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Daily Hints For the Cook

Honey Cakes
Four eggs beaten light, then beat in one cup sugar and 1/2 cup honey, three ounces each of almonds and citron, which have been run through a food-chopper, two cups flour, two teaspoons baking powder, 1/4 teaspoon ginger and 1/4 teaspoon cloves. Bake in small tins and frost with the following: Beat one cup sugar and 1/2 cup water six minutes. Remove from fire and beat to a thick sirup. Dip cakes into sirup, coating them all over.

How to Boil Rice
Put 3 quarts of boiling water into a kettle, add a teaspoon of salt and let the water boil rapidly. Wash one cup of rice, sprinkle the rice so gradually into the water that you will not stop the boiling. When you have it all in give the water a twist with a fork, cover the kettle and boil rapidly 20 minutes, then pour into a colander to drain. Place the colander on a tin dish, stand it in the oven for five minutes to dry, leaving the door wide open, then turn it carefully into a heated dish. Serve without a cover. Boil rapidly from the time you cover the kettle till you take it off. The rapid boiling allows each grain to swell to three times its normal size, and the motion prevents the grains from sticking together. Do not stir it, as this will cause it to fall to the bottom and burn. The drying in the oven with the door open evaporates the moisture, leaving the rice soft, snowy white and perfectly dry.

TRAVELERS HELD; YOUNG GIRLS BROUGHT TO COURT

(Montreal Star)
Eleven girls, none more than sixteen years old appeared before Judge Choquet yesterday afternoon, and told their pitiful tale of juvenile delinquency. They accused three young men, commercial travelers, who were alleged to have lured them to a sumptuously furnished flat in the East End, and this morning one of the trio named, William Leduc, appeared before Judge Choquet in the Enquete Court. Leduc pleaded not guilty and was remanded until Friday.
The stories told in private to Judge Choquet yesterday are among the darkest ever heard in a Montreal court room. Many of the girls were extremely good looking and several appeared nothing but the children that they were. The police are on the lookout for the other men said to be involved.
Montreal, Dec. 3.—With the books of the juvenile court showing that within the last thirty days there have been upwards of forty cases of seduction of young girls in which the victims were little, if any, over 16 years of age, details in connection with the crusade of the police against this evil are being uncovered which are nothing short of appalling.
At the Sons of England fair last evening, prizes were won as follows:—Door prize, ticket 171; box of cigars, for bowling, H. Pike, of Fairville; pair of gloves for bean toss, H. Green; box of candy, ladies' bean toss, Miss McNutt, and teddy bear, for plate game, Edward Brittain. The Carleton Cornet band provided music.

Pulling Against Handicaps

The average man has about all he can do to get ahead without bucking the setbacks to mind and body from
Tea and Coffee Drinking
Tea and coffee are not foods. Anything not a food which is taken into the system makes the eliminative processes work overtime to throw it off. Often the unprofitable thing, when taken regularly, accumulates faster than it can be eliminated, and becomes a destroyer.
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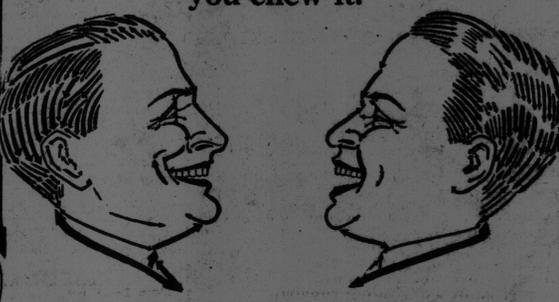
Almaac for St. John, Dec. 4. A.M. P.M.
High Tide... 4:04 Low Tide... 10:44
Sun Rise... 7:23 Sun Sets... 4:30
Time used is Atlantic standard.
PORT OF ST. JOHN.
Arrived Yesterday.
Self-propelled dredge Pruhling, Quebec.
CANADIAN PORTS.
Newcastle, NB—Cld Dec 3, sch Laura Haldt, Sprickhem, Philadelphia.
Sydney, NS—Cld Dec 1, British ship Banin, for South Africa.
Annapolis, Dec 2—Sch Emma E Potter sailed Nov 27, with betch for St. John.
Sch Valdaie sailed on the 28th for Halifax (NS), with steves.
Sch Eddie Theriault, Capt Bilan, cleared at Yarmouth on the 28th for Bear River.
Liverpool, Dec 2—Ard, sch Kenwood, Penny, Halifax.
Cld—Sch Kenwood, Penny, Lockport; str Nora J. Fisher, Port Mouton; sch Glendon, Salsan, Portmouton; Halifax, Dec 2—Ard, str Birma (Rus) Liban; Canada, Portland, en route to Liverpool.
Sld—Str Birma (Rus), Boston, en route to New York.
BRITISH PORTS.
London, Sld Dec 3—Str Kanawha, St John via Halifax.
Newport, Eng, Sld Dec 2—Str Jeserit, St John via Sydney.
Plymouth, Dec 3—Ard, str Ascania, Montreal.
FOREIGN PORTS.
New London, Dec 2—Ard, sch W N Zwicker, Nova Scotia ports (towed in for repairs).
New York, Dec 2—Sld, str Clothilde Cuno, St. John.
Vineyard Haven, Dec 2—Ard, schs Archibald Crowl, New York; Charles K Buckley, do.
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Portland—Ard Dec 1, schs Eddie M Montrosey, Baxter, Digby (NS), for Gloucester; Harry Miller, Mosher, Chatham (NB), for Boston; Doane, Kerr, Port Greenville for Boston; Charles C Lister, Robinson, St John (NB), for New York; John J Perry, Nelson, Rockport for Boston.
Boston—Ard Dec 1, sch Wm L Elkins, St John for New Bedford.
Cld—Sld, schs Nerva, Bear River (NS); Flora M, Weymouth (NS).
Pensacola, Fla, Dec 2—Ard, sch Lord of Avar, Santa La Grande.
New York, Dec 2—Ard, str Bjorn, Walton (NS); sch Oakes Ames, South Gardner, Maine.
Vineyard Haven, Dec 2—Ard, schs St Bernard, Elizabethport; Hattie H Harbour, Port Johnson.
Delaware Breakwater, Dec 2—Sld, schs Helms, Montreal.
New York, Dec 3—Sld, schs Empress, St. John (NB); Rewa, do; Winnifred, Halifax; John Paul, Calais.
Vineyard Haven, Dec 2—Sld, schs Hugh John, Nova Scotia; Ladysmith, Halifax.
MARINE NOTES.
The Donaldson liner Cassandra will steam for Glasgow direct this afternoon at 4 o'clock, with a large passenger list, and it is expected that upwards of 450 people will take advantage of the opportunity to return home for the Christmas season on the big Donaldson steamer.
The Cassandra will take away the last shipment of livestock sent from St John in several years, having on board 300 Canadian sheep, and she will have besides other freight a fair shipment of apples.
New Zealand liner Jeserit steamed from Newport, England, on December 2 for this port via Sydney, and is due at Sydney on Dec 11 and at St. John Dec 15. She will load here for Australia and New Zealand.
Manchester Importer was due to leave Halifax last night at 6 o'clock for this port to load for Manchester.
R. M. S. F. liner Caracut will leave on Sunday morning for the West Indies via Halifax, with a good cargo of general freight.
R. M. S. S. Tunisian of the Allan line is due tonight at 8 o'clock.
Allan liner Pomerania is due this afternoon.
Furness liner Kanawha steamed from London yesterday for this port via Halifax.
Furness liner Rappahannock was due to leave Halifax at 6 p.m. yesterday for St. John with a London cargo. Captain Hanks, who was on furlough, has resumed command of the Rappahannock this voyage. His holiday lost him the glory of rescuing the Volturo's passengers as well as sharing the tidy salvage earned on the eastward run from Halifax. The Rappahannock towed the South Point 1,000 miles from mid-ocean to Queenstown.
The South Point, which was damaged in a collision in the Thames, met heavy weather in the Atlantic and developed engine trouble. On November

For The Holidays

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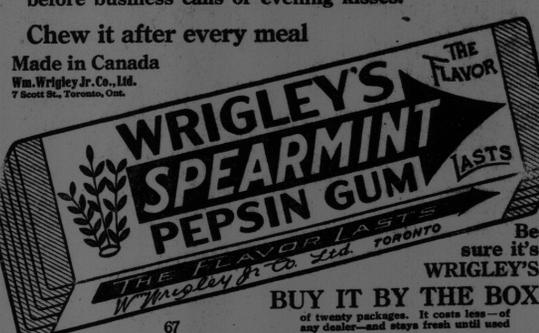
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RECENT WEDDINGS A very pretty wedding which was held forward to which interest was centralized on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock in the Methodist church.

Never In The History Of St. John has such a large and varied stock of PICTURES been gotten together as we are showing for Xmas.

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HAVE ARRIVED Tungsten Lamps and 20 watt, 85c.; 100 watt, \$1.25.

Now is the time to select your Xmas gifts, suitable selection at S. Gilbert's, 47 Brussels street.

Consumers' Coal Company for hard coal.

BAD WEATHER Brindle for gloves of every kind, waterproof, working boots at city or country; boots repaired while you wait.

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WHEN MME. FURLONG-SCHMIDT SANG FOR THE HOSPITAL PATIENTS Carleton Man Recalls Christmas of 1911 in Montreal—Grateful, He Goes to Hear Her Twice a Week

Editor Evening Times-Star, Dear Sir,—In last week's Times a gentleman from Toronto, while on St. John on business, wrote you a fine letter praising the beautiful singing of Mme. Kathleen Furlong Schmidt, who is now singing at the Imperial, and as that gentleman is a singer himself, he knew what he was talking about when he said he had never heard such a voice, and I humbly come today if you will allow me, to join him in my humble way and concur in all he said, for I am only a poor man and not much of a writer, and my daughter, Jessie, who is a typewriter in an office in Water street, is putting this on the machine so that you can read it, and what I want to say is this folks of St. John should be proud of such a singer, as she is of our city.

Excuse me, Sir, but I must tell you of Christmas of 1911, when working in Montreal during the summer, I met with an accident and for two long months I was lying sick at the Montreal General Hospital and on Christmas Day our beds were all rolled in a big hall and the head nurse, Miss Stevenson, (God bless her) told us that Santa Claus was coming to visit us.

Froud I am indeed that this lady singer is a St. John girl and poor as I am I go twice a week to see her beautiful face and listen to her grand voice and make my heart feel good. I hope she will be here for many Christmas.

GEN PROGRAMME WINS GENEROUS APPLAUSE Includes Stirring Picture of Balkan War. Laughable Comedy and Musical Selections

A stirring drama of the martial times in the Balkan peninsula during the recent year that special means of carrying the Gen theatre in "High Treason," a story of intrigue, love, and daring amongst officials of the higher courts. It appealed forcibly to the audience who witnessed its presentation and at times there was applause, uncheered, even though the scenes presented were without human characters. It was a stupendous two part drama and was most capably presented. In addition to this feature, which will be repeated this evening, there was an Edison laugh-making comedy "Getting a Patient," showing the early struggles of a young doctor. H. W. Burnham, director of the Gen orchestra in several pleasing operatic airs, and E. A. Albee had an attractive new song number.

A NEW NECKTIE CABINET The necktie department at Gil-mour's has increased so much during the year that special means of carrying the stock and showing it to advantage has been urgently needed.

St. John District Soccer League On Saturday, Dec. 6, the E. G. M. Cape A. C. will meet St. John F. C. on the Marathon Grounds, kick-off at 2:30 p. m. The line up for the E. G. M. Cape team will be Goal, W. Dunlop; backs, H. Langworthy, W. Hatheway; half backs, A. Parritt, J. Bygraves and H. Keeble; forwards, T. Smith, J. Banks, W. Irvine, W. Carter and G. Roberts.

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A FINE DISPLAY Hoyt Bros. are now showing at their room, 106 King street, a very fine line of pictures, frames stationery, calendars, etc., suitable for the holiday season. Kindly leave framing orders in as early as possible.

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(Continued from page 1) This will absolutely shut out every foreign potato and is a most radical move yet contemplated by the department. When the British crop was cut out, it was generally conceded that there would be no heavy importations as was the case in 1911, when 12,000,000 bushels were brought over. The steamer service between Boston and Antwerp is limited, so far 40,000 bags per week has been the maximum. It is doubtful whether more than 50,000 and 60,000 could be handled by these lines. This quantity would cut no material figure in the New York market under normal conditions. If the quarantine is extended against all foreign supplies, Maine, Michigan and New York shippers can readily figure an advance of 15c. and 25c. bu. on all of their storage. State shippers have already been holding for this price by holding back all of their supplies and refusing to sell under 75c. and 85c. most of them holding for \$1 bu. It now looks as if they will eventually get this price, at least for late shipments. Long Island growers have been holding for this price for some little time. Maine shippers, however, will be content if they can average 75c. loading station.

RECENT DEATHS

After a lingering illness, Mrs. Jennette Donahue, widow of John Donahue, died yesterday at her home, 58 Brussels street, at the age of fifty-nine years. She is survived by three sons and three daughters, and a large circle of friends who will mourn their loss. The sons are John, Frank and Daniel, all of this city, and the daughters, Mrs. T. J. Love, Mrs. John Walsh, of this city, and Mrs. William Telly, of Boston.

Mrs. Craig, wife of Maurice Craig of the C. P. R., died at her home in Woodstock yesterday morning leaving, besides her husband, an infant daughter. Mrs. Craig is also survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Graham. She was twenty-seven years of age.

Mrs. James McDougall of Woodstock died yesterday. She was seventy-four years of age and is survived by her husband and three sons.

The death of Mrs. Gordon I. Stead, a former resident of St. John, occurred yesterday in Boston.

Dr. Arthur Fisher, aged ninety-eight, died yesterday at his home in Montreal. Hon. Sydney Fisher is the only surviving son.

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BY WHICH ROUTE?

Premier Fleming had another opportunity last evening to tell the people whether the Gagetown-St. John section of the Valley Railway is to come down the east or west side of the river. What he did say, as reported in the Standard, is as follows:

"In regard to the section from Gagetown to St. John, difficulties had been met with, but there would not be a single day's unnecessary delay in carrying out the project."

Hon. J. A. Murray, who also made some remarks on this subject, is reported by the Standard to have said:

"Engineering difficulties had been met with in connection with the bridging of the St. John River. The old government started a railway at Norton and ended it in the woods. The present government did not propose to start a bridge and be compelled to abandon it when half way across the river, but the government would see that the Valley Railway came into St. John by the best practical route."

The government of which Messrs. Fleming and Murray are members had ample time to discover a practicable route between Gagetown and St. John. It is idle to say that they have not had time to do so. It should not take four or five years to survey a practicable route for a railway between Gagetown and St. John. To make such an assertion is merely to make a transparent attempt to fool the people.

Mr. Fleming and Mr. Murray are evidently still uncertain whether the railway is to come down the east or the west side of the river. If they really knew they would not hesitate to tell the people.

The St. John Globe, which is now and then quoted with great enthusiasm by the Standard, pointed out last night that the valley road will be of no use to the Grand Trunk Pacific unless it comes by the shortest route, and it calls upon the city council and board of trade and the citizens generally to arouse themselves and rouse the whole of southern New Brunswick, in such a manner as would leave no doubt that such a course as would give Halifax the whole of the benefit of the enormous expenditure on the Grand Trunk Pacific would meet with universal condemnation here.

So far as Mr. Fleming's statements of last night are concerned, they will leave the public as much in the dark as before, and this question still calls for an answer—By what route will the Valley Railway reach St. John—the east or the west side of the river?

THE MAIL SERVICE

The apologists for the government would have us believe that the forwarding of the Tunisian mails by the Intercolonial instead of the Canadian Pacific is merely the result of some little misunderstanding. Such a view, however, is shown to be wrong by the statement of a post office official in Ottawa yesterday that of course the government would carry the mails over its own road.

But, assuming that there is no intention to send later mails by the Intercolonial route, is it not strange that so many things happen by inadvertence that injuriously affect the interests of St. John? Why has not St. John a representative in the government who will insist that he be consulted by the heads of other departments in relation to matters affecting his own constituency? Mr. Hauser is in Washington, but it will be noted that at this particular time when the interests of St. John are being sacrificed, and this port is being deprived of the opportunity to demonstrate the truth of its claims as a mail port, Mr. Borden is not in Washington but right on the job at Ottawa. Concerning this matter we do not observe that the Conservative organ took advantage of the opportunity to quote from the Globe, but the following paragraph from the Globe is really worthy of its attention and of the attention of the government.

"There should at once be a frank statement from the post office department of the meaning of the order that the Tunisian mails are to go over the Intercolonial. It should not be necessary to draw public attention to the fact that what is being proposed is not in the public interest, and not fair to the people, who have the right to expect that their mails will get the quickest possible despatch."

AN IMPERIAL PROBLEM

The present is not a very opportune time for Imperialists like Sir Richard McBride to make trouble about the admission of Hindus into British Columbia. The Imperial government is at this moment greatly embarrassed because of conditions that have arisen in South Africa due to the treatment of Hindus in that country. The Hindus there went on strike for better conditions than those under which they were living, and we are told that the great majority of the strikers have been as orderly and far more submissive than English strikers would be; yet there is evidence that some of them have been brutally flogged by their employers and treated, as the Manchester Guardian says, "more like runaway slaves than as equal subjects of the king." It appears that a

tax of 28 a head is imposed on Hindus whose indentures have expired, the tax being designed to force them either to go back to India or to enter into indentures once more. This is a measure of forced labor, and they claim it is both unconstitutional and illegal and should be repealed. They also claim the right of freedom of migration from one province of the South African union to another, with their families. The Manchester Guardian, from which we have already quoted, declares that "both these demands should be supported with the whole weight of the Imperial government," and Lord Amthill, writing to the London Times, says:

"The Indians are not making any unreasonable demands or asking for anything which cannot quite conveniently be conceded to them. They are only asking for the fulfillment of promises which have actually been made to them. If these promises had been kept there would not be a trace of this long-standing trouble at the present moment, either in South Africa or in India. The present alarming situation was foretold by all those who have interested themselves in the question and who have never doubted the sincerity of the ideals which have actuated the whole Indian community in South Africa."

In the meantime there is a good deal of agitation in India, and there was recently a great meeting of English and Indian ladies in Bombay to protest, and to enter a plea "for the suocor of the honor of Indian womanhood in a distant land." The people of India are said to be confident that the British government will see that justice is done in South Africa, but they expect something to be done quickly, and the feeling is one of "strained expectancy."

In a recent speech Premier Asquith, discussing the Balkan situation, expressed great satisfaction that there had been no attack made upon the integrity of Asiatic Turkey, where there are many places sacred to the Mohammedan religion, his view being that change to the people of that religion in that country would create unrest among the Mohammedans of India. If it is worth while to consider the effect of action in Asiatic Turkey upon the public mind in India, it is surely not less important to consider what the people of India will say if people of their own race and religion, who are also British subjects, are denied the ordinary rights of a British subject in South Africa or in British Columbia. Naturally there is a feeling in South Africa and in Canada against a large influx of people of a race which has lower standards of living, but that only makes more difficult the task of the Imperial government, which cannot refuse with indifference anything that tends to jeopardize British influence in the great Indian Empire.

The rebels or Constitutionalists are reported to be sweeping Northern Mexico, and the downfall of the Huerta regime seems now assured.

The announcement that another factory is to be erected at Colbrook is another cheering indication that the industrial suburb will be built up there within a few years.

Students of recent history in St. John say it is not so much additional representation we need at Ottawa as more effective representation, when the interests of the city are at stake.

The subject which Dr. Robertson will discuss before the Canadian Club is the subject which has been attracting universal attention in this province during the last year or two, since the real forward movement began to take shape.

Louis Francis Brown, manager of the Burton Holmes travelogues, is telling a good one on himself.

"Mr. Holmes, upon his return from the Philippines, brought a few samples of Filipino money with him," he says, "and thinking I might make some use of it in advertising, I had a card lettered: 'You can make money in the Philippines.' Under this line I pasted several Philippine greenbacks, a \$20 bill, a \$10, a \$5 and a \$2, with sundry silver and copper coins of various denominations, bringing the amount up to about \$88 Mexican or \$19 in United States money. Under the money the sign further read: 'For further information attend the Burton Holmes travelogues,' and so on, giving dates, etc."

"This sign, displayed in front of the hall where our season opened in Chicago, proved attractive. There was always a crowd and I was congratulating myself that it was a fine ad. when one morning my phone bell rang wildly and a voice from the box office of the hall said:—'Say, you'd better come down here; your money's gone.'"

"Needless to say, I went; it was gone, but the polite person who took it had been, which read:—'Why go to the Philippines? What's the matter with Chicago?'"

A reporter in Chicago, in order to determine how long it was possible to ride on the Elevated system on payment of one fare, took a train at 8:05 a.m., and rode until 6:45 p.m. At that time he had covered all the divisions of the system except two, and could have continued on them if he had wished to.

In a park in Berlin, umbrellas raised on high poles are used to keep the sun off young trees which have been set out.

BIRTHDAYS OF NOTABILITIES

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4 Samuel Tovel Bartolo, superintendent of Canadian Government Ammunitions and prior to that employed in the Ontario civil service for many years, was born in Hamilton, Ont., on December 4, 1855.

His Honor James Herbert Denton, Junior Judge of the County of York, Ont., was born near Richmond Hill, Ont., on December 4, 1856. He practised law in Toronto prior to his elevation to the bench.

LIGHTER VEIN

Chasing the Treasurer He put every cent he had into an "Uncle Tom's Cabin" show, and at the end of four weeks his treasurer, with \$400 to the good, skipped out during the night. So he said to himself, "I'll catch the cue" and set the bloodhounds they had in the show on his trail. "Catch him!" he said, in speaking of it later. Sure they did. They caught up with him and he put chains around their necks and started another show.

Why Baby Cried Mamma—"What is Baby crying for, Maggie?" "I don't know." Mamma—"Ond what are you looking so indignant about?" Maggie—"That nasty, greedy dog's been and took and eaten my 'pump-cake'!" Mamma—"Why, I saw you eating a sponge-cake a minute ago!" Maggie—"O—that was Baby's."

A Frequent Cause "Heah about Chawlie?" "No. What's wrong with him?" "Brain fever." "My word! What caused it?" "Tryin' to roll a cigarette in a high wind."—Cleveland "Plain Dealer."

Flash Lights Debt was probably the last straw that broke the camel's back. "Yes, only the fool who takes it for granted that the other fellow is one.—Detroit "Free Press."

He Wanted Good Work "What you need," said the doctor, "is an operation." "Very well," replied the patient. "Which operation are you cleverest at?"

Her Mistake Sweet was the lass. It was the evening she expected him to put across the big question. He did not look well. Something seemed to be troubling him. He tried to say something but the words stuck in his throat. Suddenly he turned to her and cried "I'm a dub!" "No," she said fondly, "you don't appreciate yourself as well as some others do, perhaps. Teehee!" "Yes," he persisted stubbornly. "I'm a dub!" "No," she maintained. "No," he shouted. "I'm a dub!" She was a sensible girl and realizing that he ought to know best, she thanked him kindly for warning her in time and handed his hat to him. It was only after the door had slammed behind him forever that she realized the awful truth.

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Actress and Russian Royal Lady Close Friends SOCIETY IN LONDON

Violet Asquith Would Like to Be in Politics—Charities of Royal Children—Planning Canadian Club For Women in Metropolis

(Times' Special Correspondence) London, Nov. 22.—Grand Duchess Vladimir of Russia, "the gay grand duchess," as she is called, is here again, but she is going to the South of France with her son, the Grand Duke Boris, very soon. Maxine Elliott, a famous actress, is her extra-special friend to whom she has given a most enthusiastic invitation to visit her at St. Petersburg next year. The other afternoon the Grand Duke Boris motored out to Hartshorne, the actress's lovely place near Bushey, to take tea. Her Imperial Highness was impressed with the house, which is the very last word in luxury and artistic beauty. It looks delightfully "comfy" with its rose-pink decorations. Maxine's own boudoir, a delicious room, is full of gifts from sovereigns and celebrities. The grand duchess declared she must have a bathroom built after the style of the hostess's special one at Hartshorne. It is of the stunner kind, in wonderful marble, and is lighted by quaint lamps purchased by Maxine Elliott in Rome. The Forbes-Robertson children are staying with their aunt at present and were much admired by the Russian guests. "If only I were not the daughter of the prime minister," said Violet Asquith, the other day, "wouldn't I make things in the political world hum?" Miss Asquith's ambition is to be a great playwright and to be able to say just what she likes. Curiously enough, Miss Asquith is in appearance extremely like her step-mother and has many of that lady's mannerisms, though she lacks her wit, being far too serious to be amusing. Like other members of her set she is highly interested in Lardin and was one of the first to secure a ticket to hear him at the Albert Hall. If she dared she would throw her interests in with the suffragists. The prime minister is tremendously proud of her, and when his lieutenants want to put him in good humor they say something nice about "Violet." "She ought to have been a boy," he answers, "for she is the cleverest of us all." She seems to be determined to try to the memory of Algy Gordon, her fiance, the son of the late Lady Aberdeen, who was fatally injured a few years ago in a motor accident.

At Charlton Park, the residence of Lord and Lady Suffolk, is one of the finest organs in any private house in England. It was built to the order of Lady Suffolk, whose favorite instrument, the organ is, and who plays it divinely. At a recent house-party a guest who knew all the ins and outs of the historic mansion better than any other, was aware of a subterranean passage to the music-room in which this organ is, and he determined to have some fun. In the small hours of the morning he made his way to the apartment and, opening the organ, played a few bars of Chopin's funeral march. This done, he took back to his bed, in time to hear every one up in dressing gowns and carrying candles, asking breathlessly what was the meaning of it all. Next night at the same hour the same music was heard. It was only when the joker discovered that the guests were making excuses to get away from the music that Lady Suffolk was ill with fright that she admitted he was the performer of the music.

Charities of Royal Children The queen insists that all her children shall give a certain proportion out of their pocket money to different charities at Christmas. Princess Mary has a few old pensioners at Sandringham whom she helps all the year round. When she was recently in York Cottage she told them she was knitting a petticoat for each for a Christmas gift. "Now, look here," she said, "in view of the tightness of the latest dresses, don't you think I ought to knit your petticoats considerably narrower this time?" "But you don't wear tight dresses yourself, miss, nor your mamma, and why should we?" they replied. "If the old fashions are good enough for you and your mamma they are good enough for us."

Princess Mary has a sense of humor, and she repeated the story at tea to her parents, who were much amused. Each year the queen insists that her daughter should use totally different designs for her Christmas knitting. Just now all the pretty young matrons are on tip-toe of excitement arranging children's parties, which, for the last two years, have been the most popular "Yuletide pastimes." The youngsters have grown so fastidious that it is necessary to make these entertainments as original and amusing as possible, and those who propose giving them arrange them well ahead and often go to Paris and Vienna to procure the very latest things in toys and amusements of the kind that appeal to the children.

One result of the discussion arising out of Earl Grey's proposal for the establishment of a Canadian centre in London has been to emphasize the necessity for creating a Canadian club in London for Canadian women permanently resident or visiting the metropolis. This has been mooted for years in many quarters. The value of an institution of this nature will be no less evident on your side than this. While it is true that very many Canadian women who spend part of the year in Great Britain, belong to one or another of the many clubs here, there is no common meeting-place. Another factor to be considered in measuring the importance of a Canadian Club is that so many Canadian women arrive here to spend some time with no definite plans as to what they are going to do; the consequence is that they miss many of the attractions which would make their visit more pleasant. Another point is that many of the places of interest are not open to the ordinary visitor, and admission can be secured only through the intervention of some one of an official capacity. In this group may be classed, for instance, private galleries and the homes of the nobility, admission to which is now obtained only by the

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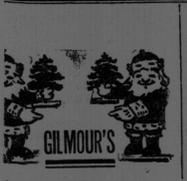
Rebel General Villa, Snapped by Staff Photographer Durborough on the Field as He Was Giving Orders During The Great Engagement South of Juarez



(Photographed by Staff Photographer, W. H. Burborough in Mexico) General Villa, during a recent engagement, watched the battlefield through his glasses from the top of the hill, giving his orders to messengers. He is shown leaning against an ammunition wagon, with a Mexican blanket over his shoulders to keep off the rain.

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Chicago Grain and Produce Market. December, January, March, May, August.

Wheat, Decr, May, Corn, Decr, May, Oats, Decr, May, Pork, Decr, Jan.

Montreal Morning Transactions. Bell Telephone, Bell, C. P. R., Cement, Crown Reserve, Grain Car Foundry, Detroit, Dom. Iron, Laurier, McDonald, Montreal Cottons, Ottawa Power, Ames, Scotia, Shawinigan, St. Lawrence, Textile, Tuckett's, U. S. Steel, Lake of the Woods, Winnipeg Elec, Iron pfd, Illinois pfd, Ames pfd.

PLAN TO FORBID BRINGING OF ARMS INTO IRELAND. Dublin, Dec. 4-The importation of arms into Ireland is about to be forbidden, according to newspapers here, which declare that the issue of a proclamation to that effect may be expected in a day or two.

Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, is here in conference with the Earl of Aberdeen, and the result, it is thought, that the government will take this first step against the plans of rebellion of the followers of Sir Edward Carson and Irish Unionist leaders.

KEEGAN AND FELLOWS ARE IN WASHINGTON. Expect to Close Work of International St. John River Commission By Jan. 1, They Say.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 4-Peter Charles Keegan, of Van Buren, and Oscar Fellows, of Bangor, were conferring with State Department officials and others yesterday over the business of the international commission on the St. John river. It is the intention to complete the work on the commission soon.

"We have our work nearly done," said Mr. Keegan, "and hope to be through by Jan. 1 or thereabouts. Some matters we have investigated are yet to be voted upon, but they will be decided soon."

EVANGELIST GOUTHY. Rev. S. A. Baker came to St. John on Tuesday and arranged with Evangelist A. P. Gouthy, of Indiana, who has been preaching to large congregations in the Carmarthen street Methodist church, to conduct a series of evangelist services in the Reformed Baptist churches in Fredericton, St. John, Woodstock, Hartland and Fort Fairfield, Me. Mr. Gouthy will begin in Fredericton on the 18th inst., not earlier.

POTATO SHIPMENTS. E. E. Burden & Company of Hawksburg have shipped twenty car loads of potatoes to the American and Canadian markets this season. All were shipped over the Southampton railway. Alderman Boyce of Fredericton forwarded five carloads of potatoes to the American market on Saturday.

Mrs. Pankhurst was arrested at Plymouth today. So far there has been no disturbance.

MAGIC BAKING POWDER

CONTAINS NO ALUM. The only well-known medium-priced baking powder in Canada that does not contain alum (or soda aluminates, or sulphates) and which has all its ingredients plainly stated on the label.

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LATE SHIPPING

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived Today. Coastwise-Stms Eastington, 888, Stevenson, Parraboro; Connors Bros, 84, Wainlock, Chance Harbor; schrs Leville, 75, Odette, Beau Harbor; Ethel, 22, Richardson, Grand Harbor.

Cleared Today. Coastwise-Schrs Ethel, 22, Richardson, Grand Harbor; Ethel and Norman, 81, Cheney, Grand Harbor.

L. C. R. AND STEAMSHIP OFFICIALS IN CITY

Several officials of the L. C. R. were in the city this morning on a tour of inspection. C. A. Hayes, general traffic manager, said that they had been very well satisfied with what they had seen, and he felt confident that with a few minor improvements the port could easily cope with the heavy rush of business which would come this year. Asked in regard to the mail service, and the possibility of the permanency of the arrangement for conveying mails over the I. C. R. Mr. Hayes said he had no information.

LOCAL CABINET CHANGES

Several May Follow Soon After Today's Government Meeting. (Special to Times). Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 4-The local government is in session here today with all the members in attendance. Organized by the local press, the cabinet is expected this evening. Several changes are here to meet the eye.

It is generally understood that the supreme court act creating an additional judge will be put in force and will be followed soon by reconstruction of the cabinet. Provincial Secretary Mead will resign, and his place will be taken by J. K. Pinder, M. P. P. Pinder is the proposal to transfer Morris to the Crown Lands portfolio is said to be under consideration. His place will be filled by a provincial secretary. It is settled that the speaker will be the next attorney-general.

The mild weather has caused the ice to run out of the river. Rev. A. F. Newcombe will be inducted in Brunswick street Baptist church this evening.

President Wilson III. Washington, Dec. 4-President Wilson, who is suffering from a cold, remained in bed today. His physician thought it probable he would have to keep to his room tomorrow as well, so arrangements were cancelled.

Not for Them to Decide. Moosejaw, Sask., Dec. 4-The city school board last night considered the appointment of a censor of waists worn by the older girls attending school, but finally decided that this matter was outside their jurisdiction.

DEATHS. FOLEY-In this city, on the 4th inst., after a short illness of pneumonia, Mary E., eldest daughter of the late Thomas F. Foley, of this city, aged 88 years, leaving one brother and four sisters to mourn.

FUNERAL on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from her late residence, 220 Princess street. Friends invited.

WILSON-Charles Byron, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Smeaton, D. Wilson, aged three weeks and three days. Funeral private.

JACK-At Clinton Springs, New York State, on the 2nd inst., David Russell Jack, aged 48 years. Funeral Friday from St. Andrew's church; services commence at 2:30 o'clock.

DONAHUE-In this city on the 3rd inst., at her home, 48 Brussels street, Mrs. Jennette Donahue, widow of John Donahue, at the age of 89 years, leaving three sons and three daughters to mourn. Funeral from her late residence, 58 Brussels street, Friday at 2:30. Friends invited to attend.

FARDIE-At his father's residence, 28 Murray street, on Dec. 3rd, Harris Fardie, fourth son of Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Fardie, in the thirteenth year of his age, leaving father, mother and four brothers to mourn their sad loss. Funeral from his father's residence, Saturday, 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY FUNERAL NOTICE. The members of St. Andrew's Society are requested to meet at St. Andrew's church, Sunday School on Friday afternoon, December 5th at 2:15 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late...

D. RUSSELL JACK lately a member of the society. F. W. FRASER, President.

LOCAL NEWS

You may get it at Duval's. Duval's 40c doll carriage may be worth only a quarter; tea sets.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL. Regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock, Odellville 1414 Union street. All delegates requested to attend.

Orchestra at "Chapel" Academy Friday night. This week's new dance, the Otend. 4684-12-5

HERE THIS EVENING. Hon. W. F. Crothers, minister of labor, is expected to arrive in the city this evening on the C. P. R. express from Montreal which was delayed six or seven hours by the blockade on the Maine Central line.

LOVERS OF GOLD. Most people are lovers of gold, but alas, how hard it is to get. You can have your neck chains, locket, brooches, etc., made to serve as well as if they were solid gold, by having them gold plated at J. Cronin's, 24 Waterloo street.

A BEAUTIFUL WINDOW. A most artistic display of jewels. This showing of ornamental pearls, rubies, sapphires, diamonds, etc., worthy of a city of much greater population than St. John. Mr. Gundry invites you to drop in and inspect his stock by stepping in.

DON'T GET COLD FEET. We offer you 500 pairs of warm slippers and boots to fit any of your family at prices that will astonish you. Come and see-C. B. Pidgeon, corner Main and Bridge streets.

Your blankets and comfortable to be had this week from F. W. Daniel & Company at special prices, that make a considerable saving for thrifty housekeepers. These are extra lines, bought especially for this "Bedding Sale" and will not be sold in the regular way. Only a few days more to buy your season's bedding.

CARLETON C. M. B. A. The members of C. M. B. A. branch 188 in Carleton have elected-Chancellor, Thomas Morray; president, J. Frank Owens; vice-president, Albert Goldie; second vice-president, D. Grady; recording secretary, J. B. Corry; assistant, George Quinn; financial secretary, M. Morray; treasurer, C. R. Colwell; James Sullivan, marshal; T. E. McGinnis, trustees; Rev. J. O'Donovan, M. T. Kane, Thomas Fitzpatrick, James McDonald, and Timothy Donovan.

BATTLE OF WATERLOO TODAY. Today and for the remainder of the week the stupendous four-reel British picture, "The Battle of Waterloo," will be depicted upon the Imperial's curtain by thousands of men, horses and piccolos. It is the greatest picture of the day of the greatest struggle in the annals of armed strife. The event that changed the map of Europe, and which is enacted with scrupulous attention to historical detail. British soldiers do the actual fighting at the close of the picture patriotism can be vented upon a series of inspiring allegories read to everybody.

Bring along the protesting fields of the Union Jack. Shows at 8 and 8:45 in the afternoon, and at 7 and 8:30 in the evening. Programme one and a half hours long, including the Mary picture, the vaudeville act, and Madame Furlong. Please observe these hours and be in your places early.

SECURE AN INCOME. To secure an income safely, surely, steadily, beginning now, \$500 yields \$100 every three months, \$400, real \$1,000 earns \$20 every three months, \$800 every three months, \$200 every three months, \$400 a year. Why your money is returned you get back \$875 for \$500.

You pay no taxes, no insurance, have no bond interest at eight per cent, the principal invested and the premium you get at the wind-up in all successful cases, guaranteed by a first mortgage on a well established and profitable business, with its valuable real estate and what properties and coal mining areas and big earnings power.

This is as provided by the debenture stock of J. S. Gibbon & Company, Ltd. Apply at once to secure your shares of the unshakable balance of the issue.

PERSONALS. William Ryan, formerly of The Telegraph writing staff but now of the Register, reads for his return to the west last night.

Wm. J. Fressel, C. P. R. steamship service, Quebec, arrived in the city today en route to Halifax for the winter months.

Harold Mayes, of Prince street, West End, held a very enjoyable at home on last Saturday afternoon. Some twenty of his friends were present.

Miss Margaret Smith of Toronto is the guest of Mrs. James McCarthy, Germain and Queen streets. She has been visiting for some weeks in Sydney.

H. K. Reynolds, who is opening an insurance brokerage in New Glasgow left on today's train for that town.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Chappell in Fredericton on Tuesday evening a party was held in honor of Mrs. Zolobee Wright, who took her departure last evening for Boston to reside there. Mrs. Wright received an address and a very handsome traveling bag from members of Star of the East Lodge, L. O. B. A.

Hon. R. McClean is seriously ill at his home in Riverside, Albert county. He entered public life in 1854 and in that year attended a special session of the legislature, which was called to sanction the reciprocity agreement with the United States.

Gleener-Mrs. W. S. Carter was the hostess at two bridge parties this week. On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Carter entertained at nine tables in honor of Mrs. H. G. Murray, of St. John, who is her guest. Mrs. R. N. MacCunn and Mrs. James Sproule were the prize winners. At the tea hour Mrs. O. S. Crockett presided.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobson B. Smith and family left on the non train today for Halifax where they will embark on R. M. S. Cobequid for Bermuda to spend the winter with Mrs. Smith's parents. Mr. Smith is the caretaker of the Imperial Theatre and occupied the same position in the old Nickel for nearly five years.

RECENT DEATHS. Mrs. Matilda Polton passed away at her home, Ripples, Sunbury county, on Tuesday, Dec. 3, at the age of 80 years. Survive are Alexander, Charles, and Thomas, all living at Ripples.

ART CLUB LECTURE

Miss McGivern's Address on National Gallery of London Keenly Enjoyed. A very enjoyable lecture was given yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the St. John Art Club in the second of the past series upon art galleries opened a short time ago by Major Bartlett of Charlottetown. Miss Clara O. McGivern was the speaker. Introduced by Joshua Clawson, and she gave a most interesting lecture on the National Art Gallery in London.

The speaker ably traced the course of art through the different ages, from the time of the Egyptians to the present, dwelling at particular length upon the works of Pergin and especially upon what is acknowledged as his masterpiece, the painting which is shown in the London Art Gallery in three compartments, the central portion being occupied by a painting of the "Virgin adoring the infant," and the archangels Raphael and Michael on either side. She touched upon the works of other great artists and gave an account of the most prominent. Throughout her discourse Miss McGivern was given keen attention and the large audience, thoroughly appreciated her address.

Colonel Hendrick has been conal here for more than five years. At a banquet in his honor last evening in the Knights of Columbus Hall, a beautiful gold watch chain, bearing the coat of arms of the United States, was presented to him through Rev. E. J. Savage, his successor. Among those present was Father Edilbert of Montreal, who is conducting a mission here.

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NEW DREDGE TO WORK TOMORROW; ANOTHER MAY COME

The dredge Frubling which arrived in port last night will start to work in the channel from the wharf to the wharf tomorrow morning. She is a powerful self-propelled dredge of the suction type and is capable of handling large quantities of material. The dredge is the property of the Quebec Harbor Commission and is being chartered to the Boston Griffiths Company for the winter.

G. F. Palmer, chief agent for the company, said this afternoon that the company may bring still another dredge to this port in accordance with their announced decision of hurrying the work to completion as rapidly as possible. They already have two dredges, the Don Pedro and the Leacockfield at work here.

SENSATIONAL THANDROSER FEATURE AT THE UNIQUE

In three acts and fifty-seven scenes, the Thandroser Company are presenting their exciting melodrama, "A Message to Headquarters," at the Unique Theatre.

From the moment the title is flashed on the curtain the picture company appears there is not one single dull moment. The story is a sensational one from beginning to end and allows scope for the enacting of many thrilling scenes, all of which are well and capably handled.

Especially daring is the work of the captain whose feet are set to the ceiling, in his endeavor to reach the phone, also the branding with fire in the last act.

Jas. Cruise is seen in the role of a daring Italian count, the hero of the story, while Miss Jean Darnell, who is now seriously ill at the German Hospital, New York, plays his sweetheart.

The comedy element of the programme is taken care of by the Keystone Company, who present a foolish farce entitled "A Game of Pool."

BUYING XMAS GROCERIES AT BARKER'S MEANS SAVING

As announced in this paper last night in the big advertisement of Barker's Ltd. this firm is making big, attractive cuts in price in all departments of the grocery line which means saving of money in all lines of Xmas groceries as well as groceries for every day consumption.

Those who buy from Barker's are solving the high cost of living problem owing to the always low prices that exist in that store. Free delivery of groceries to all parts of the city, also Carleton, Fairville, Kingsville, Milford, and other towns is an added attraction to those who in addition to the lowest possible prices, the public can be accommodated by prompt and efficient service.

Get Barker's prices before you buy elsewhere.

SPECIAL SALE!

Cretonne Lined Serving Trays, in a variety of designs and colors. Price \$1.35 each. Make Your Selection Early As Our Supply is Limited!

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"BOSS" COMING IN ON TRAIN TODAY, WILL PAY CARLETON LIQUOR FINE

The case of Diemste Frederico, an Italian, charged with selling liquor on the West Side, was taken up this afternoon. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$20. He had not the money to pay the fine, but his boss, a man for whom he said he was selling the liquor, was coming on the train today from Woodstock and would pay it. He was sent to jail.

GOLD K. C. CHARM TO RETIRING CONSUL HENDRICK IN MONCTON

(Special to Times). Moncton, N. B., Dec. 4-Charles Fortman has arrived to take up the duties of American Consul here, succeeding Col. Michael Hendrick, promoted to be consul-general in Christiania, Norway. Colonel Hendrick will leave on next Sunday. Mr. Fortman is a native of New Orleans and a lawyer.

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RECENT WEDDINGS

Miss Muriel Masters, late of the Fisher Memorial Hospital staff, Woodstock, N. B., and Stephen F. Duns, formerly of Fredericton, but now of Minnesota, Man., were married recently in Winnipeg.

In Sussex on Tuesday, D. Archie Munro, son of Donald Munro, M. L. A., of Woodstock, and Miss Helen A. Marston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Penney Marston, of Medicine, were married. Mr. Munro is superintendent for the Hibbard Construction Company, on the Valley Railway work at Prince William.

PETERS STREET CASE. Hearing in the case of Hatty & LeBlanc vs. B. Moore & Sons, an application for damages under the Workmen's Compensation Act, was continued before Mr. Justice McKeown this morning. James Christie, William V. Hatfield and Edward A. Farren were examined for the petitioners and Daniel R. McDonald for the defendants. The case is being continued this afternoon.

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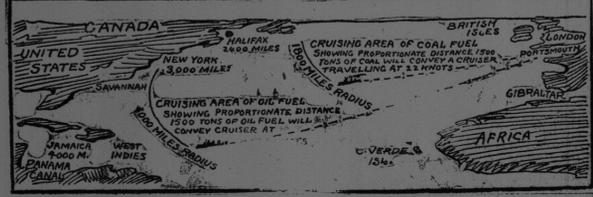
Paillettes Silk double width, only 83c per yard. Staple shades in Black, Navy, Paddy, Saxe, Sky, White, Myrtle, Brown. 2 yards waist length for \$1.66.

Are You Drawing For Those Prizes? 1,000 or More People Are. 53 Prizes Given Away. 1st prize \$100.00, 2nd prize \$50.00, 3rd prize \$25.00, and 50 prizes of \$1.00 each.

Send in today and get a card of Lace, 36 yards for 60c, which gives you a coupon. Mail orders receive prompt attention.

Neckwear & Fancy Goods Co., Ltd. 71 GERMAIN ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.

How British Warships Enlarge Range of Action By Oil



The recently launched British oil burners will be the fastest, most powerful, and have a greater range of action with oil refueling, than any in the world.

NERVES ARE SORE AND PAINFUL

Neuritis, or inflammation of the nerves, is the most painful of nervous ailments. You may feel the soreness of tenderness throughout the body, or it may be confined to certain nerves. In the head it is called neuralgia; in the hips and legs, sciatica; in the face, tic douloureux, and in the chest, intercostal neuralgia.

BIG EATERS GET KIDNEY TROUBLE

The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with urea and which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish, the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lead you back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine.

How to Make Better Cough Syrup than You Can Buy

Sixteen ounces of cough syrup—a such as you could buy for \$2.50—can easily be made at home. You will find nothing that takes hold of an obstinate cough more quickly, usually ending it inside of 24 hours. Excellent, too, for croup, whooping cough, sore lungs, asthma, hoarseness and other throat troubles.

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TABLES TURNED ON THE PREMIER

Fleming, Prophet of Gloom, Sees Predictions Fail

THE INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY

He and Hazen Fought Hon. Mr. Pugsley's Aid to That Line and the Years Have Proved Him Right and Them Again Wrong

(Fredericton Mail)

Premier Fleming and those who sit in opposition with him in the local legislature a few years ago placed themselves on record as being opposed to a government bond guarantee of \$8000 per mile to the International Railway, a road which interests the northern part of the province between Campbellton and St. Leonard's. These embryonic statesmen could not see the wisdom of the government pledging its credit to assist in the construction of a railway through an unsettled country and declared that it would be nothing more than a waste of public money.

And more than that hundreds of settlers of a superior class have already located on the fertile lands which this has opened up for settlement. To prove this it is only necessary to consult the Royal Gazette which is now running an advertisement over the signature of J. K. Fleming, stating that a sale of town lots in the town of Richford will be held on the 2nd of December. Fifteen lots are advertised for sale, and the aggregate price offered therefor, then by Premier Fleming is \$1475. This goes to show that Hon. Dr. Pugsley was right when he predicted that the construction of the International Railway would be followed by marked development of the northern section of the province and that Hazen, Fleming, et al, as is usually the case, were wrong.

If Premier Fleming did not possess a colossal nerve he would hesitate before affixing his signature to a notice advertising a sale of town lots on the line of this railway in view of the attitude he took when the bill to guarantee the bonds of the road was before the legislature six years ago. Here is what he said as reported in the official debates of the session of 1907:

"Now there is a great project to pledge the credit of the province for \$1,176,000 for the International Railway. . . . The project however, is one that will increase the liability of the province by over a million. The premier (Hon. Dr. Pugsley) has pictured the growth that is to follow the construction of the road and the Grand Trunk Pacific. . . . I want to say that the day has gone past when the young men of New Brunswick will take up wilderness lands. Western opportunities are too great."

Mr. Fleming in giving expression to his views was merely echoing the sentiments of his leader Hon. J. D. Hazen who in replying to some optimistic utterances by Hon. Dr. Pugsley in reference to the International Railway said: "The glowing picture which was painted of the future has turned out most unsatisfactorily. The government knows well that the province will never get its money out of the road. It will not sell for \$8000 a mile. It may better built but it runs through a wild country instead of a populous district. Look at the glowing prospects that the Canada Eastern line was said to have and yet after operating for years the owners were glad to sell it for \$6000 a mile. There is no better prospect for this line."

Again on page 148 of the debates of 1907 we find Mr. Hazen reported as saying: "Moreover, the country is such that there will not for many years to come be a single settler in it. No one is going to the trouble of carving out a farm out of the forest when he can go out west and get land ready made to walk on to. What then has the railway to depend on?"

Several of Mr. Hazen's supporters including B. Frank Smith, Donald Morrison and Robert Maxwell were equally pessimistic in regard to the future of the International Railway. In spite of their gloomy predictions many settlers of an excellent class have taken up lands along the line and thousands more are likely to follow their example. The road connected to the best branch line in the province and is likely soon to be acquired by the Dominion government and

GOT RID OF BRONCHITIS

The worst feature of bronchitis is the tendency to return year after year until the system is worn out and gives way to consumption, or other ravaging disease.

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine owes much of its great popularity to the fact that it positively cures bronchitis, and this is about as good a test as can be made of a medicine of this kind.

Mr. W. H. Walker, Calnes, Alta., writes: "I am pleased to say that Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine has done much good to myself, wife and children. My oldest girl, seven years, had bronchitis, and the doctor who attended her did not seem to do much good. We got Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine for her, and she soon got well. We always keep this medicine in the house now ready to use, and find that it soon cures coughs and colds which are direct treatments."

In fighting diseases of the throat and lungs half the battle is in having Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine at hand to be used promptly. This is why many people prefer to buy the large family size bottle.

made part of the I. C. R. system, in which case the province of New Brunswick would be relieved of every dollar of liability in connection with the road. If Mr. Fleming and the other short-sighted politicians who sit beside him in the legislature had had their way the International Railway would never have been built. It was the Premier who carried the project through the house and he did it in the face of the determined opposition of Hazen, Fleming, et al. Mr. Fleming was opposed to guaranteeing the bonds of railways in these days but on coming into power a change soon came over the spirit of his dreams. He is strong in adopting other men's ideas and since coming into power his government has guaranteed the bonds of three railways for an amount aggregating \$5,000,000 per mile. He opposed a bond guarantee of \$8,000 per mile for the International, but today we find him advertising town lots along the line of this road.

"What are your rates?" he inquired. "Seven dollars a day, sir," was the reply. "If I stay, went on the man, 'I shall want a room on the parlor floor, and that will cost you \$1 extra,' said the clerk. 'I shall also want a room with a fireplace where I can have a fire these chilly evenings.' 'One dollar more, sir.' 'And, of course,' said the tourist, 'I want one with a bath also.' 'An dollar additional, sir.' 'Well,' said the man, thoughtfully, 'how much will you charge to let me have the hotel just as I am?'—Pulitzer Magazine.

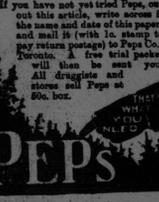
LOOK!

If you were told of a new discovery for the treatment of coughs, colds and bronchitis, as certain in its action on all chest troubles as anti-toxin is on diphtheria, or vaccination on small-pox, wouldn't you feel like giving it a trial? Especially if you could try it for fifty cents!

Peps is the discovery! Pepsalistic tablets, neatly wrapped in air and gum-proof silver foil. They contain certain medicinal ingredients, which, when placed upon the tongue, immediately turn into vapor, and are at once breathed down the air passages to the lungs. On their journey they soothe the inflamed and irritated membranes of the bronchial tubes, the delicate walls of the air passages, and finally enter and carry relief and healing to the capillaries and stay air sees in the lungs.

In a word, while no liquid or solid can get to the lungs and air passages, these Peps tablets go there direct, and as soon as they reach their work of healing. Peps are entirely distinct from the old-fashioned liquid cough cure, which are merely swallowed into the stomach, and never reach the lungs. Peps treatment of coughs and colds is direct treatment.

If you have not yet tried Peps, cut out this article, write across it the name and address of this paper, and mail it (with 10c stamp to pay return postage) to Peps Co., Toronto. A few trial packets will then be sent you, free of charge. All druggists and grocers sell Peps at 50c. box.



A young man who was with a party of motor tourists making a trip through the mountains decided to stop over in an attractive place for a few days and went into the hotel to ascertain the rates.

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THE ULSTER DISLOYALISTS

Here is a Unionist M. P. Who Shall No Longer Sing "God Save the King"

(Manchester Guardian.)

The member for Altrincham cannot do better than repeat daily, as he proposed last night, his request for specimens of Ulster Unionist disloyalty to the crown. He will find the lead given by Sir Edward Carson at Belfast on May 16 of this year, when he threatened the crown with some mysterious peril if the king should sign the home rule bill. "Every monarch," he said, "rests on certain grounds so long as he makes this his maxim—'The will of the people shall prevail.' No monarch rests upon certain grounds who says 'The will of the coalition government must prevail.'" Is Sir Edward Carson, in Mr. Hamilton's view, not a "leading Unionist member, in this country or in Ireland, worth that" (a snap of Mr. Hamilton's fingers)? Or is this standard of value not reached by Mr. Chambers, K. C., the Unionist member for South Belfast, who, speaking on May 23 at the Belfast headquarters of the disloyal "provisional government" which was designated in a certain extent to oust the government of the crown, said:

As regards the future, what if a day should come when Ireland will be clamoring for independence complete and thorough from Great Britain? What side will we in Ulster take? In the crisis of our country's fate we will have been betrayed. England will have thrown us off, our king will have told us that he values our allegiance no longer. His Majesty will have placed his hand to a statute which in our minds makes us perpetual slaves to men who have ever been hostile to the British throne and hostile to everything we hold dear. What side shall we take then?—(A voice: Germany.) I bind no man by my opinions. We owe to England allegiance, loyalty, and gratitude, but if England casts us off I reserve the right as a betrayed man to say I shall act as I have a right to act. I shall no longer sing "God save the King."

That is the way the comparatively discreet king's counsel of the disloyalist party word it. If Mr. Hamilton or any one else wants to see illustrations of the way their example works on all grades of their supporters we can give them in any quantity desired, but those Conservatives who seriously respect the crown may be warned that the illustrations are rather disgusting. But of course it is merely breaking in an open door to show that a movement which is disloyal to the crown is also disloyal in detail. It is against the king's government that Carsonism would "rebel." It is the king's peace that it would break, the king's laws that it would defy, the king's soldiers that it would try to seduce into mutiny or desertion. That it also threatens the king with discomfort or with the refusal of loyal civility and respect is a mere item in the list of disloyalties. Mr. Hamilton should study them more closely.

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"Yes," remarked Jenkins, "I gave it to him straight, I can tell you; told him just exactly what I thought of him—and a bit more, perhaps. Bigger than me?" he continued, noting the look of interrogation on Robson's face. "Yes, I should think he was; and he's got a temper like a—"

"I know he has," said Robson. "And that's what puzzles me. If you mean to say he didn't try to go for you and hurt you?"

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INDIANAPOLIS STRIKE STILL

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 3.—Mini-Indianapolis took a hand in the "ter" strike, when they submitted position at the union meeting 1 day. The ministers proposed to a statement of facts from the union also one from the employers, statements the ministers said that they had published so that the citizen way they hoped of the trouble.

The question of calling a general has been put over until a meeting Central Labor Union strike on tomorrow night. Most of the teachers are hopeful of settling the trouble without the necessity of all other organized labor on a just One Man Show.

What few features there were of the "hit and run" variety small crowd would collect quick back a wagon and disappear as if the police came in sight. Only a son, Eugene Rutledge, 18 years of age, was reported to have been shot by strike breakers on a coal-

The five men on the wagon were a day later released when witness shots also had been fired by crowd. Wholesale, ice and coal men reported little trouble in up their wagons.

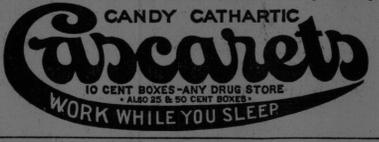
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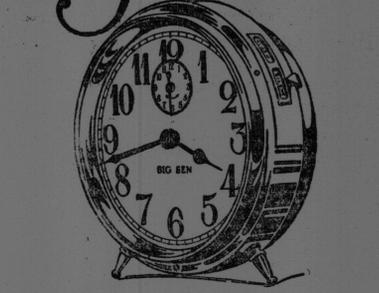
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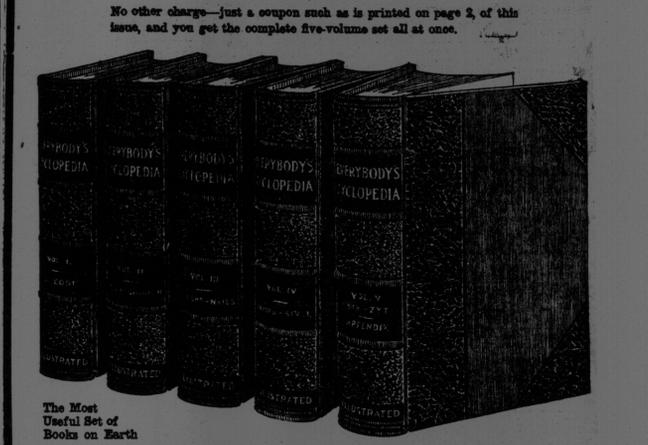
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TODAY BY THE TELEGRAPH AND TIMES

BRITISH M. P'S ON HOME RULE

hole Question Gone Into—Government Will Put the Bill Into Effect

ming up briefly the Unionist position... Lord Lansdowne said—hold, and shall go on holding, that proper solution of this question is a vote to the electors of this country...

Prof. J. H. Morgan Do not imagine, Mr. Morgan went on that the government must be forever every contingency, I think I am betraying no secrets when I tell you that a government official in a very high position in Dublin told me, when I was in Ireland in June last, that they had not inherited from Mr. Balfour and Sir Edward Carson the most elaborate secret service in the Empire for nothing...

Prime Minister there is a genuine disposition in quarters by an interchange of views suggestions, free, frank and without prejudice, to contribute to the constructive, I invite that interchange, both I and my colleagues are ready to take part in it.—Ladybank, October 17

repeat here tonight that, if the government have any proposals to make I will avert the horrors that I have to depict to you, we will consider these proposals carefully, honestly, with sole regard, not to the interests party, but to the welfare of a nation.—Norwich, November 18.

Redmond at these men say what they want, I repeat, what I have so often said, that there is no demand, no movement extravagant or unreasonable, it appears to us, that we are not ready to consider carefully so long as it is consistent with the principle for which we fight the events of the past three years in the city of Dublin, where the test of things had been revealed—

overcrowding, and underpaid—would make them feel the need for establishing an Irish authority able to attend to those purely Irish affairs. After all, Home Rule is a subordinate parliament dealing purely Irish local affairs. If the members had remained in Ireland in contact with their constituencies of the terrible evils which they deplored would have been speedily averted.

William Byles, M. P. William Byles said those were when intelligent men should settle their differences by reason and not force. We were ruled by a free democracy, and the sovereign people of the United Kingdom had determined to re-constitute the Irish Parliament. We all hoped a settlement by consent; but if a vote in Ulster were still unobtainable in the Home Rule Bill had become law, they would have to submit.

Esmonde, M. P. Esmonde referred to the statement made by P. E. Smith in his Master speech that the Unionists would re-into no conference from which the Union of Ulster had been ruled out, replied to that by saying that the Unionist party would enter into no conference with the Home Rule Government.



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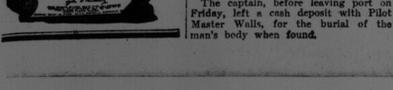
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SAILOR MISSING FOR WEEK AT CHATHAM BELIEVED DROWNED (Chatham Commercial.) A Norwegian named Charles Hoff, aged 28, one of the crew of the schooner Laura Haldt, Philadelphia, which discharged a cargo of creosoted timber at the Canada dock, has been missing for a week, and it is feared he has been drowned.

It is said that Hoff, with others of the crew had been around town drinking. They returned to their vessel about eleven o'clock on last Tuesday night, and soon afterwards Hoff asked the captain to allow him to go ashore to see a doctor as he was ill. The captain advised him to wait until the morning. The sailor left the captain's quarters and has not been seen since. His coat and vest were found in the cabin, and it is believed that he fell over the side of the schooner in attempting to go ashore.

about \$40 wages was the him. The captain, before leaving port on Friday, left a cash deposit with Pilot Master Walls, for the burial of the man's body when found.

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The Royal Colonial Institute

A Peep Into The London Headquarters For News Of The Empire

(Times Special Correspondence.) London, Nov. 18.—Though most of the prominent men of Canada are members, comparatively few of the large number of Canadians coming to London pay a visit to the Royal Colonial Institute. Yet, from the view point of a Briton, it is one of the most interesting places in the metropolis.

A modest building in Northumberland avenue, dwarfed by the magnificence of the large neighboring hotels, one meets there men who in the capacity of soldier, sailor, colonial administrator and pro-consul, have spent years in all parts of the world. It claims to have a membership unlike that of any other institution, to issue one of the most widely distributed publications in the world, and to have on file the largest number of empire newspapers and journals.

There is something refreshing about the thorough way in which everything is done there. Take, for instance, the ring of true British solidarity reflected in the objects and constitution. Its Objects.

"The Royal Colonial Institute is established to provide a place of meeting for all gentlemen connected with the colonies and British India, and others taking an interest in colonial and Indian affairs; to establish a reading-room and library, in which recent and authentic intelligence upon colonial and Indian subjects may be constantly available, and a museum for the collection and exhibition of colonial and Indian productions; to facilitate interchange of experience amongst persons representing all the dependencies of Great Britain; to afford opportunities for the reading of papers and for holding discussions upon colonial and Indian subjects generally; and to undertake scientific, literary and statistical investigations in connection with the British Empire. But no paper shall be read, nor any discussion be permitted to take place, tending to give to the institute a party character."

The romance of this institution has inspired "Anglo-Canadian," who writes in the United Empire Journal of the Institute. "The Royal Colonial Institute," he says, "appeals strongly to the imagination. Not only was it founded in the days when, as Mr. Chamberlain pointed out, the imperial idea hardly existed, but the fact that it is representative of all the many peoples that constitute the British Empire gives it a glamour of romance. What would its founders say if they could see the great tree that has grown from the seeds they planted? Today the institute numbers nearly 9,000 members—fellows and associates, and will ere long reach the 10,000 mark, as declared by Earl Grey, the president. Of these more than two-thirds are resident outside the United Kingdom. Not only are all corners of the British Empire represented in the membership, but little British communities living under foreign flags keep in touch with the old country as members of the institute. It is Unique.

"The institute is supported entirely by its members and receives no government support of any kind—it is independent. This is the reason of its vitality. The world has no other body of men like the Royal Colonial Institute. It would require another British Empire to produce anything comparable to it. "All this growth of the institute has been synchronized with the growth of sentiment of imperialism. Therein seems to lie the hold which a visit to the institute takes upon one's imagination. Then, too, there is the practical object lesson presented to a visitor as he is shown round the building. For instance, the sight of 700 newspapers, magazines and periodicals filed and kept up to date by each mail, brings vividly before one the extent of the empire. Here is news, the latest by mail, from countries which occupy one-fifth of the surface of the globe. He would be indeed a dull man whose imagination was not awakened by this mass of news from countries either occupied or ruled by the British people. This collection of newspapers is unique and is in itself a great lesson in imperialism. It gives as perhaps nothing else can, an idea of the extent, of the vastness of the empire over which the British flag flies. "The story of this empire, how it was won, how it is governed, what its various parts produce, is to be found told by counties chroniclers in the unique library which contains more than 100,000 volumes, and is increased by more than 5,000 books annually. Here you will find the fascinating stories of the master empire builders, soldiers, sailors, and statesmen, the trials of the early pioneers, the wonderful growth of the dominions overseas from small settlements into great nations—in a word, the story of empire. If only politicians were made to spend some time in this library, it would be a good thing for the mother country and for all nations of the empire. "The monthly journal of the institute must be one of the most widely distributed publications in the world. To every corner of the globe the journal goes every month and with its articles on the various parts of the empire, keeps

British subjects all over the world informed on all the imperial topics of the day. Moreover, the journal contains articles by men whose names are known throughout the empire and questions are discussed in it by those who are most competent to speak on them. There is nothing quite like the "United Empire" in the vast field of interest which it covers. It is a kind of telephone exchange to borrow Lord Grey's expression."

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PROTESTANT PROTEST AGAINST CARBONISM

(Manchester Guardian, Belfast despatch)

The splendid example set by the Protestants of Ballymore some time ago was followed last night by the Protestants of Saintfield, which is in the heart of county Down, repudiating Carbonism and all its works. It was the annual meeting of the local branch of the Ulster Liberal Association, and more than 300 farmers crowded the hall, a significant number of the local shopkeepers and the principal farmers of the district, while the chair was occupied by Martin Pirrie, the principal merchant of the district.

The whole proceedings were most enthusiastic and after a series of vigorous speeches, a resolution was adopted, and cheers repudiating "the treasonable policy of Sir Edward Carson and the Ulster Unionist party" and protesting "most strenuously against the exclusion of Ulster, or any part of the province, from the scope of the home rule bill."

Saintfield is one of the towns represented in parliament by Captain Craig, so that the meeting last night is doubly significant.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

A local branch of the Dominion Alliance has been formed at Perth, N. B. Rev. H. H. Stavert organized the branch and James Anderson was made president.

It is understood that representatives of the Dominion Council of Agriculture will visit Ottawa this month to urge the claims of the west for a reduction or entire abandonment of the duty on wheat so as to open the United States market to the Canadian product.

The dinner tendered to Sir Frederick Williams Taylor at the Canadian Club, London last night, was a brilliant function and an impressive demonstration of Canadian life in the great metropolis.

A large gathering was present including most of the Canadian notables in London, with Donald MacMaster, K. C., M. P., presiding.

An investigation into the cause of the fire in Boston early yesterday morning which caused the death of twenty-eight people has commenced. In fact, by nightfall yesterday there were no less than eight separate investigations under way. Some were to inquire as to the causes of the blaze while others had to do with protective measures for others who might be in similar circumstances to those whose lives were snuffed out in the fire in the Arcadia Hotel, J. G. Lyon of Brookline, who is president of the firm operating the Arcadia with other similar hotels said yesterday he believed the fire had been caused by the financial wealth of all the victims of the fire together totalled \$1.47.

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ENGLISHMAN ATTACKS THE AMERICAN COURTS

Biased, Says Novelist, in Cases Before Foreigners and Natives

LITERARY LETTER

Bernard Shaw and H. G. Wells May Be at Loggerheads Again — Conan Doyle To Write Sequel to His Stark Munro Letters

(Times Special Correspondence)

London, Nov. 28.—Alan Upward, an English novelist, playwright, publicist and barrister-at-law, whose name reminds one irresistibly of the title of one of "Oliver Optic's" books, and who has had an uncommonly interesting career, has just published a new work which he calls "The Divine Mystery." What is more, he has put it up on the net, having, so he states in a letter accompanying the copy sent me, withdrawn the work from two leading publishers and refused it to several more "in order to make a stand against the practice of selling American sheets, which he believes to be injurious to English authors."

I asked Upward, who, amongst other things, is an honorary bard of the National Welsh Gorsedd and a member of one of the most famous leagues of the United States, what he meant by this statement, and have received the following letter from him. It is written, by the way, from the Royal Society Club, in St. James street.

"I wrote 'The Divine Mystery' from two London publishing firms because they stipulated for the right to sell unbound copies to an American publisher. By that system the English publisher is enabled to pay his printer's bill and is thus relieved from any necessity to exert himself, while the author is left practically dependent on the whims of the American publisher. The last with whom I have had dealings has ceased to render me accounts, or to answer letters from me, or my selector. It may be news to you that the English Society of Authors has laid down a rule that will take up a copy of a member injured by an American publisher, on the ground that the American offers are not impartial between natives and foreigners.

"Personally, these business details are utterly distasteful to me. I consider that when an author has put his whole powers into the task of writing a good book, there ought to be some public agency to relieve him of the task of being his own commercial traveler. I have just printed a thousand copies of 'The Divine Mystery, at my own expense, rather than surrender the rights of my literary brethren; but having done that I shall now be pleased to make a free gift of the entire edition to any suitable party."

Evidently Mr. Upward needs a literary agent, and as he mentions, one takes the place of a publisher, and is once more engaged in going for his former friends, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Webb, both of whom write and are ardent social reformers, with whose methods he declares he disagrees. The Webbs, who have a high reputation, are said to have shown Wells great kindness in his early days in London, yet he satirized them bitterly in "The New Machiavelli," and now has returned to the charge.

"From first to last in my relationship with the Fabian Society," he writes in "The Labor Leader," "I was bitterly antagonistic to the futile methods of the Webbs, rather than their game, believe their cunning and contagious vanity has held back the cause of socialism in England for a quarter of a century. But the Webbs are not socialism any more than the vanity of the Pankhurst family is the emancipation of women."

Now Bernard Shaw and the Webbs are the closest of friends. Shaw even took the chair at one of their meetings recently, so he is likely to be anything but pleased with Wells' abuse of them. Shaw has the shonstone of temper that is characteristic of his race, and sooner

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PREMIER ASSERTS THAT VALLEY ROAD WILL BE COMPLETED

Premier J. K. Flemming addressed the Borden Club last night on maritime representation, and also made some reference to the Valley railway. There were speeches by Hon. J. A. Murray, M. P., Hon. J. E. Wilson, M. P., and H. W. Woods, M. P.

"As to the Valley railway," said Mr. Flemming, "we began the undertaking under difficulties and knew I have known, and do know, men outwardly supporting the project, but privately opposing it. Those who were opposed to it did not succeed, and the contract for the work was signed. Although the line was only commenced in June of last year 120 out of the 200 miles of track have been laid. The third section of that 120 miles will be finished early next year. Every rail has been paid for, and ballasting will be completed as soon as possible. What about the section from Gagetown to St. John? asks The Telegraph. Here the difficulties we have met have been more than we anticipated from reports received. They will, however, be overcome, and there will be no delay. No newspaper, or ring of men, will make us blunder. We are going ahead now and not a day's unnecessary delay will occur."

Touching upon the matter of maritime representation, the premier said that the premier of the three provinces had been given an attentive hearing at Ottawa and had presented a strong case in behalf of their respective constituencies.

The premier said that this matter should not hinge on a strict interpretation of the law, whereby in one case there could be a remedy, and in another, in another a readjustment, and in another a decrease. Representation should be given to the law strictly interpreted. The west ought not to say to the east, "You have done much for us and we will give you a law strictly interpreted." The question should be settled in a good and friendly spirit. He made a memorable event in that frame of mind appealed at the inter-provincial conference.

Now it appears that Sir Arthur, who appears to be willing to write about anything except Sherlock Holmes, is meditating a sequel to this work, which he will call "The Posthumous Papers of Stark Munro." He mentions this in the course of a most interesting correspondence which he has been having on the subject of design in nature with the author of "The Quest of Truth," which Sir Arthur characterized, in writing to his author as "a very fine one, which I have annotated almost from cover to cover," though he does not agree with all the captain's conclusions.

"To my eyes," writes Sir Arthur, "the mechanism of nature is every bit as well adjusted, or as ill adjusted, as a watch, and revolves just as cleanly, a thinking power behind it, without which the universe would be a chaos of colliding worlds."

"As to the nature of that power, or its likeness to humanity, we can say nothing. It is infinitely remote in its nature, and yet, as I feel it, infinitely imminent in its operation."

HISTORICAL EVENING UNDER AUSPICES OF CANADIAN CLUBS

The historic evening under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club will be held on the evening of Dec. 12. The York Theatre has been secured for the purpose, and invitations are being sent out to the mayor and commissioners.

It is also hoped to have prepared under the direction of William McIntosh an Indian tableau representing the signing of the famous Indian treaty which was signed on Fort Howe. There will be appropriate music and the evening will not only be one of the most important held under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club, but the members hope that it will deepen public interest in Fort Howe and its history, and the project of connecting the place to a public park.

A letter has been sent to J. B. Harkin, dominion commissioner of parks and playgrounds, asking him if possible to be present that evening, and get in touch with local sentiment and learn for himself the story of the old fort.

MISSIONARY "AT HOME"

A very pleasant at home was given last evening by the Zion Church Women's Missionary Society in the home of Miss Eliza Hagarty, Burpee Avenue. The ladies who had it in charge were enjoyed themselves exceedingly. The early part of the evening was spent socially, after which refreshments were served by several young ladies dressed in the costumes of many lands and all agreed they looked well after the company. Two little girls, Mabel and Myrtle Keithlin, rendered very sweetly and prettily due to the enjoyment of the present. Miss Robertson, returned missionary from Japan gave an admirable address, describing her work and the manners and customs of the Japanese people, explaining very clearly and happily many curious of the country. There were many Chinese curios exhibited.

This youthful missionary society of Zion church, which Mrs. Sanford organized a little more than a year ago, has proved its real in the work of missions, for the great cause and is steadily growing in influence and numbers, for which the president, Miss Lawson, and all her associates deserve great credit. It is always on the move for advancing the interests of missions, as well as making money for the cause. The free-will plate offering last night amounted to nearly \$11. The Misses Hagarty made, as usual, admirable houses — as all gladly testified.

SUSSEX MAN KILLED IN MANITOBA WHILE PURSUING BANDIT

An Associated Press despatch to The Telegraph last night from Plum Coulee said:

"H. M. Arnold, manager of the Bank of Montreal here, was shot dead at noon today in an attempt to intercept a masked bandit who got away with packages of money estimated at \$10,000. He was shot down in the lane in the rear of the bank where he had followed the robber. In his hurry the robber dropped one of the packages of money which has since been returned to the bank. "The bandit, whose whole appearance and demeanor showed him to be a man of desperate character, first held up the proprietor of the local garage and forced him at the point of a gun to hand over a car. He then proceeded to the bank where a large shipment of money had been sent from Winnipeg for grain buying purposes.

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BREAKS A BAD COLD IN A JIFFY! TRY IT

"Pape's Cold Compound" Gives Quick Relief—Don't Stay Stuffed-up!

You can end gripe and break up a severe cold in head, chest, body or limbs by taking a dose of this "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and relieves the head, relieves stuffy discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine.

WARRANTS OUT FOR SEIZURE OF BRANTFORD STREET RAILWAY

PRCP. RTY FOR TAX BILL

Brantford, Ont., Dec. 4.—Billif John Dikeman has in his possession seven warrants for the seizure of the street railway of the Brantford Street Railway and the execution of these may take place at any time. The warrants were issued because the company had failed to pay \$1,500 for taxes. The warrants cover real estate, movable assets, and rolling stock.

WHY DOCTORS PRESCRIBE 108 NOXACOL

Because it is not a patent medicine but a prescription of a very eminent doctor. 108 Noxacol is in one day, 3 and 80c. per bottle at all drug stores.

Constipation Vanishes Forever

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NO DANDRUFF—25 CENT DANDERINE

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Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you can find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be "after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp."

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NEARLY IN CONVULSION

With Acute Indigestion—"Fruit-a-tives" Cured Me

Newbury, Ont., May 20th. "I am a strenuous user of food or patent medicines, but I have nearly everything recommended to digestion and Constipation. "I have been so bad with Acute Indigestion that I was nearly in convulsions and had to be held. I have "Fruit-a-tives" and I have not had other attack nor suffered at all Indigestion since taking them. "Fruit-a-tives" is the only remedy ever used that did me any good, and I am grateful to "Fruit-a-tives" for getting me as well as I am today, an anyone agrees that I look in first health."

My husband likes "Fruit-a-tives" much and takes them whenever he has occasion to use a remedy for Constipation.

"Fruit-a-tives" are sold by all druggists at 60c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size or will be sent to any address on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Ltd. Ottawa.

TO TAX ARGENTINA WHEAT AND PRODUCE

Washington, Dec. 3.—Hopes that cost of living might be reduced by importations of wheat, flour and wheat products from the great American grain producer, the Argentine Republic, were glimmering today when Assistant Secretary Hamlin sent a letter to collectors of customs that the duty on wheat and its products must be understood here to favor the most of the other nations of the world under the new tariff law, wheat and its products are to be admitted free of duty.

Argentina imposes a duty on some countries which admit such products free from the United States.

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Nerves Were So Broken THOUGHT SHE WOULD GO OUT OF HER MIND

Diseases of the nervous system are common. All the organs of the body may be affected while the nerve centers are being attacked.

Many women become run down or worn out by household cares and duties. They are nervous, irritable, and never ending, and sooner or later themselves with the nerves shatter and the heart action weakened.

On the first sign of any weakness either the heart or nerves, drag energy or physical breakdown, do wait until your case becomes hopeless.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills either by household cares and duties, or by the first sign of any weakness either the heart or nerves, drag energy or physical breakdown, do wait until your case becomes hopeless.

When I was in the hospital, I was very ill. My nerves were so unstrung that so many times I would almost get out of my bed. I doctored myself with everything I could get, until at last I got four of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and they have cured me. I cannot too highly of this wonderful remedy and will recommend it to all sufferers.

Price, 50 cents per box, or 3 for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Millib Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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SPORTS NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

Two Men League

Matches were played last night in the Two Men League on the Victoria rink. They resulted as follows: 85 94 92 92 85 458 91-3-3...

Won Prize

W. H. Thompson and Co., Ltd., of the Victoria rink, won the prize for the best score in the Victoria alleys yesterday.

City League

Black's Bowling alleys last night, City League, the Ramblers and Nationals split even.

Ramblers

88 105 85 378 92-3-3 82 100 84 275 81-2-3 84 102 89 275 81-2-3...

Nationals

112 91 76 279 88 91 79 285 288 89-1-3 94 79 86 269 86-1-3...

Commercial League

85 76 81 248 40-2-3 79 80 89 268 80-1-3 78 81 77 246 82-1-3...

Emerson & Fisher

82 81 78 238 79-1-3 77 86 245 81-2-3 80 87 88 255 85 84 86 238 87-1-3...

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411 448 815 1998 85 76 81 248 40-2-3 79 80 89 268 80-1-3...

McGill Holiday Trip Off

has been definitely decided by the directors of the McGill Hockey Club that an armistice trip down to New York Boston will be taken during the winter vacation.

Old Country Soccer

London, Dec. 3.—Sunderland, as cable catching have indicated, seem disposed to repeat their experience of last year when they secured the championship of the league, although their first objective was not registered until about the end of October.

The Mix-up in Weights

FROM T. S. ANDREWS

Milwaukee Dec. 3.—Very little of late has been heard of the International Boxing Union formed some time ago for the better control of boxing contests.

Wells and Carpenter

London, Dec. 3.—Bomber Wells, who still holds the British heavyweight title in spite of defeats at the hands of half a dozen fighters, is preparing for another twenty-round mill with Carpenter, French champion, who stopped him in four rounds last summer.

Wants a Bout

Young Joseph, an English featherweight, now in Montreal, has yet been unable to get on a battle. He wants to meet Frankie Flemming, and also sends a challenge to "Kid" Myers of Montreal.

Hope and the Jap

New York, Dec. 3.—Willie Hoppe, champion at 182 lb. bantam billiards, who recently successfully defended his title against Calvin Demaree, when he defeated his challenger by 600 to 294, will in all probability be called upon to again defend his title in January against Koji Yamada, a Japanese expert.

Yamada is probably the youngest player now aspiring to the championship ranks, having taken to the game of billiards from a scientific standpoint in the last five years.

For the last two weeks the Japanese has made a continuous run of 236 in a game. After witnessing the Hoppe-Demaree match for the title, Lawrence Strauss, in conversation with Maurice Daly, the closest student of billiards in America, said:

Thorppe in Training

Jim Thorpe is being groomed by McGraw for outdoor duty, but it will be another year before the "Red" Napolean attempts to play him regularly.

Grand Christmas Sale

OF Men's and Boy's Clothing!

On Friday morning we will start our grand Christmas Sale. We will put on the bargain counter our entire stock of Men's and Boy's Suits, and our Coats and Pants.

Money Refunded if You Are Not Satisfied.

HERE ARE A FEW OF OUR MANY BARGAINS

MEN'S OVERCOATS Sale prices, \$6.89, \$6.98, \$8.79, \$10.49, \$11.27, \$13.48, \$14.39, \$18.67, \$17.98, \$18.47 and \$19.48.

MEN'S SUITS Sale prices, \$4.79, \$5.89, \$6.47, \$8.47, \$10.49, \$11.49, \$12.79, \$13.79, \$15.89 and \$17.49.

MEN'S PANTS Regular prices, \$1.25 to \$5.00. Sale prices from \$99 to \$3.98.

BOYS' REEFERS AND OVERCOATS Sale prices, \$1.99, \$2.49, \$3.45, \$3.89, \$3.98, \$4.89, \$5.98, \$6.89, \$8.79 and \$10.79.

BOYS' SUITS Sale prices, \$7.79, \$6.79, \$5.98, \$5.67, \$4.98, \$4.79, \$4.25, \$4.19, \$3.98, \$3.37, \$2.98, \$2.49 and \$1.98.

BOYS' PANTS Sale prices, 39c, 49c, 59c, 63c, 73c, 87c, 98c, \$1.09.

Twenty-five dozen Guaranteed Unshrinkable Underwear, Special price, 69c a Garment.

Come in and See Our Great Display of Suitable Christmas Gifts For Ladies and Gentlemen.

Store Open Evenings

CHARLES MAGNUSON & Co

54-56-58 Dock St., St. John, N.B.

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Arrow Shirts

Seek the Arrow label. By every test it marks a good shirt. The laundered cuffs have graduated cutout interlinings which keep them from cracking.

\$1.50 up.

Chert, P. & Co., Inc. Sales Dept., Montreal Makers of Arrow Collars

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Half Price Sale

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A whole store full of useful Christmas presents, put up attractively and which will be more acceptable than those that are designed to be given away, but which have no use.

Our Christmas Linens are the most attractive that we have ever shown. They are made by the Japanese, whose hand work linens is sold cheaper throughout the world than any other linen.

Small D'Oyleys to large size covers, in all conceivable shapes. Prices 5 cents to \$5.75 per piece.

We have two hundred of one special Centre Piece, which we are going to sell at 25 cents each. We also have another very special Centre Piece that is priced 50 cents, one pattern both round and square, of fine pure linen centre, with the edge of hand work embroidery.

We have a Special Sale on of Pure Linen Crash Table Covers, embroidered in colored silk. Price 42 cents.

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FIRST EMPRESS AT HALIFAX TOMORROW

Has 538 Passengers—Tunisian Should Reach Here Late Tonight—News of the Other Steamships

The Empress of Ireland, the first C. E. R. mail steamer to Halifax this season, was reported 165 miles east of Cape Race at 5:45 o'clock this morning and is due in Halifax tomorrow noon. She is bringing forty-one first, 129 second class, and 368 third class passengers.

The S. S. Clothilde Canco, of the Red Cross Line, arrived in port this morning at six o'clock from New York, having made the run in forty-four hours. This is considered good time in view of the fact that rough weather was experienced most of the way. The steamer brought a fair cargo and is now loading at the Pictou wharf.

The Empress of Britain, from Quebec, Nov. 27, is due at Liverpool at eight o'clock this evening. Her next trip will be to Halifax.

Allan Line's Ionian, Glasgow to Portland, was absent Cape Race at five o'clock this morning.

The R. M. S. Tunisian, of the Allan Line, was absent Sable Island at five o'clock last evening and is expected to arrive late tonight.

The Pomeranian steamer Rappahannock left Halifax at eight o'clock this morning and is due to arrive here sometime tonight.

The Pomeranian of the Allan Line was absent Cape Sable at 6:15 o'clock this morning and will arrive at five o'clock last evening and is expected to arrive late tonight.

The Manchester Port, also bound for St. John, is expected to dock tomorrow morning.

RICHMOND STREET CASE BRINGS COURT COMMENT

Arrest of Man on Charge of Striking Young Woman—Her Story Pitiful

In referring to the two assault cases before the court this morning Magistrate Ritchie said that it was surprising to think that a man should be conducting a regular alarm night in the heart of the city. His Honor also referred to a colored man charged with assaulting his white wife, and remarked, "He has come off this morning, all right."

George Lifton, who was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with assaulting Miss Helen Raymond, was brought before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning.

The young woman who laid the information against Lifton took the stand in the police court this morning and she told of having met Lifton, who is a traveler going about from one town to another practicing dentistry. She had met him in Toronto about seven months ago and had been corresponding with him after he moved to St. John, and had come here for her own sake as she was in a delicate condition of health. After coming to St. John, she said, she found Lifton and there were two other girls in the same house. All prepared his meals.

The young woman said that on last Saturday week, either late that night or early on Sunday morning, the prisoner had assaulted her, after they had had some words. She admitted striking him, but only after he had threatened her. She said he then struck her on the back of the head with his fist, and told her he would kill her. The other two girls, she said, were witnesses of the assault. She also said that Lifton assaulted her again on the Monday following, in the same manner.

The prisoner pleaded not guilty to the charge of assault. He was not on the stand this morning.

Francis Cole, colored, aged twenty-one, who was arrested last night by Detective Kilen and Policeaman Rankine on a warrant charging him with beating his wife, Leon Cole, was before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning.

Mrs. Cole, who is a white woman, said that her husband had been beating her at intervals for some time and that on the occasion when she laid the information against him he had beaten her in a house in Duke street where his grandmother lived. She also told of having been attacked last night after she made the complaint. This last assault she said was made when they were down at a place called "The Dump."

SIX LOTS SOLD

Fair Vale Property Purchase—W. Wright Starts to Build

C. B. DeArcy has just completed the sale of half a dozen lots in Fair Vale Heights. Two were purchased by Mrs. M. L. Nichol, two by Washburn Wright and two by Mrs. Wright.

Mr. Wright has already started work on the excavation for the foundations of a dwelling which he will erect immediately. It is his intention to live at Fair Vale both summer and winter.

THE COMPLAINTS STOPPED

The officials of the water department at City Hall have been relieved of the constant complaints of the owner of some dwelling houses on Lancaster Heights who had been making life a burden to them by his constant kicks about the water service. An apt and diplomatic answer did the trick.

On his last visit to the head of the department he complained about the lack of water and insisted that he was not going to pay taxes for water which he did not receive.

"Very well" was the answer, "I will see that you are relieved of your taxes. We will give instructions right away to have the water supply cut off from your houses and your taxes will stop at the same time."

This was more than the complainant had bargained for and he immediately decided that he could get along very well with the service and would rather pay his taxes than do without water entirely. Since then there have been no more complaints.

SUGGESTS EXPERT ON CITY TRAFFIC

Board of Trade Secretary Sees Much Congestion in Future in Some Streets as Business Develops

"We need the services of an expert to advise us regarding the solution of some of our traffic and transportation problems around the city as much as we require the expert to aid in laying out the harbor development work on scientific and sound lines," says the secretary of the Board of Trade while discussing the congestion of several of the chief thoroughfares of the city.

Mr. Hoag referred especially to the problem presented at Mill street, which is becoming greatly complicated by the steam railway crossings. At present this street is carrying almost all the traffic it will stand and any increase in business will create a serious situation at this place. Owing to the low level of the street a subway for the trains is declared impossible and an overhead approach would also be difficult to arrange. As the harbor facilities at Courtenay Bay are developed and the business there begins to grow, the problem will become more acute on account of the extra amount of shipping involved and the fact that Valley Railway were to be brought to the city by the western route the volume of business passing through the main part of the city would make Mill street almost impassable for other traffic.

There are other places in the city, such as in Union street, between Brunswick and Charlotte, where the traffic is beginning to exceed the capacity of the streets and this is a situation which will grow worse with time and the inevitable growth of the city, unless prompt measures are taken.

Mr. Hoag's suggestion is that an expert in such matters might be employed to make a survey of the city and outline measures which should be taken to provide not only for the present business but also for the greatly increased traffic which must be cared for in the near future.

J. J. MCGAFFIGAN WINS HUSKER CASE APPEAL

Ontario Court Decision Again in His Favor in Matter of Company in Which He Invested

The Toronto Globe of last Tuesday had the following of local interest:—

"The National Husker and winding up act—W. E. Nancy, K. C., for E. P. Worthington, J. M. Ferguson for liquidator and J. J. McGaffigan, appeal by E. W. Worthington from order of the chief justice of the common pleas of April, 1912, dismissing the appeal of the master in ordinary putting him on the list of contributories for fifty shares having \$2,750 still to be paid in common judgment. Appeal dismissed without prejudice to defendants to move to vacate order or set aside winding-up order. No costs of the appeal."

The National Husker Company, Limited, has been before the Ontario courts for some years. This company was incorporated under the laws of Ontario. The secretary of the company, C. T. DesBrisay, a native of New Brunswick, sought out friends to subscribe for shares. Amongst the number to subscribe was J. J. McGaffigan, who promptly met all calls that were made by the company. This was not the case with all the subscribers, which caused friction and the secretary wrote to Mr. McGaffigan that the company were using his money to make perfect a machine which had been represented to him as a perfect instrument.

Mr. McGaffigan went to Toronto and there learned the facts of the case and instructed his counsel to begin an action against the company to secure the moneys paid by him. The company fought the case through several courts, and in each one Mr. McGaffigan succeeded. After all these trials Mr. McGaffigan's counsel was obliged to seek the courts to have a receiver appointed. Strong opposition against such action was met, but finally the courts did appoint a receiver, who was obliged to dispose of the plant as so much of the plant was a very expensive one, costing many thousands of dollars, and it sold for very little.

Mr. McGaffigan while in Toronto became thoroughly acquainted with all the facts of the company, and he learned who did and who did not pay up, and when the plant brought nothing, he advised his counsel to bring suit against those who had subscribed for shares. The receiver would not do so unless he was guaranteed the costs. This Mr. McGaffigan did, and after a verdict in favor of the receiver against Worthington, the latter appealed it to the court of appeal for Ontario, composed of Sir William Meredith and Justices MacLaren, Magee, and Hodgins, who handed out their judgment on the first inst. dismissing E. P. Worthington's appeal, which places him on the list of contributories.

The court finds that Worthington was not induced to purchase shares in The National Husker Company, Limited, by any misrepresentation, and that, if there was any misrepresentation Worthington knew about it years ago, and did not elect to rescind the contract, and that it is now too late for him to do so.

This means that Worthington and his associates are liable to pay up the balance due on their stock. Mr. Worthington has, of course, the right, if he desires to exercise it, of taking this case to the Supreme Court of Canada.

DEATH OF BOY

Captain W. W. Fardie of the tugboat Alice R., and Mrs. Fardie will have the sympathy of many friends in the loss of their twelve year old son, Harry Havelock, which occurred last night at his home, 23 Murray street. He had been ill for three or four weeks with spinal meningitis. Besides his parents, four brothers survive. The funeral will be held at half past two o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

Newspaper Man to Cabinet?

An Ottawa despatch says that P. D. Ross, proprietor of the Ottawa Evening Journal, may be taken into the Borden cabinet.

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