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PLAN CANAL TO PARALLEL UNCLE SAM'S

Government of Columbia Will Likely Build One Will be Built at Another Point on Isthmus But on Columbia Land Columbia Mad Because United States Took Panama

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 8.—That the government of the Republic of Columbia is actually contemplating the construction of a canal across the isthmus of Panama, paralleling that of the United States, but at another point on the isthmus, and within Columbian territory, and that British capitalists are actually investigating the matter with reference to financing the enterprise, is the startling news which has leaked out since the House Appropriations Committee returned from its visit to the isthmus.

Suffered Terrible Pains From His Kidneys

Perhaps no other organs work harder than the kidneys to preserve the general health of the body, and most people are troubled with some kind of kidney complaint, but do not suspect it.

There is no way of getting the kidney poisons out of the system except through the kidneys, and no medicine so effective in taking them out as Doan's Kidney Pills.

They help the kidneys to flush out the acid and poisonous impurities which have collected, thus clearing out the kidneys, bladder and urinary passages.

Doan's Kidney Pills are entirely vegetable, and may be safely taken by old and young.

Mr. Donald A. McIsaac, Broad Cove Bank, N.S., writes—"I was troubled with my kidneys for nine months, and suffered with such terrible pains across the small of my back all the time that I could hardly get around. After taking two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills I began to feel better, and by the time I had taken three I was completely cured."

Price 50 cents per box, 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers or mailed direct by The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

500 PETITIONS FOR ANTI-GAMBLING LAW

Pugsley Off to Washington on Boundary Matters—U. S. Immigration Officers are a Joke.

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—Nearly 500 petitions have been presented to parliament at Ottawa praying for the enactment of anti-gambling legislation.

Hon. Wm. Pugsley left for Washington, D. C., yesterday afternoon, where he and Dr. King, Dominion astronomer, will confer with Ambassador Bryce and United States authorities relative to several matters in connection with the progress of re-marking the international boundary lines.

A report comes from Winnipeg that American immigration officers are refusing to allow Canadians to cross the Manitoba boundary lines into the States.

HAD TO HUSTLE WITH THE LUNATIC

Stowaway Frozen on a Lake Steamer

Saskatchewan's Finances—Winnipeg Candidate Has a Grouch Against City Clerk—A Dog's Wanderings.

TORONTO, Dec. 8.—Because he was conveying a raving lunatic from Hamilton to the insane asylum here, Geo. Clover, a chauffeur, escaped a fine in the police court yesterday for exceeding the speed limit on Queen street.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8.—C. R. Wilkes, whose name unexpectedly appeared on the majority nomination sheet Tuesday, announces that he will begin action against the city clerk, Charles Brown, for forgery, alleging that Brown put the name of "Ginger" Snooks, a city scavenger and well known character, on his nomination paper.

SARINIA, Ont., Dec. 8.—Frost bitten and unconscious, Henry Brown, aged 45 years, was found in a life boat on the steamer Ionic, when the vessel docked here. He had been hidden away in a small boat for five days without food and may die from the effects of exposure and lack of food.

It is reported that the Rothschilds may finance the enterprise. The British government contends that we are bound by treaty to refrain from fortifying our coast. There is every indication that this contention will be disregarded, for preparations are already being made looking to the immediate fortification.

Columbian officials are the authority for the statement alleging that the route for the competing canal has already been selected.

REVENUE, Dec. 8.—Estimates of revenue and amounts to be voted for public service for the twelve months ending February 28, 1911, show a total estimated revenue of \$2,754,800, made up of general revenue fund \$2,454,800, and supplementary revenue fund \$300,000. Estimated expenditure out of the general revenue fund is \$2,442,455, and out of the supplementary revenue fund \$300,000, leaving an estimated surplus of \$1,112,345. The estimated expenditure on capital account is \$2,292,253.

NO NEED OF GOING ANY FURTHER WITH HIS SUIT

Attempt to Serve Papers in Divorce Action Results in Several Deaths.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 8.—The attempt of Charles H. Lukens, a deputy sheriff, to serve papers in a divorce suit on Charles Galloway, a business man, last night led to the killing in a street of Lukens, the mortal wounding of Galloway, and the serious shooting of Henry Anderson, a detective.

Accompanied by William Drew, City Marshal of Rosedale, Kansas, Lukens attempted to serve the papers on Galloway on the street. Galloway ran and the officers pursued him. Lukens shot at the fleeing man and he returned the fire, killing Lukens. Drew fired at Galloway but the latter escaped.

Sheriff Albert Becker, of Wyandotte County, then organized an armed posse. Galloway was found barricaded in the house of J. E. Cresson, his business partner in Kansas City, Mo. When the officers forced an entrance to the house, Galloway shut himself in a closet and fired through the door, shot Detective Anderson through the arm. The officers fired through the door and Galloway fell, shot through the stomach. He died in the hospital a few hours later.

WESTERN UNION WILL HANDLE MONEY ORDERS

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The British post office department announced today that it had concluded a money transfer agreement with the Western Union Telegraph Company through which that company will be permitted to make cable transfers of money between its offices in the United States and points in Great Britain and Ireland, where the orders will be cashed through the postal department.

The arrangement has the sanction of the British treasury and will become operative on January 1 next.

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CHATHAM LOOKS FOR INDUSTRIAL BOOM

Following the Building of the New Railway

Snowball Concern Secures Property on Which New Mills Will be Erected—Talk of a Paup Mill.

CHATHAM, Dec. 8.—Already the effects of the proposed railway extension into town are being felt. A few days ago W. B. Snowball of J. B. Snowball Co., purchased from A. H. Marquis important holdings lying along a river front above town which the new railway will tap and offering a splendid site for industries. Mr. Snowball stated this morning that the purchase had been concluded, and before next fall he would have a grist mill erected on the newly acquired property. The mill would be capable of turning out twenty-five barrels per day. In addition a saw mill owned by the Snowball concern just above the Marquis property will be equipped for a pulp mill as a fine site is available with deep water and a railway connection as soon as the new branch is put in.

TRURO, N. S., Dec. 9.—Proceedings in the express robbery case were of no special interest. The witness, Laurie Burgess pleaded not guilty when asked by Magistrate Taylor if he had any statement to make. William J. Burgess in answer to the same question, made a clear and explicit denial of all knowledge of the robbery, claiming that he was held up by an unknown man and found the office robbed by another man he didn't know.

HE IS WHOLLY INNOCENT

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ZELAYA DEGRES DEATH TO AMERICANS

Orders His Officers to Shoot on Sight—Four U. S. Warships Now on the Scene.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 8.—A cable to the Ploeyans from Panama says: Death to Americans is the order issued to the army by President Zelaya. Positive information was received here today that more than a month ago Zelaya issued instructions to his military commanders to shoot every American caught fighting in the army of the revolutionists. Some of Zelaya's officers refused to obey these orders and warned him that trouble with the United States would result.

GIRL'S SUICIDE LEADS TO ARREST OF BULL-FIGHTER

Mexican Faces Serious Charges Following Death of Girl Who Was Silly About Him.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 8.—Rodolfo Gaona, a bull fighter, known as the "Idol of the Bull Ring," is under arrest under serious charges in connection with the suicide of Marie Louise Nuecker, fifteen years old. The girl, whose family is a well known one, was reported to have committed suicide by shooting herself in the chest with a revolver.

Case of Leprosy Discovered at Calumet

Most Virulent Type—Sir Wm. Muleck Discusses British Empire.

MONTREAL, Q., Dec. 9.—"Old England is giving way to the progress of modern ideas. That the tree bends and does not break is the surest proof of its vitality."

Such was the tribute paid by Sir William Muleck last night at the 13th annual arts dinner, held in the Temple building to the heart of the British empire.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 8.—A case of leprosy of the most virulent type has been just discovered at Calumet, where a Finnish miner named Stanislaus is quarantined under rigid supervision.

Dr. A. S. Weethran of University, who was visiting in the State Board of Health, declared the patient is unmistakably a leper. The enlarged ears and horribly distorted facial expression leave no room for doubt.

DOWNIE-WILSON

A very quiet wedding was solemnized at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon in St. John's (Stone) church, when Miss Charlotte Wilson, daughter of Dr. Wilson, M. D., K. C. late law clerk in the house of commons at Ottawa, and sister of Mrs. G. A. Kuhring, became the bride of William Downie, general superintendent of the Atlantic division of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The wedding, which was of a private nature, was attended only by the relatives of the contracting parties, was solemnized by Rev. G. A. Kuhring, rector of St. John's. Mr. and Mrs. Downie will reside on Coburg street.

The bride, who is very popular in St. John, came here about four years ago to care for her mother, who was seriously ill. Since coming she has made her home with Rev. G. A. and Mrs. Kuhring.

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THE CHRISTMAS BOAT WILL HAVE BIG CROWD

Fifteen Hundred Booked to Sail on Victorian

Other Steamers Both Ways are to Carry Very Large Numbers—Busy Along the Waterfront.

The Allan liner Victorian, the Christmas boat, will sail from Sand Point at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. The local press is busy today completing arrangements for the accommodation of passengers. The steamer will carry away over a hundred passengers from St. John and others will join the boat at Halifax. There will be about 100 first class, 400 second and 900 third class passengers. The majority of the passengers are Britishers returning home for Christmas.

The steamer will be seen at Sand Point until after the first of the year. Allan liners will occupy the berth. The next sailing of the C. P. R. Express boats from Liverpool will be on December 21, when the Empress of Canada will bring over a hundred passengers from Liverpool. The Allan liner Corsican, which sails from Liverpool on December 17, will be under charter to the Canadian Pacific. The steamer Esperanza is due shortly. She sailed from Liverpool on Friday. The steamer will carry over 800 third class passengers. There are 42 saloon, 12 second class and 651 third class passengers.

The Lakonia of the Donaldson line will reach port Friday or Saturday. The steamer is due here on Tuesday. The Casandra is now sailing aboard a large cargo at Sand Point and will sail on Saturday.

All accommodation for the return trip of the C. P. R. steamer Luce Manitoba, which sails on Saturday, has already been booked.

I. R. C. HAS MORE GRAIN THAN IT CAN HANDLE

Elevator is Full and 205 Cars Wait in the Yards—General Export Traffic Also Shows Immense Increase.

The immense growth of the I. R. C. grain business at this port is shown by the fact that 205 cars of grain are now waiting for an opportunity to get into the elevator, which is already filled to its capacity of 500,000 bushels. Since the second week of November, 20,000 bushels have been shipped, but the grain coming east has continued to accumulate more rapidly than the steamer can take it away, and the present congestion is the result.

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MECHANICAL BEARS ALSO VERY POPULAR—A NUMBER OF NEW AND ATTRACTIVE TOYS.

The toy shops are completely stocked for Christmas and several interesting novelties are to be found in the show rooms of the leading stores. In addition to the Teddy bears, one can now secure a Teddy lion. Named after Morris, the new device toy to call to mind his hunting tour in Africa. This toy is of the same pattern as the bear, but has a lion's head. It takes the place of the bear and is becoming quite popular. Merchants, however, feel that the balance of the market there is much popularity regarding this toy.

The mechanical Teddy regarding a ready seller. While the Christmas shopping is still commencing, the stock of mechanical bears has been almost sold out. This toy is an entirely new arrangement. The bear is wound up and after running about is made to tumble several times. Other novelties are also to be found in the mechanical line fresh from French and German toy makers. The skipping girl with a music box is a distinct favorite with the youngsters.

In all the leading establishments evidence of the Christmas rush can be noticed. Many prefer to complete their shopping early. There remain thirteen days to buy your presents.

SENTENCED TO DEATH TO SAVE HIS LIFE

WILLIAMSTON, Ky., Dec. 7.—All within a few hours. Earl Thompson, a negro, was accused today of criminal assault, indicted, tried and sentenced to death. This extraordinary rapidity probably averted a lynching, as a mob had announced their intention of wreaking summary vengeance on the prisoner.

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ITALIAN LANDLORDS FIGHT FOR THE SOIL

Resist With Force Government Efforts to Secure Small Holdings for Peasants.

ROME, Dec. 8.—Riots resulting directly from the desire of large landowners to prevent peasants from obtaining small holdings and allotments have occurred at Montemilione, in the Italian province of Basilicata. The ministry of agriculture has taken steps to frustrate the schemes of the big landed proprietors who, through their agents, were outbidding the peasants for the possession of crown woodlands.

These measures being successful, the enraged landlords engaged a band of 500 men to seize the town hall. When the soldiers appeared on the scene the men refused to give up possession of the hall, and the doors were broken in.

The hired forces of the landlords, having destroyed the communications with neighboring places, moved out into the open and attacked the soldiers with scythes, sticks, stones and knives. A fierce battle followed, in which two of the rioters were shot dead and two of the soldiers were so dangerously wounded that they are not expected to recover. A police emissary had his skull fractured by a brick, and there were many minor casualties.

RESULTS OF FOOD HEALTH AND NATURAL CONDITIONS COME FROM RIGHT FEEDING

Man, physically, should be like a perfectly regulated machine, each part working easily in its appropriate place. A slight derangement causes undue friction and wear, and frequently ruins the entire system.

A well known educator of Boston found a way to keep the brain and the body in that harmonious co-operation which makes a joy of living.

"Two years ago," she writes, "being in a condition of nervous exhaustion, which I had held for over 40 years. Since then the entire rest has of course, been a benefit, but the use of Grape-Nuts has removed one great cause of illness in the past, namely, constipation, and its attendant evils. I generally make my entire breakfast on a raw egg beaten into four spoonfuls of Grape-Nuts with a little hot milk or hot water added. I like it extremely my food assimilates, and my bowels take care of themselves. I find my brain power and physical endurance much greater and I know that the use of Grape-Nuts has contributed largely to this result."

"It is with feelings of gratitude that I write this testimonial, and trust it may be the means of aiding others in their search for health."

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POLICY OF THE UNIONIST PARTY NOW DIVULGED

Organ of Chamber Reveals Mr. Balfour's Ideas

Preference is Given a Prominent Place in Program

Statement Made, However, That Idea Only Approximates Policy

LONDON, Dec. 8.—As far back as the memory of living men goes, Birmingham has been the home of an authorized programme. Today the political doves were fluttered by the enunciation in the Birmingham Post, which has long been the special organ of the Chamberlain family, of a detailed tariff policy which it says the Unionist ministry may be expected to adopt. In the main the forecast follows the lines of the tariff commission's report giving a decisive place to the preference.

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A SAD TRAGEDY.

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CHURCH NOTES FOR BUSY MEN

RUMAN CATHOLIC

The Lord's Day Alliance is responsible for the statement that the Bishop of Syracuse, New York, has publicly announced he would withhold the honors of Christian burial from such as should die as the result of alcoholism incurred while violating the day, and says: "Many who call themselves Christians, and some who call themselves Catholics, start out on Saturday nights and Sunday mornings to spend the Sunday at some pleasure resort, places of very questionable amusement, such as dancing, midway, and drinking places. All these forget the observance of the commandment, 'Keep hold the Sabbath day holy.' While the Sabbath is made for man, it is made for God. Hence the first duty on the Sabbath is to give glory to God according to prescribed forms of divine service, then sanctified rest and innocent recreation."

Dr. George Matheson Cullen was elected to the position of Bishop at a recent meeting of the Edinburgh Town Council. He has the distinction of being the first member of the Catholic church to be elected to the magistracy of Edinburgh since the Reformation.

Preparations are being made for the eleventh Congress in Montreal. A vast number of Catholics from all Canada will be there, not less than many thousands.

On Tuesday, 8th, St. John Knill was inaugurated to succeed Sir George Truscott as lord mayor of London. Sir John Knill is a Catholic, so that big-city cannot flourish very much in London.

GENERAL

The Anglican diocese of Honan, China, has a population of 45,000,000. It will likely be placed under the jurisdiction of the Canadian church, of which the Rev. W. C. White has been consecrated the first bishop.

The Archbishop of Canterbury presided at a great gathering in Albert Hall, London, to protest against the cruelties in the Congo. Beside him sat the Rev. Dr. Clifford, a distinguished Baptist minister, and the Rev. Dr. British Nonconformity. The immense building was packed. Many failed to gain admittance, and a resolution was carried by acclamation that the complete reform in the administration of the affairs of the Congo Independent State.

The Disciples of Christ, so called, says the Presbyterian Witness are a large sect, the growth of which has been rapid. The increase for the year before last was 30,000, last year there was a decrease of 5,000.

St. Paul's Anglican church, Halifax, was reopened on the 22nd ult. The Rev. Archdeacon, speaking of the largest Protestant congregation in Halifax, and for the first time since a strong force on the side of the Anglican Christianity. A new organ has been installed, and the interior repainted and redecorated.

The Bishop of London at a recent meeting of the Wesleyan Conference of Saskatchewan, speaking of the loss their church had sustained in the country districts of Ontario, says as an illustration, that his own brother's family had attended service in a little Wesleyan chapel because there was no other church within eight or nine miles. They must not make the same mistake in the West. Mr. Lloyd stated he required 30 catechists, and that they were not going to make the mistake feared by the bishop.

The Presbyterian church in North India has added to its baptized membership during the past four years, 1,100 to its roll, and the work shows no signs of abatement.

His Majesty has just conferred the honor of knighthood on George H. Polard, M. D., M. P., of Southampton, and Robert Laidlaw of Glasgow. The two gentlemen thus honored are members of the Wesleyan Methodist church.

The Anglican Bishop of Quebec, Dr. Odum, is seriously ill, and prayers for his recovery were offered in the different churches last Sabbath. He is 70 years of age. Rev. Mr. Dicker, formerly of this city, is his son-in-law.

The Laymen's Missionary Movement affected the Toronto churches: Four Methodist churches made the following advances: \$3,000 to \$15,000; \$7,000 to \$10,000; \$4,000 to \$12,000; \$5,000 to \$10,000. Three Presbyterian churches advanced as follows: \$7,000 to \$15,000; \$5,000 to \$10,000; \$3,000 to \$7,000. Three Baptist churches advanced \$7,000 to \$15,000; \$5,000 to \$10,000; \$3,000 to \$7,000.

SATURDAY SERMONETTE

ALL WRONG WE THOUGHT, ALL RIGHT WE FOUND OUT. A cold raw windy morning. A drive of three miles to the station. He borrowed a cap to wear to the station. Forgetting to take the hat he intended to wear to the city, Kooker himself for his forgetfulness. Thought was a guy he would look and feel wearing a fur cap in the rain.

A blizzard in the city, hats flying, owners scurrying after them looking and feeling foolish, wishing their hats were home and their wives wearing, not chasing, their caps. Envy for the man with the cap, cap man smiling and hugging himself because he forgot his hat.

That is our story. We thought that all these things were against us. We found out the opposite were for our good. We thought life would not be worth living if we did not get the fat and man we wanted. We met her when she was fat and forty, or this and fifty. Her nose and chin were shrunken. She had acquired little man in tow, he meekly following with grins and paces and children—her (?) children. We stepped and were glad and hugged ourselves like "the man with the cap" and said

2,100 ENGLISHMEN ON WAY TO SPEND XMAS AT HOME

C. P. R. Liner Takes 1,500 and Gramplan Sails With 600—One of the Striking Features of the Crowd is Their Dress

In recent years a feature of the Christmas season in St. John has been the rush of settlers from the West to Great Britain in order that they may spend Christmas at their former homes. In the old land fifteen hundred westerners bound for England with various of Christmas cheer before them sailed from this port on Friday on the Empress of Britain, of the C. P. R. line. Yesterday the Allan liner Gramplan sailed away about six hundred more. These people will return to their western homes at various times before Christmas. The great majority of them have "made good" in Canada, and are delighted with their new home. No doubt there are both optimists and pessimists among the group, but the excess of the growers. However, whatever may be their individual views, whether they personally regret that they came over here or are enthusiastic as to the prospects before them in this country of their adoption, they cannot be hidden, and that is that whereas three, four, five, or even ten years ago many of these men landed in Canada with little more than

they stood up in to-day, after a few years of work, they are going on an expedition to the old land. Christmas with their folks at home, all clad with plenty of money in their pockets, and that is of greater importance, with a real estate in the land of their adoption.

One of the most striking features about these people who migrate annually from the New to the Old World and back again is their dress. It is in marked contrast from the garb of the ordinary Englishman as could well be imagined. This is easily seen by anyone who watches the crowd which gathers at the West Side docks when a liner is about to depart for Liverpool.

Furs of every sort and description from the tailor made sealskin to the rough looking coat which has probably gone through several winters' hard wear, are the order of the day, or rather night, and when the liners disembark their passengers at Liverpool, the garments of that city will possibly be inclined to wonder whether they have not suddenly been transported to Polar regions, so starting and weird are some of the costumes.

HE KNOWS FROM HIS EXPERIENCE

That Dodd's Kidney Pills Will Cure Bright's Disease.

POSTMASTER COOTE TELLS HOW THE GREAT CANADIAN KIDNEY REMEDY CURED HIS DOCTORS HAD GIVEN HIM UP.

La Petit-Belle, France, Temiscouata, Co. Que., Dec. 3.—(Special.) Mr. Charles Coote, postmaster here, is firmly convinced that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure Bright's Disease or any other disease of the kidneys. He knows it from his own experience. Hear what he says: "For over four years I was troubled with Backache, Rheumatism and lack of ambition, my urine was of a dark, unnatural color. I was attended by three doctors, who did me no good. The last one told me it was only a little next to nothing, anything else as I could not live more than a year at the outside.

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Postmaster Coote had all the symptoms of Bright's Disease. The doctors evidently knew he had Bright's Disease—the most deadly form of kidney disease. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him. They will cure any form of kidney disease.

THIRTY-THREE LOST OFF ENGLISH COAST

Steamer Ellen Vannin Goes Down With All on Board

LONDON, Dec. 4.—All hope of the survival of the passengers of the late of the Man steamer Ellen Vannin, was abandoned today when portions of the steamer's upper works and small boats were picked up on the banks of the Mersey. The Ellen Vannin carried twelve passengers and a crew of twenty-one.

The little craft was the mascot of the late of the Man Steam Packet Company's fleet and her loss was a proverbial one. For forty-nine years she had ridden the seas and has never lost a passenger. She sailed on her last voyage from Ramsey, Isle of Man, for Liverpool, at midnight on Thursday and ran into the hurricane early yesterday. It is believed that she was driven on to the Mersey Bar and foundered suddenly.

The loss of the steamer Thistlemoor off Appleton in Barnstable Bay was also confirmed today, but some of the crew of thirty were saved. The steamer Armdale, which was in the vicinity at the time of the disaster, picked up ten men, one of whom later died from exposure. The Armdale also picked up many other vessels, and was damaged and put back to Barry, Wales. The gale continued over the Irish Channel with unabated severity throughout the night.

HIGHEST FOOD-VALUE.

EPPE'S COCOA

Children thrive on "Epps's."

PREACHES SERMON ON HIS 100TH BIRTHDAY

Lynn Woman Meets a Tragic Death in Hospital

Well-Known Umpire Killed—Cook's Secretary Returns With Reports—Fasted 28 Days Ahead.

MAST MIDDLEBURY, Vt., Dec. 5.—The death of the well-known umpire, William Tippen, occurred yesterday morning. He was 78 years of age and had fasted 28 days ahead of his death.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 5.—Maurice F. Danby, who is thought to have been killed by a stray shot, was found on a lumbering road 40 miles from where he was last seen. He was 30 years of age and had fasted 28 days ahead of his death.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 5.—With the winter weather setting in, Chicago was whipped by the severest storm that has swept over the Great Lakes region in many years. It was accompanied by a heavy snowfall, turning into sleet, which, for a time caused the street railroad companies to suspend their service.

BUSINESS MEN BEGOT A BIG HOLIDAY TRADE

Only Disagreeable Feature is the Absence of Snow—The Beautiful is Needed in the Country—Price of Farm Produce is High

The Christmas shopping season is upon us and the prospects are that St. John's retailers will have one of their best holiday seasons. The only disagreeable feature of the season is the absence of snow and the continuation of mild weather. Snow in the country districts in order that the farmers may have easy travelling.

While those who clothe the bodies of the city are busy with the holiday season, the same is true of those who minister to the wants of the winter man. Provisions and groceries on the whole are high in price and business is active. The same is true of other lines of business. The deal more directly with the holiday trade than do either of the others mentioned.

Probably the most important of these is the resumption of industrial activity in the last twelve months, which has done much to stimulate men with employment. Families which were virtually destitute a year ago are now enjoying a plentiful and steady income. Men who were in a precarious position at the last year's end are now looking to the future with confident hopefulness.

VICTORIAN HAD ROUGH VOYAGE

"THE GAD OF THE CABINET" LLOYD GEORGE'S NEW TITLE

London Observer Violently Attacks the Liberal Party—The Gathering in Trafalgar Square.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—The Observer, which throughout has been the protagonist of the rejection of the Budget by the House of Lords, and whose violent articles on tariff reform has earned the writer, J. L. Garvin, the title of "The Wild Man of the Conservatives," has today issued its leader this morning in an attack upon Chancellor Lloyd-George, whom it calls "the Gad of the Cabinet."

The Observer decries its leader this morning in an attack upon Chancellor Lloyd-George, whom it calls "the Gad of the Cabinet." It says that the other front-rank politicians fight with their fists, but Lloyd-George fights with his nails.

The Conservative Sunday Times, describing the scene in Trafalgar Square, says that there is no use attempting to delude the demonstration. The fifty speakers included a dozen of the members of the House of Commons. The speaker of the day, Mr. Lloyd-George, was arranged at short notice. His paper, was, however, most notable and most effective demonstration in recent years. The turnip emblem was tossed and it looked like a head on a pile in the twilight.

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I wish you could know for yourself the wonderful effect of the salve... I wish you could realize the health and happiness that will be yours when this wonderful force infuses every nerve and vein of your body as accomplished through my treatment. I have been curing thousands of years for forty years.

Free Until Cured. If I fail you don't pay me anything whatever. I leave you to be the judge, and ask not one penny in advance or on deposit. I cannot do more than that to prove the value of my treatment, so if you will call or write I will at once arrange to give you a Belt suited to your requirements of your case, and you can pay me when cured. Or for cash full wholesale discount. You will also get the benefit of the investment of my forty years' experience enables me to give my patients. This long continuous success has brought forth many imitators. Beware of them. You can try the original, the standard of the world, free until cured, then pay for it.

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GYM INQUEST ADJOURNS UNTIL TOMORROW

Belief Grows That Man Was Killed by Stray Shot—Bangor Man Says He Had No Rifle.

BRIDGEPORT IS NOW UNDER MARTIAL LAW

And Rioting of Strikers Has Ceased

Girl Strikers Listen to Su Faga Orator—Moral and Financial Support for Western Sw. Gman.

BRIDGEPORT, Ont., Dec. 5.—The situation at the Astma-Standard Plant Company, where for three days rioting has been intermittent between strikers and guards, was quiet today.

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Goes to Washington to Make Things Liveli for Authorities.

MRS. FANNY SCOTT MYLES

The death of Fanny Scott Myles, wife of Andrew Myles, took place Sunday morning at 12.45. The deceased was seventy-six years of age. Death resulted from an attack of pneumonia, of only a week's duration.

MR. MILES

The late Mrs. Myles was the daughter of the late William and Beulah Scott, and was a sister of the late Dr. J. H. W. Scott of Gagetown, and of Mrs. Scott of Boston. Mrs. Myles was a devoted member of the Portland Methodist Church and at the time of her death was one of its most prominent members. She was a woman of strong personality and sympathetic and lovable disposition, and will be much missed by her many friends.

A LOCAL SENSATION

"I see you farmers are all buying automobiles," said an admitted Farmer White-freer, "and you can believe it or not, but my hired man has developed a new kind of horse for speed."—Kansas City Journal.

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All Other Questions Thrust Into the Background

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LONDON, Dec. 6.—If, as has been freely said, the plan of the Conservative leaders was to force tariff reform from the front in the election campaign, and, as far as possible, thrust the question of the Lords' veto in the background, the Conservatives have failed.

The campaign, both in press and from the platform, is being waged with a bitterness which has not been seen in British politics in many years, and is exclusively upon the question of action of the Lords. All the election manifestos have framed their proposals by the Liberal, Radical, and Social parties have put the attack upon the Lords to the forefront of their campaign speeches on the Government side. Most significant still is the fact that the whole religious and moral atmosphere of the Liberal, Nonconformist, and Catholic, appears to be against Lord's pretensions.

The Archbishop of Canterbury's stentor from voting in the division of the House of Lords, and the Archbishop of York's frank denunciation of Lord Lansdowne's resolution, doubtless had a great effect. Following on the motion issued by the National Council of Free Church which declared that the action of the House of Lords "makes reforms impossible," the Conservative Party has advanced any definite scheme tariff reform, or has given the slight indication of how the Conservative Party intend to find a way to reject the rejected budget proposals.

CANADIAN VICTIMIZED BY CONFIDENCE MEN

Old Trick is Played on Montreal. Waik maker and He Loses \$840—His Experience in Paris.

PARIS, Dec. 4.—A Montreal watchmaker, Emile Wald, who is on a visit to Paris, was robbed yesterday of \$80 by means of the familiar confidence trick.

On the Boulevard des Capucines the Canadian met three men who had been fellow-passengers from New York. One undertook to show him the sights of the city, but before beginning their tour he asked Wald to accompany him to a cafe for refreshments. There one of the men complained that he had been robbed of \$100 since his arrival in Paris, and suggested as a measure of precaution that the Canadian should become joint banker for the party.

The unsuspecting watchmaker, flattered by this mark of confidence, fully and cheerfully accepted the proposal. On the suggestion of his shipmates he carried all his ready cash in an envelope. The other members of the party apparently did likewise, and then the envelopes were sealed and handed over to the keeping of the Canadian. A few minutes afterward the three confederates, under one pretext or other, had disappeared.

After waiting an hour for their return, Mr. Wald decided to investigate the contents of the envelope. It contained a piece of newspaper, and the Steinleitner verdict and nothing more.

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H. Clay Pierce Makes Novel Defense on Charge of False Swearing

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 4.—The question of perjury was the subject of a plea of almost the entire time of the court here today in the trial of H. Clay Pierce for false swearing. The question was whether a woman acting as a notary has the right to administer an oath.

A woman clerk in the service of the state administered the oath to Henry Clay Pierce when he swore his company, the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, was not in any way connected with the Standard Oil Company.

It is contended by the defense that this notary, being a woman, has no legal status under the law of Texas, which recognizes neither woman's suffrage nor woman's legal standing, and consequently, Pierce has committed no crime in having her recognize anything he said.

HE WAS NO CHURCHGOER

Rector (on his way to church, meeting a gamekeeper). "Come, my dear fellow, how is it I never see you at church?" "Well, sir, I don't wish to make your congregation smaller."

1907. The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Myles was celebrated. During her lifetime the deceased was a devoted member of the Portland Methodist Church and at the time of her death was one of its most prominent members. She was a woman of strong personality and sympathetic and lovable disposition, and will be much missed by her many friends.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday at 2.30 p.m. from her late residence, 61 High St. Oct.

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I wish you could know for yourself the wonderful effect of the galvanic current on weak and nervous men. I wish you could realize the health and happiness that will be yours when this wonderful force invades every nerve and vein of your body as accomplished through my treatment. I have been curing thousands every year for forty years every curable case. I have cured the most nervous Debility, Varicocele, same Back, Kidney, Liver and Dr. Sandom Electric

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to the three men, who

accepted the proposal

with alacrity. He handed

over the money to the

three men, who

then fled. The watchman

was not until an hour

later that he decided to

investigate the matter.

He found the money

gone and nothing more.

# EARLY GETS

HIMSELF LOCKED UP

Washington to Make Things Level

for Authorities.

INGTON, Dec. 4—John R.

"Peeper," who threw

himself in Washington

today and was promptly

quarantined.

He made no effort to

escape and he admitted

he was prepared to make

things level for the

district authorities if

him up.

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# HOUSE OF LORDS THE CHIEF ISSUE

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The Archbishop of Canterbury's abstention from voting in the division in the House of Lords, and the Archbishop of York's frank denunciation of Lord Lansdowne's resolution undoubtedly had a great effect. Following on the manifesto issued by the National Council of Free Churches, which declared that the action of the House of Lords "makes reforms supported by Nonconformists impossible," the Church Times, the most influential and widely circulated Church paper, together with the Christian World and the organs of the Methodist, Baptist, and Catholic sections, declare for the Commons in the struggle against the Lords.

In the meantime, neither Mr. Balfour nor any other Conservative leader has advanced any defined scheme for tariff reform, or given the slightest indication of how the Conservatives propose to find the money to replace the rejected Budget proposals. The Conservative Morning Post, in an editorial this morning, warns the party that the coming contest will be a critical and severe one.

Unionist usage is to triumph its adherents must display tactical ability as well as courage and vigor. It will be the height of folly, says the paper, to fight on ground selected by the Liberal; and the Unionists must remember that tariff reform is the only possible alternative to the rejected budget. The Post's warning is timely, for the Unionist speakers and newspapers are mainly occupied in showering abuse upon their opponents' tactics.

Sunday was an off day in politics and there were few developments. An official notice has been issued from Somerset House to the public offices, that, as death duties may be paid either on the budget or pro-budget scale, subject to rectification when the new settlement has settled the matter. It is reported that a number of persons are preparing to protest against the deductions of the income tax from dividends by the banks while, according to the Liberal Daily News, trouble is arising at the customs house through refusal to pay duties on tea, and other goods.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The whole of Great Britain is immersed in the political campaign, which has been caused by the refusal of Lord Lansdowne to the budget. The country is divided into two great camps, composed of those who support the Lords and those who contend that the House of Commons must have absolute control of the finances of the nation. There are, of course, many other issues, such as tariff reform versus free trade, but these are in the background by the conflict between the two houses.

While the various local organizations are busy selecting candidates and preparing for the contests in their respective districts the leaders of the great parties are carrying on a general campaign.

The Radicals, who had long foreseen the fate of their finance bill are not allowing the grass to grow under their feet. In London this afternoon one of their organizations the National Democrat League held a demonstration as a protest against the action of the Lords which was of the most notable character that has ever been held in the metropolis. Fully 20,000 persons mostly of the laboring and artisan classes, gathered in Trafalgar Square and cheered the Radical speakers who condemned in a measure terms the members of the Upper Chamber.

The only divergent notes as elsewhere came from the suffragettes who after a term of comparative quiet, again engaged in efforts to break up the Radical meetings. The Trafalgar Square crowd, however, was too great for their efforts to have any effect. The Unionists are nominating a candidate in every constituency in England and Scotland, and with the exception of the seats held by the speaker, the Right Hon. James William Lowther, and Joseph Chamberlain, who are strong personal friends, the Liberal and Laborites will nominate a man to oppose them. The Liberals have decided not to contest Mr. Chamberlain's seat on account of his illness.

In the course of his speech, Mr. Churchill said:

"We are face to face with a period when parties necessarily are grouped on violent lines when brute force and class hatred, instead of forbearance and public spirit are becoming the characteristics of British political life."

Lewis Harcourt, who raised the present issues with those of the time of Cromwell and the French Revolution. Sir Edward Grey said in his address at Leeds that he would give the House of Lords a veto but no opportunity for repeal.

The Liberal peer, Lord Lyveden, described the Lords as rebels against the Crown. These speeches by men like the Foreign Secretary, who has hitherto been regarded as representing the statesman Whig and Lewis Harcourt, whose immaculate attire has earned for him the reputation of "Dandy of the House of Commons," indicate the nature of the political fight which has now begun and is reflected in the speeches of the demonstrators in Trafalgar Square as published in the Sunday papers.

The Trafalgar Square speeches were quite equal to the wildest utterances of any Socialist demonstrators in that historic spot. Dr. Clifford, the revered leader of the Free Church, hoped that the peers would be drowned in the Red Sea as was Pharaoh.

William P. Byles, member of the House of Commons from Salford North, said: "We have the Lords by the throat and are going to strangle them. If the men of England have the same spirit as they had three hundred years ago, they will be ready for civil war."

The favor emblem of the demonstrators was a turban carved to represent an imbecile face stuck on a pole and surmounted by a coronet with the words beneath: "The Firebrand." The crowds made a hostile demonstration before the Constitutional Club and cheered at Premier Asquith's residence. They then made for the Lansdowne House, which was guarded by police and broke up quietly.

# MR. CROKER HAD CANCEROUS GROWTH

### Son of the Late California Millionaire Dies in New York—Was III Some Time.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—George Crocker, son of the late California millionaire, died at 5:15 o'clock this afternoon at his home on Fifth Avenue in this city.

Death followed an illness of several years. At the bedside were a number of relatives, including Wm. H. Crocker, a brother, and Mrs. C. E. Alexander, his sister.

Mr. Crocker's death had been expected for several weeks. William H. Crocker was recently called from Europe and Mrs. Alexander and other relatives were summoned from California.

Since the death from cancer five years ago of his wife, Mr. Crocker had been operated upon for a cancerous growth. For several months he had been confined to his bed.

A few years after the death of his father, George Crocker came into an estate valued at several millions, and had been active in business until his illness.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

# EXCITED COW TRIES TO BREAK INTO HOSPITAL

### Nurses and Physicians in Wild Alarm as Bovine Makes Attempt

CHESTER, PA., Dec. 4.—Pretty white-capped nurses, physicians, and other attendants at the Chester Hospital were thrown into a fever of excitement and alarm to-day when a cow that was believed to be suffering with rabies ran over the hospital grounds, attempted to break into the kitchen of the institution. Then, coming around to the front part of the building, she did her level best to climb up a light of ten steep steps leading to the main entrance.

The animal was finally lassoed by William Ditchfield, a local butcher, assisted by Samuel E. Logan, agent for the Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and half a dozen other men. She was then chained to a stone post until she had become pacified.

# ZELAYA WANTS A COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE HIS ADMINISTRATION

### SOME OF GEN. ZELAYA'S SOLDIERS.



PRESIDENT ZELAYA OF NICARAGUA, AND WIFE. LAST PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN. LEONID GANNON HEAD.

# COUNCILLOR PRICE, NORTON, DANGEROUSLY HURT IN BARN

### Falls From Loft to Floor, Striking on His Head—Lively Budget of News From Kings County

(From The Sun's own Reporter.) SUSSEX, Dec. 2.—A. E. Pearson, barrister, has taken the office in the Sussex Mercantile Block formerly occupied by the late Robert Morrison. The entrance is by the same door as that leading to the Central Telephone Office.

The case of Le Blanc vs. Messrs. Lutz and Cripps was up for hearing at Dorchester. An action was brought by plaintiff to recover extras in connection with the building of the concrete work at the Sussex High School. The defendants deny responsibility and claim that all sums due plaintiff were paid, and have filed a counter claim. Fowler and Jones are appearing for the defendants. Messrs. Lutz and Cripps are represented by Mr. Leslie J. Fair, among the witnesses in the case.

Conductor John Henderson, who for some time past has had charge of the Hampton Suburban, and who has always been a great favorite with the patrons of the road, is receiving congratulations on his appointment as successor to Conductor Sproule on the Sussex Express. Mr. Henderson will become a citizen of Sussex.

Councillor Allan W. Price, one of the best-known residents of Norton, was badly injured at his home this week, and for a time his life was in jeopardy. He was thrown down by rabies ran over the hospital grounds, attempted to break into the kitchen of the institution. Then, coming around to the front part of the building, she did her level best to climb up a light of ten steep steps leading to the main entrance.

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Just what caused the cow to act as she did no one seems to know. She was going along quietly when she made the break for liberty and did not seem to be in any way excited.

Prospective Purchaser—What is this stall-like arrangement on the back of this 2009 model? Automobile Salesman—That's where you carry a horse.—Brooklyn Eagle.

At the regular meeting on Tuesday night of Valley Lodge No. 88 I. O. O. F. several new members took their first degree. The second degree will be worked at the next regular meeting.

The postmaster of Sussex has for the past month kept a record of letters posted at the office without stamps, etc. It stands at follows:—25 letters without stamps, 4 letters with ad-

# F. B. CARVELL SEES KELLEY

### FEAR EXPRESSED FOR SAFETY OF ROSALIND

### Red Cross Liner Left Halifax on Tuesday Morning—Carried Many Passengers.

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 5.—Anxiety felt for the safety of the Red Cross liner Rosalind, which plies between New York, Halifax and St. John's, Nfld., the Rosalind left Halifax Tuesday morning for St. John's and on to a late hour tonight had not arrived at the Newfoundland port. The last heard of her was Wednesday morning when the Halifax agents received a wireless message from the captain stating that the Rosalind had run into a heavy sea. The weather was so bad that the steamer had made only eighty miles since leaving Halifax. Ordinarily the Rosalind makes a run from Halifax to St. John in fifty hours, but in view of the weather conditions reported the Halifax agents did not expect her to reach the port before Saturday morning as a terrific gale has been raging on the Newfoundland coast.

The non-arrival of the steamer is causing considerable apprehension. The steamer was plying light, which was against her in battling with the storm. She carried several passengers whose names are not available tonight. It is possible that she has found the gale so severe that she did not risk approaching the Newfoundland coast, and is running to sea until the tempest abates.

The citizens of Sussex to be present and help make the occasion one long to be remembered. The committee has also decided to associate with the event the fiftieth anniversary of the entry into Sussex of her first railway train. A good programme will be arranged for the occasion, and all are cordially invited.

The annual fancy sale and turkey supper at the Methodist Church on Tuesday was a great success. The bill of fare was a most elaborate one and a record crowd did ample justice to the good things. The fancy and candy tables were well patronized. The sum realized amounted to \$162.

Ruby Dade, a young girl living at William Murray's, Belleisle Creek, got badly kicked by a colt last week. She was leading the animal to water, when it in some manner kicked her in the face, rendering her unconscious. Dr. Murray of this town was hastily summoned and dressed the wounds. She is now resting and hopes are held out for her recovery.

William Floyd, of Bernville, met with quite a serious accident while returning from St. John's last week, coming down a steep hill one of the shafts became unfastened, the horse became unmanageable and threw Mr. Floyd out, causing his head to strike several places besides, injuring his leg quite badly. Had it not been for some kind friends no doubt it would have been fatal.

The annual meeting of the Sussex and Studholm Agriculture Society was held in the offices of the Sussex Cheese and Butter Co. this week. A representative number of the members were present and much routine work was disposed of. The dates Sept. 19 to 23 selected by the Directors at a previous meeting for holding the 1910 Sussex exhibition were confirmed. The following resolution was unanimously carried:

"Resolved that the delegates of the Sussex and Studholm Agricultural Society to the Farmers' and Dairy-men's Association be instructed to take such steps, if any be necessary, to bring before the said association a resolution endorsing the progress of the exhibition of dairies for cattle, in the Province of New Brunswick. Following are the officers of the Society for the ensuing year: President, Colonel E. Montgomery Campbell, vice-President, E. O. McIntyre; Secretary, M. A. MacLeod; Directors: S. G. Goodcliffe, Robert Robinson, J. T. Prescott, Murray Hewitt, H. D. Buchanan, J. A. Murray, L. R. Millstream, and A. D. Friesse, Penobscue. Delegates to N.B.F. and D.A. J. F. Roach and J. W. Patterson. Substitutes, Thomas Lison and H. B. Parke.

Mr. Herbert Murray, Springfield, has a crew of men lumbering at Portage.

Mr. Edward Buchanan, Waterford, cut his foot very badly this week.

The Penobscue correspondent of the Sussex Record states that a gentleman from Woodville got a trifle astray in his reckoning of time and went to Penobscue on Sunday to purchase his winter's supply of provisions.

Bears are visiting the sheep flocks in the vicinity of Pearsonville and doing considerable damage.

After a continuous service of nearly half a century Conductor John Sprulle made his final run on the Sussex express Tuesday night. Mr. Sprulle, who has been a resident of Sussex and a committee of citizens will arrange to have his long and honorable career as a railway man fittingly acknowledged on Thursday, December 9th, in the Sussex Institute Hall, where he will be the honored guest of the citizens of Sussex and friends along the line. A committee of which Major H. L. G. is chairman has been working in the matter for some days. Messrs. J. M. Scovil and E. A. Schofield; Hampton, Councillor Gilbert, Rothesay, and John M'Avity, St. John's are associated with the Sussex Committee and join in the general invita-

### Interviews New Brunswick at Portland, Me.

### Case International One—What Kelley Claims

### Declares He Was Nabbed by Americans on Canadian Soil

PORTLAND, MAINE, Dec. 5.—In the investigation of a case which seems likely to develop into an international controversy, Hon. F. B. Carvell of Woodstock, N.B., member of the Canadian Parliament, was in this city tonight and had a talk with William J. Kelley of Richmond, N.B., who was arrested by Federal officers November 17 near the boundary line between Maine and Canada charged with smuggling and with an old indictment alleging assault upon goods on duty.

Kelley claims that his arrest was on Canadian soil, while United States Deputy Marshal Fred Stevens, who made the arrest, says it was at Union Corners, Maine. An interesting feature to the case was brought out in an interview with Mr. Carvell. The Federal officers claim that when Kelley was taken he was walking along beside a team containing live stock and country produce and that another man was walking on the other side of the team but that this man escaped, after a shot had been fired at him by Deputy Collector Peters—Mr. Carvell claims that this was all a ruse, and that he was working in conjunction with the Federal authorities, and was engaged in smuggling goods across the line.

Kelley was to have been arraigned Tuesday in the United States District Court at Portland, Me. In the indictment charging him with assault on the duty collector Burns, April 19, 1902, and it is understood that at the same time the Grand Jury would have been presented with evidence to show that he was smuggling at the time of his arrest, and that he resisted an officer. Mr. Carvell had a conference with United States District Attorney Robert T. Whitehouse to-night, and the latter consented to postpone the hearing until Tuesday, December 28, in order that Mr. Carvell might be present.

Mr. Whitehouse intimated that the evidence brought out at a hearing which would be held in Portland, Me., might be taken to Washington by the Canadian Government, but Mr. Carvell, although he refused to make any definite statement, left the impression with the reporter that his interview with Kelley was enough to satisfy him that no doubt it would have been fatal.

Mr. Carvell was attorney for Kelley when the United States Government tried extradition proceedings several years ago, but he says at that time Kelley claimed that he was acting in self-defence when he knocked Collector Burns unconscious.

Mr. Carvell left at 10:30 to-night, and will return for the trial next week.

# QUARREL RESULTS IN MURDER OF THREE

### Cleveland Police Now Searching for Joseph Mangino.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Joseph Mangino and two of her children, Annie and Jimmy Lupica, were murdered in the kitchen of their home here to-day in a quarrel over money matters. Joe Lupica, the baby of the family, was fatally stabbed. Search to-night was directed towards Antonio Mangino, husband and stepfather, who left the house immediately after the tragedy and boarded a car, riding towards the south-eastern part of the town, where his relatives are said to live. Mrs. Mangino and the two of the three children were horribly beaten and stabbed.

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### Is Your Father a Drinking Man? Is Your Son on the Downward Way?

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Name.....

Address.....

# Lords and Commons in Battle Array

## LLOYD GEORGE FIRES VOLLEY

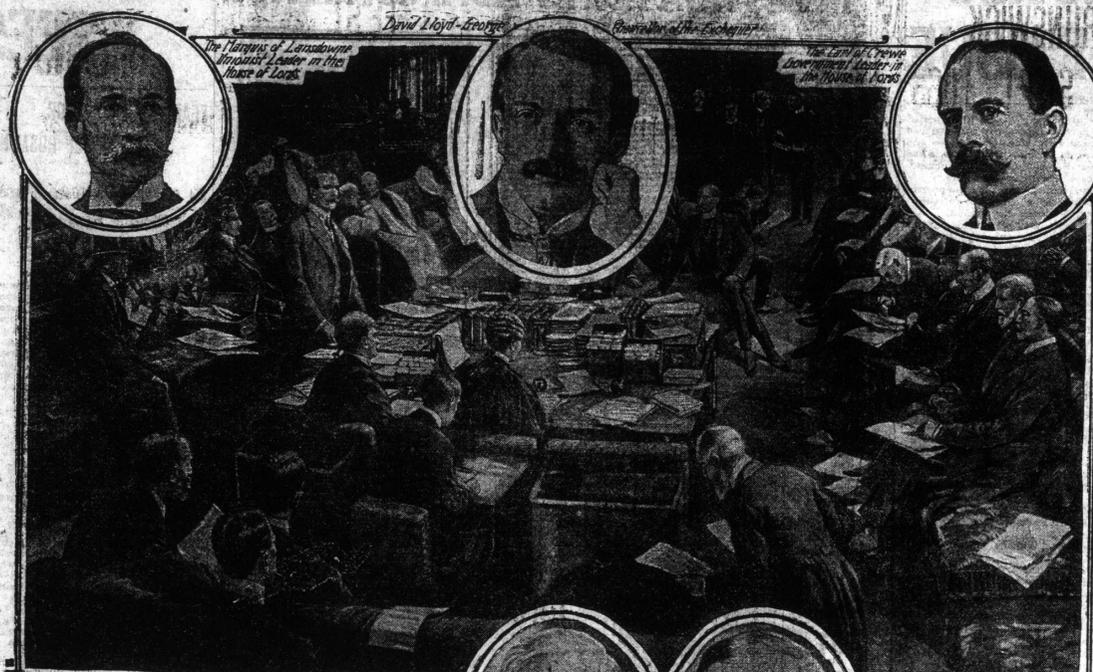
Got Lords Where He Wants 'Em  
DOOM IS SEALED

Chancellor of Exchequer Declares Time Has Arrived to Be Firm

LONDON, Dec. 2.—At the luncheon of the National Liberal Club, Mr. Lloyd-George delivered a fighting speech in which he expressed confidence that although the budget had been buried it was assured the certain hope of an early resurrection. Attempts would be made, he said, to divert the minds of the people to irrelevant questions, but the dominant question was that of the House of Lords and this would absorb all others. It was time for the Lords to be handled firmly, the chancellor added, and for one he would remain a member of the Liberal cabinet for an hour unless he knew that the cabinet had power to carry its bills. Declaring that a majority of the Lords were in their places simply to prevent the passage of radical measures, he added that the greatest of those in the upper house had been opposed to the rejection of the budget bill, and even Lord Lansdowne, he believed, would rather have passed the budget, but he had been forced into the position taken against his better judgment.

The chancellor concluded: "With all the Lords' cunning, their greed has overcome their craft and we have got them at last."

HAMILTON, Dec. 2.—Ronald McDonald Taylor, 89 years of age, deliberately threw himself in front of a moving street car yesterday, but the motorman stopped the car before any serious damage was done. McDonald was arrested on the charge of attempting suicide. He is a tailor and had been on a spree.



Legislating at their leisure—A sitting of the House of Lords

### BRITISH HOUSE OF LORDS FORCES A CRISIS.

Activity of the Unionist majority in the House of Lords in respect to the budget for 1910, left the Liberal government no alternative but to appeal to the country. Of the probable result of an appeal to the country, it is early to give any estimate. One thing, however, is certain, that unless the government is prepared to make a precise and unambiguous promise on the question of home rule, it will be in danger of losing the Nationalist vote. John Redmond will insist upon a definite pledge from the prime minister before the election. Should the assurance not be given, the National vote will be cast against the Liberals not only in Ireland, but also in the British Kingdom.

### TORONTO, Dec. 2.—J. C. P. Moleworth, aged 23 years, a third year student at the School of Practical Science, and well known locally as a football player and athlete, died yesterday of concussion of the brain sustained on Tuesday by colliding with a wagon from which some iron pipes protruded. Moleworth was riding a bicycle when he met with the accident which proved fatal.



Henry Campbell Bannerman, former Minister of England; Arthur Balfour, Leader of Unionist Party in England

## FIRST SHOTS IN CAMPAIGN

Churchill Heard in Lancashire

HOUSE PROROGUED  
King Edward Thanks Commons For Passing the Budget

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Freed of legislative duties, commoners and peers began their own political campaigns in their constituencies today. Comparatively few remained in London for the formalities connected with the ceremony. The only reference to the political crisis in the speech of prorogation was contained in the clause addressed to the House of Commons in which the King thanked the members for the adoption of the provision for the national expenditures. This concluded: "I regret that the provision has proved unavailing." Beyond this the speech made the usual references to the visits of foreign sovereigns, the friendly relations with foreign powers and the legislation passed during the session. On the matter of foreign relations the speech continued: "The difficulties which unfortunately arose in southeastern Europe in the autumn of a year ago have resulted happily in a practical solution for the maintenance of peace while the constitutional reform bill continues to make satisfactory progress. "Subject to certain reservations made by my plenipotentiaries at the time of signature, I have to ratify the conventions which resulted from the conference held at 'The Hague' in 1907. Agreements with Germany, Sweden, Norway, Switzerland and Portugal have been renewed for a further term of five years and other agreements about to expire are in the process of renewal."

## HALF OF G. T. LAID IN NEW DECL

About 140 Million — C Men

Now that the contractors on Transcontinental are enjoying a period of open weather, they are finding themselves largely unable to avail themselves of the extra lease of time because of the desertion of the laborers who have caught the most fever, according to Lyons and with consideration of the weather, the contractor is losing men in large quantities, and each has been obliged to let valuable opportunities slip of his hands.

C. O. Ross, superintendent engineer of the New Brunswick section, said today that ninety per cent. of grading in this province was now complete. There are now 140 miles of Transcontinental steel track laid in New Brunswick, half of the entire line. Cobbet and Frosch had forty miles of steel laid in their 2 mile contract running out of Moncton and have this much practically completed. Five miles of this is in Cold Brook, the distance from 35 to 40 being covered by a new gauge. M'Neehan has 6 1/2 miles laid on his 1 mile section. The Toronto Construction Company, which has a contract for 30 miles, has laid fifty miles of half in steel in the Tobique district. The Kitchen Company has three miles of steel laid in the St. John's section. The contract line from Grand Falls to the Quebec boundary has 20 miles of steel in running shape.

Speaking of the nature of the construction in this province, Mr. Ross said: "It has been of average difficulty. Lack of ballast has bothered the contractors greatly, as very little sand gravel could be found over the greater part of the line. The ballast is a soft rock and hard pan. From St. John's Creek, fifteen miles out of Moncton, the ballast is a soft rock and is unfitted to be used."

### AN EXPENSIVE ONE.

The thirty miles of line on which the St. John's River bridge has been

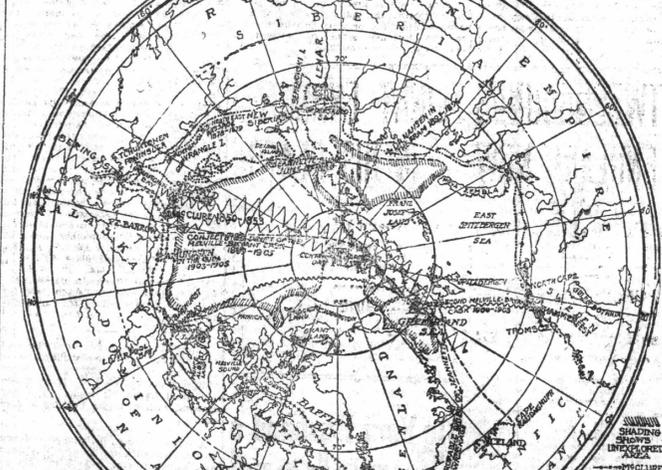
# MOST IMPORTANT VOYAGE OF EXPLORATION OF THE AGE

Capt. Amundsen Leaves Norway in the Fram in May or June

With supplies and an equipment that will last him at least seven years and in a vessel that has proved itself able to withstand terrific ice pressure from all directions for many months, Captain Roald Amundsen, famous Norwegian explorer and discoverer of the Northwest Passage, will push out into the great expanse of yet unexplored north polar territory toward the close of the coming summer on what might truly be called the most important voyage of exploration of the age.

He will leave Christiania, Norway, in the Fram, that remarkable veteran of polar sieges, in May or June, pass around Cape Horn and then make for San Francisco, where he expects to arrive in July or August. He will then strike his way across the Pacific to the outside limit of the time he expects to be on the voyage. From San Francisco Captain Amundsen will go direct through Behring Strait to Point Barrow, on the Alaskan coast, and thence make for the North Pole or very near it, and come out with the ice through the Greenland Sea or Barents Sea. The actual distance is about three thousand miles, but with the backward, forward and side movements of the polar field through the influence of the winds and tides Captain Amundsen figures that his vessel will travel possibly four thousand or five thousand miles before it makes Tromsø or Hammerfest, near North Cape.

Exploration Purely in the Interests of Science and Navigation



WWW PROJECTED VOYAGE OF AMUNDSEN IN 1910

FOR SCIENCE AND NAVIGATION.

This will be an expedition purely in the interests of science and navigation. The North Pole has been discovered, and countless numbers of explorers have entered the polar sea mapping the hitherto mysterious frozen zones. They have discovered new lands, charted new coasts and sea bottoms, and have laid before geographers, hydrographers and various other scientific bodies vast information of the coasts of Franz Josef Land, Spitzbergen, Greenland, Grinnell Land, Ellsworth Land, Grant Land and Axel Heiberg Land, yet remains the three centuries that men have been lured into the North hardly more than eight hundred thousand square miles of territory and scores of lives and hundreds of thousands of dollars have been the price.

There yet remains above the seventy-fifth parallel of latitude approximately one million square miles of territory to be opened up to the world, and if Captain Amundsen is successful he will bring knowledge of perhaps one-third or maybe one-half that immense area in a single venture. It is not beyond the realm of probability that he will find land, perhaps a continuation of the archipelago around Melville Sound or maybe an island as large as Greenland, which has been the cause of turning one current of the Arctic to

the Siberian coast.

Captain Amundsen's is not an expedition to the North Pole; it is one for study and investigation. He counts on spending at least four years on the ice and every moment of that time will be devoted to scientific research. He and his men will be scattered in various directions on the ice, taking soundings for depths and density of the water, for land, for glacial material, for the formation of the ocean bottom. They will study ice conditions and pressures; they will take innumerable observations as to the winds, their velocities and influences against the currents; they will take notes on the origin, its effects, why it will appear one second in all its brilliant coloring and disappear the next as if by magic. They will test the salt capacity of the sea and test its gases; they will study meteorological and magnetic conditions, and most important of all, will make an exhaustive search as to the upper strata of the air.

POLES INFLUENCE AIR AND WATER.

Captain Amundsen believes the study of temperatures and the air currents is of the utmost importance to science and has not received sufficient attention in previous expeditions, as he contends that the frozen zones control the air and ocean currents of the entire world. He thinks, for instance, that the Greenland coast does not influence the drift of the icebergs, but that the Polar Sea and polar ice control the flow of the Gulf Stream and the Japanese Current, and as the two poles influence the ocean currents they regulate the air currents.

"My expedition has got to be successful," said Captain Amundsen, with striking optimism, to a Herald reporter just before he left this city for Chicago, where he has gone to look after the details of his voyage. "When we once get into the ice on the west side there is nothing left but that we are certain to come out at the east as we are that the sun will shine tomorrow—unless our ship is crushed in the ice, and that is beyond probability. She has had eight years of the most severe tests and I have put a lot of additional cross beams and braces in her, until she is now like a block of wood.

"The object of my voyage is not to get to the North Pole, although if we drift anywhere near it I shall certainly make a sledge journey there and take many observations to add to the records of the discoverer. The most important problems before me will be the study of the winds, water, ice and sea bottom. We have apparatus now by which it is possible to ob-

any great danger at any particular time unless she should happen to be carried toward land and get near enough for the coast to hold the ice against either side of her. Of course in such pressures no power on earth could stop the crushing of the ice, which at such low temperature gets as hard as flint, in fact so hard that steel tools, chilled by the intense cold, have been broken on it."

Captain Amundsen is no amateur in polar exploration and the terrors of crunching ice are not new to him. In 1902, in the Gjoa, a little vessel hardly larger than an oyster sloop, he set out from Norway in perhaps his only voyage as the fifteenth or twentieth attempt to discover a northwest passage from the Atlantic to the Pacific. With only six companions he put in through Davis Strait, Barrow Strait, skirted the Canadian and Alaskan coasts and finally came out through Behring Strait in August, 1906. Not the slightest mishap marred his expedition, either in injury to any of his men or his little vessel. They had lain locked in the ice for months at a time watching for a favorable opportunity to push ahead and if even for only a mile or two, and thus almost foot by foot made their goal. He was the first and only ves-

sel ever to make the Northwest Passage.

The Fram is probably the strongest vessel ever built. She is only 113 feet long and 26 feet wide. Her hull is made of iron and four thicknesses of heavy timber and at the bow is 20 feet thick, while toward the stern it is three feet.

Captain Amundsen will take with him the following officers and crew: Theodore Nilsen of the Norwegian navy, vice-commander; Kristian Prestrud of the Norwegian navy, first mate; Frank Giersten of the Norwegian navy, second mate; Oscar Ellsen, first engineer; Martin Ronne, second engineer; Andreas Beck and Helmer Hansen, ice pilots; B. Birkeland, meteorologist; from the government meteorological bureau at Christiania, Captain Frederick Helmar Johansen, Ole Ba Bjaland, Jorgen Stubbud, Adolf Lindstrom and S. Hassel, all round navigators and seamen, and J. Sandvik, cook.

Aside from the usual equipment Captain Amundsen will take with him under the command of his second mate, a training in his country for many months and will be used to pull sledges in the event of the sinking of the Fram. Heretofore all explorers have used dogs.

## LIKING FOR MAKES EUR

Signal Honor Paid American Mini Has Been a Frie

LONDON, Nov. 20.—It was said today by a witty diplomat that the reign of King Edward would be known in English history as the "American era" so plausibly the diplomat's preference for Americans. There have been a tinge of jealousy in remark for the diplomat was not credited from Washington, but it was a good deal of truth in it. Edward since he came to the throne Edward has delighted to honor Americans. "Of course, it is well known that of the closest friends of both the king and queen was the late Consul Duchesne of Manchester. Then there came to the king's notice a young financier and an art critic, Edward finances greater reliance than J. P. Morgan. Every time Morgan comes to London he is invited to have a little chat with the king. He is "commanded" in the formal fashion and no one ever hears of these invitations. Edward just asks him to dine in a friendly way and have a little chat with him.

But Edward has just bestowed a signal honor on an American diplomat which will make the other members of the diplomatic corps green with envy and has done more than honor diplomat. He has shown himself man of the most exquisite tact who does not hesitate to waive old conventions in order to make things easy for a friend.

One of his special favorites among the foreign diplomats in London is always been Riggsby Carter, who has just been appointed United States Minister at Bucarest, and who has been for many years first secretary of the Embassy in London. A few days ago Mr. Carter's friends at the Embassy arranged a little farewell dinner for him, and a couple of days before date set a "command" arrived for Carter, to be present at the theater at Windsor Castle in honor of young King of Portugal, Carter was in a dilemma. He knew his friend had made all the arrangements for dinner and he knew also that to decline to obey a "command" to Windsor was an unheard of thing.

King Edward, however, heard of it and his friend was in and out the king in a twinkling. He sent a message to Carter that on account was he miss the dinner, and that he come along to Windsor afterward "I'll send for you at a quarter past ten" was the king's message.

Carter attended the dinner and 10.15 that evening a royal motor car dashed up to the American Ambassador's house in Park Lane while Carter off to Paddington Station where he found a special train waiting for him. It has been ordered by king to take him to Windsor, and Edward even went so far as to put be-

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blackboards with luminous starting on a third, when she and, after remaining agitated me," pulled off his

later he again ceased and wiping his streaming eyes reproachfully at his girl the front row. Suddenly desperate determination or "vimmie," he shout- Schwatt takes off his coat. re all things was pure."

### RESTORES GIRL TO MOTHER

Age to Death Over Cliff  
Train of Events  
Leading to Reunion

CARMEL ILL. June 7.—It from a happy family re- tecturesque bovine tragedy, ow had not fallen over a ver cliff and broken his neck, sixteen years old, pro- again would have been from whom she was taken when a baby. As it hap- to-day was restored to now Mrs. F. A. Mather,

tending the cow at its a high bluff overlooking Mount Carmel. The cow the edge of the cliff, and could turn it the animal the edge.

terified child, a cripple, and told her father the d he took her crutch from her with it, according to told the neighbors. The and a posse pursued him, ed.

story was printed in the Her mother's sister read investigation and found it was her niece. To-day pended to Ethel, who says make her body straight.

### DICKERSON HUNG AND MURDERED

Charged With the e, in Hospital Dying

Mich., Dec. 7.—Mrs. Dickerson, aged 49 years, bbed to death last night y of a combined store and at 44 Baker street and charged with her death, icipating probably dyng tied knife wounds. Six months ago Mrs. Dickerson on account of his y and secured employ- y at the Baker store. Last night a neighbor e discovered the wo- n in the doorway. She had twice in the past year breast. Later the police son in bed at his home, the police he had stabbed abdomen and also eval- acid. The officers said ed killing his wife.

### HIS GOWNS, 5 OF 'EM, HELD

ng Woman Could ear She Lives Permanently

Dec. 7.—Miss Eleanor onde young woman in y, arrived on Saturday Hamburg-American liner five trunks filled with e. Captain W. S. Con- y surveyor, was asked r who looked into the also into the declaration woman that she was a t, having lived contin- uously for two years, ard, a stipulate of Miss d by while the inquiry to bring in her gowns on she was a foreign res- r investigation. After r. Shepard the young e had been living nually for two years, e told her that if she affidavit and it turned e had been in this sixteen months ago, she auted for perjury. She t to make the affidavit, then offered to swear delli had not been here

### PILES CURED AT HOME

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## EDUCATION OF A TECHNICAL NATURE

Subject Discussed in Commons  
GUTHRIE'S RESOLUTION  
Assistance Asked in Establishing Service Between Canada and the Antipodes

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 6.—The subject of technical education, or, rather, the subject of lack of technical education in Canada, was the chief subject of debate in the Commons to-day. Hugh Guthrie (South) resolutely raised the question in moving a resolution providing for the appointment of a Royal Commission of inquiry to investigate the needs of Canada in respect to technical education, and to report on ways and means by which these needs may best be met.

Mr. McKenzie King, in an effective and well-received maiden speech, pointed out the need for more adequate system of technical education, but at the same time, on behalf of the Government, said that action in the matter should be left to the provinces.

Replying to Dr. Daniel, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said an application had been received by the Government from the Imperial Export Company for assistance in establishing a regular freight steamship service between Atlantic ports in Canada and Australia and New Zealand. Communications had been received from trade agents in Australia and New Zealand and from Canadian shippers favouring the establishment of such a service, but it was not thought advisable to disclose particulars of these communications until the matter had been adjusted.

### SIX NURSES GRADUATE FROM TRAINING SCHOOL

Receive Diplomas at Public Exercises This Evening—An Interesting Program.

Six young ladies will graduate this evening from the training school of the St. John Hospital and will receive their diplomas with appropriate ceremonies.

### WINTER PORT NEWS

The steamer Montrose of the C. P. R. line will leave port at daybreak tomorrow. The steamer will carry a large general cargo.

### PROPOSITION TO RUN G.T.P. BY ELECTRICITY

Through Forest Lands of N. B. and Quebec—Gathering at Ottawa Will Discuss Proposal.

## NEW FLEET OF BIG STEAMERS

Ocean Highway Between Canada and England Gets New Line  
MacKenzie and Mann Purchase Two Twenty-Knot Steamers  
Passenger Equipment of Highest Order—Graceful and Elegant

Sir Montagu Allan Hopes for Steamers to Compete With Lusitania

MONTREAL, QUE., Dec. 6.—Mr. William MacKenzie, president of the Canadian Northern, who has just returned from a trip to England, has purchased two first-class steamers to form the nucleus of a fleet for the Atlantic trade to be run in connection with the C.N.R. lines.

The new departure which this acquisition indicates is of the greatest significance as far as the present destiny of the Canadian Northern is concerned, as it means that the far-reaching heads of the company mean to be prepared with their fleets as soon as they get their transcontinental line in which there are still some pretty big gaps linked together.

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, will leave this evening for New York to sail on the Lusitania on Wednesday for England.

### NO POLITICS IN I.R.C. DISMISSALS

Board of Conciliation Makes Public Its Report

Exhausted Every Means of Ascertaining the Facts  
Political Interference and Preference Had No Part

### 3 KILLED IN CAPE BRETON

SYDNEY, N. S., Dec. 6.—About 6.30 this evening, William Brown, a 22-year-old man, was struck by a train at No. 2 yesterday. Brown was in his 75th year and leaves a wife and several children.

### CHILDREN CRY FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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## PEAK OF TROUBLE IN STORE FOR PHOENIX COMPANY

Grave Charges Laid by Superintendent of New York State Insurance Department

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The Phoenix Insurance Company of Brooklyn is under investigation for irregularities which, it is believed, have impaired its surplus of at least \$1,000,000 and have resulted in conditions which Superintendent Hotchkiss of the State Insurance Department laid before the district attorney today for possible criminal action.

## PASTOR'S PRETTY DAUGHTER ELOPES WITH MARRIED MAN

Parents Prostrated and Johnston Shocked When Mabel Slagle and Prominent Resident Disappear

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 6.—The elopement of Mabel Slagle, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Slagle of Dale, a suburb of Johnstown, with John H. Leppert, a married man, prominent in business here, has startled this city. The latter yesterday and their whereabouts are unknown.

### DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

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## EARL GREY OPENS FAIR

Maritime Winter Fair Has Most Auspicious Opening

Canadian Farmers Can Give a Few "Wrinkles" to Those in England

Governor General Delivers Happy Address at Opening

AMHERST, N. S., Dec. 6.—The ninth Maritime Winter Fair opened here today under the most favorable auspices. The weather was far from being ideal, but the entries in all classes far surpassed those of any previous year.

### REV. A. B. COHOE READS A PAPER

Interesting Discussion on Immigration

ALLIANCE MEETS

Several Matters Dealt With Yesterday by City Clergymen

The monthly meeting of the Evangelical Alliance took place this morning in the parlors of St. Andrew's church. There were several lengthy discussions.

### DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE

The Best Remedy known for COUGHS, COLDS, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, ACUTE and CHRONIC DIARRHŒA, DYSENTERY, & CHOLERA. RHEUMATISM, TOOTHACHE.

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SHIPPING NEWS FOR THE WEEK

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived. Dec 2 - Str. S. J. ... Dec 4 - Felix, 112, Bergan, 84 ... Dec 5 - Str. Governor Dingley ... Dec 6 - Str. Governor Dingley ... Dec 7 - Str. Governor Dingley ... Dec 8 - Str. Governor Dingley ... Dec 9 - Str. Governor Dingley ... Dec 10 - Str. Governor Dingley ...

Foreign Ports.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Dec. 2 - Arrived: Str. Cambridge, London; Caterino, Rome; Va. Portland, N. B. ... BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 2 - Arrived: Str. Cambridge, London; Caterino, Rome; Va. Portland, N. B. ...

Shipping News.

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COULD MAKE OBSERVATIONS

Capt. Loos and George Dunkle Relate Remarkable Story of Imposture - Cook Utterly Discredited

NEW YORK, Dec. 8 - The New York Times presents to-night the remarkable narrative of two men, made under oath, declaring that they were employed by Dr. Frederick A. Cook, and that they were with him on the expedition to the North Pole on April 1, 1909. These men are George H. Dunkle, an insurance broker, and Captain Loos, a former U. S. Army aviator.

YELLOW PRESS IS CONDEMNED

Parisians Favor Old-time Journalism PUBLIC BLAMED Henry Watterson Endorsed by Newspapermen of French Capital

PARIS, Dec. 8 - Editors of Paris newspapers continue to discuss with warmth the statements made by the "yellow" press before the members of the National Press Club in Washington. There is general agreement that the methods of gathering so-called news from the "yellow" press are not only degrading to the public but also to the press itself.

MISS JULIA R. BIDDLE

SOON TO BE MARRIED

Bridegroom Will be T. Charlton Henry, Graduate of U. P.

POPULAR SOCIETY GIRL

Philadelphia, Dec. 8 - Announcement of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Julia R. Biddle, to T. Charlton Henry, son of Mrs. Charles Henry, was made yesterday by Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams Biddle.

PRINCE MIGUEL SUED

\$1,000,000 DEMANDED

BUDAPEST, Dec. 8 - According to the news by which a syndicate of creditors is suing Prince Miguel of Braganza, who married Miss Anita Stewart, of New York, at Tullock Castle, Dingwall, Scotland, September 15 last, for \$1,000,000.

HOLD-UP MEN AT HAMPTON

RATHER BOLD

Facts of Robbery Kept Quiet - Authorities Believe Same Men Operated at Moncton

SUSSEX, Dec. 8 - A week ago to-day there was a grand hold-up at Hampton Station, the particulars of which have just leaked out. It was just two days before the Moncton robbery and from the description of the two men concerned at Hampton both crimes were undoubtedly committed by the same parties.

AMERICAN MILLIONS

FOR GREAT BRITAIN

Caroline Dehlior Weds Son of Lord Asbourne

SOCIETY OUT

LONDON, Dec. 8 - Caroline, daughter of Mrs. Frederick Dehlior, of New York, and Ernest Victor Gibson, third son of Lord Asbourne, were married today at St. Peter's Church in Eaton Square. The bride was given away by her brother, W. B. Dehlior. The nuptials were witnessed by a large assembly of society folk.

TOTAL RESOURCES

\$450.19 PER CAPITA

Banking Institutions of Eastern or Middle States Lead Country

REMARKABLE REPORT

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8 - With total resources of \$450.19 per capita of population, the banking institutions of the eastern or middle Atlantic States lead the country. The New England States come next with \$433.60 per capita; the Middle Western fourth with \$319.64; the Far Western fifth with \$181.34; the Southern sixth with \$119.19; and the Islands possessions last, with \$5.28 per capita.

THREATENS TO LEAVE STAGE

Geo. Alexander May Enter Politics

SEAT OFFERED

News and Gossip of the English Stage - Locke Turning Play Into Novel

PUTS BLAME ON PUBLIC

"To whom belongs the responsibility for the police system adopted by certain newspapers?" Evidently the public, which must always be ready to take the blame for the actions of the public prosecutor.

MEET AT THE WALDORF

Both Captain Loos and Mr. Dunkle left a visit to the shop of John Elias and Company at 128 Front street, and of purchasing for Dr. Cook various nautical and astronomical works, besides three charts of Smith Sound and the Polar regions.

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# SIR CHARLES TUPPER GLAD TO LEARN THAT R. L. BORDEN SUPPORTS CANADA'S NAVAL PLAN

## In Letter to Mr. Borden, Former Conservative Leader Declares That He Has Devoted More Than Half a Century in Unceasing Efforts to Preserve the Connection Between Canada and the Crown

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—The following letter has been received by Mr. Borden, Leader of the Opposition, from Sir Charles Tupper:

THE MOUNT, Bixley Heath, 20th Nov. 1909.

My Dear Mr. Borden,—I have read with much interest the announcement in the Canadian correspondent of the Times on Naval Defence in today's issue of that paper. I regard that question as more important than any mere party issue, and am glad to learn that you are resolved to maintain the patriotic attitude of the Conservative party assumed last session. A few years ago Canada was struggling to open up for British settlement, the great granary of the world, a few gentlemen here raised the question of a Canadian contribution to the Imperial Navy. I joined issue with them and was sustained by the press and public opinion. It was admitted that Canada was not only no burden to the mother country, but without her harbors and coal mines on the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts England would require a larger navy. Contrast the progress of Canada, Australia and New Zealand under Imperial management and since relinquished and it will be seen to whom their present importance is due.

Read the result in "The Times" of October 3rd, 1909.—"The reversal of the ancient policy of Great Britain, whereby she withdrew from the colonies their wonted protection in her markets, has produced the most disastrous effects upon Canada. In surveying the actual condition of the country what but ruin or rapid decay meets the eye? Our provincial government and civic corporations embarrassed; our banking and other securities greatly depreciated; our mercantile and agricultural interests alike unprosperous. "With superabundant water power and cheap labor, especially in Lower Canada, we have yet no domestic manufactures, nor can the most sanguine, unless under altered circumstances, anticipate the home growth of the Canadian Government to send capital or enterprise to embark in this great source of national wealth. Our institutions, unhappily, have not that support which the adjoining states are covered with a network of thriving railways, Canada possesses but three lines, which, together scarcely exceed fifty miles in length, and the stock in two of which is held at a depreciation of from 50 to 90 per cent.—a fatal symptom of the terror ever-spreading the land."

"The Confederation of Canada, which has resulted in such gigantic progress was the work of Canadians and regarded by many English statesmen as a prelude to getting rid of responsibility. "Regarding as I do British institutions as giving greater security to life, property and liberty than any other form of government I have devoted more than half a century to unceasing efforts to preserve the connection of Canada and the Crown. The Imperial British was involved in the struggle of the Transvaal I led the van in forcing the Canadian Government to send aid and specie. The naval expenditure is therefore 2.13 per cent. if regarded as a premium for insurance. Other nations spend as follows (in millions of pounds)—U. S. A., 221 to protect 4,341,500 tons of mercantile shipping; Japan, 5.2, for 1,000,000 tons; Russia, 12.4 for 2,133,133 tons; Germany, 11.4 for 2,328,231 tons; and France, 13.8 for 1,741,195 tons."

"When I remember that in the General Election of 1891, the friends of British institutions after a desperate struggle, which cost the great and patriotic statesman, Sir John A. Macdonald, his life, we only secured a majority of about 35, and I have no hesitation in saying that had the principle of a contribution to the Imperial Navy according to our population been based on operations, the majority of 35 would have been in favor of Continental Free Trade and the adoption of the tariff of the United States against Great Britain. Who can question the accuracy of that opinion who remembers that in 1886 my government was fiercely denounced in Quebec by Liberal candidates and Liberal newspapers on account of its militia ex-

penditures when they declared that an expenditure of \$2,000,000 to buy rifles for the militia was a danger to the country and that the military programme of the government was "frightful."

"I do not forget that all parties in the United States agree in carrying out to obtain possession of Canada. Under existing circumstances it was of immense importance to have Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his party committed to the policy which secured the unanimous consent of the House of Commons on a question of such vital importance and a great responsibility will rest upon those who disturb that compact."

"I cannot understand the demand for Dreadnoughts in the face of the fact that the Admiralty and British Government have determined that it was not the best mode of maintaining the security of the Empire and arranging with Canada and Australia (the latter of whom had offered one or two Dreadnoughts) for the construction of local tonnage to be sent upon the trade routes in case of war. "All difficulty as to the question of autonomy is now removed as it is fully recognized that the great out-

lying portions of the Empire are sister nations, and that means are adopted to secure uniformity in the naval forces of the Empire, the design and construction of the ships and the training of the officers and men. They are also to be interchanged and thus promote uniformity in every respect so as to act as effective units with the British Navy.

"Of course the government of the day will be held accountable for carrying out the policy thus agreed upon in a thoroughly effective manner but I cannot avoid thinking that a fearful responsibility will rest upon those who disturb or destroy the compact entered into on this vitally important question."

CHARLES TUPPER. After a period of over nine dark days the sun came out again this morning. Not since Sunday, November 28, had the sun cast a shadow. This condition was somewhat unusual, but has happened for long periods before. The weather had not been sufficiently cold to freeze over the St. John River and unless a decided cold spell sets in a new record will be made in the lateness of an open season.

# MARITIME FARMERS NEGLECTING OPPORTUNITIES, SAYS HON. MR. FISHER

That the Maritime Provinces are neglecting to a large extent to take advantage of the vast opportunities which lie around them is the opinion which Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture in the federal cabinet, expressed to The Sun yesterday morning. Mr. Fisher passed through the city on the Atlantic coast and will address the public meeting at the opening of the Maritime Winter Fair. A big banquet will follow the public exercises, and at it Mr. Fisher will speak in reply to the toast "Canada the Great British Dominion," following His Excellency the Governor General.

In speaking of agricultural conditions in the Maritime Provinces Mr. Fisher said this morning: "I regret to see that the farmers in these provinces are not making as rapid progress as we would like to see. They are hampered by the lack of labor to help them, and this may be partly the reason for the absence of more rapid development. There is much to be done in the Maritime Provinces. It is cultivated in not yielding as large returns as it should. There is no need of Canada better suited for the immense crops successfully harvested in the West this year. Have turned all eyes towards that part of Canada, and the farmers in the Maritime Provinces are greater than ever. This year 65,000 settlers came from the Western States and next year I believe there will be nearly 100,000. In the Western States, Canada is becoming better known and more and more farmers are planning to move north."

"When I was at the Seattle Exposition this year I met large numbers of people who had taken a trip through the Western provinces on their way to the far west, and the conditions which they saw in the country. The comments I most frequently heard were: 'I never saw such a country as this in the country in which to make money.' "Referring to the agricultural tendencies in the West, Mr. Fisher said that while the new settlers go in chief for wheat, the older settlers are now turning towards diversified farming. Around Edmonton and in the country north, he said, cattle raising is still an important business and oats are the principal crop.

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most of the work in the great houses of Dublin was done by native craftsmen, and is characteristically Irish in design and execution. The material used was Irish oak and Irish marble, and altogether these houses are a standing testimony to the fact that Ireland must go abroad for her art products.

When questioned regarding his views on the political situation in Great Britain, Mr. Fisher said that as a cabinet minister he could not discuss such matters. Neither did he wish to give his opinion as a private citizen. He said, however, that he was a Liberal in British as well as in Canadian politics, and if he were in England he would be fighting tooth and nail for the government. The question now before the British people, he said, is both constitutional and economic. It is now facing a crisis as would make a cash contribution more desirable and in the future when we have a new cabinet, he said, he would be glad to contribute warships instead of cash. He spoke of the plan of cash contributions as equal to hiring mercenaries to defend us which would be unworthy of Canada.

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# THREATENS TO LEAVE STAGE

Geo. Alexander May Enter Politics

BEAT OFFERED

News and Gossip of the English Stage—Loke Turner's Play Into Novel

LONDON, Nov. 30.—To be or not to be is the question, and the moment is seriously agitating the mind of George Alexander. The point he is endeavoring to resolve is whether he will put into immediate effect his long contemplated project of standing for Parliament, or leave the matter over for a while. He is to have a general election next January, and Alexander has received an invitation to contest a constituency for which his triumphing return is practically a foregone conclusion. The chief difficulty is how to reconcile his duties as a legislator with his interests as an actor-manager? Parliament does most of its work in the evening, which, of course, is the very time that a popular actor cannot spare for the theatre. How to sit upon both sides of the fence is, therefore, the problem with which Alexander is now confronted.

Another wanderer in foreign parts just now in town is Robert Courtneidge, who is fast taking his position as one of the most successful producers of musical comedy in the west-end. He has been at the business for a quarter of a century, although he looks at him one might imagine that, in that case, he must have started directing rehearsal from his cradle. He has struck oil with "The Arcadians," a piece that is to be seen for the first time in America at Philadelphia on December 27. Just to give himself a rest he set out a month ago to make a tour of the world, but only managed to get as far as Japan, which in reality was his chief goal. For, as it happens, his next piece—of which, as usual, he is himself part-author—Shakespeare in a year or two's time is to be entirely Japanese. Courtneidge's passion for accuracy moved him to make the journey to the land of apple blossom and chrysanthemum, in order to study the ways and methods of the natives, and to secure the right local colour. He had intended returning via America, but time unfortunately failed him for the purpose.

Possibly Tree may restore them to the programme when he re-opens towards the end of January, preparatory to the production of the new play with the new work, which includes a dozen melodies destined to become the talk of the town to every single one to be found in "The Merry Widow." "The first act," said Edwards, "simply abounds in catchy tunes and when Lehar has re-written as he has promised to do several of the weaker numbers in the last act there will not be a hole to pick in the entire score." "The Dollar Princess," which the firm believes, will serve his purpose in Daly's until the end of next year, and as he has induced Lehar to give him an extension of the original four months' limit for the London production of "The Count of Luxembourg," he has now definitely settled that it will follow in immediate succession at Daly's. Among other things Edwards discovered in Vienna was that "Our Miss Giggles" had hit the playing public ever there, and that in it Fred Wright, Jun., a younger brother of Huntley Wright, had achieved an emphatic success.

It is a curious fact that the Duke of Connaught said to be considering offer now. A DUBLIN, Dec. 1.—Some months ago I referred to the rumor that the next viceroy of Ireland would be the Duke of Connaught. Now I am in a position to state that the Duke has been offered to the king's brother and that he is seriously considering accepting it. He has made the condition, however, that if he does accept the appointment it must be understood clearly that the post is no longer a political one and that he comes to Ireland as the representative of the brother the king, and not as the appointee of any political party. One thing is certain and that is that there will be a change in the occupant of the viceregal lodge after the general election early next year. Lord Aberdeen has not been a success as viceroy, even from the ornamental point of view. For one thing he is not a sportsman, and a vicerey to be popular must patronize racing and other sports which are popular in this country. Dublin, which complains that he has failed to attract to Dublin the Irish gentry who came up in former years from the country for the castle season, and the trade of Dublin has suffered accordingly. One can see how the fine old houses in the Dublin squares are deteriorating. Mansions which were formerly occupied by Irish noblemen are now vacant or are turned into tenements and the whole town presents the appearance of a decayed capital. Of course, no one even hopes that Dublin will regain the brilliancy for which it was noted in the days of the Irish Parliament, until that parliament is re-established, but until then at any rate there are a lot of people who would prefer a regular royal vicerey to the specimens of second rate Englishmen who have been sent out recently.

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# RESOURCES

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# SUN'S WEEKLY IRISH LETTER

Royal Duke for Next Viceroy OFFER MADE

Duke of Connaught Said to be Considering Offer Now

FROM VANCOUVER TO TORONTO VIA ST. JOHN

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At yesterday's meeting it  
to wait for a reply from  
on until Friday, and if no  
ceived by that time, the  
ll likely consider the pro-  
Mr. Tomlinson off, and  
ger elsewhere. On Friday  
meeting of the executive  
to further discuss the sub-  
ing a manager, and the  
then be definitely settled.  
y's meeting it was also de-  
t for applications for the  
by Friday some applica-  
on hand. As yet there  
ations other than the pro-  
Tomlinson.

Adren Cry  
FLETCHER'S  
STORIA  
PORT NAVAL PLANS.

as is Most Harmonious—  
ment's Policy Without  
Liberal Opponents.

Dec. 7.—Liberal members  
in caucus today discuss  
policy of the government  
th. The proceedings were  
throughout and the gen-  
was expressed that the  
in adopting the moderate  
of construction at the first  
wisely avoided the two  
rushing into too large an  
when the needs of the  
development of transporta-  
so great and of doing  
public sentiment in  
sidering some of the bur-  
dial defense. Party unani-  
question was in marked  
side difference of opinion  
opposition caucus on the  
party. p. y. on naval

# WV CONSISTORY DELAYED YANKEE AMBITIONS BLAMED

## Roman Candidates for Red-Hats, Complain That Pope Postpones Consistory Because of Conflict Between American Aspirants —Selection Made So Difficult Pontiff Hesitates to Act—Falconio Among the Victims of Delay

ROME, Dec. 5.—Another year is fin-  
ishing and the new year begins with-  
out the much talked of consistory for  
the creation of new cardinals having  
taken place. As everyone remembers,  
the last consistory in which Pius X.  
added new members to the Sacred Col-  
lege was held on December 16, 1907, at  
that over two years have passed with-  
out the Pope having taken further  
steps to fill the vacancies in the se-  
nate of the church, which have so rapidly  
augmented of late.

It is not a mystery that two years  
ago the pontiff said in the next crea-  
tion at least another American car-  
dinal would be included, but unfortu-  
nately this intention of the holy father  
leaked out, and it is always the case  
the personal friends of the different  
American prelates who might be raised  
to the purple were so eager in setting  
forth the merits of their favorites that  
it became almost impossible to make  
a choice.

Besides, Archbishop Ireland came to  
Rome carrying with him all the pres-  
tige and influence arising from his po-  
sition with the powers that be in Am-  
erica. Then Archbishop Farley ap-  
peared, presenting the Holy See with  
the largest offering of Peter's pence  
ever contributed by a single diocese,  
indeed surpassing what all the dioceses  
of Italy put together gave in a year.  
At the same time Archbishop William  
O'Connell was in Rome, pleading all  
his claims, and his eloquence and  
his acquaintances which make him a  
favorite at the Vatican; while Arch-  
bishop Ryan, having in his favor the  
strongest force of the Irish-American  
Catholics, made his seniority in the  
hierarchy of the United States weigh  
heavily.

For a moment the idea arose of go-  
ing altogether outside of the "fa-  
vored," and three names were men-  
tioned; that of the Most Reverend  
James Edward Quigley, Archbishop of  
Chicago, with the view of pleasing the  
section of Catholics especially support-  
ing Archbishop Ryan and Farley, that  
of Monsignor J. J. Glennon, Archbishop  
of St. Louis, who would be repre-  
sented something like Archbishop Wil-  
liam O'Connell, and that of the Most  
Reverend Patrick W. Riordan, Arch-  
bishop of San Francisco, who would  
have been the exponent of the Ireland  
faction. However, this scheme was  
for various reasons, discarded. In the  
case of Archbishop Riordan, the whole  
story of his interference with a view  
to the selection of Dr. E. J. Hanna as  
his own coadjutor, was revived, and  
therefore the spectre of "Moderation"  
appeared on the horizon, taking the  
place of the ancient bugbear, "Ameri-  
canism." The result of all this has  
been that the Pope, who has a simple  
mind and a straight conscience, has  
constantly decided to postpone the  
consistory, so that prelates here, who,  
on account of their delay in being  
entitled to enter the Sacred College, com-  
plain that they suffer delays in receiv-  
ing the honor solely through the fault  
of America.

Another victim of this situation is  
Monsignor Falconio, apostolic delegate  
to Washington, who has now been  
nearly nine years here and deserves  
more than anything else the reward,  
considering that six years is generally  
the fixed period, after which the red  
hat is given to the papal representa-  
tive in America.

# SAVES MONEY BY BUYING CHRISTMAS TREES IN NEW BRUNSWICK

## Christmas Trees for Boston and New York —Theora Carter Head of Society of Good Cheer

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Theora Carter,  
president of the newly formed organi-  
zation known as the Society of Good  
Cheer, reached Boston today from New  
York. She has come here to form a  
Boston branch, and this afternoon she  
met a group of women at Huntington  
Chambers to perfect plans. After a  
visit to relatives in St. John, Miss Car-  
ter will go West to organize branches  
of the society.

In the last two years there has been  
quite a change in the Christmas tree  
industry, especially by the steamship  
lines between Boston and Yarmouth.  
Formerly one steamer of this line  
brought every year at Thanksgiving  
time a ship load, containing fifteen  
hundred to eighteen hundred trees. They  
were imported by a Fall River man,

# PROTECTION AND FOOD TAX UNIONIST POLICY

## British Tariff Reformers Outline Their Fiscal Scheme Two-Shilling Tax on Wheat and More on Flour

### Raw Materials Free; 15 Per Cent. on Manu- factures Possibly a Slight Re- duction in Favor of Colonies

LONDON, Dec. 7.—The Birmingham  
Daily Post will publish an article  
from inspired sources, outlining the  
tariff reform proposals which are  
likely to be put forward by the Unionist  
government if the Unionists are  
successful at the elections, prefacing  
it with the remark that the country's  
financial necessities are much greater  
than they were in 1905, when Joseph  
Chamberlain started the movement.

The article proceeds:  
"It is proposed to establish a gen-  
eral tariff, placing duties on practi-  
cally all goods that are not deemed  
raw materials with the object, first,  
of raising revenue; second, of assisting  
the home producer against foreign  
competition; third, of giving prefer-  
ence to colonies; fourth, of securing  
better terms from foreign countries,  
and, finally, of mitigating unemploy-  
ment by encouraging the home pro-  
ducer."

"The tariff will be of the simplest  
possible form, not protective in the  
sense that it is understood in Ger-  
many and the United States. There  
is no intention of having multifarious  
rates which would throw open the  
door to Parliamentary intrigue. The  
plan favors is to allow raw materials  
duty free and to impose a five per  
cent. duty on partly finished goods,  
10 per cent on articles nearly  
completed, and 15 per cent on com-  
pletely manufactured goods. There  
will be the free list, as usual, in-  
cluding, in very exceptional cases,  
There may possibly be, however, a slightly  
higher rate on articles of the colonies,  
and a slightly higher tariff against  
countries seeking unduly to penalize  
British goods."

"The tariff will be able to be a  
duty of two shillings per quarter, with  
preference to the colonies, but not to  
the extent of removing the whole  
duty. Flour will pay a higher rate  
in order to encourage home grinding,  
while bacon and mutton also will be  
excluded from the free list. Important  
raw materials, such as cotton and  
wool, will enter free.

A tariff framed thus, it is estimat-  
ed, would produce a revenue of six-  
teen to twenty million pounds. If  
the Unionists are returned every pos-  
sible duty will be made to embody  
the new duties in the budget of 1910,  
or at the latest, 1911, but the maximum  
duties will be withheld for two years  
in order to negotiate with the com-  
mercial agreements with foreign coun-  
tries."

George Wyndham, member of the  
House of Commons, at Dover, speak-  
ing in London tonight, also intimated  
the intention of the Unionists to pro-  
pose a ten per cent duty on manu-  
factured articles and two shillings  
on wheat.

Charles Wright Macara, head of the  
Cotton Federation of Great Britain, in  
an interview today on the subject,  
revealed himself as a strong ad-  
vocate of free trade.

# A Christmas Present



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# TRURO'S FAMOUS STUD IN HIS DISTINGUISHED ROLE

## Earl Grey Enjoys Ride Behind Trotter and Incidentally Ad- mires the Beauty of Truro's Scenery

### PARROT IS 134 YEARS OLD—SAYS SO HERSELF

Whispers News to Superin-  
tendent of New York  
Asylum

### INGERSOLL PRAISED IN BAPTIST PULPIT

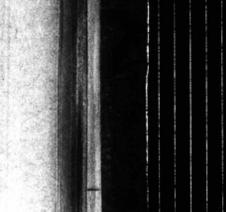
Dr. Oscar Hayward Says Ora-  
tor was "Scourge to Slum-  
bering Orthodoxy"

### CIRCUMSTANCES LIKE ST. JOHN TRAGEDY.

SHERBROOKE, Que., Dec. 7.—Mrs.  
Lavinia of Eastman was tragically  
killed today in the Midland woods  
by the fall of a lamp which set fire to  
her clothing. She died on the train  
while being brought to Sherbrooke  
hospital. When the accident occurred  
the woman's husband was sick in bed  
and unable to render any assistance.

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## GRAND OLD MAN OF ART

James Orrock Still  
Paints Masterpieces

80 YEARS OF AGE

Has One of Finest Art Col-  
lections in the  
World

LONDON, Dec. 9.—In a screen-  
guarded bed on the top floor of 43  
ford Square, London, lives one of the  
most wonderful men in London. He  
was the friend of Ruskin and of dozens  
of other men who have made art his-  
tory; while to-day his bedroom is a  
Museum for picture-loving Americans  
and everybody in the modern English  
art movement.

The name is James Orrock. He was  
born in Edinburgh, Scotland, at the  
end of October, 1825, so he is eighty  
years old to-day.

The most successful picture of the pres-  
ent exhibition of the Royal Institute  
of Painters in Oil—"Drovers Crossing  
Stands at Holy Island"—and "Sands at  
Glasgow, Lancashire"—are from the  
brush of this bedridden veteran of 80.

For James Orrock is an artist, and he  
has doubled in value as an artist, and  
he is a collector. He has a fine collec-  
tion of the most successful pictures of the  
present exhibition of the Royal Institute  
of Painters in Oil—"Drovers Crossing  
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BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 7.—Jack (Twin)  
Eullivan, of Cambridge, had the better  
of Bill McKinnon, of Roxbury, who  
substituted Doug Sailer Burke, of New  
York, all the way of a 12 round bout  
at the Armory A. A. tonight and se-  
cured the decision.

He took an extra rest, and  
drove thousands to the other. His  
irrepressible-made men shudder and hug  
the closer their hopes and fears, their  
faith and comfort."

