

PRINCE HENRY

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NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Prince Henry of Prussia, representative of his brother, the Emperor of Germany, at the launching of the latter's American built yacht, reached New York today, and was cordially welcomed as the guest of the nation.

The great storm against which the Kron Prinz Wilhelm had struggled for days, and which had glazied the Atlantic coast in an armor of ice, had lost its force and resigned itself to warm sunshine and cheery blue skies.

The tug Nina, with Admiral Evans and his brilliant staff, met the Kron Prinz Wilhelm below Fort Wadsworth and boarded her after the salutes from the forts had been fired.

The last greeting in the run up the river was from the imperial yacht Hohenzollern, which is to be the home of the Prince while in New York.

The first of the large crowds was met at the Battery and from there on up to Reception pier the largest crowds of all had gathered, every pier to which admission was not denied, was partly filled.

The Prince Henry disembarked at 12.55 p. m., at that moment walking down the decorated gangway from the Kron Prinz Wilhelm into the elaborately decorated pier.

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From the club house Prince Henry was driven to the Twenty-third street ferry of the Pennsylvania railroad, where he took the ferryboat for the depot in Jersey City.

The prince and his party reached Jersey City at 12.10 a. m. and walked to the train through a roped enclosure guarded by 80 policemen under Chief of Police Murphy of Jersey City.

The train consisted of eight cars, the last one being the Columbia, devoted to the use of the prince and two immediate attendants. Assistant General Passenger Agent G. W. Boyd was in charge of the train.

In addition to the police guard on the platform there were present Captain Titus of the New York detective bureau and Chief Wilkie of the secret service.

The train left the station at 1 a. m., the prince appearing on the rear platform of his car and bowing his acknowledgment of the cheers that greeted his departure.

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FREE AT LAST. Miss Stone, the American Missionary, Released.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 23.—Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary who, with Mme. Talika, was captured by brigands in the district of Salonika Sept. 3 last, has been released and arrived at Strumitza, Macedonia, at 3 o'clock this morning.

At Strumitza is near the Salonika-Uskub railroad Miss Stone will proceed to Salonika without delay.

BOSTON, Feb. 23.—Secretary Barton of the American board has received the following cablegram confirmatory of the Associated Press despatch announcing the release of Miss Stone.

"Both Miss Stone and Madame Talika and child released from confinement in good physical condition and good spirits."

Secretary Barton regards this news as decidedly authentic, as the particulars of the board had been given instructions to send no cablegrams based on mere reports, but to wait until positive information could be given.

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LATER. WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The state department today received a despatch from the U. S. legation in Constantinople regarding Miss Stone's case.

It was encouraging in character, and while it did not report Miss Stone's case as an assured fact, yet the rumor was such as to lead the officials confidently to believe that such a happy consummation was a matter of a very few hours.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 24.—Late in the day a despatch was received here announcing that Miss Stone and Madame Talika are now at Strumitza, five hours ride on horseback from the nearest station of the Salonika-Uskub railroad.

By the nearest train from Salonika to Constantinople, the arrangements were made for their immediate departure.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—In a despatch dated London, the correspondent of the Daily Graphic says that the brigands escorted Miss Stone and Mme. Talika to the outskirts of Strumitza, and then told them they were free.

Dr. Garguille, aragonian of the American legation at Constantinople, visited the former captives to obtain from any statements regarding their capture and detention which they have seen G. A. Leitchman, the U. S. minister to Turkey.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—The transport Victorian, with the second section of the British expeditionary force on board, arrived at Cape Town yesterday afternoon.

ANTWERP, Feb. 21.—Dr. Albrecht, who has just returned from the Transvaal, will proceed tomorrow to Utrecht to see Mr. Kruger, to whom he is said to have an important secret communication from the Boer leaders in South Africa.

Dr. Albrecht predicts long continuance of the war. He says the blockade system will not affect the final result. It may, he says, be a few weeks, but the British will never possess the Transvaal.

PRETORIA, Feb. 21.—Gen. De Wet, with four hundred followers, broke back northward through the Orange River Colony, the blockhouses opened fire on the Boers, two of whom were killed. The remainder got clear away to their old ground near Riet.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Acting President Balfour, British and other members of the Boer government were in the Haager captured at Noidgedach, Transvaal Colony, by a detachment of mounted National Scouts under Col. Park, but succeeded in escaping.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—An enthusiastic meeting of Boer sympathizers was held today at the Lafayette theatre, and resolutions were adopted calling on President Roosevelt and congress to use all their power to prevent the further exportation of horses and mules to the English in South Africa.

In addition to this a collection was taken up for the benefit of the Boer widows and orphans. Rev. Thomas Palmer, Easton, D. D., called the meeting to order.

Commandant Krige, formerly with the Boer army, delivered an address setting forth the action at the hands of the council that will stop the practice in future. I refer to competitors who have won places on the team, informing the secretary in response to his query that they are prepared to proceed to Bismarck and in some cases after the lapse of three weeks writing to say that it will not be convenient to wait men, and it has happened on more than one occasion that a waiting man had but two or three days' notice of his appointment to the team.

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THE D. R. A. HOW TO OBTAIN A BEAR.

Just Tack Along a Hillside, and He Will Fall Hopelessly to Leeward. (Milwaukee Sentinel.) "Despite the reputation for ferocity that the mountain lion has acquired, and perhaps justly, he is by no means the animal most feared by the prospectors and mountaineers in my country," said a Colorado man yesterday.

"If a prospector is passing along a trail and he spies a lion in his path he never even hesitates, for he knows that as soon as the animal sees him it will clear out, providing, always, that it is not a female accompanied by its young, and even in such a case it is by no means certain that she will show fight."

"It is altogether different with a bear, and if a mountaineer sees a bear on his trail he will go around, if he can, and if he cannot do that he will wait patiently for him to get out of the way. You see, the man that has spent years in the hills, as we call the mountains out our way, knows much of the ambition of the sportsman, and he never wastes his ammunition just for the pleasure of killing game. When he shoots, it is either to get food or for self-protection. Consequently he is in no way anxious to start a row with a bear, just because it happens to cross his path. There are several reasons for this, but the principal one is that it is dangerous. Any man who knows about bears will hesitate before deliberately starting a row with one. By the way, would you like to know how a man on foot can outrun a bear in a hilly country if he has a little start on him?"

Upon being informed that his hearer would be very glad to get the information, even though he might secretly hope that the bear would never come, the speaker continued:

"You see, a bear's forelegs are very short, and his conformation is such that, while he can run uphill as fast as he can on the flat, he cannot run on a straight line on the side of a hill. So when you are chased by a bear just run along the side of the hill. Bears are game, and he will start after you, but while you are keeping on a straight line he will be going at an angle down the hill every jump. When you have gone some distance just retrace your steps, and the bear in his efforts to catch you will try to do the same thing, only to find that you are getting farther from him every minute. It is a great system. I know, for I have seen it worked. I would advise you to try it some time, and if you keep running back and forth long enough the bear will disappear from sight, still trying to get at you."

GERMANY'S REPLY To the Complaint of Lord Lansdowne. BERLIN, Feb. 24.—The reply of Germany to the complaint of Lord Lansdowne, the British secretary of state for foreign affairs, concerning the publication by Germany of the despatch from Dr. Von Helldorf (German ambassador to the United States) with regard to the meeting of ambassadors in Washington on April 14, 1898, which complaint asserts that Dr. Von Helldorf misunderstood the action of Lord Pauncefote (British ambassador to the United States) at that meeting, maintains the correctness of Dr. Von Helldorf's despatch.

The reply of the German government suggests that the British government publish Lord Pauncefote's report of this same conference.

TO TWO YEARS. PARIS, Feb. 24.—The chamber of deputies today adopted by a vote of 552 to 2 a motion approved by the government of the principles of the reduction of military service to two years. This is to be realized by the suppression of all exemptions and by the re-assignment of "non-commissioned officers for short terms."

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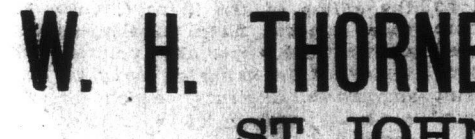
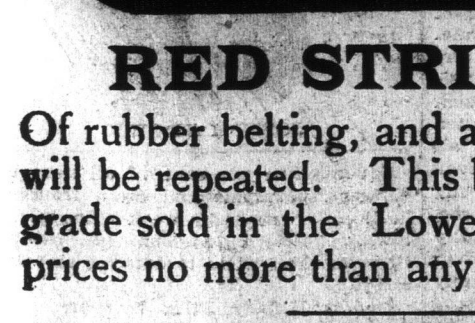
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**EASTERN EXTENSION CLAIM.**  
Mr. Sprout said Mr. Pugsley claimed New Brunswick was deprived of her right by the liberal conservatives, yet Mr. Pugsley supported that government. The province had been run into debt year by year by this government and it was time to call a halt. He considered the debt from the time this government came in till the present, showing that it had been on the increase all the time. Now the accounts were not all given, for the government had not enough money to pay the bills. Taking up the fisheries award claim, Mr. Sprout said Mr. Pugsley did not seem to know the amount of it. It was over a half million, and not five as stated by Mr. Pugsley. Newfoundland got a million of it. The rest was paid out in bounties to the fishermen who were the sufferers. Mr. Pugsley might get Mr. King to give up a portion of this money, but it was doubtful. Mr. Sprout next took up the opposition platform. They wanted the auditor general to stand just as the dominion auditor general stood. Then there would be a free exposure of the errors and misdeeds of the government. At present it was impossible to tell the financial position of the province. The opposition favored the secret ballot. He resented the system which allowed men to be dragged to the polls to vote as they were paid to do.

Mr. Sprout said there would be no fund behind him to corrupt the county. No man would receive a dollar with his consent. He wanted to be elected by clean votes. He wanted to know that he had behind him public confidence. He wanted to know that he could along the line of public progress. No man would give better support to what was for the people's good. He would not feel it to be his duty to oppose a measure introduced by the government if he considered it in the interest of the county and the province.

Another plank in the opposition platform was to have all public work done by tender and contract. When this plank was laid down the government was violating it by letting contracts for steel bridges without tender. Now the government came to the opposition's way of thinking and bridges were let out by contract. As a result of this change the prices of bridges had dropped from 7 and 11 cents down to 4 and 5 cents per pound. The Dominion Bridge Company, which was condemned by Mr. Pugsley once, was doing the work now. While the government let works by tender the principle was openly and notoriously violated by them. Men were sent out with gangs to put money where it would do the most good. Therefore cost more than it could otherwise be done for.

**ANOTHER PROPOSITION**  
on the part of the opposition was to reduce the number of the members of the legislature. The government abolished the legislative council and then increased the members of the house. Mr. Sprout said he was in favor of reducing the members, and he would also go for a redistribution of the representation. Kings county had 25,000 people and three representatives. Sunbury had 7,000 and two members. This was unfair. Sunbury was the only county of which this was so. If Mr. Pugsley spoke after him, Mr. Sprout said it was only fair that Mr. Hazen should have the right to reply. Mr. Hazen had the same right as Mr. Pugsley, both being non-residents. He then called the members of the house to their minds of the importance of voting for any party. The local government members had no party. Mr. Pugsley in 1899 held up both hands and thanked God that he had no politics. That was the only time he ever knew Mr. Pugsley to tell the whole truth. If they believed a strong opposition necessary to hold in check the recklessness of the government, he asked them to elect him. He would be willing to do anything the people could properly require of him.

**ATTORNEY GENERAL PUGSLEY**  
said the government had been attacked. He was then to defend them. He had heard that Mr. Sprout said the reason the attorney general did not prosecute the forgers of the Rothsey list was that they were too close to him. He took from this that Mr. Sprout meant some relative of his. Mr. Sprout put it as politically near to him, which made it altogether different. (Laughter.) He had not done his duty. There was any man there who had any information to give him as to the perpetrators of this crime, he could have called upon them. Mr. Sprout said Mr. Gilliland was innocent. But was brought against Mr. Gilliland by Hazen & Hayward, the name of Mr. Fowler, M. P. They started the machinery of the civil courts. After he got on to the bench he abandoned it and took it out of court. Did it lie in their mouths as Mr. Gilliland was guilty? No, their mouths were closed. They admitted that Mr. Gilliland was all right. It was Mr. Gilliland's work to the satisfaction of the government. He (Pugsley) was responsible for taking the contract away from the Andersons for the reason given by Mr. King. It had proved a lesson to them. It was asked why it thundered he did not prosecute the Rothsey forgers. He was the attorney general. If people wanted them prosecuted, let them go before a magistrate and swear that they believed certain people guilty. Could the attorney general do that? Believing Mr. Gilliland innocent, could he swear that he believed that he did this thing, that he committed this perjury and fraud? Such action would be found fault with. He had not the slightest idea as to who was guilty. It was therefore impossible for him to state proceedings. He appealed to the electors if he had not done everything he could have done. (Laughter.) It is not the man of laughter whose judgment he wanted in the matter. It was the man who took a serious interest in things. How did Mr. Sprout know that all the inquiry he made was when he asked Mr. Gilliland that question? There were no steps to take which would lead to the issue in the campaign anyway. Mr. Sprout said he had anything to do with it, nor had any member of the government. How did Mr. Sprout know that a verdict on this question one way or the other? They could not say it was wrong by their votes. Every day that the list was wrong. In the legislature he moved that the list be voided. The law now provided that the voters were to be sworn to the list. The government did everything possible to right the wrong. Mr. Pugsley took credit to the government for the development of the dairy and cheese industry, and also for the development of the coal and fish deposits. Mr. Pugsley defied his opponents to put

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their anger on a single item that was spent except in the public interests. MR. HAZEN next addressed the gathering. He did not think much of Mr. Pugsley's name as to the Rothsey list. No man was better able to make black white or white black than Mr. Pugsley. How could he touch the great fraud. For the purpose of assisting the government of which Mr. Pugsley was a member, between names were added to the list for forgery and theft. In whose interest was this done? Mr. Hazen—You are right, Mr. King was to the point. He had the names of Sunbury and Queens. The city of St. John was scored for names and all put on were to vote for the government candidates. This was done to strengthen the hands of the government. Mr. Hazen then told of the steps taken by him in the local house to get an inquiry. Mr. Pugsley agreed on his honor as a public man to see that it was investigated. He went even further and said he had already made a careful inquiry. But Mr. Pugsley did not let it go. He held inquiries. Why could not the local legislature? If Mr. Pugsley was sincere and honest, why did he not investigate the matter? Why did he not ask Mr. Milligan how the list came to be mailed in his name? It was done by friends of the government and he did not dare inquire who did it. The action started by Mr. Fowler was not of court, yet. The supreme court said, perjury and theft were involved, yet Mr. Pugsley had not asked them to be investigated. Mr. Hazen discussed the debt of the province, showing how this government had increased it. He said that at nearly 7 o'clock when Mr. Hazen closed and three cheers were given for Mr. Fowler, M. P., Mr. Hazen and Mr. Sprout.

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## HARBOR SUNSET.

(L. M. Montgomery in Alameda's.) "Beyond the bar the sun has set. And there the water is all blue. All mystical and sad as sea. But here the high sky over me. Is all pure dome of crystal blue. "Winked of cloud above the dunes. "Over the Druid pine and fir That crown the western hills is seen. Like some adventurous fairy boat With one white star to pilot her. Through some of pearl and luscious green. "Afar, the flets still and dim. Hold yet the twilight that must soon fall over sea and reef and rim. A misty purple vein is blown. "The boats that sailed at break of day Are homeward bound, and on the shore. For toll is past and work is done When o'er the hushed and placid bay The veil of darkness falls once more."

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## YOUNG WINTSON CHURCHILL.

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(Cor. Brooklyn Eagle.) LONDON, Feb. 6.—I had occasion the other day to listen to the utterances of that most wonderful of young men, that meteoric reminder of Charles James Fox in his salad days, namely, Winston Spencer Churchill, M. P. He was standing in his place in Parliament, discussing the question of the prosecution of the Boer war and, strange to say, the young statesman, who has been named a soldier, a war correspondent at the front and a prisoner of war, aided with his political enemies, the radicals, and in his delightfully ingenious manner, told all the gentlemen who stared at him open-mouthed and abashed, that they had not yet begun to learn the rules of life. Truly, here was an illustration of the old Biblical saying that out of the mouth of babes and sucklings cometh wisdom.

With a facility of expression, a fluency unexampled, a directness of thought and a wealth of metaphor, truly gorgeous in its breadth, this remarkable youth spoke his mind to the mother of parliaments in a ten-minute speech, before crowded benches, such as one only sees when some great debate, carried on by the giants of the oratorical arena, is in progress. He proved then and there, if he had not done so before, that he is fully entitled to wear his father's mantle, and to become a member of the cabinet.

It was a speech that strongly reminded old parliamentarians of a scene of fourteen years ago when his father, Lord Randolph Churchill, then in the zenith of his fame as that of the nation's champion, stepped on all of their toes at one and the same time does not now make the Briton swell with pride and self-adulation, although Mr. Chamberlain seems to be doing his utmost to keep up the tradition. But even Mr. Chamberlain, powerful as he is, has not the strength to bar the way of a nation that is at last developing a sentimental side which heretofore has been altogether lacking in its nature.

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## AN OPEN LETTER

To the Honorable William Pugsley.

Dear Attorney General: I am just in receipt of your very kind letter to me dated Rothsey, Feb. 10th, 1902. It is very good, indeed, of you to take the trouble to write me such a long letter. I have read it over very carefully, and must tell you that I feel just like another man since reading it. Things have looked pretty dull around our district the last year or two, but I see that you are going to make everything satisfactory for us after Mr. King's election. There are just one or two little things that I am not quite clear on. I am a pretty strict church member, and I cannot quite get my conscience straightened out sufficiently on that Rothsey forged list matter to make me feel perfectly at ease in voting for Mr. King. I always understood that you were a pretty good lawyer. I don't know much about law myself, but I calculate that if you knew that Mr. Gilliland gave a letter to another party to mail it, wouldn't take much legal judgment to have traced out what the other party did with the letter or with the contents after he got it. I would like you to drop me another line explaining this affair in detail. I thought it was awfully good of you to write me, but after I got out my gun to have a crack at you, I saw my neighbors Joe Smith and William Johnston, and to my surprise they told me they had both got a private letter from you in regard to the future success of the province, so I didn't consider your writing me as much a compliment as I did. I am glad that you are going to open up the oil fields, because I am pretty sure that we have got an oil well on the rear part of our farm. I wish you would send your men up to look at it. Anyways, there may be something in it. If we could organize a company, and if the thing is well greased, she'll go. We got a large cranberry bog also on our farm, and I guess we could turn that into something that would be more profitable than cranberries. I notice that you don't mention anything about the cranberry industry in your letter. Ain't there something we could do along that line as well? I am glad that you got that \$275,000 from the dominion government on the Eastern Extension business. I am mighty glad to see that you are going to get \$5,000,000 more from the dominion government on the fishery question. I guess if you could arrange to get that \$5,000,000, that all well of ours, and the company, we could arrange in connection with it, and the cranberry bog could be bought out by the government. If you think it worth while to look into the matter, I would be glad to hear from you. I told my wife after I read your kind letter that I guessed there wouldn't be much use working any more because just as soon as Mr. King got elected you would arrange so that everything would work so smooth that there would be enough minerals and oil wells on our farms and enough railroads running through them to keep everything coming our way without doing another stroke of work. Kindly write me again fully about that Rothsey bogus list matter, and see if you can't straighten out my conscience with a clear conscience.

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him then. The fact is, we are exceedingly friendly with our neighbor across the channel at present. We reserve all our little spiteful pin pricks, that used to serve the Gallic cock, for the obese Zenton. The British press, and with it the British public, has had little time for the stale old game of warring the French and the latter are beginning to look Britainward with a favorable eye at last. Not for a moment, least, has there been a single unpleasantness on either side. I do not recollect having seen or heard any of those formerly frequent fibs that invariably raised an alarm on both sides of the water and kept the two governments in an eternal state of unrest.

The idea of going to France in English clothes and not meeting with a single "a bas" is so unique and unheard-of that I can hardly believe it, yet I am told by those who have just come from France that the attitude of the people has entirely changed and that an Englishman or an American for the two are the same in French eyes—no actually tolerated, even in an omnibus; and who shall say that he ever went into a Parisian omnibus without being either insulted or jostled?

Now what is all this leading to? One week we are weeping on the shoulder of Germany, the next we are ready to fight her. Then we quarrel violently with France and make it up in true Latin fashion. Ditto with Russia and Italy. It is becoming more morbid than she must go the round of Europe with the air of a Billingsgate fish-wife, now scolding and the next moment bathed in contrite tears? The old idea of a haughty British nation swaggering up and down the continent, sneering at the nations and stepping on all of their toes at one and the same time does not now make the Briton swell with pride and self-adulation, although Mr. Chamberlain seems to be doing his utmost to keep up the tradition. But even Mr. Chamberlain, powerful as he is, has not the strength to bar the way of a nation that is at last developing a sentimental side which heretofore has been altogether lacking in its nature.

Every Mother who does not already know, should know the value of that safe, pleasant and effectual remedy, McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup, the original and only genuine worm syrup. Any child will take McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup. All dealers keep it.

## ABOUT LONDON

Revealed by the Last Census Report.

**Great Excess of Females Over Males—The Marked Progress of Decentralization—Decrease of the Status of Charles I. an Event Full of Solemn Humor.**  
(Staff Cor. N. Y. Mail and Express.) LONDON, Feb. 1.—A statement of some of the returns of the last decennial census of London, which have just been laid before the public, would supply the basis for an informing comparative study of the larger differences between the English and the American metropolises. The chief distinctions which obtrude themselves in the tabulated figures are the greater excess of females over males in London; the smaller alien population; the larger pauper population; the much larger number of separate dwellings, and the more marked progress of decentralization here, which has stripped the parishes in the heart of the city of their inhabitants in favor of the suburban neighborhoods.

Greater London has a population of about six and a half millions, but the population of London county, which politically may be compared with the present progress of New York in the city is 4,638,541, or trifle more than a million above that of the American metropolis. For the decade the rate of increase has been 7.3, the lowest in the history of London, and insignificant compared with the more than 20 per cent growth of New York in the same period. London county during the ten years showed an increase of 305,224, but as the natural increase by excess of births over deaths was 491,000, the loss by immigration exceeded 185,000. The city and six of the metropolitan boroughs showed a decline of 70,000, although the recorded excess of births over deaths was 70,000. Whether these thousands betook themselves is disclosed by the statement that "Greater London" increased by 947,000 during the decade.

Among specific facts of larger interest in the census report, it may be noted that there are in the county of London nearly 9,000 public houses; that there are 571,768 inhabited houses, as against 547,146 in 1891; that there are 40,089 uninhabited houses, as against 29,896 in 1891, and that there are 1,919,546 families, or less than two to each house. There is a hint of the South African war in the statement that London contains 252,371 more women than men, and that there are 72,128 widowers, as compared to 197,517 widows. There is one widow to every four wives in the metropolis, while there is one widower to every ten husbands. On census night there were 47,301 husbands whose wives were absent and 65,936 wives whose husbands were absent. There are 6,546 inmates of workhouses; one out of every nine persons above sixty-five is a pauper. There are 225,916 males above ten years who either have no occupation or who have retired from it. Domestic indoor servants are 6,929, or one out of every four families. Of men aged or over there are 2,234 and of men teachers 7,359. There are 34,000 male clerks and 19,000 females. About 150,000 men are employed on the roads and railways, and over 37,000 men and women are in the printing business.

In the foreign population the decade shows an increase of 40,000 in an alien total of 135,000. The largest foreign element are natives of Russia, who number 35,117, three-fourths of whom have come over in the ten years. Germany follows second with 27,427, and France follows with 11,264. The Italian contingent of 10,889 is not one-tenth that of New York, but it is double what it was a decade since. One out of every seven is a foreigner. I saw my neighbors Joe Smith and William Johnston, and to my surprise they told me they had both got a private letter from you in regard to the future success of the province, so I didn't consider your writing me as much a compliment as I did. I am glad that you are going to open up the oil fields, because I am pretty sure that we have got an oil well on the rear part of our farm. I wish you would send your men up to look at it. Anyways, there may be something in it. If we could organize a company, and if the thing is well greased, she'll go. We got a large cranberry bog also on our farm, and I guess we could turn that into something that would be more profitable than cranberries. I notice that you don't mention anything about the cranberry industry in your letter. Ain't there something we could do along that line as well? I am glad that you got that \$275,000 from the dominion government on the Eastern Extension business. I am mighty glad to see that you are going to get \$5,000,000 more from the dominion government on the fishery question. I guess if you could arrange to get that \$5,000,000, that all well of ours, and the company, we could arrange in connection with it, and the cranberry bog could be bought out by the government. If you think it worth while to look into the matter, I would be glad to hear from you. I told my wife after I read your kind letter that I guessed there wouldn't be much use working any more because just as soon as Mr. King got elected you would arrange so that everything would work so smooth that there would be enough minerals and oil wells on our farms and enough railroads running through them to keep everything coming our way without doing another stroke of work. Kindly write me again fully about that Rothsey bogus list matter, and see if you can't straighten out my conscience with a clear conscience.

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was about all the extravagance that the finest ladies allowed themselves. It was the men who were extravagant in their ways, and as extravagance, carried to the pitch of senseless ostentation, as what "Bliss" calls vulgarism; they were the vulgar sex—men—to the tips of their fingers. They drank, they swore, they gambled, they over-dressed (for it was not the women who over-dressed in my day); they wore high-heeled shoes and jeweled shoe-buckles; silk stockings, silk and satin coats and breeches, all trimmed with gold and silver lace; they sported gold-tipped canes and jeweled snuff-boxes, and carried muffs and nosegays. They covered their bare (and empty) heads with monstrously expensive periwigs, and were perfumed, painted, powdered and patched worse than any fine lady. They walked trippingly, and slipped when they should talk, and were full of effeminate affectations.

Now, contrast the phantom, "I hear of the women who are the vulgar sex, who talk loud, jest with fellows, spend fortunes on their backs, eat five-guinea champagne suppers after the playhouse in rake-helly company, who smoke tobacco and gamble with monstrously expensive periwigs, and were perfumed, painted, powdered and patched worse than any fine lady. They walked trippingly, and slipped when they should talk, and were full of effeminate affectations.

Those residents of West Seventy-second street who wanted the name of the thoroughfare altered to Park lane in imitation of the most fashionable and exclusive London street, and were derided at home for aping English manners, will be interested in the remark made by John Burns, the labor leader, in a speech on the other day. When an amendment restricting alien immigration was moved, he asked if the inquiry which the government promised "will take within its purview the region of Park Lane," where wealthy Americans have been looking for residences. The parliamentary reports bracket "loud laughter and nationalist cheers" after the question.

## HEROES AND HEROINES.

We give unstinted praise to the man who is brave enough to die; But the man who struggles unflinchingly against the current destiny, And bears the storm of adversity, We pass unnoticed by. We've plaudits and tears for him who falls, Who down in the shock of battle, With a word of cheer we neglect to say, To him who plods on his dreary way, And fights in honor to the day The unseen battles of life.

Some moments there are in every life When the spirit longs for rest, When the heart is filled with a bleak despair, When the weight of trouble, remorse and care Seems really greater than we can bear, And death seems a welcome rest. But we crush it down and we go our way To the duties that lie in wait, From day to day we renew the fight, To resist the wrong and to do the right, To climb as high as our God-given height, And to climb o'er time and fate.

**SOME OF ABBEY'S WORK.**  
Edwin A. Abbey, who has been selected by King Edward VII. to make a painting of the coronation, was born in Philadelphia in 1858, and received his early art training there in the technical and illustrative departments of the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts. He has since spent much of his time in London, where he has been a member of the Royal Society of Painters in Water Colors. His growing sympathy with the "black and white" work in which England led the world determined him to visit that country in 1878, to make a series of illustrations of Herick's poems, and to enlighten himself by the artistic atmosphere there. He has since spent much of his time in London, where he has been a member of the Royal Society of Painters in Water Colors. His growing sympathy with the "black and white" work in which England led the world determined him to visit that country in 1878, to make a series of illustrations of Herick's poems, and to enlighten himself by the artistic atmosphere there.

## DIED IN CHINA.

A cable message received by Hon. Senator Dever yesterday announced the death of the 8th instant of his son-in-law, Thos. P. Hughes, commissioner of His Majesty's customs at Kiu Kiang, China. The sad news came as a shock, for it was stated by Mrs. Hughes in a letter to her mother some time ago that Mr. and Mrs. Hughes and family would sail from China for England on Feb. 16th, and naturally enough it was supposed they were even now on the sea. Mr. Hughes had been illing for many months, the doctors diagnosing his case as one of blood circulation. He had been in the British service in the East for thirty years, rising from a junior position to one of trust and responsibility, and he decided at last he would have to relinquish his duties and return to England and live, owing to his continued poor health. Deceased was an Irishman, married Miss Augusta Dever about 16 years ago. He leaves, besides a widow, three daughters, the eldest of whom is about fifteen. Some months ago Mr. and Mrs. Hughes came as far East as Victoria, B. C., for a health trip. Mr. Hughes had been very ill during the two years' respite the British Eastern service employees get every five years.

A pungent contribution to a discussion about the alleged vulgarity of today is made in one of the daily prints by the signature, "The Ghost of Ben Nash." From among the shades the alleged spirit recalls that in the days of Anne and the first two Georges the women were "quiet, genteel, lovable, and therefore marriageable beings (I kiss their hands in memory and salute them.) A little paint and powder, a few patches, a sip or two of ratafia or a cup of chocolate, a party of quadrille or ombre, a lag dog or a pet monkey, a French painted fan, an hour's help of the hairdresser, and one or two silk brocade-powns in a season—why, this

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THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN

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MATTERS OF ACCOUNT.

It requires no great effort of memory to recall a time when St. John business men who sold supplies to the government were exposed to much abuse and impolite epithet.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Amount. Includes items like 'Supplies for steamship', 'Supplies for Seal Cove Light', etc.

In addition we find that the firm of McLean and Hoyt, which is said to be closely associated with the above business house, has received for 'green sand castings' the sum of \$23,136, which findings show total well over the one hundred thousand mark.

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The government press has pointed out that the Intercolonial coal bills were exceedingly high last year. They go so far as to explain the half million deficit in this way.

United States, this sum including \$8,514 paid William Thomson & Co. for disbursements at Norfolk, Newport News, Philadelphia and St. John, as well as \$7,941 paid for discharging.

C. J. Wittenburg, New York, was paid \$40,556 for New River coal, including freight—the price being \$4.00 per ton.

William Thomson & Co. received \$11,632 for freight for two cargoes from Baltimore, one to St. John and one to Halifax. The cargoes were 5,877 and 3,739 tons, and the freight \$1.50 per ton.

This firm also got \$15,352 for the hire of the steamer Peter Jensen from January 8 to March 12; and \$19,492 for hire of the steamer Aladdin from January 11 to April 1, 1901.

The total coal bill, including transportation, is \$1,385,125, but the quantity bought appears to have been almost exactly double the quantity purchased the previous year.

It would appear that the minister took advantage of the high price to accumulate a good advance supply.

HOW INTERCOLONIAL DEFICITS ARE MADE.

A careful study of the auditor general's report goes far to explain Mr. Blair's intercolonial deficit. It shows how it happens that the more business the Intercolonial does the more money it loses.

In 1896 the salaries of officers, clerks and other employees, omitting the stores department, the official car porters and the workmen in the car shops, was \$86,748.

In the fiscal year 1901 the cost of these same offices was \$153,543.

The general managers' office cost \$17,941 in 1896 and \$19,350 in 1901. It will cost \$9,000 more this year, for Manager Russell at \$7,000 and his assistant at \$2,000 were paid for less than two months of the last fiscal year.

The chief engineer and his staff cost \$8,573 in 1896. In 1901 the work under this head seems to have been divided between the chief engineer's office, \$14,613, and that of the engineer of maintenance, \$4,722.

The mechanical staff, meaning the mechanical superintendent and his clerks, cost \$11,074 in 1896, and \$15,224 in 1901.

The accounting department, including the audit office and paymasters, cost \$24,629 in 1896. In 1901 we find \$27,187 paid to the accounting department, \$22,768 to the audit office, \$4,984 for paymasters and sundry, making \$36,800 in all.

In 1896 the general freight agent and claims agent's office cost \$8,842. In 1901 these officers are divided into three groups and cost \$14,115.

The general passenger agent's office cost in 1896 \$8,838 and in 1901 \$11,217.

In addition to these offices mentioned in the report of both years we have several new ones created by Mr. Blair. The general superintendent's office, which in 1901 cost \$8,357, did not exist in 1896.

dignity to the office of the attorney general. Polite persons do not laugh in the face of the New Brunswick minister of justice when he makes a solemn protest of this kind, but they experience the same emotion as those who are less considerate.

It is believed that the Rothersey forgers are still alive, and still associated in the Kings county election. They are probably no less ready than before to commit crime in order to hold the seat for the government.

MR. SPROUL AND MR. MILLIGAN.

The Telegraph says editorially that Mr. Sproul "did not explain why he thought it proper to go out of his way to make a most unfair and dastardly attack upon the manager of the Telegraph."

It may be noticed that in neither place does the Telegraph report what Mr. Sproul said about Mr. Milligan. Its own readers are not allowed to determine for themselves whether the attack was unfair or dastardly.

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The other statement made by Mr. Sproul was that Mr. Milligan at one time attempted to vote at Rothersey under the name of Rev. Allan Daples, a clergyman elector at that poll.

THE CASE OF MISS STONE.

It is now stated with great definiteness and emphasis, although the statement lacks official confirmation, that Miss Stone, the missionary, has been released.

PRINCE HENRY.

Prince Henry has at last arrived in the United States. There he will be received with more than regal splendor of hospitality.

Mr. Sproul has reason to congratulate himself on the outlook as presented at Hampton on nomination day. He seems to have had with him a large majority of the electors present, and very decidedly the better of the argument.

BOSTON LETTER.

Steamship Business Almost the Poorest Known for Years.

Maritime Men Who Perished on Vessels of the Gloucester Fishing Fleet During the Past Year.

Nova Scotia Coal and Iron Companies—Dedicated the Union Jack Given Them by Duke and Duchess of York in St. John—Lumber and Fish Markets.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) BOSTON, Feb. 22.—The steamship business at this port just now is almost the poorest ever known. Up to the first of November not one steamship bound for ports across the Atlantic had sailed from here since last week.

Although Thursday was a weak day for stocks on the New York and Boston exchange, the Canadian were strong and active. Dominion Coal established another new record by climbing from 74 3/4 at the opening to 80 1/2. Yesterday it went to 85.

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Carnall of St. John; J. S. Neill and Mrs. Neill, F. B. Edgecombe, G. F. Randolph, W. B. Phair of Fredericton; E. McDonald, Shediac; E. D. Hollis, W. Sobon, D. Corbett and Miss Corbett of Halifax were in the city recently.

Capt. Zacharia Surrette, a native of Nova Scotia, well known in the marine world, was here a few days ago visiting relatives. Capt. Surrette was in command of a vessel of the Bay of Fundy in January, 1894, when the Donaldson line steamer Warwick struck on Muir ledges, Grand Manan.

Large shipments of hay to Great Britain and South Africa have been made from this port since Jan. 1. A large part of the hay came from Canada.

The great egg question is still bothering traders in all the big markets of the country. Eggs are a scarce commodity, especially fresh ones.

The spruce lumber market continues quiet with the situation in general unchanged. Ten and 12 in. dimensions are yet held at \$20; 9 in. and under at \$18; merchantable boards at \$15 to \$16.

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Catarrh Remedies and Doctors Failed—Pe-ru-na Cured.



MR. A. E. KIDD.

ELGIN, ILL.—In a very recent communication from this place comes the news that Mr. Arthur Ernest Kidd, a well-known architect of that city, has made complete recovery from catarrh of the head from which he had suffered for nearly a quarter of a century.

"I am 42 years of age, and have had catarrh of the head for over half of my life, as a result of scarlet fever, followed by typhoid fever. I got so bad that I was almost constantly coughing and clearing my throat. The catarrh greatly impaired my eyesight, and the hearing in one ear, and reduced my weight to 110 pounds.

"I tried nearly every catarrh remedy advertised, besides a great many different physicians' treatments, all of which failed.

"I had heard and read of Peruna, and finally decided to try two months ago. I have now taken seven bottles, and weigh 172 pounds. Never felt happier or merrier. Feel tip top."—A. E. KIDD.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O. Peruna can be obtained for \$1.00 a bottle in all first-class drug stores in Canada.

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Recent Events

Together With from G and Co

Annapolis is no and the quarantine has been raised.

By a recent Baptist sewing of Queens Co., reared towards the parish.

Rev. H. H. G. bridge, Queens Co. of Lenten service White's Cove, Q.

A broncho with running at large Jerusalem, Queen from is unknown.

It is understood McLeod Daye, lately assigned, about \$1,000—Glo

The Granville agricultural society has arid bronze hen Hurst of Harlow.

Miss Maggie D. died at the Gen Thursday night, ed to Salmon River.

E. C. Hennigan Mt. Allison delectual meeting of dental volunteer ens in Toronto.

Daniel McDonnell at the Seaman's ring of heavy of sailor on the ste 32 years of age.

James McCracken, Liverpool told something of the will call on Sun.

The body of the formerly of Hill died on the Mass., passed the day en route to was sixty-five y

Between six evening Samuel tion, aged 19 y Sgt. Kilpatrick a warrant charious offence.

It is expected P. P. and the dock and other to Ottawa a w delay is due to sirable to have place when they

The Duke yesterday breakfast with Duchess, isn't he called the chief their Royal High was made with HOPS.

Mrs. Geo. F. Burrill, formerly Carleton Corner evening at her west end. Mrs. age and leaves home.

Geo. H. Ward some years disc iftacted the wife of the D. A. leaves today for Prince George a successor is Ar the Yarmouth.

ANOTHER



PROVINCIAL NEWS.

AFOHAQUI, Feb. 18.—After an illness of over twelve years, three years of that time being confined to her bed, the death of Mrs. Douglas McDougall took place on Thursday last at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Heffer. The funeral was held on Saturday, interment being in the Methodist cemetery at Berwick, Rev. C. W. Hamilton officiating. Mrs. McDougall was born in Anson, Dumfries Co., Scotland, June 14th, 1823, and came to P. E. Island with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. MacKinnon, in 1835. She was married March 15th, 1849, and for some years lived at Berwick, also twelve years at Summerside, from which place she came in October, 1890, to Afohaqui to live with her daughter. Besides a husband and daughter, six sons survive their mother. They are: Albert of Jacksonville, Carleton Co.; Charles of Woodstock, N. B.; George of Charlottetown, Prince Edward; Harry; Newton of Truro, N. S.; and Mass of Hampton, N. B. (P. E. Island papers please copy.)

The good roads and bright moonlight of last Friday evening afforded much pleasure to several driving parties. Between nine and forty young people from this place drove to Maple Grove, where they were warmly welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Kennedy. Another party from Sussex were entertained at the Methodist parsonage at Berwick by Rev. C. W. and Mrs. Hamilton; also a number from Smith's Creek and Newtown drove to this place and spent a few hours at Mrs. J. W. Nowlan's. The portable mill of David Wheaton of Midgie, Westmorland Co., arrived last night and was moved today to the woods, three miles from this station, to saw lumber for James Bros.

SHEFFIELD, Feb. 15.—The delegates appointed from the Baptist churches of Sheffield are repairing today to represent their several churches at the York and Sunbury counties quarterly meeting at Mauder-ville. The first session was opened last evening. The new Upper Mauder-ville church will be dedicated tomorrow Sunday for divine service. The Rev. B. H. Thomas from Dorchester will preach the opening sermon. The Rev. N. B. Rogers, the young pastor of the first and second Baptist churches of Sheffield, received an anonymous letter the last of last week from Queens county containing a sum of money. The Rev. Mr. Rogers is a dilettante from Nova Scotia.

Fred Harrison, a young man in this neighborhood, was slaying a cow a few days ago that had taken sick and died very suddenly, and some part of her flesh came in contact with a wound on one of his fingers and blood poisoning set in. He is now under surgical treatment.

Charles Griffiths, tax gatherer for the parish of Sheffield and an obliging neighbor, is prostrate between life and death with inflammation of the bowels. The members of his family, some of them from a distance, have all been summoned to his bedside.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Charles Ferguson of Seakville, Corner and a Miss McVicar, Cumberland Bay, on the 19th instant. The Rev. W. K. Harvey, the young and popular pastor of the Sheffield Congregational church, has tendered his resignation and severed his relation with the church as pastor.

Harry Miles, inspector of fisheries, of Lincoln, had his valuable driving mare out for a sleigh drive one day this week and by some unaccountable means broke one of her legs and she had to be shot.

PETITCODIAC, Feb. 14.—Councillor Robinson intends moving to Nova Scotia in the near future, where he and his brother, Hon. C. W. Robinson of Moncton, purchase a mill and lumber property. Next Wednesday he will sell at auction his stock of carriages, sleighs and farm machinery. During Mr. Robinson's stay in this place he has made many friends, who regret his removal.

For the benefit of those who missed the English boys' entertainment, held last month on a stormy night, Hard-Hearted Mary will be given on Saturday night in the public hall.

Walter Blakeney, who has been ill with pneumonia, is convalescent. Mrs. Charles Chapman continues very ill. SALISBURY, N. E., Feb. 20.—A death occurred at this place this week under sad circumstances. Manning Geldart of Little River, Albert county, brought his nine year old daughter, who was very ill, to this village for medical treatment. The day was cold and the little girl was nearly gone when she reached here. It was found that she was too ill to stand the trip home again, so she was taken to the home of Charles King of this place, where she died a few hours later.

Rev. J. E. Tiner leaves Friday morning for his new church at Thomaston, Maine. It is not known yet who will be his successor here. Mr. and Mrs. Y. B. Gowland, formerly of St. John, entertained some twenty of their friends on Wednesday evening with a moonlight drive and bean supper. The night was an ideal one, and the affair was easily one of the most pleasing events of the winter.

The first dress carnival ever held here will, weather conditions permitting, take place on J. E. Foster's open air rink on Friday evening, 21st inst. Chipman McFarlane, who has been running an extensive lumber operation in Albert Co., near Hillsboro, completed the season's work this week.

HOPEWELL HILL, Feb. 20.—The residents of Hopewell Cape held a donation at the residence of Nelson Jamieson last evening for the Rev. S. James, pastor of the Hillsboro Methodist church. There was a good attendance. Mr. and Mrs. James Matthews of Curryville celebrated the 40th anniversary of their marriage on Monday evening. The assembled guests spent an enjoyable time and presented Mr. and Mrs. Matthews with a number of handsome and useful articles.

Silas Hicks, manager of the Hicks mill, who was called to his home in Seakville by the death of his wife, returned by today's train. Capt. Bedford Bishop is visiting his home at the Cape. Mr. Logie, who has had charge of the Albert drug store for some months, is

moving his stock into Dr. Carnwath's new building. HOPEWELL HILL, Feb. 21.—A concert of more than ordinary excellence was given in the Methodist church at this place last evening. The programme consisted of solos by Mrs. M. B. Dixon of Riverside, formerly of St. John, Mrs. P. C. Robinson, Miss Amy Peck, and Mr. Elvin, lately of London; also readings by Mrs. W. J. McAlmon and Mr. Elvin, and instrumental solos by Miss Cella I. F. Peck and Miss Linda Tingley, who were also the accompanists of the evening. Mrs. Dixon's selections included One Sweetly Solenn Thought, which was very sweetly sung, and Mr. Elvin's fine baritone voice was heard to particular good advantage in One on the Deep. Mrs. Robinson's and Miss Peck's selections were also well received.

A horse trade which would have delighted the heart of David Haum was subjected to a very interesting investigation at the police court yesterday, when one Jos Steeves of Chester sought to recover the face value of a \$10 note received from John Smith of Albert Mines, as "boot" in the transfer of two interesting specimens of the equine race, which appear to have been fairly well matched in the way of infirmities. The Steeves horse, it seems, was afflicted with an aggravated form of the malady known as "heaves," which disease has the somewhat strange peculiarity of temporarily disappearing for trading purposes. Smith's horse also had a milder form of the same trouble, and was also the possessor of two spavins. In consideration of this double affliction, and the fact that the Steeves horse did not display the worst symptoms, Smith gave his note for \$10, and the horses changed owners. When, shortly after the exchange, Mr. Smith discovered the animal he had got was in the last stages of disease, he was not only sorely tempted to promit, but also refused to pay the note referred to; hence the action by Mr. Steeves to recover the amount. After hearing the evidence, which occupied a day and a half, the court decided that the trade was fair, as such transactions go, and gave the plaintiff a verdict for the full amount. Mr. B. Dixon, K. C. for plaintiff, E. B. Peck for defendant.

Miss Fanny R. Reade, daughter of Capt. Joseph Reade, gave a most enjoyable whist party to a number of her friends last evening at her home at Hopewell Cape. The guests present were: Capt. and Mrs. A. G. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bray, Miss Doris Steeves (Hillsboro), Miss Loanna Fowles, Miss Evelyn Bennett, J. R. C. McCready (Hillsboro), Joshua Ward (Hillsboro), Miss Nellie Ward (Hillsboro), Miss Leah Crocker, Miss Lettie Bennett.

EDMONTON, Carleton Co., Feb. 20.—William Speer, who has been suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia, since last Thursday, died this morning. He was in the fifty-seventh year of his age, and leaves a widow, three sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a kind and loving husband and father. Mr. Speer was a successful business man, having carried on an extensive mercantile trade for many years under the name of William Speer & Son. Last year he was elected county councillor for the parish of Woodstock. For many years he has acted as a trustee of schools here. His mild and genial disposition won for him the favor of all, and he will be much missed. Mrs. Speer and daughters are at present in Candelaria, Nevada, spending the winter, but are soon expected home. His son, Leslie Speer, and wife, of West Somerville, Mass., arrived on Monday.

A deep gloom seems to be over the village, as within six days two of the leading business men of the place have been taken, William Gibson, who died on Saturday, and Mr. Speer this morning.

DORCHESTER, N. E., Feb. 22.—The only business before the probate court up to Feb. 15th was the estate of Eva J. McFarlane of Dover, Westmorland Co. Administrative, Probate, and Master in Chancery, J. A. McCully, Moncton, N. B. On Tuesday evening a meeting of the British and Foreign Bible Society was held in the Presbyterian church, Judge Hanington presiding. Excellent addresses were given by Rev. Mr. Harrison and Warden. The report of the local agent, Mr. McKelvie, showed the society to be in a flourishing condition. Five million copies of the Bible having been circulated the past year. Thanks were tendered the ladies of Dorchester for their aid in securing a meeting room, and an interesting address covering a wide field of historical research from Judge Hanington.

Much regret is expressed at the rumor that Colonel Steven and family intend leaving Dorchester. They will be missed, especially the citizens who will be deprived of a great deal of enjoyment when they can no longer hear the bugle of Master Rex Steves. This young man received high praise for his playing at Sussex last summer when he was almost a child. He is almost a legend in Dorchester a garrison town listening to the sweet tones of his instrument three or four times a day at regular intervals.

The demand for houses here exceeds the supply. With this fact in view, with board-ing houses full and hotels doing an excellent business, it does not look as if the shrewd was at all behind the wheel of the real estate market. The market is very quiet, even the Hare and Hounds Club are taking things more easily and a scare of fire in the court house has not prevailed for at least two weeks.

SALISBURY, N. E., Feb. 23.—The dress carnival held on J. E. Foster's open air skating rink at this place on Friday evening was a great success. Nearly a hundred skaters in costume participated in the evening's enjoyment, while several hundreds of spectators watched the pleasing spectacle. Quite a number of skaters were present from Moncton, Coverdale and Inverness points. There was great variety in the way of costumes, many, especially those worn by the ladies, were very handsome as well as unique in design, and ranged from the humble little waiting maid to the fashionable young lady, the princess and queen. The men, too, made a good showing from the repulsive looking hobo to the immaculate dude, and from the chap in overalls to the mayor of the town. Mr. Foster feels justly proud of his first carnival.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

Advertisement for Castoria medicine, featuring a portrait of a child and text describing its benefits for infants and children.

SALINA AND SALTS SPRINGS, KINGS CO.

A correspondent writes to the Sun from Salina on Feb. 21: Mr. Kennedy has out a large quantity of logs this winter. He has over 60 men in the woods and a lot of teams hauling deals to Passakeag station. His portable mill is now here. Alexander Campbell has got out a fine lot of cordwood. Two of the best spans of horses in these parts are those owned by Omer Campbell and Robert Hanlin. They are greys. Murray Hanlin, aged five, son of Robert Hanlin, recently broke one of his legs while playing in the yard. He is doing well under Dr. Allen's care. Mrs. Hugh Aiton, who is over 80 years, and can read and write as well as in her younger days, has knit over 90 pairs of socks and mitts since the new year. She is the mother of eight daughters, five of whom are living. Mr. McKenzie preaches here every fortnight; also in Tibusville and Salt-springs. He is much liked. Robert Smith got out some very large pine winter hats that are well worth seeing. There has been little sickness here since winter set in.

THE LATE MRS. SILAS HICKS. The funeral of Mrs. Silas Hicks took place from her late home at Midgie, N. B., Feb. 12th, 1902, at 10.30 a. m. The service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Robinson, assisted by Rev. Messrs. Beaman and Hurst. The preacher's text was "They buried the body and said to Jesus, 'It was a very impressive service. Mrs. Hicks was greatly missed in the community. She was a good neighbor, a kind friend, an indulgent and loving mother, a good careful wife, who attended to the wants of her husband and family as few women do. Although her death was unexpected her work was done, nothing was left unfinished, even the family wardrobe in perfect order. The sympathy of all go out to the beloved husband, who is almost prostrate with grief at the sudden calamity that has fallen upon him. The deceased, though a great sufferer, bore it without a murmur. She retained her faculties until the last moment and died 'Like one who wraps the drapery of his couch about him and lies down to pleasant dreams.'"

POOR GIRL, PITY HER. Growing! Yes, into weakness, but not strength. Studies—pleas of them! Tired, of course she is, and weak too. Does not eat enough, and digests far less than enough. This condition is so frequent, but how seldom noticed by fond parents. Give her Ferrozole, then watch her appetite improve, her cheeks and lips grow rosy, her step elastic, her spirit buoyant. All this simply the result of eating and digesting enough, making blood, and thereby strengthening the nerve and brain power. Ferrozole gives a woman's strength to weak girls. Your daughter or wife needs Ferrozole. Get today. Price 50c., at A. Chipman Smith's.

A CLEVER EDGARDO COLT. ST. ANDREWS, N. B., Feb. 22.—Anxious Holt's Edgardo colt performed a piece of star acting today. Breaking away from her owner at Chamcook Station, she galloped over the sleepers five miles to St. Andrews, crossing the railway trestle 100 feet long at Katy Cove, jumping a twelve-foot culvert at James Brook and following the track until she came to the end of deWolfe pier, St. Andrews. On the very verge of the wharf she wheeled about, and was about returning up the track when captured. She lost three shoes and was only slightly scratched.—Globe.

COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, AND OTHER AFFECTIONS are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresoleine tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

GOES TO PRETORIA. Miss Clara Bridges, who has presided most satisfactorily for six years over the primary department of the model school at Fredericton, and who has accepted a position in the educational department at Pretoria, South Africa, was remembered nicely yesterday afternoon. All departments met in Miss Bridges' room and presented her with an address and a beautiful gold ring, set with opals. After school was dismissed the principal on behalf of the teachers at the Model school presented Miss Bridges with a beautiful gold mounted fountain pen.

Miss Bridges will leave today to visit the schools of Boston, New York, and Philadelphia, and will sail for England about the middle of March.

DEATH OF MRS. A. W. BAIRD. News was received on Saturday morning of the death in Boston of Mrs. A. W. Baird of this city, who went there about four weeks ago for treatment. Mrs. Baird on Tuesday last went to a difficult and dangerous operation at the hands of a skilled surgeon. First reports of her condition were very encouraging, but on Friday afternoon she took a turn for the worse and death ensued during the night. Mrs. Baird was 52 years of age and a daughter of the late John R. Roop. Her aged mother is now in Truro, where a few months ago she suffered severe injuries from a fall. Brothers and sisters are J. W. and H. R. Roop of this city, and Charles Roop of Truro; Mrs. F. E. Craibe, St. John; Mrs. George A. DeForest, New York; and Mrs. D. D. Roop of Liverpool, England. Mrs. Baird is survived by one son, W. W. Baird, and three daughters, one of whom is Mrs. F. B. Ellis. The deceased was a very estimable lady. The news of her death will be heard with sincere regret by a wide circle of friends.

THAT AWFUL DEPRESSION. Which Mrs. Greeny experienced is but the story that thousands could tell of their sufferings from Dyspepsia. Dr. Von Stan's Pepsin Tablets is the only effective remedy for my dyspepsia. I have used most everything I could hear of, but these tablets touch the spot in a much quicker time than it takes to tell it. You may publish this that all sufferers from Indigestion and Dyspepsia may find the relief I did. Mrs. M. Greeny, St. John, N. S., Toronto. Sixty tablets, 25 cents.

SUSSEX NEWS. SUSSEX, Feb. 22.—On Friday evening Miss Vera McLean gave a very pleasant sleighing party to about twenty of her friends. About eight o'clock the team started to convey the guests to Penobscot to the home of Mrs. Gross, where the evening was spent in cards and dancing. The party reached home at 3.45 a. m. Miss Catherine McLeod returned to Boston today, having spent the last two weeks with her parents here.

HORSES FOR SOUTH AFRICA. The regular shipment of horses for South Africa will be made about the 7th of March. There will be upwards of 700 horses in this shipment, and they will be taken on the str. Montreal. This steamer has never been to St. John before. She will probably be fitted here. Capt. Chaplin will be the officer in charge of the shipment, as Colonel Dent does not intend to come down with this lot.

SATURDAY'S AUCTION SALES.

At Chubb's Corner on Saturday Mr. Potts announced he had sold the Quinn property, on the corner of British and German streets, at private sale. T. T. Lantulum had for sale the John Galey mill property, situate on Water street, Carleton, and better known as the Beattay property. The sale was made under a mortgage claim held by Andrew Jack. Mr. Baxter read a notice of warning to would-be buyers on behalf of John Connor, who held claims against the property for over \$7,000. Mr. Baxter also protested against the sale on account of insufficient notice, but C. J. Coster told the auctioneer to proceed. Recorder Skinner appeared in behalf of the city with a claim of \$69 taxes. After the protests had been entered Mr. Lantulum went on with the sale, and the property was knocked down to Miles E. Agat for \$1,000. Sheriff Ritchie had the interest of Joseph F. Merritt and G. Wetmore Merritt to sell in several properties. He first offered the interest of Joseph F. Merritt in the King street property, subject to a mortgage of \$2,000 and \$50 expenses. John H. Thompson became the buyer for \$1 above the claims. G. W. Merritt's interest in the German street property, subject to a mortgage of \$5,000 and \$100 in other claims, was next offered. The bidding for this property was between J. H. Thompson and Lucien DeBury. It started at \$1 above the claims, and Mr. DeBury became the owner at \$25. A lot of land on Guilford street, Carleton, was knocked down to Mr. Thompson at \$25, as was also a strip of land in Simonds, at \$130.

A THOUSAND PITIES. That everybody whose skin is afflicted with some one form or another of Skin Eruptions, should not know of Dr. Agnew's Ointment. One application controls the flame—a few applications cure. It is a wonderful treatment in cases of blind, bleeding, itching and ulcerating Piles, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald-head, Ring-worm, Eczema, Itch, Skin Blisters, Pimples, Chronic Erysipelas, Laver Spots. Dr. Agnew's Ointment is specially efficacious as a Pile cure. Apply it before retiring for from 3 to 5 nights and a cure is assured. SOLD BY M. V. PADDOCK.

RECENT DEATHS. Keturah Laekie, school teacher, died of consumption at Upham, Kings Co., on Feb. 15th at the age of 18 years. Richard Perry, for many years the oldest and best known residents of Queens county, died at his home at the Narrows last Friday evening. Mr. Perry was eighty six years of age and was formerly a shipbuilder. He leaves four sons, a daughter of 154 Main street, Wilmot of Simonds street; Annie at present in British Columbia, and Alfred of Boston; and two daughters, Mrs. John Burt, Main street, and Mrs. Norah Black of Sussex.

The death occurred at Somerville, Mass., on Friday last of William Ryder, who for many years was connected with the police force of St. John. Deceased, who was in his 70th year, removed to Somerville 18 years ago and has been a resident of that place ever since. One son William, residing at Somerville; two brothers, Richard and James, both residing in St. John; and three sisters, Mrs. L. Akerley, Mrs. W. Jones of this city and Mrs. H. Spicer of Grandstone Island, N. S., survive. The remains will be taken from Somerville and interred at Hampton, N. B.

Children Cry for CASTORIA. HENRY MAXWELL'S FUNERAL. The funeral of Henry Maxwell, one of St. John's oldest citizens, was held on Saturday afternoon from his late home, King street east, and was very largely attended. A short prayer service was held in the home at 2.15, and then the cortege proceeded to Queen square Methodist church, where Revs. R. W. Weddall, the pastor; Geo. Steel of Portland Methodist, and G. W. Campbell of Centenary church performed the last rites. The edifice was crowded. Special music was given by the choir and organist. There were no pall-bearers. Interment took place in Fernhill, Judge Burbridge of the exchequer court, Ottawa, was one of the mourners. He is a son-in-law of the deceased.

A "DEMON" DISEASE. Doctors' prescriptions and strongest Liniments had no effect on Mr. Humphrey's Rheumatism. Two bottles South American Rheumatic Cure cured what he pleased to call "The Demon from the Lower Regions."

SIR CHARLES AND LADY TUPPER. WINNIPEG, Feb. 21.—Sir Charles Tupper today received a cable from England inviting him and Lady Tupper to attend King Edward's coronation in June. Sir Charles left for the east today, and on his return will proceed to Vancouver before leaving for England. He will be accompanied by his wife.

ASTHMA. You've tried almost everything for it, haven't you? And we presume you are about discouraged. Now what do you think of our idea of breathing-in the medicine, bringing it right up to the diseased part? It looks reasonable, doesn't it? And it's successful, too. When you inhale Vapo-Cresoleine your breathing becomes easy, the wheezing ceases, and you drop to sleep. For croup and whooping-cough it's a quick cure.

WINTER PORT MATTERS. Allan liner Numidian, from St. John and Halifax, reached Liverpool yesterday. Str. Corinthian left Monville yesterday for Halifax and St. John. Str. Concordia will probably sail Sunday for Glasgow. Capt. Horsburg and his officers and crew having been released from quarantine, went on board yesterday. The mail steamer Tunisian, due at Halifax today from England, has 36 first cabin, 72 second cabin, and 360 steerage passengers. She was a day late leaving the other side.

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THE PULP INDUSTRY.

Canada is Sending Too Much Raw Material to the States.

Table showing Pulp Exports from Canada to the United States and Great Britain from 1890 to 1900.

The \$864,077 worth of pulp wood exported from Canada to the States during the year 1900 at a value of 88 per cent would represent 238,026 cords. It requires 2 cords of wood to manufacture 1 ton of sulphite pulp, therefore the 238,026 cords of wood would represent 144,013 tons of sulphite pulp. In other words, sufficient wood was exported in 1900 to manufacture 144,013 tons of pulp.

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While the statistics show that there has been a great development of the pulp industry in Canada in ten years, there has also been a great increase in the quantity of the raw material sent to build up the pulp industry in the United States. It would have been a great thing for this country if all the pulp wood exported to the States had been exported. An export duty on the wood would have that result.

A bill to reduce or remove the duty on pulp will be discussed at the present session of the United States congress. The great newspapers and the paper trade favor free pulp. Canada is interested in whatever affects the pulp industry, for this country exports both pulp and wood. The latter is not a desirable business, since every cord of pulp wood sent away reduces the Canadian supply and Canadian labor does not have the privilege and profit of converting it into the manufactured article. It would be much better for the country if not a stick of pulp wood were exported. This country has a great amount of the raw material, and the manufacturers should be done on this side of the line.

In this issue of the Star statistics are given showing that the value of pulp exported from Canada has increased in ten years from \$168,180 to \$1,516,016. But in the same time the value of pulp wood exported rose from \$30,005 to \$902,772. In 1900 we exported 28,422 tons of pulp, and wood enough to make 144,013 tons. The latter would have kept many mills busy. A consideration of these figures suggests that if the export of pulp wood were prevented there would be a field for many more pulp mills in Canada, because the demand for pulp is steadily increasing and the markets must have a supply. Would it not, therefore, be in the best interests of Canada to put an export duty on pulp wood? Quebec has a provincial law under which double stumpage must be paid on pulp wood for export. It would amount to something like 65 cents per cord. The Star is not certain whether the Ontario law is applied to pulp wood or not. A federal statute would cover the whole ground. The pulp industry is one of great and growing importance, and whatever laws are necessary to assist in its development in our own country should be adopted. So far as the lower provinces are concerned no pulp wood or other raw material of small quantity, is exported, but whatever benefits the provinces farther west would be of advantage to the pulp mills in this province and Nova Scotia.

The statistics elsewhere given are worthy of a careful scrutiny, and will set clearly before the reader the present condition of affairs with regard to an industry in which St. John, with two mills in operation, and others in the vicinity talked of, is especially interested. The American congress does not hesitate to impose duties for the protection and growth of home industries, and Canada should be equally enterprising and progressive. Another point worthy of emphasis is the fact that the Americans are husbanding their own forest wealth at the expense of ours, so that when Canadian pulp wood is exhausted they will have a supply of their own. American pulp makers have got the idea that if they cut the price of pulp to a living profit, this, with the long railway haul and the duty of \$3.35 1-3 per ton, would shut Canadian pulp out of their market. This is another reason why the Canadian government should, unless pulp is made free, impose an export duty on pulp wood.

The coronation by Lady Tupper and Miss Tupper. HE WHISTLED ON THE WAY. No deeds of fame enshrined his name, No laurel wreath or bay, And yet he made earth happier; He whistled on the way! When sorrow frowned and stars were down, For whistling on the way! In stormy skies and gray, He saw the light stream through the night; He whistled on the way! And even grief found sweet relief, Hope shed a brighter ray, And hearts he knew not bleesed him For whistling on the way! And when from life's dark shadows He passed into the day, They wrote above this line of love, "He whistled on the way!" —F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

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SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

At Tacoma, Feb 20, ship Anacolis, from Queenstown. At New York, Feb 24, str Leticia, Grant, from South Africa. At Mobile, Feb 21, sch Georgia, Long...

DOMESTIC PORTS.

HALIFAX, N. S. Feb 25-26, str Borden, for St John, N. B.; Briardene, for Port Talbot, Q. B.; Perrier, for Ingram River, to load for New York.

BRITISH PORTS.

MELBOURNE, Feb 25-Ard, previously, Mark Gregoria Padra, from St John. MOVILLE, Feb 25-Ard, str Numidian, from St John and Halifax for Liverpool.

FOREIGN PORTS.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Feb 25-Ard, sch L. A. Plummer, from Norfolk for Boston. She will be towed to Boston by the tug Gladstone.

AT SEA.

At St. John, Feb 25, str Alameda, for Liverpool. CHATHAM, Mass, Feb 25-Passed north, sch Gypsum King, with one barge, also 20 schooners.

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CHATHAM, Mass, Feb 25-Fresh southwest wind blowing, threatening weather at sunset. CHATHAM, Mass, Feb 25-The northwest gale continuing to clear, colder weather.

MEMORANDA.

In port at Rockport, Me, Feb 19, sch Ruth Robinson, Thell, for New York. In port at New Brunswick, Del, Feb 19, sch Manuel R. Cusa, for St. John.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

NEW YORK, Feb 25-The inspector of the Third Lighthouse district gives notice that the first class spar buoy, painted red and black, was established on the 13th of August, 1901, to mark the wreck of the pilotboat James Gordon Bennett.

ODD ITEMS FROM EVERYWHERE.

It was during one of the moonlight nights of a week ago that a Parkchester farmer opened his eyes and found his head light as day. He jumped out of bed and looked at the wall.

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