

The Times

THE PAPER THE TIMES THE PEOPLE READ



THE WEATHER

Variable winds, cloudy, with light local snow or sleet today. A southerly breeze increases, with rain before night.

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MONCTON AGITATED OVER LIQUOR SPOTTERS BILLS

The Spotter System Not Very Popular With Moncton Aldermen

One Sleuth Who Agreed to Secure Convictions for Violation of the C. T. A. at \$5 Each is Now in Jail Himself on Charge of Selling Liquor.

Moncton, Feb. 5.—(Special)—There was a lively discussion at the meeting of the police committee yesterday afternoon over the question of Scott Act spotters.

WANT TO PUBLISH TOLSTOVS WORKS

Moscow Publishing House Planning to Give the World the Complete Writings of Russian Author.

Moscow, Feb. 5.—A local publishing house is planning to bring out the long Premier Stolypin, the celebrated works of Count Leo Tolstoy, an undertaking that up to the present time has been impossible in Russia, because of the censorship and the difficulties in the matter of paying royalties.

ASKS RECONSIDERATION OF THE JAP. SCHOOL BILL

President Roosevelt is Very Anxious to Block Drastic Legislation Passed in California.

Sacramento, Calif., Feb. 5.—Gov. Gillett will send a message to the assembly today asking that body to reconsider the bill which yesterday passed in the senate.

PARTRIDGES AND DEER FOR GRAND MANAN ISLAND

The most generous offer of partridges and deer has been received at Grand Manan Island for breeding purposes, these kinds of game having become extinct there. The matter was referred to the first monthly report of A. B. Wilton, immigration agent, was received at the Canadian Antelope Co. for exemption from royalties under restrictions.

FIVE HUNDRED CATTLE AND 1,500 SHEEP DROWN

Marysville, Cal., Feb. 5.—Five hundred cattle and a dozen deer were drowned last night and 1,500 sheep perished near Colusa. It is estimated that the damage from the flood in Colusa county is \$1,000,000.

A DISASTROUS FIRE IN VIRGINIAN TOWN

Charlottesville, Va., Feb. 5.—The most disastrous fire here in 24 years early today destroyed property valued at \$250,000.

SUPREME COURT REFUSES A NEW TRIAL IN HARRIS CASE

Famous St. John Elevator Case Which Has Been Tried Three Times Was up Again Today and Verdict for Plaintiff Was Confirmed—Other Judgments Given.

Fredericton, Feb. 5.—(Special)—The supreme court met this morning pursuant to adjournment and delivered judgments in the following cases. Wm. Fisher vs. the Town of Woodstock. This was an application to set aside a verdict for the defendant in a suit to recover for a quantity of curbing stones sold to the town.

EUGENE AZEF IS IN SORRY PLIGHT

He is Being Hunted by the Russian Government, as Well as by the Fighting Socialists.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 5.—Eugene Azeff is now being hunted by the government as well as by the fighting Socialists, the organization that has declared him a traitor and condemned him to death. He was for a long time one of the leaders of the Socialists at the same time he acted as a spy for the government.

ANOTHER CASE OF UNSUCCESSFUL MARRIAGE

Churchill Parker in Police Court Today Charged With Assault on His Wife.

For the third time within two weeks, the searchlight of justice was focused on the 19th avenue, in this case he did not succeed in his attempt to get his wife back.

HON. GEO. E. FOSTER IS MILDLY SURPRISED

At the Announcement That Newspapers Are Still Published Here—'Are They as Wicked as Ever' He Asks.

Hon. George E. Foster arrived in the city from Ottawa on today's Atlantic Express. To newspaper men he stated that he was down here on private business.

MR. REID WAS MISLED BY FAKE NEWSPAPER WARNS

CLEAR AWAY THE POLITICAL MISTS

Hon. Chas. Langelier's Political Memoirs from 1878 to 1890 Throw Light Upon Some Things in Quebec Politics.

Montreal, Feb. 5.—(Special)—Hon. Chas. Langelier's long expected political memoirs from 1878-90 have appeared, and clear up some political matters of that period.

ORPHANAGE BURNED; THREE BABIES LOST

Out of Thirty-seven Children in Battle Creek Home, it is Believed Three Have Been Burned

Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 5.—The Haskell Memorial Home, a three and a half story brick orphanage, located on the western boundary of this city, was destroyed by fire early today.

GERMANY THREATENED WITH SERIOUS FLOODS

Berlin, Feb. 5.—Heavy rains, accompanied by warm weather, are causing a rapid melting of the snow in central and western Germany, and as a result the rivers are rising and serious freshets and inundations are threatened.

EMPERESS OF IRELAND IN AFTER A RECORD PASSAGE

Big C. P. R. Liner Arrived This Morning After a Splendid Trip—Broke All Records for Trip from Liverpool to Halifax.

After a remarkably fine trip for this time of year and establishing a new record of five days and nineteen hours from Liverpool to Halifax, the C. P. R. royal mail steamer Empress of Ireland, in command of J. V. Forster, R. N. R., arrived at St. John's this morning.

DOES NOT REMEMBER WHERE HE GOT LIQUOR

Dave Hennessy's Memory Suddenly Failed Him When Questioned in Police Court This Morning.

Where did David Hennessy procure the liquor? That is the problem which Police Judge Ritchie today earnestly requested the police to aid the inspector in solving.

A "DRY ZONE"

Dominion Police Commissioner Announces a Prohibition Belt in Algoma and Thunder Bay

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 5.—(Special)—W. A. Quinell, Dominion commissioner of police, announces that prohibition is being enforced in the Algoma and Thunder Bay districts.

TWO CHILDREN ARE BURNED TO DEATH

Another Instance Where Parents Are Bereft of Their Children Through Carelessness.

Wickham Station, Que., Feb. 5.—(Special)—Another case of parents leaving children alone at home has resulted seriously.

CAN'T GRANT MEDALS

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 5.—The Carnegie Hero Commission announces that it will be unable to grant hero medals to Captain Sealby of the Republic, and Jack Bains, wireless operator, as their gallant deeds were performed beyond the three mile limit, consequently outside of the United States.

MONTREAL STOCKS

Montreal, Feb. 5.—(Special)—Stocks continued mostly strong today, with Twin City the heaviest trader at 105 to 106. Detroit was also higher at 81.4.

THE POULTRY SHOW

Quite a Large Number of Poultry Fanciers Were in Attendance Today.

The poultry show was visited by a large number of bird fanciers today. The judging was completed at noon, but had not been made up, so was not available for publication.

THE TAG DAY

Ladies Interested in the Free Kindergarten Are Laboring Hard to Make it a Success.

The Tag Day on the 13th February in aid of the Free Kindergarten promises to be a big success and is something very new in this part of Canada.

GERMAN FLOODS DOING GREAT DAMAGE

Berlin, Feb. 5.—The floods in Germany caused by several days' heavy rain, a spell of warm weather, are today taking on a most serious aspect in many parts of the country.

FREDERICTON NEWS

Spotter Byles, who is under arrest for perjury in the Scott Act case, was before Justice Bosty this morning, and remanded to jail until next Tuesday.

Knit-to-fit
 COMBINATION SUITS
 Ladies delight in these perfect fitting undergarments. They are knitted all in one piece—not cut to fit—and have no clumsy seams to irritate the skin. The special weave at throat and around the waist (as illustrated) shows how the Knit-to-fit Suits prevent that uncomfortable "bunching." Silk hand crochet around neck and down the front, cuffs and ankles.

All sizes—all weaves—in all fabrics, from silk to cotton. Write for illustrated catalogue if your dealer does not handle Knit-to-fit.

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A Mysterious Disappearance
 By Gordon Holmes
 A Great Detective Story

(Continued.)
 Mr. Sadler was fully aware of the bar-rister's penchant for investigating myster-ies. The two had often fore-gathered in that past.
 "Are you busy?" said Bruce.
 "Not a bit, by-by, Jack. See you at luncheon tomorrow at the Gorgonzola. Well, what is it?"
 "I want you to come with me to the Duke's. There's a young lady there I'm interested in."
 Billy squeezed round in the hansom, which was now howling across a corner of Trafalgar Square.
 "You," he cried. "After a girl! Is she in the profession? Is mamma frightened about her angel? The correct figure for a beach just now, my boy, is five thou."
 "Oh, it's nothing serious. I will tell you all about it when matters have cleared a bit. It is a mere item in a really big story. But, here we are. Take me straight to the supper-room."
 As they entered the comfortable brightly-lit club the strains of a band came pleasantly to their ears, and in a minute they were installed at a corner table in the splendid room devoted to the most chery of all gatherings—a Bohemian meal when the labors of the night are past.
 Bruce soon marked his quarry. Jane Harding was in great form—eating, drink- ing, and talking at the same time.
 "Who is that, Billy?" he said, indicat- ing the girl.
 "Sadler carefully balanced his pipe on his well-tended nose, gazed, and laugh- ed. "Goodness knows. She's a new-comer, and not much at the best. Do you know where she carries a banner?"
 "At the Jolly."
 "Oh! then here's our man!"—for a Mephistophelian gentleman was passing at the moment. "Say, Rosenheim, who's the new corymbe over there?"
 Mephistophiles halted, looked at Jane and laughed, too. "Her name is Miss Marie Le Marchant, but as she happened to be here in London she pronounces it Marie Lee Marchant, with the accent on the 'Mahe.' Anything else you would like to know?"
 "Yes, I'm stuck on her! Where did you pick her up?"
 "She's a housemaid, or something of the sort. Came into money. Wants to knock 'em on the stage. The rest is easy."
 "Has she been with you long?" put in Claude, as their informant was the under- manager of the Jolly.
 Mr. Rosenheim glanced at him. Sadler he knew, had no interest in the girl, and the bar-rister did not quite possess the ju- venile appearance that warranted such solicitude.
 "She joined us just before Christmas. What's up? Is she really worth a lot of 'em?"
 "I should imagine not," laughed Bruce, and Mr. Rosenheim joined another group. Supper ended, Marie and Billy, and the Flossie, attended by their waiters, dis- cussed coffee and cognac in the foyer.
 Chance separated Miss Le Marchant, as she may now be known, momentarily from the others, and Bruce darted forward.
 "Good-evening," he said. "I am delig-hted to meet you here."
 The girl recognized him instantly. She would have denied her identity, but her nerves failed her before those steadfast, penetrating eyes. Moreover, it was not an ill thing for such a well-bred, well-dressed man to acknowledge her so openly.
 "Good-evening, Mr. Bruce," she said, with a smile of assurance, though her voice faltered a little.
 He resolved to make the situation easy. "We have not met for such a long time," he said, "and I am simply dying to have a talk with you. I am sure your friends will pardon me if I carry you off for five minutes to a quiet corner."
 With a smile, Miss Le Marchant took his proffered arm, and they went off to an unoccupied table.
 "Now, Jane Harding," said he, with some degree of sternness in his manner, "the good enough to explain to me why you are passing under a false name, and the reasons which led you to leave Sir Charles Dyke's house in such a particu- larly disagreeable way."
 "Disagreeable? I only left in a hurry. Who had any right to stop me?"
 "No one, in a sense, except that Sir Charles Dyke may feel inclined to pro-secute you."
 "For what, Mr. Bruce?"
 This emancipated servant girl was not such a simpleton as she looked. It was necessary to frighten her and at the same time to force her to admit the facts.

Fashion Hint for Times Readers

A SMART WAY TO CARRY THE AUTO VEIL.
 There is a fad among the younger women who motor for knitting the veil in scarf fashion around the auto hat or cap when one leaves the car temporarily. This method is better for the veil than thrusting it carelessly into the coat pocket, and if the chignon acquires a becoming color the style is rather attractive and con-venient. The motor coat pictured here is one of the winter's best models, and is built of black pony skin with a storm collar of gray squirrel.

FIRST DIVISION GIVES THE GOVERNMENT 42 MAJORITY

If All the Government Members Had Been Present Larger—Frederick Collector of Customs to be Superannuated.

Ottawa, Feb. 4.—The strength of the two political parties in the new parlia-ment was tested for the first time in the House of Commons today. The first divi-sion showed a government majority of forty-two.

There is always a great deal of inter-est in the first division and upon the count of the clerk a great many election voters depend. The house divided today upon a want of confidence resolution by Dr. Reid of Grenville, relating to the opening and receiving of tenders, and upon the amend-ment from the government side moved by Hugh Guthrie.

There had been a great effort by the whigs of the opposition to rally the Con-servative strength for the purpose of making the best possible showing by the side of the left of the speaker. The Liberal whigs had been no less energetic and as there were a number of the government supporters unavoidably absent the result of the division was regarded with great satisfaction by the government and with disappointment by the Conservatives.

Divisions are frequently preceded, while the bell is ringing and the members are being gathered, by a good deal of hilar-ity in the chamber. The rules are then relaxed for a moment's merriment. To-day the sounding of the division bell was the signal for calls for a song and Mr. Dubeau, of Joliet, one of the French members who has the gift of music, raised his voice to the tune of "Oh Canada," both sides joining with great heartiness.

When order was established after the doors had been closed votes in favor of the amendment were called for by the speaker. Sir Wilfrid Laurier was the first to vote in favor of the amendment. It was the hall of a victorious cheer by the follow-ers whom he had led through a cam-paign to a great political triumph. As man after man on the government side stood up to vote he was applauded, the cheers for the new members and particu-larly those who won Conservative rid-ings, were given with great heartiness.

When the names were called for, the opposition found opportunity to cheer with vigor for their leader and their elected. The announcement of the figures of the division by the clerk was the sign for cheering and counter cheering. The de-monstration indicated that the new parlia-ment is exuberant and full of spirit.

Among those whose votes could not be recorded were Hon. Mr. Fielding and MacKenzie King, who are absent from the country, and Mr. Congdon, who is on his long journey down the Yukon; W. E. MacLean and Mr. Bristol were not on hand to vote with the opposition; Joseph Russell, who beat Mr. Kemp, the Conser-vative nominee in east Toronto, voted with the opposition, as was expected, and Mr. Verville, the labor representative of Hochelaga voted with the government. The division was strictly a party one.

Before the division there was a short discussion of Dr. Reid's resolution and of the amendment submitted last week by Hugh Guthrie. H. H. Miller pointed out that under the present system receiv-ing and opening tenders there was no possibility of irregularity. The fact was prominent Conservatives had been award-ed tenders in competition with Liberals.

Mr. Borden at this point arose to a point of order that Mr. Miller was not adhering to the motion before the house. Mr. Borden contended that the present system of opening and receiving tenders did not provide sufficient safeguard against collusion and wrongdoing.

After a speech by K. MacLean, of Lunenburg, summing up the arguments in favor of the amendment, the debate closed, and the division stood 118 Liberals and 76 Conservatives.

The motion for the second reading of Mr. Bickerdike's bill to amend the crim-

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No hard work and no dirty work. No mixing—no mess.

"BLACK KNIGHT" is all ready to use. Just apply it to the stove—give a few rubs with cloth or brush and lo! the stove will shine like an electric light at night.

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PUGSLEY AS HOST OF ST. JOHN MEN

Minister of Public Works Entertained Civic Delegation and New Brunswick Liberals at Pleasant Luncheon.

Ottawa, Feb. 4.—A very pleasant luncheon took place this afternoon in the House of Commons restaurant, when the minister of public works gave luncheon to the Liberal members from New Brunswick whom he invited to meet the St. John delegation, Mayor Bullock and Alderman Frink and T. H. Estabrooks. The minister of railways was another guest.

When proposing the toast of the City of St. John, and later responding to that in his own honor, Dr. Pugsley pointed out how for many years the city had a stony road to travel, how many difficul-ties had been surmounted, and now the city was in a fair way for speedy develop-ment.

He emphasized the importance of the recognition of St. John's needs as a na-tional character by the capital provided for nearly half a million provided for in the estimates.

Talking upon the reduction in his own estimates of nearly \$8,000,000, he assured them that public works under considera-tion had not been abandoned but simply postponed. He asked the members from the province to work as hard as they could for the city, and in his interest of the other. He paid a high compliment to the delegates, and in his introduction Mr. Estabrooks, spoke of him as a merchant whose name was known throughout all Canada.

All of the delegates made brief but pertinent replies, the mayor, alluding brief-ly to the character of their consultations with the minister, pointed out what St. John had done to assist the rest of Can-ada in providing a port and now the city was unable to spend anything further for this.

Alderman Frink paid a high compli-ment to the minister who was always ready to listen and do what he could to assist. He spoke of the evolution of the harbor and many questions, one of which was before him at present, and he was confident that a favorable solu-tion was in sight.

Mr. Estabrooks spoke from a business standpoint of the importance of the city and province standing by one another. Whatever was the outcome of their con-sultation he knew the matter was being approached with a view to the best in-terests of St. John. He made compli-mentary references to the character of the work Dr. Pugsley has done for St. John.

Col. McLean, who was in the vice-chair, supplemented these remarks and gave the minister great credit for his splendid work all over Canada.

Hon. Mr. Graham was called away early to attend a cabinet meeting.

The St. John delegates remain over until tomorrow morning when they leave for Montreal en route for St. John.

NEWFOUNDLAND HAS MADE HER OWN TERMS

Sir Robert Bond Secures Concessions Before Reaching Agreement on Fisheries Dispute With United States—The Hague Will Consider the Whole Question.

Washington, Feb. 4.—It was said tonight in official quarters that Ambassador Bryce and the Newfoundland authorities have reached an agreement in the matter of the question in the fisheries controversy to be submitted to the Hague court for arbitration. Some concessions were made to the colonial government at the recent conference in Washington between Mr. Bryce, Secretary Root and Minister Kent, of Newfoundland, which were incorporated in the treaty signed with reservations by Mr. Bryce and Mr. Root.

This compromise was won over the New-foundland authorities and as soon as the signed treaties are formally exchanged, the American copyright treaty will be sent to the senate for ratification.

State department officials are anxious to obtain action upon it before the present session of congress expires.

St. John's, Nfld., Feb. 4.—Sir Robert Bond, the premier, announced tonight that an agreement on the fisheries dispute be-tween the United States and Newfound-land had been reached and that New-foundland had gained certain concessions.

The government claims that the terms of the agreement as a whole are of a satis-factory character. It is announced that the Americans agreed to the arbitration of the question of their rights to fish with-in the inlets of the west coast. The Americans have contended that the treaty of 1818 gave them the unquestioned right to fish only along the seaboard. At Wash-ington it is pointed out by Representatives of the United States that the American vessels had fished in these inlets for ninety years without question until Premier Bond objected in 1905.

Should the Hague tribunal, before which the whole fisheries dispute will be taken, decide that the treaty of 1818 does not give the Americans the right to fish in the west coast inlets, the important frozen herring industry, in which scores of New England vessels are engaged each year will have to be abandoned.

Other features of the agreement were not made public here.

MADE MONEY ON THE STATE OWNED 'PHONE

Winnipeg, Feb. 4.—The legislature opened today. The King's speech made a record for brevity, being under 300 words. After congratulating the provinces on the abundant harvest, it states that a most substantial surplus has been obtained from the operation of the telephone system, a demonstration that the purchase from the Bell Company was not only a wise meas-ure, but good business. The system will be energetically developed throughout the province.

NONE WOULD HAVE HIM.
 He—Yes, I have decided never to marry. She—Then you have proposed to all the eligible girls in town?

The Times Daily Puzzle Picture

Only One "BROMO QUININE"
 That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. Grove. Dosed the World over. Cures a Cold in One Day. 25c.

EDWARD HANLON DIED A POOR MAN
 Toronto, Feb. 4.—(Special)—The late Ed-ward Hanlon, former champion swimmer of the world, left an estate composed of \$342. The amount is the residue of a life insurance policy taken out in the North American Life, which policy was assign- ed in full to the late George Gooderham. The sum mentioned is the amount of the policy that the widow of Hanlon will re-ceive. The orphan left no will.

HED BETTER NOT.
 Sapsley—You'll guarantee that these pa-jamas are good and strong? Salesman—Yes, I don't think you'll ever wear them out.

Where is the man the boys are snowballing?
 ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.
 Upside down, behind man.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
 CURE FOR KIDNEY DISEASE
 RHEUMATISM
 GOUT
 GRAVEL
 BRONCHITIS
 ASTHMA
 SCURVY
 AND ALL THE URINARY AFFECTIONS

FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

N.Y. STOCK MARKET.

Table with columns for stock names (e.g., Anaconda, Am. Smelting) and their respective prices.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Table with columns for commodity names (e.g., May Wheat, July Wheat) and their prices.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Table with columns for cotton grades (e.g., March, May, July) and their prices.

N. Y. FINANCIAL BUREAU

Special bullish operations should continue while the general list marks time. The stock market, however, is exhibiting a better tone as a whole and seems to be gaining technical strength again.

TO MAKE TAFT A MASON AT SIGHT

President-Elect of United States Can Join the Order Without "Riding the Goat"—Is a High Honor. Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 4.—The grand master of Ohio Masons, Charles S. Hoekinson, of Zanesville, has tendered to William Howard Taft, president-elect of the United States, the rare and high honor of being made a Mason at sight.

BATON IS ONLY FOR SELF DEFENCE

Under no circumstances whatever, except in case of self-defence must a peace officer use his baton. Such is the contention upheld today by Judge Lett in the case of Robert Abbott against City Constable Wilfrid Masse, who was found guilty of assaulting Abbott on Jan. 14.

A CURIOSITY?

Some months ago the statement was credited to one of the really prominent medical men of this continent that in twenty-five years, provided proper preventive measures were adopted, a case of consumption would be so rare as to be almost a curiosity.

THE DEVELOPMENT OF MELVILLE, SASK.

Melville, Sask., Feb. 5.—(Special.)—According to the telegraphic advice received from Montreal, Edson J. Chamberlain, manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific, R. R., will arrive here in early February on a trip of inspection.

SUMMARY.

Americans in London heavy, 1-8 to 3-8 below parity. London market regular, with copper stocks weaker, but some strength in tin.

"WOMEN!"

"Are You Nervous?" The results of modern civilization are evidenced in an increase of nervous disorders. It could not be otherwise with the way we eat, drink, sleep, and keep up a continual round of excitement.

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

come along with their nerve-strengthening and energizing properties, and restore them to the office. A short time ago, writes Mr. Wm. Levi, Markdale, Ont., "I had for several years been troubled with nervousness, and like many others, spent a lot of money on the best of the best, but would jump and my heart would thump and thump and I was not able to sleep on my left side at night. I saw a few testimonials of others and decided to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and I found them to try them and they effected a cure. I can endorse their value."

THE GOVERNMENT AND HUDSON BAY RAILWAY

Ottawa, Feb. 4.—Up to the present construction of the Hudson Bay Railway has been more than 2,000,000 acres of land sold and more than \$8,000,000 realized through the sale of land in the west under the pre-emption bill of last session.

INTERESTING ITEMS

Ungar's teams are constantly on the go in every street in St. John. Half an acre, and know what it is to be unburdened of your wash.

SOME VALUABLE HINTS FOR OILING THE DOMESTIC WHEELS

When sewing on cloth buttons use a curved surgeon's needle. Common baking soda on a wet cloth will never fail to remove finger marks and dirt from white woodwork and white beds. Don't light the kitchen fire unless there is water in the boiler. If not the rush of cold water is liable to crack the boiler.

THE SHIPPING WORLD

Delaware Breakwater, Feb. 3.—The Norwegian steamer "Fram," which arrived at St. John, N. B., on Feb. 2, is expected to depart for Montreal tomorrow.

REPORTS AND DISPATCHES

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VESSLS IN PORT

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MARINE NEWS

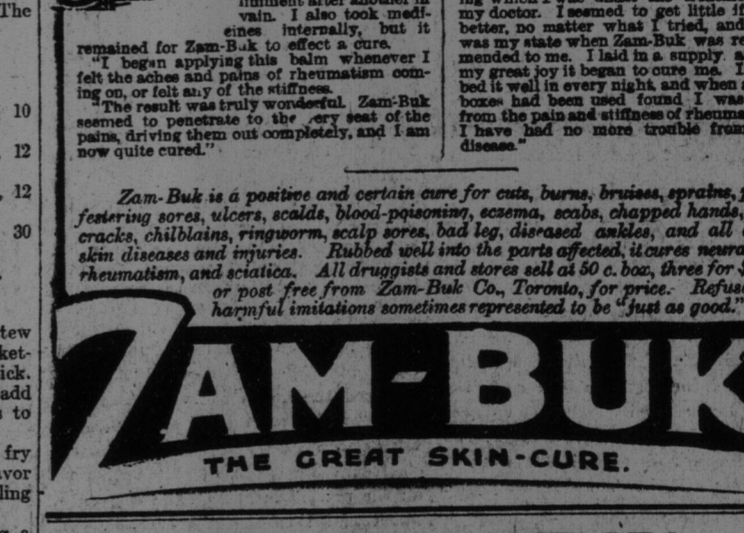
With the round trip of Jan. 20th, Capt. James G. Fothergill, commander of the D. A. M. steamer performing the mail, passenger and freight service between St. John and Digby, completed a twelve months' service without a break, in all 21 trips—187 days.

CHANGES EVERY DAY

First Publisher—Hear you've published an authentic history of South America. Second Publisher—Well, it was authentic last night at 8 o'clock.

THE MATISM & STIFF JOINTS

When you have any deep-seated pain in the joints, the back, the wrists, or elsewhere, place a liberal supply of Zam-Buk on the fingers, or on the palm of the hand, and rub it in. The penetrating power of this "embrocation-balm," kills pain and removes stiffness.



MESSAGE FROM THE SEA IS IT HOAX OR TRAGEDY?

Bottle Picked up and Taken to Portland, Me., May be Either the Work of a Joker or a Clue to a Death on a Lonely Island. (Portland, Me., Argus.) "Bill Lorna, of Moncton, N. B., died on a French Island, Nov. 8, 1908."

MISER'S ESTATE GOES TO LAWYERS

Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 4.—Shortly after George Washington Todd's death here it was discovered that he had a bank account of \$300.00. Publication of the news brought swarms of alleged heirs to the city and Hamilton lawyers had the best of it.

BURNED TO DEATH

Lovell, Mass., Feb. 4.—Albert G. Norcross, aged 77, of 34 Stackpole street, this city, was burned to death tonight by setting fire to his clothing while he was carrying upstairs to his bedroom.

FOR SALE

10 South African Veteran LAND GRANTS PRICE \$425.00 EACH Address: Box 62, CITY

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1909

STOCK-TAKING SALE!

We Cut Loose Friday Morning at 9 o'clock, and we are going to stir up a Bargain Storm that will make all the other sales held seem like a dead calm.

Read Some of Our Price List: Men's Dept. Ladies' Dept.

- MEN'S OVERCOATS, Different Tweeds and Colors, \$6.50 to \$12.00... Now \$4.45
MEN'S MELTON AND BEAVER OVERCOATS, \$12.50 to \$22.00... Now \$7.98
MEN'S SUITS in Tweed and Woolsens, all colors, \$6.50 to \$18.00, Now \$3.98 to \$7.98

- LADIES' COATS, in different styles and Tweed, \$8.00 to \$12.00... Now \$3.98
LADIES' BLACK BEAVER COATS, the latest made, \$10.50 to \$18.00... Now \$7.98
LADIES' SUITS, all colors and styles, nicely trimmed, \$8.00 to \$18.00, Now \$4.98 up

SPECIALS:

Ladies' Silk and All-over Lace Waists at less than cost. Ladies' Fur Collars, different Skins, at your own price. Shaker Flannel, 6c. yard. Towelling, 5c. yard.

Store Open Evenings The Parisian Store, 47 Brussels Street.

NO UNNECESSARY TALK AT THE CAPITAL THIS SESSION

Supply Being Voted Without Any Tory Obstruction—Delegations Galore at the Capital

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—When one glances back at last session and recalls how for weeks the government tried to get enough money voted to pay the officials and then often did not succeed, because of almost opposition tactics, and compares the difficulty with the ease and apparent indifference large amounts for use in the civil service went through the committee stage yesterday he is reminded of the difference in sessions before and after an election.

These, apparently, are the days of delegations. From the east and from the west, there are rumors of their coming. Some are public, some private. The mayor of St. John and Alderman Frink and T. H. Estabrooks, of your city, are announced to arrive today.

SCOTT'S EMULSION is the best remedy for rheumatism. It's a stubborn disease but Scott's Emulsion conquers in the end. Try it.

LOCAL POULTRY MAKES GOOD SHOW

They Capture Most of the Premiums in the N. B. Poultry Show.

Thursday was the most successful in the poultry show which is being held by the N. B. Poultry Association in the Sears building, King street. There was a large attendance of local people, besides which a number of birds were exhibited.

JUDGMENT RESERVED IN A LIBEL ACTION

Toronto, Feb. 5.—(Special)—Justice Latchford reserved judgment in the criminal libel action brought by Dr. Nesbitt against Rev. Mr. MacDonald, editor of the Globe today on both questions whether the action was dead, and whether he had jurisdiction to try it.

Cough Caution

Never, positively never poison your lungs. If you cough—even from a simple cold—you should use Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure.

Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS

'VINEGAR' LIQUOR CASE IS UP IN WOODSTOCK

Charles N. Beal is Charged With Shipping Liquor Under False Labels Into Carleton County—Whiskey and Gin Shipped as Vinegar.

Woodstock, N. B., Feb. 4.—Magistrate Dhillon here after weeks of illness was able to take his seat on the bench at 10 o'clock this morning, when the "vinegar" case came up for trial.

Mr. Beal, who was present, was represented by J. C. Hartley, Inspector Colpitts by Hon. W. P. Jones. Mr. Hartley raised the same objections that he put in the Miramichi trial, and Inspector Colpitts stated that the search warrant was null and void and that the magistrate had no jurisdiction over the case, which should be tried in St. John.

WOMEN OF THE CANADIAN CLUB HAVE RECEPTION

Y. M. C. A. Scene of Pleasant Function Last Evening Which Was Largely Attended.

A very enjoyable reception was given by the Women's Canadian Club in the new Y. M. C. A. building last evening, and was attended by a large number of excellent programs of music and addresses.

How to Reduce Fat Proportionately

Proportion is the thing. A fat woman wants to reduce her abdomen, but she doesn't want to produce a scrawny neck. This fact condemns the dieting method of reducing. You can't starve the fat off one place and not off another.

UNAVOIDABLE DELAY.

The Lawyer—You can prove an alibi on this charge, can't you? The Crook—Yes; but we'll have to wait a week or two. The feller I'm going to prove it by ain't out of jail yet.

FIFTY BELOW ZERO

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 4.—The mercury went to the lowest point of the winter in this state today. The temperature recorded by several thermometers at Barrington was fifty degrees below zero.

TO THE VANISHING POINT

Doolan—How is this, my hainth, there's wan shirt short? Wan Lung—Plaps I'm shrunk in lee.

300 Pairs MEN'S ENGLISH HAIRLINE PANTS, worth \$3.00, price for Friday and Saturday \$1.98. 50 MEN'S PROGRESS BRAND SUITS worth from \$12.00 to \$16.00, your choice, \$7.98. WILCOX BROS., Dock Street and Market Square.

Let the GOLD DUST TWINS do your work. SIMPLY WONDERFUL. Gold Dust Washing Powder. OTHER GENERAL: Scrubbing floors, washing clothes and dishes, cleaning wood-work, etc.

The Canadian Detective Bureau, Ltd. We undertake all legitimate detective work for Banks, Corporations or private individuals. CONSULTATION FREE.

Notice to Employers of Labor. Do you carry an Employers Liability Policy? If not you are taking big chances under the New Workmen's Compensation Act.

Valentines. Your Guarantee Against Fraudulent Imitations Is This Label. Don't Be Deceived By Other Labels. Robinson's 173 Union St. Phone 1125-11.

HELP WANTED. We have a good opening in our office for the right man. Experience unnecessary. Come in and talk the matter over with us anyway.

GREAT SALE of Men's & Ladies' Underwear. Men's & Boys' Sweaters, etc. HATTY, LANOOD & HATTY 282 Brussels Street.

16 Times Want Ad. Stations 16 HELP SECURED IMMEDIATELY

Times Want Ad. Stations. The following enterprising Druggists are authorized to receive TIMES WANT ADS. and issue receipts for same.

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS. CLARK & ADAMS, WHARF BUILDERS and Contractors. Estimates given on building of all kinds.

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HOTELS. QUEEN HOTEL, 12-20-22 QUEEN STREET. Re-furnished and renovated—gas lighted—good table—two minutes from Eastern S. S. Co.'s wharf.

IRON FOUNDERS. UNION FOUNDRY & MACHINE WORKS. Limited, George H. Waring, Manager.

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WATCHMAKER. EDWARDS, PRACTICAL WATCH-MAKER to the Trade, 146 MAIN STREET.

MISCELLANEOUS. NOTICE—I, THE UNDERSIGNED, GIVE notice that I will not be responsible for any debt contracted without my order.

WEST END. W. C. Wilson, Cor. Rodney and Ludlow W. C. Wilson, Cor. Union and Rodney H. A. Olive, Cor. Ludlow and Tower

LOWER COVE. F. J. Donohue, 297 Charlotte Street

FAIRVILLE. O. D. Hanson, Fairville.

ST. JOHN CAFE. 9 MILL STREET, SERVE A LA CARTE, Table D'Hôte Dinner from 11:30 a. m. to 3 p. m.

CARRIAGES AND SLEIGHS. NEW AND SECOND-HAND SLEIGHS and Carriages. Repairing in all its branches.

COAL AND WOOD. NOW LANDING—THE BEST SOFT COAL in the city. Scotch Soft, prices right.

WOOD—YOU GET THE BEST VALUE for your money when you buy your wood at City Fuel Company's, City Road.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE. WANTED—TWO WAITRESSES. APPLY WANAMAKER'S RESTAURANT.

HELP WANTED—MALE. BOY WANTED TO LEARN THE DRUG BUSINESS. One having had some experience preferred.

SITUATIONS VACANT. YOUNG MAN, WITH FIVE YEARS EXPERIENCE IN BOOK-KEEPING, IS OPEN FOR IMMEDIATE ENGAGEMENT.

AGENTS WANTED. AGENTS WANTED—GET IN BUSINESS for yourself. We outfit you with a range of excellent samples.

WANTED. WANTED—ON OR BEFORE MAY 1ST, A small house or flat. Modern improvements.

WANTED TO PURCHASE OR RENT. WANTED—TO PURCHASE OR RENT a small house or flat in central part of city.

WANTED TO BUY—HIGHEST PRICES paid for second-hand goods.

BOARDING. BOARDING—PLEASANT ROOM WITH 12 beds, hot water heating.

BOARDING—FOUR OR FIVE GENTLEMEN can be accommodated at 145 Water Street.

GENTLEMEN CAN HAVE FIRST CLASS accommodations by applying at 15 Colburn Street.

JARVIS & WHITTAKER. Fire Insurance. Established 1866. 74 Prince William Street.

Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations. ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age.

Miss Jean Doyle. Miss Jean Doyle, the eighteen year old daughter of Councillor and Mrs. Lawrence Doyle, of Douglas, died in Montreal.

Miss Mattie J. Grant. Miss Mattie J. Grant, (Special)—Miss Mattie J. Grant, adopted daughter of the late James Grant, of this town, died at her residence, Marks street, this morning.

W. W. COBY. Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

SEALD TENDERS. ADDRESSED TO the Postmaster General, will be treated at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 19th March, 1909.

TO LET. CARVILLE HALL. To let from May first. Present lessee will dispose of entire house furnishings.

TO LET—SUNNY PLATS, 181 CITY ROAD. Apply A. M. WATT, on premises.

TO LET—FLATS AT NORTH END. FOR sale or to let, house and land at Brookfield, Enfield, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

TO LET—HOUSE IN PETERS STREET. 17 Peters Street. Tel. 232.

TO LET—BARN ON WALL STREET. Apply JOHN HAMILTON, 40 Wall Street.

TO LET—HOUSE 175 SYDNEY STREET. 3 rooms and bath; rent \$20, also coal and bath, rent \$25, both facing Queen Square.

HOTELS. VICTORIA HOTEL. KING STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. ELECTRIC ELEVATOR AND ALL LATEST AND MODERN IMPROVEMENTS.

HOLMES AND BUCHANAN. Refined Singing Duo at Nickel Next Week.

"That Reminds Me" It is a recognized fact that Abbey's Salt is infallible for Biliousness, Torpid Liver, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Indigestion, Sick Headaches and other Disorders of Digestion.

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R. W. W. FRINK, Manager, Branch St. John, N.B.

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BARGAINS—AT—The 2 Barkers, Ltd. 100 Princess, 111 Crosses, 445 Main and 246 King Street, West.

AMUSEMENTS. HIGHLANDS OF SCOTLAND TODAY. LAST 3 DAYS FOR ALICE EARLE—Harpist-vocalist.

AMUSEMENTS. GOOD PROGRAMMES PLANNED IN NICKEL. The Nickel has a rare assortment of entertainment for its patrons this week-end.

CAMERAPHONE. ENTIRE CHANGE TODAY. TODAY. NEXT WEEK.

CAMERAPHONE CHANGES. ITS PROGRAMME TODAY. The Cameraphone will present an entire change of programme today.

TO BE GIVEN AWAY FREE ON SATURDAY, FEB. 6th FROM 4 TO 10 p. m., ONE SAMPLE OF HEATT'S HYGIENIC MILK BREAD.

THE HYGIENIC BAKERY, MILL STREET. TELEPHONE MAIN 1167.

CANADIAN PACIFIC. Rates Quoted and Tickets issued FROM ANY PLACE EAST TO ANY PLACE WEST AND VICE VERSA.

OCEAN TO OCEAN. FULL INFORMATION ON APPLICATION.

FIRST DIVISION GIVES GOVERNMENT 42 MAJORITY. (Continued from page 2.)

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. On and after Sunday, Oct. 11th, 1908, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows:

TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN. No. 6—Mixed for Moncton (leaves Island Yard) 6:30

TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN. No. 3—From Halifax, Pictou and the Sydney 6:30

CITY TICKET OFFICE, 1 King Street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 271. GEORGE CARVILLE, C. T. A. Moncton, Oct. 7, 1908.

Every Woman is interested and should know about the wonderful MARVEL WHIPPING SPRAY.

BEST QUALITIES AMERICAN AND SCOTCH ANTHRACITE in stock. Standard Grades of Soft Coals, Dry Hard and Soft Wood.

GEORGE DICK, 46 Britain Street. Foot of Germain Telephone 1116. Fire and Marine Insurance. Connecticut Fire Insurance Co. BOSTON INSURANCE COMPANY. VROOM & ARNOLD. 60 Prince Wm. Street.

OFFICES TO LET. A few bright, airy offices to let on Canterbury Street. Apply at once. TELEGRAPH OFFICE, 23 Canterbury Street

FOR SALE! Combination Metal Saw Table Trimmer and Shaver. Equipped with two saws and two sets of knives for Trimmer Head. This machine is in good order and the price will be right. Call and examine.

THE EVENING TIMES. Canterbury Street

NEARLY EVERYBODY READS THE TIMES---AND ALL READ THE WANT ADS.

The World's Sport and Recreation

FRED LOGAN WILL MEET THE BEST OF THEM

St. John's Champion Speed Skater Left for Montreal Last Night Where He Will be Pitted Against the Fastest Men in Saturday's Championship Races.

Freddie Logan of St. John's... will compete tonight in a Marathon race over the full distance of 20 miles and 380 yards in Madison Square Garden.

Logan will return from Montreal on Monday... He is expected to prove a victor in the second time in the small boys' event.

LAMY WINNER IN THREE EVENTS

Sarnia Lake, N. Y., Feb. 4.—The second day's racing of the International outdoor skating championships... closed tonight with three decisive victories for Edmund Langford.

BASKET BALL

Last night in the St. John basketball league each of the two St. Stephen's teams captured a game. The St. Stephen's first won the Mission basketball game Saturday.

RIBBON SALE

All Silk Ribbons and Satin and Silk Ribbons Good values at 30c per yard. Our price for a few days 19c per Yard.

And no charge for making the bows when the ribbon is purchased from us. Colors, black, white, cream, leghorn, navy, tabac, maroon, mesquite, reds, sage or Alice blue, myrtle, lona, coral, champagne, sky, rose, carmine, coral, rosewood, turquoise, wine, peon, coral, gold, sequoia, argent, lilac, prue and easter.

Marr Millinery Co. Corner Union and Coburg streets, and 67 Main street, North End. SAME VALUES ALL DAY AT MONCTON, N. B.

HARD TO DRAW A LINE ON TONIGHT'S RACE

Various Stories Told as to the Condition of Shrubbs and Longboat—Shrubbs Favored in Early Betting But It Will be a Great Race.

New York, Feb. 5.—Tom Longboat, the Canadian runner, and Alfred Shrubbs, the champion long distance runner of England, will compete tonight in a Marathon race over the full distance of 20 miles and 380 yards in Madison Square Garden.

Shrubbs' best performance—Five miles in 18, 108, defeated five men in relay in Boston, ten miles, time, 51m, 23.5s. November, 1907, best relay of Tom Meyer, Sam Williams and Frank Kanaly, ten miles, time, 52m. Shrubbs has never attempted to race the Marathon distance.

ALFRED SHRUBBS

Nationally—English. Age—30 years. Height—5 feet 7 inches. Stride—5 feet 2 inches.

TOM LONGBOAT

Nationally—Canadian Indian. Age—29 years. Height—5 feet 11 inches. Stride—6 feet 6 inches.

NEWS AND VIEWS OF SPORT

Make it as strong as you please that I don't sign with the Whites again unless I get \$7500, said Ed Walsh, the pitcher, who is in New Haven coaching Yale's pitching staff.

CARLETON BEAT THISTLES BY 11 POINTS

West Side Curriers Were in Great Form for Yesterday's Game—Seven End by Chas. Coster Was Feature of the Play.

There was jubilation among the Carleton curriers last night. Following the victory which they snatched from the Thistles in the concluding game last season the west side men left with a comfortable margin of eleven points.

Before the last end, in Carleton, Douglas Malcolm led Chas. Coster by five but Coster finished with a seven end amidst great excitement. It is probable that two more games will be played and further exciting play should result.

CANADIAN CURRIERS WIN ANOTHER MATCH

Glasgow, Feb. 4.—The Canadian curriers won a four-rink match today at Crossways against the players of Perth and Dundee provinces. The score was 71 to 31.

dent James McCaffery of Toronto to remark: "Toronto will be in the league as long as Montreal makes no mistake, now that Joe Kelley is back with us to manage the team."

Roulo de Rouen, a French giant, who has been a great drawing card at wrestling, shows in Chicago, for some time past, is barred by the police from participating in any matches in Chicago hereafter.

While Tom Longboat was sending a stave to Toronto that he was "all in," Mrs. Longboat wrote to a friend in the Grand Central Hotel that her husband was in fighting trim and sure to win.

The "Fighting Ghost" outpointed Peter Maher, the Irish champion, in a fast six-point bout at the Wayne A. C., Philadelphia, on Wednesday night.

Comiskey's gift to the Columbus Club of Ossie Schreck is explained by the story that he is likely to be bought by the Boston Americans, but is on the Columbus reserve list.

The game between the Duquesne Hockey Club and the Pittsburgh Athletics wound up in a fight at Pittsburgh on Wednesday night. D. A. C. won the game by a score of 11 to 3.

William Murray, manager of the Philadelphia National League Baseball Club, has purchased from Barney Dreyfus, owner of the Pittsburgh Baseball Club, the latter's interest in the local National League club.

Bert Keyes earned a decision over Kid Sullivan of Washington, D. C., Wednesday night at the Starkey A. C., New York. Although Keyes did not fight in his usual snappy style, he was victorious.

A despatch from Chicago states: Johnny Hayes, the New York runner, said yesterday by replying to the Italian refusal to meet him in a third marathon race.

"I will beat Dorando thousand on side to stiffen backbone. Italian and his brother at a second conference yesterday afternoon, but while declaring they declined to change their attitude about the race.

In the meantime Alfred Shrubbs and Tom Longboat, have been telegraphed to London, Feb. 5, to match the winner of tonight's race with Hayes for February 20 or 21.

Dorando concluded yesterday's conference by declaring through his brother that he would carry a revolver in each hand if he ever raced Hayes again, claiming he had been told twice in New York City that he had endeavored to trip him.

Joe Yeager, one of the most popular men that ever wore a Montreal uniform, is anxious to get back and play with the Bears. Yeager was sought by many major league teams when he was with Montreal.

E. A. Smith leads in Milligan Medal Play. E. A. Smith led a field of twenty in the Milligan medal competition in St. Andrew's school last night.

HOW HOCKEY BOOMS IN MONTREAL CITY

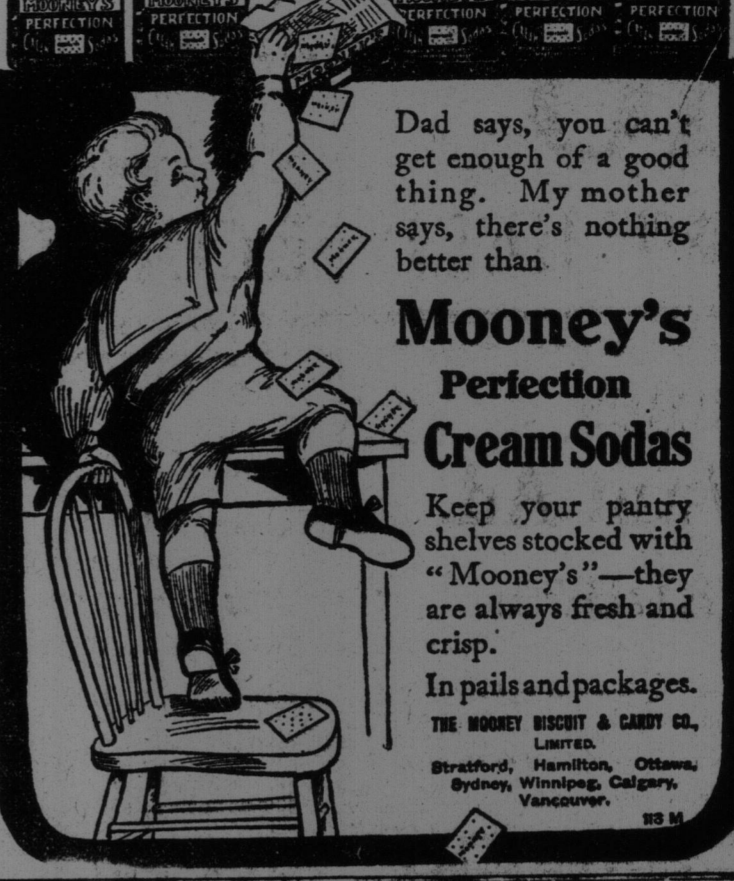
Montreal, Feb. 4.—At 2 o'clock this morning the crowd began to assemble at the Montreal Arena to wait in line for the opening of the sale of tickets for the Ottawa-Wanderers game Saturday.

MOUNT ALLISON AND U. N. B.

The Mount Allison University hockey team passed through the city last evening on their way to Sackville to Frederickton where they will meet the U. N. B. representatives in a game in the Intercollegiate League scheduled tonight.

MAIN WRESTLER WON

Cairo, Ills., Feb. 4.—"Wild Joe" Collins of Lewiston, Maine, defeated William Demetral, Chicago, in a handicap wrestling match here tonight. Demetral agreed to throw Collins twice in ninety minutes, but after taking the first fall, lost the second.



ALL READY FOR GAME TONIGHT

How the All St. John and Maryville Teams Will Line Up in Queen's Rink.

The line-up for the hockey game between All-St. John and Maryville, to be played in the Queen's rink tonight, is here given. The visitors have so far been victorious in both the games they have played this season.

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A SUSSEX VIEW

What the Sussex Record Has to Say About That Rough House Hockey Game.

The following is the Sussex Record's comment on the recent Moncton Mohawk-Sussex game at Moncton. "The Sussex hockey team was defeated at Moncton last Friday night, in one of the most brutal exhibitions yet seen in this province.

Cecil Ferguson, now in Terre Haute, the pitcher graded to Boston by the New York Giants, Wednesday night declared his contract was annulled and says while he does not want to join the "hold-out" club, he will not play for the salary offered.

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BOWLING

In the commercial series in Black's alley last night the Montreal team defeated the St. John's team and defeated them, winning all four points.

SIX DAY RACE IN KANSAS

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 4.—At the end of the fourth day of the six day bicycle race, the eight teams are in the same relative positions they have occupied for the past two days.

MONTREAL CITY

At Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Wednesday night Kid Locke, of Philadelphia, and Kid Black of Newark, N. J., fought six fast rounds to a draw. Buddy Sullivan of Brooklyn was to have fought Locke, but was unable to be present, and Black was substituted. The fight was a hammer and tongs affair from go to go.

Dad says, you can't get enough of a good thing. My mother says, there's nothing better than

Mooney's Perfection Cream Sodas

Keep your pantry shelves stocked with "Mooney's"—they are always fresh and crisp. In pails and packages.

WILL LEWIS WINS BOUT IN PARIS

Paris, Feb. 4.—Willie Lewis, the American pugilist, added another scalp to his record by knocking out Charlie Hickman in the first round of their fight, Lewis put his rival down for the count with a good old-fashioned right to the jaw.

JOHNSON AND LANGFORD TO BATTLE IN LONDON

London, Feb. 5.—Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion, has notified the National Sporting Club that he has accepted their offer of a \$5,000 purse for a match of twenty rounds with Sam Langford.

ATTILL BEATS KELLEY

New Orleans, La., Feb. 4.—Abe Attel, of California, found no difficulty in retaining the featherweight championship which he met Eddie Kelly of New York in a scheduled ten round bout before the Southern A. C. here tonight.

DOWLING BROS. The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Hosiery, and Blouses Waists in the Maritime Provinces.

Fine Wool Blankets AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

- 20 pairs White Wool Blankets, worth \$4.00 Now \$3.00 a pair
40 pairs Superfine White Wool Blankets, worth \$3.50, Now \$2.59 a pair
15 pairs White Wool Blankets, worth \$3.50, Now \$2.50 a pair
SHAKER FLANNEL BLANKETS; Full Sizes, at 98c, \$1.15, \$1.25 and \$1.35 a pair

Dowling Brothers 95 and 101 King Street

Women Girls Children

ALL WEAR AND WANT SLIPPERS

During the CLEARANCE SALE now in progress at our KING ST. STORE

Excellent quality of Slippers can be procured for actually less than Half Price. Women's Slippers, worth \$1.50 up to \$4.00, Sale price 98 cts. to \$1.78.

King Street Store Waterbury & Rising

Saturday, January 30,

Annual After Stock-Taking Sale

COMMENCING TODAY when Genuine Bargains will be given in all our

FURS

Also Winter Caps, Gloves, Coats Come while they last

ANDERSON & CO. Manufacturing Furriers 55 CHARLOTTE ST.

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The comfort that can be obtained through the medium of a shawl, unless you have worn one. Our prices put them within the reach of all

- White Wool Shawls, 55c., \$1.10, \$1.65
Grey Wool Shawls, - 1.35 and 2.25
Black Wool Shawls, - 55c. and 1.35

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 Main Street, - North End

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And all lines of goods carried by first-class Jewelers. When purchasing goods in this line, visit the most convenient store in the city. All goods guaranteed at lowest possible prices.

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WE HAVE IT AT LAST!

Only \$5.00

A PLATE YOU CAN EAT WITH, HELD IN POSITION BY OUR NEWLY IMPROVED QUADRUPLE ATTACHMENT. People don't want artificial teeth to carry around in their pockets nor keep at home in their bureau drawer so they will know where to find them when the door bell rings, they want teeth for service.

DR. J. D. MAHER, 127 MAIN STREET, DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor, Tel. 523 and 792 Main.

THIS EVENING

Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel. Rafferty's Raffie, etc., in the Camera-phones, at the Opera House.

LATE LOCALS

The R. M. S. Empress of Britain passed 116 miles west of Innisbraball, 10 p. m. on Thursday.

The passing of the accounts of the estate of the late James Murphy was continued in the probate court today.

A concert will be held in the Y. M. C. A. tonight under the auspices of the Junior Department. A good programme is assured.

Thorne Lodge is holding special Sunday afternoon meetings in Haymarket Square Hall. The speakers for next Sunday's meeting will be the Rev. Dr. Heine, and there will also be special music, including solos by Mrs. Thorne, Mr. Rogers and Mr. J. E. Moore.

Happenings in police circles last night were somewhat varied. Excluding arrests, Sergt. Baxter captured a bundle of underwear. Patrolman Hughes shot a cat, Trooper Macintosh found a dead, and two doors were fastened.

The Westfield Outing Association intend holding a bridge whist tournament on Thursday, the 18th inst., at Keith's assembly room, for which six handspins (3 ladies and 3 gentlemen's) will be given. Tickets \$1.00 each.

Thorne Lodge, No. 230, I. O. G. T., met last evening and installed the following officers for the coming term: C. T. Mr. Mullett, P. C. T. I.; Mr. Fisher, Miss McEachern, T. J. T.; Mrs. Hill, Secretary; Miss Boyce, A. S.; Henry McEachern, F. S.; Mr. Thorne, Treasurer; Mr. Vincent, Marsh; Robert McEachern, Chap.; Mr. Knox, D. M.; Mrs. Thorne, Guard; Arthur Vincent and Sentinel Miss Blair.

The following programme was carried out at the meeting of the Men's League of German street Baptist church last night, the subject being John Milton. A paper on Life and Times of Milton; James A. Estey; Milton's "Paradise Lost," read by Willie G. Cross. Other papers were read by T. H. Davis, on Paradise Regained, and G. F. H. Buerbaum, on miscellaneous writings of Milton. During the evening Miss Edith McDermid recited Milton's poem "Il Penseroso."

SEVERAL BOULDERS AND ONE LARGE LOG

These Have Been Secured by Diver Lahey on the Supposedly Dredged Bottom of No. 6 Berth

A meeting of the west side improvement committee was held this morning when a report was received of the progress of the work of the diver in examining the bottom at No. 6 berth. It was stated that several small boulders and a large log had been found and would be removed. It is probable that the diver will not finish his examination until Monday night as he has been instructed to examine the entire 800 feet of the berth for a distance of 80 feet from the face of the wharf. After the work has been completed, a meeting of the committee will be called to receive the report and if everything is found satisfactory the harbor master will be instructed to place steamers there.

AN EXCELLENT CONCERT

The 62nd Regiment Band, assisted by the Carleton Cornet Band, gave an excellent programme in the Opera House last night, before a large and fashionable audience. Many officers in full uniform were present, lending an air of brilliancy to the occasion. The programme was a particularly choice one, the numbers being executed with much finish and vigor, as stated, assisted by members of the Carleton Cornet Band. Vocal solos and a vocal quartette marked the first part of the programme. There were also Scotch dances, Highland fling, and sword dance, and descriptive battlefield piece, entitled "A Soldier's Life." The latter piece was rendered in great style, and won deserved applause. A camp scene formed the feature of the entertainment. The scene which was well executed, depicted camp life at Point Levis, Quebec, during the recent Quebec festivities. The whole formed a pretty and decidedly interesting feature, and called forth rounds of applause. The concert was under the direction of Col. G. Holt White, commanding district No. 8, and was under the direction of Bandmaster T. H. Jones.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 4.—After a daring hold-up on a busy thoroughfare today, Henry Morton, a negro armed with a revolver, and with his pockets filled with ammunition, ran amuck, firing repeatedly into street cars and houses and at pedestrians and terrorizing a section of "hard Memphis" before he was shot to death by police and citizens.

DEATHS

GIBBONS—In this city, on the 5th inst., John J., eldest son of Thomas and Julia Gibbons, aged 15 years and 8 months.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

TO LET—THREE ROOMS, SUITABLE for doctor's office or light housekeeping; partly furnished. Can be seen from 2 to 5 p. m. Apply at Mrs. J. P. O'ROURKE'S, 110 Charlotte street. 107-11.

A GENTS WANTED—GOOD PROFITS. Even boys and girls can sell our goods per week. ONTARIO SEED CO., 2 King Street, Westboro, Ont.

TO LET—FEB. 2nd, BUNCH OF KEYS, ON Prince Wm. King or Charlotte Street. Will give a favor by leaving 100-110 at Times office. 108-24.

TO LET—FLAT ST. CELEBRATION ST. 3 rooms and bath; hot and cold water. Can be seen Monday and Thursday, 2 to 5. Apply J. W. JAMESON.

FURNISHED ROOM FOR GENTLEMEN; modern conveniences, telephone, electric family; central location; very cozy ROOMS. Call Times office. 220-24.

ST. JOHN PEOPLE IN THE PARK REALTY CO.

S. Z. Dickson Elected Second Vice President at Annual Meeting Held in Montreal.

(Montreal Herald) In the chambers of the company's solicitors, Messrs. Greenshields, Greenshields & Langsdale, the annual meeting of the Park Realty Company took place yesterday afternoon.

The various reports were of a most satisfactory nature, the president's being exceptionally so. During the past twelve months sales aggregating \$15,000 were made by the new company, which, when it is considered that the year 1908 was a very lean one in all directions, and therefore extraordinarily so in the general realty market, is a remarkable record, and is a striking tribute to the company's selling agent, Mr. John Findlay.

The report of the secretary, treasurer and general manager Mr. J. Findlay showed that the company was free of all pecuniary obligations, and that its finances were in a most healthy state. After the reports had been submitted, the shareholders passed a resolution complimenting the directors and management on the success of their year's work. The announcement was made that the company would declare a substantial dividend this year.

The property owned by the Park Realty Company comprises 274 acres, situated immediately at the head of Park Avenue. By street car it is within fifteen or twenty minutes' ride from the postoffice, and located right on Park Avenue, which is now recognized as the main artery of the city running north and south.

That this district is a popular one is plainly evidenced in the manner in which it has been taken up since being placed on the market by the Park Realty Co. that what were just plain fields a year ago have become a neatly laid-off suburb which already contains a considerable number of handsome completed residences.

The directors elected for the coming year are Messrs. George Ball, ex-M. P.; Sydney P. Hayward, Esq., T. Hopner, J. Abraham, J. A. Ogilvy, Jr., Joseph Beaudry, and S. Z. Dickson, of St. John, N. B.; Mr. J. Becham, of the audit. At a subsequent meeting of the directors the executive officers were appointed as follows: Mr. Geo. Ball, president; Mr. S. P. Hayward, first vice-president; Mr. S. Z. Dickson, second vice-president, and Mr. J. Findlay (re-elected) secretary-treasurer and general manager.

A number of St. John people have holdings in this company. Mr. Dickson returned from Montreal today.

STEAMER STRIKES IN REVERSIBLE FALLS

Steamer Saga While Coming Through This Morning Struck Twice But Was Not Badly Damaged.

The Norwegian steamer Saga, while being towed through the falls this morning from Cushing's mill, struck aft on the pitch of the falls. She also struck Split Rock on the port bow. The steamer's pumps were sounded after the accident, when it was found that the vessel had 24 inches of water in her hold. The Saga was taken to Kennedy's slip, ballast wharf where she will be examined at low water. She has on board a million feet of lumber for New York. It is thought she is not badly damaged, but that some of her plates have been started aft.

The Norwegian steamer Tjomo, which had left at St. John, and the Company's mill above the falls, also came through this morning with a cargo of lumber for New York. She came over the pitch alright.

The water at the falls, between Cushing's Point, and the Island is very shallow and vessels over 14 feet draught have to be very careful for the tide turns very quickly at that place. The steamer Saga might be stated, was also under her own steam at the time of the accident.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY

Decision Reached Last Night to Place Grave of Lachlan Donaldson in Perpetual Care.

At a meeting of the St. Andrew's Society last night it was announced that there was a balance of \$50 in connection with the Scottish entertainment. It was decided to place the balance in the contingent fund.

A committee appointed for the purpose reported that arrangements had been completed with the Fernhill Cemetery Company for the perpetual care of the grave of Lachlan Donaldson who left a bequest of between \$5,000 and \$6,000 for charitable work.

CIVIC PAY DAY

Nearly \$8,000 was paid out by cashier D. R. Willett today to civic employes. The regular semi-monthly pay roll and the fortnightly pay sheet for laborers were both due today. The amounts disbursed in the various departments were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Department, Amount. Police: \$380.83; Market: \$1,394.00; Public Works: \$131.00; Fire and S. C.: \$84.16; Officials: \$1,482.45; Total: \$4,672.50

The payments to laborers were: Ferry: \$183.07; Water and Sewerage: \$27.06; Public Works: \$2,162.44; Total: \$3,241.17

Included in the above amount is about \$600 for removing snow.

A GOOD CONCERT

A concert under the direction of the choir was held in the vestry of the Waterloo street Baptist church last night. The programme consisted of banjo selection by Gilbert D. Davidson, vocal solos by Miss Anna Edwina, Miss Hazelwood, Miss Lindsay, and Mr. Osborne; vocal duet by the Misses Lindsay, readings by Miss Leach, Miss McCart and Mrs. Dunfield, piano duet by Mrs. Dunfield and Miss Duval, autograph selections by John Frodoan, violin selections by Harry Hetherington and instrumental music by Amateur Musical Club.

Darien, Ga., Feb. 5.—News reached here last night that the steamer Mumin reported lost at sea. It has been anchored off Boboy Bar since Monday, blowing for a pilot continuously. The steamer should have entered at Sulphur Bar instead of Boboy. Pilots have been looking for the steamer since Saturday.

FAITHFUL BARGAINS

Never before have your buying chances afforded such glowing bargains of exceptional worth as in The Great Sale of C. B. PIDGEON, now in progress in his Tailoring Department.

- Faithful in every sense of the word are the handsome values in this special event. \$17.50 to \$25.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS to measure for \$12.50, \$13.50, \$15.00, \$16.50 to \$19.50. \$4.50 to \$7.50 TROUSERS to measure for \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$5.75.

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20 per cent. Discount For this week only on

Snow Shoes, Moccasins, Toboggans, Skees, Sleds, Framers, Baby Sleighs.

With the snow which we now have this should be a very attractive opportunity.

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Sale of Men's New

.. SPRING GOODS..

The Second Week Opens With Additional Bargains. Men's Half Hose, Night Shirts, Neckties and Braces. at Very Special Prices.

Our second week bargain offerings will include Men's Half Hose, Nightshirts, Neckties and Braces. Exceptional value giving will be the rule and all economically inclined will find genuine saving opportunities on every hand.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Description, Price. A Saving in Ties: Fancy Four-in-hand Ties, all extra qualities, in reversible French seam and soft open end shapes. Special sale price, 25c. Half Hose, Special Value: Half Hose, Natural Merino, spliced heels and toes. Sale price, 25c. a pair. Nightshirts Reduced: Night Shirts, White, plain cotton, trimmed, no collar, light weight. Sale price, each, 25c.

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