against tremendous odds.

At the Chatillon congress Napoleon was represented by Caulaincourt. With his imperial master in the field, shut off from quick communication, and with the allies steadily closing in upon him, he was in a desperate position from the first a losing game. A man of no great ability, he was pitted against such diplomats as Metternich, representing Austria; Castlereagh, the English plenipotentiary; Stein and William von Borge, who looked after Russian interests.

FIRST THINGS

EPISCOPAL BISHOPS. The first bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church were William White, for Pennsylvania, and Samuel Provoost, for New York, who were consecrated by the Archbishop of Canterbury at Lambeth Chapel 127 years ago, Feb. 4, 1787. The consecration was especially authorized by the British Government. Archbishop Canby had been made Bishop of Connecticut a few years before, but he received consecration from the Scotch bishops. But a more eminent man, who required of an oath of royal allegiance as a prerequisite to consecration in England, the British Parliament and Archbishop of Canterbury had received assurance that the American church neither desired nor intended to "depart from the Church of England and its discipline or worship, or further than local circumstances require." Three years after the induction of Missions White and Provoost, James Madison was consecrated at Lambeth for Virginia, and the Anglican line of succession was canonically established in the United States.

THE HUMAN PROCESSION

RICHEPIN, FRENCH "IMMORTAL." Argentine's most celebrated export, the tango, which has been frowned upon by many eminent men, has also found friends in high places. One of these is Jean Richepin, one of the forty "immortals" of the Academie Française, and famous world over as poet, novelist and dramatist. A few months ago Richepin, in an address before the five academies of the institute, eulogized the tango in no mean terms, and traced its origin to remotest antiquity. He declared that it was the highest form of expression of that rhythmic movement which all the world calls the dance. The story of Richepin's life abounds in incidents more thrilling than any in his novels. He was born in Moulins, France, 27 years ago today, the son of an army surgeon. He studied medicine in Paris, but abandoned that profession for journalism. During the Franco-Prussian war he was editor of L'Est. Later he returned to Paris and made a bid for literary fame with a novel, "Julius Valles," and a drama, "L'Épave." In 1876 he wrote "Chansons des Gueux," which earned for him a term in prison and a heavy fine.

After his release from jail Richepin

IN LIGHTER VEIN

AND HE DID.



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In a Difficulty: "What's the trouble, John?" "Why, sir, here's a note from Mr. Mahstick, in which he tells me that he is off on a little trip, and he wants me to send his drawing materials along."

Temporarily abandoned literature for the sea, serving as a common sailor. He soon wearied of this, and back in Paris, became editor of Gil Blas, and devoted himself entirely to literature. He published a collection of short stories, "Les Morts Bizarres," which he had written while a convict.

George Brandes, the great Danish Jewish man of letters, was born in Copenhagen, seventy-two years ago today. During his long career he has lived in France, Italy, England, Germany, Poland and Russia, as well as in his native Denmark, and has written nearly two-score volumes of literature, criticism and history. Last October Prof. Brandes was refused permission to visit Russia again on account of his Jewish parentage.

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"By jove!" said the lecturer, "I'd like to do it, but a reception committee is to meet me at my destination, and I don't want to get in ahead of time."

No Watch Dog

During a recent burglar scare in a Yorkshire town, an eccentric old man bought a dog that was warranted a good house-guard. When he retired for the night, the dog was fastened in the kitchen as the most likely place to catch any of the expected burglars. In the early morning a neighbor went toaken him, and heard the old man say to his wife: "Get up, Bet, and waken that dog; there's burglars in the house."

Had Had Enough

The clergyman, visiting the hospital, stopped at the bedside of a pale young man swathed in bandages. "Cheer up, young man," he said, unctuously; "keep smiling—it's the best medicine." "I'll never smile again," replied the young man. "Nonsense. Yes you will!" "No," sadly continued the battered one, "no nonsense about it. I'll never smile again—at least, not at another fellow's girl!"

He Clinged It

Long and earnestly had the good women of the country town argued about the way in which the world would be destroyed. For four weary hours they had set forth their theories. And, finally, they asked the opinion of the only man present, and who alone had remained silent. Taking his pipe from his mouth for one brief moment he answered: "It will probably be talked to death."

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UPPER THREE MARITIME PROVINCE ASSOCIATIONS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

New Organization Held Informal Dance at Vancouver Last Week

FORMER ST. JOHN PEOPLE PRESENT

Natives of Provinces Residing in West Retain Interest in Former Homes, and News from East is Always a Treat.

(Correspondence of The Standard)
 Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 27—A proposal to amalgamate the New Brunswick and the P. E. I. Associations of British Columbia into the Maritime Provinces Association and invite Nova Scotians to join the union organization received its initial impetus in an informal dance given by the new association at the Labor Temple last evening. Bad weather militated against a very large attendance, but the enthusiasm offset the lack of numbers. Although organized less than two years ago, the New Brunswick Association has considerably over 1,000 members on its roll now, and the Prince Edward Island Association is believed to have over three times as many. The Maritime Provinces Association to adequately represent all the families in the province or even in Vancouver must have a membership of some 5,000. Although all newcomers have been invited to join the present association, no wide canvass has been made. It is supposed to be necessarily confined very largely to Vancouver, the headquarters of both organizations, whereas a census of Maritime Province people shows several thousand in Victoria, hundreds in each of the Okanagan and Kootenay towns, and scores scattered through the smaller settlements of the province. There is no city in British Columbia, a large proportion of whose public and influential officials is not made up of New Brunswick, P. E. I. and Nova Scotia "products." The success of the recently formed Maritime Provinces Association of Alberta with its headquarters in Calgary is given by the promoters as ample justification for the attempted formation of a union association in Vancouver with possible branches throughout the province. In fact, when a native of St. John informs an "outsider"—particularly an English person—that he comes from the eastern terminal city, he is supposed to know intimately residents of all the other Maritime Province cities from Dalhousie to Sydney.

Mr. Hedley Hipwell, formerly of St. John, is taking the lead in the organization of the Maritime Provinces Association. His cousin, Mr. Harry Hipwell, is secretary and president of the New Brunswick Association. With T. A. Cross and T. London, also of St. John, he made most of the preliminary arrangements for the preliminary entertainment. The patronesses of the dance were Mrs. Alex. Jardine and Mrs. Thomas Dickinson of Repton and Mrs. J. Hamilton of Woodstock. Some of those attending with their former address when known were: Messrs. H. S. Hipwell, J. London, A. H. Kerr, R. M. Kerr, H. C. Merritt, W. R. Kerr, (all of St. John); H. Jones, G. B. E. Elliott (Annapolis); H. P. Wickwire (P. E. I.); J. S. McGlashan, Thos. Dickinson (Repton); James Wood, Chas. D. Wilson, W. J. Campbell, W. W. Lindsay, Dr. J. Bell (Woodstock); Ira Findlay, Dr. K. Campbell, Robt. Durham, R. V. Mercer, W. O. Campbell, R. M. Doherty, Jas. Buttner, Ray E. L. W. J. Campbell, Edw. Pearce, P. Stewart, M. Howard, C. S. Bell (Woodstock); C. R. Brown, G. P. Oliver, Roy Edgar, J. W. Buttner, Ray Elliott, R. McLaughlin, E. W. Kaufman, A. G. Barbour, Mrs. Dr. J. Bell, Miss C. Boyle, Mrs. E. W. Kaufman, Miss J. Hamlin (Woodstock); Mrs. Alex. Jardine (Repton); Miss J. Dickinson (Repton); Mrs. Thos. and Miss Guesle Dickinson (Repton); Miss A. Scott, Miss Rae, Miss Beaton; Mrs. Hamilton (Woodstock); Misses K. Scott, N. Scott, Lola Hanson, Mabel Oliver, Mrs. Jas. Wood, Miss Knitting and Miss F. Fawcett (Woodstock).

Other dances and similar entertainments are projected. The desire has been expressed frequently here recently that bulletins be sent to the west periodically. The interest of natives of New Brunswick who have been pioneers of British Columbia and, to some extent at least, forgotten their eastern home have been revived by the appearance of records of the loyal city's growth during their absence. Bidding for the patronage of the thousands of former Maritime Province residents, the newspapers of British Columbia as a rule fail to hold the blue pencil on these interesting news-bulletins and western readers are able to follow, through the Board of Trade's reports, the growth of a city which a great many of them have thought to have stopped growing. The letter recording the construction work during the year 1913 was particularly commented upon here.

Ungar's Laundry.
 Fifty pieces for 75 cents. Phone us. Team will call.

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 J. Clawson for the Seamen's Mission acknowledges receipt of—
 Previously reported \$100
 G. E. Barbour 10
 L. G. Crosby 10
 National Drug and Chemical Co. 10
 McClary Mfg. Co., Ltd. 10
 J. and A. McMillan 10
 J. M. Humphrey and Co. 10
 Vasse and Co., Limited 10
 Manchester, Robertson, Allison Ltd 10
 Jones and Schofield 10
 H. S. Gregory and Sons 10

REPORTS SHOW CORPORATION PROGRESSING

Annual Meeting of North End W.C.T.U., Yesterday Afternoon—The Financial Statements Encouraging.

At the annual meeting of the North End W. C. T. U. corporation held yesterday afternoon, the officers elected for the new term were: President, J. B. Ebbles; vice-president, Mrs. M. E. McAvity; secretary-treasurer, A. B. Farmer; directors, Charles Marr, A. F. Farmer, P. W. Munro, Mr. Munro was elected to the position of director through the vacancy caused by the death of the late H. H. Pickett. J. B. Ebbles presided, and encouraging reports were received from the different officers. The report of Secretary-treasurer A. B. Farmer showed that the company had declared a dividend of five per cent.

A resolution was passed at the meeting expressing regret at the death of the former director H. H. Pickett, and the message of condolence was conveyed to his wife. Owing to the inability of Mrs. McAvity, president of the North End W. C. T. U. to be in attendance Mrs. Hanselpecker represented the Women's Society.

Financial Report.
 The following report was submitted by A. B. Farmer:

Income.		
By balance on hand February 1st, 1913	\$333.13	
Rent of Hall	600.00	
Rent of stores	400.00	
Rent accounts	474.15	
Rent of Library	100.00	
Total		\$1,907.28
Expenditures.		
To W. C. T. U.	\$0.00	
Ground rent	70.00	
City taxes	72.58	
Water tax	27.00	
St. John Standard	6.44	
St. John Globe	12.50	
J. D. Mahor, et al	5.00	
Cleaning yard	5.00	
Repairs	1,182.82	
Insurance	120.00	
Secretary-treasurer	60.00	
Dividend to library	150.00	
Dividend to Stockholders	75.00	
Total		\$1,807.00
Balance on hand		\$100.19

The report of the "Portland Free Public Library," income and expenditure for last year, shows:

Income.		
By balance on hand February 1st, 1913	\$197.13	
Cash per Librarian	30.00	
Cash per City of St. John	60.00	
Donations per dividend account	135.03	
Union Hall dividend	150.00	
Total		\$1,112.18
Expenditure.		
To Librarian, \$50; Librarian \$350	\$400.00	
Assistant Librarian	35.00	
Repairing clock \$1;	1.00	
Fuel \$60.47	61.47	
Books, etc. \$218.75;	218.75	
Insurance \$50;	50.00	
Janitor \$104;	104.00	
Electricity \$41.04	41.04	
Rent	100.00	
Total		\$1,020.26
Balance on hand		\$91.92

A. B. FARMER,
 Secretary-treasurer.
 The reports on the library for the year and the financial statement in connection with the same were submitted as follows by Miss Florence E. Edwards:

Librarian's Statement.
 Number of books purchased during the year, 100; of these 23 were books replaced. Had 2 volumes of Harper's Magazine bound, and 29 volumes rebound.

Miss Marion Holly donated V. V. Eyles, by H. Snyder Harrison. Received from the Association for International Conciliation 7 pamphlets, the report of the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission of 1913. From Ottawa—The Report of the Director of Forestry, 1913. Preliminary Report on the Mineral Production of Canada, 1913. Pyrites in Canada, Its Exploitation, Dressing and Uses. Investigation of the Peat Bogs and Peat Industry, 1910-11. Annual Report of the Mineral Production of Canada, 1911.

The Magnetic Iron Sands of Matahkwagan, Que. The Proceedings and Transactions of the Royal Society of Canada, 1912. Report of Royal Commission on Coal Mining Disputes on Vancouver Island. Summary Report of the Mines Branch of the Department of Mines, 1912. The production of copper, gold, lead, nickel, silver, zinc and other metals in Canada for year 1912. Canada Year Book, 1912. In September we issued a new supplementary catalogue of twenty pages. We had 72 applicants for cards and an increase of 2,125 in the circulation of books, denoting the growing interest

ANSWER TO STATEMENT OF MR. HUNT

Com. Agar Replies to Letter in Last Evening's Globe—Gives Reasonable Protection.

In reply to Mr. Hunt's letter in the Globe, suggesting that it would strengthen the paving act to cut out the section giving owners of sixty per cent. of the frontage, the right to petition and hold up the city's plans. "I would like to say that I believe it is only fair to maintain this section," said Com. Agar yesterday.

"In many other cities, as Mr. Hunt points out, the city has the power to deal with the problem by providing paved streets with firmness and promptitude. Toronto, for instance, goes ahead and paves a street without consulting the property owners, and then presents the bulk of the bill to the frontage owners.

"That some people in this city are not well versed in acts of this character is shown by the fact that they consider it a hardship that a petition would have to be signed by owners of sixty per cent. of the frontage in order to stop the city council from going ahead. Mr. Hunt's opinion that the city should ask the right to tax an acreage or not, ought to account for something. But we are not prepared to go that length. Section eight equalizes the power between the city and the property owners, and affords them reasonable protection.

Section eleven, which Mr. Hunt thought unnecessary, was defended by the assessors on the ground that it was intended to facilitate the work of the assessors in assessing the cost against property owners, and obviate injustice of the improved street. The practice outlined in the section was in vogue in other cities and worked satisfactorily.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of Jacob V. Morrell was held yesterday afternoon from his late residence, City Road, to the Waterloo street Baptist church where the services were conducted by Rev. H. Wentworth. Interment was in Cedar Hill.

The funeral of Arthur Thompson was held yesterday afternoon from his parents' residence, Water street, West End, to Cedar Hill. Rev. W. R. Robinson officiated at the services at the house and grave.

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Financial Statement.
 Librarian's statement for year ending Jan. 31st, 1914:

Receipts.		
Balance to credit	\$30.54	
Sale of catalogues	\$12.75	
Second readings	16.95	
Printing \$104;	104.00	
Non-residents	16.84	
Damage to books	2.10	
Total receipts		\$88.78
Expenditure.		
By Secretary-Treasurer	\$30.00	
Mr. A. B. Farmer	18.30	
Sundries	2.55	
Total		\$50.85
Balance to credit		\$37.93
Total		\$88.78

FLORENCE E. EDWARDS,
 Librarian.
 St. John North, Jan. 31st, 1914.

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Not necessary to drug inside! That awful stiffness that makes you yelp worse than a kicked dog will be cured—cured for a certainty, and quickly, too, if you just rub on Nerviline.

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Now quit complaining—don't suffer another day—Nerviline, that good, soothing old-time liniment, will liberate you up mighty quick. Get busy today, the large 50c. family size bottle is the most economical, of course, the trial size costs but 25c. Any dealer anywhere can supply Nerviline.

WARRANTS FOR CONSTITUTION OF CANADIAN CLUB CHANGED

To be Issued Against Slueths who Secured Evidence in Quebec Legislature Alleged Graft Case.

Montreal, Feb. 3—Judge Charbonneau this morning issued writs of mandamus ordering Judge Lanctot, of the magistrates court, to sign warrants for the arrest of the Burns' detectives who took part in scouring the evidence of alleged graft in the Quebec legislature.

The warrants were asked for yesterday by Maurice Metcal, lawyer for Lanctot. He refused to sign them. Mr. Metcal then had recourse to the Superior Court Judge.

Mr. Metcal alleges that the detectives conspired to corrupt members of the legislature, which is a criminal act, with it a penalty of fourteen years in jail.

It is said that the warrants are to be issued upon the information of J. A. Labelle, of the law firm of Fontaine and Labelle, who claims money is owed to them by the Burns' detectives for professional services rendered.

AWARDED ANNUITY FOR LIFE BECAUSE OF INJURIES RECEIVED

Judgment Given in Favor of Workman who Claimed Damages for Lead Poisoning.

Montreal, Feb. 3—The first claim for damages from lead poisoning to be brought in the local courts under the Workmen's Compensation Act, was disposed of this morning by Justice Beaudin, who handed out a judgment in the case of John Armstrong vs. the Canada Paint Company.

The plaintiff claimed \$120 for wages lost since he was incapacitated from working for the defendant company and an annuity for life of \$50 representing twenty per cent. of his earning power, which he claimed he has been deprived of. The Canada Paint Co. consented to judgment for the full amount.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Dufferin.
 H. F. Copp, Newcastle; A. T. Vinticombe, Charlottetown; W. H. Berry, St. Stephen; T. H. Fleg, Sackville; Jas. W. Law, Peter D. Mahoney, Oranmore; J. H. Barry, Fredericton; H. W. Macdonald, Boston; E. A. MacInerney, Glassville; Sam Rook, Toronto; P. L. Curran, Newark, N. J.; J. H. Corcoran, Moncton; Peter Farrell, Fred Campbell, H. S. Campbell, Fredericton; Fred S. Jackson, Toronto; D. Baillie, S. Baillie, Mrs. J. Baillie, Leask; Jos. Page, P. W. Lavalle, E. J. Smith, Montreal; C. H. Jackson, Oxford; W. A. MacRae, Kentville; H. H. Martin, Halifax; P. J. Bundor, Chatham.

Victoria.
 A. L. Fairbanks, Stanford; N. E. Sharpe, Pictou; G. D. Grimmer, St. Andrews; H. Murphie, St. Stephen; Bert Samson, Franklin; Seth Jones, Sussex; T. H. LeBlanc, Moncton; J. A. Bourque, Moncton; L. V. Price, Fredericton; J. LeBlanc, Montreal; H. F. Turney, Fredericton; Geo. Green, McAdam, Junction; F. A. Crossman, Kingfield; Jas. M. Morton, Ecton; A. G. Berry, Halifax; J. B. McConnell, Detroit; Mrs. W. H. Fowles, Havelock; Mrs. B. S. Thorne, Havelock; Chas. McLeellan, Lubec.

Royal.
 W. E. Bell, Moncton; A. J. Webster, Shediac; H. V. Pocock, London; Chas. M. Kock, Boston; O. S. Crockett, Fredericton; L. Lippmann, New York; Chas. Morgan, H. E. Bailey, R. D. McA Law, L. H. Creeve, Montreal; Chas. E. Oak Bangor; Jas. Barnes, Buctouche; J. T. Polson, Boston; R. S. Abbott, Toronto; W. Binborn, Edinburgh; Andrew Earl, Toronto; J. R. O'Leary, Cincinnati; J. W. Brankley and wife, Chatham; S. Donner, Liverpool; J. A. Morrison and wife, Fredericton; A. G. Brady, New York; A. W. Gibbon, Boston; J. O. Morrell, Montreal; S. L. T. Morrell, Ottawa; J. F. Stevens, New York; E. M. Peet, Toronto; V. Mitchell, E. G. M. Cape, H. Leongrist, W. E. Richards, G. B. Elliot, Montreal; A. M. Myers, Winnipeg; V. Vollbracht, Windsor, Ont.; P. P. Gunn, Sussex; L. M. Morton, Boston; P. W. Sumner, N. Potter, Moncton; P. K. Douglass, Montreal.

Victorian Order.
 The following donations received for the Victorian Order of Nurses are acknowledged:
 Miss Christine MacLaren \$ 5
 J. P. MacIntyre 10
 Miss Maria Murray 5
 Miss Louie Murray 5
 Miss Maggie Murray 5
 Hon. R. J. Ritchie 10

ENCOURAGING REPORTS AT ANNUAL MEETING, LAST EVENING—DR. P. S. BRIDGES, NEW PRESIDENT.

Encouraging Reports at Annual Meeting, Last Evening—Dr. P. S. Bridges, New President.

The annual meeting of the Canadian Club was held last evening and the reports presented by the officers were of a very satisfactory nature. The secretary's report showed that there was a membership of 569, an increase of 63 for the year. Two changes were made in the constitution. One change provides that past presidents shall be vice-presidents of the club, the other provides that hereafter the annual meeting shall be held on the last Tuesday in April instead of on the first Tuesday in February.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:
 President, Dr. H. S. Bridges; 1st vice-president, J. Hunter White; 2nd vice-president, E. O'Brien; secretary, H. Lester Smith; literary correspondent, Rev. J. J. McCaskill; treasurer, H. A. Porter.

Finance and property committee—Wm. Brodie, James Jack and H. O. McInerney.
 Executive committee—A. M. Belding, W. J. S. Myles, A. H. Wetmore and A. Wilson.

Votes of thanks were extended to the retiring president, Rev. G. A. Kuhring, the executive and particularly to A. M. Belding, who has been honorary correspondent for the last seven years, and to H. A. Porter who has been secretary for four years.

The financial report follows:

Receipts.		
Cash in hand	\$357.88	
Memberships	364.00	
Dinners	153.00	
Sundries and interest	8.51	
Total		\$884.39
Expenditures.		
Dinners and rooms	\$257.70	
Memberships	167.90	
Sundry expenses	296.85	
Balance on hand	161.94	
Total		\$884.39

Examined and found correct—J. Willard Smith and P. A. Kinnear, auditors.

NORMAL SCHOOL PUPILS TO TAKE DIET TEST

Fifteen to Try Modified Meat-Vegetation Diet—Some will Take Strictly Scientific Bill of Fare.

Montreal, Feb. 3—Next Tuesday thirty students of the Normal School of Physical Education, affiliated to McGill University will start a three months' diet test. Five will take a meat course three meals per day. Fifteen students will adopt a modified meat-vegetarian diet, four more will try out strict vegetarianism, whilst others will endeavor to subsist for thirteen weeks upon a "strictly scientific" bill of fare. The students will show up on June 3rd for medical examination and the experiment is being watched with considerable interest.

Italian Remanded.
 Giovanni Bombaco, alias John Bresla, alias John Oracion, an Italian, arrested early Tuesday morning while breaking and entering the store of C. P. Pigeon, was yesterday morning remanded. He is charged with breaking and entering the jewelry store of A. Y. Peterson and he is also charged with stealing from the store, although no value is stated. Another charge is attempting to break and enter into store of Mr. Pigeon. When the first charge was read to him the prisoner said he had nothing to say. In answer to the second charge he said his feet were cold and he only wanted to get something to put on.

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 "What is that?"
 "They are the ones who generally come to the point."

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RENDER MUCH ASSISTANCE TO THE GIRLS

The St. John Girls' Association Doing Great Work—Reports Show Rapid Progress.

The annual meeting of the St. John Girls' Association was held at the residence of Mrs. J. P. Bullock, Germain street, yesterday afternoon. Interesting reports of the work done and problems dealt with during the year were presented, showing a great advance in the efforts put forth. So much has the work grown that it was found necessary to employ an additional helper for the Travellers' Aid Department. During the year arrivals of trains and boats to the number of 454 were met by the secretary. In addition to this 82 outsiders were rendered assistance in travelling emergencies. The employment bureau in connection with the association from August to December had 243 applications for help from employers, and 181 applications from girls seeking work, besides 39 others of a general character.

The association proper held 336 meetings during the year with profit and interest. Lectures on domestic science, first aid, botany and health and hygiene were given, accompanied by illuminating views. There were also bouquets, and socials.

The secretary paid \$27 personal visits to girls in their homes as well as to places where they are employed. Total receipts for the year amounted to \$1,700.17, and the association has a favorable balance of \$839.86. The funds were helped out by the tag day during the year. Officers for the ensuing year are: President, Mrs. J. Ross; secretary, Miss Lillian Deimstadt; treasurer, Mrs. George Dishart.

WAS TROUBLED WITH Weak and Dizzy Spells.

Heart Would Beat Something Awful.
 Those feelings of weakness, those dizzy spells which come over people from time to time are warnings that must not go unheeded.

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Mrs. Len. Kinney, Moose Mountain, N.B., writes:—"I was troubled with weak and dizzy spells, and my heart would beat something awful. I got so I had those spells every day. I got so I would try one medicine, and then another, but nothing did me any good until I got Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I can safely say they did me more good than anything I ever took, for I feel like a very different woman. My friends often ask me what I have been taking, and I always say 'Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.' I tell all my friends who say their heart troubles them, to take your pills."

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February Furniture Sale

In order to make room for new Spring goods we are marking down the prices of many lines. These are first-class, saleable goods, but are simply lines which we are discontinuing, and we must have the space they occupy. We will mention the various bargains in this space from time to time, also show them in our window. It will pay you to watch them.

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THE DAY'S SALES ON THE MONTREAL MARKET

Table of daily sales on the Montreal market, including items like Cement, Porto Rico, General Electric, and various bonds.

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CURRENT PRICES ON THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Table of current prices on the New York Stock Exchange, listing various stocks and their prices.

GOOD BEHAVIOR OF BULLS IN SPITE OF GREAT TEMPTATION

Montreal, Feb. 3.—No one can accuse the local market of having lost its head over the improved market conditions.

NEW YORK AND BOSTON CURBS

Table of New York and Boston curbs, listing various stocks and their prices.

DISCOVERY OF OIL AT MOOSEJAW STARTS BOOM

Moosejaw, Feb. 3.—Moosejaw is in the grip of an oil boom. At the Dominion Lands office here the oil rights of over thirty thousand acres adjoining the city limits have been taken out by citizens.

ENGLISH COMPANY TO EXPLOIT KIRKLAND LAKE MINE LANDS

London cable—Kirkland Lake occupies much space in today's papers. This is the outcome of the offering of shares of the Kirkland Lake Exploration Company, an English formed company, to exploit the Canadian mining field of that name.

P. J. M'INTOSH CALLS TRUSTS BEST FRIEND OF THE CONSUMER

Montreal, Feb. 3.—Mr. P. J. McIntosh, director of Montreal Tramways, residing in New York where he is confidential assistant to Mr. William Rockefeller, who is in the city, believes that before the full development of Canada can be brought about, there will be important amalgamations of capital.

TRUST AND LOAN COMPANIES UNDER SEPARATE CHARTERS

Montreal, Feb. 3.—Canada does not propose to enter the "trust business," but it does propose to place some limitations on the powers of trust companies as well as loan concerns.

NEWS SUMMARY BY DOW JONES COMPANY

New York, Feb. 3.—Failures in July 1,887 against 1,814 in 1913. Annual meeting of Amn. Can today. Copper selling agencies advance asking price for electrolytic to 14 1/2 c.

ROYAL BANK'S NEW BRANCH AT LONGUEUIL

The Royal Bank of Canada has secured premises at Longueuil and will open a branch within a few days. This is the second branch opened on the South Shore, the first being at St. Lambert.

Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Company

In 1912, after paying bond interest, the Maritime Telegraph & Telephone Company earned nearly fourteen per cent. on the preferred stock issued. This is equal to considerably more than twice the amount required for dividends on this stock.

F. B. McCURDY & CO., MEMBERS MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Hallifax, Ottawa, Montreal, St. John, Sherbrooke, Sydney, Kingston, Charlottetown, St. John's, Nfld., London, E. C.

THE GREAT-WEST LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

was favored with the widest measure of public approval in 1913, as the following figures indicate:— Applications received 1913 \$ 27,196,754 Increase for the Year \$ 2,041,588

HEAD OFFICE - WINNIPEG G. WETMORE M. RITT, Manager for N. B.

FIRE INSURANCE AGENTS

Wishing to increase their facilities are invited to communicate with JARVIS & WHITTAKER, - - St. John

LAIDLAW & CO'S LETTER ON CLOSING OF THE STOCK MARKET

New York, Feb. 3.—Today's stock market derived its chief impetus from London, where securities were strong in response to further improvement of money conditions.

IMPORTANT FACTS FOR Present Investors OUR POLICY

"Everything in business is up for investigation and revision. Service and economy are replacing speculation and waste. Not so many astute gentlemen are going to get rich by manipulation as formerly, but tens of thousands of men are going to be made very, very comfortable on legitimate returns from plain honest work."

Our Prediction in January Bond Circular

REASONS WHY IT IS TIME TO BUY BONDS. Prices are at the lowest point in many years. Bond safety may now be obtained with a high income.

Eastern Securities Co. Limited Investment Bankers

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The Merchants' Bank of Canada

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Lumber and General Brokers SPRUCE, HEMLOCK, BIRCH, SOUTHERN PINE, OAK, CYPRESS, SPRUCE PILING and CREOSOTED PILING.

DOMINION TRUST COMPANY

"The Perpetual Trustee" Paid up Capital and Reserve \$2,800,000. Acts as Executor, Administrator, Guardian, Trustee and Receiver. Represented in St. John by J. R. CAMPBELL, Solicitor, - - 42 Princess Street

F. B. YOUNG, CIVIL ENGINEER AND LAND SURVEYOR

New Brunswick Agent for E. R. Watts & Son. EVERYTHING FOR THE ENGINEER, SURVEYOR & DRAFTSMAN. 103 Prince Wm. Street, St. John, N. B. Phone 2700-11.

CLOSING PRICES OF BOSTON STOCKS

Table of closing prices of Boston stocks, listing various stocks and their prices.

BOSTON CURB STOCKS

Table of Boston curb stocks, listing various stocks and their prices.

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Bank of Montreal Bldg., St. John, N. B. Howard P. Robinson, President, Tel. M. 2424.

CANADA LIFE

During the year just closed business was the largest in the history of the company, which covers a period of 67 years.

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A Desirable Summer Residence, situated on Saint John River, near C. P. R. Good water and shore rights. Price \$900.00. For particulars apply FAIRWEATHER & PORTER, No. 67 Prince Wm. St. Tel. Main 502

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for trustee or ultra conservative private investment are Provincial Bonds such as the New Brunswick 4 1/2 — a \$100,000 issue of which we now offer at ninety-six per cent. and interest to yield over four one-fourth per cent.

Interest is payable on these Bonds 1st January and July, the denomination is \$500, and the date of maturity is 1st January, 1934. We invite subscriptions for this excellent issue.

J.C. Mackintosh & Co. ESTD 1878

Members Montreal Stock Exchange 88-90 Prince William Street ST. JOHN, N. B. Also at Halifax, Montreal, Fredericton, New Glasgow.

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PRODUCE PRICES

Montreal, Feb. 3. Yellow OATS—Canada 43 1/2; No. 3, 41 1/2; feed, 40 1/2 to 41. FLOUR—Meal patents, first, 1.10; strong bakers, 1.10; choice, 1.10; straight, 1.10. ROLLED OATS—No. 1, 1.10; No. 2, 1.10; No. 3, 1.10. POTATOES—No. 1, 1.10; No. 2, 1.10; No. 3, 1.10.

THE FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT

The financial department of this newspaper is conducted by J. M. McConnell, financial editor of the Montreal Star.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Table of Chicago grain and produce prices, including items like Wheat, Corn, and Oats.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

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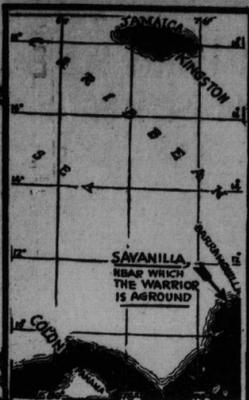
THE CLOSING LETTER ON MONTREAL "CHANGE"

Montreal, Feb. 3.—It was a foregone conclusion that the rise in the market could not continue indefinitely. Today prices receded and activity fell off to a large degree. Nevertheless the usual number of issues were dealt in and no serious break in price occurred.

MR. F. W. VANDERBILT'S YACHT WARRIOR GROUNDS OFF COLOMBIA WITH A TITLED PARTY



The steam yacht Warrior, owned by Mr. Frederick W. Vanderbilt, and aboard which Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt have been entertaining a party of friends on a winter cruise in Southern waters, is fast aground off the north-west coast of Colombia between Santa Marta and Savannah.



THE DUKE AND DUCHESS OF MANCHESTER

New York, Feb. 3.—Today's market was variable of undertone and irregular of movement within a very limited range. Offerings were light at the start, but shortly after the opening march became weak, apparently as the result of transfers from that option to July.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER FROM E. & C. RANDOLPH

New York, Feb. 3.—A good deal of heaviness and uncertainty was seen during the early trading, the market apparently feeling the weight of the heavy profit taking which has been going on for several days past.

TRADING QUIET, MARKET SHOWS UNMISTAKEABLE FIRMNESS

New York, Feb. 3.—Quotations advanced in the stock market today with a slow, creeping movement. Trading was quiet, with no evidence of bullish enthusiasm. The market never-theless displayed unmistakable firmness which appeared to be derived from a steady investment demand.

INCREASE SALARIES OF MONCTON LADY TEACHERS

Moncton, Feb. 2.—At a meeting of the Moncton School Board tonight, it was decided to increase the salaries of the lady teachers one hundred dollars a year.

WAS MAYOR OF GODERICH FOR SEVEN YEARS

Goderich, Ont., Feb. 2.—John Buller, who twenty years ago was a prominent figure in Goderich municipal life, died this morning at the age of 80 years.

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, Feb. 3.—CORN—American No. 2 yellow, 73 1/2 to 75 1/2. OATS—Canadian western No. 2, 43 1/2 to 45 1/2.

QUOTATIONS FOR MARITIME SECURITIES

Table with columns for security names, Ask, Bid, and price. Includes items like Acadia Fire, Acadia Sugar, and various bonds.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE LETTER

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Wheat—Market showed a little firmness, but so far values have held within narrow limits.

ROYAL ARMS

is familiar with thousands of lovers of honest Scotch in every land, the old established house of J. G. Thomson & Co., Ltd.

Table titled 'MONTREAL STOCKS' listing various stocks and their prices.

Table titled 'MONTREAL UNLTD SALES' listing morning and afternoon sales.

PRINTING advertisement for THE STANDARD JOB PRINTING CO. with contact information.

RED-CROSS GIN advertisement featuring an illustration of a man and a dog, and text describing the product's benefits.

Labatt's ALE advertisement featuring an illustration of a beer bottle and text describing the beverage.

System-Saving advertisement for The Bank of Nova Scotia, highlighting its savings department.

DOUGLAS FIR DOORS advertisement for HALEY BROS. & CO., describing the quality of their doors.

Catch the "Can't Wait" Customer advertisement for Christie Woodworking Co., Ltd.

COAL advertisement for R. P. & W. F. STARR, Ltd., advertising various types of coal.

SCOTCH COALS advertisement for GIBBON & CO., listing different grades of scotch coal.

500 TONS OF Best Lehigh American Hard Coal advertisement for GIBBON & CO.

"Lavatory Fittings" and Plumbers' Supplies advertisement for GANDY & ALLISON.

ALL THE LATEST NEWS FROM THE ATHLETIC WORLD

THOUSAND CHATHAM FANS SEE THEIR TEAM WIN FAST GAME

Special to The Standard. Chatham, N. B., Feb. 3.—Chatham defeated Campbellton in the greatest game seen on local ice in years, by a score of four to three, overtime being necessary to put the Miramichi in first place in the N. B. League.

Right Wing Mathews..... Duncan In the first period no score was made for eighteen minutes, then Duncan slashed in the first tally for Chatham from face off near Campbellton's net.

PACKEY WORTH \$85,000

When someone blatted forth the gladsome tidings that Packey McFarland had amassed a quarter of a million dollars in the ring Packey came back with howling denial.

A ST. JOHN TEAM WAS SNOWED UNDER

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Feb. 3.—By a score of 13 to 1 the U. N. B. hockey team defeated a team from St. John at the Arctic rink this evening.

RACER FLASHING OVER COURSE AT ST. MORITZ, SWITZERLAND.



On the Cresta Run, at St. Moritz, Switzerland, Lieutenant Gibbs, of the British royal yacht Victoria and Albert...

BARNEY DON'T LIKE COMPLAINTS

Barney Dryfus demurs to the title "Past Master in the Art of Schedule Drafting," but modestly admits that he has had a great deal of experience in this work.

MILLIONAIRES PUT ONE OVER ON SOCIALS

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 3.—The Millionaires had little trouble disposing of the Socials here last night, winning out with a 10 to 7 score.

ST. ANDREWS CURLERS LOSE AT BORDER

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, N. B., Feb. 3.—The St. Andrew's Curling Club of St. John defeated the local club here today with the following result:

THIS DATE IN RING ANNALS

Tuesday, Feb. 3, 1914. 1841—Ben Caunt defeated Nick Ward in England, and received a belt emblematic of his title.

SPORTOGRAPHY

It was twenty-six years ago today that Ike Weir, "the All Night Fighter," defended his title of feather weight champion of the world against George Siddons.

When the "All Night Fighter" Met the "All Day Fighter"

ened to stop the fight, so the game sports of Boston, Providence and New York were given the tip and the ring was pitched in a forest near the Rhode Island and Connecticut line.

MANAGER DOOLIN IS SORE AT FORMERPLAYERS

"Brennan and Killifer did not give us a chance at them," said Charley Doolin, discussing the question of the Federal League and the jumping of his men to the outlaws.

NEW GLASGOW BOWLING IS OUTPLAYED BY CRESCENTS

Halifax, Feb. 3.—The Crescents played rings around the Black Foxes and the hockey game at the arena to night, the score being 10 to 2 against New Glasgow.

BOWLING LEAGUES LAST NIGHT

The Ramblers won from the Pirates and St. Hayward Co. won from Ames Holden McCready, Ltd., on Black's alleys last night.

SUSSEX HAD IT ON ST. JOHN LAST NIGHT

Sussex, N. B., Feb. 3.—In the fastest hockey game seen here in years the St. John team went down to defeat before the home sextette by a score of 9 to 5.

CHANGES IN THE N. R. A.

Marksmen of the last generation and many others will regret the changes that seem pending in connection with the National Rifle Association meeting at Bisley.

GRAND BLOW OUT.

Chicago and New York fans have joined hands in planning a cordial reception when the globe-trotting Giants and White Sox reach home soil from the long exhibition tour.

ST. ANDREW'S LADIES WON.

St. Andrew's Thistles, Miss Austin, Miss Shaw, Mrs. G. H. McLeod, Miss Robson, Mrs. G. H. McLeod, Mrs. F. S. Thorne, Mrs. R. Sturges, Miss F. McLaren, skip..... 18 skip..... 5

White & Mackays' Special Selected Highland Whisky. Every drop brings the thought That's the flavor that suits me.

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Boston, Feb. 2.—had a touch of Mer er, to the keen dis coal and ice men. ton and vicinity has ing deep mud ever dealers are heavy the unseasonably An echo of the order case at W the Middlesex Cou today when a wr Glover's widow, M issued against S was returned. Mr Elmore, who is e dered man's estate charges Elmore at of a loan, and al ing a bank book, \$4,300, which the ivered to him. M of Cape Breton of a young woman chat, N. S., was a Glover in 1909, af swaled in 1912. Tuberculosis is ing in Boston and to the Boston Ass. Hot and control retort says that years, the death ra decreased only 47 per 1,000 inhabita 32 years, from 18 rate from this dis 42 to 15, or 66 per cents, ventilation, tariums and a b consumption are for the marked d The Rev. Roy of Portland, Episc in an address bef dian Club expres St. John and Ha natural winter p course the good in favor of the he failed to expla over the mounta at an advantage quet, was Dr. J. Bishop of the diocese. Bishop at Canadian poli said that the mat Empire should ne party fight. He should come to Canada should d contributing to Some of his hear Liberal party is instrumental in the defence que to Bishop parly been an ment by "Dakot he would not mal decision against or half of the l late Daniel S. Daniel S. Russel his sons William Russell. The lat years ago. A m put in a claim fo year later a Fr maintained the ng brother, an the longest ever The attorney's plant in Sherbro Canadian trade, policy of protect more. Boston, Tor's capital is A fund in aid for many years physical force Ireland as a nat Boston. Rossa During his car were made on h Miss Josephi daughter of the donald, of Halli Intercolombia, ra Leslie Largrook

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What Our Correspondents Have to Tell Us.

SAYS NEITHER QUALITY NOR QUANTITY... ST. JOHN'S NATURAL HUNTER PORT

Episcopal Bishop of Portland Tries to Boost His Own City.

FAMOUS RUSSELL CASE ABOUT ENDED Canadian Club of Boston Hears Addresses on Various Topics - An Echo of the Glover Will Case.

RUSSIA IN DANGER FROM ALCOHOLISM The Council of the Russian Empire was started recently by a dramatic appeal from Count Serge Witte, former Premier, to stop the consumption of spirits, which he declared, was leading Russia to ruin.

St. John's Episcopal church, Cambridge, last week.

Deaths of Former Provincial Peopie. The death of two people well known in New England...

YARMOUTH GAS LIGHT COMPANY SELLS PLANT Business has fallen off During Past Few Years - Might pull through under Aggressive Management.

Celebrated Russell Case. A celebrated and unique will contest lasting for three years has apparently been settled by the announcement by "Dakota Dan" Russell that he would not make an appeal from the decision against him in this contest...

REPORT OF MONTH AT HAMPSTEAD SCHOOL

Hampstead, Feb. 3.-K. S. Robertson, teacher. School was in session twenty-one days. Number of pupils enrolled twenty-eight. Pupils making perfect attendance: Stella Hastings, Ernest Thomson, Willis Wasson, Harold Stults, Chester Stults, George Thomson, Laura Thomson, George Carroll, Elizabeth Watson, Manfred Thomson, Florence Hastings, Florence Stults.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED. Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Colther announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen E. to Mr. J. Fredrick Crockett, of Dover, New Hampshire. The marriage is to take place this month.

SERIOUS RUNAWAY AT PORTAGE VALE Yoke Breaks and Horses Make Speedy Trip Down Hill - Driver Escapes, Uninjured.

Portage Vale, N. B., Feb. 3.-What might have been a very serious accident took place yesterday, when Byron Teakles was driving down a very steep hill, with a heavy load of wood, the neckyoke broke and the horses ran away down the hill with terrible speed.

Albert County Organization Purchases Three Fine Shorthorns for Breeding Purposes.

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Yarmouth, Feb. 2.-The plant of the Yarmouth Gas Company was sold today by the sheriff of the county of Yarmouth to Blake G. Burrill of Halifax, for the sum of \$10,000.

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BADLY ULCERATED LEG

Ram-Buk Cured Her When So Bad She Had to Use Crutches.

For varicose sores, bad leg, or chronic ulcers, Ram-Buk is without equal as a healer. A proof of this is just to hand from Montreal. Mrs. T. Edwards, of 164 Amherst St., writes: "Some time ago a bad sore broke out on my left leg near the ankle. For a week or two I did not heed it, but it got so bad that I could hardly walk. I sent for our doctor, and he told me that I would have to lay up with the wound. I did so for three weeks. At the end of that time the ulcer healed a little, but I could only move about by using crutches.

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WANTED. WANTED-Boys, fourteen to sixteen years of age residing in St. John, wanted for wholesale dry goods. Apply immediately to "Wholesale," care of Standard.

AGENTS WANTED-Salesmen \$50 per week selling one-hand egg-beater. Sample and terms 25c. Money refunded if unsatisfactory. Collette Mfg. Company, Collingwood, Ont.

WANTED-Agents to sell boxes for immediate delivery and 1914 delivery. Fundy Fox Co., 96 Princess Street, St. John, N. B.

WANTED-Two first-class harness makers. Apply Edward Hogan, 47 Waterloo Street.

SITUATIONS VACANT. LEARN BARBER TRADE-Few weeks required; tools free; positions secured; Moler System; twenty-two years established; modern method of teaching; write for particulars-MOLAR BARBER COLLEGE, 62F. St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal.

FOR SALE. SEWING MACHINE NEEDLES. All kinds, half dozen 17c by mail; New Home machines twenty per cent discount during the holidays; Wilcox & Gibbs machine \$15; W. & W. manufacturing machine \$10; White machine \$7. Domestic and all machines repaired-William Crawford, 105 Princess Street, St. John, N. B.

FOR SALE-Foxes for sale; seven pairs unpaired live red foxes for breeding purposes; good color; Northern New Brunswick caught; Murdoch MacKenzie, Sparky, N. B. Telephone address, Bristol, N. B.

FOR SALE-A good lot of work-horses and one or two drivers. Apply, The Hibbard Co., Limited, Fredericton, N. B.

SAWMILL PROPERTY FOR SALE OR RENT-Steam and water power plant in Victoria County is being offered at very low cost for immediate sale. Suitable terms can be made for renting and sawing out this season's cut of spruce and hardwood. Capacity about three million feet. For particulars write P. O. Box 376, St. John, N. B.

FOR SALE-Fifty ash sleighs for sale at Edgewood's, Stand for cash, sale and catalogue, Edgewood's, 115 City Road.

FOR SALE-Two sets, 65 ft. over all, 14 ft. 3 in. beam, 8 ft. deep, for sale with winches, 10 and 20 compound engines, surface condenser and pumps. All connections and pipes brass and copper. Address T. N. McGrath, Tusket, N. S.

TO LET. FLATS TO LET-Metcalfe Street, 2 flats, new house, modern, improved. Apply 69 Durham Street, Phone 65-4-1.

OFFICE TO LET-Nice large office in the Dearborn Building, 93 Prince William St.

TO LET-Rooms newly furnished, electric light, and heated, 168 King Street East.

NOTICE. PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be presented for enactment at the next session of the Provincial Legislature entitled "An Act respecting the paving of Streets and Sidewalks in the City of St. John." The objects desired to be attained by this Bill are:

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J. M. PHILLIPS, Manager.

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PUBLIC NOTICE. PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill entitled AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC HOSPITAL IN SAINT JOHN will be presented for enactment at the next session of the Legislature of New Brunswick. The objects of the bill are to fix a date for filing voters' lists in Municipal Elections; the enlargement of the term of Councilors to 3 years; and an indemnity of \$100. The Bill is intended to apply only to the Parishes in the County of Saint John.

Dated the 26th day of January, A. D. 1914. JAMES KING KELLEY, County Secretary.

NOTICE OF SALE. There will be sold at public auction on the 7th of February, 1914, at Chubb's Corner, Saint John, at 12 noon, in suit Lancaster Loan, Limited, vs. William G. Lee and others, all the interest of defendants in leasehold property situated in said City on Wall Street adjoining St. Paul's Church, having 62 feet front on Wall Street 75 feet in the rear, 148 on Burpee Avenue and 121 feet on its southern line.

For particulars and terms apply to undersigned solicitor. Dated 24th November, 1913. AMON A. WILSON, Master in Chancery. STEPHEN B. BUSTIN, Plaintiff's Solicitor.

ASSASSIN'S NOTICE. The Board of Assessors of Taxes for the City of Saint John hereby require all persons liable to be rated for the year 1914 forthwith to furnish to the Assessors true statements of all their property, real estate, personal Writals and income which is assessable under the "Saint John City Assessment Act, 1909," and hereby give notice that blank forms on which statements may be furnished can be obtained at the office of the Assessors, and that such statements must be filed in the office of the Assessors, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

Dated this Fifth day of January, A. D. 1914. ARTHUR W. SHARP, Assessor.

ASSASSIN'S NOTICE. URIA H. DRAKE, Assessor of Taxes. TIMOTHY T. TANTALOU, Assessor. JOHN ROSS, Assessor. Extra from the "Saint John City Assessment Act, 1909."

"Sec. 32. The Assessors shall ascertain, as nearly as possible, the personal property, and the income of any person, who has not brought in a statement in accordance with their notice as required by this law, and shall make an estimate thereof at the true value and amount, to the best of their information and belief, and such estimate shall be conclusive upon all persons who have not filed their statements in due time, unless they can show a reasonable excuse for the omission."

"Sec. 43. No person shall have an abatement unless he has filed with the Assessors the statement under oath within the time required; nor shall the Common Council, in any such case, sustain an appeal from the judgment of the Assessors, unless they shall be satisfied that there was good cause why the statement was not filed in due time as herein provided."

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PUBLIC NOTICE. The annual meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of the North End, will take place on Tuesday, 3rd of February, 1914, at the Library rooms, Union Hall, to hear reports read and transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

(Signed) A. B. FARMER, Secretary-Treasurer.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—increasing winds, mostly southerly to westerly, mild with a few showers of sleet or rain. Toronto, Feb. 3—The weather has been quite mild today from the peninsula of Ontario to western Quebec, also in the southern portion of the Maritime Provinces, but at the same time it remains very cold from Lake Superior westward. A few light falls have occurred in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, and light rain is falling tonight over Lake Erie.

AROUND THE CITY

A Small Fire. Last evening the fire department was called to Frederick Doyle's residence on the corner of Sydney and Broad streets for a fire which started in a front parlor. The room and contents were destroyed.

St. John County Lodge.

At the annual meeting of the St. John County Lodge of the Loyal Orange Association, held last evening, G. Earle Logan was elected county master and C. M. Lingley, the county secretary. A lengthy session was held but the business before the meeting was of a routine nature.

Common Points of Law.

At the regular meeting of the Fairville Methodist Brotherhood last evening, after routine business was transacted, F. A. Worrell delivered a very interesting and educational address on the common points of law. He spoke on wills, contracts and assaults and touched very instructively on various other matters of interest in every day law. The lecture was listened to by a large number.

Kennel Club.

The annual meeting of the St. John Kennel Club was held last evening. The reports showed the club to be making rapid progress along all lines. The officers were elected as follows: President, J. Verne McLellan; 1st vice-president, J. W. LeBlond; 2nd vice-president, J. LeLachur; secretary, treasurer, E. Alban Sturdee. Executive committee, LeBaron Wilson, Humphrey J. Sheehan, Charles Conway, Charles Connelly and Robert Magee. A dog show on an extensive scale will be held early next fall. The financial report showed the club to be on a sound basis.

Will Aid Fire Sufferers.

Tonight the entire gate money taken in by the Moose at the Country Fair will be donated to the fund to render assistance to those who suffered through the fire which destroyed the Metropole. This will amount to a considerable sum and will be received with keen appreciation by the sufferers. The prize winners at the fair last evening were as follows: Gentlemen's bean board, L. Estey, half dozen cut glass tumblers; ladies bean board, Mrs. McCormack, a brass lamp. The prize for the best makeup for the evening was won by George Duplaisie. The toss of the ladies' bean toss prize for Monday evening was won by Mrs. Estey of Fairville.

COM. WIGMORE SCORES CURB STONE FIREMEN

No Good Reason for Criticism of Water Service at Metropole Fire—Ten Streams.

Com. Wigmore stated yesterday that there was no good reason for criticism of the water service at the Metropole fire, and that there were always curb stone firemen who had something to say about the water pressure. "One stream," said the Commissioner, "was no good for a time, because the nozzle scattered the water. That the fault was with the nozzle was shown by the fact that it fell out. When a new nozzle was put on, this line of hose gave a very good stream. There were ten lines of hose playing on the fire, including the hose supplying the water tower. The fire chief was well satisfied with the pressure, and underwriters came to me and congratulated me on the excellence of the water service. "There was a better pressure at the fire on Germaine street," he added, "because the pipes supplying that district are larger than those serving the hydrants around the Metropole."

Schooner Harry Miller has arrived

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DIED.

HARRIS—Entered into rest at his residence, Broadman street, Moncton, N. B., Sunday morning, February 1st, 1914, Christopher P. Harris, in his 77th year. Funeral from his late home, Wednesday afternoon, February 4th at 3 o'clock.

JEWELS, FURS AND SILVER TAKEN BY BOLD BURGLARS

Residence of E. Ross Fenwick, 83 Summer Street, Entered Sometime Monday Night—Thief Made Careful Search and Took Only Valuable Goods.

Probably one of the most successful robberies, from the standpoint of money stolen, that has occurred in the city for some time, was brought to the attention of the police at an early hour yesterday morning, when it was discovered that the residence of E. Ross Fenwick, manager of the Dunlop Tire and Rubber Goods Co., at 83 Summer street, had been broken into during Monday evening and that valuable furs, jewelry and other expensive articles had been removed. From the house, during the absence of the occupants, just what the total amount the thief or thieves made off with, The Standard is not in a position to state, but it is known that among the articles stolen were a fur coat valued at \$150 and two costly rings, and it is safe to say that the number of articles stolen including wearing apparel, jewelry, silverware and other valuables will figure well up in the hundreds of dollars. Made acquainted with the facts of the case the police are now hot on the trail, but little evidence is available that will lead to the detection of the burglars. To all appearances the theft was carefully planned, for entrance to the building was made while Mr. and Mrs. Fenwick were absent from the house.

POINT NEED OF HIGH MORE MISSION WORK

Anglican Branch of Laymen's Missionary Movement Advances Another Step—Deliver Addresses.

The work of the Anglican branch of the Laymen's Missionary Movement in St. John was advanced another step last evening, when a meeting attended by fully 300 men was held in St. John's (Stone) church school house. Spirited addresses, dealing with men and their relations to the missionary movement were given by Bishop Richardson, Dr. Archibald, missionary in India, D. M. Rose, secretary of the Anglican Laymen's Missionary Movement, and R. W. Allen, educational secretary of the Missionary Society of the Anglican Church in Canada. P. D. Tilley, M. L. A., presided. Those present first assembled at a banquet provided by the members of the Women's Missionary Association, and after the good things had been thoroughly enjoyed, Mr. Tilley called the assembly to order and introduced His Lordship Bishop Richardson. His Lordship told of some of the activities of the laymen of the church in missionary matters and pointed out lines of new activities. St. John laymen had done a great part towards holding the missionary work of the church and had contributed generously, but the canvas had not been complete. The laymen would stand behind the canvas and do the brunt of the work. Immigration. Mr. Allen spoke on Canadian immigration. He thought immigration would be the cause of a critical situation in Canada. Vast crowds were pouring into the Dominion from distant parts of the world. The Bible said that the gospel should be preached to all colors and nationalities. There was a medley of languages in Canada and it was necessary to do missionary work among those of foreign birth. During the last fiscal year 402,432 people had come into Canada from the ends of the earth. Mr. Allen quoted from the utterance of President Murray of Saskatchewan University, who said that eighteen murders had taken place within a radius of eighteen miles in the northwest. These murders were mostly among those of foreign birth. Other prominent men in close touch with the situation in the west had said that the Japanese were better in many ways than some of the people from southeast Europe. There was a possibility of having more people of foreign birth than could be assimilated and that Canada would start to have a very bad dose of indigestion in its national make-up. There were too many laymen shutting their eyes to existing conditions. Immigrants were coming from the United States and those from the great west, in many cases, have no great regard for religion. The Chinese. Although Chinese had to pay \$500 a head, more than 25,000 had come into Canada in the last six months. Too many men looked on this from a business point of view instead of considering the national character of the Canadian nation. "The question of Oriental immigration," said the speaker, "will never be solved on a commercial basis." Mr. Allen pointed out that the rural population had not increased at the same rate as urban population. Very few Japs or Chinamen were in the rural districts, in fact the most undesirable element of the population was in the cities. Religious life was necessary for the expansion of Canada. The best ideals should be set before the people in the churches to do their share. Conditions in India. Dr. Archibald told of conditions in India. "Seven million people have died there since I left last March," he said, "and at the same rate it present but he would not divulge the cause." On the voyage across the Atlantic Rogers took occasion to tear up a large quantity of papers and toss them through the porthole into the sea. This happened after he had slammed the door in the face of a steward and his actions were so suspicious that the steward went on deck and watched, seeing the papers being thrown over.

HORSE IN A WILD BOLT

Animal Owned by Forestell Bros. Raced Through North End Streets—Sleigh Smashed to Pieces.

In a wild runaway in the North End yesterday, terminating in a collision with a telegraph pole, the horse of Forestell Bros., corner Rockland road and Millidge street, attached to a delivery sleigh, was injured and the sleigh smashed, while several children playing on the streets narrowly escaped injury. Becoming frightened when the driver was delivering goods in a house off Cranston avenue, the spirited animal bolted along the street and tearing down Cranston avenue with the sleigh swerving from one side of the road to the other he turned and raced along Rockland road. Attempts to bring the horse to a standstill were of no avail, and continuing in his wild race he speedily covered the distance between there and the corner of Millidge street where he turned and bolted down the hill toward Paradise Row at full speed. Several children were coasting on the hill at the time and the lives of the little ones were endangered. When the horse reached the foot of Millidge street and was just turning into Paradise Row he was checked by colliding with a telegraph pole. The vehicle was smashed in the collision and the animal received some injuries.

NO GLUE YET TO HOLD-UPS

Officer Stinson Working on Case—Robert Ross Relieved of \$174—Conducting Strict Search.

Police Officer William Stinson of Fairville is working on the Ross hold up case which occurred in Milford on Monday afternoon, but as yet there is no clue as to the guilty parties. The robbery took place on Monday afternoon, when Robert Ross, a meat dealer on Main street, was held up while going from Milford to Kingsville, and robbed of \$174. Mr. Ross had been in Milford collecting during the early part of the afternoon, after which he started to walk to Kingsville. While going through the woods some distance west of Milford two men came up and drawing their arms forced the man to hold up his hands while they relieved him of the money. They then disappeared.

ROGERS ADMITS HE WAS WITH MURDERED MAN

Says Another Man was also Present, but Refuses to Give His Name—Destroyed Papers.

George Rogers, the man who arrived on the Allan liner Granplan a few days ago, and whose name has been connected with the murder of a man in England, is still detained here. In conversation with an officer the man, giving his name as Rogers, stated that he had been with Reeks the night before the murder, there was another man present but he would not divulge the name. On the voyage across the Atlantic Rogers took occasion to tear up a large quantity of papers and toss them through the porthole into the sea. This happened after he had slammed the door in the face of a steward and his actions were so suspicious that the steward went on deck and watched, seeing the papers being thrown over.

OLD PROVINCE MEN WANT TO COME BACK

Secretary of Farm Settlement Board Receives Letters Telling of Desire to Recover Homesteads.

Men who sold farms in New Brunswick and went in search of fame and fortune in the west and other places are beginning to regret their action and to wish themselves back on the old homestead, according to letters being received by the secretary of the Farm Settlement Board. Yesterday Mr. Gilchrist received two letters of this character. One was from a man in the far west, who confessed that he had made a great mistake in leaving New Brunswick, and expressing the wish that Mr. Gilchrist would see if it was not possible to get his old homestead back from the man he sold out to. Another letter from Ontario was

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