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SEINE STILL RISES; FLOODS IN FRANCE WORSE TODAY THAN EVER

Political Differences Are Sunk in Effort to Combat Awful Effects of Disaster to France

All Departments of Government Working in Relief Measures—The Situation in Paris—Reports from Outlying Places Are Bad, Violent Snow and Rain Storms Prevailing

Paris, Jan. 26.—The flood situation looks worse hourly. At Pont Royal this morning the raising trend of the Seine had reached a height of twenty-seven feet...

Although the river Marne was reported stationary at Pontons, to the east of Paris, the river navigation department declares the volume of water rushing down from the Yonne and other affluents of the Seine above...

National Disaster

At the same time, the department admits confidentially that it is impossible to predict anything with accuracy as to the whole of France in the grip of the disaster...

In the face of a national disaster, France is giving a fine exhibition of pluck and solidarity. Political divisions have been buried and the government and people have united to solve the problem of relief...

STUNS GUARD BUT ESCAPE PREVENTED

Winnipeg, Jan. 26.—(Special)—Friede Nikel, under arrest awaiting trial for a charge of robbery and arson at Morden, attempted to escape yesterday.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LIBERALS REORGANIZE

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 26.—(Special)—"Liberalism is not dead, it never will be," said Mr. John Oliver, of Delta, at a meeting last evening.

KINGS COUNTY COUNCIL DEMANDS CHANGE OF HIGHWAY ACT

Government to be Memorialized—Business of Importance to County at Session in Hampton This Morning

Hampton, N. B., Jan. 26.—(Special)—The municipal council of Kings county resumed this morning. The new rules of order and discipline went into operation.

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Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 26.—John Hough, 11 years old, was killed, Walter Smith, 15, was fatally hurt and Marjorie Houghton, 14, had her leg broken in a coasting accident at Theresa last night.

UNION MEN SIGN A NO MEAT PLEDGE

Toronto Petition Signed by Many—Hotel Keepers Fined For Selling Liquor to College Students—The C. P. R. Accident

Toronto, Jan. 26.—(Special)—A view to bringing about a reduction of the meat price, the trade unionists of the city have started a campaign of abstinance. A pledge is being circulated and extensively signed to abstain from the use of fresh meat for thirty days...

Woodstock, Ont., Jan. 26.—(Special)—Judgment was given yesterday in the case of the hotel keeper charged with supplying liquor to collegiate students on a spree at the close of the term here.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Jan. 26.—(Special)—C. McMann, local manager for the Canadian Bridge Company, led yesterday afternoon for the scene of Friday's disaster on the C. P. R. at Spanish River.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Jan. 26.—The question of whether the Jeffries-Johnson fight will be held here next July is expected to be settled before the end of the week.

RECEIVERS APPOINTED

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 23.—Receivers were appointed tonight for the Columbus & Hocking Coal Company and allied interests.

WRESTLER HERE; HAD TELEGRAM HE WAS MATCHED

Eugene Hardy, the wrestler, who will be remembered by St. John people as giving exhibitions when wrestling was booming here some years ago in the York Theatre, called at this office today to say that he had just reached the city as the result of a telegram to the effect that he was matched to wrestle Eugene Tremblay of Montreal here tonight.

BOY HAS FOOT INJURED IN MILL

Charles Humphrey, a boy of 16, employed at A. Cushing & Co.'s mill, met with a painful accident while at work this morning in the mill. He got his foot caught in a sprocket wheel and it was necessary to stop the machinery to release him.

BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA GENERAL MANAGER RESIGNS

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 26.—(Special)—At the annual meeting of the Bank Nova Scotia, H. C. McLoud, General manager, tendered his resignation.

BRITAIN'S PROGRAMME FOR NEW WARSHIPS

Portsmouth, Eng., Jan. 26.—In well-informed naval circles it is understood that the next British naval estimates will provide for four dreadnoughts, two armoured cruisers, eight small cruisers, twenty torpedo destroyers, ten submarines and 5,000 additional men.

HAIFA GIRL ONE OF VICTIMS

Hampton, N. H., Jan. 26.—(Special)—Turning winter into summer, a party of probably four young people taking a small, leaky boat here started out yesterday amid the ice floes for a morning frolic. They never returned.

Went Boating in New Hampshire Waters Amid Ice Floes—Four are Thought to Have Been Drowned

This morning the body of Lena Cavanagh, who came here from Halifax and had her relatives residing in the province, came ashore in front of the Sea View Hotel. The other three bodies have not been recovered.

It is not definitely known just who were in the party or exactly how many of the flooders, a new arrival from Mexico, was missing. One theory is that two of the party tried to cross the river on a large cake of ice to reach their boat and that half way over the cake broke and they were thrown into the icy water.

ALBERT COUNTY MAN KILLED IN THE STATES

Freeman Crossman Struck by Train—Moncton's Relations With the County Council

Moncton, N. B., Jan. 26.—(Special)—The body of Freeman Crossman was brought here yesterday afternoon from Boston. Crossman was working in Sharn Mass., driving a coal team and on Friday last, as he and others were unloading coal, he was struck by a freight train.

Leonard Trivet, arrested the other day, became so violent yesterday afternoon that he had to be changed from one cell to another. The cell he was formerly in was a new one which was broken, the foot was bruised and swollen. The lad will be laid up for a week or more.

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**LIQUOR LICENSES IN THE COUNTY**

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**HOURS PLEASANTLY SPENT LAST EVENING**

About 600 people attended the orchestral recital in St. Malachi's hall last night, by the St. Joseph's Society's orchestra, and thoroughly enjoyed the excellent program given.

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**THE WEB OF THE GOLDEN SPIDER**

By Frederick Grim-Bartlett

Author of "Tom of the Alps", etc.

CHAPTER III—(Continued)

Wilson had plenty of time to study him. His lean face was shaven save for an iron-gray moustache which was cropped in a straight line from one corner of his mouth to another. His eyes were half hidden beneath shaggy brows. Across his forehead shone the red welt of a scabbed wound. There was a military air about him from his head to his feet: from the rakish angle to which his hat tumbled, to his square shoulders, braced far back even when the rest of his body fell limp, and to his feet which he moved as though avoiding the swing of a scabbard. A military ease slipped away from his shoulders. All these details were indelibly traced in Wilson's mind as he watched this strange

**ACID DYSPEPSIA**

Nervous People Are Frequent Sufferers From Too Much Hydrochloric Acid in the Stomach

A Trial Package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Sent Free.

"Four stomach" or acid dyspepsia is a form of indigestion in which entirely too much hydrochloric acid is secreted by the stomach. A sour taste in the mouth is the most common symptom of acid dyspepsia; and the saliva, which is normally alkaline, is found, when tested, to be charged with acid on rising and on passing into the stomach. It is this excessive secretion which causes rapid and extensive destruction of the teeth.

**Horse's Leg Swelled**

Animal Was Too Sore and Lame to Work—Quickly Cured by Nerville.

"I have had a long experience in treating horses, and I can safely say that I know of no liniment for strains, sprains, and swellings that is so useful around the horse as Nerville." Thus writes Mr. Joshua E. Murchison, from his home, Croft Hill Park, I had a fine young mare that wrenched her right fore leg, and from the shoulder down she was stiff, sore and swollen. I applied Nerville and it worked like a charm. In fact, that mare was in shape to work a day after I used Nerville.

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**YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AT KINGS COUNTY COUNCIL**

Hampton, Jan. 25.—The council convened at 2 o'clock. Hon. G. Hudson Flewelling, auditor of the municipal accounts, submitted his report for the year, a synopsis of which follows:

Receipts 1908.

Jan. 1, for amount to credit of municipality	\$ 3,975.88
Dec. 31, school fund	7,809.29
Contingent funds	11,854.46
Pauper lunatic fund	309.00
Municipal home fund	4,453.50
Municipal sinking fund	983.50
Parish surplus fund	93.00
C. T. Act fines fund	414.87
Highway damage assessment fund	421.00
Total	\$30,354.50

Expenditures:

Paid account school funds	\$ 6,300.49
Contingent fund	5,344.27
Municipal home fund	2,845.78
Sinking fund	936.12
Pauper lunatic fund	491.38
Highway damage assessment	457.88
Highway damages account	382.00
Winter roads act	3.00
Total	\$20,190.82

Balance to credit of municipality, \$10,163.74, divided as follows:

School fund	\$ 5,748.83
Contingent fund	3,627.74
Pauper lunatic fund	473.44
Municipal home fund	6,681.89
Municipal sinking fund	491.37
Parish surplus fund	114.58
Poor indebtedness fund	93.29
Highway damages assessment fund	327.00
Highway damages account	2.00
Winter roads deficit fund	626.92
C. T. Act fines fund	414.87
Total	\$10,163.74

The report, which was very full as to details, was adopted.

The committee on rules of order and discipline reported recommending that sufficient chairs be purchased to seat all the councillors; that the councillors of each parish sit together in the order of roll call by parishes; that no councillor leave the room during a session without the consent of the warden being first obtained; that the per diem allowances of councillors be not paid by the secretary-treasurer until the close of the last sitting of the council. These rules were adopted.

**The Times Daily Puzzle Picture**

**TWO GAMES**

Tobogganing and life in this are like enough. The slide down hill is easy. The climbing back is tough.

Find another tobogganer.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Up-side down, in head.

IF YOU HAVE \$100 TO INVEST We Would Recommend P. Burns Co. 6 per cent. Bonds due 1 April 1924 Nova Scotia Telephone Co. 6 per cent. Stock Canadian Car & Foundry Co. 7 per cent. Stock

J. M. ROBINSON & SONS, BANKERS, ST. JOHN MEMBERS MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Table with financial data including New York Stock Market, Amalgamated, Am. Car & Foundry, Am. Locomotive, etc.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE ON NEW BRUNSWICK DREDGING

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 26.—(Special)—Enquiry was begun this morning in the public accounts committee into dredging operations in New Brunswick.

BORDEN HOLDS THE MOST SHARES IN THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA

R. L. Borden is the largest shareholder of the Bank of Nova Scotia, with 471 shares.

REST ROOM FEATURE OF GOOD AMATEUR PERFORMANCE IS GIVEN IN MILFORD

The Production of "Kathleen Mavourneen" in St. Rose's Hall, Milford, last night by the C. M. B. A. Branch 184, of Fairville, was attended by many and the performers were greatly encouraged by the hearty rounds of applause which greeted their efforts.

LIVE NEWS OF TODAY IN ST. JOHN

If it is laundering, carpet cleaning, dry cleaning or dyeing you want, telephone Edgar's at 25.

VACCINE METHOD ABANDONED TOW

The Henry B. Fiske Again Adrift—Fog Ties Up Vineyard Haven Navigation.

CUTTER HAS TO OFF TO THE WEST

Donaldson line steamship Athena, which arrived last night from Glasgow, brought out three Clydeale stallions and two Clydeale mares for W. G. Curry, Mitchell, Ont.

QUEBEC CAPITALISTS AND VALLEY RAILWAY

Engineers go Over Route—is This Solution of H. W. Woods' Mysterious Reference?

SUBSIDY FOR SERVICE HAMPSTEAD AND ST. JOHN

In connection with the appeal for the subsidy for the steamer between St. John and Fredericton there is a rumor that a subsidy will also be asked by another company for a steamer between Hampstead and St. John.

FREDERICTON NEWS

Fredricton, N. B., Jan. 26.—(Special)—In the supreme court this morning the case of the King vs. Neil McQuarrie et al. was taken up.

WANT MAYOR AT COUNCIL AS ALDERMAN

A number of the aldermen and prominent citizens are trying to prevail on Mayor Bullock to allow himself to be nominated for alderman-at-large.

TIMES SPECIALS IN SHORT METRE

At a meeting held last night at the residence of the Hon. J. J. McNeill, the members of the Times Specials in Short Metre club met.

DISAPPEARANCE OF ST. JOHN MAN IS RECALLED IN COURT

The disappearance of a former St. John man, Samuel McKelvey, fifteen years ago is a feature of a case in the probate court today.

RUN ON A BANK

Mexico City, Mex., Jan. 25.—The run on the United States Banking Company continued today, and the bank's condition is reported to be very serious.

THEIR TWENTY-FIFTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Cochrane, 390 Main street, North End, yesterday celebrated their twenty-fifth anniversary.

LOOKS TODAY MORE LIKE IRISH PARTY

Newfoundland—Perkins, Un. 616; Hobart, Lib. 423.

DEATHS

McKENNAMIN—In this city, on the 25th inst., James McKennamin, in the 81st year of his age, leaving two sons and one daughter, to wit: Thomas (deceased) and one daughter.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

FREEHOLD Property for sale at a bargain, 281 Rodney street. Enquire on premises. 159-21.

The Evening Times

ST. JOHN, N. B., JANUARY 26, 1910

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THE EVENING TIMES THE DAILY TELEGRAPH New Brunswick's Independent Newspapers

These papers advocate: British Connection Honesty in Public Life Measures for the Material Progress and Moral Advancement of our Great Dominion. No Grant No Deals 'The Shamrock, Thistle, Rose entwined The Maple Leaf forever.'

MR. HAZEN'S CHAMPIONS

Is a one-horse railway good enough for the people of the St. John Valley? This appears to be the view of the Frederick Gleason, voicing the views, no doubt of Mr. Hazen. Since the Gleason's article is copied in full by the St. John Standard we may assume that the St. John organ of Mr. Hazen also approves. The Gleason's great fear appears to be that the Valley Railway might be made good enough to haul the cars of a transcontinental system, and give the people competitive rates to and from the west; and that it might get some through business as well as local traffic. This fear would not be shared by the people who want the railway. They do not want a cheap job. They do not subscribe to the doctrine that any old thing is good enough for New Brunswick. The Gleason calls upon the St. John Valley Railway Company to step into the gap and rescue Mr. Hazen from the wiles of Dr. Puggley. The purpose of Mr. Hazen and his organ is very clear. They want delay and confusion rather than vigorous and intelligent effort to meet the wishes of the people.

The Standard this morning features a statement by Mr. John Scott of York county to the effect that the responsibility rests upon the railway company, and the federal government, and absolves Mr. Hazen from all blame. This may please the Standard and Mr. Hazen, but it will not satisfy the people. They want a railway, and one that will be of some value to them. And they want it soon.

HOME INDUSTRIES

A short article in today's Times suggests a great field for industrial development in a newly opened section of this province. It has long been known that there are extensive and valuable hardwood forests in the upper counties. Because they were in a sense inaccessible they have not been utilized and there has been a constant waste of good timber year after year through the ravages of time and decay. The Transcontinental Railway traverses this belt, and brings these forests within reach of the axe and the saw. Mills will be erected, and furniture, flooring and other products of the birch and maple made ready for the markets of the country east and west, and for the export trade.

The attention of capitalists should be directed to this field of investment. The proper utilization of these miles upon miles of hardwood forest would furnish work for men, traffic for the railway, profit for the manufacturers, increase the population of the province, and provide larger home markets for the merchants of the cities and towns. The resources of New Brunswick are only beginning to be developed, and the province must enjoy a long period of progress and growing prosperity. The spirit of optimism should prevail, and should lead to the investment of local capital in local industries, as well as to the encouragement of foreign capital to find a field of operation in this province. The new industries committee of the board of trade learned by enquiry last year that small industries which are now successful here would be much more so with larger capital. While these industries have been seeking it, the capital has been going into holes in the ground or into investments in other provinces or the United States. Once the habit of careful and well-considered home investment becomes general, the province will feel the impulse of a great forward movement.

An enquiring citizen has asked the Times to state whether this is a late fall or an early spring. Another citizen filled with astronomical lore informs this journal that it is the comet. He says the mysterious comet that is hovering around and wagging its fiery tail in the heavens is responsible for the frosts in France, the warm spell here, and the political deadlock in England. Far be it from us to dispute this authority. Our acquaintance with comets is limited, and our attitude one of profound respect. Let it go at that.

The investigation of the cause of the high price of food in Canada should produce good results. If the increase is due to combine and cold storage, there will be opportunity for useful legislation.

TODAY IN ENGLAND

If the Nationalists vote against the Asquith government that government will be defeated. This is the situation in England as set forth in today's edition of the Times. The Unionists have modified their estimate of 300 in the new house, but still claim that they will have 200, which would give the Liberals and Labor party combined a majority of only seven. As there are 83 Nationalists, the latter would in any result hold the balance of power.

Lloyd-George and Churchill scout the idea of any compromise, as suggested by some journals, and assert that the radical programme must be carried out. The situation grows daily more interesting, but as there are comparatively few pollings yet to be held the position of the parties is now fairly well indicated. The government must reckon with the Nationalists, and there are all sorts of possibilities confronting the premier.

Canadians will be especially interested in the contest in Chertsey, where the Unionist candidate is Mr. McMaster, a Canadian, and against whom Joseph Martin, elected in St. Pancras, will speak today. Martin is a free trader and McMaster an out and out protectionist. As the constituency is normally Unionist the election of McMaster is expected, but Joe Martin will give him an exciting half hour. The gentlemen who can regard the present situation with most complacency are the Nationalists. They have attained a position of power such as they probably did not expect to gain, and one that makes them in a sense the masters of the administration. Of course a combination of Liberals and Unionists would defeat their aims, but is such a combination probable? The new parliament will be much more than a debating club when it gets down to business.

SAD AND SOLEMN

A gentleman from Mars, let us say, descending upon St. John, and scanning the Standard as he enjoyed his breakfast, would doubtless express some amazement that so intelligent a people as those about him appeared to be would tolerate for a moment the goings on of the Liberal government at Ottawa. He might even take the precaution to inquire if there were any Liberals in the neighborhood, and feel warranted in leaving all his money in the hotel safe—if it were a Conservative hotel.

It is really very sad that since Dr. Puggley went to Ottawa the joy of life and all semblance of confidence in Liberal human nature has departed from the office of the Standard. Thieves lurk at every corner, robbers infest the thoroughfares, highwaymen make the rails of the road, burglars burgle, and pickpockets flourish wherever honest folk do congregate. Obviously there will never be a change until Mr. Crockett sits at Mr. Bowden's right hand to dispense patronage, and even then the Gleason may get more than his share. Until Mr. Crockett and Dr. Daniel get portfolios gloom will reign on Prince William street. And yet the country is enjoying progress and prosperity beyond all precedent, and its people have not abandoned their ideals of honesty and public duty. The state of mind revealed in the columns of the Standard is therefore the more deplorable.

If Mayor Bullock is willing to run as an alderman-at-large in the civic elections, his election would be practically assured at the outset.

On the general question of the expropriation of public utilities the Toronto World says: "Expropriation of public services in the hands of private companies at a fair price involves no hardship or injustice. Power to do this has been repeatedly granted by parliament and exercised in Great Britain. For example urban and rural authorities may with the sanction of the local government board purchase any water undertaking within their respective districts and failing agreement the terms can be settled by arbitration. Many municipalities have also been authorized to buy gas street railway companies before the expiry of the lease. The public have a right to consideration equally with a company, and as the franchise nears its end there is an increasing temptation to starve the service in order to increase profits and protect the shareholders from loss. Expropriation on reasonable terms is the best, indeed the only solution compatible with the reconciliation of these conflicting interests."

UNION SUITS SAVE DRUMMER AND WIFE

Life Line to Street From Upstairs in Burning Boarding House

Detroit, Jan. 26.—Three union suits bought at a bargain sale on Monday afternoon by George Saure, a traveling salesman from Montreal, saved him and his wife from death when the lodging house where they had engaged rooms, took fire yesterday.

Escape by way of the stairs was cut off by the blaze. Saure knotted the union suits together, tied one end to the bedpost, threw the other out of the window, and thus he and his wife scrambled to the ground. Several other occupants of the house narrowly escaped death.

Stores Close at 6 o'clock. St. John, Jan. 26, 1910

A Big Clearance Sale of Boys' and Youths' Suits

As usual this time of year finds a big clothing store like this with a lot of broken lines and odds and ends that it is desirable to clear out quickly. We have gone through our entire stock cutting prices very deeply in order to turn these goods into cash with the least possible delay. We are not going to close our stores, in order to create a sensation; that is not necessary. We are going to give you good, honest goods, garments that you will be proud to wear, at a third or more off our regular low cash prices.

Read This List of Boys' and Youths' Suit Prices: Three-Piece Short Pants Suits. Sizes 33 to 35. Regular \$10 Suits for \$7.50 \$5.50 to \$6.75 Suits for 4.95 \$4.50 to \$5.50 Suits for 3.95 \$3.50 to \$4.00 Suits for 2.98

J. N. HARVEY, Tailoring and Clothing 199 to 207 Union St.



Women's Rubbers

At this season of the year, a Woman needs Rubbers one-half the time, at least. They're a protection to her health and her shoes as well. Nothing so ruins a trim neat fitting Shoe as to be out without Rubbers, when the walking is bad.

Storm Rubbers, Croquet Rubbers, Toe Rubbers, Sandals, Footholds, etc. Modelled to fit the present style of Shoes and heels.

75c., 85c. to \$1.00

D. MONAHAN, 32 CHARLOTTE STREET. THE HOME OF GOOD SHOES. Telephone: 1802-11 80-41 King St. West

Big Variety of Ladies' Belts at 25c.

Dainty Collars and Boxes, Neck Cord 25c. The Easy Bow Maker, all colors 10c. The Latest in Hair Rolls, Combs, etc.

Wetmore, Garden St. Order Your Patterns Here

"After the Holidays" we are now marking Time

And especially in Watches and Clocks, that I am marking down to almost "Cost Prices and They Must Go" to make room for other lines coming in. A fine line of Gents' Watches of the most reliable makes, in Gold, Gold Filled, Silver and Gun Metal cases, and a full assortment of Ladies' of latest styles, Hunters, Chatelaines and Wristlets, now so popular everywhere. Call and Get the Prices.

Special Attention Given to All Repair Work on the Premises, and Satisfaction guaranteed.

W. TREMAINE GARD 77 Charlotte Street

6 Cases Cheap Crockery

Our New Goods are coming in every day. 60 Bales of New Wall Paper to open at WATSON & CO., Cor. Charlotte and Union Sts. Issuers of Marriage Licenses.

Bargains at the Boston Dept. Store, 7 Waterloo St.

This is the store the people are talking about. How can they sell at such remarkably low prices? Come in and see our complete line of Xmas Novelties, Toys, Jewelry, Ladies' and Gents' Neckwear, ornaments of all kinds, Dry Goods, Waists less than half price. All Xmas goods are sold at half price during this week.

BOSTON DEPARTMENT STORE, 7 Waterloo Street

TRESPASS IN I.C.R. DEPOT IS DENIED

Case Brought by Policeman Scott Smith Against Maurice Green

In the police court this morning Maurice Green, reported by I. C. R. Policeman Scott Smith for violating the law regarding trespassing in the Union Depot pleaded not guilty.

Policeman Smith said that on Friday last the man stood in the front door, smoking cigarettes and refused to move when ordered and that he was also there in the evening and still refused to move, continuing to block the passageway so that people going out or in had a difficult time to do so.

FAIRY STREET

Over the length of the land it lies. Wide and beautiful under the skies; From morn to noon and rose to rose Over the hill and the dale it goes— A woodbine lane through woodlands green, When never a living soul is seen But only shadows of rags are wild, With lips of laughter of Little Child.

Over the length of the land, ah, me! The beautiful Fairy street, I see, Where tripping one and tripping two The fretfuls go in the summer dew, With little ladders to climb and light The lamps that stretch on left and right With Glowworms that shine an hour On the eerie dial of the white moon-flower.

Over the length of the land it creeps Between two twilights and two sleeps, And no one knows that it is there Except my children of the air Who see who come and then far away When they go out to walk with me, And down we go to Fairy street All in the moonlight soft and sweet.

All day the Fairy street is still— Just a green meadow and a hill, A woodland border and a lane Where robin nests and bees refrain: But in the twilight's saffron dusk, Ah, then the dandelion, sweet with mink Of his and magnolia, come, And then to help her o'er he'll fly.

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IN LIGHTER VEIN

I sent her the rose Which she wore in her hair; That's how my coin goes. I sent her the rose, I sent her the rose, I sent her the rose, I sent her the rose, I sent her the rose, I sent her the rose.

NOT WORK.

"Toiling isn't toiling When the service that we give Is to keep the living live, And to help the living live." —Baltimore Sun.

EXAGGERATED.

"I don't believe a word he says." "No." "He exaggerates everything he says. He gets \$15 a week and always refers to his salary as his 'income'."

HOW HE DOES IT.

"How do you keep peace in your family?" "By church with my wife once in a while and let her drag up a dance occasionally."

EGOTISM.

Egotism is that spirit which leads a man to give credit to himself even before it is due.

UP TO THEM.

After collection in a certain colored church in Georgia, it was the custom if the minister to deposit the offerings in a box which he turned over to the sexton. The two would then hide the box, together with its key, in a place known only to themselves.

Despite these precautions, it was found that the small sums were being regularly extracted. So one day there was a conference between the two.

"Joseph," said the minister, sternly, "someone is taking church money from the box, and you know that no one has access to it but you and myself."

"The sexton was summoned. 'Well, minister,' said he, 'it's like this; if there's a deficiency, it's between you and us to make it up and say nothing about it.'"

"Harpers."

WHEN SHE WEEPS. When she frowns, I am sad, When she smiles, I am glad, When she laughs I am careless and gay, When she weeps, I am woe, And my fault, I admit, For a tear gets my goat every day.

When she sings, I rejoice, At the sound of her voice, When she dances, On air I could float, When she weeps, She can get A new bonnet, you bet For a tear always captures my goat. —Detroit Free Press.

A THAWING MACHINE.

A Missoula, Montana, paper tells how they thaw frozen water pipes in that city. It says: "The thawing machine, which was recently purchased by the company, consists of an electric transformer, mounted on wheels, and a multitude of wires. The wires are connected to the congested pipes and the current is turned on and after that there is nothing doing but that the water should run the same as before the cold spell. A force of six or eight men travels with the machine. It might be well to add, for the benefit of those who do not know, that wooden pipes cannot be thawed by this method."

DID DESERTER BREAK AWAY TO WIN BET?

Did the deserter from the Halifax R. C. make his escape from his soldier guards while being taken back to Halifax, to win a bet? It is told that McNally, or Smith which is his proper name, bet that he could give himself up, and be a free man again before he reached Sussex on the return to Halifax. The amount said to have been bet and put up for him by a Fredericton man, is \$50.

Opinion has now been expressed that the man has since collected his money and is on his way to the land of Uncle Sam, if he is not already there.

PESSIMISTIC.

Mr. Henpeck—It makes it seem longer. Miss I. N. Quire—Do you think matrimony prolongs life?

SURELY SETTLES UPSET STOMACHS

Indigestion, Gas, Heartburn and Dyspepsia Go and You Feel Fine in Five Minutes

Every year regularly more than a million stomach sufferers in the United States, England and Canada take Page's Dispepsin and realize not only immediate but lasting relief.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach five minutes afterwards.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lays like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of Indigestion.

Get from your Pharmacist a 50-cent case of Page's Dispepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go, and besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Page's Dispepsin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there. Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to thoroughly cure almost any case of Dyspepsia, Indigestion or any other stomach disorder.

LAWYER'S FEE, TIDY SUM OF \$172,000

Boston, Jan. 26.—Samuel Untermyer, the New York lawyer, has been giving a little of his time toward consolidating the Boston Consolidation and Utah Copper companies. For his services he has set a price which the consolidated companies have agreed to pay provided injunction proceedings by opposing interests do not prevent the union.

Mr. Untermyer, under the present arrangement will receive in stock of the Utah Company \$172,000, the present market price of the stock being 33, his fee being \$200,000. In addition the Utah Copper Company will give him a liberal cash commission.

Did You Ever Consider

No matter how much money you may earn, if not spent judiciously, you are no better off! It's up to you to think it over, when comparing our price with city prices. Note the saving.

Good 10c. Shaker Flannel, light blue at 6 1-2 cents.

Good 12c. Shake Flannel, light blue, only at 8 1-2 cts.

10 yards extra fine Long Cloth, regular \$1.20 for \$1.00

Ladies' Shirt Waists in flannel, saten and lustre in a variety of styles at bargain prices, 30c, 40c, 52c, 70c, 90c, \$1.09 and \$1.39. Regular prices fully one-third more.

Black Saten Underskirts, three tucks and double fill, 38 in., 40 in., to 42 in., in length, a good full sweep skirt at 75c, 80c and \$1.25 each.

Ladies' White Vests, long sleeves, winter weight, at 25c, a garment.

Working Men's Shirts, made for big men, strong tweed, and all wool serge at 96c, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each. Ask for the big shirt.

Men's Carpet Slippers, sizes 8, 9, and 10, only 25c a pair.

Men's Coarse Leg Boots, hand-made, \$2.75 a pair.

Any lady bringing this advertisement to our store on Wednesday or Thursday, will be given a spool holder and thread cutter free.

Keep Your Eye on Our Ad, It Will Pay You.

PARSON'S Cash Store 258-260 King St. WEST

Buy a Pair of Goodyear Welted Laced Boots and Save Your Rubbers

Men's Box Calf, Thick Sole, Blucher Laced Boots that are made for this kind of weather.

Special Values \$3, \$4, \$5

SEE OUR WINDOW Store closes at 6.30 during January and February.

Francis & Vaughan 19 KING STREET

WE DON'T KNOW

Much About High Finance. WE DO KNOW something about dry goods smallwares. We want to direct your attention to a money saving opportunity in COMBS, 8000 Travellers' Samples, Horse Brooms, Combs, 6c, 7c, 8c, 10c, 12c; White Xylonite Dressing Combs, 7c, 8c, 10c, 12c; Barber Combs, 6c, 7c, 8c, 10c, 12c; Fine Combs, 8c, 9c, 10c, 12c; Pocket Combs, 8c, 9c, 10c, 12c.

Arnold's Department Store 83 and 85 Charlotte St. Tel. 1765.

Scotch Hamilton Ell Coal Lending

Best Soft Coal for Grates and Kitchens. Fires, Leaves Very Little Ash. ALL KINDS OF COAL AND WOOD GEO. DICK, 48 BRITAIN ST. Foot of Germain St. Phone 1118

"Who With a Body Filled and Vacant Mind Gets Him to Rest, Cramped With Distressful Bread."

Shakespeare in King Richard. "Distressful Bread"—How apt the term of the immortal bard of Stratford-on-Avon.

BUT ENOUGH BREAD comes to emancipate you from "Distressful Bread". It comes to exchange impoverished bread for a bread full of nourishing qualities. It comes with a flavor as delightful as the flavor of crushed nuts.

A favorite bread because it is a Flavor-right Bread. Beware of Imitations—Examine the Label.

Christmas Flowers

Very choice Roses, Carnations, Narcissus, Violets, Lilies, Hyacinths, Swansonia, etc. Also fine plants in bloom, suitable for Xmas Presents. Holly and Mistletoe. Send your orders early and get the best.

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KING STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. ELEGANT RESTAURANT AND ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS. D. W. MCCORMICK, PROP.

Accommodation for Both Permanent and Transient Guests Rideau House Cor. of Union St. and Hazen Ave. JAMES BARTLEY, Proprietor Thoroughly Renovated. Newly Furnished Phone 2247-11.

SMITH AND LOBERT ARE SIGNEED TO PLAY

Pittsburg, Jan. 26.—Two baseball men who have been in the city during the conference of the major league committees this week, left for home after accomplishing what they came for. Charles A. Coniskey of the Chicago Americans, wore an engaging smile as he boarded his train, for he had signed Frank Smith for his pitching squad. Smith had rejected all overtures the day before, hence Coniskey's smile. Clark Griffith handed Hans Lobert, who had agreed to play third base for Cincinnati this year.

RELIABLE JEWELRY Watches, Diamonds, Clocks, Etc. FERGUSON & PAGE 41 King Street.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURES ALL KIDNEY DISEASES BRONCHITIS, RHEUMATISM, BRIGHT'S DISEASE, CALCULI, GRAVEL, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, SCIATICA, GOUT, DIABETES, ETC. PREPARED BY DR. J. C. DODD, 23 THE PRINCE OF WALES HOTEL, LONDON, ENGLAND.

Gentlemen's Correct Evening Dress Requisites for the Westfield Bridge Whist and Dance Tomorrow Evening (Thursday) Jan. 27

- WE CAN SUPPLY YOU WITH: SHIRTS, COLLARS, GLOVES, TIES, HALF HOSE, VESTS. The correct styles in properly fitting dress shirts with or without cuffs. Every new shape, depth or size in pure linen collars, various qualities. WHITE KID GLOVES, all sizes. 50c. to \$1.00 per pair. White dress ties or bows in a variety of the current styles. Fine socks for evening wear in silk, cashmere or flse thread. WHITE PIQUE VESTS (dress shapes) in New York or London styles, all sizes. Cuff Buttons, Collar Buttons, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, etc., in endless varieties.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

Special Prices on Mink Stoles and Muffs For This Week

We will make special low prices on Mink Stoles, Ties and Muffs in stock. One BROAD-TAIL COAT, Chinchilla trimmed, \$265.00, was \$395.00. An exceptional bargain.

D. Magee's Sons, 63 King St.

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The Latest Scientific Discovery for the CURE OF CATARRH and all Diseases of the Air Passages of the Head, Throat and Lungs FOR SALE AT

S. H. Hawker's, Prescription Pharmacy, Cor. Mill St. and Paradise Row.

G. OF E. INSTITUTE LADIES' AUXILIARY

There was a large attendance at the annual meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Church of England Institute yesterday afternoon and the reports for the year showed that excellent work had been done in 1909. Mrs. Geo. F. Smith read the report on finance and new members; Mrs. James Jack the flower mission report; Mrs. J. Robertson the report on books; Mrs. J. Carruthers the report on arts and needle work; Miss Helen Jack, the report on the selection committee prepared by Mrs. W. S. Fisher; Mrs. Thomas Walker the charitable and missionary aid work; Mrs. Alfred Porter the report of the delegates to the Women's Council; Miss Alice Walker the report of the Zenana Missionary Society and Miss Helen Sidney-Smith the treasurer's report.

HONOR MEMORY OF THE SCOTTISH BARD

The 151st anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns was fittingly celebrated last evening by the members of Clan MacKenzie in the Seaman's Institute rooms. About 400 were in attendance and an excellent programme consisting of Scotch songs and dances was carried out. Rev. J. McCaskill gave a splendid address. Refreshments were served by the ladies and the whole evening was most enjoyably spent. The following is the programme in full: March to pipe music of reception committee and guests. Song—'Auld Lang Syne'—Rev. L. A. Maclean. There was a lad was born in Kyle. Address to the Loco Guide. The Immortal Memory of Robert Burns. Solo—'The Lassie from Loch Lomond'—Mrs. L. M. Curran. Reading—'The Lassie from Loch Lomond'—Mrs. Robert Jamieson. Address to the Loco Guide. Violin solo—'The Lassie from Loch Lomond'—Miss M. Myles. Remarks—Our Guests—President Sir Andrew's Society, Mayor Hallack. Solo—'The Lassie from Loch Lomond'—Mrs. J. S. Mackay. Bonnie Doon. Solo—'The Lassie from Loch Lomond'—Miss Holter. Solo—'The Lassie from Loch Lomond'—Mrs. H. A. Anderson. Mary Morrison. Solo—'The Lassie from Loch Lomond'—Miss Baskin. After Water. Hielen fling—Clanman MacDonalld. Chillo Coltau—Clanman MacLeod. Solo—'The Lassie from Loch Lomond'—Miss H. Irvine. Solo—'The Lassie from Loch Lomond'—Clanman Murdoch. My Ain Kind Dearie. Solo—'The Lassie from Loch Lomond'—Miss Mary Long. Bonnie Jean. Remarks—Dr. E. Davernet's counselors, G. Fred McBride, Arthur R. Turnbull, Alfred Shortliffe, J. Outram Dakin, Charles Cart. Dr. Davernet is health officer for the town and is therefore said to not be eligible. Mr. McBride is one of the retiring councillors. Dr. Jones is the retiring mayor.

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HIGHEST FOOD-VALUE. Epps's Cocoa is a treat to Children. A Substitute to the Worker. A Boon to the Thrifty Housewife. EPPS'S COCOA BREAKFAST SUPPER In strength, delicacy of flavour, nutritive richness and economy in use Epps's is unsurpassed. Children thrive on "Epps's."

ELECTION OF COUNCILLORS

Digby, N. S., Jan. 25.—(Special)—The following nominations took place in Digby today for the town election: Mayor, Dr. J. E. Jones; councillors, G. Fred McBride, Arthur R. Turnbull, Alfred Shortliffe, J. Outram Dakin, Charles Cart. Dr. Davernet is health officer for the town and is therefore said to not be eligible. Mr. McBride is one of the retiring councillors. Dr. Jones is the retiring mayor.

CAPTURE OF WIT OF WOMAN

Keeps Deceiver at 'Phone While Detectives Rush to Arrest Him

Had Stolen Her Diamonds—Giese Tried to Shoot Himself When Caught—Mad Been "Flying High" He Said—Jewels Recovered

New York, Jan. 25.—The resourcefulness of a woman deceived by the man she believed she loved, was demonstrated yesterday, when Frank A. Giese, wanted in Chicago and New York for forgery, just before he had time to blow out his brains. He had robbed Mrs. Frieda Sommers of \$10,000 worth of diamonds. Giese spent the evening with Mrs. Sommers and with their supper in her apartments, they had a bottle of champagne. Giese called Mrs. Sommers, raised his glass in a toast and said, laughingly: "Take of those diamonds, they're so bright they make me dizzy." "They'll be just as bright on the table as on my neck," protested Mrs. Sommers, spreading them out before him. "That's true," said Giese, "but then in this," and he drew a small canvas bag from an inner pocket and tossed it across to her. Mrs. Sommers placed the diamonds in the bag and laid it on her dressing table. It was there this morning, or one like it, but the diamonds had gone.

NO LIQUOR INTO PLACES PROHIBITED

Canadian Senate Considers Bill Regulating Action of Companies

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—(Special)—Hon. R. W. Scott introduced a bill in the senate today to regulate the transportation of intoxicating liquors, which forbids any transportation company or individual to carry liquor into any province, county, city or municipality which has declared prohibition for use in such a place.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier today moved a resolution for the appointment of a commission to investigate charges made by Lumsden—Inquiry into the Cost of Living in Canada

THE DEADLOCK IN THE BRITISH ELECTIONS

Speculation As to What Will Be the Outcome of It All—Parliament February 15

London, Jan. 25.—The elections will continue throughout the week, but the chances of the Unionists obtaining a majority, or the Liberal securing enough seats to render their opponents the Laborists and Nationalists, have now disappeared. It becomes a most interesting question as to how the Liberal government is going to meet the difficulties before it.

Paris, Jan. 25.—A violent earth shock is reported to have occurred today at Ruelle, in the department of Charante. The movement lasted three seconds and came from the southeast.

"Caught Cold."

Had a Distressing, Tickling Sensation In The Throat.

Mr. Albert MacPhee, Chignecto Mines, N.S., writes: "In Oct., 1908, I caught cold by working in water, and had a very bad cough and it was absolutely impossible for me to get up. I had a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup and by the time I had used two bottles I was entirely cured. I am always recommending it to my friends."

HALIFAX AMATEURS SING ROBIN HOOD

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 25.—The Orpheus Club gave their first performance of De Koven's opera Robin Hood tonight before a large audience. The opera will be continued all the week and he house is practically sold out.

Palpitation of the Heart.

One of the first danger signals that announce something wrong with the heart is the irregular or violent throb. Often there is only a fluttering sensation, or an "all gone" sinking feeling; or, again, there may be a most violent beating, with flushings of the skin, and visible pulsations of the arteries.

Black Plague Threatens

Dr. Gordon compared the city of Montreal to a sick man. Judge Cannon had been the doctor, had diagnosed the case, and given a prescription.

January Clearance Sale

- Ladies' Silk Rubber Lined Raincoats, worth \$16.00, sale price - \$8.98 Ladies' Silk Rubber Lined Raincoats, worth \$12.00, sale price - \$7.98 Ladies' Silk Rubber Lined Raincoats, worth \$10.50, sale price - \$6.98 Ladies' Cloth Coats that sold from \$7.50 to \$25, sale price from \$4.50 to \$11.00 Ladies' Skirts from - \$1.50 to \$10.00

We Have a Shop Full of Bargains. Don't Fail to See Them WILCOX BROS., Dock Street and Market Sq.

Wasson's FACIAL CREAM

IT KEEPS THE FACE AND HANDS FROM CHAPING. COOLING AND HEALING—25c. BOTTLE. The Drug Store CHAS. R. WASSON 100 King Street

REV. J. A. GORDON TAKES HAND IN THE ELECTIONS

Free Montreal from Clutch of Vampires, Says Former St. John Clergyman—Issue a Moral One

(Montreal Herald) "The issue before the citizens of Montreal today is not a matter of man or their respective merits, but a question of choice between lawlessness and law, honesty and dishonesty, the '22' or the men who stand for them and the men who have sworn to give the city an honest administration and who have already given us confidence in the value of their promises."

MURDER CASE

Toronto, Jan. 25.—(Special)—In a drunken row at Graton today, George Meronzo got into an Italian boarding house, and shot Frank Marino, the foreman, dead with a Winchester rifle, besides wounding two other Italians, one probably fatally.

ANOTHER ITALIAN

Toronto, Jan. 25.—(Special)—Kingston, Ont., Jan. 25.—(Special)—Prof. William L. Grant, M. A. (Oxon), will be the new professor of Canadian and Colonial History to be established at Queen's University. Grant is a son of the Principal Grant.

Dr. de Van's French Female Pills—the Wife's Friend

A reliable regulator; never fails. While these pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system, they are strictly safe to use. Refuse all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at \$5.00 a box, or three for \$10.00. Mailed to any address. The Sobell Drug Co., St. Catherine's, Ont., or St. Christie's drug store.

Fallacies About Health

Thousands of useful lives are yearly sacrificed just because people lack knowledge of simple things about the body. We must remember that little failures of the stomach, kidneys, or liver bring about lack of nutrition. At first the body bends before its burden, but finally it breaks down.

Fuller Knowledge of the Body Needed.

Health depends upon unity of action between all the organs and in no way can it be secured more satisfactorily than by the use of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. From the blood they remove every impurity, to the stomach they impart digestive power, to the bowels they ensure painless and thorough action.





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Everybody who knows the character and quality of GILMOUR'S Clothing realizes that when we say "\$18 Overcoats," we mean Overcoats which were actually sold at that figure, and which were worth it or more.

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The lines included in this sale are among the most popular, and most correctly styled, which we have handled this season.

It will pay you to call and look at them—and it will pay you to come early as real bargains like these move quickly.

\$25 OVERCOATS ..... Now \$20.00  
\$22 OVERCOATS ..... Now \$17.60  
\$20 OVERCOATS ..... Now \$16.00  
\$18 OVERCOATS ..... Now \$14.40  
\$15 OVERCOATS ..... Now \$12.00

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Men's Fur Coats,  
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Caps, Gloves and Mufflers—  
Garments to order.

**Anderson & Co.**  
Manufacturing Furriers,  
55 Charlotte St.

**LAST WEEK OF**  
**White Goods Sale**

You will be needing some of these goods and our store is the place to buy them. A penny saved is a penny made, and you'll save many a penny on purchases from this stock.

BLEACHED SHEETING, 30c, 35c, 38c, and 40c yard.  
UNBLEACHED SHEETING, 22c, 25c, and 30c yard.  
PILLOW COTTONS, (Circular) 20c, 22c, 24c, 25c, 28c, yd.  
WHITE COTTON, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 12c yard.  
WHITE CAMBRIC, 13c, 14c, and 17c yard.  
GREY COTTON, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 11c, and 12c yard.

FREE HEMMING BALANCE OF THIS MONTH.

**S. W. McMACKIN**  
335 Main Street.

**Tooth Care**

No part of the body requires greater attention than the teeth.

If you will undertake to pay periodical visits to our office, we will guarantee to keep your teeth in perfect condition, or as near so as possible.

If you want THE BEST TO BE HAD IN DENTISTRY, ours is the place to obtain it, and at most reasonable prices. If, on the contrary, you want inferior and unreliable work, you will have to look elsewhere.

**BOSTON DENTAL PARLORS**  
Dr. J. D. Maher, Prop. 527 Main Street.

**CIRCULATION**

The following is the average daily circulation of the Times for each month of the last twelve months.

January	6,716
February	6,978
March	7,165
April	7,189
May	7,003
June	7,029
July	7,028
August	7,022
September	7,029
October	7,018
November	7,063
December	7,267

The Times does not get its largest sale through newsboys. It is delivered at the homes. That is the kind of circulation which is of value to advertisers.

**THIS EVENING**

Moving pictures, Master Charles Packer, Miss LaRoy and other features at the Nickel.

Motion pictures and illustrated songs at the Star, North End.

Band at Victoria Park.

Moving pictures and singing at the Gen. Waterloo street.

Skating at the Queen's rink.

"Our Own" Stock Co., at the Opera House in "The Brition Company."

Union Lodge, No. 2, K. of P., will meet in Castle Hall, Germain street, at 8 o'clock.

St. Patrick's Dramatic Club will present "A Celebrated Case."

Concert in Seaman's Institute by members of concert party on S. S. Hesperian.

United evangelistic service in Portland Methodist church.

**LOCAL NEWS**

Steamer Calvin Austin, from Boston, landed thirty passengers here yesterday afternoon.

The Windsor schooner San Slack arrived in port today from Alma, N. B., with 10 tons of old steel rails.

The Norwegian steamer Dagvid, Captain Olsen, arrived in port this morning from Sydney, C. B., with 483 pieces pitch pine.

Steamship Sokoto, Captain Pierce, of the Elder Dempster Cuba, Nassau and Mexico line, left Newport News last Monday for St. John to load a return cargo.

A card from Brown's Flats under date of Jan. 23, 2 p. m., says: "George A. Brown of this place is, at the time of writing, plowing in his field. Think this is a record."

The second lecture in the free course given by the Ladies' Association of the Natural History Society, will be held on Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in their rooms, Union street. The subject will be "Picturesque Wales," by Miss Walker, and will be illustrated.

**G. T. P. PROMISES A HARDWOOD BOOM IN NEW BRUNSWICK**

New Railway Will Make Large Tracts Accessible and That Means More Mills

That there is a good opening in New Brunswick for industrial development from its hardwood forests is the opinion expressed by an engineer who has been over the line of the Transcontinental Railway. The new route, which will tap a portion of the province where an abundance of hardwood—birch and maple—can be cut. There are immense quantities of these trees, some trunks being about twenty miles square. It is pointed out that while this hardwood could not be floated out in the streams, it could be marketed quite cheaply after the railroad is built.

Owing to the expense of marketing, this wood has been of no immediate value, but the building of the railway will change all this, so that several mills are likely to be erected to manufacture this lumber into furniture, flooring, etc. The establishment of such mills should result in a boom for New Brunswick in this direction.

**EXHIBITION ENVELOPE DESIGN CHOSEN; NOW TO USE THEM**

The exhibition association have decided on the official envelope for the Dominion Fair. The design was prepared by the Atlantic Lithograph Co. of this city and many orders for the envelopes have already been placed by leading business houses and hotel men.

The design, lithographed in pale blue, shows a shield with the dominion coat of arms and surrounded with the words, "Dominion Exhibition," while beneath it is the date, "Sept. 5 to 14, St. John, N. B., 1910."

It presents a particularly neat appearance. It is expected that all the merchants will procure supplies of the envelopes to be used for their correspondence and help in boosting the St. John fair.

The Maritime Lithograph Co. has also prepared two very attractive designs of envelopes and at a meeting of the advertising committee of the board of trade last evening, the company offered to have printed free of charge on the back of the envelopes, any reading matter that the committee might desire. The offer was accepted and arrangements made for having the necessary inscription prepared.

**REXTON HAPPENINGS**

Rexton, Jan. 25—John McDonald, Sr., who for many years lived in Buctouche, and died in Lynn, Mass. January 18, was born in Antigonish Co., (N. S.) about seven years ago and came to Buctouche when a young man and married Miss Margaret Dineen who survives him. They removed to Lynn a few years ago. Besides his wife he leaves one son, John R. McDonald, of Lynn and two daughters, Rev. Sister M. Francesca of St. Vincent's convent, St. John and Mrs. John Roberts of Bathurst.

The funeral took place on Thursday morning from St. Mary's church, where Monsignor Feeling celebrated requiem high mass. Interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Owing to the illness of Mrs. McDonald, the funeral was private.

The January thaw came in earnest and deprived us of nearly all our snow. The river is again opened around the bridge. When it freezes it will make good skating.

Quilts are very scarce and some of the fishermen have taken in their rigs.

**WEDDING OF MUCH SOCIAL INTEREST TODAY**

Miss Zillah Rankine Bride of William Vassie This Afternoon

Ceremony at 4 O'clock in St. Andrew's Church— Daughter of Hon. W. S. Fielding Maid of Honor— Only Relatives and Close Friends Invited

A society event that has been anticipated with much interest is the wedding of Miss Zillah Gertrude Rankine only child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Rankine and William Vassie, only son of Mrs. William Vassie, St. Andrew's church, where the wedding will take place this afternoon has been transformed into a bower of floral beauty. The ceremony will take place at 4 o'clock and Rev. David Lang, the pastor, will be the officiating clergyman.

On account of recent bereavement in Mrs. Vassie's family only the relatives and close friends of the families will be present.

The bride and groom are prominent members of St. John's social circles and they are very popular. Miss Rankine will be attended by Miss Edith Fielding, daughter of Hon. W. S. Fielding, finance minister of Canada, as maid of honor, and her bridesmaids will be Miss Mary Truman and Miss Edith McAvity. Her bridal gown is an exquisite costume of white satin trimmed with rich white lace and pearls and she will wear a bridal veil caught with orange blossoms. She will carry a bouquet of bridal roses.

The maid of honor and bridesmaids will wear blue silk with marabout hats. Miss Truman's and Miss McAvity's having light blue ostrich tips. Miss Fielding will carry a bouquet of pink roses and the bridesmaids will be in white.

Mr. Vassie will have as his groomsmen Cyrus F. Inches and the guests will be ushered to their seats by Hugh Mackay and E. B. Hartt. While the guests are being seated and, preceding the ceremony, the organist, Professor Morris H. Eaters, will play a number of selections from Beethoven, Salome and Mendelssohn. The bride will be given away by her father and as the bridal party enter the church, the bride leaning on the arm of her father, "The Voice that Breathed Over Eden" will be sung. While the registration is taking place, Prof. Eaters will play the Lohengrin wedding march and as the bridal party are leaving the church the organ will play forth in Mendelssohn's wedding march.

Mr. Vassie's gift to his bride is a diamond pendant. The wedding trip will include an extended trip through the United States.

**IT MEANS MUCH TO EDMUNDSTON**

What Times Announcement of Choice as G. T. P. Divisional Point Holds Out—Nappadogan Lake the Other Point

The announcement from Ottawa in the Times last evening that Edmundston was in all probability to be a divisional point on the Transcontinental Railway, will be hailed with delight by the people of that section who have been looking forward hopefully for such a development.

It will mean much to Edmundston, as car repair shops, round house, coal sheds and the various buildings and equipment that go to make up a divisional point will have to be erected. It will result, also, in a largely increased population, as railway men with their families will take up their residence there and more dwelling houses and increased hotel accommodation will likely be needed.

The other divisional point of the Transcontinental in New Brunswick, as already announced, will be Nappadogan Lake. This is at present simply a point in the woods, devoid of settlement, but on the completion of the railway it will assume a position of some importance, with its railway citizens and the buildings necessary for carrying on the work.

At the local office of the Transcontinental Railway it was stated yesterday afternoon that they had not received word that Edmundston had been chosen as a divisional point, but Chief Engineer C. O. Foss is now in Ottawa and it is believed his presence there has had something to do with the matter.

**\$25.00 For The Best Suggestion To Boost St. John**

A movement is afoot to boost St. John. How can it best be done? For the best suggestion, told in not more than 100 words, The Telegraph and Times will pay \$25.00. The contest will close on January 31.

Only a few days now remain. Many suggestions have been received, but you have still as good a chance as anybody to win the money, and what is more, to advance the city's interests by your ideas. Don't delay. Send in your suggestion before midnight of January 31.

Try to suggest something practical. The award will be made by independent judges. Address "Suggestion," Box 14, The Telegraph, St. John.

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\$20.00	SUITS TO MEASURE	\$15.00	\$25.00	SUITS TO MEASURE	\$19.50
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We are carrying along with our Glenwood Ranges a full line of Kitchen Utensils. We want your trade—no order too small to demand our attention.

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January 26, '10

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Oak Hall clothes have been proved by the test of years of service to be the most satisfactory clothes made, and Oak Hall prices are admittedly the lowest at which good clothes are sold anywhere. Because as makers of the clothes we sell our prices to you are the same as other stores pay at wholesale. So this sale, which brings you these suits, overcoats etc. at one-quarter to one-third and in many instances one-half less than our regular prices, is a money-saving chance that no man who needs clothing can afford to miss.

<b>Men's Overcoats</b>		<b>Men's Suits</b>	
Regular \$8.00 Overcoats reduced to	<b>\$5.90</b>	\$6.50 Tweed Suits reduced to	<b>\$4.30</b>
Regular 10.00 Overcoats reduced to	<b>7.35</b>	8.50 Tweed Suits reduced to	<b>6.35</b>
Regular 12.00 Overcoats reduced to	<b>8.85</b>	10.00 Tweed Suits reduced to	<b>7.85</b>
Regular 18.00 Overcoats reduced to	<b>14.45</b>	12.00 Tweed Suits reduced to	<b>8.35</b>
Regular 25.00 Overcoats reduced to	<b>19.60</b>	15.00 Tweed Suits reduced to	<b>11.65</b>
Regular 6.00 Ulsters reduced to	<b>4.65</b>	A lot of Tweed and Worsted Suits at half price.	

A Lot of Men's Overcoats half price.  
Our whole stock of Blue and Black Suits greatly reduced in price.

**Don't Forget Sale Ends Saturday**

King Street Cor. Gormain **GREATER OAK HALL**  
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The General Public is Still Interested in This Great Sale. Large Orders Are Being Taken Daily for Sheets, Pillow Cases, Table Cloths, Napkins, Towels and Quilts.

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Checked Glass Towels, Red or Blue Check, 18x25 in., 22c; 14x28 in., 28c; 17x35 in., 45c. Per Half Dozen.	\$1.75; 24x40 in., \$1.95; 21x42 in., \$2.10 Per Half Dozen.
White Huck Towels, Fringed Ends, 16x30 in., 40c; 16x34 in., 43c; 18x33 in., 50c; 16x38 in., 63c; 20x40 in., \$1.00; 20x40 in., \$1.35 Per Half Dozen.	White Turkish Bath Towels, in pairs, 30c, 38c, 42c, and 48c a pair.
Red Border Huck Towels, Fringed Ends, 18x33 in., 50c; 18x39 in., 65c; 20x40 in., 68c; 20x40 in., \$1.00 Per Half Dozen.	Fancy Striped Turkish Bath Towels, in pairs, 35c and 40c a pair.
White Huck Towels, Hemmed Ends, 14x20 in., 40c; 14x24 in., 48c; 18x33 in., 50c; 18x38 in., 65c; 20x40 in., 73c; 18x33 in., 75c; 18x36 in., 85c; 18x36 in., 90c; 18x39 in., 95c; 18x39 in., \$1.10; 21x42 in., \$1.15; 21x42 in., \$1.25; 22x42 in., \$1.30; 20x40 in., \$1.35 Per Half Dozen.	36 in. Unbleached or Factory Cotton. Two Special Qualities clear make, without filling, excellent for general household use. Special value at \$2.00 and \$2.40 for a web of 30 yards.
Red Border Huck Towels, Hemmed Ends, 18x35 in., 58c; 18x38 in., 65c; 20x40 in., 73c; 18x33 in., 83c; 18x36 in., 90c; 21x42 in., \$1.25 Per Half Dozen.	White English Long Cloth and Cambrics, put up especially for family use. 40 yd. lengths at \$3.50, \$3.90 and \$4.20.
White Huck Towels, Hemstitched Ends, 18x33 in., 73c; 18x36 in., 75c; 18x36 in., 85c; 20x40 in., 95c; 22x40 in., \$1.10; 20x40 in., \$1.25; 20x38 in., \$1.45; 20x38 in., \$1.60; 21x42 in., \$1.75 Per Half Dozen.	White Crochet Bed Spreads, ready hemmed. Three extra values, 60x80 in., 85c; 60x84 in., 95c; and 72x90 in., \$1.15 each.

Better Qualities Crochet Spreads, \$1.50 to \$2.80 each.  
Crem Table Damasks, Soft, Mellow finish, 22c to \$1.00 per yard.  
Bleached Table Damasks, all widths, from 25c to \$2.65 per yard.

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