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MORRISSY FLAYS TORY PLOTTERS

Beards Them at Their Own Meeting and Captures It

Commissioner of Public Works Shows Up Northumberland Conservative Machine Leaders in Unenviable Light—Large Chatham Audience Cheered Wildly as He Dressed Them Down.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Chatham, N. B., Nov. 30.—The campaign closed with a rousing meeting in Masonic Hall tonight which was called in the interests of F. D. Swim but turned into a splendid demonstration for Burchill and Hon. John Morrissy. Chairman (Gallivan) introduced D. McLachlan, M. P., first and F. D. Swim followed. Both made speeches that aroused but little enthusiasm.

While Swim was speaking Chief Commissioner Morrissy entered the hall and received a great reception. His speech was characteristic of the man. He did not spare Stewart, the president of the Conservative Association, pointing out that he was one of the sorcerers and hinting that it was because a printing bill of his for \$100 for the same work done by a rival concern for \$30 had been reduced to \$60. He was one of the men who was always crying out against graft.

MARITIME WINTER FAIR OPENED WITH LARGE ATTENDANCE

Many Distinguished Guests Present, Including Governor Tweedie.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Amherst, Nov. 30.—The eighth and what promises to be the most successful of all the winter fairs held in Amherst opened today. The town is filled with visitors from many points of the maritime provinces. The attendance today has beaten all opening records. The morning and afternoon was taken up with judging of beef cattle and sheep. At 6 o'clock the commissioners of the Maritime Stock Breeders Association entertained about 100 guests at a banquet given by the Ladies Aid Society. President Elderkin presided, and at the table of honor were Lieut. Governor Tweedie, of New Brunswick, Judge Longley, H. J. Logan, ex-M. P., W. B. Dickson, M. P., P. P. Principal Cunningham, of the Agricultural College, Truro. The toast list was taken up with President Elderkin and Col. Campbell, of Annapolis, acting as master of ceremonies. President Elderkin welcomed at the assembled guests, especially Governor Tweedie, who, despite ill-health, was present at the fair. In response to toast excellent addresses were given by Governor Tweedie, E. M. MacDonald, Judge Longley, Hon. Frank Sweeney and others.

RUM-CRAZED MAN FATALLY WOUNDS WIFE AND THEN KILLS HIMSELF

Woman Stepped Before Frenzied Father to Shield Her Little Boy and Received Blow from Hatchet Intended for Child.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 30.—Maddened by the effects of liquor, James Hackett, of Morningdale avenue, east end, this city, in an effort to exterminate his family today, fatally injured his wife and then committed suicide. Hackett first attacked his three-year-old son, James, but the mother stepped before the frenzied father and received the blow from the hatchet that had been intended for the boy. She fell to the floor stunned and while in this condition her husband obtained a razor and cut her throat. The child in the meantime had escaped. Hackett then turned the weapon upon himself and inflicted a wound which later proved fatal.

BLIZZARD RAGING IN THE NORTHWEST

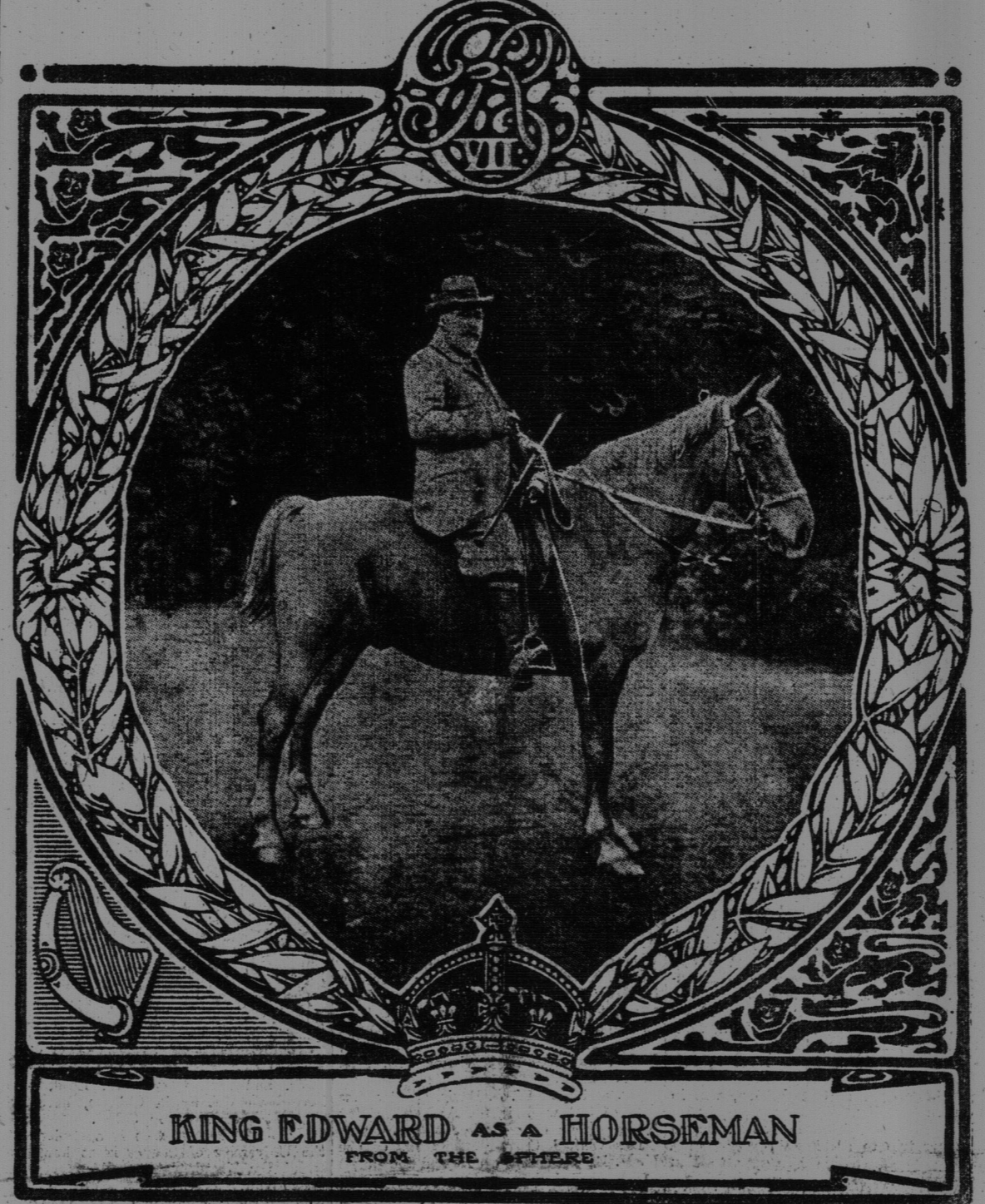
(Special to The Telegraph.) Winnipeg, Nov. 30.—A blizzard is raging today all over Manitoba and Saskatchewan and traffic is interrupted on all railway lines. The weather is also unusually cold for this season of the year. The storm, which is the first really had one of the year, broke with remarkable suddenness, following a period of exceptionally mild weather.

TUESDAY WAS THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY



QUEEN ALICE AND HER DAUGHTERS, OF THE ROYAL YACHT

LATEST PHOTOGRAPH OF BRITAIN'S SOVEREIGN



King Edward as a Horseman is here pictured mounted on one of the horses from the Royal Stable. Horseback riding is one of the King's favorite pastimes, and he devotes several hours daily to this popular form of exercise.

RECORD RECEIPTS FOR GAME LICENSES

400 Non-Resident Sportsmen Visited Province This Year

Hunters Contribute \$33,000 to Provincial Exchequer -- Combing Society Welcoming -- Other Matters of Interest.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Fredericton, Nov. 30.—The first of the series of meetings for men inaugurated by the Brotherhood of St. Andrews was held at the cathedral this evening and had a fair attendance. Bishop Richardson was the speaker and delivered an able and instructive address, which was attentively listened to.

MONCTON FACES BIG OUTLAY FOR INCREASED WATER SUPPLY

New Pumping Station to Be Built at Once

Second Reservoir Will Cost \$200,000—English Immigrant Committed on Horse-stealing Charge -- Other News of the Railway Town.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Moncton, N. B., Nov. 30.—At a meeting of the city water and light department committee tonight, a report was submitted showing that the department in the near future would find it necessary to issue bonds to amount to \$67,000 to retire maturing bonds, ripe out \$40,000 overdraft and provide for proposed new work.

NO AMERICAN CATTLE SHIPPED VIA ST. JOHN

Canadian Embargo Makes Their Export Impossible

C.P.R. Decides to Take No Chances for Fear of Trouble in Britain -- Dead Meat Can Be Sent Under Certain Regulations.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Montreal, Nov. 30.—The effect of the embargo declared against cattle from the United States entering Canada from the states of New York, Pennsylvania, Michigan, Delaware, Maryland and New Jersey on the export cattle trade from the port of St. John, will be that shipments of United States cattle from that port during the present winter will be impossible.

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Big Four-Master Missing.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 30.—The Lyman M. Law, one of the largest of the four-master schooners owned here, is today reported missing and much anxiety for the safety of the vessel is felt. The Law is commanded by Captain Chatfield and usually carries a crew of ten men. She sailed from Portland (Me.) on November 7 for Baltimore, loaded with copper ore. She is now two weeks overdue.

HALIFAX MEN GOT 10 PER CENT. EXTRA

Marine Inquiry Creates Great Interest in Sister City

Department Officials Have Unpaid Bills Running for Years With Merchants Selling to the Government—Captain of Cruiser Lady Laurier Made Big Money from Outside Parties.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Halifax, Nov. 30.—The Cassels inquiry developed one striking fact this morning. This was the payment of fees to Captain Peter Johnson, then master of the government steamer Lady Laurier. Johnson says these payments were legitimate and that the government knew about them.

"Will you deny that fifteen per cent? " "I will deny that." "Do you think this calls for any explanation from you?" "I have no explanation to make." "Were these prices fixed beforehand? If so, with whom?" "They were never fixed with anybody."

A Big Account.

W. G. Robertson, of William Robertson & Son, hardware merchants, was the first witness called in the afternoon. "We find that the sales by you to the department during three years amounted to \$53,000, so that the marine and fisheries department has been a very large customer," said Mr. Watson.

"When did this excessive scale of prices begin?" "I have no idea." "It's part of the system?" "I don't acknowledge any system."

REBELS MARCHING ON HAYTIEN CAPITAL

Town After Town Falls Into Their Hands Without a Struggle—Inhabitants of Port-au-Prince Panic-Stricken, But President Alexis is Preparing for a Decisive Battle.

Port au Prince, Nov. 30.—Every hour brings the revolutionary army nearer to Port au Prince and a feeling of impending disaster has taken possession of the people. The advance guard of General Simon's forces is now not more than 25 or 30 miles from this city and up to the present the insurgents have swept all before them.

Throughout the day and tonight the streets were patrolled by bodies of troops, who maintained order, but this was a simple matter for many of the streets were deserted, the people having betaken themselves to their barricaded houses. So far as can be seen all of the officers and soldiers here remain loyal and are facing the coming of the revolutionists calmly.

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MACDONALD COLLEGE MOVEMENT

IN EXPLANATION. The series of articles which is here given in this issue has been secured through special arrangements with the Macdonald College at Ste. Anne de Bellevue (Que.). The articles will treat of educational, agricultural and home subjects and will be written by or under the supervision of the professors in the various departments...

The original idea of the show ring was to encourage the individual breeder, and the pride of the showman was in the stock which he himself had bred. It is not reflection upon the Canadian stock man that he continually resorts to importations simply to win him the position he desires. The enterprise must be commended, but it is not the effort, in a degree, misplaced? When Canadian stockmen can win at Canadian shows, then the Canadian breeder will have to come to his own. And yet not quite. In this commercial age credit is often misplaced and the owner through a habit of strict integrity, and some of the stately champions found leading the larger herds in the parade, something but the feed and care of a month or a year to the man whose present possession they are. The country owes its greater debt to the breeder who lives behind the work, and whose young herd continues to appear in competition as the product of his year's labor.

Publication Department, Macdonald College, P. O. Que. The supervision of the preparation of articles in all the departments will be under the direction of an editorial committee acting with Dr. James W. Verton, C. M. G., principal of Macdonald College, whose name is a household word throughout Canada. The articles will appear under nine departments under the direction of professors who have charge of corresponding departments in the college. These departments are as follows: General—Besides having general revision of the whole work, Dr. Robson will provide for the publication of selected articles for this department. Pure and Applied Science—This department will treat of subjects connected with the sciences of bacteriology, biology, and chemistry as they affect the animal life of the people. Agriculture—Professor F. C. Harrison (zoology), William Lochhead (biology), Carleton J. Lynde (physics), J. E. D. (chemistry).

Education—Prof. John Britton, household science—Treatment of all subjects connected with the household. Department of the contributors will be Annie E. Juniper, dean of the household science, and her associates. Show Ring. The circus, in the arena, in the fort of the ancient world gathered the elite and strength and the prowess of ancient people to strive for the mastery in the race, combat or debate. The spirit of emulation born and bred in kindling liberty in the activity of contest and inspiration in the hope of success. It has always been so, even as from the earliest times has engaged the great game of war. Other times come upon us when other labors, the petty endeavor is no less manifest in commerce and industry and thought today than in the genius and spirit of great enterprise of the Greeks and Romans. The genius and spirit of any enterprise must almost of necessity be or later, find expression in some way. The master procession of labor day but give voice to the sentiment and identity of the great labor unit. The deliberation of a mass conference are as the distilled essence of a common desire for the speaking of common interests and the fashioning of common laws. The voice of the agricultural community finds a way utterance occasionally, and in a way clearly its own. The "Baron's Prize" or the "Durham Ox" and the "White Heifer that travelled" are names that recall pioneer days. The stockmen's art, the student of the market and the lot these cattle presented a new type a new ideal. The inspiration and education of the common herd was gained largely at the ring side and on the market the cattle were gathered, not to each other in competition, but where they were brought simply for the purpose. To follow the fortunes of these breeders is outside the scope of the article, but we cannot but recognize the age and fortune and intuitive force which they thrust into their work as a breeding breed in earnest. The ring played a part in the progress of the interest in the business and the standard of quality and value. The hand fought struggle of the "Baron's Prize" and the wonderful success of William MacCombie with his black in Great Britain and France, are objects of the contests of later years. The records of a "Baron's Prize" or a champion of England" awaken the adoration of those whom fortune has favored with a knowledge of the past. The honors of animal form have chosen for themselves not an easy vocation, and the ukas and McCombies are as worthy of attention as the champions of the "romance of steel and iron." To have provided sustenance for kind merits their gratitude, yes, and their honor even as those who do as they owe the luxuries and other necessities of life. The show ring, then, behind it a history, and encourages attention that lifts it into a class and gives prestige on a parallel with other conditions of human endeavor. One regard is that seem that the dem show ring fails of its purpose.

TORY PLOT TO OUST MORRISSEY

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HAZEN STANDS ALOOF

Efforts to Get Him and Others to Endorse Swim Have Failed—Lively Campaign in Burchill's Favor Being Carried On by County Leaders—Big Majority Sure. Chatham, N. B., Nov. 27.—There is no longer any doubt that there was a plot on the part of some disappointed Conservatives in Northumberland counties, to oust Hon. John Morrissy from the Hazen government.

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STORAGE OF CELERY

Celery will keep well in a moist, warm cellar, for under such conditions there is a tendency to rot. Celery stalks are not too moist but are too dry. If too dry the celery will wilt and the stalks dry out, even if a low temperature is maintained. Celery stalks should be stored in a room where the temperature is about 40 degrees Fahrenheit. The stalks should be stored in a room where the temperature is about 40 degrees Fahrenheit.

NEWCASTLE TOWN COUNCIL

Offer of \$6 1-2 for Water Bonds Likely to be Accepted—Move to Dispende With Day Policemen Fails. Newcastle, Nov. 27.—At town council meeting last night all the councillors were present. The council was held in the evening. The council was held in the evening. The council was held in the evening.

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CANADA TAKES NO CHANCES ON CATTLE DISEASE

None of This Country's Bees Can Be Shipped Through American Ports. C. P. R. Refuses to Transport Animals From Chicago, Via Winnipeg, to the East—Other Restrictions. Ottawa, Nov. 29.—That every possible avenue for the introduction of the foot and mouth disease from the United States may be guarded, the government has put in force additional restrictions upon the importation and transportation of cattle from that country.

CANADIAN EXHIBIT AT ALASKA-YUKON EXPOSITION

Seattle, Nov. 28.—The government of Canada will construct a building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition to be held in Seattle June 1 to October 31, 1902, inclusive, covering a ground space of 300 by 150 feet.

WRECK NEAR BRIER ISLAND

The Aurora, Lumber-laden, Dugby for Buenos Ayres, Went Ashore During Thick Fog. Digby, Nov. 27.—The Norwegian bark Aurora, Captain Saanum, loaded with lumber, and having a crew of twenty men, went ashore one mile north of Brier Island light this morning and will be a total loss.

THREE SENTENCED TO PENITENTIARY

Moncton Woman Thief Gets Two Years; Aulac Mail Robber Three Years, and Highwayman Two Years. Dorchester, N. B., Nov. 27.—Four young men and one young woman were sentenced by Judge Wells in Westmorland county this morning, as follows: Robert Harney, who pleaded guilty to robbing mail bags between Aulac and Joliette, to three years in the penitentiary; William Laurels to two years in the penitentiary for stealing money from a man on the highway near Shediac; Andrew Leger to six months in jail for stealing trinkets from a house at Port Elgin; Mary O'Connor to two years in the penitentiary for stealing clothing, etc., from a house in Moncton where she was employed as a servant. The court was yet in session.

P. E. I. MAGISTRATE BRINGS LABEL SUITS

Charlottetown, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Two days before the province election the Guardian published an open letter from Rev. R. C. Sinclair, of Montague, to Premier Hazzard, containing reflections upon the official conduct and capacity of St. John's Magistrate J. H. Reddin, of King's county, in connection with prosecution of prohibition in that county. Reddin looked upon the libel against the Guardian for \$5,000, and against Sinclair for \$150. The former case is to be tried before the supreme court in January, and the latter before the county court in December. Today the Guardian makes a statement declaring that the reflections of Mr. Sinclair were unwarranted and regretting their publication.

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IMMIGRANT STARTS CAREER OF CRIME AT ONCE

Frank Scott, a Young Englishman, Arrived in Halifax Nov. 21, and Succeeded in Stealing Four Horses, a Gold Watch and \$5 Before He Was Caught at Moncton—Was Going to Drive to Western Canada. Moncton, N. B., Nov. 29.—Charged with stealing four horses, a gold watch and a small sum of money at different points between Halifax and Moncton, a young Englishman, newly arrived in Canada, was apprehended by the police here today.

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SUMMER CAMP OWNERS MAY EMPLOY DETECTIVE

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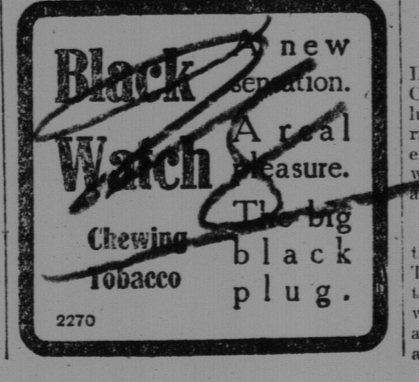
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THE MISSIONNER

BY E. PHILLIPS OPPENHEIM

CHAPTER I.  
Mistress and Agent.

The lady of Thorpe was bored. These details as to leases and repairs were wearisome. The phrases and verbiage confused her. She felt obliged to take them in some measure for granted, to accept without question the calmly-offered advice of the man who stood so respectfully at the right hand of her chairman. This agreement with Philip Crooks, she remarked, "is a somewhat important document. With your permission, madam, I will read it to you."

She had been adjusted. The tenants of the home lands had been most carefully chosen, and Thorpe itself is spoken of everywhere as a model village. "It is very charming to look at," his mistress admitted. "The flowers and thatched roofs are so picturesque. Quite a pastoral idyll, my guests tell me. The people one sees about seem contented and respectful, too."

"I wrote you about it, you know. My name is Macheon." Mr. Hurd's answer was briefly spoken, and did not invite argument. "I have mentioned the matter to Miss Thorpe-Hatton, sir. She agrees with me that your proposed ministrations are altogether unneeded in this neighborhood."

The President's Daughter Coming Out.



MISS ETHEL ROOSEVELT

Far preceding any event yet scheduled for the forthcoming winter season in society is the "coming out" of the daughter of President Roosevelt. Since the marriage of his eldest daughter, Alice, to Representative Longworth, social functions of the White House have not been so numerous, with the result that society in Washington and elsewhere eagerly welcomes the debut of the second daughter, the first family in America. More marked will be the event in celebration

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He had no doubt as to his question.

"My name is Hurd, sir," he answered stiffly. "What can I do for you?"

"You can let me have the barn for my services," the other answered, smiling

Peggy remarked, "who came up the avenue as though he were walking on flame of spirituality. We want to h there is no name by which you yourselves" she asked. "None," he answered. "And your headquarters are the same?" she asked. "In Gloucestershire," he answered. "as we can be said to have any quarters at all."

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BIRTHS - FOWLER - To Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard Fowler, 21-1/2 West street, Nov. 2, a son.

MARRIAGES - HUNT-McLEAN - In Winnipeg, on Tuesday, Nov. 29, 1908, the Rev. Trinity church, the Rev. Archdeacon Fortin, D.D., only daughter of the late Capt. George Fortin, and Miss Edith Gilbert Hunt, of Winnipeg.

DEATHS - LEE - At Rest on Nov. 24, Percy Norman Lee, in his 77th year, eldest son of Chas. H. and Fannie Lee.

"Strout's Farm Buyer's Guide" - Is the Title of Circular Just Out - It is a valuable and interesting publication for all those who are interested in the purchase of farm property. It contains a list of farms for sale, with full particulars of each, including location, size, and price. It is a must for every farmer or prospective buyer.

SCOTSMEN CELEBRATE THE GREAT NIGHT IN A MANNER RIGHT HEARTY AND MANLY - St. Andrew's Society and Ladies Enjoy Speech and Song and Dance - Elequent Address by Rev. W. W. Rainie on the Day and a' Wha Honor It—President McIntosh Welcomes All, and Dr. Addy, Hon. R. J. Ritchie and J. T. McGowan Reply—Four or Five Hundred Enjoy Fine Programme in Keith's Assembly Rooms.

Notice to Mariners - Reports and Disasters - The British Ports - Foreign Ports - The Scotch folk are a kindly folk. They have all the earnestness of men who have been reared among mountains, broken country and flooding rivers. Their maxims are "a friend in need is a friend indeed" and "they will welcome a beggar as readily as a king. Their charity, while never indiscriminate, is always deep and ready. They are not the kind of people who look for a steady income, but rather for a life's rugged way. They cheer the lonely widow's heart for the barmaid deep voice, and make them feel as best they can that they have friends both lead and true close by their side.

THREE DECIDE TO FIGHT AGAINST SALOON - Dukes, Lorne, Lansdowne and Victoria Now Seek Prohibition - Three more of the city wards decided Monday to enter the campaign for the local veto inaugurated in Dukes ward. This makes four wards which will try to banish the saloons from their bounds. The three which decided to fall in line last night were Victoria, Lorne and Lansdowne. Sydney electors also met to decide to enter the campaign.

THE REPUBLICS - Dr. Addy, who was received with hearty applause, and thanked gratefully for the address of the welcome extended to him. He was privileged to convey greetings to the membership of St. Andrew's Society and to the members of the Ladies' Association. He spoke of the relations which had always existed between the organizations, a feeling which was largely to similarity of aims. He will gather to sing old Scotland's songs and tell us their funny stories. He will be glad to see you and his country will be glad to see you.

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