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A Million a Minute

A Romance of Modern New York and Paris. By Hudson Douglas

(Continued) "A lady!" she exclaimed, looking at him...

"A lady—and alone. Has your chauffeur deserted you? If so, I hope you'll let me re-

She would willingly have informed him that she had a chauffeur in the near neighborhood, but, little as she was pro-

He looked at her anxiously from under uplifted eyebrows and, while she blushed over her ineffectual prevarication, be-

"You haven't managed quite as successfully as we must before we get this toy to go again," he protested with a plausible

He looked again with a flourish, and then took upon himself the task of setting things straight, but going to work with a leisurely air very trying to her in-

"I've been diving down at Long Beach, you see," he informed her conversationally.

"I don't care much for Manhattan in broad daylight, and I'm very fond of the seashore. But after the lamps are lit, a little old New York's not such a bad place. I'm on my way in to supper there now."

Every now and then he would glance up at her with some such friendly or facetious remark, and when she drew back from the circle of light he bade her come closer and help him. She would faintly dis-

"If you're bound for the Beach," the man said suddenly, straightening himself after a long bout with the interior me-

"Oh, no," she declared, "I must take the car on myself, and I'm not going to the Beach."

"Jamaica?" he asked curiously, resum-

"She hesitated for a moment, not wishing to offend him by replying, as she might have done, that that was no concern of his, and, he impelled thereto by her sweet-

"It doesn't matter where," he said, mov-

"I'll tell you what, then," he concluded, motioning to her that she should follow him.

"We'll go straight to New York and get someone from Long Island City to attend to this. We'll be just in the nick of time for a nice quiet supper, and you can catch a late train out. How does that strike you, eh?"

He smiled as she turned her back on him, but she did not notice that. She was once more busy with the recalcitrant engine.

"You're only wasting your time there," he assured her. "That thing won't move

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Fashion Hint for Times Readers

The light, shepherd check mohair is both cool and practical for summer out-

ing wear, as they shed dust and do not easily show traces of soil. This model might be developed also in gingham or cotton voile, with pipings of silk to match the color of the darker blocks in the checked pattern. It is always advise-

able to have such a little outing dress built in one piece. Then on an all-day jaunt one need have no worried feeling about the set of belt and skirt band at the back.



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FOMBER GIBSON WOMAN ATE GOPHER POISON

Mrs. Kent, of Moose Jaw, Ate Alleged Medicine Left at Her Home by Unknown Person and is Now Dead

Moosejaw, April 6.—Mrs. A. J. Kent, wife of a prominent city merchant, died suddenly Saturday evening. During Saturday afternoon a parcel was left at the Kent house. About 6 o'clock Mrs. Kent was called on the telephone by a woman who mentioned having sent the medicine over. After eating supper she took a considerable quantity of the alleged medicine which has since turned out to be gopher poison.

It has been learned that the party who called over the phone was a woman speaking from a C. P. R. pay station. An effort is being made to discover her identity. A reward is offered for the boy who left the parcel at the Kent home.

Mrs. Kent was well known and highly esteemed in church and social circles. An inquest is to be held Thursday. Mrs. Kent was formerly Miss Kyle, of Gibson (N. B.).

LUMPS LIKE IRON ON HIS FINGERS

Peculiar Trials of a Westerner That Neglected His Rheumatism.

This is no ordinary case—five doctors endeavored to relieve and cure Mr. J. E. Germaine, Port Arthur, and all failed to bring in this awful suffering even temporary relief. "I am over sixty years of age," writes Mr. Germaine, "and as far back as I can remember I have always suffered from rheumatism. It was principally on the large muscles of my back, but extended to my limbs and made me quite a cripple and I found it very difficult to get work. I am a grain shoveller, and any work seemed to make matters worse. I did very little towards a cure till last fall when my case became very acute. I was unable to stand the chilling winds and outdoor exercise at all. I went from one doctor to another—five in all—but got no relief. My muscles and joints stiffened,ached intensely and hard lumps came out on the tendons of my fingers and wrists.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

New York Stock Exchange, April 7, 1939. New York and New York City Market. Published by D. C. Clinch, banker and broker.

Table of stock market data including Amalgamated Copper, Am. Sugar Refs., Am. Smelt. & R.R., etc.

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Chicago Market Report. Grain and stock market news from Chicago.

MONTECAL QUOTATIONS

Table of Monte Carlo market quotations for various currencies.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Table of New York cotton market prices for various grades.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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ANOTHER EXHIBITION IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

George Taylor, Chief Conservative Whip, Makes False Charge Against Minister of Marine, Taxed With It Attempts a Scene

OHAWA, April 6.—There was witnessed in the house of commons this afternoon a remarkable exhibition of political inanity on the part of George Taylor, chief conservative whip, which nearly precipitated another scene.

TRAVIN TELLS TALES OF ROGERS' PAST

Humorist, at Virginia Dinner, Says Railroad Man Wasn't Always So Clever

Samuel L. Clemens, otherwise Mark Twain, was in company with Henry H. Rogers at the \$20 a plate banquet given at the Monticello Hotel.

THE SHIPPING WORLD

MINIATURE ALMANAC. Shipping news and schedules for various routes.

ARRIVED TODAY. Lists of ships arriving in St. John.

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AUSTRALIA OFFERS A BIG PURSE FOR FIGHT

Syndicate Will Give Jeff, and Johnson Double the Amount of the Burns-Johnson Purse

San Francisco, Cal., April 6.—Pinckney H. Harris, manager of a local theatre, said tonight that he had received a cable from H. Pittsburg, manager of the Melbourne (Australia) fight syndicate, offering to match James J. Jeffries and Jack Johnson for a purse of double the amount given for the Burns-Johnson fight.

SUPERVISED PLAYGROUNDS

The aim of the Parks and Playgrounds Association is to become an important factor in the well being of Montreal as are similar associations in the development of many cities in the United States.

FALSE WAS JONAS, AN INEDIBLE TAR

Antic Mariner's Recital of the Rhyme of a Hair Raising Encounter With Cannibals

Just back in port from Jones Horns, of the barkentine Belle White, which found a wreck in Newfound Creek quite late last Tuesday night. He told this tale to a group of friends in a "pub" by the Wallabout.

EGZEMA CURABLE? PROVEN!

Attorney at Moine, Ill., Convinced by Oil of Wintergreen Compound.

There is nothing that will convince a lawyer except evidence. Now, here is some rather startling evidence of a simple home cure for eczema, which convinced one lawyer, F. C. Erickson, attorney at Moine, Ill.

PA, MA, AND MARY ANN

When Pa came in last night, just after the candle had been lit, he was fairly radiant, said Pa.

ZEPPELIN'S AIRSHIP IS OFF ON ANOTHER TRIP

Friedrichshafen, April 6.—The Zeppelin airship with a military crew aboard, started to carry out its 24 hours endurance trip. The sky was cloudy and there was a strong easterly breeze.

A BRAKEMAN KILLED

Providence, R. I., April 6.—Frank E. Perry, 34, a freight brakeman, was killed and fell from the roof of a car in the Broadway street car yard.

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Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations

ANY person who is the sole head of a family and who has been a resident of any Dominion for at least one year, and who is at least 18 years of age, may apply for a homestead.

W. W. O'NEIL, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, Ontario.

The Evening Times

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MR. ROBINSON'S SPEECH

In his speech in the budget debate yesterday Hon. Mr. Robinson pointed out that the present government was not responsible for the increased revenue, which was due to the policy of its predecessors. His reply to the assertion that the province had lost \$200,000 a year through false scaling was right to the point. If the government knew that there was such a loss they were equally guilty in failing to collect the amount. With regard to the roads, the ex-premier was quite within the mark when he declared that the old government never wanted the people's money to the extent to which it was wasted last October. Touching the finance, he discounted the boast of the government by pointing out that the bills for 1908 are not all paid. Dealing with the audit act he pointed out that the late government recommended such an act and some of the changes suggested had been adopted, but this government had given themselves power by order-in-council to override the act, which provided no adequate check upon their expenditures. Mr. Robinson directed attention to the fact that the members of the government had not pledged to overturn the expense of educating the agricultural minister, and in opposition that was the burden of their cry. They had violated their pledge to call for tenders for public works. They had failed to keep their pledges relative to the highway act. They had taken no step to keep their promise relative to pensions for teachers. At that time when in opposition they had criticized the aid given to the International Railway they now pursued the policy of the old government. The cost of school books to the province had not been reduced. After abolishing the office of agent-general at London they had re-established it. In short, the government had violated pledges and failed to pursue a policy of retrenchment and reform. The budget debate has served to bring out clearly the weakness and insincerity of the government, whose members cannot hope to distract attention from their own faults and failures by attacks upon their predecessors in office.

UP TO MR. HAZEN

The report of the agricultural commission has been presented to the legislature. Having made Dr. Landry the agricultural minister it was necessary to teach him something about agriculture, and this commission was sent out, partly for that purpose and partly to make the farmers believe they had a friend in the Hazen government. The money spent on this commission might have been saved to the province, for though its report is of value it could have been prepared without the expense of the commission. Secretary Hubbard, who has been a farmer, a publisher of a farmers' journal, and a manager of exhibitions, could have written down every recommendation made by this commission without attending any of those 116 meetings. He has been attending such meetings and hearing such evidence for many years. He could have done the work alone, and quite so well as it has been done by this roving commission. For the commission, though it makes many detailed suggestions, and makes more of a general character, has done nothing more than tabulate what has been common knowledge. The need of agricultural education, of better roads, of more attention to live stock and seeds and fertilizers and fruits and markets and immigration has long been apparent. These themes have been the burden of speeches at fairs and farmers' meetings for years past. However, the people of the province would be disposed to overlook the expense of educating the agricultural minister, and the various spectacular features, if the government would set itself seriously to the task of developing a vigorous agricultural policy. There is as yet no evidence that such will be the case. To carry out all the suggestions of the commission would involve not only a very large expenditure but a general reorganization of the whole agricultural department. The government has been lavish in promises to the farmers, and was able to postpone action by ap-

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ONLY A SMILE

(By George Macdonald) Only a smile that was given me On the crowded street one day. But it pierced the gloom of my saddened heart. Like a sudden sunbeam ray. The shadow of doubt hung over me, And the voice of hope I could not hear. The 'I listened over and over. But there came a rift in the crowd about. Add a face that I knew passed by. The smile I caught was brighter to me Than the blue of a summer sky. For it gave me back the sunshine. And it scattered each sombre thought. And my heart rejoiced in the kindly warmth Which that kindly smile had brought.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

UNCLE EZRA SAYS: "The longest way round may be the surest way home, but there's allus the eternal feminine question: "Where've you been?" A TOBACCO HEART. (New York Sun.) I might have wept, but I realize, What married life might mean, And I'd hit the road with my Lady Nicotine.

OUR NAVAL POLICY

(Toronto Telegram.) The meaning of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's remarks in the House of Commons is not likely to attempt anything, and if Canada does attempt anything, it will be a naval exploit similar to the outfitting of the Arctic expedition.

SUCCESS

Success is like a wary fish. Doves in the water sleep; He waves his fins and blinks his eye, As 'pears to be asleep. You drop your hook, all baited nice, Down where you see him lay. An' if you tech him in the nose, He's apt to back away.

WAYWARD WILLIE

Baby whimpered for a drink; While filled her up with milk. Mamma, laughing at the lad, Fed the babe with her own hand. —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

AT THE BARBERS.

A little soap, A little lather, A little scrape, A little comb, A little grease, A little 'life', A little 'oil', A little 'scat', A little 'chalk', A little 'brush', A lot of talk.

PAVEMENT PHILOSOPHY.

It's harder to admit that you are licked than 'tis to realize it. It's easier to exchange. Usually not so high as they think they are. It's easier to be a loser than to be a winner, but not the big one you are thinking of. Cards are still going to be one of the leading amusements of the year. Laugh and the world laughs with you, Weep and you weep with the world. The world of saboteurs and open-work you might say. "How much on the head-how fair exchange is no robbery, and no man can consistently carry more than one."

PROVINCIAL NEWS

New Brunswick

H. N. Atherton, of Woodstock, is after the egg record. He has a Rhode Island Red pullet, whose average egg measure 87 inches. Wilfrid O'Brien of St. Andrews, was arraigned in the police court at Bangor on Monday on the charge of larceny from the person. It is claimed by the police that O'Brien and James Clarke of Bangor spent the night at a Bangor hotel. When Clark awoke, he found that \$80, which he had previously deposited in O'Brien's presence, was missing.

Nova Scotia

The new vessel, "Lady Sybil," to be put in the Pictou-Magalloway route this year, will be a decided acquisition to the steamers sailing out of Pictou, and will be an ideal excursion boat. E. M. McDonald, M.P., left Ottawa on Monday on the advice of his physician, to spend some time in a southern climate. He is accompanied by Mrs. McDonald. For several weeks, Mr. McDonald has been confined to his room more or less, and was troubled so much with hoarseness that he had to change of air, and was deemed imperative. It is said the Dominion Steel Co., of Sidney, are to make good use of the check they received from the Dominion Coal Co. by purchasing the coal mines and steel plant of the Nova Scotia Steel Co. at Sydney Mines, and that the Nova Scotia people will in turn purchase the Thorburn colliery and build new smelting furnaces below Trenton on the East River.

Prince Edward Island

On Friday, a man by the name of Alex. Cameron, while returning from a lumbering camp to his home in Hopewell, near New Glasgow, was thrown from his wagon on near Mr. Dan Fraser's home, in South Stellarton, and broke his leg. Sheriff Ingraham of Sydney, after looking at a photo of Leon Sippel and Tony Aroska, thinks they were once in Sydney. The embargo on shipping at Lonsburg that prevailed for the last week on account of the drift ice, was renewed on Sunday, and six steamers for cargo and one for a harbor, arrived in port. John McInnis, who died at Glace Bay on Monday, was 88 years of age. He immigrated from North Uist, Scotland, with his parents in 1828. When a young man he chose mining as an occupation, and continued working as a miner, with the General Mining Association for 84 years. During that long period, he never met with an accident. The furniture and chinaware business of Jost Bros. at Sydney, has been purchased for Harrington Limited, the company now consolidating enterprises at Sydney. David Faulkner of Selma, met death under peculiarly distressing circumstances on Saturday last. He went out to prune some trees and was found dead beneath a tree, by Mrs. Faulkner, who went to call him. It is not known whether death was caused by the fall or by a shock of paralysis. He was an aged man and had been afflicted with paralysis a few years ago. A young person shall not be employed in or about any shop for a longer period than eight hours, exclusive of meal times, nor for a longer period than five hours

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BRIEF SUMMARY OF REPORT OF AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION

It Readily Recognizes that Much Should Be Done to Raise Agricultural Standard of Province, but Says Little as to How This May Be Accomplished—Advocates the Operation of the Former Government's Public Domain Act

The report of the agricultural commission which was tabled today is made up of a short report to which appendices, more or less voluminous, dealing with the different parts of the inquiry are attached.

The report, after describing the work done, the places visited, etc., takes up a few matters of general importance such as agricultural education, which, it argues, should be introduced in a practical manner to the rural schools of the country, with technical agricultural teaching in advanced schools as soon as possible, and when the province is ready for it, an agricultural college.

Short courses for the practical study of live stock, dairying, horse culture, etc., are urged. The importance of good roads is referred to, the necessity of the extension of railway accommodation, in some sections, of rural mail delivery and parcel post. The importance of a general rural telephone service is pointed out, the great benefits that have been derived from the organization of the women of the country in Women's Institutes, etc., as in Ontario, Maine and other places, is mentioned. The question of agricultural societies and technical information throughout the country is dealt with.

Appendix "A" gives a summary of all the replies to inquiries sent out to the school districts, 355 out of some 1,420 possible replies have been received. The information thus received is compiled under various heads.

In appendix "B" is submitted the evidence taken at 116 meetings held throughout the province, summarized under the various subjects discussed.

In appendix "C" is given short descriptions of the Ontario Agricultural College, Macdonald College, the Nova Scotia Agricultural College, and the work they are doing.

Appendix "D" contains letters with practical suggestions from leading gentlemen in different parts of the province.

Appendix "E" deals with the present conditions of agriculture in New Brunswick with comments and suggestions. Some of the results of prevailing methods are noted, and a hearing report on agriculture in the five eastern provinces is compared. The farm labor problem, vacant farms, survey and mapping of the province, agricultural education, the maintenance of the work of the agricultural department and state aid to agriculture are all discussed.

Appendix "F" contains the work of two investigators upon agricultural co-operation and agricultural credit in the different countries of Europe.

It is stated in the report that it is the opinion of experts who have been over the ground that the annual fruit crop of New Brunswick could and should be as valuable as that of Nova Scotia. The employment of a provincial horticulturist, who would assist in the development of the apple and other fruit growing capacities of the province is recommended.

The report concludes with the following summary: "While our agricultural condition is shown to be anything but satisfactory, there can be no doubt as to the favorable natural conditions of the province for agricultural development. New Brunswick is fortunate in many things; the regularity and sufficiency of her water supply both from moderate rainfall and her reservoirs is not excelled in any country; her seasons favor the growth of almost every crop necessary to animal life; her climate is the highest degree of mental and physical effort; her soil, while variable, compares favorably so far as we can ascertain, with any known agricultural country, and under intelligent cultivation produces large crops of the highest quality.

"With such natural surroundings her people should be able by intelligent use of their opportunities to be in the largest and noblest sense of the word, and to build up her a country of healthful and happy homes and a people who will have no superior in the world.

"That this result may be achieved, those who are living, and who are growing up to live on the land, must have larger conceptions of the country's capabilities and must place themselves in a position to secure a fair reward for their labors. To this end it would seem necessary that there should be:

1. A system of education which will enable farmers best to utilize their opportunities, and which will give their children a better knowledge of the country's capabilities and must place themselves in a position to secure a fair reward for their labors. To this end it would seem necessary that there should be:

2. That efforts be made to encourage fruit raising with particular attention to apple growing. We would recommend the appointment of a provincial horticulturist to take charge of this work. Nurseries are needed. Improved varieties of apples should be tested on their own stocks and by top-grafting, budding, etc. The illustration orchards should be increased, and with other orchards used for practical demonstrations in orchard work, spraying, etc. Further very necessary work which the provincial horticulturist should be able to undertake would be, to give the best information to prevent fungoid diseases, and insect pests, to discuss other conditions necessary to the best success in crop growing, as well as to advise upon the packing and marketing of fruits and vegetables.

3. That to encourage sheep raising, an amendment to the law for the protection of sheep from dogs is essential and the re-imposition of bounties upon bears and wild cats desirable.

4. That for the improvement of cattle, legislation to prevent the running at large of bulls would seem desirable and in some districts absolutely essential. Agricultural societies should be encouraged to pay special attention to the introduction of purebred sires of all kinds.

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DEBATE ON THE BUDGET FINISHED EARLY TODAY

Hon. C. W. Robinson in Stirring Address Shatters Untrue Statements of Government Supporters—Governor Signs Liquor License Act—The St. John Valley Railway.

Fredericton, N. B., April 6.—The house was honored today by a visit from Governor Tweedie who arrived about 5 o'clock to give his assent to the act amending the liquor license act which is now in full operation. The hurry in pushing this act through is due to the anxiety of the government to have the act in force at St. John on the same date as the civic elections. It is not intended to put the remainder of the law in operation until May 1, when the new licensees are granted.

Delegations are coming in quite lively now. The St. John municipal council was represented here today by several councillors. A Moncton delegation and several gentlemen from the western part of the province are here in connection with the tramway bill which comes up tomorrow again. Gloucester will be represented tomorrow, and the lumber operators from Northumberland are also expected.

The bill to incorporate the St. John Valley Railway Company was introduced by Hon. Mr. McLeod. It incorporates C. Fred Chestnut, J. J. Fraser Winslow, J. W. D. Matthews, Franklin Smith and Edward R. Teed, Charles L. Smith, Charles M. Sherwood, Edward A. Savage, John Palmer, George W. Hodges, James H. Edgerton, James S. Neill, Walter E. Foster, and Thomas H. Bullock, together with such other persons as they in writing may associate with them and such other persons as may become shareholders in the company, under the name of the St. John Valley Railway Company.

The company may buy out, construct and operate a line of railway from any point or points at or near the city of St. John, and thence following the valley of the St. John river to the city of Fredericton and thence following the valley of the said river to the town of Woodstock, and thence to St. Leonard in the county of Madawaska, or at some point connecting with a transcontinental railway line. The said company shall have the power to acquire and hold lands, to erect and connect with any railway or railways in New Brunswick.

The company may construct, maintain and operate lines of telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the railway, and may secure such bonds or debentures not exceeding \$35,000 per mile of railway, and may secure such bonds or debentures by mortgages or deeds of trust upon its rolling stock and other property and assets.

The bill gives additional powers of expropriation of properties. Another bill relating to arbitrations was introduced by Mr. McLeod. It gives the attorney general and provides for submission to one or two arbitrators, the operation of otherwise, and may select a third arbitrator if the two arbitrators during which they have power to make an award. The costs of the reference and award are in the discretion of the arbitrators.

In all six new bills were introduced today and three were given a third reading. Mr. McLeod's bill was given the second reading and the government has no intention on the part of the government to dismiss Sheriff Tompkins of the county of Miramichi. To Mr. Tweedie, Hon. Mr. Morrissey said that the government was not aware of the bridge at Andover which is in a dangerous condition. It would be repaired at once, but whether by day's work or contract he could not say until he had a report from the district superintendent.

The budget debate was resumed at the evening session by Mr. Woods, who spoke for upwards of an hour. It was a good natured speech in which every act of the government was heartily applauded.

Mr. Legger, who followed, followed dealing first with the agricultural policy of the government and then with the immigration policy, which he scored severely. He made an excellent point regarding the manner in which the country storekeepers had been treated by the government on school books. These were laid stocks of books on hand when the government put their books on the market at cost. In consequence these stocks of books should have been called in. This was done when the vendors were changed by the old government. Closing this subject he demanded of the government that:

DONATIONS FOR MUSEUM
Many Gifts Received by the Natural History Society

At the monthly meeting of the Natural History Society last evening, Mrs. J. Grover Watts was elected an associate member, and Reginald Brown a junior member. The following donations were received for the museum: Solidified fossil bones, from South Carolina, from Dr. G. F. Matthews; old books, including Calvin's commentary on the Gospels 1872; books, ferns and a flat nodule from Mrs. J. S. Harding; a chambered nautilus, from Mrs. D. McIntosh; specimens of desert sands, from W. D. Matthews; certificate of honorary membership in the historical society of Tennessee presented by Lady Tilly; a set of microscope slides, with a book on the microscope, from Chief Kerr; Kerby's text book on entomology, Wm. H. Morvatt; Indian work, Mrs. J. E. Wilson; fossils, A. G. Leavitt; bracelet made in 1800, Miss Amy Garman.

Two papers were read by Dr. G. F. Matthews. The first was on the phosphate beds of South Carolina, and the second on the structure of a fossil plant described by Sir Wm. Dawson, which had the form of a fern but fringed a cycad. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered Dr. Matthews.

OBITUARY
Mrs. Frank E. Flewelling
The death of Mrs. Frank E. Flewelling occurred suddenly at her residence, Manawagonish Road, on Monday, before her marriage she was a Miss Vida Jenkins, of Brooklyn (N. Y.), and was married to Mr. Flewelling by Rev. T. E. Bishop about a year ago. She was only 23 years of age. She is survived by a large number of relatives in West End and also in New York. There will be general sympathy for her husband in his bereavement.

Mrs. John Lathern
Halifax, N. S., April 6.—(Special)—Mary Elizabeth Simpson, widow of Rev. Dr. John Lathern, one of the best known Methodist ministers of Nova Scotia, died tonight at aged 75. Her husband preceded her four years ago. Mrs. Lathern was a daughter of John Simpson, of Fredericton, once Queen's printer, first mayor of Fredericton and the first president of the Bank of New Brunswick. Mrs. Lathern was stricken with paralysis three years ago and passed peacefully away. Two daughters survive, Miss Laura A. and Miss Lillie B. Dr. John Simpson Lathern, a son, died many years ago.

C. A. Magrath, of Medicine Hat, protested that there would be no chance of getting back power once assigned to the United States.

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GOOD WORK FOR NEEDY
What Has Been Done This Winter at the Salvation Army Metropole and Shelter

The winter season now drawing to a close has been the busiest ever experienced at the Salvation shelter. Adjutant Cornish, who is in charge of the work at the Army Metropole and shelter, said last evening that the building at times had been taxed to its utmost capacity. Every bed was occupied but more than a score of men slept on benches on the floors on several occasions. During the past few weeks the demands on the institution have increased greatly. As a result of the cold weather now in the city and it is thought that within a week or two the number of destitutes will be practically all.

Some idea of the work of such an institution may be gathered from the fact that beds were provided for 4,837 men and 7,804 meals were served during the period from Dec. 18 to March 12. Of course, in many instances the men had beds or meals on a number of occasions.

The grant of \$300 from the city and \$307 raised by newspapers were expended in the care of the needy in great measure. The adjutant thinks if the crowd to be taken care of next year is as great as it was this year more room will have to be secured and possibly the offices would be removed elsewhere or the space they now occupy would be fitted to assist in looking after the crowd.

Following are some of the figures showing the number of men taken care of in the shelter:

Number of beds given for work... 618
Number of beds given free... 492
Number of beds given on orders... 1,890
Number of beds given at 15 cents... 900
Number of beds given at 10 cents... 301
Number of meals given for work... 1,969
Number of meals given free... 535
Number of meals given cash or order 4,773

Quite a number were also cared for in the Metropole, as the following figures show:

Number of free meals... 500
Number of free beds... 260

In the free labor bureau, the number supplied with temporary employment was 390, fifty five were procured permanent employment.

Adjutant Cornish wishes to extend thanks to many friends who contributed clothing and donations for the poor.

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AT THE NICKEL

The Nickel takes much pride in its programme for today and Thursday in that it has secured the great Pathé Freres film "The Return of Ulysses," which created such a furore among art critics when it was shown at a short time ago. The performers in the photo-drama are the leading members of the famous Comedie Francaise in Paris, people of world-wide fame, while the costuming and scenic effects are excellent. Besides this sterling feature there will be pictures in lighter vein and Mr. Bennett has decided to sing at special request his hit of a fortnight ago, "The Wedding" of Sandy McNab. The orchestra will be led by Miss Edwards to sing Frederic Cowan's "The Swallows," and Mr. Courtman has a new ballad. The orchestra will have a new list of numbers. On Friday the Nickel will be open at 10 a. m.

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The cosy Star Theatre in Union Hall, North End, will be re-opened on Friday (Good Friday) morning at 10 o'clock. All bright, fresh and more conveniently appointed after four days of thorough renovation. The Star will have an excellent holiday bill to re-commence with, and on Friday and Saturday evenings will have a clever company like the one engaged for this season. A new vocalist—a refined lady balladist—will make her bow.

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REV. J. J. McCASKILL

AND THE PRESBYTERY

At a meeting of the St. John Presbytery yesterday the trouble arising over the Rev. J. J. McCaskill sermon was given another airing. Rev. Dr. Mowatt, of Montreal, was named as the matter had been put on the docket at the request of one of the members. He did not divulge the name, but it was said that it was Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith, of Fredericton. As a result of the discussion, a committee was appointed to confer with Rev. Mr. McCaskill.

During the afternoon this committee, which consisted of five, brought in a finding which it was understood finally disposed of the case. In this document Rev. Mr. McCaskill said he was sorry that anything had been published which had given offence and that he adhered to the fundamental doctrine of the church.

Rev. A. A. Graham was nominated by the Presbytery for the chair of practical theology in the Presbyterian College, Montreal. Rev. Dr. Mowatt, of Montreal, was named as the Presbytery's choice for the moderatorship of the General Assembly. The following were named delegates to the General Assembly, which will meet this year in Hamilton (Ont.): Rev. Gordon Pringle, Rev. D. McH. Clarke, Rev. G. McNeill, Rev. James Ross, Rev. L. G. Gibson, Rev. David Lang, Hon. J. G. Forbes, S. R. Clark, C. S. Everett, W. J. Parks, A. H. Soucyville and Peter Campbell, elders.

A number of reports were submitted, which consisted of moral and social reform committee, which was read by Rev. A. A. Graham. This was received and adopted. Rev. A. H. Foster, former clerk of the Presbytery, now of Montreal (N. S.), who was present, was invited to a place in the meeting, which had conferred with Rev. Mr. McCaskill read a finding which had been drawn by Mr. McCaskill and was as follows: "I am sincerely regret the publication of views which have given offence, and declare that I am in cordial agreement with the fundamental doctrine of the church."

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THE KINRADE CASE

Report that the Crown Knows Ethel Kinrade's Slayer, but Lacks Proof to Convict

Hamilton, Ont., April 6.—Provincial Detective Miller, who has charge of the Kinrade case, was here yesterday and had conference with Crown Attorney Washington. When asked if there was anything to be said the authorities were practically convinced they know who murdered Ethel Kinrade but they had not succeeded yet in getting evidence to prove it.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

On and after Sunday, Oct. 11th, 1909, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows:

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UNIVERSITY MAGAZINE

The April number of the "University Magazine" is a volume of 180 pages and contains sixteen articles. The number opens with a paper by C. Frederick Hamilton upon "The Canadian Navy," a subject which at the moment is creating so much interest. Mr. Hamilton sets forth an arrangement under which a Canadian Navy may be provided, maintained and operated. The second article forms the conclusion of the series of six articles which have appeared during the past two years upon "British Diplomacy and Canada." It is a history of 29 papers by the editor, Dr. Andrew Macphail. James White describes the situation of the Labrador Boundary dispute which is to come before the Privy Council. The literary feature of the number is Professor Dale's paper "On Some Definitions of Poetry." There is an article by Frederick George Scott on "Milton and the other verse" written by Miss Rickhail and Miss St. Denis. There is an amusing piece of writing "To Lesbia," which is done jointly by Chief Justice, Glenhouse, Falconbridge, Justice Riddell, Professor Hutton, and another who signs W. P. W. D. McIvor writes in a hopeful way of the Moral Aspects of the West, and in a similar vein Castell Hopkins writes of

Kissing and Pyorrhea were discussed at the annual convention of the National Dental Association in Birmingham, Ala. recently. Pyorrhea is a disease of the gum and is held to be communicable by kissing. The assertion was made that nearly every woman whose hair is artificially colored is a victim of pyorrhea.

A house to house census made in Berlin and suburbs by the Central Democratic trade unions shows that there are 101,200 men out of work.

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The lot of the Buffalo Bison is now proving to be a tedious job, tedious, for they have had another of each day. All of this is caused by the advent of "Dummy" Taylor...

Joe Jackson, the bush league wonder that Connie Mack is trying to make an outfielder of, knocked the ball over the right field fence at Louisville Tuesday...

The leading Marathon cracks will be seen in early May, in a big outdoor race over the full Marathon distance at Baseball Park in Buffalo.

When the New York Giants-Little Rock game was over, Mike Finn, manager of Little Rock, Mike Kelley, manager of the St. Paul team of the American Association...

Tom Eck, manager and trainer of Fred Simpson, the Indian runner, was sent to the hospital at Toronto, Ontario, where he is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia...

Looking in the very pink of condition even after his strenuous winter of racing, Bush, the one-armed skater, arrived in Vancouver from his tour of the east to receive an enthusiastic welcome and a host of congratulations from his many friends...

Schultz, Coombs and Plank, of the Athletics, are working on a new slow ball that Captain Davis introduced. All three have been getting the hang of it very fine and now use it in practice.

A Marathon runner, Frederick Runey, collapsed while competing in a twenty-mile run at Hull, England, recently. He was carried from the track, but soon recovered and was declared Recorder for the New Orleans on Monday before discharging Charles Dexter of the New Orleans Baseball Club and Grover Lane of the Cleveland American team...

In a reply to Hugh McIntosh, who has asked Nelson for his lowest terms for a battle with Jimmy Britt in Australia, the latter sent word back that \$20,000 would be the least he would consider.

Route on Monday night were: Memphis, Tenn.—After forcing the fighting in almost every round and badly punning Dick Fitzpatrick of Chicago, Referee Lee's decision of a draw at the end of the eighth so dissatisfied friends and backers of Jimmy Clabby of Milwaukee at the scores were:

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SANDY FERGUSON WHIPS JIM BARRY Boston, April 6.—Sandy Ferguson, of Chelsea, had Jimmy Barry, of Chicago, whipped to a standstill in the tenth round of a scheduled twelve round bout...

BURNS WANTS ANOTHER MATCH WITH JONSON

New York, April 6.—Tommy Burns, from whom Jack Johnson wrested the heavyweight championship of the world, is anxious for another fight with the Negro pugilist, Hugh D. McIntosh...

BASEBALL AS IT IS WRIT IN THE MIKADO'S KINGDOM

Here is an exact translation of the report of a baseball game in a Japanese paper. The "heaven-born Honolulu team" leads the two-handed team of his ancestors...

LONGBOAT AND ST. YVES

Toronto, April 6.—(Special)—Since his performance last Saturday many are of the opinion that this is not another good race left in Longboat, but Tom Flanagan does not share this view.

WITH THE BOWLERS

Result in Commercial League Game Last Night On Black's latest last evening the S. Hayward Company team fell before the Grocers in the Commercial League. The Grocers won by three points to their opponents one.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Points, Opponent. Lists scores for various bowlers in the Commercial League.

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DEBATE ON THE BUDGET

9. That for the encouragement of dairying, a change of departmental methods is desirable. The encouragement of economical and sanitary milk production in dairy sections seems the most urgent need.

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WHAT IS WHISKEY AND WHEN IS IT NOT, AND WHY

Washington April 6.—What is whiskey? It is up to President Taft, who never touches a drop, to decide this perplexing question. Twice before during the Roosevelt administration, this matter was under discussion and it was thought that the question had been disposed of. It seems, however, that whiskey will not down here is the point.

MANY DON'T KNOW HEART AFFECTED

"If examinations were made of every one, people would be surprised at the number of persons walking about suffering from heart disease. This startling statement was made by a doctor at a recent inquiry. 'I should not like to say that heart disease is as common as the cold,' he would imply, 'said the expert. 'But I am sure that the number of persons going about with weak hearts must be very large.'"

PLUTTERING OF THE HEART

Mrs. G. M. White, Williamson, N.B. writes: "I was troubled with weak pulse and fluttering of the heart. I was so bad I could scarcely get up in the morning. I procured a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and they helped me so much I got another box. It has made a final cure. I cannot speak too highly of them. They are worth their weight in gold."

THOMAS LAW, AN ENGLISHMAN, had his leg broken at Sand Point yesterday morning. A case of machinery slipped off a truck and pinned him down. William Lacey, a C. P. E. trucker, and his leg had crushed while at work there also. Dr. F. L. Kenney attended both cases.

Great Britain consumes about \$8,800,000 worth of Danish eggs a year.

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United Lodge No. 2, K. of P. meets in Castle Hall, German street.
Inquest continued into death of Mrs. W. W. McLaughlin at 7:30 o'clock.
Quiet Hour in St. Paul's (Valley) church at 8 o'clock, conducted by His Lordship Bishop Richardson.
Debate in lecture room, St. David's church at 8 o'clock.
Committees in local option campaign meet in their rooms.

LATE LOCALS

The City Cornet Band practice has been postponed from tonight to Friday night.
As many as forty dances are announced for Easter Monday night in the city and suburbs.
A congregational social in the Waterloo street Baptist church last night brought the anniversary celebration to a close.
The marriage of Miss Lloyd Trean, of Sydney, to C. J. Dempster, of this city, is announced to take place on April 13th at the home of her parents, Sydney.
The local option campaign headquarters for Lorne and Lansdowne wards are not in the Douglas Avenue church, but in the Temple of Honor Hall where meetings are held each evening.
At a public meeting of St. David's church Brotherhood tonight there will be a debate, the subject of which will be "Resolved that independence is a more desirable destiny for Canada than imperialism." Robert Strain, the president will preside.
At a meeting of the executive of the Liberal-Conservative Association held last evening in Keith's assembly rooms a resolution was passed expressing disapproval of having federal politics introduced into civic affairs. Ald. J. B. M. Baxter, first vice-president of the association, presided; W. H. Thorne, the president, being absent from the city.

The customary mid-week special musical service at St. John's (Stone) church will take place this evening at 8 p. m. and will be of special interest, including as it will several of Mendelssohn's works, this being the centennial of his birth; also selections from Handel's Messiah and Spohrer's "Baptism." The prelude to Wagner's music drama Parsifal will be rendered by D. Arnold Fox.

The Venerable Archdeacon Hindley of Melbourne, Australia, is in the city the guest of Mr. Shadlock, he is on his way to Ontario, where he will in future reside, and during his stay here will assist Rev. Mr. Giffin in the service of the Mission Church. He preached to that congregation last evening. The three hours service at the Mission Church on Good Friday will be taken by the Right Reverend The Bishop, and the preacher in the evening will be Rev. Mr. Scovill.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning David Hennessy, who was taken into custody on Market square for intoxication, was remanded. Thomas Williams, who said he was "a little full" on Tuesday, was fined \$4 or ten days, which was reduced to \$2.
Terence McLoughlin, who was corralled on Sheffield street last night, said he boarded at Pleasant Point and was fined \$8 or two months.
Matthew Conn, who reached the city on Monday after hibernating in a timber camp since last autumn, was fined \$4 or ten days.
John Kilfoyle was fined \$8 or two months for intoxication, but was not punished for resistance, and Charles Cain was further remanded for intoxication and profanity.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Peter Wellington Snider, superintendent Atlantic Division, C. P. R. Telegraph. Last Will proved whereby deceased gave to his wife, Ada Louise, all his property, and nominates her as sole executrix, who is sworn in as such. No realty. Personal estate \$800. E. F. C. Knowles, proctor.
Estate of Charles Murray, shoemaker, intestate. Petition of Thomas Murray, a brother, shoemaker, for administration. Besides the brother, the deceased left children of a deceased sister, Margaret McLaugh, and the wife and children of a deceased brother, John Murray. No realty. Leasehold on south side of Pond street, valued \$800, machinery in the buildings, about \$600. Thomas Murray is sworn in as administrator, S. A. M. Skinner, proctor.

THE MAGISTRATE'S SALARY

Meeting on Monday was: "Whereas we some time ago increased the salary of the chief of police, whom we do not appoint; and whereas, last year, we increased the salary of the chief of the police court, whom we do not appoint but who is appointed by the police magistrate; and whereas, the police magistrate a short time ago applied for an increase and after discussion the safety board refused the application, it being said that we did not appoint him; therefore resolved, that we instruct the bill committee to have prepared a bill to be submitted to the legislature increasing the salary of the police magistrate by \$600."
Those present at the meeting were Aldermen Frink, Baskin, McGowan, Vanwart, Baxter, Christie, Kelley, Elkin, Rowan, Scully, Sprout, McGoldrick, Pickett and Holder, and of the number Pickett, McGoldrick and Scully voted for the increase.
The magistrate's friends think discrimination was made in the increase in view of the substantial additions to the salaries of other officials who are not appointed by the city.

THE ENGINEER IS THE MAN

Editor Times:—
Sir,—In your issue of Evening Times Tuesday, April 6th, I see an article relating to the capabilities of speed of the Empress of Britain versus Empress of Ireland, in which the gallant captain of Empress of Britain asserts he will drive his engines quicker than the other ship, and beat her record. Now, Mr. Editor, what I, and I dare say my brother marine engineers take exception to is the prevailing idea of the public that the captain drives the ship alone. Such a statement is perfectly ridiculous because in a large steamship he has no control whatever over the engine speed. There is only one man responsible to the owners for the speed of a ship, and he is the chief engineer. There have been several bouncing statements of late made by captains relating to the driving of my ship, and I think it is time such false statements were made clear to the public at large, and where credit is due it should be given.
Yours sincerely,
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Among the many varieties of cut flowers will be found roses, carnations, geraniums, tulips, lily-of-the-valley, and other specialties, appropriate to the season. It will well repay all who visit this store as the well-known florist has excelled herself this year in producing a splendid assortment of the most popular Easter flowers.

HERBERT E. GOULD.
One of the brightest displays of plants in the city is that of the well known florist, Herbert E. Gould, his store, 99 Germain street, Masonic building. Masses of azaleas, spiraea, lilacs, primulas, and spring flowers interspersed with the fine holiday palms and ferns that Mr. Gould is noted for, make a display well worth visiting. A number of plants that are being shown this season for the first time such as the Acacia Paradoxa, with its sweetly fragrant yellow flowers and the superbissima ferns, are attracting a great deal of attention and are selling rapidly. Mr. Gould reports good sales and flowers plentiful, the sunny winter being responsible for a much healthier plant growth than usual.

ADAM SHAND.
Adam Shand, who, for 23 years, has been doing business on Germain street will move Thursday to his new store at 27 and 29 Charlotte street, opposite the Royal Hotel. After Easter, the Germain street store will be closed, but until after the holidays his patrons may be accommodated at either place.

The new store is much larger than the Germain street stand, and a much larger display can be made. Already, a mass of potted plants covered with a wealth of bloom have been brought in from the best houses at Annapolis and the basement of the building is almost completely filled with Easter lilies, azaleas, tulips, hyacinths, primulas, of all kinds, sixes, and season ramblers, roses and many others.

A novelty this season is a showing of health, which is being much admired. A very fine lot of geraniums is also being shown. Cut flowers of every description may be had, including roses, carnations, violets, etc.

The store is now in the hands of the painters, but will be in readiness for the opening tomorrow.
J. E. QUINN.
J. E. Quinn, in the country market, always makes a specialty of having a fine lot of flowers for Easter, and this year's display is fully up to the standard. He is showing Easter lilies, spiraea, carnations, roses, tulips, daffodils, pansies, hyacinths, etc., and also a choice lot of cut flowers for Saturday's trade.

CAMPBELL'S FLOWER STORE.
At Campbell's flower store, 193 Charlotte street, a very large stock of all reasonable plants may be admired. A feature of the display is the new American plants, which is shown here for the first time. A fine lot of Easter lilies, azaleas, carnations, hyacinths, tulips, daffodils, pansies, etc., are displayed, and in cut flowers, a selection may be made from roses, carnations, violets, sweet peas and other reasonable varieties. A call on telephone number 822, will receive prompt attention.

MISS MILLER'S CONCERT

High-Class Musical Event Enjoyed at the Opera House Last Night

The grand concert, given at the Opera House last evening by Miss Edith Miller and her company of English artists, was a musical treat, which those privileges to attend will not readily forget, for it is seldom indeed that a better balanced musical organization has visited St. John. The audience, as might be expected in Passion Week, was not exceptionally large, but nevertheless, a representative one and by no means lacking in appreciation, which was amply demonstrated by hearty applause and oft-repeated encores. The excellent manner in which the programme was carried through reflects a very great deal of credit upon the management, a notable feature being the promptness with which the members followed one another.
Miss Miller is undoubtedly one of the best English vocalists who ever visited this city and scored a signal triumph with the music-loving public of St. John. She is possessed of a powerful but very sweet and sympathetic mezzo-soprano voice, which was heard to excellent advantage in her varied selections, showing an almost wonderful versatility of expression. Her initial appearance was greeted by a tremendous ovation, and her rendering of her first number, Donizetti's "Ah mio Fernando" (Favorite), elicited a hearty encore. Other numbers rendered by Miss Miller were: "Lorraine, Lorraine Loree," "Capel," "Last Year," "Spring Has Come," "Maud V. White," and "Home," Wallford Davies, besides the encores.

As a cellist, Miss Maud Bell, made a very favourable impression and her performance last evening marked her as an artist of unquestioned ability. Her execution and expression elicited much favourable comment, and it is safe to predict that she has a brilliant future in store for her.
Another member of Miss Miller's company to score a success here, was Thorpe Bates, who is the possessor of a magnificent baritone voice, such indeed, as one seldom finds at least in the average concert company visiting St. John, for while it is powerful, it is beautifully mellow, sweet, and expressive, and needless to say, never under splendid control.
In Alfred Heather, St. John people had the pleasure of hearing a very pleasing tenor, a fact that they were not slow to appreciate, for he, like the other performers, came in for a generous share of applause, and had also to respond to numerous encores.
Harold Craxton, accompanied the performers in a most artistic manner, and the performance, which was a most enjoyable one, was concluded with the singing of the National Anthem.

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