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NOT CREDITABLE

The recent discussion about the rooms in the Market building calls attention once more to a fact that is extremely discreditable to the city of St. John. It reminds the citizens that the fine natural history collections, which are large and varied enough to be a credit to the city, are housed in rooms ridiculously small and cramped, on the upper floor of a building and difficult of access, and not displayed as they would be if they were viewed by the people of an ordinary village.

THIS SETTLES IT

The gentlemen of the press of St. John are men of patient mould and gentle ways. But they can be very firm and strong to maintain their rights.

THE SEVERE COLD

The severe cold here should heal all differences between the local curling clubs, and gladden the hearts of the ice man and the rink managers.

THE SEVERE COLD

There are indications that in Albert county the difficulties in the path of the thirty man war are somewhat increased.

A VALUABLE BOOK

Mr. C. B. Devlin, M. P., is confident that the result of the British elections will greatly advance the interests of Home Rule. He is, at all events, one of the eight or nine vigorous champions of that cause who place it before all others in importance. They will remind the new premier of his pledges, and will make it interesting for him if he does not meet their views.

THE CITY OF FREDERICTON

The city of Fredericton is making legislative authority to offer conditional inducements to new industries, and conditional concessions of value to existing factories. The smaller cities of the province sometimes display more enterprise than the larger ones.

UNLESS QUEBEC

Unless Quebec is granted better terms by the Dominion, Premier Gouin anticipates a defection from the ranks of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the province. In British Columbia there are also threatenings of trouble, even to a disruption of the union.

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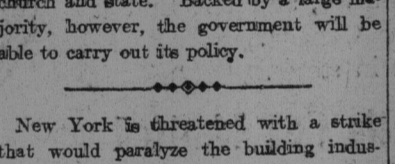
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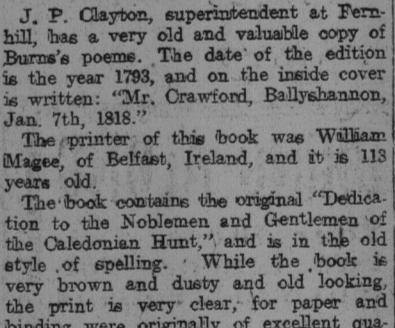
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MILD WINTER OF 1832

The oldest inhabitant came into the office the other day and remarked that as an average winter this was exceedingly severe. "Speaking of warm winters," said he, "do you recall the winter of 1832? In that winter I went to school from December until March barefoot, with nothing on but linen pants and a cotton shirt. And it was so hot sometimes during those days that I took off my shirt. In that winter Christmas Day I picked eight quarts of ripe strawberries in a field opposite my father's house in the town of Turner, and I very nearly had a sunstroke. It was so warm that winter that they forgot to hold the annual state legislature at Augustus. By gum!" added our faithful chronicler, "I never see such nights as we had for heat. I sleep all winter 'thout no bedclothes, an' the skaters 'bout fearful!"

HOW THEY DO IT

Some of the facts brought to light in Ray Stannard Baker's series, "The Railroads on Trial," now running in McClure's, give added interest to the announcement that Swift & Co. have increased their capital stock by \$15,000,000 from \$25,000,000 to \$40,000,000. The company also announces a large addition to the surplus and many improvements, in the near future, to its plants. One doesn't wonder at all this prosperity after reading Baker's disclosures.

There were two marriages in the city during the past week and 19 births, 7 males and 12 females.

BLINDED BY RED PEPPER

Paris, Feb. 2.—As a net result of today's rioting, though the inventory was taken in but one church, that of St. Pierre Groussillon, over fifty persons were seriously injured and a further considerable number slightly hurt. The latter included a number of police and firemen who were almost blinded with cayenne pepper.

M. Louis Lepine, prefect of Paris, and other high officials, and the newspapers of all shades of opinion, deprecated the violent incidents. It is said that the clergy have done their best by advice to their congregations to remain calm, but without avail, the militant Catholics being firmly resolved to resist what they term the spoliation of the many parish churches, containing many millions of francs worth of jewelry, military medals and decorations, given by devotees as saint offerings.

It is charged that the blame for the recent conflicts attaches to the minister of the interior because of the order that the inventory of the churches should be carried out before the regulations under the separation law are definitely drawn up. This leaves the Catholics uncertain regarding the eventual fate of church property, and their doubts on the subject have brought about their resistance to the order and its results. The authorities are determined, however, that the law shall take its course and the disorder to be expressed with the utmost vigor. Twenty-two hundred inventories have already been made throughout France, more than 100,000 in all. Paris contains sixty-nine Roman Catholic churches, of which but half have been visited by the officials. Proceedings will continue tomorrow and in order to prevent a renewal of the disturbances the authorities have kept secret the hour at which the inventory of the government inventories today at the Church of St. Pierre Du Gros Chateau in the Rue St. Dominique, the authorities adopted rigorous measures. All the shops in the neighborhood of the edifice were closed, cordons of armed municipal guards on foot were stationed at intervals along the street and a squadron of mounted municipal guards with drawn swords patrolled the thoroughfare and kept the crowds moving.

When the prefect of police, M. Lepine, arrived the bells were tolled and the people inside the church and numbering about 3,000 persons began singing psalms, while outside the people, composed of Socialists, who threatened a demonstration, shouted revolutionary songs.

M. Lepine thence summoned the congregation to open the gates, which the people refused to do, and then firemen were ordered to force an entrance. As they mounted ladders in order to break in the windows of the church of the Virgin, an aspect of the church, revolver shots rang out and the firemen retired.

Later five engines arrived and amidst a shower of missiles the firemen scrambled up to the roof with a hose. The water was turned on and the interior of the building was soon flooded. In the meantime the doors had been battered down but the municipal guards found difficulty inside and met with fierce resistance. Numbers of the gulls and the congregation were severely injured. The authorities eventually obtained the mastery and the demonstrators were captured one by one and led to the nearest station house.

In the meanwhile the unruly crowds outside had broken through the cordons of the municipal guards and attempted to reach the church and engage in a fight with its defenders. But the mounted guards eventually cleared them away from the vicinity of the church.

The crowds are increasing in numbers around the church where it is estimated about 8,000 persons have gathered. The police force present is not strong enough to hold the people back. The municipal guards have repeatedly charged the rioters about "assaults" as arrested demonstrators emerge from the church and are taken away under escort. All the officers who entered the church emerged covered with blood and their clothes torn and soaked to the skin.

PASTOR WAGNER'S BROAD GOSPEL

The sentence which perhaps best sums up the spirit of Charles Wagner's recent volume, "Gospel of the Future," is born to that half-light where ignorance and knowledge struggle with each other like the warring elements and shadows of twilight. Out of the depths of the infinite a voice has cried "Come!" and he goes before him the dawn, behind him the night.

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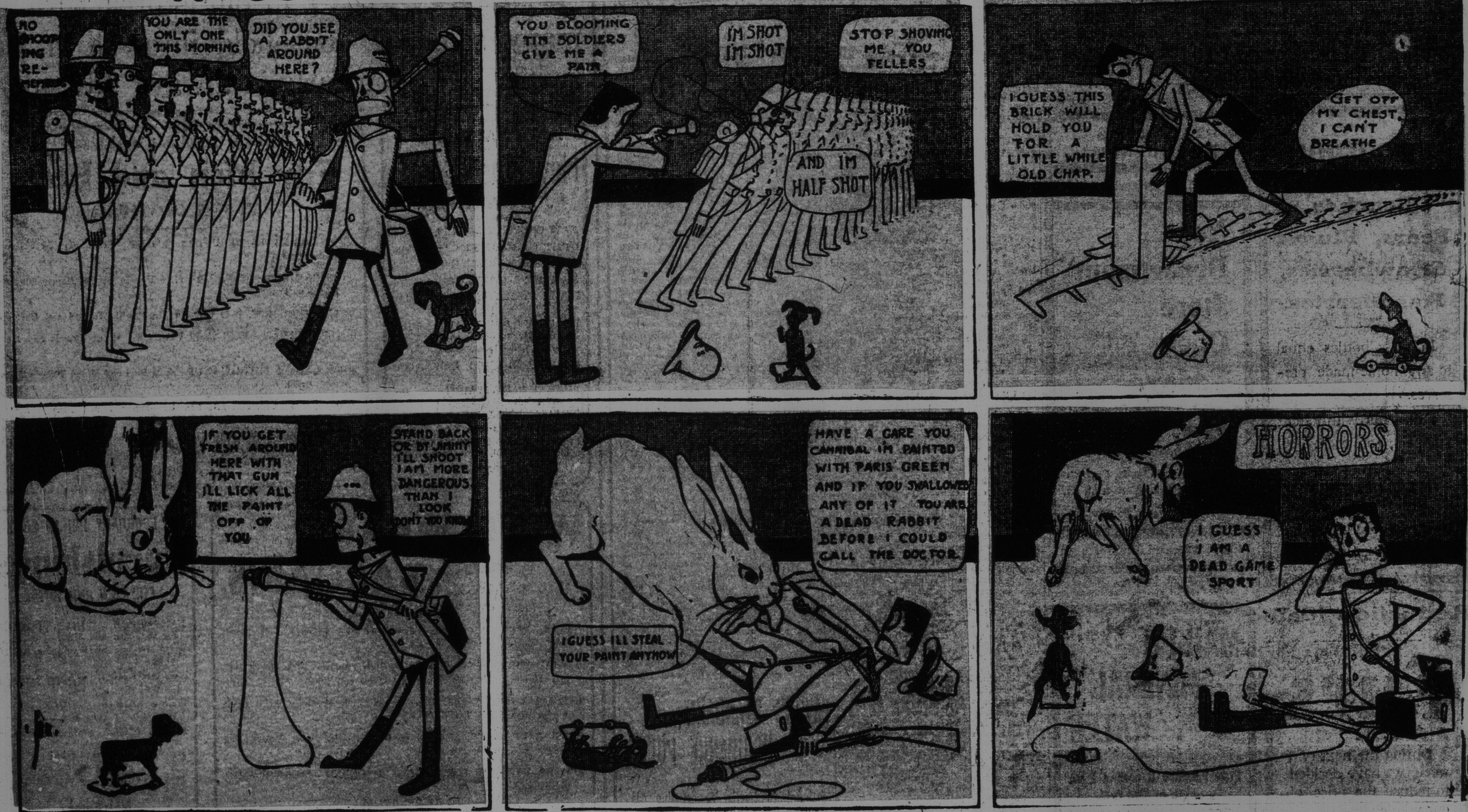
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PARISIAN DAY MOURNING.

Mourning Feathers a Novelty in the World of Black. Gloves a Serious Item, as Suede Alone Can be Worn and So Soon Becomes Damaged—Elbow Gloves Must Wrinkle to be Smart and for the Street Use the Yard Length 'Glove' is Not Considered a Bit Too Long.

PARIS, Jan. 27.—Mourning has reached so elaborate a stage here that it is not too much to say the smartest black has been a festive stamp. Everything is done to relieve the sombre sadness of death, and yet nowhere else is such a quantity of English crepe worn, for it does not appear in an enormously long veil, it is literally piled upon frocks. In fact the French makers add crepe, and now use it in astonishingly many and dainty ways. As a background for dull and rich embroideries, it is often seen. Hat flowers are made of it, and the thinner qualities are sometimes cut up and used for applied gown embroideries, after the style of those made of chiffon.

When in deep and moody black, a young widow is much admired in Paris, and her charming weaver is recognized as a specialist in the matter. Almost every year there is a mourning fete in the Salon, showing a very realistic Londoner with the proper wreath of leaf wreaths, and a delightfully gowned widow or orphan kneeling beside it.

At a great dressmaking establishment, which makes a specialty of mourning in all degrees of sombreness, were gathered some of the latest Parisian ideas for black. Five gowns shown upon this page give three dreary day effects and two evening toilettes in Empire style.

The most useful of the day frocks is decidedly the one at the right, which was designed for second black. Dull finished serge is the material of this, chiffon silk shirred over cords being used for the skirt border and bolero trimming. The fur are of lynx and the hat of dull silk and "mourning feathers," with a well draped at the back of neck edged with a fold of silk.

Mourning feathers are decidedly a novelty in the world of black, for though entire black have long been used the catch plume line up to now been departed. The mourning touch is now given by pasting the stem with crepe or dull silk, and adding flecks of the same to the fringes. The feathers are not greatly in demand and are generally made to order.

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which is of black chiffon cloth. Cloth puffings trim the skirt in a way to effect the idea of an overbust, and the high collar and dark line about the stock are of dull silk. The jaunty felt and ribbon disappear with this gown is lifted high at the back, where from a huge bunch of black silk chrysanthemums depends a net veil, beamed and laced. Chrysanthemums, by the way, are the favorite mourning flowers here.

Chiffon cloth is also the material of the centre frock, which is a species of princess with an empire body effect. The full skirt is tucked above the knees and gathered with an under shirring slightly into the figure at the waist. A bow held by a bunch of dull jet, and a ruffled collar of white series are becoming details of the bodice, whose sleeves are elbow length and finished with a double cuff and three cuffs.

A third of paradise plume decks the jaunty hat, for this feathery plumage is thought very suitable to the somber exigencies of black.

Finally, these gowns are proper for either morning or afternoon wear, but as smart women never go out in Paris till after the second breakfast they may easily be dubbed toilettes d'apres midi. With accessories modified somewhat, they are suited to young widows even in the first nine months of black.

The two evening frocks are copies of second mourning models supplied for a recent reception at one of the foreign embassies. Both are of black lace and net magnificently embroidered with dull jet and ribbon. Broad bands of the ribbon form the borders of the skirts and bodice trimmings, and the long gloves are of glass lace.

Gloves are a very serious item with well kept up mourning, for suede is entirely used for deep black, and such gloves are soon damaged. The elbow gloves of all the smart gowns also necessitate enormous lengths, one yard not being thought a bit too long for the street gown. But the careless wrinkling, which smart show, takes up much of this.

In the way of accessories, a new thing in turn-over collars is a little band of white Swiss edged with a hem of black bowen. Cuffs often go with lace, though the collar may often be worn without, and some smart little handkerchiefs are edged very narrowly and cross-barred with black.

Much jewelry is worn, though for first mourning it is all of the unobtrusive sort, and takes chiefly the form of bangle bracelets, which are worn outside the glove, and short broad chains, three links of which may be trusted about the neck.

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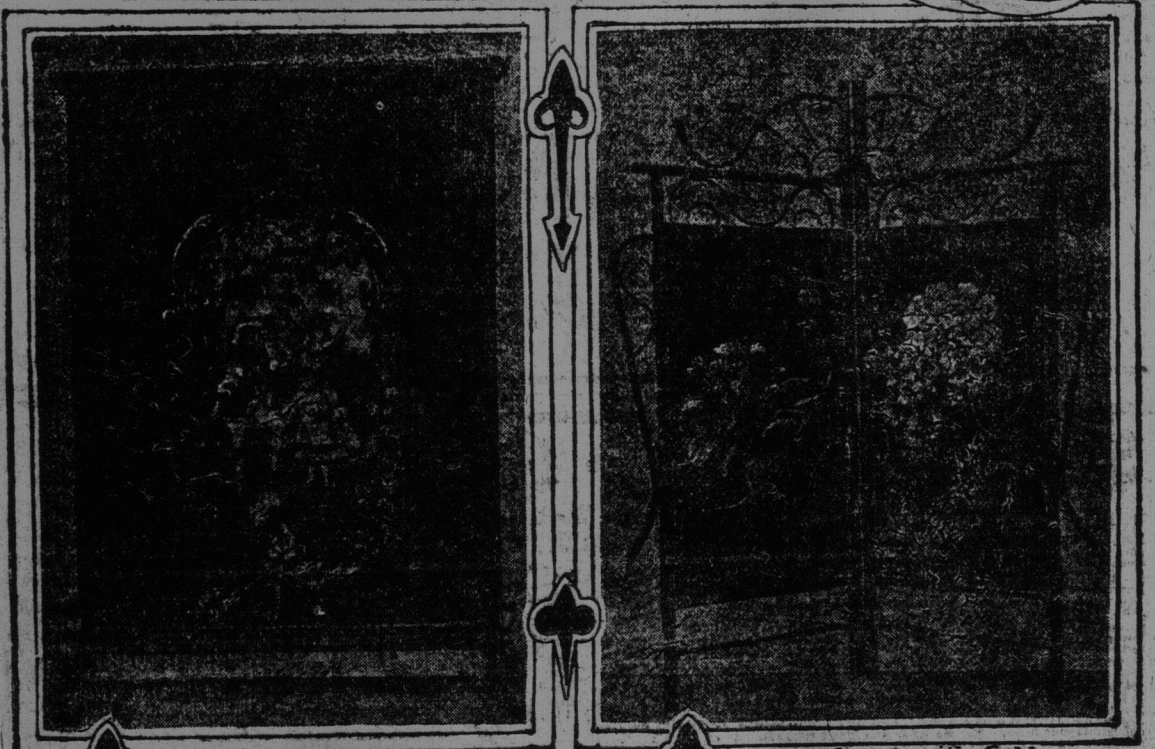
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He knows no good who boasts he does no harm.

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Practical Hints & Victoria Suggestions for Housewives

PRE-SCREENS FOR THE CARPENTERS



With the open gates and gas stoves, which are so frequent a detail of modern householding, it is not surprising that the most necessary pieces of furniture, those which are called pre-screens, are in demand. These are screens of brass or copper frames, with a netting of fine wire meshing, which is usually apparently of threads of brass or copper—often of the same sort of gold or silver wire, and is usually of a decorative design of flowers, the open part of the screen being a decorative effect. These pre-screens are made of the finest material, and are usually of a decorative design of flowers, the open part of the screen being a decorative effect. These pre-screens are made of the finest material, and are usually of a decorative design of flowers, the open part of the screen being a decorative effect.

Although the average bit of lingerie is made up of the prettiest materials, it is not always made up of the best. There are many things that are made up of the best materials, but they are not always made up of the best materials. There are many things that are made up of the best materials, but they are not always made up of the best materials.

Stand Scallops for Lingerie



Scallops with an Edge of Lace. Both Flounce and Dust Ruffle are scalloped. Detail of Flounce and Dust Ruffle. A young girl of 18 awoke one morning to learn that she was the only one in the family who could work. There was a sick father, a helpless grandmother and a little brother 8 years old. They lived in the country, not far from the station, so it occurred to her to make the horse and wagon earn a living for them all. She took the little brother to the station, and she left him there. She went to the station, and she left him there. She went to the station, and she left him there.

Odd Occupations

Ways in Which Women Can Earn Money. By Cynthia Westover Alden. Copyright, 1906, by A. S. Barnes & Co. Many women would not be so bold as to take up the line of support where they have been dropped by the one who has been their protector. I give some instances where the women, by their strength of determination, not by their knowledge of first-hand experience, have taken a new path. There is another woman in Arizona who with her two daughters is the support of her family. She has a husband who is dead, and she has two daughters who are in school. She has a husband who is dead, and she has two daughters who are in school.

PROPER CARDS FOR THE FASHIONABLE WEDDING

By Eleanor B. Clapp. Copyright, 1906, by A. S. Barnes & Co. WEDDING cards take place in large city churches, it is customary to include an engraved card of admission in the envelope with the invitation. This is of rather heavy white cardboard, about four and one-quarter inches long by three inches wide, and usually bears the single engraved line: "Please present this card at the church." Or it may be a little more elaborate and have a blank space at the top in which the name of a guest can be written in.

WHEN BABY SUFFERS WITH SCARLET FEVER

By Dr. Emelyn L. Coolidge. Copyright, 1906, by A. S. Barnes & Co. WHEN a baby under one year of age is not so likely to contract scarlet fever as older children, they do sometimes take the disease and should never be exposed to it, if it can be avoided. Scarlet fever is one of the most serious contagious diseases. It is not only the disease itself that is dangerous, but the complications that are likely to occur are much to be dreaded. Epidemics of scarlet fever are more likely to be seen in the fall and winter months than in the spring and summer. The germs are very easily carried, and a child may take the disease by means of a third person, by clothing, toys, books, or by being in a room which has not been properly fumigated, even months after the person who has had the disease is well. Of direct contact with a case, hence the greatest precautions should be observed in handling a case of scarlet fever.

WHEN BABY SUFFERS WITH SCARLET FEVER

The rash is usually seen on the neck and chest first, but it spreads rapidly. The length of time which the rash remains out varies greatly; sometimes it remains for a week, and again it fades in a few hours. In the average case it begins to fade after the fourth or fifth day, and then the skin begins to peel. The scales which peel off are sometimes very large, and it is at this stage of the disease that others are most likely to contract it. The patient should not be allowed to come in contact with other children until all signs of peeling have ceased. This usually takes two or three weeks, and may take six weeks in some cases. The treatment of scarlet fever depends a good deal upon the severity of the case and general symptoms, and must be left to the family physician. The strictest isolation must be observed, and the mother or nurse who is taking care of the baby should not go near the rest of the family, nor should she go into rooms where they are likely to enter. A warm sponge bath given under cover of a blanket night and morning, or often, if the child is restless from a high fever, will often soothe him and make him much more comfortable. A little alcohol may be added to the water, if the fever is very high. A nice cap placed on the child's head will often help to reduce the temperature and quiet the restless patient. Great care should be taken of the baby's mouth; it should be washed out several times daily with an antiseptic solution, such as borax acid, and the throat sprayed or swabbed, if very sore. Rubbing the body with camellia vasoline is also very necessary in this disease, for it helps to keep the scales from scattering.

Miss Alice Roosevelt and Fiance, Congressman Nicholas Longworth



MISS ALICE ROOSEVELT AND CONGRESSMAN NICHOLAS LONGWORTH ON THE BOAT

New York, Feb. 2.—Like thousands of other young women who wish to spend...



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King Christian, Called "Father of Europe," Related to Many Sovereigns



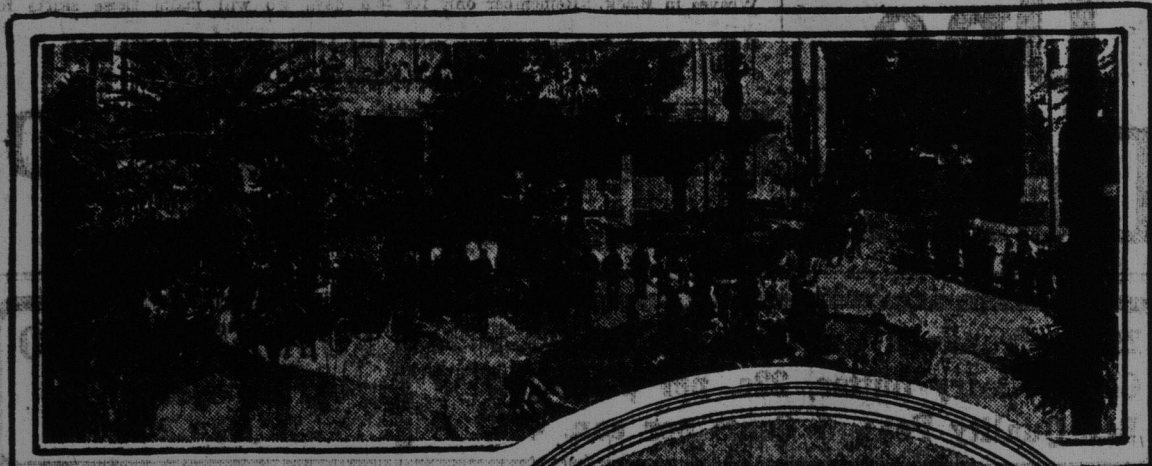
THE LATE QUEEN OF DENMARK

King Christian, who died on Monday, was known as the "Father of Europe" on account of the high rank of those closely related to him...



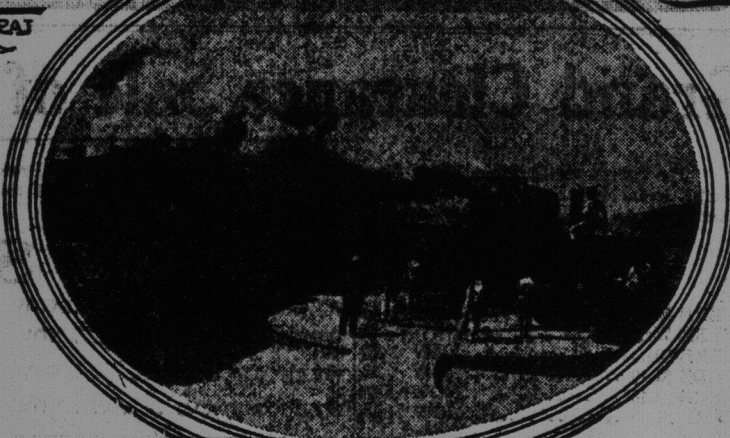
CROWN PRINCE KING CHRISTIAN AND HIS WIFE, PRINCESS HELENE

Castro Preparing for War After Peaceful Year Reception



CASTRO ARRIVING AT THE FEDERAL PALACE ON NEW YEAR'S DAY

Washington, D.C., Feb. 2.—A persistent rumor that General Castro, who arrived here from Venezuela...



BEING ONE OF THE NEW KEMP GUNS IN THE PORT AT PORTO CASTELLO

Castro's declaration that diplomats took all immunity immediately relations are severed...

THE COLD WAVE

Washington, Feb. 2.—The weather bureau tonight shows that the cold wave extends over the eastern portion of the United States...

The temperature today was thirty degrees below at Rockville (Md.)...

TO BE LOYAL TO BALFOUR

Indianapolis, Feb. 2.—With prospects pointing to a strike of 800,000 coal miners...

YOU ARE WEAK

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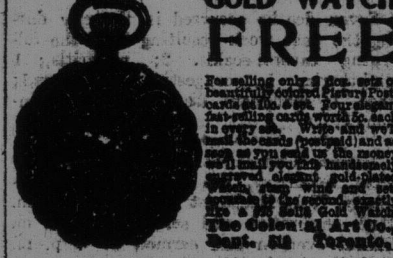
When a woman is continually unwell there must be a cause. Doctors say it is constipation, which disorganizes every function upon which health depends.

BALFOUR DINES WITH CHAMBERLAIN

Montreal, Feb. 2.—(Special)—A special cable from London says: Joseph Chamberlain will not lead the Conservatives...

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PAST. "This is a fast color!" asked the man who wanted three pairs of socks for a quarter. "Sir," replied the sales person, blushing, "that color is so fast that if it should start to run it would inevitably be arrested for exceeding the speed limit."—Puck.

THIS EVENING Edward Ellis Company in "The Idler" at the Opera House, at the York Theatre, in "The Mercenaries."

THE WEATHER Forecast—Northern winds and very cold today. Sunday, moderate, with southerly gales and a snowfall.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON. Saturday, Feb. 3. Highest temperature during last 24 hours 44 below zero.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Forecast: Eastern states and northern New York—increasing cloudiness and warmer weather.

LOCAL NEWS

At Westfield at 7 o'clock this morning the thermometer registered a below zero.

The heavy wind last night loosened a good deal of ice along the river.

At Chubb's Corner today, 400 shares, also Province of New Brunswick 4 p. a. bond, the 1000, for two per cent. premium.

Rev. Geo. E. Ross will conduct the services in St. Stephen's church at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Manager Armstrong says that every time he goes out with the newspaper men on a little dinner party or excursion his luck changes and things come his way at Victoria Park.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Art Association, is being held this afternoon.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Mission will be held in Chipman House tomorrow, Feb. 5th, at 8.30 p. m.

Seven deaths occurred in the city during the past week.

Mission Church St. John Baptist—Services tomorrow, 5th Sunday after Epiphany, Holy Eucharist (plena), at 8 a. m.

The attractions of F. A. Dykeman & Co's store for the next few days are enumerated in their advertisement.

Rev. J. F. Floyd will preach at both services in the Coburg street Christian church tomorrow.

Centenary Methodist Church—Sunday services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Rev. F. S. Bamford will give the second of the series of addresses on the Baptists and the 20th century in the Ladlow street United Baptist church tomorrow evening.

The following manifests were received at the customs house this morning.

January is always the big month in business college work.

The case of Fred L. Fairweather vs. Annie Quirk, which was entered on the Kings county docket, was by consent, tried in this city this morning.

Congregational Church, Union street, between Germain and Prince Wm.—Rev. W. S. Pritchard, B. A., pastor.

The regular monthly meeting of the Natural History Society of New Brunswick will be held on Tuesday evening next at eight o'clock.

It is an unusual thing for business concerns in this city to be compelled to close their establishments as early as to prevent prospective purchasers entering.

ST. JOHN PRESS MEN BREAK ALL RECORDS ON THE NOBLE RIVER

The Greatest Midwinter Excursion Ever Held Went Up River Yesterday—Succeeded in Getting Farther Up than the Pioneers of 1892—A Most Remarkable Gathering.

Well, no, yesterday's up-river excursion party did not get quite to the north pole but it did get so far upriver that all previous records melted like a snow bank in July.

It was an occasion to date time from for more than one season.

It was a memorable day, and in years to come when the history of the Empire is written by pens yet unborn the children of the party will tell with pleasurable pride how their ancestor formed one of that noble crew that voyaged the St. John in midwinter on Candlemas day 1906.

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ONLY ELEVEN YEARS OF AGE Yet, She is the Cleverest Graduate of the Cooking School.

The free cooking school that has been conducted by the Ogilvie Flour Mills Co. in the church of England Institute rooms has been attended by many hundreds of St. John ladies.

Curiously enough, no finer bread or cake has been made than that produced by the youngest of the pupils of Miss Milligan and Miss Brown.

Miss Katie Brown, 11 years old, daughter of Thomas Brown, 83 High street, her mother states that Katie has always taken a great interest in household affairs, especially in cooking, and was eager to attend the cooking school.

She went there, paid close attention to all that was taught her, barrel of flour in the boat. His boat was taken as far as Belvoir's Landing, when it was cut adrift.

When the solid ice was sighted far ahead and it became apparent to all that the party would establish a new record for mid-winter navigation, wild cheers went up.

The official photographer, who was called into requisition and told to prepare for the worst.

He obeyed the injunction and made ready the camera. It was noticed that the party were made of an unbreakable material and that the camera was copper fastened and braced.

After the camera was braced and members of the party were inclined to coast this. They wanted no special precautions taken in the case.

But when the photographer prepared for such a momentous trip he had accidentally annexed the special, double-protected extra X X camera used to photograph the other excursions of this season, but no money was restored. It was evident no effort was intended. All the same he was a was man.

Just about this time the ice was struck—this term is used advisedly, for the Lord Roberts named her sled sled prow into it for many feet and then when the hitherto unobtainable mark of 1892 had been passed and the records of this season left far behind the boat stopped.

The photographer was then thrown on board and his camera fastened in various positions of the boat to have their pictures taken.

This little incident starts with the photographer had finished, there was a pleasing ceremony. Manager Armstrong of the Victoria Bank was presented with a cake that there were doubts as to whether the Lord Roberts could carry it in safety and there was a sigh of relief as the stomach of the expedition was not so much as the North Wharf and on her way. Even the tugboat seemed to realize the importance of the occasion and steamed proudly on.

Meanwhile the explorers had dispersed themselves over the boat with that easy grace and yet dignified manner for which the members of the journalistic profession are noted.

Some of the invited guests tried to imitate the presence of the scribes, but they were miserable failures.

Dr. J. E. March had boarded the tug with the others and after satisfying himself that no disease of a deadly nature was lurking aboard gave them a clean bill of health and they started. An examination was not necessary on the return trip.

In order to lend a substantial air to the party, several bank managers were taken along. Bank managers and lawyers are seldom seen together in the evening.

However, the rigid lines of exclusion were dropped this time and the men were welcomed just as warmly as if they didn't have a cent.

No doubt the bank men were glad to meet the newspaper men, who were already familiar with their signatures, and the latter were always in "good" company. They had to be.

Anyway, they seemed to enjoy themselves although it is not on record that a single loan was negotiated.

The first excitement came when entering the reversible falls. One of the newspaper men who had once read one of Charlie Russell's stories of the sea, and was consequently well versed in navigation, expressed his opinion that the captain had had his course about two points too far north. He was once boycotted.

However, the falls were negotiated in safety, but at Indiantown the tug was stopped and two passengers escaped. They were common sailors.

The first floating ice was seen at Indiantown, and it became at once necessary to hold the tug in place. The tug was to hold the tug in place. The tug was to hold the tug in place.

When the party was well into Grand Bay a small sail boat was taken in tow. It contained three men and a quantity of supplies and the occupants were given the quickest "haul" of their lives.

They went so quickly that one of them asked for mercy and remarked that if the further rate of speed was continued his head would "rise" before his feet. He had a Alexander Macaulay, of the firm of Macaulay Bros. & Co. will take a steamer for the United Kingdom and the Continent. He goes on a business trip.

Deaths J. Pitt, aged 72 years, leaving a widow, one son and two daughters to mourn their sad loss.

Condensed Advertisements (See last page for classification.) FOR SALE—DEBBIES AND PEDDARS the latest blocks for spring opening this week.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO. Gentlemen Who Propose Attend the Ball Next Week, Will Find Our Stock of Furnishings

THE BEST TO SELECT FROM. Muller Shirt, French Proficiency, 2 Clean White Kid Gloves, 7 1/2 to 9 1/2 at 50 cents pair.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO. Special Grey Cottons FOR THIS WEEK ONLY.

5 Cents Yard. Extra Clear, yard wide, never sold for less than 7 cents yd. 6 1-2 Cents Yard. The Famous Bengal Brand, fine clear finish, full width, regular 9 cent cotton.

I. CHESTER BROWN, 32 and 36 King Square Great Offering of Men's Suits

Black and Brown Cheviot Suits. Price was \$12.00 now \$6.00. Fine Black Worsted and Diagonals, was \$16.00 a suit, now for \$9.00; 8 Men's Overcoats left, now for \$5.00, price was \$11.00.

White Dress Shirts and Underclothing at half the price than in any other store in the city, with a lot of Boys' Non-Full Suits, extra good fancy mixed Tweeds, at \$1.00 and \$1.50. Boys' Sailor Suits, handsomely trimmed with white and self-colored braid, at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75, at the

GLOBE CLOTHING HOUSE, 7 and 9 Foot of King St. A SKIRT MADE TO ORDER for One Dollar

ROBERTSON & CO. 27 and 29 Charlotte Street. 25 lbs. Standard Granulated Sugar for \$1.00. Choice Dairy Butter, 22c. per pound. Best Quality Peas, 5 Cents per can.

Grand Clearance Sale of Skirts & Waists

The Skirts are in Plain Black, Greys, Navy and Brown and Fancy Browns, Navy and Greys. The Waists are of Black, Cream and Fancy Linen, Black & Green and Fancy Flannelette. All this season's goods and marked below cost to clear to make room for new goods coming in.

WAISTS. WERE \$2.50 NOW \$1.50. WERE \$3.75 NOW \$2.50. WERE \$4.00 NOW \$2.80. WERE \$4.25 NOW \$2.90. WERE \$4.50 NOW \$3.00. WERE \$4.75 NOW \$3.20. WERE \$5.00 NOW \$3.50. WERE \$5.25 NOW \$3.75. WERE \$5.50 NOW \$4.00. WERE \$5.75 NOW \$4.25. WERE \$6.00 NOW \$4.50. WERE \$6.25 NOW \$4.75. WERE \$6.50 NOW \$5.00. WERE \$6.75 NOW \$5.25. WERE \$7.00 NOW \$5.50. WERE \$7.25 NOW \$5.75. WERE \$7.50 NOW \$6.00. WERE \$7.75 NOW \$6.25. WERE \$8.00 NOW \$6.50. WERE \$8.25 NOW \$6.75. WERE \$8.50 NOW \$7.00. WERE \$8.75 NOW \$7.25. WERE \$9.00 NOW \$7.50. WERE \$9.25 NOW \$7.75. WERE \$9.50 NOW \$8.00. WERE \$9.75 NOW \$8.25. WERE \$10.00 NOW \$8.50.

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 Main Street, North End. Successor to SHARP & McMACKIN.

Marked-down Prices on Some Over-stocked Goods. GRAND Clearance Sale To make room for Holiday Goods. Big Sale on Today. PEOPLES' DEPT. STORE 149 MAIN ST.

CHAS. F. FRANCIS & CO. 71 and 73 Mill Street. 149 Main Street.

CHAS. T. NEVINS, Secretary.

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