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PREMIER ASQUITH PLANS CLEVER MOVE

Will Force Lords to Consider Budget

Speech From the Throne Signed by His Majesty This Morning—Awaited With Deep Interest.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The speech with which King Edward will open parliament on Monday received His Majesty's final approval and signature at a meeting of the Privy Council in Buckingham Palace this morning. The new ministers were also sworn in and received the seals of office. Scarcely an address from the throne and its interpretation by the prime minister were awaited with such intense interest, as on the tenor of these hangs the life of the government. Premier Asquith is credited today with the rather clever plan of submitting to parliament as a whole, the question of whether the priority shall be given to a consideration of the financial bill or to the question of the veto power of the House of Lords. Should he decide upon this course, it is difficult to see how the Unionists could avoid supporting the Premier's prediction in favor of the budget as they have insisted persistently upon the necessity of "regulating" the finances of the country before an attack upon the House of Lords is made.

FOURTEEN KILLED AND 70 WOUNDED

In Nicaragua Battle—A Government Victory—Paco Commission Was Transportation.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Feb. 18.—The Nicaraguan army notified General Toledo today that the fighting at St. Esteban, near the city of Managua, had ended in a government victory, but no word has been received from General Toledo. The U. S. Consul at Managua, who has returned from Matagalpa, estimates the casualties during the recent fighting there at 14 killed and 70 wounded. The non-combatants were not harmed, although nearly every house was struck by machine gun fire. The government is preparing claims of several hundred dollars each. The government's peace commissioners today sent a message to Rear Admiral Kimball, commander of the American naval force, to return to the coast waters. The text is not made known here, but is supposed to employ a request for transportation of the commissioners from Greytown to Bluefields on a United States warship. President Madriz has signed the law validating the debts contracted by the revolutionaries.

SPLENDID PROGRAM FOR PYTHIAN'S CELEBRATION

Final arrangements have been made for the Knights of Pythias anniversary which will take place in Temple Building on Monday evening when the three local lodges will assemble for a smoker. A fine programme has been arranged. The best of local talent will take part and addresses will be delivered by representatives of the different lodges. The complete programme is as follows:—

Open Overture—Orchestra. Address of Welcome—Chairman. Bass Solo—Mr. Clyde Dickson. Bass Pipes—Mr. F. Hayter. Quartette Selection—Pythian Male Quartette: Young, Brown, Bonnell, Bonnell. Baritone Solo—Mr. David Pidgeon. Selection—String Quartette: Davidson, Stone, Fowler, Hoyt. Selection—Orchestra. Magic Performer—Mr. Percy Maxon. Comic Song—Mr. Steve Matthews. PART II. Orchestra Selection. Baritone Solo—Mr. F. McKean. Violin Selection—Prof. Wm. Bowden. Tenor Solo—Mr. Robert Buchanan. Quintette Selection—Mr. Robert Buchanan and Pythian Male Quartette. Reading—A. McGlinchy. D. Arnold Fox, Accompanist.

CLEVELAND HAS THREE CENT FARES ON TRIAL

CLEVELAND, Feb. 12.—Three cent car fares went into effect last night, marking the end of the traction war begun by Tom L. Johnson in 1901. The three cent fare is to be continued eight months, the Taylor Grant, approved Thursday, providing for a test for that period. If the rate of fare falls to show a six per cent profit in eight months, a higher fare may be charged. The maximum is four cents, however, during the life of the grant, which is 25 years. The eight year war has cost the stockholders of the Street Car Company a paper loss of \$40 on a share of \$10 par value. Yesterday the price jumped on the exchange from 95 to 96.

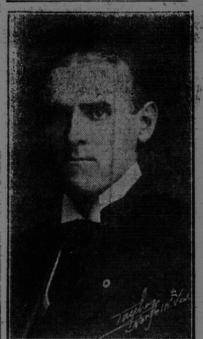
MANY MEETINGS HAVE BEEN ARRANGED FOR SECOND SUNDAY IN THE CAMPAIGN

Song Service in Centenary This Evening—Carleton Churches Give Up Their Regular Sunday Night Services—The History of a Hymn—Dr. Winchester Leaving.



DR. GRAY.

One of the most prominent features connected with the simultaneous campaign has been the singing. Considerable directors the songs in the Alexander song book have been taken hold of by the people and sung with a will. The words and music stick in the memory and are frequently heard in the street. Many of the songs have been instrumental in making converts. Last Saturday night the song service in Centenary church of the combined choirs conducted by Mr. O. H. Allen, was considered to be the best thing that has been heard in the Maritime Provinces for a long time. With the additional practice of the choirs have had since then the music tonight will be even ahead of last Saturday.



MR. C. H. ALLEN.

Church Dr. Gray had been preaching in Illinois for nearly a week and had made no impression upon the people. His mind was troubled and early one morning while he was lying in bed in the city of Philadelphia the words of this song came to him. He immediately looked them to the publisher. This little song has been instrumental in converting many. One night last winter in the city of Lynn a prominent business man was converted by hearing this song. The song has already been published in three or four books.

REV. MR. WINCHESTER RETURNS TO TORONTO

It is understood that Rev. A. B. Winchester, who has been conducting the services in St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church in connection with the simultaneous campaign, will have to give up his work here. Mr. Winchester is the pastor of a large church in Toronto and it is his duty there that makes his departure necessary. It was hoped when the meetings started that Mr. Winchester might be retained throughout the campaign. A committee meeting is being held this afternoon in connection with the matter.

COOK SEEKS OBLIVION.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Feb. 19.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, being afforded an opportunity today to make public a statement regarding his claim of having discovered the North Pole and which claim was discredited by the University of Copenhagen, flatly refused to grant an interview. His sole expression was that he wished to be left in peace.

A very pleasant birthday party was held last evening at the home of Albert E. Wilson, King street east, where a few friends gathered to honor Rev. Dr. Wilson, who was the guest of the evening, it being his seventy-seventh birthday. Dr. Wilson is enjoying good health and is the only supernumerary minister now in the city in connection with the Methodist Conference. He was born in Scotland and came to P. E. Island when a mere child. He entered the ministry when a very young man. His friends in the city wish him many happy returns of the day.

Programme for Sunday. St. Andrew's, 4 p.m. Men only. W.A. Cameron, speaker, and E. L. Kuffner, soloist. Nickel Theatre, 4 p.m. Men only. Lawrence Greenwood, speaker; Aubrey N. Peters, soloist. St. David's, Pres., 4 p.m. Young people. Ora S. Grey speaker; Chas. F. Allen, soloist. St. Stephen's, Pres., 4 p.m. Women. Chas. H. Sykes, speaker; H. H. Lamb, soloist. Centenary, 4 p.m. Women. A. B. Winchester, speaker; Miss M. L. Conrad, soloist. Main St. Bapt., 8.15. Everybody. Arthur J. Smith, speaker; Frank M. Lamb, soloist. Brussels St. Bapt., 8.15. Men only. W. A. Cameron, speaker; Miss M. L. Conrad, soloist.

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On the West Side. City Hall, 2.30 p.m. Mass meeting of Sunday schools, Dr. Rees. City Hall, 3.45. Mass meeting for men. Dr. Rees. Carleton Court land in attendance. The churches of the Carleton group have given up their evening services, and two meetings will be held as follows: Methodist church, 7 p.m. Men only. Rev. F. A. Robinson. City Hall, 7 p.m. Women only. Dr. Rees.

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Mr. Chas. F. Allen who has charge of the song service tonight in Centenary church was born on a farm in Indiana. He spent his boyhood and youth in the ordinary work of a farm lad. For twelve years he was agent for the United States Express Co., and during that time was engaged in choir work and choral union work. The years were years of hard study, and he did not let anything pass that would help him in his local work. The work was done in the spirit of the amateur, and he never expected to take it up in a professional way. The work, however, brought Mr. Allen to the attention of Dr. Chapman, and on Dr. Chapman's invitation he spent four months with him and worked in several cities on the Pacific coast. From that time forward he was engaged constantly with Dr. Chapman for four years. He visited most of the large cities in the United States and Canada, leading the singing in over 1,500 meetings. For five years he has been engaged as musical director of the Bible conference at Wymona, Indiana, and has assisted E. O. Excell in the Wymona Assembly. For the past two years he has been working for Evangelist O. S. Grey.

On Monday afternoon at 2.30 there will be a special service in Centenary Methodist church for all the old folk of the town. A special committee of ladies composed of Mrs. A. B. Coloso, Mrs. W. G. Smith, Mrs. D. Hutchinson, Mrs. W. R. Robinson, Mrs. Thos. Graham, Mrs. Grumland, Miss Lang, Mrs. T. S. Simms, Mrs. Bullock, and Mrs. Melrose will be in charge. Conveyances have been graciously volunteered by livery men and private owners, and "Old Folk" whose names are placed in the hands of the committee will be driven to and from the church. Drivers will leave all such passengers at the Wentworth street door. A floral tribute will be given to all persons over seventy years of age attending the service. Several of the florists have been most generous in the contribution of flowers. Most of the churches are providing carriages and flowers for their own "Aged Folk." Mr. Chas. F. Allen assisted by all the gospel singers will sing "old time songs." Mr. O. S. Grey will give an address on God's Diary. Evangelist Wm. Matheson will speak tonight in the Seamen's Mission and the Rev. F. A. Robinson will take his work at the Salvation Army Citadel.

The Saturday night song service will be held as usual in Centenary church this evening. Mr. Chas. F. Allen will have charge of the singing. All the gospel singers will be present and will render special music. The chorus will be composed of the combined choirs of the different groups, and silver offering will be taken at the door.

PROTESTS AGAINST SPECIAL PRIVILEGES

B. C. Orangemen Adopt Strong Platform

M. G. R. Will Disparage by Phone—Lots of Trouble for Ontario Ry.—Parjured Himself to Get Married.

KAMLOOPS, B. C., Feb. 19.—The Provincial Orange Grand Lodge in annual convention here adopted a Protestant platform, the planks including the following: Entire separation of church and state; a non-sectarian public school system; resistance of any further special privilege to any section of the Dominion on account of race or religion. Efforts to be the only official language in Canada, and public inspection of all institutions under control of religious denominations receiving aid from the public treasury.

WINDSOR, Ont. Feb. 19.—The Michigan Central Railway has decided to substitute the telephone for the present telegraphing system for the handling of trains between here and St. Thomas. The change will go in effect within a few weeks.

COBALT, Ont. Feb. 19.—Telegraphing and Northern Ontario railway officials are much at sea as to recent mysterious events here. A few weeks ago an attempt was made to blow up the new depot. Later the ticket office was entered and an unsuccessful attempt made to file the hinges of the safe door. Last night unknown parties snuck promiscuously at a building, being used by employees. The provincial police are at work trying to get at the bottom of these mysterious affairs.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont. Feb. 19.—Wm. Gleason, a young electrical engineer, was arrested last evening, charged by J. W. Bradley, a prominent contractor, with perjury. It is alleged that Gleason, who married Rhea Bradley, daughter of the complainant, on St. Valentine's Day, made against the wishes of her father, swore that the girl was over sixteen years of age, while her father maintains she is only sixteen.

MILD WINTER WILL CAUSE LOSS TO MANY

Farmers Have Not Been Able to Haul Invaluable Hay—Travel to City Lighted Ever.

A large amount of hay is likely to be lost by the up-river farmers this year as the result of the poor condition of the river ice for hauling during the winter. It is the custom to stack the hay cut on the intervals and leave it until it can be hauled over the ice after the river and streams freeze up. This year the weather has been so unsettled and there have been so frequent thaws that it has not been possible to get a large amount of the hay into the barns. This last cold snap promises some relief to the districts farther up the river, but in the lower reaches it is hardly expected that the ice will be trustworthy.

North End merchants say that this winter there has been less travel to the city from up-river points than they have ever known, due to the poor traveling conditions caused by mild weather and lack of snow. Lumber operators have also suffered by lack of snow, and this last snow storm was enthusiastically welcomed by those who were worrying about how to get their logs out.

STEAMER WRECKED AND CREW LOST

Fears for Dutch Steamer With 52 on Board—Yachtsmen Meet at Detroit

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 19.—A German ship described as the "Hohenzollern" from Bremen, was wrecked in a gale off Denwood Bay today. The crew was lost. The name given does not appear in the marine register and the identity of the vessel is in doubt.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The Dutch merchant steamer Prins Willem II, which left Amsterdam January 21 for West Indian ports and New York, with fourteen passengers and a crew of thirty-eight, and which should have reached Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, on Feb. 18, is now eleven days overdue. Nothing has been heard of the vessel since she passed Ouessant on the Brittany coast of France, on January 22. Her sister ship, the Prins Willem IV, has joined the Dutch cruiser Utrecht in the search for the missing vessel. The Prins Willem II was re-insured yesterday at Lloyd's at the highest rate.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 19.—Yachtsmen from lower Great Lakes ports convened here today for the spring meeting of the Inter-Lake Yacht Club Association. It was expected that a lively contest would develop in the selection of a place for holding this season's regatta.

A steamer, thought to be the Scandinavian, was signalled passing near Island at one p. m. WANTED—Young girl for general housework. Small family, no washing. MRS. PROST, 133 Duke St.

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LOCAL NEWS

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LOCAL NEWS

On Thursday L. P. Farth conducted prosecutions at Plaster Rock and Perth which were successful in bringing in 840 in fines. Eight men in all were convicted of selling liquor illegally within the limit lines.

LOCAL NEWS

Many a fellow's lofty ideals extend no further than highballs. Some people are so tireless that they become positively tireless.

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NEW BRUNSWICK'S SCHOOLS.

The annual report of the Chief Superintendent of Education for the schools of New Brunswick, for the year 1908-9, has been presented to the Legislature. Mr. Carter is in the pleasing position of having to record during his first year in office, the best school year in the history of the province. His report on this account is far more than ordinary interest. He finds that there has been a most satisfactory increase in almost every particular, an increase of 39 schools during the first term and 42 during the second term; an increase of 41 teachers in the country districts, and 41 in the second term; an increase of 221 pupils for the first term and 144 for the second term; an average daily attendance of 62.53 for the first term and 62.83 for the second term—the highest in the history of the province; an increased enrollment in the cities and towns notably in Fredericton, Moncton, Milltown, Campbellton, Newcastle, Sussex, St. Andrews, Sackville, St. George and Grand Falls and even greater attendance in the country districts; a small increase in the number of male teachers during the first term of the year, which, although less than desirable, has been very gratifying.

From the various detailed statements included in the report the following facts are learned. During the year a total of 187 schools were in operation conducted by 1944 teachers and with a total attendance during the year of 67,745 pupils. The proportion of population at school was one in 2.84 during the second term. Of the pupils, 1082 were under six years of age, 57,478 were between six and fifteen years and 2,480 were over fifteen. The boys numbered 31,489 for the second term and the girls 36,256. The average daily attendance during the session was 44,092, an increase in the first term of 1,242 to 45,334 in 1907.

Small decreases in attendance are noted in the cases of St. John, Woodstock, Chatham and several smaller centres. Of the total number of teachers during the year, 251 were males and 1,494 were females.

Superintendent Carter notes that while the supply of teachers during the past year has been better than for a few years previously, there has been a scarcity in the second term and moral licenses have been granted than is desirable particularly in the French districts. In the English districts the supply of teachers is not equal to the demand and much broken time is the result. The conduct of neglectful trustees in permitting schools to remain closed for one reason and another is condemned, as is also the false economy practiced by some districts quite able to engage qualified instructors.

In the report is included a statement showing the increase in the teachers' salaries during the past nine years, and while Mr. Carter notes that the average increase has been substantial, yet it is by no means as large as it should have been, nor have these increases been proportionate to the advances in the cost of living which are considered in all other professions. "It is imperative," says Mr. Carter, "that if the present standard of the teaching staff is to be maintained, better salaries must be paid, and this example should be set by the graded schools."

In 1909 the expenditure from provincial revenues in payment of grants to teachers of the various classes was \$180,854.88, as compared with \$182,462.70 in 1908 and \$160,523.53 in 1907.

From the summary of present grants for public school service, Mr. Carter finds that \$26,112.13 was disbursed by the education office during the year. He remarks that the amounts voted at annual school meetings would total \$239,061.57. On this he estimates the total expenditure for educational purposes in this province during the year at \$329,709.69. Mention is made of the establishment of school gardens at different places, the observance of Arbor Day, distribution of literature dealing with agricultural subjects, and of the steps taken looking towards the introduction of physical and military training in the public schools. Mr. Carter goes on record as being heartily in favor of physical training for both boys and girls and states that a marked improvement is already noticeable in the students of the Normal School, because of this training. In reviewing the reports received from the inspectors, Mr. Carter finds that five new school houses are reported in Inspector Hebert's district, six in Inspector Doucet's district, three in Inspector Lianon's and one in Inspector O'Brien's. New buildings are contemplated in Moncton and Woodstock and the Consolidated School at Kingston, to replace the one burned a short time ago will be in readiness at the beginning of the school year. The new buildings in St. John, Woodstock, Grand Falls and Rustico are spoken of as strictly up-to-date.

A local paper which is given to considerable self-praise in the matter of circulation, admits the loss of more than one hundred subscribers during January. It may be mentioned that the Star has increased its circulation by between four hundred and five hundred during the past two months.

SATURDAY SERMONETTE

HELPING THE OTHER FELLOW.

When I was a boy, a half-demented man (as he was thought to be) used to travel through our section of country every summer.

In November he disappeared and we would not see him until the last of the next May.

Where he spent the late autumn, the winter and the early spring was a mystery.

The boys learned to expect his coming as regularly and surely as we did the coming of the birds, and he and the birds never disappointed us.

He was a man apparently on the shifting line of madness, and his common place looking man save for his eyes, which were large and very gentle and of uncertain color. His mouth was hidden by a beard but I am sure that the lips must have been sensitive and kind.

In spite of his work and his traveling in all kinds of weather, our wet, muddy, dusty roads, he was always clean and neat. His clothes were old and patched, he did it himself but never ragged.

That he was better born and better bred than we boys dreamed I know now as I remember his cleanly habits and his invariable courtesy to women. No matter how poor and lowly they were, when he met them he was always old and he stood holding it in his hands until they passed by.

Fifty years ago the barnlessly demented man wandered through the country during the summer time. There were several women and I remember one whom we called "Fairy Mag" because she was uncertain in her temper and would stop in the road and jabber away at some imaginary enemy. I remember one day that the man of whom I am writing met Fairy Mag and took off his hat and bowed and stood waiting for her to pass by, but, thinking, perhaps, that his courtesy was mockery, her fiery temper flared up and she poured out words of abuse, while he meekly waited, smilingly bowing until the storm and the storm rafter should pass by.

I have seen squaws to whom he had shown the same courtesy, turn and look back, stone though they were, to see the first man who had ever taken off his hat to them and waited for them to pass on.

He came to be known as the "Tin Cup Man" for he carried a number of half-pint tin cups and when he came to a spring by the road side he would clean it out and hang up his cup. He went up one side of the river as far as Grand Falls. I think, down to St. John. It would take him all summer, for he did not clean out springs and hang up cups, but he would take out of the road the worst of the movable stones and sticks.

Fifty years ago robbing birds' nests, killing birds and cruelly treating animals was not considered the sin it is today, and many a boy had his first lesson in kindness to animals from the "Tin Cup Man."

He was especially fond of horses and dogs, he would stroke them and pet them and I don't think a horse ever leered, or a dog ever growled at him for with their own instincts they know he was their friend.

Children trusted him and the little ones who were afraid of strangers went fearlessly to him for with their keen intuitions they knew he loved them.

The last summer he went through the country some one asked him why he went about cleaning out springs and hanging up cups for strangers to use who would never know him or thank him, and he reverently raised his hat and with a look and gesture the man never forgot, said: "A cup of cold water for him."

Another asked him why he cleared out the stones of the road since it would not do him any good and he would not pass that way again. "But the other fellow will," he said.

The "Tin Cup Man" has long been dead, we saw in our careless way, and yet he is living yet. He lives in the lives of the many boys who heard from his lips and saw in his life the Gospel of helping the other fellow.

When he died where and how, and where he is buried none can tell. Creditless and churchless he may have lived and died, but whoever shall enter the land where the creed of helping the other fellow counts for more than the creed of earth, will see the "Tin Cup Man."

Thaddeus
A STEP AT A TIME

Have you ever noticed how unreasonably the man at the bottom of the ladder envies the man at the top? Not until success has been actually attained does the man appear at the top, and the consequence is that he gets credit for the step at a time climbing which has brought him there.

This, at any rate, is the experience of the Midland Vinegar Company of England, the manufacturers of H. P. Sauce. They are now at the top of the ladder—H. P. is an assured success—everybody who tastes it likes it, and recommends his friends to make a trial of it.

Amid the general buzz of success no one has leisure to imagine what a long time was given over by the Midland Vinegar Company to careful experimenting with different combinations of rich Oriental fruits and spices, before a perfectly delicious, rich, thick, fruity sauce like H. P. was arrived at and christened, and sent forth to win its way with the people. H. P. has been a success from the very first—but that is because its manufacturers climbed up to it a step at a time, and did not vault themselves as sauce manufacturers until they had a perfect sauce to talk about. You try H. P. You will like it—everybody does.

Add a teaspoonful of sugar of lead to the water in which fine silk history is washed to prevent the delicate color from fading.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON

Please tell me how to make friends. I want to be friends with people, but somehow almost everybody thinks I am proud and haughty and really I am not at all, a little girl wrote me the other day.

And for her sake and the sake of any who may be in similar case with her I am going to quote a sentence of Emerson that I used the other day.

"The only way to make a friend is to be one."

When I hear people bewailing their inability to make friends readily I always think of that quotation and long to ask—

"You want to make friends, but are you ready first to be friends?"



Are YOU?
That you means anyone who does not make friends quite so readily as he would like.

When you meet new persons is your first thought to do something for them, to set them at ease, to be friendly towards them, or are you thinking about how you can make a good impression upon them?

An over eager desire to make friends almost always defeats itself.

Forget that you are trying to make your new acquaintance like you and concentrate on liking him and see if you do not find that you have made a friend.

I know that people are often unjustly stigmatized as being proud and haughty when they are merely diffident and self-conscious, just as the little girl who wrote to me undoubtedly is.

And I realize that diffidence and self-consciousness are hard to conquer because the more you think about trying not to be self-conscious the more self-conscious you always get.

But there is one perfectly good way to get over these big barriers to friendship, and that is to think so hard about other people that you won't have time or energy to think about yourself and how you are appearing.

If my little girl will try that rule for a time I am pretty sure that she will find that people will soon cease to regard her as proud and haughty.

In speaking of a woman who, although extremely good and generous, somehow failed to make many friends, Alice Freeman Palmer explains the failure as the result of—

"An absence of heart culture; of that sunshine which melts its own way."

Many people who are not actively proud and haughty are passively at fault in that, like this woman, they lack "heart culture; that sunshine which melts its own way."

Do YOU?
Perhaps the people who feel that the world has not done their desire for friendship; who want more friends than they yet possess; who feel within themselves the possibility of being loved and loving more than they yet have, will do well to take the pledge of friendship that the great president of Wellesley College, whom I quote so much, made to herself—

"I will give all the years have brought to my own soul.

"God help me to give what He gave—myself—and help me to make that self worth something to somebody; teach me to love all as He has loved, for the sake of the infinite possibilities locked up in every human soul."

The Lighter Side of Life

AN INDIAN LOVE SONG.

Beautiful art thou, my little white dove,
Thou art very beautiful;
Thou standest out from among women
As the silver, satin bird stands
out from among the dark spruce
trees.

Thou art tall like the pines and supple
like the willow,
Oh, my little Manganis,
Thy cheeks are soft as the gold moss
in the autumn;
Thy lips are as wild poppies fully
open.

Thou art very beautiful.
Thine eyes are like stars shining
through the tamarac boughs,
And they have the depths of the lit-
tle pools beneath the hemlock
branches.
Oh, my little Manganis,
—Kathleen Murphy in Canadian
Magazine.

QUESTION OF SEX

—"What is the difference between a fort and a fortress?"
The Other—"Don't know, unless it's more difficult to silence a fortress."

WHY HE LAUGHED

The Grand Vizier approached the throne quaking with suppressed laughter.

"Contentious Cur of the Dog Star!" roared the Sultan, "why do you dare to bubble with unseemly mirth in my radiant presence?"

"I crave pardon, Most Enlightened of All Lights," replied the Grand Vizier. "I informed the ladies of the harem that you were going to behold them. They were terribly scared."

The Sultan laughed long and loud. He soon recovered his dignity, however, and ordered that the Grand Vizier be flogged.

"It isn't pleasant," he remarked, casually, "but I'm sick, and tired of these harem-scarum fellows."

HER CAREER.

"As I understand it they have lost their money, but all of the daughters are able to earn their own living save one who is most idle and incompetent. What will become of her?"

"She'll have to get married."

ELLIPANT MEAT.

That people will eat elephant meat with a relish has been proved by a butcher in Frankfurt-on-the-Main to his own profit and without the knowledge of his customers. This enterprising tradesman learned that a vicious elephant in the Great Zoological gardens was to be killed and made a bargain for the carcass. Within a few days that elephant was transformed into 3,800 pounds of sausage meat and every pound was disposed of at a good price.

Teacher—Jimmy, you look very pale this morning. Are you ill?
Jimmy—No, ma'am. Ma washed my face this morning herself.

The tailor—Hip pockets?
The customer—Yes.
The tailor—Large or small?
The customer—Half-pints.

Mr. Blazer—Who did you kick that dog?
He only snifed you.
Mr. Hootwaker—Well, yer didn't expect me to wait till he tasted me, did yer?

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DEATHS

WILSON—In this city, Feb. 17, Mary Wilson, widow of Walter Wilson, (Boston and Moncton papers please copy).

SEARS—At Kingston, Ont., suddenly, Friday, February 18th, George Sears, merchant, aged 63, son of the late John and Ann Sears of this city.

BUSHFAN—In this city, on February 17th, Philip Bushfan, in the 69th year of age.

Funeral on Sunday at 2:30 o'clock from his late residence, 3 Union Alley.

(Boston and Montreal papers please copy)

McDONALD—Suddenly, in this city, on the 18th inst., Daniel McDonald, aged eighty-three years.

Funeral from his late residence, 23 Golding Street, at 2:30 p. m. Sunday. Friends are invited.

(P. E. Island, Pittsburgh and San Francisco papers please copy.)

LAST WEEK OF FURNITURE SALE

The end of the February Furniture Sale is in sight. During the past three weeks saw many anxious shoppers taking advantage of our big reductions and also having their purchases stored until later on.

By leaving a deposit we will store free of charge any quantity of furniture you wish to purchase.

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COME IN AND LOOK AROUND.

A COLUMN FOR WOMEN

Household Hints

Sometimes it is quite impossible to make old glassware bright and clear. If strong ammonia is poured over it and it is then scrubbed well with a brush and rinsed in warm water it will, when dried, look quite as bright as one could wish.

A simple water-icing for cakes is made by taking two cups of confectioners' sugar and adding enough water to make a thick paste. Then sprinkle in a pinch of cream of tartar. Beat well, and if not stiff enough, add a little more sugar. Flavor with any extract.

The cleaning of sauce-pans is very imperfectly understood in many houses. Each time a sauce-pan is used it should be put over a fire, filled with clear cold water to which has been added a little soda. Heat this, pour it off and scour the pan with soap and water.

Tough steak should be chopped and mixed with diced potatoes and then baked. Grated cheese over this dish improves the flavor.

Four peppercorns, four cloves and one teaspoonful of mixed herbs are the proper flavoring for one quart of water for soup.

A saucer of baked beans can be heated with catsup in a pan and a spoonful on toasted crackers serves nicely for one's noonday luncheon.

When next churning oysters, dip them first in mayonnaise and then in crumbs before immersing in the deep fat. They will be found delicious.

When the eyes seem weary and watery, bathe them at night and morning with a mild astringent, such as two grains of alum to two ounces of water.

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Fashions and Fads

Materials offered for summer show a very riot of soft pastel coloring.

A bright bow of velvet at the neck, either in contrast with or matching the suit and hat, will be worn this spring.

For evening, fewer jewels are seen, but the rich embroideries and spacings seem to be sufficiently brilliant by themselves.

Very pretty are the flowers of stiffened lace or great roses of gold or silver gauze, which are often the only trimming of a hat.

Many of the tailored suits have wide striped skirts for their linings. Colored dresses are more in vogue than for some seasons past.

All the old shapes that were used in the past are being revived and reproduced in linen and other washable materials for the coming summer.

On colored dresses, beads are usually of the same color as the material, the different shapes and sizes lending variety to the ensemble.

Shaping costumes entirely of broad-tail, short or jaunty little Russian pony coats with velvet skirts, the latter very short, are the thing.

There is every reason to believe that black footgear is to be permanently modified this spring, and even in the ball room black is worn in many cases.

With the return to favor of the three-quarter and elbow length sleeves, which are prominent on the new spring modes, the long glove will again be worn.

CHILD'S SET OF SHORT CLOTHES.

Paris Pattern No. 245.
All Seams Allowed.

In making this dainty set of short clothes for the small child, the best materials for its development are batiste and jaconet. The drawers and the little petticoat (which is fashioned with a very full skirt attached to a waist) are made of the jaconet; the former finished with a ruffle of fine embroidery, finished with a narrow edging, and the sleeves are gathered into tight bands of similar embroidery and edging. The pretty little Dutch cap is of batiste; the turned-over piece edged with fine lace; and the rosettes and ties are of white or colored ribbon, according to taste. The pattern is in four sizes—2 to 3 years. For a child of 2 years the dress requires 2 1/2 yards of material 27 inches wide, 1 1/2 yards 32 inches wide, or 1 1/2 yards 42 inches wide; as illustrated, 3/4 yard of all-over lace 18 inches wide and 1 1/2 yards of edging. The petticoat needs 1 1/2 yards 32 inches wide or 1 1/2 yards 42 inches wide; the drawers need 3/4 yard 26 inches wide or 1/2 yard 32 inches wide; 1 1/2 yards of edging. The cap needs 1/4 yard 20 inches wide, or 1/4 yard 26 inches wide; 3/4 yard of ribbon for ties, 2 1/2 yards of narrow ribbon and 1/4 yard of edging to trim.

Price of pattern, 10 cents.

BIG SHOW COMING

Manager Anderson of the Opera House received a telegram this morning to the effect that George F. Huntley, with his original English burlesques, sixty, in all, direct from London, will arrive here to begin a three days' engagement on February 25th. The musical comedy will be "Kitty Gray."

The Royal Chef, which was to have opened on Friday, Feb. 25th will follow the Huntley Company, appearing for the last three nights of the same week.

Rev. W. W. Brewer, who speaks in Centenary Church at 7 o'clock tomorrow evening, will speak in the Every Day Club at 8.30, on his experience in the social work among men in various cities.

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HONOR.

(By Florence Earle Coates.)

Divine abstraction, shadowy image, dream

More vital, than substantial shapes made strong

By all the tireless energies of wrong

Who should deny they're being would blaspheme

The power that made thy liveliness supreme

Leading thee accents of auroral song

To comfort those who unto thee belong—

Though they go down to dark Cocytus' stream,

Patient as Time are thou, eternal and yet who may change thy judgments—

—or destroy?

The conqueror whom wily Egypt won

Found with life's draught a bitter blend;

And Hector, fallen by the walls of Troy,

Looked up, and saw thy face, and was content.

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You Never saw such Bargains as Coady & Co. will give Tomorrow. Next week finishes the Sale and all goods now on hand must be cleared out before Thursday next.

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CORBETT WILL HAVE JEFF IN THE BEST OF CONDITION

When a trainer of a fighter pays proper attention to his own condition the probabilities are that he is going to send his man into the ring as good as hands and mind can make him.

Not a day passes that Corbett does not do some sort of exercise, so that he will be ready to "handle" Jeff when the time arrives.

It is not that Corbett intends to be whopped around the training quarters by the big fellow, but he wants to have his wind good and be able to stay a long route with Jeffries so as to give him lengthy ring exercises as well as long road work.

There will be other men to do the rough work. He will be the lively trainer, the one who will keep him stepping about the ring for six, eight or ten rounds a day, after he has finished his limbering exercises such as punching the bag, wrestling and other pastimes which a fighter has to go through when he is preparing for a fight.

Corbett wants to bring the championship back to the white fighters, and he is sacrificing lucrative engagements to be with Jeffries, both in his early preparations and at the ring side. Corbett knows "Jeff" like a book, and he will look after the smallest detail to send him into the ring fit to stay a week, if necessary, if the fighter's constitution will stand the strain.

In asking Corbett to accept the position of master of the training camp Jeffries has done a wise thing. What he needs most Corbett can help him to speed and staying quality. He has every other necessary qualification. He can stand the most severe punishment, and after a long session he has a knockout punch the first time opportunity presents itself. Consequently, all that he needs is what Corbett will endeavor to bring back--speed and stamina.

Corbett deserves much national credit of the part he is taking in the prospective championship. Few there are who would give up high salaried engagements to take charge of a training camp, but there is a lot of patriotic pride in Corbett and always was, hence his participation in the preparing of Jeffries. If in later days of Jeffries' training Corbett sends that word that Jeffries is as good as never was, or even that he is good enough to win, it will be a signal to the speculators to get into the market with Jeffries' money, for Corbett will know what he is talking about.

Of course it is natural for the trainer of every fighter to have positive belief in his man, and they usually buoy him up to the winning pitch, but in this case Corbett knows just how good Jeffries has been in his previous fights, and if he ever returns to that stage in the opinion of Corbett, and Corbett, with all confidence, predicts a victory for Jeffries, there is no reason to look further for the winner, for there is not one person in one thousand who has seen Jeffries and Johnson in championship action who would have given Johnson a 19 to 1 chance seven years ago.

In his letters to friends Corbett says he expects to be knocked out many a time during his tuition of Jeffries, but he hardly means that. He is not going to bust into that left or that short jolt with the right if he can avoid it when such things are not necessary. He will do more jabbing and getting away than jumping in and receiving stiff punches. He will work as much like Johnson as he can, teaching Jeffries as much as possible the Johnson tactics. That will be about the line Corbett will follow in training Jeffries. It looks as if "Jim" Corbett was as much concerned over the fight as Jeffries, only he won't get as much money out of it.

JUDGE LONGEY DELIVERS AN ABLE ADDRESS HERE

"Some National Problems" Theme--Many Hear Him--Declares Maritime Provinces Will Continue to Supply the Brainsot Canada

"The Maritime Provinces will continue for some time to come to perform the humble duty they have heretofore performed, that of supplying the brains of the Dominion. Such were the words in which Hon. J. Wilberforce Longey, Judge of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, summed up the position of this portion of Canada at the present time, in his address on "Some National Problems," delivered before the Canadian Club of St. John last night. Judge Longey made this remark in connection with his discussion of the development of the east coast continent themselves with that that great west country filled with population the provinces of the east must content themselves with developing the resources they had, as it was impossible to divert the stream of immigration now setting westward.

The address of Judge Longey was an exceedingly able one and was received with applause by the large number of men who attended the Canadian Club luncheon at Keith's last evening. The president of the club, M. E. Agar, occupied the chair, with the speaker of the evening on his right and Mayor Bullock on his left. Mr. Agar introduced Judge Longey to the audience and took the opportunity of calling to the attention of his hearers the claim of the Canadian Forestry Association, which is to meet in annual convention in Fredericton shortly.

Judge Longey in dealing with his subject, began with the Confederation of the provinces of British North America. That confederation he classed as one of the greatest events of the later half of the nineteenth century, not in itself but on account of what followed it. At the time of its formation the Dominion was small, in extent of territory, but within a few years its people added 3,000,000 square miles of territory to their country. It was a bold act, but one which no one had regretted. That territory had been opened up by the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The public utilities of the province were becoming of greater necessity and more importance annually. It had been suggested that the government should determine what followed it, whether the telephone company could increase their rates in the city of St. John, but he had no objection to be removed from politics than the government.

Mr. Sweeney asked if the government could not decide the question referred to under the telephone act. Hon. Mr. Hazen said the telephone act provided that the government could take over the telephone company by paying ten per cent more than the amount invested and that the company could not increase its tolls when earnings reached an eight per cent annual dividend. This bill should prove a great benefit to the province. The Nova Scotia government had last year paid a compliment to the government of New Brunswick in copying the audit act passed by this legislature and perhaps it was well that the compliment should be returned.

Mr. Robinson asked if it was proposed to include provincial railways in the list of public utilities over which the board would have control. Hon. Mr. Hazen said that was a matter for consideration and that suggestions from hon. members which would tend to improve the bill were solicited. Hon. Mr. Hazen suggested that to expedite the business of the house it would be well to have all legislation introduced as early as possible. On the invitation of the government, the Canadian Forestry Association would hold its annual convention here on Wednesday and Thursday next. Sessions would be held in this chamber and would no doubt prove of a very interesting nature. It was desirable that the house would not sit on those days, but by Friday it was hoped to have a number of bills ready to go before the general committee.

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that there were perhaps not more than two persons in the province who would qualify. He claimed that the government had not carried out its pledge to the Liberal party and had dismissed Liberals from office and had drawn a line and had thrown down the gauntlet to the Liberal party. There was one professed Liberal in the government, he said, who had distorted the spirit and word of the Highway Act to injure the Liberal party in the general elections. Road work was done at unreasonable times just to keep party heaters together. He did not mind meeting opponents face to face, but when a man pretends to be a friend and was really stabbing one in the back it was unfair warfare. If a man wanted to join the Conservative party he ought to do so manfully. He hoped that the session would be a profitable one for the country.

MADE THE MOST OF. An excerpt from Doris' letter: "And, oh, will, if you weren't the dearest boy! You often told me that you would do anything in the world for me, and now you write for my sake you've quit smoking. I have to wait until I see you to tell you what a dear I think you are." From Janie: "You write that out of consideration for me you have stopped smoking for good. That was just lovely of you, William, and you may depend that I greatly appreciate it." From Phyllis: "Billy, boy, it's just ripping! You're the dandy kid! Just to think that you would swear off

using the weed just for me! It was mighty dear of you, Billy, and it makes me all the more keen for you! From Marjorie: "To think that you've quit smoking, William! I was so surprised! Of course I always know that you care for me, but to think that, as you say, you've made this sacrifice on my account--why, it's positively noble of you!" From his mother: "Will, my son, this proves your love for me. Father is insisting a check to show that he appreciates the fact that you think enough of your parents to give up smoking for them." From his doctor: "Your letter advising me that you have obeyed my orders and stopped the use of tobacco is at hand. As I said, your compliance..."

F. W. Daniel & Co's Great Removal Sale

TO BE COMMENCED NEXT THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24th. Stores will be closed all day WEDNESDAY to re-mark goods and generally prepare for this big merchandising event. An Immense Stock of DRY GOODS to be Disposed of Before We Move to Our New Building at the Top of King St. This Big Sale coming right in the heart of the season with all our New Spring Goods in stock will prove of unrivalled interest to the shopping public both far and near.

There will be a series of Bargain Offerings from day to day. Event will follow event--department after department will have merchandise to show that will make this sale a drawing power for many miles around. New seasonable goods will be sold at prices that cannot be expected at other stores. It is our purpose to have an entirely NEW STOCK with which to open our new store and this means a great clearing of all early importations to make room for the goods to arrive later in the season. Remember This Sale Begins Thursday, February 24th F. W. Daniel Co., Ltd. CHARLOTTE STREET



OUR NEW BUILDING. The work of remodeling Our New Building will be commenced on the first day of March and carpenters, masons and other workmen will rush forward the re-construction with all possible speed. Not a moment to be lost in getting this building in perfect shape before we move in. It promises to be one of the finest modern stores in the lower provinces.

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ARE YOU WORN DOWN BY STOMACH & LIVER DISORDERS? Nothing keeps a man or a woman down like indigestion or liver trouble--nothing lifts them up so quickly or so surely as a course of Mother SEIGEL'S SYRUP. the digestive tonic, compounded of roots and herbs. It braces the nerves, purifies the blood, creates appetite, assists digestion. Thirty drops taken after meals, will make and keep you well and strong. IT WILL LIFT YOU UP. Sold Everywhere. A. J. WHITE & Co., Ltd., MONTREAL.

CROUP

THERE IS NOTHING that strikes terror to the hearts of parents more than to be awakened in the night by the ringing cough which accompanies an attack of croup.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

that has been in use for nearly forty years and never known to fail.

Mr. Homer Krohn, of Lisbon, Iowa, in a letter to the manufacturer of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy praises this medicine for what it has done for his children.

Attacks of croup are most likely to occur during the early winter months, and every family with young children should be prepared for it.

CITY'S ANNUAL BATCH OF BILLS

Several Important Ones to Fredericton

Continental Assessment—Pledge Appointment of Police Head in Council.

The Common Council yesterday decided to send some very important bills to the Provincial Legislature at Fredericton.

THREATENS TO PUNCH CARVELL

Blain Riled at F. P's Remarks—Latter Withdraws

The Wrangle Occurs During Inquiry into the St. John Dredging Contract.

OTTAWA, Feb. 18.—The dredging contract for St. John Harbor and Courtenay Bay awarded to the Maritime Dredging and Construction Company was before the public accounts committee this morning.

DOCK STREET PICTURE MAN LEAVES TOWN

Us on Street! Merchant Said to Have Been Stung to the Tune of \$144.

P. J. Nugent, manager of the Canada Picture Post Card and Novelty Co., who has been at 71 Dock St., in the Ogilvie block, is among the missing.

FAST FREIGHT CREW HAS HEAP OF TROUBLE

The crew of the fast freight which is due to leave here at 7.35 p.m. over the C.P.R. encountered all kinds of trouble before they got away last evening.

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Don't Wear a Truss

After Thirty Years Experience I Have Produced an Appliance for Men, Women or Children that Cures Rupture

I SEND IT ON TRIAL. If you have tried most everything else, come to me. Where others fail is where I have my greatest success.



The above is C. E. Brooks, of Marshall, Mich., who has been cured of Rupture for over 30 years.

Rupture and its cure, showing my Appliance and giving you prices and names of many people who have tried it and were cured.

AS TO ATHLETICISM AMONG THE YOUNG

Its Evils in Great Britain Have Been Exaggerated

Games Do More for Youth Than Mental Toll, Declares Medical Association.

A feature of the last meeting of the British Medical Association was the discussion of athleticism, the medical aspect of the subject being reviewed at length.

exercises alone is ever wholly responsible for injuries to the heart, for instance, Houver, in 'Oiler's System of Medicine' states that 'up to the present time there exists no absolute pathological and clinical proof of acute passive dilatation and death from excessive muscular exertion; although there are excellent physiological and clinical reasons for believing they occur, there always lurks the suspicion of other contributing factors in such cases, namely, a remnant of former infection, congenital defects, or manner of life.'

"Clifford Allbutt is of the opinion that the incidence of infectious diseases is an element of the utmost importance. Among these infections he would place influenza in the front rank, but he would also include severe colds as a bad cold has a quite definite influence on the heart."

"The tendency of this country was until recently, it is not even yet, that games should be characterized by immoderate zeal. These remarks apply particularly to football. The season is short and the participants in college football are comparatively few, yet the list of fatalities and deaths has been greater in one season than the whole of the casualties and fatalities which have occurred in thirteen large English schools and in one university during a period of twenty years."

Drunkards Saved Secretly

Any Lady May Do It at Home—Costs Nothing to Try

Every Woman in the World May Save Some Drunkard. Send for Free Trial Package of Golden Remedy.



At last, drunk no more, no more! A treatment that is tasteless and odorless, safe, absolutely so, heartily endorsed by temperance workers; can be given secretly by any lady in any form; coffee, or food, or in any work;—the craving for liquor relieved in thousands of cases without the drinker's knowledge, and against his will. Will you try such a remedy if you can prove its effect, free to you? Then send the coupon below for a free trial package, to-day.

MILLING COMPANY DECLARES DIVIDEND

MONTREAL, Que., Feb. 18.—At a meeting of the directors of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company this afternoon, a quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. on the preferred stock, and a quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. on the common stock were declared, payable on March 1st to shareholders of record on Feb. 2nd.

P. J. Nugent, manager of the Canada Picture Post Card and Novelty Co., who has been at 71 Dock St., in the Ogilvie block, is among the missing.

P. J. Nugent, manager of the Dominion Atlantic Railway and of the steamship lines which the road owns, passing through here last evening en route to Boston, made a definite announcement to the D. A. R. a new steam service between Boston and Digby, which is to be inaugurated this year.

JAIL FOR MONGTON HOTEL PROPRIETRESS

MONGTON, N. B., Feb. 18.—The Mongton, proprietress of the American Hotel, was today sentenced to a month in jail for a Scott Act violation, and another case against her on a similar charge was adjourned for a week.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 18.—The January bank statement issued to-day shows another large increase in savings deposits which now total \$50,207,894. This is a new high record, and an increase of \$9,000,000 during the month.

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SHAW WRITES A PLAY FOR REVENGE

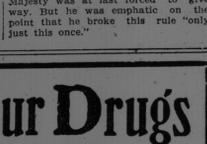
Avows He Has Done It to Annoy Critics for Which He is Sorry.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—George Bernard Shaw has written a play to amuse himself at the expense of the London critics. Of course, everybody is anxious to see it, though as a rule Shaw's work does not "catch on" here at home as it does in America.

Dr. Daniel tried to break out that because the contract was let to the former company at the latter company's figures the work would cost the country \$146,000 more than it would if the company had been held to its original tender.

Throw Away Your Drugs

Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt Will Make You Strong and Well



That's what a man does with his bottle of medicine as soon as he begins to feel the effects of my Belt—turn it down the sink upon the floor. If you want a stimulant, take whiskey. If you want permanent health, strength and vigor, fill your nerves with electricity.

My Electric Belt Will Cure You. It has made thousands of ailing men and women strong and healthy. It will do the same for you.

A WONDERFUL REMEDY



Orange Lily is daily curing the most obstinate cases of Female Disorders. Falling of the Womb, Leucorrhoea, Painful and Suppressed Menstruation, etc.

direct contact with the diseased tissue. Its antiseptic and nerve-food properties cannot help have a beneficial influence upon the benefits and cures it is performing, and so sure am I that it will speak of what it claims for itself, absolutely free, a 3c box to every suffering woman who will write for it.

FREE TRIAL COUPON

Write your name and address on blank lines below and mail coupon to-day for free trial package of Golden Remedy.

Mr. A.—There goes Mrs. Green. They say she is such a quiet dresser. Mrs. Z.—Quiet? You should hear her carrying on when her husband is buttoning up her waist in the back.

PAY WHEN CURED

FREE TO YOU. Get my 80-page book describing my Electric Belt, with illustrations of fully-developed men and women, showing how it is applied.

M. A. McLaughlin. 214 St. James St., Montreal, Canada. Please send me your Book free. NAME: ADDRESS:

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Fight the "Great White Plague" Right at Home

FRESH air and cleanliness. That is the dictate of modern science for the cure of consumption. Other maladies demand other treatment; but every doctor everywhere and for every illness, will insist on cleanliness. In both surgery and medicine, absolute cleanliness comes before almost everything else.

Nor is cleanliness in the home only a cure—it is a preventative of disease. Keep your home clean.

Asepto Soap Powder is probably the greatest cleanser of modern times—not only to clean, but not only does the soap in it wash—bedding, curtains, dishes, etc.—but it sterilizes as well. So that besides cleansing, it also disinfects—it is a preventative against disease and decay. Use Asepto—use it today—everyday.

Use Asepto for washing your dishes—your laundry—your woodwork, and see the result. See the dirt disappear as if by magic.

Remember Asepto harms neither the hands nor the most delicate fabric—affects nothing but dirt and disease. Try an Asepto bath yourself—see how refreshing it is.

All good grocers sell Asepto—see the large package.

Ask your grocer for it.

THE ASEPTO MFG. CO. ST. JOHN, N.B.



ASEPTO SOAP POWDER sweetens the home

AMUSEMENTS

GREAT SHOW AT THE ORPHEUM NEXT WEEK.

Another team which will be in the same class as that which made such a hit at the Orpheum this week has been engaged to open Monday. This refers to Silver and Sands, who with their singing comedy dancing, and Harry Lauder imitations, is certainly one of the biggest vaudeville successes of the season. This clever pair are often styled the English Kiddies—small, petite, and natives of London, where their first successes were made, they bring a remarkable personality to their assistance, and which accounts largely for their splendid position on the American vaudeville stage today. Remember that Silver and Sands is not one of the ordinary acts, and Monday will miss their first performance talked about.

GOOD SHOW AT NICKEL.

Holmes and Buchanan made the biggest hit of their present engagement at the Nickel yesterday in the novelty musical act "How Things Have Changed Since Mother was a Girl." The comparisons in a comedy sort of vein between the street car conductors, the popular songsters and others brought down the house. Tomorrow will open their first performance.

UNION BLEND TEA the Tea that satisfies

YOU are the best judge of how much Union Blend Tea is worth—but you can't pass an opinion until you have tried it. You are in no position to say—as I say—that it's worth 40¢ a pound because it goes easily half as far again as any 50¢ tea. You don't know the truth of that until you use it for yourself.

But that's a fact. Sixteen ounces of Union Blend will make as much tea as twenty-four ounces of any ordinary kind. And not only as much tea, but better tea—tea that is more fragrant, that has more aroma, more smack to it.

There is only one way for you to prove this—buy a pound and try it. Or if you are in doubt, let a half pound packet tell the story. Your own teaspoon will convince you if you will give it the opportunity. Look for my picture on the end of the packet.

Union Blend one pound packets are worth 40¢ a pound because it goes easily half as far again as any 50¢ tea. You don't know the truth of that until you use it for yourself.

I Take all the Risk

THERE would be no sense in my spending thousands of dollars in advertising if I couldn't back up what I say. If you try Union Blend and don't like it, I am worse off than before, for I can never get you to try again. To make money, I've got to make satisfied customers—and I do. Of all who once buy Union Blend ninety-five per cent. continue to use it. You know what that means, don't you? What will your decision be?

Harry W. Forest

BAD MANNERS AT THE BRIDGE TABLE

Little Things That Really Amount to Cheating

Signals Outside Rules—Occasional Players Who Will Not Take Advantage of a Partner's Signs.

At the end of every code of laws for the game of bridge there are several paragraphs under the caption "secrets of the game," which are supposed to call attention to breaches of decorum peculiar to the card room. Hundreds of decisions are asked for every year to settle upon the laws of the game, but there is no record of a single case of any one having made a bet upon the laws of the game, although these rules are probably broken more frequently, more consistently and more defiantly than all the others combined.

Perhaps the most common fault is the breach of law No. 1, which reads: "A player should not give any indication by word or gesture as to the nature of his hand or as to his pleasure or displeasure at the play."

A man who would scorn outside the card room the attack of a secret, would have no hesitation in expressing his opinion about his partner's play in bridge, even when it is a matter of interpretation. It is a vulgar, occasionally it is a snarl or perhaps a look of pity shared with the spectators in the audience, but the interpretation is always the same: "Did you ever see such rotten play?"

It is not only a matter of interpretation, but of cheating. The partner's play either at that time or later in the hand, both are clearly a matter of a signal of fraud, all the more contemptible on account of its pettiness.

Here is a good example of what is continually happening. Chesterfield is leading against a no trump, "Deak Brummel" being his partner. The card is a spade, and he is leading the ace of clubs. Chesterfield leads the king of clubs and dummy covers it with the queen jack, the ace of hearts, the king and one diamond, and all the spades but the king. The ace of clubs follows the king, exhausting the third hand, who is anxious to see his partner as he is trying to remember the card. Along comes a third club, and Brummel wags his head from side to side, pulls at his ear as if it were chafed, or tips his cards with his fingers or chuckles or discards on dummy's winning club as if he were throwing a ten dollar bill into the street, or else he leans back in his chair and looks to the bystanders for sympathy, as if he would like to ask them "Wouldn't that far you?"

Dummy leads the ace and another spade and Chesterfield is in the lead with the spade king. Now what is clear is that the dealer is leading another club and establishing the suit. The king of clubs is led, and the ace of hearts follows. The king of clubs is led, and the ace of hearts follows. The king of clubs is led, and the ace of hearts follows.

In a situation of this kind which the writer recently witnessed in a well known club, the dealer is leading a dummy in by returning dummy's suit, leaving the king of clubs in dummy's hand, in answer to his partner's demand for an explanation of the king. The king of clubs is led, and the ace of hearts follows. The king of clubs is led, and the ace of hearts follows.

Water Bad for Eczema

MANY SUFFER DURING COLD WEATHER—GREAT RESULTS FROM DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

Winter is dreaded by people who are subject to such skin affections as eczema and salt rheum and by others whose skin is easily irritated by cold and dampness.

There is nothing so bad for eczema as water and exposure to cold piercing winds. And there is nothing so effective in curing eczema as Dr. Chase's Ointment.

This has been proven in many thousands of cases such as the following: Mrs. George A. Brewster, Millwood, Mass., writes: "I have used Dr. Chase's Ointment for a skin trouble which used to return again and again and caused me much misery on account of the terrible itching. The Ointment entirely cured this disease and I have never since been troubled with it."

Mrs. John J. Delory, Linwood, Antigonish Co., N. S., writes: "I want to say that Dr. Chase's Ointment has proven a great blessing to me. I had salt rheum on one hand and could not get it healed up. The itching was most distressing at times. Two boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment has cured me completely and I gladly recommend it to every sufferer."

In scores of ways Dr. Chase's Ointment is of greatest value in the home in curing pimples, blackheads, chapped skin, chilblains, frost bites, sores and burns and every form of itching skin disease.

60 cts. a box, all dealers; or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto. Write for free copy of Dr. Chase's Recipes.



Secret of Good Pies

PIE CRUST, more than any other delicacy of the oven, ought to be tempting and appealing to the taste. You do not eat pie as a nerve tonic or to strengthen your appetite. You eat it for pleasure mostly.

Ogilvie's Royal Household Flour

You want it, of course, to taste good. At the same time you want the crust to be light, flaky, wholesome. Above all things you don't want it tough, indigestible and not safe to eat.

Now, pie crust properly made from OGILVIE'S ROYAL HOUSEHOLD FLOUR is always good food, the absolute uniformity of this best of all flours eliminates failure entirely. You get the same delightful

results every time—more healthful, digestible and nourishing than if made from ordinary flour.

And the reason is that ROYAL HOUSEHOLD having a larger percentage of high quality gluten, assimilates more readily and is more satisfying than ordinary flour, and comes out of the oven flakier, more tender and more digestible.

Pies made from "ROYAL HOUSEHOLD" taste better and are better than pies made from other flour—much more delicious, better in every way.

Be sure to try "ROYAL HOUSEHOLD" when next you make pies. It is the finest flour in the world not only for pastry but for bread and all family baking.

"OGILVIE'S BOOK FOR A COOK" containing 125 pages of tried and tested recipes will be sent free to any user of Royal Household Flour who asks for it.

THE OGILVIE FLOUR MILLS CO. LIMITED, MONTREAL.



WIRELESS A BOON TO E. S. S. CO. PASSENGERS

No More Isolation While at Sea—An Object of Interest as Well as Useful to S.

The Eastern Steamship Company is fully abreast of the times in its willingness to adopt every new device which will improve the service or add to the comfort of its patrons. This company was one of the first to adopt the wireless engine on its large steamers with the result that the St. John passengers were among the first to have the advantage of which the company's use of this smooth-running speed mechanism.

The company's latest move is having the wireless telegraph apparatus installed on the Calvin Augustin, one that is already showing its efficiency to those who travel by the big steamer. A first class operator is in charge and every possible dispatch is given and more appreciated by passengers who wish to keep in touch with the outside world even for the few hours occupied in the trip between Boston and St. John. Formerly this isolation was one of the drawbacks to travel by water, but it is now dispelled as the powerful apparatus installed will be in constant communication with the shore. Passengers can be advised of important business or family news as soon as if they were on land, messages can be sent to correct lapses of memory which occur in the hurry of departure, and expectant friends can be notified of the time of the passenger's arrival.

In addition to its usefulness the wireless apparatus is always an object of great interest to passengers. Ever since the heroic work of Jock Bunn is saving the Republic has brought to interest and thrilling possibilities of the wireless it has assumed a prominent place among those things which help to make a trip interesting. The company is to be congratulated on its interest in putting this service at the use of the patrons of the line, and in adding to the equipment of the Ausonia the most important of modern accessories.

POISON TRIFLES

They Are Found in Only Two Places in the World

In only two places in the world, Queensland and the west coast of Africa, can there be found that most remarkable of nature's productions, the Brythotrochium labouchieri (poison tree). Referring to this tree in speaking of a meeting of the Sydney Natural History Society, A. Weston, formerly professor of botany in the University of Queensland, says that when in 1870 he was in the world, the wood is elegantly grained and marked by colors and peculiar striations which distinguish it from any other known timber. It is extremely hard and tough and the bark of the Cape York peninsula is used for making the spears, with which they throw the spear. The tree bears long rods con-

taining beans, which, like the leaves, are fatal to all animal life. The stomach of a dead goat or a dead sheep may show only three or four undigested green leaves. All animals are blind before they die and remain blind if they recover. This tree killed sixteen of the Chitagoose company's camels. It killed some of the horses and cattle of the Jardine brothers in their expedition to Cape York in 1881. On one occasion it killed several thousand horses in a marshed ram or rounded conefield, and the unhappy Juliet can nevermore gaze upon her lost Romeo. Even inhaling the smoke of the burning wood is said to have a disastrous effect upon ladies who in byronic times, are among those "who love their lords," consequently it is never used for firewood except in extreme cases of matrimonial infelicity—London Standard.

Cured of Drunkenness

How a Montreal lady cured her husband of drunkenness with a secret home remedy

"I want to tell you that since I have used Dr. Chase's Ointment, I am cured of my drinking habit. I was a drunkard for many years, but I have now become a teetotaler. I have used Dr. Chase's Ointment for many years, and it has cured me of my drinking habit. I have used Dr. Chase's Ointment for many years, and it has cured me of my drinking habit. I have used Dr. Chase's Ointment for many years, and it has cured me of my drinking habit."

Some Peculiar Facts About These Great United States.

The following collection of geographical peculiarities about the United States and places therein embodies certain unique points well worth remembering.

A novel way to demonstrate the size of the state of Texas is to spread out a map of the union and stretch a string across Texas the longest way. Then, placing one end of the measure at Chicago, one will find that the other end will extend into either the Atlantic ocean or the Gulf of Mexico.

The two largest counties in the United States are Custer county, Mont., and San Bernardino county, Cal. Each of these is a little more than 20,000 square miles in extent, and the states of Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Delaware and New Jersey could be put inside the boundaries of either of them.

The smallest county in the union is Bristol county, R. I., which has only twenty-five square miles.

About fifty miles from Durango, Colo., there is a point where four states meet. Here by stepping a few feet in either direction one can walk in four different commonwealths in as many seconds. These commonwealths are the states of Colorado and Utah and the territories of New Mexico and Arizona.

A nearly parallel case is at Harpers

WEAK LUNGS

RESTORED BY PSYCHINE

"PSYCHINE" has restored thousands of people to buoyant health and strength whose condition had been regarded as hopeless. It is a tonic and flesh-builder, containing remarkable properties as a blood purifier and germicide. It will strengthen and heal the weak lungs, force out the phlegm and drive away the cough, no matter how long standing.

"PSYCHINE" tones up the whole system and drives out disease, heals the decayed tissue and restores lost energy. In use daily will prevent and ward off that most subtle disease consumption.

Write for a Free Sample.

For Sale by all Druggists & Dealers, 50c & \$1 per bottle.

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ST. JOHN, N. E.



1 **LITTLE**

WHILE WE ARE SAILING ALONG I AM GOING TO WORK THIS SEARCH-LIGHT. WE ARE GOING OVER MY HOME SOON AND I WANT TO SHOW IT TO YOU.

I'M GLAD OF THAT, BUT LET'S NOT STOP! POOR PAPA MUST BE SUFFERING TERRIBLY BY THIS TIME!

2 **NEMO**

THESE ARE THE HOUSES OF THE NEIGHBOURS. THERE IS WHERE I LIVE. YEP! THAT'S OUR HOUSE! NOW, WE'LL SAIL OVER A PRETTY PARK, BUT THERE'S NOTHING TO SEE IN IT.

I SUPPOSE YOUR DEAR MAMA AND PAPA ARE ASLEEP NOW.

3 **SLUMBERLAND**

BREAK AWAY! BREAK AWAY! CAUGHT YOU KISSING, DIDN'T I... EH?

HERE! YOU! TURN THAT LIGHT THE OTHER WAY! GWAN AWAY!

OH! MERCY!

I THINK WE HAVE SEEN PLENTY IN THIS PARK.

4

GET AWAY FROM THAT HOUSE!!! I'LL HAVE YOU LOCKED UP IF YOU DON'T GET AWAY QUICK!!!

5

HEY! OFFICER! WAKE UP! WAKE UP! YOU CAN CATCH A BURGLAR AROUND THE CORNER IF YOU GET ON THE JOB!

6

HERE, KIDDO! WAKE UP AND GO HOME! THERE'S SOME MONEY!! YOU'LL CATCH COLD SLEEPING!

7

OH! THERE'S AN AIRSHIP! SAY, IS THAT YOU, NEMO? GIVE US A LIFT!!!

OH! GOODIE! HELP US OUT, WILL YOU? HELP US HOME!

WE'RE BROKEN DOWN! HAVE YOU A ROPE?

YES, I'LL DROP A ROPE TO YOU, TIE IT TO YOUR CAR AND HOP IN. BUT I'M IN A HURRY!

8

I SEE A GARAGE AHEAD. WE OUGHT TO STOP!

HE'S GOING TOO FAST, BUT I'M GLAD WE ARE GOING HOME!

WE ARE SPINNING, SURE!

HEY! NEMO! YOU'RE GOING TOO FAST! STOP AT THIS GARAGE!

I WILL DROP YOU HERE! WE MUST GO ON!

9

NEMO, I'M FROZEN! WHAT MAKES IT SO COLD? UM! WOW.

YOU OUGHT TO BE COLD. WE ARE GETTING NEAR THE NORTH-POLE, WHERE DOCTOR PILL IS!

10

WOULDN'T IT BE FUNNY IF WE'D COME ACROSS FLIP UP HERE?

11

HELLO! FLIP! COME ON! HOP ON BOARD! WE ARE HUNTING DOCTOR PILL! COME HELP US FIND HIM!!

DOCTOR PILL! YOU ARE NOT LOOKING FOR US, EH? I KNOW WHERE THE DOC IS!

SPEAK OF THE... OH THERE HE IS! THAT HORRID FLIP! NOW WE WILL NEVER FIND THE DOCTOR!

12

OH! AT LAST WE ARE GOING HOME! UM!

OH! I DREAMED I MET FLIP AGAIN. HE'S A GOOD FELLOW! I WISH HE WAS REAL!

WINSOR McCAY

TWELVE

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1910.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is this Store's Pleasure.

DYKEMAN'S

A List of Decided Bargains

FEBRUARY SALE PRICES

A Large Lot of Flannelettes

suitable for Waists, Wrappers, Children's Dresses, Kimonos and Dressing Jackets, placed out on the counter TO SELL AT 5 CENTS A YARD, the regular prices run from 15 to 25 cents.

DOUBLE WIDTH FLANNELETTES, suitable for Wrappers and Waists and at this extremely low price would be a good material for quilt covering 10 CENTS A YARD, regular price 18 cents.

LONG GAUZE GLOVES, heavy Scotch knit, SALE PRICE 50 CENTS A PAIR, usually sell at 75 cents.

CHILDREN'S TOWELS, 50 cent quality, SALE PRICE 25 CENTS.

SWEATER FRONTS, 50 cent quality, SALE PRICE 35 CENTS, all colors.

TWO DOLLARS AND TWENTY-FIVE CENT SWEATERS FEBRUARY SALE PRICE 25 CENTS, Ladies' sizes, in all white and white and red, pure wool.

Some 35 INCH DRESS GOODS that are worth \$1.00 and \$1.50 a yard are to be sold during this sale at 50 CENTS A YARD.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.,
59 CHARLOTTE ST.

\$15 SUITS

NOW \$10.00

Some of our Tweed Suits which we were selling at \$15 just a few weeks ago are now marked at \$10.

Also, just a VERY few \$15 Tweeds reduced to \$10.

Not anything like full lines, of course. But RARE BARGAINS for the lucky men who "get here first" and find their size.

Bargains for EVERY man for that matter—and unusual ones. 20 per cent. cut right off our newest and finest 1910 Suits—including the most popular fabrics, shades and patterns.

OVERCOATS, too, cut 20 per cent and some MORE than that.

Altogether, it's what a poetically inclined person might call "a feast of bargains." But we, being prosaic business men, term it "an unusual money-saving opportunity."

Call and see for yourself.

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White Lawn Waists with lace and embroidery, 50c, 80c, 90c, \$1.10, \$1.30, \$1.50, \$1.65, to \$2.50.

Black Lawn Waists, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.45.

Colored Waists, 50c, 75c, 80c, \$1.10, \$1.25.

Tailored Waists, 80c, \$1.10, \$1.25.

The prettiest patterns and best values in St. John are here.

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500 yards of NET CHIFFON VEILINGS, sale price 8c yd.

400 yards of GOOD QUALITY FAST COTTON PRINT, 12c yd.

600 yards of wide width SHAKER FLANNELS, asst. colors, stripe, 12c yd.

100 Boxes of WASH RUCHING, 2 1/2 yds. in box 10c box.

10 dozen of Ladies' HALF SLEEVE VESTS, extra. 2 for 25c.

Cor. Duke & Charlotte Sts

Store open evenings.

THE WEATHER

Maritime: Fair and cold today and on Sunday.

LOCAL NEWS

There were no auctions at Chubb's Corner today.

The choir of St. David's Church will be assisted by Mr. Charles F. Allen at the morning service tomorrow.

Our 25 per cent. price reduction means more to you than any bargain offer of other stores. Visit our tailoring department, C. B. Fidgeon.

On account of the women's meeting at Centenary Church tomorrow, the regular service at the King's Daughters' Guild tomorrow afternoon will be omitted.

Rev. W. A. Cameron will address the meeting for boys in the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday at 10 a. m. Mr. Kingston's Bible class for men will meet at 1:30 p. m.

A volley-ball game was played at the Y. M. C. A. last evening between the Dreadnoughts and the Leaders. All points were won by the Dreadnoughts, putting them in the lead in the league.

The police-report having found the doors of five establishments open last night. A parcel containing a doll was found on King street.

St. John Presbyterian. Public worship, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School, 9:30 p. m. but Bible class 2:45 p. m. The pastor will preach both morning and evening. A cordial welcome to all.

The Board of Trade has just issued a new wall hanger bearing a shadow picture of the harbor front with the industrial plants looming up large and an exhortation to do, say or think something for St. John each day.

Marlborough Lodge, No. 207, Sons of England, will take action for the purpose of securing a Royal Humane Society medal for Harry Lilley, who recently risked his own life to save a patient at the Provincial Hospital from the waters of the reversing falls.

At the Natural History Society rooms next Tuesday evening Dr. George L. Melvin will lecture, taking for his subject: "Evolution in the Light of Human History." The admission is free.

Sergeant Campbell has reported the following teamsters for driving vehicles without licenses: Jas. Oakes, Henry O'Leary, Timothy O'Leary, Fred Dick Carruthers, who has been masquerading in this city as a book agent. The man is a noted crook and sign-man across the border. He was arrested in Boston yesterday as he detected resulted from the efforts of the Thiel Detective Agency.

An interesting event took place at the residence of H. F. Larsen, Hillsboro, on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Annie E. Larsen, was united in marriage to David F. Oram, manager of the Blue Theatre, on King street. Miss Mabel Larsen, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and her brother, Gordon W. Larsen, was best man. Rev. J. C. Fash, of the Hillsboro Baptist Church, performed the wedding ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Oram are residing on Metcalf street, North End.

The manager of the Dominion Exhibition this morning received from a Boston building concern an offer to erect a fire proof art gallery on the exhibition grounds. This unexpected proposition is naturally received with a great deal of satisfaction by the exhibition people and if it is built the matter of a comprehensive art exposition will be practically assured. The firm that makes this generous offer has a Canadian branch and it is thought they would consider this way of introducing their work a very advantageous one.

A very pleasant birthday party was held last evening at the home of Albert Wilson, King St. East, when a few friends gathered to honor Rev. Dr. Wilson, who was his 77th birthday. Dr. Wilson is enjoying good health and is the only supernumerary minister now in the city in connection with the Methodist Conference. He was born in Scotland, and came to P. E. Island upon a mere child. He entered the ministry when a very young man. His friends in the city wish him many happy returns of the day.

THE WEEK'S DEATHS.

Eleven burial permits were issued at the Board of Health offices during the last week. Causes of death were as follows: Senility, 3; pneumonia, 2; meningitis, tuberculosis, heart disease, gastritis enteritis, capillary bronchitis, sarcoma of uterus, one each.

The names of the deceased were as follows:

Daniel McDonald, 32 Golding street, aged 79 years.

Mrs. Sarah McShane, Mater Misericordiae Home, aged 55 years.

Philip Buxton, 3 Union Alley, aged 69 years.

Bridget Parren, Mater Misericordiae Home, aged 80 years.

Mary Wilson, 155 Brydon street, aged 65 years.

Dennis Burns, 56 Elm street, aged 77 years.

Arthur Cunningham, Sheriff street.

Mrs. Beatrice Lynch, Mount Pleasant Avenue, aged 34 years.

James Noble, St. John, N. B., aged 6 months.

Adalaid V. Baylis, 33 Duke street, aged 27 years.

Catherine Dyser, 80 Chapel street, aged 80 years.

Registrar Jones reports seventeen births during the week. Nine of the number were females. There were four marriages.

LAKE OF THE WOODS JUMPS

There was a sensational rise in Lake of the Wood Milling stock this morning. It closed last night at 14 1/2, and on the report that there would be a half yearly bonus of 5 per cent., it sold to 18 1/2 this morning.

EMPRESS OF IRELAND

HERE ON HER FIRST TRIP

Had a Rough Passage—Frederick Villiers One of Those on Board—Many Passengers Landed.

On her first trip of the season, the big C. P. R. steamship Empress of Ireland, in command of Captain V. Forster, reached port and docked at No. 3 berth at 8 o'clock this morning from Liverpool via Halifax. The Empress had on board nearly 100 passengers, several hundred of the number coming around to St. John.

The Empress encountered rough weather throughout the trip across. Gale winds were experienced. The steamer arrived at the island at 5:30 o'clock this morning. She had a very good run from Halifax.

The officers are as follows: V. R. O'Reilly, R. N. R. chief officer; W. Sampson, chief engineer; F. W. Atherton, purser; Arthur Comber, purser; A. W. Guade, chief steward.

Among the cabin passengers on the steamer was Frederick Villiers, of London, the famous correspondent. Mr. Villiers is proceeding to the Canadian Northwest, which he intends to write up.

Flag Commander W. H. O. Margesson, R. N., was also passenger on the Empress. He was accompanied by Mrs. Margesson.

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ONE HAD A WOODEN LEG; THE OTHER 'SPRAINED FOOT'

Two Common Drunks Arrested Last Night—Boys in Court for Throwing Snowballs.

Two drunken men were arrested by the police last night. One was a cat-sprained ankle. Last night Dr. Berry was called to the cells to attend to the injured man. Charles Harrington and Fred Totten were charged by Officer Lucas with throwing snowballs on King street. They pleaded guilty and were remanded for a time.

GOAL BOAT LOOKED LIKE AN ICEBERG

Donalson Co's Steamers Met Rough Weather on the Run Here From Sydney

The Black Diamond line steamer Cocoon, from Sydney, and the steamer Adventure from Loughbur, arrived last night with full cargoes of coal. The steamers had rough weather, and heavy seas were encountered Thursday. The sea broke over the ships, which were deeply laden. The Cocoon especially was covered with ice for a quickly as the spray would fly over the ship it would freeze. From the water line to the masthead, rigging, booms, deck houses, pilot house, etc., are all coated with ice.

The Loughbur is at the Dominion Coal Co. docks and the Cocoon is at the McLeod wharf.

SARDINIAN IS NOW SEVENTEEN DAYS OUT

Allan Limer Still Not Reported—Has Sixty Passengers—Probably Met Heavy Weather.

Donalson Limer Salacia will sail this afternoon between 4 and 5 o'clock for Glasgow. The steamer will carry a large general cargo from this port. There is a shipment of cattle on the Salacia. Two passengers are aboard the steamer.

Allan Limer Gramplan with 800 passengers on board, reached Halifax at noon today from Liverpool. The steamer had a fair passage across. She will reach this port on Sunday evening. Still no report has been received from the Allan Limer Sardinian from London via Elvre. The steamer is now seventeen days out and should turn up at any time. The Sardinian has about sixty passengers on board. As the steamer usually makes the trip in fourteen or fifteen days, very rough weather is doubtless being met with. The Sardinian will make a call at Halifax on the return trip to London.

MISS THOMSON HEARD IN ATTLEBORO CHURCH

Referring to Miss Blenda Thomson of this city, an Attleboro, Mass., paper of last week contains the following: A New York singer is to be heard at the sing in church next Sunday evening. Miss Blenda Thomson paid a brief visit to friends in Attleboro last week and was persuaded by a few who heard her sing, to return from Boston where she had spent the week, and sing in church next Sunday evening. Miss Thomson is a contralto of remarkable depth and power. She was formerly soloist at the Church of Saint David's, in St. John, and is now studying oratorio at the Carnegie Hall studio, New York.

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