

FEELING MADE TO SPEAK PLAN

Mr. Borden Forces Government to Show its Hand on the British Preference Question.

Fielding Answers in Angry Mood and Intimates there may be Further Tariff Changes During Session --- No 50 per cent. British Preference

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Ont., April 12.—The government was drawn into the open today on the subject of its intentions as to the British preference...

1.—There will be no increase of the British preference to 50 per cent., as advocated by a wing of the Ministerial party.

2.—There will be no substantial increase of the preference.

3.—If and when the Reciprocity agreement goes into force, some small and important changes may be necessary, to restore the preferential tariff so far as possible, to its present proportion to the tariff paid by the United States.

4.—Grain growers and others will please cease agitation for free entry of agricultural implements and for a 50 per cent. preference. Reciprocity is all they need expect.

Mr. Borden asked the question point blank. He showed how the government was filling the air with rumors while averting official utterance. "Were there to be any further tariff changes during the present session?" he asked.

Mr. Fielding when he rose showed the curious temper which has characterized him ever since the reciprocity fight began. He began with an expression of anger because Mr. Borden had not replied to Mr. Nesbitt's question, laying down with much heat the interesting doctrine that an Opposition's duty is to announce its policy in advance of any declaration from the government.

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NOTED THIEVES NABBED AFTER A LONG CHASE

Men Wanted For \$15,000 Jewellery Robbery In Boston Finally Arrested In Austria —They Are Brothers.

New York, April 12.—Inspector Russell at police headquarters today made known that he had received word from Detective Lynch, of the Boston Police Department, who is now in Austria, that he had under arrest there in the Province of Galicia, Jacob and Joseph Goldberg, who are wanted by the Boston police for a \$15,000 jewellery robbery, and who jumped their cash bail of \$5,000 after being captured in this city soon after the Boston robbery.

The prisoners are brothers, chronicled in police records as "Joe the Red" and "Jake," and were uncovered in jail in a small Galician town after having been arrested by the Austrian police with burglar tools in their possession.

Previously it was supposed that both had been hurried to death in company with Harris Rothstein alias "Kovak the Smith" in the destruction by London police and British soldiers of the anarchist den at Houndsditch, London.

"Joe the Red" got his nickname from his anarchist leanings, and was known to have been in London about that time with Rothstein, who, it is still thought, may be dead. All three were down on the police records as "anarchist men," and Kovak was called "the Smith" because of his propensities in forging the cash opener itself, as cracksmen call the tool with which safe doors are pried open.

The three men were arrested here a year ago last March and jumped bail while awaiting extradition papers from Massachusetts. All traces of them except the guess from London was lost until last February when Steve Maglyin cracked the head of Stanislav Krasowsky, both of Brooklyn, with a claw hammer. Maglyin was arrested and in his pocket were found three pawn tickets to three different watches which were found to be three of the watches stolen from Ullian's shop in Boston.

Under the third degree Maglyin denied any complicity in the job, but implicated Krasowsky, who was taken to Boston and there identified as one of the men seen by the janitor of the shop shortly before it was robbed. He had escaped arrest here and when his pals fled to London, took passage with them. He returned to see his wife, the fight and arrest followed and the police found their clue which led to the others in Austria.

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THE GOVERNMENT BILL TO PREVENT PULPWOOD EXPORT PASSED BY LEGISLATURE

An Important Measure which will Ensure that the Products of New Brunswick Forest Lands will be Manufactured in Canada--It will Mean More Money for the Workers of Our Province.

Business of the Session was Finished Last Night and the Legislature will be Formally Prorogued by the Lieutenant Governor this Morning--Measure to Punish Corruption in Elections Passed.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., April 12.—The fourth session of the fifth legislature of the province of New Brunswick will be prorogued at 5 o'clock tomorrow morning by His Honor, the Lieutenant Governor.

The business of the session was concluded this evening shortly before 11 o'clock, and the House then adjourned.

Half an hour was spent by the members in adjournment.

During the session 139 bills have been entered, eight have been withdrawn and 131 have passed.

Fredericton, N. B., April 12.—The House met at 3 o'clock.

Hon. Mr. McLeod moved that the fee paid on the introduction of the New Brunswick Hydro-Electric Power Company's bill be returned to the promoters as the bill had been recommended.

Hon. Mr. Hazen said that although he did not wish to oppose this motion, he thought the practice of returning the fee paid on the introduction of a bill should not be adopted by this legislature. There might be exceptional cases when a fee should be returned, but he pointed out that there was a rule of the House that if a bill was not recommended at one session and was introduced again at the next, the fee payable on the second introduction would be only ten dollars.

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DOY DOCK AND PLANT IN SYDNEY

Charter Granted For \$10,000,000 Company To Erect Dry Dock and Steel Ship Plant in Sydney Harbor.

Halifax, April 12.—A charter has been granted a company with a capital of \$10,000,000 for a shipbuilding plant on Sydney harbor. Sir Henry Pellett, of Toronto, Governor J. M. Gibson, Charles Ellis, of Clyde Bank, Scotland; Alex. Grace, of Fairfield Ship Company and A. C. Ross, of Sydney are the incorporators. The company will carry on business under the name of British Canadian Shipbuilding and Dock Company.

Mayor Gunn of Sydney says these two famous shipbuilding concerns, among the greatest in the world, are now committed to Sydney proposition here, but pulp manufacturing in the province was not proving a paying business.

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WATER POWER OR SALMON, WHICH?

Victoria County Board of Trade Says St. John River Power Should be Developed.

Possibility of Destroying Salmon Fishing Should Not be Allowed to Interfere with Great Benefits of Cheaper Power is Board's Opinion.

Special to The Standard. Andover, April 12.—The Victoria county board of trade at a well attended meeting held in the court house here went on record this evening as favoring the development of the water-powers of the St. John river and its tributaries at the expense of whatever cost it might mean to the salmon fishing industry.

The board favored too, the construction of the St. John Valley road entirely through New Brunswick territory if possible, and expressed its condemnation of the present mail service between Perth Junction and Musialac and Kilburn.

The resolution in regard to the waterways was as follows: "While fully alive to the importance of doing everything possible to preserve our inland fisheries both for business and recreation purposes and strongly in favor of the strictest enforcement of all laws regarding the maintenance of fish passes in all obstructions and preventing the dumping of sawdust and other refuse in streams and in other ways designed to protect the fish as well as the maintenance of a sufficient and organized body of wardens."

"This the Victoria County Board of Trade most emphatically protests against prevention of the development of the water powers on the St. John river and its tributaries in the interest of a few wealthy alien sportsmen to whom the salmon fisheries have been leased to the exclusion of our own citizens."

"And further resolved that in the true interest of the province of New Brunswick this board of trade cannot see the sacrifice of the development of the said water powers to the preservation of so comparatively small an industry as the salmon fisheries and in the upper waters of the St. John river in the light of a sane business proposition."

The resolution in regard to the St. John Valley Road was as follows: "Resolved, that this Board heartily approves the action of the Government and Legislature of this province in their efforts to have constructed an efficient railway facilities to the residents of the St. John Valley and further resolved, that the Valley Railway when completed should pass through Andover Village and be carried to a point as far north of Andover as practicable on the New Brunswick side of the International Boundary line."

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CANADA TO HAVE TWO NEW HOLIDAYS THIS YEAR

Ottawa, April 12.—June 3rd the birthday of His Majesty King George V. and June 22nd, Coronation day, will be proclaimed as statutory legal holidays in Canada. Sometime ago His Majesty intimated through the Colonial Office that he would prefer to have his birthday celebrated on the actual anniversary of his birth instead of adhering to the precedent set by his father in keeping Victoria Day.

AVIATOR FELL 1,200 FEET BUT WAS RESCUED UNHURT

Monte Carlo, April 12.—Because the aviator, while trying Fabre's hydroplane this morning fell from a height of 1,200 feet into the water. He was rescued unharmed by a torpedo boat which was assisting him in the tests. The machine was badly smashed. Because made several successful flights with the hydroplane yesterday.

CUSTOMS MEN IN CONVENTION

At Meeting Held in Moncton Last Night They Decided To Urge Claims For Higher Salaries.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, April 12.—George McCoy, a boilermaker in the I. C. R. shops, died suddenly while at work this afternoon. He had eaten a hearty dinner and shortly after the noon hour a fellow workman saw him fall. A doctor was summoned but Mr. McCoy was dead when he arrived. Heart failure was the cause.

The Moncton police were notified tonight that a riot had broken out among the Indians camped at Palmsac Junction seven miles from here. It proved however, to be nothing more serious than a case of too much fire-water and before midnight all was quiet.

About 40 customs officers of the Maritime Provinces attended the convention held here tonight in the supreme court chamber. Collector Dunn, of St. John presided at the opening. The principal matter up was an increase in salaries. The demand for higher pay was justified by the increased cost of living. Messrs. P. J. Veniot, George Watt, S. Harding, W. J. Hoyt, A. C. Currie and Campbell, of Sydney, were appointed a delegation to proceed to Ottawa and urge the claims of the officials on the minister.

The organization is to be known as the association of the customs collectors of the Maritime Provinces. The officers chosen are, President, Collector Baker, of Amherst; 1st Vice-President, Collector Veniot, of Bathurst; 2nd Vice-President, Collector Godkin, of Summerside; Secretary-treasurer, Geo. Watt, of Chatham. The executive consists of the above and the collectors at Halifax, Moncton, Charlottetown and McAdam.

"A SPIRIT OF NIHILISM."

The Telegraph: "All that the west side, or the north end, or the east side will have a right to ask for under commission is justice and fair play."

The west side, the north end and the east side have something more than a right to ask for justice and fair play under commission. They have the right to see for themselves that before they vote for commission they will receive justice and fair play. THEY HAVE THE RIGHT TO DEMAND THE SAME PRIVILEGE AS IS EXTENDED TO OTHER CITIES WHO VOTE ON THIS QUESTION — THE RIGHT TO HAVE THE ENTIRE CHARTER SUBMITTED TO THEM AND KNOW WHAT THEY ARE VOTING FOR.

The pamphlet issued by the advocates of commission states that "the plebiscite to be held at the civic election of April, 1911, is the most important issue that has ever been submitted to the voters of the city of St. John." Yet no charter has been prepared and the people are now asked to go blindfold to the polls and cast their votes in favor of a plan which involves an entire change of civic government and concerning which its advocates cannot give them a single detail as affecting this city.

The St. John Globe well expressed the situation yesterday: "The bald statement that there are to be four or five men to administer the city affairs affords NO CLUE WHATSOEVER AS TO HOW WE ARE TO BE GOVERNED, WHAT CIVIC OFFICIALS WE ARE TO HAVE, HOW THEY ARE TO BE CHOSEN, WHAT THEIR DUTIES ARE TO BE, WHAT RELATION THEY WILL BE IN THE NEW ORDER, AND COMPARE WITH THEIR RELATION TO THE EXISTING ORDER, AND SO ON. We are told that the making of a new civic charter will follow the election of the commissioners, but is it too much to say that this is hardly a reasonable mode of proceeding in a community which has had a civic government for a hundred and twenty-five years, and which is not by any means ignorant or unpracticed in governmental affairs. There is almost A SPIRIT OF NIHILISM IN SWEEPING OUT OF EXISTENCE IN A DAY OUR CIVIC SYSTEM AND ATTEMPTING TO SET UP IN ITS PLACE A NEW ORDER OF THINGS TO CREATE A NEW ONE. The new one, many persons feel, ought to be semi-ready at least. There are many who are possessed with that feeling, and it is not surprising."

NO CHARTER, NO COMMISSION!

SETTLERS ARE POURING INTO WESTERN LAND

Since The First Of March The Entries To Western Canada Have Averaged 1,500 Per Day.

Ottawa, April 12.—The following is an extract from a telegram dated April 11, 1911 from J. Bruce Walker, commissioner of immigration, Winnipeg to the superintendent of immigration at Ottawa:

"It is general this week throughout the whole of western Canada. Genial and copious rains have succeeded the spring snows and warm days of early April. The seed bed is in fine condition while the moisture is everywhere abundant."

"Five thousand overseas immigrants most of them from England, arrived in Winnipeg during the first three days of this week."

"The Canadian Northern Railway is calling for tenders for the construction of the coustain section in British Columbia running through the Fraser and Thompson canyons, its cost approximating \$15,000,000."

"During the year ending March 31, last, 33,855 head of live stock entered Canada from the United States, and of this number 12,353 were horses. During the first ten days of April of this year, 1,000 cars of settlers' stock and effects passed through the gateway at North Portal destined to Saskatchewan and Alberta."

"New settlers are entering western Canada during March and April at the average rate of 1,500 per day. These average rates are being absorbed by western communities rapidly and satisfactorily."

"Real estate values in farm and city property in the province of Manitoba have advanced materially during this month. The increase in Western lands in the prairie provinces runs from two to three dollars per acre since the first of March. Five special trains have passed through Emerson during this week travelling via Chicago and Winnipeg, thence by Grand Trunk Pacific to Edmonton, carrying overseas immigrants, and a large detachment of repatriated French Canadians from the New England States."

The Grand Trunk Pacific is calling for tenders and is ready to commence the erection immediately of their new palatial hotel in Winnipeg city.

WAITING FOR SIR FREDERICK

Minister Of Militia Has Names Of Officers For Coronation Contingent, But Has Not Announced Them.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, April 12.—Sir Frederick Borden announced in the House of Commons yesterday that the names of officers who would proceed with the Canadian military contingent to the coronation would be submitted to the cabinet-in-council today, and that the announcement of the names would be made thereafter.

The ministers sat in council today as arranged, and the list of officers was sent to the privy council offices addressed to the minister of militia, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and other ministers sat until they were tired, but the errand minister came not. The order therefore did not pass, and no announcement could be made.

It is said that he had forgotten, and the statement is made at his home this evening that he left today for Cassino, N. S. Four hundred and sixty-two officers in various parts of Canada are anxiously waiting to know if they have been selected. There are only 48 officers to go. They are to leave on June 9, and have barely time to get their uniforms. Sir Frederick is expected back next Tuesday, and it may be that he will attend to this matter immediately on his arrival.

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REDUCED TO A SKELETON DOCTORS SAID SHE WOULD DIE

"Fruit-a-lives" Saved Her Life

Riviere a Pierre, Que., May 9th, 1910. I look upon my recovery as nothing short of a miracle. I was for eleven years constantly suffering from Chronic Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Constipation. The last two years of my illness, I was confined to my bed nearly all the time. I was so thin I weighed only 90 pounds, and I vomited everything I ate. Even water would not stay on my stomach.

The doctors gave me up to die as the stomach trouble produced heart weakness and I was frequently unconscious. At this time a lady friend strongly advised me to try "Fruit-a-lives" and how thankful I am that I did so. When I had taken one box, I was much better and after three boxes, I was practically well again and had gained 20 pounds.

I have taken thirteen boxes in all and now weigh 150 pounds and am absolutely well—no pain—no indigestion—no constipation—no heart trouble—no sound and complexion clear.

Madame ARTHUR TOURANGEAU, 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial box 25c. At all dealers or from Fruit-a-lives, Limited, Ottawa.

LOCAL HOUSE TO PRODUCE THIS MORNING

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Time has come when this province should preserve its raw material for manufacture within this province, and to provide labor for the people of this province. Then last year the resolution which passed in this House was further noticed regarding the contention of the honorable gentleman from Restigouche that men working in the province of Ontario should be allowed to work in this province if this bill passed, he could safely say that lumber would continue to grow in Restigouche country just as well as that it will be manufactured and the country will reap the benefit of having more employment caused under the new conditions. The time had come to put the stamp of disapproval on cutting our lumber into two foot lengths, sending out the wood to build up the industries of some other country and keeping bark for New Brunswick. This province was entitled to something more than the bark. Our natural resources had been going out to build up the industries in the States of Maine and elsewhere, when they should be preserved for the upbuilding of our own country. It was about seven or eight weeks ago that he moved a resolution in this House that the manufacture of the timber cut in our own province should take place in this province. The honorable gentleman that day opposed the resolution and declared that it was not the proper policy to adopt, but he had the satisfaction a few years later of seeing an almost identical resolution almost unanimously passed by the lumbermen gathered in a Forestry convention in this assembly chamber.

Not New Legislation.

This legislation was not new in Canada. Legislation of the same kind was adopted in the Province of Ontario 12 years ago and was introduced in that province there was the same objection raised as here to-night, but the legislation was wisely passed and instead of being a hindrance to employment in that country the lumber mills of the United States which had been supplied with lumber from that province had been transferred to Ontario where there were now thriving industries doing their share to build up the building up of that great and prosperous province.

In Quebec the government had at a later date put through legislation in Quebec similar conditions now existed and there were regulations made with the same provisions as the law in Ontario and as set forth in this bill, and he had a letter recently from a gentleman in Quebec, stating that already companies were seeking incorporation and preparing to go ahead with the development of great industries which would be opened up and resulted had it not been for the new regulations prohibiting the exportation of pulpwood cut in that province on Crown lands from the Dominion. In Quebec the government had only given 30 days notice of the change.

He believed that the time had come when this province should conserve its natural resources for the benefit of this country to build up the province, give employment to many more men and give good markets for farms.

Mr. Tweeddale thought that the word "Canada" should be replaced by the words "New Brunswick in the bill."

More Money For The People.

Hon. Mr. Hazen said that it must be evident that the hon. gentleman opposite favored the policy laid down by the government in the bill that our natural resources should be retained to build up this province. The legislation could not come as a surprise to the pulp interests. At the opening of the Sackville exhibition in 1909 he had stated as prime minister of this province that the time had come when the raw materials of this province should be kept within this province for the development of this country. His remarks were widely published and have been favorably commented upon by every paper in this province. He had pointed out at that time that the lumber which goes to make up a ton of pulpwood at present gives employment making between six and seven dollars in wages in this country, but if it is manufactured into pulp, it provides about \$15 in wages and if it is manufactured into paper the wages for employment necessary amount from \$35 to \$37.

He did not think that the hon. gentleman would oppose the principle of the bill which said that \$37 in wages rather than \$7 should be obtained for the people of this province. This legislation could be no surprise to the pulp interests. At the last session a resolution moved by Mr. MacLachlan of Northumberland, and seconded by Mr. Young of York, had been unanimously passed and it set forth that the pulpwood cut on the Crown lands of this province should

STRONG ARGUMENTS AGAINST COMMISSION

(St. John Globe.)

Most of the citizens entitled to vote on Tuesday next on the matter of governing the city by commission would, of course, like to vote in the best interests of St. John. Indeed that may be said for all who will vote. The people of a good government, and although they may often contribute to the success of bad government that fact does not make for the idea that their disposition is bad. The uncertainty as to what is the best course to follow is responsible for mistakes which may be made. Almost any man may be said of the superiority of the commission form of government to that now in practice here, but those who have given the matter attention see that a civic system which may be satisfactorily adopted in one difficulty here is may not prove satisfactory here. One consideration is the difficulty here in that no one has any clear idea of what he is voting for. The bald statement that there are to be four or five men to administer our civic affairs affords no clue whatever as to how we are to have them. It is not that civic officials are to be chosen, but what relation they will be in the new order as compared with their relation to the existing order and so on. We are told that the making of a new civic charter will follow the election of the commission, and that it is in a community which has had a civic government for a hundred and twenty-five years, and which is not by any means ignorant or imprudent in governmental affairs. There is almost a spirit of indifference as to sweeping out of existence in a day our civic system and then setting to work on the ruins of the old system to create a new one. The new one, many persons feel, ought to be semi-ready at least. There are many who are possessed with the idea that a new civic constitution is not to be made by the Provincial Government, the Provincial Legislature, the Common Council or any representative body of the citizens elected by popular vote, but by the promoters of the revolution. They are surprised to see that it is pretty well settled that a new civic constitution is not to be made by the Provincial Government, the Provincial Legislature, the Common Council or any representative body of the citizens elected by popular vote, but by the promoters of the revolution. They are surprised to see that it is pretty well settled that a new civic constitution is not to be made by the Provincial Government, the Provincial Legislature, the Common Council or any representative body of the citizens elected by popular vote, but by the promoters of the revolution. They are surprised to see that it is pretty well settled that a new civic constitution is not to be made by the Provincial Government, the Provincial Legislature, the Common Council or any representative body of the citizens elected by popular vote, but by the promoters of the revolution.

Needs of the Day

THE new Encyclopædia Britannica is designed to meet the requirements of the present day. And it is quite as accurate to describe the present day as a period of general ignorance as to repeat the popular formula that heralds it as a period of general knowledge. A modern school-boy possesses information that was beyond the reach of the most learned men of the past age, but there is now so much to know that the best-informed man considers himself ignorant, because his knowledge can cover no more than a fraction of the mass of available learning. The extent of his ignorance (or the percentage of knowable facts that he does not know) is always being brought to his attention and always causing him inconvenience.

The Limits of Individual Knowledge

NO one can know all that there is to know, all that specialists know, about his own body, about the language he speaks, the food he eats, the laws he tries to obey, about the air he breathes, about the mechanical devices his house contains or about the education his children need. But just as each man's highly developed efficiency in his own occupation, under modern conditions, contrasts with his enforced ignorance of other specialized fields of knowledge, so his facilities for acquiring isolated items of information are in striking contrast with the impossibility of his learning all that there is to know.

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Broad Patriotic View.

The hon. member for Victoria said that the bill should be made to limit the manufacture of pulpwood to New Brunswick, it should be remembered that we are all Canadian citizens and while our first duty is to New Brunswick we also have a duty to Canada. Ontario and Quebec legislation was limited to Canada and legal advisers of those provinces had decided that it was well within the range of proper legislative jurisdiction making it necessary for manufacture within the province of pulpwood from the Crown lands of the province would be disapproved. Hitherto in cases of corruption proceedings were taken by petition under the controverted elections act. The action was usually instituted purely for political purposes and usually resulted in a saw off between the parties before the matter came to trial. Under this bill all twenty-five members of the legislative assembly and electors, irrespective of party, after an election may if they believe there has been corruption practiced on one or both sides, file a petition with the chief justice of the province and he appoints two judges to try the case. These judges have full powers to summon witnesses and do anything else necessary for a complete investigation.

The Election Purity Bill.

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With Well Built 2-Storey House and Large Barn, Sheds, etc. Also Fishing Privileges on the Loch Lomond Road.

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FIFTY ACRE FARM, with well built house, containing 14 rooms; water in house; one large Barn, 2 Sheds; fine fishing privileges. Part cleared, balance in pasture and woodland; eight miles from city, and a good investment.

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With house and barn, good timber land, known as "Hawthorne" house, at Lakewood on Loch Lomond Road, seven miles from the city, containing 200 acres more or less.

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Clean-Up Sale

Nearly New Upright Piano, 3 Square Piano, 10 Dozen Phonograph Records (new) all different music; 3 Invalid Carriages, etc.

BY AUCTION. At Store No. 96 Germain street, on Thursday Morning, the 13th, at 10 o'clock:—

A QUANTITY OF PARLOR AND BEDROOM FURNITURE, 3 Square piano, 1 nearly new Upright Piano, 10 dozen Phonograph Records, 3 Invalid Carriages, 10 doz. new Non-phonograph Records, and sundry other goods. Must be closed out to make room for our large consignment of new carpets which has just arrived.

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Estate Sale

Cecilian Piano Player, Chickering Piano, Mah. Furniture, Lib. Desk, Etc., by auction.

At Residence of the Late Mrs. C. D. Trueman, No. 292 Princess St., Cor. of Pitt, on Monday Morning, April 17th at 10 o'clock.

I am instructed to sell contents of house consisting in part Walnut Roller Top Desk, Mah. tables, chairs, settees, Wal. Parlor Furniture, Sofas, English Plate Glass Mirrors, Wardrobes, Sewing Machine, Hall Table, Chair, Hat Tree, Oak and Marble Top B. R. Sets, Feather Beds, Mattresses, Springs, Dining Table and Chairs, Gas Chandeliers, Self Feeder, Dishes, Curtains, Brussels Carpets, Pictures, Iron Bedsteads, Cots, and at 12:15 o'clock one Chickering Piano and Cecilian Piano Player.

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Valuable Freehold Property with Three Storey House, 25 feet by 100 feet, more or less. Also fine Building Lot, 32 feet by 100 feet, more or less on Wright street

BY AUCTION. I am instructed by C. J. Keith, Esq., to sell by Public Auction at Chubb's Corner, on Saturday Morning, April 15th, at 12 o'clock noon. That very fine Self-Contained Residence, containing 11 Rooms—Bath, Set Tub in Concrete—all modern improvements and in fine repair; situated on one of the best residential parts of the city, No. 25 Wright street. Also fine Building Lot adjoining, 32 feet by 100 feet, more or less. Can be seen any afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock.

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To Builders

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned up to six o'clock p.m. April 17th, 1911, for the erection and completion of a Methodist Church and Sunday School Building at Campbellton, N. B., according to plans and specifications, to be seen at the office of the undersigned, at the office of H. H. Mott, Architect, St. John, N. B. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HARRY H. MOTT, Architect, Room 6, Lombury Building, Campbellton, N. B.

HYDRO-ELECTRIC STOCK SALE

LEGISLATURE WILL NOT DEAL WITH IT THIS YEAR—SUPREME COURT ASKED TO DECLARE SPERDAKES' SENTENCE EXCESSIVE.

Fredericton, April 12.—The Corporation Committee met this morning, Mr. Slipp in the chair.

The bill to incorporate the New Brunswick Hydro-Electric Company was further considered. The committee met in private session and decided that the bill should be stood over till next session.

The bill to incorporate the New Brunswick Manganese Corporation, Limited, was not recommended.

Three city properties which formed a part of the estate of the late Chas. Scully were sold at public auction in front of the post office by Auctioneer D. J. Stockford. The Wright property on George street below Westmorland street, was withdrawn at \$1,900, the upset price, and Roadmaster Wm. McKay will become the owner of the property at that price. There was some lively bidding on the property on George street, numbers 550 and 552, which was sold to Mr. Scully, and it was finally bid in at \$2,300 by James Holland, acting for Harry C. McKay of the Board of Assessors. A small property on Smythe street, occupied by Joseph McLaughlin, was bid in by Robert Scott at \$600.

An assignment has been made by Michael Garrick, sailor, of St. Stephen, to M. McManis, K. C. Rev. J. A. Corbett of Hillsboro has been authorized to solemnize marriage.

Hon. John Morrissey, Chief Commissioner of Public Works, is calling for tenders for building the Church Brook concrete pipe culvert in Albert county.

The Supreme Court this morning, on resuming, took up the Crown paper. The first case argued was the case of P. J. Allen, commissioner, etc. of the parish of Westmorland, ex parte Thos. J. Gorman. The defendant had been convicted under the Canada Temperance Act, and A. B. Copp moved to quash the conviction. The chief argument in support of the contention was that the case after it had been started, was adjourned over to a certain date to 10 o'clock in the morning. In the meantime the attorney engaged agreed not to go on with the case until 2:30 p.m. The magistrate, however, opened court at 10 and took the evidence of witnesses in the absence of defendant. Mr. Allen, commissioner, etc. contended the conviction should be quashed on this ground, as the defendant had not an opportunity to cross-examine the witness, and A. B. Copp contended the conviction should stand. The magistrate, however, during the course of arguing or cross-examination and maintaining driving dams, slides, booms, piers or other works necessary to facilitate the transportation of logs and timber down the following rivers or streams: West River, in the County of Albert; Alma River, in the County of Albert; Point Wolf River, in the County of Albert; Kings and St. John, in the County of Kings; and in the County of St. John and Kings, and Rosseter Brook, in the County of St. John and Albert; and for the purpose of blasting rocks, dredging or removing shoals or other impediments or otherwise improving the navigation of such rivers or streams or for other purposes, with power to charge tolls for the driving of said logs and timber down the said rivers and streams, and to do all things necessary for the efficient operation of said work and incidental thereto.

Dated this First day of February, A. D. 1911.

J. H. McFADZEN, Solicitor for the Applicants.

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Ayrshire heifer, calved March 13th, 1911—Sold to Henry Harvey Stanley, 1905.

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THE WORKING MAN AND COMMISSION.

Early in the campaign to establish Commission government in St. John an effort was made through some of the labor organizations of the city to ascertain what would be the qualification necessary for commissioners. The whole situation was entirely new to the advocates of the movement. They had no platform and no charter applicable to local conditions, but it was finally decided, after considerable delay, that in order to satisfy the working man and the small taxpayer an answer must be given to this question, and at a public meeting in the North End the announcement was made that the Executive of the Citizens' Committee had decided that under a Commission the property qualification would be abolished.

Having, previously to this announcement, appointed a committee to draw up a charter, it was natural to suppose that before the plebiscite was taken the people would have submitted to them all the details of government by Commission as particularly affecting this city—not the least important of which was this question of qualification. But no charter has been produced, neither is there any more definite knowledge of the changes which will take place under Commission rule than there was three months ago. By the arrangement made at Fredericton, under which a Commission charter is to be drawn up by a committee, not yet named, after the opinions of all classes in the community have been heard, no man or body of men today connected with the movement is in a position to guarantee anything.

The question of the qualification of commissioners and all other vital questions which will affect the citizens are to remain undecided until after the vote is taken. Referring to this unsatisfactory situation which has arisen, the St. John correspondent of the Eastern Labor News points out that it would be good policy to vote against the commission at the approaching election, and give the commissioners a chance to educate the public and their own speakers. "At present," he says, "nobody seems to know what they want, and nearly half of the ratepayers won't get a chance to vote, and the labor men have no guarantee of any kind that they are not getting a pig in a poke."

Tonching more particularly on the question of the qualification for commissioners, this writer continues:—"One member of the citizens' Executive told the Trades Council that he had seen a copy of the new charter in which the property qualification was eliminated. "Yet at the meeting last Friday J. A. Boleya, chairman of the charter committee, said that they had done nothing and that after the plebiscite was taken the charter committee intended to call in representatives of the land-owning, business and other classes to act with them in an advisory capacity in the preparation of a charter which he thought would take the best part of a year. That means that the preparation of the charter is to be taken out of the hands of the present Citizens' Committee, and that even if it did give some definite assurance to abolish the property qualification his pledge would not be of much value. It is true representatives of labor may be asked to give their views, but they are not likely to have any influence on such a body."

"It will do no harm," he concludes, "to wait until we see the charter. Then we will be able to know whether we are voting for something in the interest of the workers. Then we will be able to tell whether the worker is likely to secure any relief from the system of taxation which now bears so heavily upon him. Then we will know whether the ratepayers will have a chance to vote for the commissioners, or when the Union Label will be recognized and other reforms made possible."

"It is idle to say 'Oh, the workers can elect representatives to the Commission and work out these things.' They have a better chance to elect aldermen, and they can get back at them every year. You can't elect a first class labor representative to the Commission with 6,000 workers without votes, though you may elect a dummy whom the business men are satisfied they can turn round their fingers."

While these opinions are given strictly from the labor standpoint, they will coincide in the main with those of any man who thoughtfully reviews the situation as it affects every ratepayer. Among the points which Rev. W. H. Sampson submitted to the Telegraph with a request for enlightenment from "anyone who knows," was this question of representation. "What," asked Mr. Sampson, "is the qualification necessary for the office?" And the Commission organ, driven to make some reply, was forced to admit that it did not know, because nobody knows, and advised Mr. Sampson to assist "in threshing out these matters AFTER the people of St. John have declared on April 18 that they desire the Commission form of government."

Mr. Sampson's opinion of this movement to stampede the citizens into voting for a Commission without supplying them with any charter or any details may be summed up in his own words in one sentence:—"WE DON'T WANT A PIG IN A POKE, AND IT IS NOT SATISFACTORY TO SAY THAT ALL THESE POINTS WILL BE ADJUSTED AFTER THE PLEBISCITE IS TAKEN; WE WANT TO KNOW WHAT WE ARE VOTING FOR BEFOREHAND." No intelligent citizen, realizing the vital issues at stake, could think otherwise.

REPRESENTATION AT OTTAWA.

The resolution moved by Premier Hazen and seconded by Mr. Robinson, Leader of the Opposition, regarding the representation of the Province of New Brunswick and the Maritime Provinces generally in the Dominion Parliament, brings to public notice a really important question. This Province entered Confederation with very high hopes regarding its future. It was expected that the Province would increase in prosperity and population in a much greater ratio than it had done in the past.

The hopes of the Fathers of Confederation were not as fully realized as they expected. A few years after the four original provinces were united into the Dominion of Canada the Northwest Territory was added and its development actively entered upon. The growth of the West has been greater than that of the East, and as the population increases there the representation of the East save in Quebec, diminishes. Brit-

ish Columbia, Manitoba and the new provinces recently added are protected by a minimum representation clause. Prince Edward Island was thought to be in the same position, but the courts have decided otherwise, and the time is not far distant when a strict interpretation of the act will deprive the Island Province of representation altogether.

Since Confederation the boundaries of Quebec and Ontario have been greatly enlarged. This is not possible in the Maritime Provinces; such being the case it is clearly the duty of the people of all shades of political opinion to unite and make an effort to prevent a further reduction of our representation at Ottawa. It is not desirable that the membership of the House of Commons should increase unwieldily, but the Maritime Provinces have interests to protect which are materially different from those of the inland provinces though closely allied to them. They are the gateways of the foreign commerce of the country, and the seat of the great fishing industry. These interests alone require that there should be no further reduction in the representation at Ottawa.

Mr. Hazen's announcement that he is not without hope that a satisfactory solution of the difficulty may be reached so far as the Maritime Provinces are concerned, will be read with satisfaction everywhere. From what he said in the House it is to be inferred that the provinces of Ontario, Manitoba and Quebec recognize that our position differs from that of Western Canada, and if this is the correct view it should not be difficult to amend the British North America Act to prevent further inroads in our representation at Ottawa. The legal side of the question appears to have been decided against us and we are in the hands of Parliament which has the power to request an amendment to the British North America Act that would restore our representation to what it was, or at least prevent further reduction.

SOME COGENT REASONS.

The reasons why it would be unwise for Parliament to ratify the Reciprocity Agreement so hastily entered into by Messrs. Fielding and Paterson may be summed up as follows:—

All men agree that we are enjoying unprecedented prosperity as we are, with almost absolute certainty of a continuance thereof:

Abundant harvests and high prices amply reward the tiller of the soil, whose income increases much more rapidly than his outgo:

The manufacturer thrives with large orders and satisfactory profits:

Artisans and laborers are fully employed at good wages:

Commerce is rapidly expanding and accounts are promptly paid; transportation facilities are increasing to meet the growing demand therefor; Interprovincial trade is active and strengthening the bonds of commercial friendship and National unity:

TRADE WITH THE MOTHERLAND IS GROWING AND ADDING TO THE VITALITY OF THE EMPIRE:

We govern ourselves and enjoy all the rights and privileges of British institutions without the cost of monarchy:

For the upbuilding of its various parts it is desirable to establish a system of preferential trade within the Empire WHICH THIS AGREEMENT WOULD RETARD OR PREVENT.

This was the concise summary given by Mr. T. W. Crothers of West Elgin in his recent speech in the House of Commons against the pact. All moderate men will agree with him that the effect of the adoption of this agreement upon these various conditions is absolutely uncertain—that it might be averse to many if not to all of them. Probably one-half at least of our most capable experienced and patriotic citizens of all classes regardless of race, creed or political affiliations sincerely believe that many, if not all of these laudable aspirations and happy conditions would be thwarted and injuriously affected were the agreement enforced.

Its adoption would tend, as Mr. Crothers well pointed out, to the separation of our provinces rather than to their unity, would mean a practical surrender of our fiscal independence, and would be followed by an irresistible demand for the free admission of all manufactured goods with its inevitable accompaniments, political as well as commercial union.

It has been openly boasted by the Government that the Reciprocity Agreement will not only benefit the farmers of Canada but the fishermen, particularly those of the Maritime Provinces, as well. So far as the first is concerned practical farmers like Glen Campbell have condemned it from a Western point of view, and Messrs. Thornton and Broder from the standpoint of the Ontario agriculturist.

Speaking on behalf of the fishermen of Nova Scotia Mr. Clarence Jameson, of Digby, declares from his place in Parliament that after fully considering the pact he is hostile towards it, as it is not in the best interests of the toilers of the sea. Mr. Jameson was emphatic in his opposition to the agreement from the fishermen's standpoint. He showed that the Government were paying the United States three prices for their market—first by continuing the licensing system in force, second by giving practically free licences to the Canadian States fishermen; third, by giving them the United States market for their fish. This threefold payment to the Americans for their market makes more difficult the obtaining of bait by Canadian fishermen, robs them of their own market, and hampers them in securing the market of the United States and will drive them to United States vessels.

Mr. Jameson pointed out that the lobster fishermen in the Bay of Fundy and three miles off our coasts are open to United States fishermen and during the close season, when Canadian fishermen cannot legally take them, American fishermen can catch lobsters off the coast and sell them in their own market.

Another reason why Mr. Jameson opposed the agreement was that while our fishermen only got the United States market—and that does not seem under the circumstances to be much of a privilege—the fishermen of the United States, Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Japan are given the Canadian market. Also Canadian fishermen are not guaranteed such favorable treatment in United States ports as American fishermen will have in Canadian ports.

The more this Fielding-Taft pact is looked into in the cold light of business facts and experience, the more extraordinary does this sudden rushing of the Laurier Government into the arms of Uncle Sam appear. There was no need whatever of jumping into this quagmire. Canada was prosperous, her development along her own individual lines was proceeding apace, and yet with one stroke of the pen Fielding, the "Little Canadian," has upset the apple-cart of National progress and unity.

(Ottawa Journal.)

Sir Joseph Ward, prime minister of New Zealand is desirous of arranging a closer trade relation with Canada. Notwithstanding the fact that New Zealand is on the opposite side of the globe, there will probably be found in each country, native articles whose sale to the other will prove profitable. And the fact that both countries fly the same flag and sing the same National Anthem should help some.

(Pittsburg Gazette-Times.)

Chancellor Day says he believes in letting women do as they please. According to Who's Who, the chancellor has been married thirty-eight years.

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Very truly yours,
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ALDERMAN FOR KINGS WARD

at the election to be held on Tuesday,
April 18th and respectfully solicit
your support.

Yours truly,
CHARLES T. JONES.

To the Electors of the City of
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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Complying with the request of a
large number of the electors, I will be
a candidate for

ALDERMAN FOR LANSDOWNE
WARD.

at the election to be held on Tuesday,
April 18th and respectfully solicit
your support.

Yours truly,
A. O. H. WILSON.

To the Electors of the City of
St. John

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
At the request of many electors I
will be a candidate for

ALDERMAN AT LARGE

at the election to be held on Tuesday,
next, April 18th, and respectfully so-
licit your support.

Yours truly,
GEO. W. COLWELL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY
OF ST. JOHN.

Ladies and Gentlemen—At the re-
quest of a large number of the elec-
tors, I will again be a candidate for
Ald. for Duke's Ward at the election
to be held on Tuesday next, April
18th. For the last six years I have
been chairman of the Safety Board
and during all that time the estimates
have not been overdrawn. Respect-
fully soliciting your support.

I remain yours truly,
J. W. VANWART.

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To the Electors of the City,
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MERCANTILE MARINE NEWS

DAILY ALMANAC. Thursday April 13, 1911. Sun rises... 5.47 a.m. Sun sets... 7.02 p.m. High water... 11.49 a.m. Low water... 6.02 p.m.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN.

Arrived Wednesday April 12. Tug Pejeaco, (Am.) 79, Swett, from St. Martins for Bath, Me., with barge No. 3 in tow with pulp wood. In for harbor and cleared.

Cleared Wednesday April 12. Stmr Lake Champlain, Webster for Liverpool, C. P. R. Co., pass. and mtd. Schr Rescue, 277, Weldon, for City Island for orders. Stetson Cutter and Co., 318, 347, feet spruce deals.

Sailed, Wednesday, April 12. Stmr Montreal, McNeill for London and Antwerp. Stmr Bengore Head, Hoy, for Louisburg, N. S.

Foreign Ports.

Boston, April 10.—Ard. Schr B. B. Hardwick, Berry, Clementsport, N. S. Rockland, Me., April 10.—Sld. Schr Charles H. Trickey, Tyne-mouth Creek, N. B.

Recent Charters.

Steamer, 1,100 standards deals, Miramichi to Belfast, 368. 6d. April; steamer, 1,200 standards deals, Cape Tormentine to Belfast, 37s. May.

Reports and Disasters.

Reedy Island, April 10.—Bark Silli-con, from Turks Island for Philadelphia, grounded on the upper end of

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

HOMESEKERS EXCURSIONS

Table with columns for dates (April 5 and 19, May 3, 17 & 31, June 14 and 28, July 12 and 26, Aug. 9 and 23, Sept. 6 and 20) and fares for Winnipeg, Brandon, Regina, Saskatoon, Calgary, and Edmonton.

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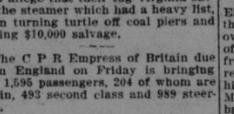
Philadelphia, April 12.—Mrs. Kate Felton Elkins, of Pennsylvania, is a member of the University, City and St. Anthony Clubs, the Society of the Sons of the Revolution, the City Club of New York and the St. Anthony Club of Boston.

WATERBOROUGH NEWS.

Waterborough, Q. C., April 10.—The remains of B. Roy Blakeney, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Blakeney, of Malden, Mass., came in on Saturday night's train, accompanied by the parents.

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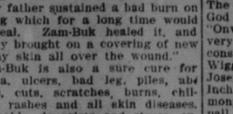
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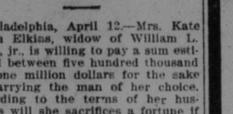
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MAGISTRATE OFFERS TO WHIP A HUSBAND

New York, N. Y., April 12.—Only the plea of the wife he is alleged to have beaten Francis Burkhardt of No. 323 East Ninety-fifth street, from serving a six months' term in the workhouse, when he appeared before Magistrate Seimert in Harlem court yesterday morning, and the magistrate had heard the woman's story. She appeared with five children. Both her eyes were manly disclosed and her face bruised. She was visibly in fear as she told him her husband in an ill temper struck and abused her on Sunday until she called the police.

WEDDINGS.

Cowan-Branscomb. Edward S. Cowan, of Boston, formerly of Harfield's Point, Kings county, N. B., was married last evening to Miss Ernie M. Branscomb, of Boston, formerly of Cumberland Bay, N. B. The ceremony which was performed by Rev. W. E. McIntyre, took place at the residence of the groom's brother, Herbert P. Cowan, of 77 Third street. The wedding was a quiet one, only the intimate friends and relatives of the couple being present. A large number of wedding presents accompanied the bride to her home in which the bride is held. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome sterling silver mesh bag. After the ceremony a dainty tea was served and the usual festivities indulged in. Mr. and Mrs. Cowan left on the Pacific express for a trip to Montreal. They will make their future home in Calgary.

OBITUARY.

Moses Kinney. Moses Kinney, of Dexter, Me., is dead. He was born near Woodstock, N. B., and for many years was a resident of Houlton. His age was 77 years. Rev. Theodore Kinney, of Dexter, is a son.

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FINANCIAL WORLD

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, Que., April 12.—POTATO prices are firm, under a good trade. For car lots sellers are asking \$1.10 to \$1.15 per bag...

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Table of New York Stock Market prices including Am. Copper, Am. Beet Sugar, Am. Car and Found., Am. Cotton Oil, etc.

VERY DULL DAY ON STOCK MARKET

New York, N. Y., April 12.—Speculation in stocks was all but suspended today and prices barely changed. Almost the only business done consisted of the evening up of accounts in preparation for the Easter holidays...

MONTREAL AND BOSTON CURB.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co. Montreal Curb Sales. Morning—W. C. Power 25 at 55 1/2...

MONTREAL

Morning Sales. Canadian Converters, 45 @ 42 1/2. Canadian Pacific, 125 @ 225 1/2. Cement, 25 @ 22 1/2...

CLOSING COTTON LETTER.

New York, April 12.—Cables from Liverpool indicate that spot sales there aggregate 14,000 bales which includes 1,500 bales for speculation and export.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Table of Montreal Stock Exchange prices including Asbestos Com., Black Lake Com., Bell Telephone, etc.

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CANADIAN NEWS NOTES... Montreal, April 12.—The Star understands upon good authority that a merger of Montreal and outside mills has been formed...

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G. S. Sherman, Brownville Junction; H. R. Crandall, J. K. Rand, Brownville Junction; Stephen Holgate, A. H. Yargi, Accrington; Leonard Cunningham, Leo Thorton, Mrs. Cunningham, London; J. A. Dufault, St. Hyacinthe; R. Crocker, N. W. Taylor, J. A. Sperdaks, Guy G. Porter, J. Harwick and wife, Millerton, N. B.; John Betts, Marshall Gould, James A. Worth, John Barrow, Lake Erie; W. A. Lawson, A. N. Lawson, Winnipeg; F. C. Lambert, Mrs. H. C. Lambert, Lord's Cove; T. O. Murray, Richibucto; Virginia Purcell, Charlottetown; P. E. I. Mamie Murray, Richibucto; W. P. Boyal, Moncton. Brought Produce Down. The first trip by water since the ice blocked the river last fall was made yesterday morning by seven men who came down from Land's End on the St. John river. They brought with them a large supply of eggs and butter. They report that the ice up river is still solid.

It's 20 cts. off every \$1.00 Worth Saving When You Buy Soap A family uses about \$10.00 worth per year and you save two dollars (\$2.00)—and the quality is the best that is possible to make and in addition the soap is antiseptic and the name is A SEPTO Save your wrappers—they count together with the coupon on over 100 articles in daily use and 300 articles to select from. Asepto Soap or Asepto Soap Powder Sweeten The Home Your Dealer Sells It.

GARRY HERMANN COLT WINS A GREAT RACE IN FLORIDA

Evidence of the class of the Kentucky horses which were imported into this province through the effort of the provincial government is shown in the fact that a colt by Garry Hermann, one of the horses brought into the province, has won the big American Derby at Jacksonville, Fla., the biggest race run here this winter. The thoroughbred stock, has this to say of the race:

Jacksville, Fla., April 12.—Coming from behind with a brilliant burst of speed, Governor Gray, the Garry Hermann colt that Captain Jim Williams bought, won today the rich American Derby, the biggest race run here this winter. Governor Gray, ridden by Byrne, trailed his field until entering the home stretch, and when he showed a good burst of speed and, wearing The Nigger down, got up in the final strides to win by a scant half length. The mile and a quarter was run in 3:04.45, a new track record for the distance over the Moncrief Park course.

A tremendous crowd, numbering nearly 12,000 turned out to witness the running of the race. The fact that it was the closing day of the long meeting and also that it might be the last opportunity of witnessing the thoroughbred run in this state was an additional incentive for race-goers to turn out. Long before the horses were called to the post for the first race the big grand stand was filled, and before the running of the Derby the management found it necessary to permit the overflow to go into the field, so that they might be able to get a better view of the struggle.

There were five starters and The Nigger and Star Charter were the pair that carried the major portion of the money wagered on the race. The Nigger opened favorite, but at post time the Schorr colt was the best fancied. Starter Dade cautioned the boys when they reached the post and they gave him but little trouble, the field being sent away to a splendid break after being there two minutes. The Nigger showing good speed, dashed to the front, and in the run around the first turn drew away into a lead of a length with Dr. Duetmer showing second, a neck in front of Messenger Boy. Straightened out on the back stretch Brannon shook up Messenger Boy, and the colt showing a surprising burst of speed, moved up to the leader without effort, and at the half mile the race was lapped on him.

The pair raced like a team around the far turn and into the home stretch, where The Nigger again drew clear and just as he appeared to have the race won Governor Gray loomed up as a factor. The latter closed with splendid courage, and gaining steadily won the race by a neck and went going away. Although beaten The Nigger ran a splendid race. The same can also be said of Messenger Boy, who was one who thought that the latter would have won had Brannon waited longer with his mount.

The scene following the running of the race was one that will never be forgotten by those who were present. The jockey was presented with a handsome gold-mounted saddle, and the trainer, J. Everman, received a gold loving cup. A wreath of flowers was placed over the horse's head and the crowd cheered for many minutes.

DARTMOUTH WILL HAVE RUNNER FOR MARATHON

Fredericton is to have a ball team this season. It will be a semi-professional aggregation made up very largely at the start of the season at least of local talent.

When the season opens there will be an imported pitcher on the staff, but perhaps as the season advances, the number of imported players may be increased.

All that now stands in the way of the baseball project being quickly settled for this season is the matter of finances, the matter of grounds, grand stands and uniforms all mean outlays of considerable amounts before the season opens and the baseball loving public are to be asked to show their tangible appreciation of the efforts to get the game going.

"Happy" Smith, who gave Fredericton fans what baseball they saw last season, is going to handle the baseball situation here this year. He may not have much experience, but what he lacks in that direction he makes up in energy and his willingness to do the best he can.

Just now the following fast local players are declared eligible for a ball team here if one is organized: Pitcher, Arthur Brooker; catchers, Arthur Finnimore and Johnny Dolan; 1st base, Jack Peoney; 2nd base, Frank Hughes; 3rd base, Dick Malloy; short stop, Geo. Finnimore; outfielders, George Walker, Eric Boone, Geo. Wandless and either Arthur Finnimore or Johnny Dolan.

The bunch looks as if they would make any bunch of players here or otherwise likely to be coveting around any ball field in the proposed New Brunswick and Maine baseball league of 1911.

SOME GOOD BOWLING IN LEAGUES LAST NIGHT

There was a double header in the City league on Black's alleys last night when the Yanagans took three points from the Tigers and three points from the Y.M.C.A. team. The scores were as follows:

Tigers
Lunney ... 89 86 86 261-87
McKiel ... 89 87 95 265-87 1-3
Belyea ... 87 80 89 256-85 1-3
Mittchell ... 87 84 248-81 1-3
Bailey ... 88 88 96 272-90 2-3
426 428 440 1294

Yanagans
Hurley ... 79 80 100 259-85 1-3
Logan ... 87 81 82 249-82 1-3
Codner ... 122 75 89 286-95 1-3
Masters ... 81 83 83 248-81 2-3
Black ... 74 81 91 246-82
445 405 456 1304

Y.M.C.A.
Estey ... 81 79 91 251-83 2-3
Beut ... 86 85 77 248-82 2-3
Jackson ... 76 82 81 249-83
Finley ... 101 75 83 258-81 1-3
Scott ... 89 87 251-83 2-3
428 411 419 1258

Yanagans
Hurley ... 73 81 90 244-81 1-3
Logan ... 76 65 88 229-76 1-3
Codner ... 93 101 77 271-90 1-3

In the Commercial league game the Brock & Paterson team took the four points from Macaulay Bros. & Co. with a total pin fall of 1261 to 1169. The individual score of the teams were:

Brock & Paterson
Patterson ... 78 87 72 248-82 2-3
Sullivan ... 76 87 84 247-82 1-3
Gaskin ... 67 79 83 228-76 1-3
Kaye ... 87 91 81 269-89 2-3
Masters ... 82 92 100 268-89 1-3
400 446 415 1261

Macaulay Bros. & Co.
McLean ... 67 87 74 228-76
Smith ... 92 93 80 265-88 1-3
Latham ... 82 79 69 230-74 2-3
Irvine ... 82 82 74 244-81 1-3
Campbell ... 71 73 58 202-67 1-3
394 420 355 1169

Tonight's Games
The league games tonight on Black's alleys are Ramblers and Mustangs in the City league; while in the Commercial league the teams are T. S. Slams and Waterbury & Rising.

RESULTS IN THE BIG LEAGUES

Philadelphia, April 12.—(American)
Score by innings:
New York ... 001000010—2 7 3
Philadelphia ... 000010000—1 4 3

Batteries—Vaughn and Blair; Bender and Thomas; Umpires Evans and Egan. Time 2:55.

New York, April 12.—(National)
Score by innings:
Philadelphia ... 00000002—2 4 1
New York ... 00000001—0 2 2

Batteries—Moore and Doolin; Amos and Myers. Umpires, Johnson and Eason.

Boston, April 12.—(American)
Score by innings:
Brooklyn ... 00000010—1 4 1
Boston ... 00000002—2 5 1

Batteries—Brown and Graham; Barger and Bergen. Umpires, Klem and Doyle. Time 1:30.

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 12.—(National)
Score by innings:
Pittsburg ... 002172020—14 17 1
Cincinnati ... 00000000—0 0 4

Batteries—Adams and Gibson; Fromme, Tannehill and McLean and Clark. Time 2:08.

Washington, April 12.—(American)
Score by innings:
Boston ... 00200010—5 7 4
Washington ... 00001001—8 10 2

Batteries—Wood and Kline; Grand Street, Umpires Conolly and Mullen. Time 2:25.

St. Louis, Mo., April 12.—(American)
Score by innings:
St. Louis ... 10351022—12 16 1
Cleveland ... 02000001—3 9 7

Batteries—Powell and Clark; Blanding, Yingling, Gregg and Smith. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Dineen. Time 2:05.

Chicago, April 12.—(National)
Score by innings:
Chicago ... 10000101000—3 10 1
St. Louis ... 0000000000—3 4 1

Batteries—Reinbach, Weaver and King; Sallee and Bresnahan. Umpires Higler and Fineran. Time 2:45.

INTERNATIONAL BOXING.
Now that the amateur boxing championships have been decided in Boston, New Yorkers are planning an amateur glove contest which is likely to rival the nationals in many ways. It will be an international meeting of the amateur boxers between the representatives of the different nations, and on the same plan as the Olympic athletic games. The contests are booked for Aug. 5 and 6 at Madison Square Garden, and will be held under the auspices of the Pastime A. C. of New York. During the tournament at Mechanics' building "Tim" Hurst, the well known referee, looked over the championship winners, and nearly all will be selected to meet the champions of the other countries.

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Montrose, St. John, N. B.
New York—Schr Bluenose, Annapolis, N. S.; Schr W. R. Perkins, Machias, Me.; Schr Alaska, Edmonds, Me.
Calais, Me.—Schr Alameda Wiley, New York, Salem, Mass; schr Mary B. Wellington and Willie L. Maxwell, Sulva, Me.
Calais, Me.—Schr Freddie Eaton, New York.
WELL KNOWN PRIEST DEAD.
Washington, April 12.—Father James A. Doonan, one time president of Georgetown University, and one of the best known Jesuit priests in this country, died at the University here today. He was 63 years of age and had been in failing health for some time.

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MIKE SHRECK SAYS MORRIS IS THE GOODS

Cincinnati, April 12.—Mike Shreck, who has recovered from the beating he received at the hands of Carl Morris last week, gave this opinion of the Oklahoma giant:

"With the necessary ring experience Carl Morris will beat Jack Johnson when they meet."
"Morris had it on me in height, weight, reach and strength. I could not do anything with him. He is a powerful fellow, and in the clinches wrestles his antagonist around as if he were a plaything. I was a good wrestler myself, but I was like a pigmy in the hands of the Oklahoma wild man."

American association pitchers may well sing, "Woe is me," when that Toledo lineup begins to swing the stick. Hallman, Niles, Hinchman, Plick, Hickman, is a nightmare combination.

BURNS LOST GOOD OPINION OF LANGFORD

Toronto, April 11.—Tommy Burns, the former world's heavyweight champion, who is here on his way home to Calgary from visiting his mother at Preston, says that although he is out of the fighting game for good, he intends to become a club manager, and has arranged with Tom Flanagan to run clubs in Winnipeg, Vancouver and Calgary, under the National Club's charter.

Sam Langford's showing in his recent fight with Sam McVey, in Paris, has rather lessened Burns' confidence in the "Tar baby's" ability to wrest the title from Jack Johnson. However, Burns is inclined to give Langford another chance before eliminating him from the charmed championship circle.

Burns thinks well of Jack Lester, the 19-year-old western boxer, now on his way to Australia to fight "Bill" Lang in Sydney, April 16. Lester weighs 150 pounds and has a punch.

THE CUBAN CHAMPIONS.

After the appearance of the Cuban champion players at the American league grounds, Boston, April 11, afternoon, the crack "Jay" team, that made such a showing against the Chicago University team on the latter's trip to Japan, will play here against the Boston club. The Cubans appear to be having all kinds of ball players thrown at them, but the appearance of the dusky champions should prove a great novelty in the game.

COLLINS CAN'T USE HIS AUTO.

Philadelphia, April 11.—More than 1,000 admirers of Eddie Collins, hero of the world's series, have contributed to purchase an automobile for Eddie Collins, the great batsman of the Athletics. After the presentation Connie Mack took occasion to call Eddie's attention to the fact that he had placed a ban on all "joy rides" for the Athletic players, and advised Collins to eliminate automobile until after the baseball season.

The contribution to purchase an automobile was started when automobiles were presented to Ty Cobb and Larry Lajoie.

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THE WEATHER.

Gulf and Maritime—Fine a little higher temperature. Toronto, April 12.—A marked depression which is centred tonight over the State of Kansas has caused slight falls of rain today in the lake region, while from eastern Ontario to the Maritime Provinces the weather has been the aid and cool. Showers have occurred in Manitoba, but in Saskatchewan and Alberta low temperatures have prevailed, accompanied by light snowfalls. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson—4 below, 22. Victoria—34, 50. Kamloops—32, 48. Moosejaw—29, 30. Qu'Appelle—26, 40. Winnipeg—40, 64. Port Arthur—34, 40. Parry Sound—24, 52. London—37, 45. Toronto—25, 50. Ottawa—24, 46. Montreal—24, 46. Quebec—16, 44. St. John—24, 42. Halifax—14, 32. Lower St. Lawrence—Fair today, stationary or a little higher temperature, showers on Friday.

AROUND THE CITY

Draught Horses Wanted.

It will be of interest to owners of draught horses in this vicinity to know that L. G. Baxter requires the use of some for military purposes during a part of the summer.

The Market Committee.

A special meeting of the market committee was held yesterday when a number of stall holders appeared and signed the leases for another year at an advance of 20 per cent. in rentals.

Will Meet Tonight.

The International hot carriers and builders union will meet this evening in the union's rooms, in the Opera House, at 8 o'clock, and a full attendance is requested.

To Meet The Empress.

W. B. Howard and Wm. Webber of the C. P. R., Dr. W. L. Ellis of the Immigration office, and Pilot Joseph Doherty, left for Halifax on the express last night to meet the steamer Empress of Britain.

Sold To Railway Company.

The freehold lot and two-story dwelling, 207 Wentworth street, belonging to the Cathers estate, have been sold by the heirs, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morgan and Miss Annie M. Cathers, to the St. John Railway Company. The price was in the vicinity of \$2,000. It is understood that the ground is needed by the railway company in connection with the extension of their car sheds in that block.

Complimentary Banquet.

The Oddfellows of the city and county will tender a complimentary banquet to Dr. James Christie on the 28th of the month and at the same time celebrate the 92nd anniversary of the inception of the order. Strong committees from each of the lodges have been appointed and it is expected that the function which will take place at White's restaurant will be largely attended and prove a very enjoyable affair. Dr. Christie is a past grand master of the order and has done a great deal to promote its interests in this district.

Royal Arcanum.

A most enjoyable social event was enjoyed by the members of the Royal Arcanum, St. John Council 133, last evening. A successful smoker was held during the early part of the evening. Several excellent addresses were delivered during the entertainment. H. H. James, regent, acted as chairman and Deputy Grand Organizer Jas. McQueen and His Worship Mayor Prink were heard in interesting speeches during the evening. A choice musical and literary programme added to the enjoyment of the entertainment. Solos by Fred McKean, John Kelly, R. Garnet, banjo trio by the Bonis brothers and a reading by Stephen Mathews were received with great appreciation. Six new members were initiated last night. The growth of the society is very encouraging.

Splendid Musical Service.

The special musical service held in St. John (stone) church last evening was very impressive. The church was crowded. The music included Mendelssohn's Hear My Prayer, and Stainer's The Crucifixion. The prelude to Parsifal, was played by the organist D. Arnold Fox in his characteristic fine style. The music was of an unusually difficult nature, but the solos and choral numbers were sung in a truly artistic manner. The soloists were, Mrs. C. S. Robertson, soprano; Mrs. Hugh Cannon, contralto; C. A. Munro, tenor; E. A. Reynolds, W. G. Burdham and W. H. Holder. In Mendelssohn's hymn, Hear My Prayer the solo part was taken by Mrs. Robertson and was sung in pleasing style. The part of the Redeemer was taken by E. A. Reynolds. The recitative part was given by C. A. Munro, who was heard to advantage. In the solo, "I will arise and go to my Father," and in other tenor solos.

Carpenters' Public Meeting.

The public meeting held by the carpenters' union last evening was largely attended. Jas. Sugrue, C. N. Stevens, Herman Campbell, Geo. Breen, and Wm. Peterson delivered addresses urging the men who have not already joined the union to come forward and take part in the movement to establish a minimum rate of \$3 a day. Their remarks were received with a good deal of enthusiasm. It was announced that the number of contractors who have agreed to concede the new schedule was growing and that the union did not anticipate any difficulty on the first of May. At the business meeting which followed, a number of new members were enrolled and the question of raising the initiation fee was discussed. An organizer of the international union is on his way to the city to look over the situation, and make arrangements for backing up the local organization in case any trouble should develop.

The funeral of John Lee was held this morning from his late residence in Milford to St. Rose's church where a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Chas. Collins. Interment took place in the Sand Cove cemetery.

PRICE PLACED ON CITY LAND WANTED FOR CEMENT PLANT

Safety Board Decides to Offer 350 Acres of Green Head Land, to Mr. Beach for \$25,000.

A meeting of the Safety Board was held yesterday afternoon when the matter of selling the city's land at Greenhead to Mr. Beach of New York, who has a project to establish cement works there, was taken up. As there was nothing very definite before the board in regard to Mr. Beach's plans, it was decided to place as a basis of further negotiations a price of \$25,000 on the property which embraces about 350 acres of land containing valuable limestone and clay deposits. The general feeling among the members of the board was that the city might be prepared to accept a lower figure, provided satisfactory guarantees were given that the cement plant would be established in a reasonable time and kept in operation, but owing to the failure of the Craig project to materialize it was deemed advisable to name a price which would show whether Mr. Beach meant business.

R. M. McCarthy, the local representative of Mr. Beach, said he did not think the price named would be satisfactory, but that from the opinion expressed by the aldermen he judged that when definite information of the intentions of Mr. Beach was placed before them an agreement would be arrived at.—He expected Mr. Beach would visit St. John in a short time and look over the situation. As yet, he added, no definite arrangements regarding the organization of a company to carry on the enterprise had been made, but Mr. Beach who was one of the biggest manufacturers of cement in the United States expected to set up a plant capable of turning out 1,200 barrels of cement a day, and giving employment to about 450 men. Mr. McCarthy expressed the opinion that with the development of New Brunswick there would be a big market for cement. If the dry dock was constructed it would mean a big demand for cement and the construction of the Valley Railway would afford a market for about 350,000 barrels.

APARTMENT HOUSE COMPANY FORMED

Shareholders of Prince William Apartments Company, Ltd., Met Yesterday Afternoon and Elected Officers.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Prince William Apartment Company, Ltd. was held yesterday afternoon in the office of the company, Prince William street. The officers and directors of the company were chosen at the meeting and are: Pres., H. C. Creighton; Vice-Pres., F. N. Brodie; Managing Director, L. D. Tilley; W. S. Fisher and R. G. Haley, together with the above named officers were appointed to act as the directors of the company. The by-laws of the company were passed and confirmed by the meeting. Practically all of the stock has been subscribed. The plans and specifications for the building are now being completed by the architect, Neil Brodie, and will be ready for tender on Monday next, the 17th at the office of the architect. The work of remodeling, it is expected, will be begun at an early date and will be finished about the first of September and the building will be ready to be occupied by that date.

SPREADAKES TO KNOW THE DECISION TODAY

Supreme Court Decides that Judge Forbes' Sentence was Erroneous, and will Make a Pronouncement Today.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, April 12.—In the supreme court this afternoon in the case of LeBlanc, defendant, appellant and Laporte Martin and Company, Limited, plaintiff, respondent, W. G. Wallace, K. C., supported the appeal from the St. John county court. A. A. Wilson, contra. Court considers. In the Windsor Lumber Company vs. Rudie et al, M. G. Teed, K. C., for defendant supported an appeal from the order of Mr. Justice McKeown made March 6th so far as fixing the place of trial for St. John. P. R. Taylor contra for plaintiff. The appeal was dismissed. The case of Campbell vs. Donaldson et al and the same vs. the same in the King's bench division paper, was stood over till tomorrow. Court will probably give judgment in Crown case reserved of King vs. John Speredakes tomorrow. The court found that the sentence of two years in the penitentiary and the fine of \$1,900 was erroneous and will pronounce sentence tomorrow.

Statue Donated.

A large statue of St. Anne de Beauport has been donated to St. John the Baptist church by Mrs. P. J. Denahue, in memory of her late husband. This beautiful work of art has been placed in position over the Carmarthen street door inside the church. The blessing of the statue will take place on Sunday, May 7th.

Open Today.

The Tuberculosis Association Dispensary will be open this afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, instead of on Friday, get promotions.

KEITH MANAGER HERE FOR INFORMATION IN REGARD TO THEATRE

H. L. Watkins in City, Yesterday, Acquiring Data in Connection with the Proposed New Picture House.

H. L. Watkins, general manager of the Keith Moving Picture Company, who has been in the city securing data in regard to the property on King square, upon which it is proposed to erect a new theatre, left for Boston yesterday with all the information necessary for the architects who will draw the plans of the building. M. J. Barry who occupies a portion of the property acquired by the Keith interests will sell his horses and carriages by auction today and will vacate shortly afterwards. Emerson and Fisher and G. S. Fisher who occupy other positions will vacate on the first of May. It is probable the buildings will be sold at auction and demolished. Considerable excavation work will be done and a concrete cellar will be constructed which will be utilized for the installation of the heating apparatus, vacuum machinery and other facilities. The building which will occupy a frontage of 73 feet between the Dufferin hotel and the Lansdowne House and have a depth of 18 feet, will be modern in every respect and constructed in the most approved principles in regard to protection from fire. It will probably contain a number of stores and a large ballroom suite, and it is planned to make the roof available for a roof garden either for entertainment or sight seeing purposes. As soon as the architect's plans are ready the contract for construction will be let and the work pushed along rapidly. It is hoped to have the building ready for show purposes by the time the new law files. The Keith interests intend to erect a similar building in Bangor, Maine.

WEST END FREIGHT HANDLERS IN UNION

Organization was Effected Last Night with a Membership of 121 Men—Will Seek Higher Wages.

For some time past the truckers and freight handlers about the sheds in the West End have not been satisfied with the money they have been receiving for their work and the matter of organizing a union has been the topic among them for some weeks. About a week ago a petition was circulated among the freight handlers and it was readily signed by nearly all of the men. The matter came to a head last night at a meeting held in the Temperance Hall, Carleton, and a freight handlers' union was organized with a charter list of 121 members. The winter port season is fast drawing to a close, but the new union expect that by working in a body next winter there will be a better rate for their work.

ONE YEAR IN JAIL WITH HARD LABOR

George Forester Sentenced by Magistrate Ritchie for Stealing from House where he was Kindly Treated.

In the police court yesterday afternoon George Forester was found guilty of theft and was sentenced to a term of one year in jail with hard labor. About a week ago Forester visited a house on Brussels street and begged for food. While he was being kindly entertained he stole a \$12 watch and a knife from Gordon Gates, a boarder in the house. Forester sold the watch for ten dollars and gave the knife away. He informed the court that he would not have stolen the articles only that he had been under the influence of liquor.

PERSONAL.

Dr. J. W. Daniel, M. P., arrived on the Boston Express last night from Ottawa via Fredericton. Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., was a passenger on the express last night from Fredericton. M. G. Teed arrived from Fredericton on the express last night. Recorder Baxter, K. C., leaves for Fredericton this morning to attend the supreme court. Geo. F. Cochrane will spend the holiday with his parents at Marysville. Mrs. S. Willis left yesterday morning for Dorchester, Mass., where she will spend the Easter holidays with her brother. Promotion For W. B. Bamford. W. R. MacInnes, freight traffic manager of the C. P. R., has announced the reorganization of the company's freight traffic department. W. B. Bolling will continue to hold the position of assistant freight traffic manager over rates, etc. W. M. Kirkpatrick, general freight agent at Toronto, will take up a new office at Montreal, in charge of the solicitation and freight traffic, and of interchange with connecting lines. H. Brown of the freight department, Toronto, has been promoted to take Mr. Kirkpatrick's place there. W. B. Bamford, general freight agent at St. John, becomes division freight agent. Several other officials get promotions.

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