

PUGSLEY SEEKS TO MAKE TARDY RETRIBUTION

Driven To Cover By Revelations In Public Accounts Committee, Gives Order That Dredging Contracts Must Not Be Exceeded.

WHOLE SYSTEM TO BE INVESTIGATED

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 1.—The Department of Public Works has decided to issue instructions to all its district and resident engineers that in no case, particularly dredging contracts, is the cost to exceed the contract or previously arranged price.

This drastic order is taken to mean that Mr. Pugsley is alarmed at the disclosures which are being made to the public accounts committee as to slip shod methods of the department in permitting favored dredging contractors, particularly in the Maritime Provinces, to secure contracts and then go on with the work at their own sweet will, charging whatever excess they like.

Many instances have been brought out already of large sums paid out on the signature of the district engineer, who is afraid to do otherwise than authorize the contractor to proceed. The reason that the dredging firms are close personal friends of Mr. Pugsley.

Publicity Committee Busy. Evidence is now being collected by Mr. Crockett and other members of this condition of affairs in which the money of the people is being squandered in a wasteful and general way that is anticipated in the near future when Mr. Pugsley and his methods will be subjected to criticism and a vote of censure moved.

For full criticism of the Minister of Public Works is issuing this general order to his engineers all over the country. There are many reasons for this, but the main one is the opposition to the Minister of Public Works.

A systematic tabulation is being kept of expenditures for buildings in small villages represented by Conservative supporters, while larger centres are left to get along with inadequate accommodation because they are represented in parliament by Conservative members. A demand is to be made shortly for a definite general principle to be laid down respecting the erection of public buildings and the opposition is determined to bring home to the government the responsibility for the present perilous partisan system.

FARM COMPANY INCORPORATED

Concern With \$48,000 Capital To Develop St. John River Valley—Liquor Seizure At McGivney's.

Fredrickton, Feb. 1.—Application for incorporation is being made in today's Royal Gazette by the St. John River Valley Farm and Fruitland Company. A. R. Slipp, D. W. Hubbard of Burton, and A. M. Chamberlain of Kalamooka, E. G. are the applicants. The business will be Burton, Sunbury County, and the capital stock of the company \$48,000.

Tenders are called by the Chief Commissioner for the building of Red Bank bridge, in the Parish of Chipman, Queens county.

Tenders are also being called for rebuilding the Durham bridge in the Parish of St. Mary's. The tenders will close on the 8th inst.

Miss Margaret Kitchen, daughter of J. C. Kitchen of this city, is to be married on Wednesday next to H. D. Smith of Edmonton. The ceremony will be performed at the residence of the bride's parents in this city, and the happy couple will visit Boston and New York before taking up their residence in the west. Mr. Smith is a Prince Edward Island man, and is a school teacher in Alberta. He went west about five years ago and has since secured extensive ranching interests.

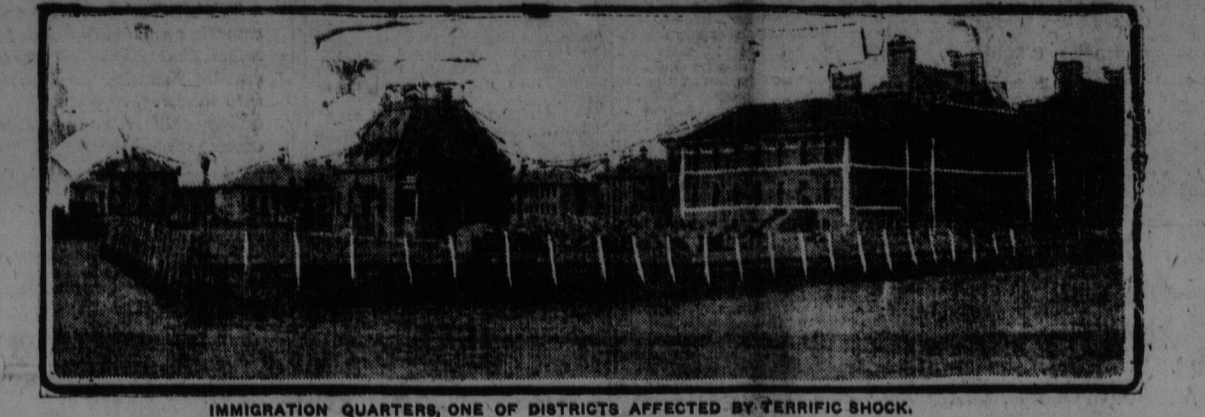
A. R. Foster chief of police of the Transcontinental Railway, and Constable Joseph Pearson, are at the Queen today on their way back from McGivney's, where yesterday they made a seizure of \$100 worth of liquor from the hotel of Charles Labelle, of that place. Commissioner Ferris is in the city and the case against Labelle, who is charged with keeping liquor for sale will come up tomorrow.

FORMER POLITICAL LEADER A SUICIDE

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 1.—Frank W. Boers, formerly a leader in Democratic politics here, who was defeated as a majority candidate a few years ago, killed himself today with poison.

He left a letter explaining that he had been cheated out of money rightfully his. Boers apparently had broadened over the litigation he was involved in as a trustee of his father's estate.

NEW YORK SHAKEN TO FOUNDATIONS BY EXPLOSION WHICH KILLS THIRTY



IMMIGRATION QUARTERS, ONE OF DISTRICTS AFFECTED BY TERRIFIC SHOCK.

730 TOLL OF EARTHQUAKE

Governor General Of Philippines Reports Dreadful Suffering—Falling Mud And Lava Destroys Crops.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—The eruption of Taal volcano and the accompanying disturbance in the Philippines killed 700 people in the town of Talisay according to the report of the governor of Batangas province, which was cabled to the war department today by Gov. Gen. Forbes of the Philippine Islands. The earthquake shocks continue the governor general added.

Among the estimates of casualties transmitted to the war department today was a report from Delegate Apable, representing Batangas in the Philippine assembly, who planned the total dead at 300. The delegates report added that 5,000 families had been ruined by the disaster.

Recent earthquake shocks have been slightly perceptible in Manila, Gov. Forbes reports, but they have caused no damage.

Since the first disturbance the seismographic apparatus of the Manila observatory has recorded the unprecedented number of 714 shocks up to 3:45 p. m. today. The army burial corps yesterday interred 45 bodies in Manila.

The Philippine authorities are faced with the absolute necessity of adopting relief measures in order to avoid suffering as the falling mud and lava destroyed the crops within a considerable radius of the volcano. The Red Cross society in the islands is taking steps toward that end.

JOB STILES TAKEN TO ALBERT JAIL

Arrested Yesterday On Two Bailable Writs—Gale Of Wind Preceding Cold Weather Did Some Damage.

Albert, N. B., Feb. 1.—The financial affairs of Job Stiles were advanced to a further interesting stage today when two bailable writs were served upon him, and in default of bail being secured Mr. Stiles was taken to jail on a warrant of commitment. It is understood that in view of assignment made by Mr. Stiles to the Sheriff of the County of Albert, and filed in the Registry office today, he will apply for and make a disclosure before the Sheriff of the County of Albert, and discharge under the provisions of the statute.

The weather here has been extremely heavy for the last forty-eight hours, but at ten o'clock tonight had moderated considerably.

The heavy gale of Monday night was the heaviest felt in this section for many years. It blew down the tall chimney on the exterior of I. C. Prescott's residence. About twenty feet of the chimney extended above the roof of the building as well as causing great damage to the roof of the veranda.

GERMANY FOLLOWS LEAD OF ENGLAND

Berlin, Feb. 1.—The Reichstag today passed the third reading of the bill taxing unearned increment by a vote of 199 to 92. Cities and other municipalities will retain 40 per cent of the proceeds derived from the new taxation and may also connect an additional tax in the form of a supplementary percentage. It is estimated that the German empire as a result of the measure, will obtain \$5,000,000 annually.

The Socialists and Radicals voted against the bill because it exempted the reigning princes and makes exceptions of agricultural lands.

Whole Cargo of Dynamite Blown Up While Being Transferred From Train to Lighter.

No Vestige Remains of Crew, Craft or Twenty Laborers on Dock—Acres of Glass Broken Throughout City and Total Property Loss Will Be \$750,000.—Indescribable Confusion.

The estimated number of dead is thirty-two, of whom five have been recovered.

THE KNOWN DEAD. Robert Burnett, New York, captain of the tug John Tweshey, blown from his wheelhouse. Giannomo Moro, deck hand, killed on the barkentine Ingrid. Michaelo Moro, his brother. Charles McNeil, engineer of a yard locomotive, blown from his cab. Robert Barbour, incoming Jersey Central passenger, killed by falling glass.

James Armstrong, captain of the power boat Whistler, owned by the American Storage and Delivery Company of New York, also one unknown man of his crew.

THE KNOWN MISSING. Edward Traver, master of the steam lighter Katherine W. Louis Heineman, engineer of the Katherine W. Frank Ackley, Henry Ackley, Oscar Stolpe, James London, Louis Belgian, all of the crew of the Katherine W.

THOUGHT TO BE MISSING. Twenty unknown laborers just getting ready to eat luncheon on Pier 7 when the explosion came.

New York, N. Y., Feb. 1.—A cargo of dynamite in transit from a freight car to the hold of a lighter moored at Pier 7, Communipaw, N. J., let go at just one minute past noon today, 150 yards south of the Jersey City terminal of the Central Railroad, of New Jersey, and in the widespread ruin that followed, 7 men are known to have been killed, 7 more are known to be missing, hundreds were wounded and varying reports leave from 15 to 20 unaccounted for.

Thirty seems to be a conservative estimate of the dead, and property damage will hardly fall below \$750,000. The cause of the explosion is variously attributed to the dropping of a case of dynamite and to a boiler explosion on a boat. Just what was the direct cause will probably never be known.

The Jersey Central terminal was wrecked, three ferry boats in the slips were torn and splintered; Lower Manhattan across the river was shaken from the street level to the top of the Singer tower; severe damage was done in Brooklyn, Staten Island and the immigrant detention station on Ellis Island, the shock was felt on Long Island in Amityville, 35 miles distant, and in Fair Jersey, at Long Branch, 40 miles distant. The damage is so widely scattered that it is impossible as yet to estimate it more than roughly, but in Manhattan alone it is placed at \$100,000 to \$25,000, and in all three-quarters of a million appears to be a fair estimate.

No Vestige of Lighter. The lighter receiving the dynamite, the Katherine W., owned by James Armstrong, of Jersey City, vanished utterly with her crew of 7 men, including the master, Edward Traver. Along side, the lighter Whistler, owned by the American Storage and Delivery Company, of New York, was so badly shattered that she sank with her crew of two, while the Swedish steel barkentine Ingrid, a stone's throw to the south was stripped of her rigging and the lives of two deckhands aboard snuffed out. Fragments of one man's hand was found swinging high on a tangle piece of rope.

The Katherine W. was tied to the outer end of the pier and a crew of deckhands was unloading a consignment of 50 pound boxes from two freight cars to the lighter when the crash came. The Dupont De Nemours Powder Company were the shippers, but to whom the explosive was consigned could not definitely be ascertained tonight. One report said to contractors up the river, for blasting along the Jersey coast; that it was bound for Havana. Theoretically dynamite will not let go from either shock or fire, but only from a combination of both—the detonation produced by a percussion cap. A boiler explosion would have duplicated the effect of the percussion cap. What followed is the best possible example of the whimsicality of dynamite.

The Katherine W. simply disappeared; not a splinter of her has been found. The Whistler dissolved into wreckage. Only her flagpole has been found. The freight car went up in a puff of dust. On the rear deck of the barkentine Ingrid were found a pair of iron trucks. They may be the trucks of the dynamite-car or of one of the other four cars standing near, that were also torn to bits.

Pifty yards back stood another car of dynamite. The explosion ripped the roof off it, and broke in the doors, but the dynamite itself held true and rested quiescent in its wooden boxes. What might have happened had the second car added its chained forces to the first can hardly be guessed; the visible terrors of the actuality were enough. On board the Ingrid the steel mizzen mast snapped off above the lower yard, and the tangled wreckage came tumbling about the decks. Everything about the mizzen mast was levelled flat, but the steel plates of the hull held stoutly, and showed not even a mark. For 100 feet the pier end itself was utterly demolished. The planking seemed to have been ground to powder, the few splinters left were an utterly inadequate account of its bulky substance. Girders, planking, cross stays, all the massive framework of a pier built to uphold locomotives and loaded trains were mere utility. Over the broken edges twisted the steel rails of track. A steel gondola car, lying on the side nearest the explosion and outward on the farther side. All about were strange freaks of the explosion. One freight car had the roof blown inward, as if it had been crushed by a falling boulder, but the sides were untouched. The iron sheathing of a freight house on pier 6, to the north, was pushed inward on the side nearest the explosion and outward on the farther side.

Killed in Terminal. In the train shed of the terminal, nearly the whole southern portion of the glass roof had collapsed, showering the piers with broken glass. One man was struck by a 30-pound weight of glass, and never got up that he died afterwards. An engineer in a shunting locomotive was blown from his cab and died of a fractured skull. A tugboat captain was hurled from his wheel house and fished out of the water fifteen minutes later, swimming about the southern side of the demolished pier.

Inside the passenger station, there was damage visible everywhere. The floors were littered with broken glass. Windows fronting on the inner court had been sucked from the frames, sashes and all. Sashes were torn from the roof. The hands of the ferry house clock were torn off. The southern wall bridged like a post-board box left out in the rain. There were no sashes in most of the windows and no glass in those that had sashes. James Mayhew, the cashier in the station restaurant, was eating luncheon when the explosion came. "I don't know whether there was much noise or not," he said. "I jumped up from the floor. There was everywhere the crash of falling glass, and the rush of frightened feet. Children wailed and women screamed a sensation of terror was acute, stabbing. It seemed as if the earth was being torn to bits and the most frightful thing was the flight itself."

Two ferry boats of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, the Somerville and the Plainfield, lay in the terminal slips, and a third, the Lakewood, was just wedging into the river. All of them careened violently, and all were showered with thrown glass. Many of the wounded passengers came to New York, and were afterwards treated.

EIGHT HOUR BILL AGAIN

Members Complain Of Attempt Of Government To Confuse Issue—Effort To Make Political Capital Charged.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Feb. 1.—The proceedings of the Commons today were unusual barren of interest. James Connolly tried to get his bill to amend the act respecting the Ontario and Minnesota Power Company introduced as a public bill, but the Speaker ruled that it was a private bill and must be treated accordingly. He was ruled out of order after he had spoken for two hours on the subject.

Hon. Frank Oliver introduced a bill to amend the Dominion lands act, its object is to render it possible to lease as well as sell school lands. It was read a first time.

Mr. Verville's much amended bill to compel an eight hour day, on public works, was talked out.

J. D. Taylor, New Westminster, said that in fairness to the House, it should be made clear whether the petitions in favor of the bill related to the original measure or the bill in its amended form.

Mr. King Objects. When Mr. Taylor referred to Prof. Skelton, who compiled information for the eight hour day bill of last session as the minister's own witness, Mr. King objected. He said Prof. Skelton had been engaged by him during the Christmas recess to proceed with the work. Mr. Taylor had endeavored to mislead the House. There were copies of order, and the minister with drew the statement. In conclusion Mr. Taylor expressed regret that the recommendations made by Prof. Skelton had not been embodied in the bill.

Mr. Thorburn, of North Lanark, said he could not understand the distinction which had been made between men working on public works and on government buildings. He doubted if the bill would benefit 1 per cent. of the laboring men of Canada. Mr. Thorburn read a letter he had received from the trades and labor council of Carleton Place in which the bill was severely criticized and the minister of labor accused of curtailing the measure in order to bring discredit on Mr. Verville as the representative of the laboring men. He said he would be willing to support the present session's bill to amend the reciprocity agreement between the United States and Canada.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—President Taft's announcement today that the southern tour planned for early next month would be cancelled with the exception of the visit to Atlanta was a "blow" to the interests of the membership of this association. Opposition to the proposed reciprocity treaty with the Dominion was based on the fact that it would remove the tariff on "products of soil, both forest and agricultural" and that lands on which the timber had been cut "were more suited for agricultural purposes than for reforestation."

SMALLPOX SITUATION AT MONCTON SERIOUS

Now Fourteen Cases in City, Some Of Which Have Been Concealed—Torrie And Winter In Amherst Deal.

Moncton, N. B., Feb. 1.—The smallpox situation is getting to be quite serious. Ten new cases developed in the city today and there are now fourteen in all, mostly in boarding houses. It is thought the disease has existed for some time but cases have been concealed.

Torrie and Winter of the Grand Opera House, Moncton, have gone into the new theatre deal at Amherst with F. G. Spencer of St. John.

RUSSIA GUARDS PUBLIC HEALTH

St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—In the Duma today, Premier Stolypin declaring that the regresses levelled at Russia as the focus of infectious diseases filled him with pain and shame, strongly supported the bill introduced to transfer to the government the carrying out of the proper drainage of St. Petersburg if the municipality fail to complete that task within a specified time.

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Reciprocity Debate In House Next Tuesday

Opposition Notified to Be in Readiness For Coming Struggle.

U. S. Senate Defer Action Until House Takes Up Agreement—Taft Abandoned Southern Trip in Order to Rush Measure—Control From North Pole to Yucatan Object of U. S.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 1.—The government notified the opposition tonight that the debate on reciprocity with the United States would be begun next Tuesday.

(Canadian Press.) Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 1.—The Conservatives were in caucus tonight from 8 o'clock until midnight. The question under discussion was the attitude of the party with respect to reciprocity. It is learned that no definite conclusion was come to and that there will be another caucus, probably tomorrow. The cabinet members, including numerous members from all sections of the country airing their views. Hon. John Haggart presided.

Senate Defers Action. Washington, Feb. 1.—No action was taken by the Senate committee on foreign relations with respect to the Canadian reciprocity agreement. The agreement was sent to that committee several days ago, after having been withdrawn from the finance committee, to which it originally was referred.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The Chicago Inter-Ocean in a cablegram from London today prints a full report of Sir Gilbert Parker's interview in which he says: "Dominion of territory from the North Pole to Yucatan is the United States' object in the Canadian tariff proposition."

"The opening of new fields of exploitation for American finance and new opportunities for the overflow of American energy and capital," he went on, "are also offered the States in this smooth and sweet song of Taft."

"The agreement is a desperately serious thing for Canada and Great Britain. The commercial gain is limited. The United States have been the same 'spread out' policy with Mexico, but with less delicacy. "A different form of arrangement will give Canada money to burn, but the fire will also consume Canada's sweet and powerful independence, her national integrity, those traditions of British connection which would prevent the loss of strength, her commercial and financial freedom and her opportunities for organic union with the Empire."

"The Imperial union is now a far off event. The only hope is that smaller individual conflicting commercial, industrial and agricultural interests in the United States, the larger political design and stop the ratification of the agreement."

"The agreement will eventually mean that the Canadians have lost their grip on their own independence. Canada's fight for two generations without agreement of American commercial treaties was the source of her progress and wealth. "It gave her energy, resourcefulness and determination, but under this agreement the great Dominion seeks control of the great Dominion."

Hardwood Men Opposed. Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 1.—Resolutions against reciprocity with Canada as "inimical to the interests of the membership of this association" were adopted by the Hardwood Manufacturers' Association of the United States at its annual convention today. Opposition to the proposed reciprocity treaty with the Dominion was based on the fact that it would remove the tariff on "products of soil, both forest and agricultural" and that lands on which the timber had been cut "were more suited for agricultural purposes than for reforestation."

BRAZILIAN AID FOR ENGLISH EXPLORER

Government Grants \$10,000 To Henry Savage Landon For Expenses In Exploring Country—Hitherto Unknown

Rio Janeiro, Feb. 1.—The government has appropriated \$10,000 towards the expenses of the expedition, which under the leadership of Henry Savage Landon, the English explorer, will traverse the eleventh parallel of latitude, between the Araguaya and Madeira rivers. Of the country to be visited and its Indian inhabitants practically nothing is known. Mr. Landon is now here.

GOVERNOR SHOT BY A RUSSIAN

Teherna, Feb. 1.—The governor of Ispahan, Mutemid Khan, and his nephew, were shot today by the ex-chief of police, who is a Russian subject. The condition of both men is critical, their assailant took refuge in the Russian consulate, and it is stated that the Russian authorities have decided not to surrender him to the Persians.

CANAL FATALITY

Panama, Feb. 1.—Four men were killed and seven others seriously injured as a result of a collision between a work train and string of dirt cars at Miraflores today.

TRUSTS WELCOME TARIFF AGREEMENT

Special Interests Would Be Pleased to See Reciprocity Go Through But Chances are Against It.

Special to the Standard. Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.—The most important fact in regard to the Canadian reciprocity treaty which has just been submitted by President Taft is the certainty that it will not become a law. There is no chance of all at the present session, little likelihood of an extra session being called, and only a remote possibility in the congress which begins its work next December.

Of course, the farmer would complain. He sees no reason why high protection should remain on the articles produced by the great cotton manufacturers and the woolen people, together with the steel trust and other big combines. He sees no reason why he alone, with his mess of eggs and poultry and his few sheep and what grain he can raise, should be exposed to free trade in the interest of the reduced cost of living while the big manufacturing trusts keep their "protection." So, of course, he will kick. It is only human that he should.

PHARMACEUTICAL EXAM. RESULTS GIVEN OUT

Conducted Here During First Two Days of Present Week Mostly Outside Students Wrote the Papers.

The semi-annual examinations of the New Brunswick Pharmaceutical Society was held in the society rooms, Market building, on Jan. 30th and 31st. The examiners present and their subjects were as follows: Dr. G. T. Hay—General subjects. M. V. Paddock, Ph. C.—Chemistry. Aubrey D. Johnston, Ph. C.—Dispensary. E. R. Ingraham—Pharmacy. E. R. Ingraham—Materia medica. The results of the examinations were as follows: Passing Final—J. Walton Kelstead of Moncton; Percy A. Lauchlin, of Milltown. Passed general subjects—O. C. Johnson, Grand Harbor; Grand Mann, Henry P. Wilson, Milltown; Hedley Forbes, St. Jarys; Fred R. Clayton, St. Jarys; John Vanwart, St. John. Passed—Pharmacy—P. W. Hillson, Milltown, and J. M. Roulston, St. John.

C. P. R. STEAMER ASHORE

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 1.—A wireless message from the Canadian Pacific steamship Princess Adelaide, says that the vessel went ashore at Appleton Point in a blinding snow storm tonight. The captain believes that she can be floated without difficulty at high tide tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Montgomery of Elliott Row, are touring the United States, making lengthy visits to Washington, New York and Philadelphia. They intend spending the balance of the winter in the States.



BY GILSON GARDNER.

point of view to have the tariff removed from the importation of Canadian grain, eggs, poultry, cats, sheep, fish, lumber and print paper. Some cattle would come in and some eggs and a little grain and probably considerable lumber and print paper.

The meat packers at Chicago are quite willing to sacrifice the American chicken men and dairy men in order to have a free market for their prepared meats, lard, etc. The steel trust like the idea of the Canadian market for its barbed wire. The watch trust ticks merrily at the prospect of removing the Canadian duties from American watches. The motor industry likes the idea of a Canadian market for automobiles and its all these industries would flourish better if this treaty could secure such a measure of free trade with Canada as is proposed by Mr. Taft.

CONDITIONS IN CHINA SERIOUS

Burning Of Bodies Begins But Coolies Refuse To Take Precautions—Urgent Appeal For Red Cross Assistance.

Harbin, Feb. 1.—The burning of the accumulated bodies of plague victims has begun, and already a thousand have been destroyed in this way outside the various towns. Coffins are stacked upright surrounded by logs on which oil has been thrown, while the uncoffined bodies are piled on top. Then the torch is applied. Those having charge of the cremation protect themselves from the disease by heavy masks and bandages, but the coolies, who drive the wagons and handle the bodies, being fatalists, take no such precautions. It will take several days for the cremation of those already collected.

FRENCH FLEET IN AMERICAN WATERS

Port De France, Martinique, Feb. 1.—The French squadron, consisting of the cruisers Gloire, Condé and Admiral Aube arrived here today.

BLIZZARD FROM THE WEST

Port Arthur, Feb. 1.—The biggest blizzard Port Arthur has experienced in recent years, struck here from the west this afternoon. Tonight the drifts are piling high and traffic is nearly blocked. It is estimated that ten inches of snow has already fallen, but the cold is not so extreme.

CUP REMAINS AT ST. STEPHEN

St. Stephen, Feb. 1.—Three rinks of Moncton curlers arrived here today and played the local club for the McLellan Cup with the following results:

Table listing curling matches and scores between Moncton and St. Stephen teams.

Total 37 71 After the game the visitors were entertained to a supper at the rink.

AVIATOR STARTS 100 MILE FLIGHT

Capt. Bollinger Of French Army Flying Corps, Makes Good Progress in Record-Breaking Feat.

Paris, Feb. 1.—Captain Bollinger, of the aviation corps of the French army, today began a notable cross-country flight from Paris to Pau, a distance of about 500 miles. He left the Vincennes military aerodrome at 8:45 o'clock this morning and landed at Bordeaux at 4:56 p. m., making two stops for gasoline.

THE COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

The first game of hockey in the Commercial league was played in the Queen's rink last night and was won by the Brock & Puterson team, who defeated M. R. A. Ltd., by a score of 3 to 0.

WANDERERS 6; CANADIENS 3.

Montreal, Feb. 1.—Wanderers beat the Canadiens at the Arena tonight by six goals to three. Wanderers opened the scoring and Jack Lester, heavyweight champion of the Northwest, was prohibited today by Police Commissioner Roys.

RENFREW 8; QUEBEC 7.

Quebec, Feb. 1.—Renfrew won from Quebec in the third period of a hard fought match at the Quebec rink tonight by the narrow margin of one goal. The closing score was Renfrew 8 goals; Quebec 7.

LIEUT. COL. MONRO SENT UP FOR TRIAL

Col. Denison Refuses To Try Case Against Former Bank President And Sends It To Higher Court.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—The preliminary investigation into the case of Lt. Col. James Munro, president of the defunct Farmers' Bank, was conducted before Magistrate Denison in the police court this morning. He was committed for trial.

STATUE TO KING ON PLAINS OF ABRAHAM

Quebec, Feb. 1.—On the historic Plains of Abraham, a statue is to be erected to the memory of King Edward the peacemaker. Hon. Mr. Taschereau, minister of public works, having given notice of a motion of the intention of the government in that respect. It declares that on Wednesday next a bill will be presented relative to erection of a monument to the late King.

MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE OF 200 LOADS OF STONE

Engineer Reports That City Has Used Only Few Loads of Stone Broken by Chain Gang—New Water Mains Recommended in Watson Street, West Side, and Mill and Dock Streets.

At the meeting of the water and sewerage board last evening another mystery was unsolved, it being discovered that 200 loads of stone broken by the chain gang had disappeared. The engineer stated that he could only account for four or five of the 200 loads of broken stone which Coun. Donovan said had been delivered to the city by the chain gang.

In the absence of Aid. Likely, who is ill, Aid. White took the chair and there were present, Aid. Hayes, Secy Smith, Sprout, Potts, Wigmore, with the common clerk, the city engineer and the recorder.

IMPOSSIBLE ON LOWER ROUTE

The engineer submitted a report on the proposed sewer along the lower route. He stated that the sewer would have to be laid on a 12 inch main in Mill street, Dock street, and Watson street, West Side.

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WORKERS' HANDS IN WINTER

Scores of workers go home nightly with sore, smarting or aching hands! We want all workers to know that Zam-Buk gives ease! No matter how careful you may be while at work, the frost will get into that cut, or cause that old sore to re-open, or the biting cold from the articles and tools handled will cause painful sores.

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ZAM-BUK advertisement with image of the product box and text: TRY IT FOR COLD SORES!

NEW YORK SHAKEN BY EXPLOSION WHICH KILLS 30

Continued on page 2. The belief that an explosion had occurred in the Standard Oil works nearby. The concussion in Bayonne was even greater than was the recent explosion at the Tidewater oil works when a 40,000 barrel tank blew up.

UNCERTAINTY ADDS TERROR

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BENJAMIN ROGERS WAS WEALTHY MAN

Estate Valued At \$183,550.72 Held Mostly In Stocks—Bequest To P. E. Island Hospital—Will Probated.

Charlottetown, Feb. 1.—The will of the late Benjamin Rogers was probated today in the court of the P. E. Island. The estate is valued at \$183,550.72, as follows: Real estate, \$25,300; stocks, \$152,150; mortgages, \$4,574, and furniture, \$1,576.

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POTS Pong, Rubber Tire Extension Top Carriage, Buffaloes, Robes, Brass Mounted Harness, etc.

Household Furniture, Range, &c BY AUCTION. I am instructed by Mrs. D. W. Dunham, to sell at her residence, No. 163 Britain St., on Wednesday next, February the 8th, commencing at 10 o'clock.

POTTS Foreclosure Sale Pursuant to a Decree of the Supreme Court, Chancery Division, made in the action of Sara B. Claye-Brown-Cave of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, England, Murray MacLaren of the City of Saint John in the County of Saint John and Province of New Brunswick, and Joseph R. Stone of the same place, Trustees of the last will and Testament of John W. Nicholson, late of the said City of Saint John, deceased, Plaintiffs, and Adam H. Bell and Susan Bell, his wife, and Hudson M. Breen, defendants, for the foreclosure of the Mortgage and sale of the mortgaged premises hereinafter described and in said Decree mentioned and described.

STAR LINE STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED, in Liquidation. CURATOR'S SALE. Tenders will be received up to noon of the Fifteenth day of February, 1912, for all or any portion of the property of the Star Line Steamship Company, Limited, used and employed by the said Company on its river steamer service between Saint John and Fredericton, New Brunswick. The property of the Company consisting of the following:—Steamship "Victoria" built at Saint John, New Brunswick in 1887 and registered at Saint John, registered dimensions being as follows: Length, 191.2; breadth 30; depth, 7.5; gross tonnage, 1092; registered tonnage, 931; horse power, 53; paddle wheel steamship. Steamship "Majestic" built at Toronto in 1899, registered at Montreal; registered dimensions: Length, 110; breadth, 21.9; depth, 6.8; gross tonnage 575; registered tonnage, 166; horse power, 33; screw steamship. Together with their respective tackle, apparel and outfit, Wharf, warehouse and buildings, at Fredericton.

Assessors' Notice The Board of Assessors of Taxes for the City of Saint John hereby require all persons liable to be rated for the year 1912 forthwith to furnish to the Assessors true statements of all their property, real estate, personal estate and income, which is assessed under "The Saint John City Assessment Act, 1909," and hereby give notice that blank forms on which statements may be furnished can be obtained at the office of the assessors, and that such statements must be perfected under oath and filed in the office of the assessors, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

Extracts from "The Saint John City Assessment Act, 1909." "Sec. 32. The assessors shall ascertain as nearly as possible, the particulars of the real estate, the personal property, and the income of any person, who has not brought in a statement in accordance with the notice and as required by this law, and shall make an estimate thereof at the true value and amount, and such estimate shall be conclusive upon all persons who have not filed their statements in due time, unless they can show a reasonable excuse for the omission."

BY ORDER OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAINT JOHN. A Bill will be presented for enactment at the next session of the Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick entitled "An Act to authorize the Municipality of the City and County of Saint John to effect a loan for the purpose of enabling the Commissioners of the General Public Hospital in Saint John to redeem certain Debentures issued by them on 24 Victoria, Chapter 61, and 25 Victoria Chapter 42."

Public notice is hereby given that a bill will be presented for enactment at the next session of the provincial legislature the object of which is to provide for the taking of a plebiscite, at the civic elections in April next, as to whether or not the electors of the City of Saint John are in favor of governing the said city by an elective Commission of five persons consisting of a Mayor and four Commissioners in lieu of the present system of civic administration.

Estate of James H. Gray, Deceased NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Letters of Administration of the Estate and Effects of James H. Gray, late of Fairville, in the Parish of Lancaster, Medical Doctor, deceased, have been duly granted by the Probate Court of the City and County of Saint John to the undersigned Administrator. All persons having any legal claims against the said Estate are required to file the same, duly proved by Affidavit as by Law required, with the undersigned Solicitor, and all persons indebted to said Estate are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned Administrator.

Notice All accounts due The New Star for advertising or subscription, must be paid once as the books are being closed

BRITISH POTS TO HONOR QUEEN

Suggestion Made by Marchioness of Bute Spreads Like Wildfire—Contributions Paid in From All Sources. London, Jan. 29.—The happy idea recently announced, that Marys throughout the British Empire should contribute to a coronation gift for Queen Mary, has caught on like wildfire, and Marys all over the United Kingdom have become self-enlisted canvassers in the cause.

The committee has not yet solved this knotty point, but since Mary is a male Christian name is very much rarer in England than on the continent it is not a matter of the first importance. Great hauls for the local committees are expected to result from both these entertainments, and doubtless other and even more ingenious ways of filling the treasury will be resorted to.

Full Description of THE MISSING HEIRESS. Height five feet four inches. Age twenty-five. Dark brown hair. Gray-blue eyes. Strongly marked nose. Wore tall-made blue serge suit; coat all most reaching to the hips, and cut in at the waist, skirt cut straight. Hat of black velvet, with irregular brim. Hair lined with Alce Blue. Hat trimmed with two blue velvet cones. No flowers. Low black shoes. Waist of dark blue silk with black and white ruching on the throat. Jacket of white lace. Tan walking gloves. Hair dressed far down on the forehead, in full pompadour. One finger ring with two gold bands, twisted together. Large black fur coat with muff, fur lined with white velvet. Black cloth handbag, containing about \$50 at time of disappearance.

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FORTUNE TO FIND MISSING HEIRESS



HAVE YOU SEEN THIS YOUNG WOMAN'S FACE ANYWHERE? FROM A PHOTOGRAPH OF DOROTHY ARNOLD, WHOSE FATHER OFFERS A FORTUNE FOR HER RETURN. From Bryn Mawr college. She was always studious. On Dec. 12 she told her mother that she was going into Fifth Avenue to look at an evening gown for holiday wear. She walked around the corner to Fifth Avenue and swung into the cavalcade of richly-dressed women on this famous thoroughfare.

PRINCE SOON TO GRADUATE. Montreal, Feb. 1.—Five persons were injured, three of them probably fatally, when the New York bound Rutland express, which left Montreal this morning, took through a defective gate car in two, and overturned the locomotive. Calgary, Alta., Feb. 1.—Nine persons were seriously injured and several others were slightly hurt when a west-bound Canadian Pacific train No. 1 was derailed near Gleichen, five miles east of here, last night. The train, travelling fast, struck a broken rail.

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BUOYANT REVENUE IN MOTHER COUNTRY. London, Feb. 1.—The British revenue receipts for 10 months which the estimates of the chancellor of the exchequer have been greatly exceeded. He figured an increase for the year ending March 31 of £37,250,000 sterling. The increase already in coming two months will bring large additions. Expenditures thus far have increased £56,500,000 sterling.

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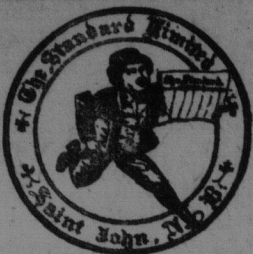
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SAINT JOHN, THURSDAY MORNING, FEB. 2, 1911. THE WRECKERS OF CANTERBURY STREET.

The St. John Standard is still finding weak points in the government of the city of Des Moines, says the Times. It fails to discover any in St. John. On the contrary, The Standard is well aware that there are weak points in the present system...

Under the fostering care of these journals a campaign of hostility against the Common Council has been carried on by means of criticism and ridicule for several years, with a result that might logically be expected—men who in the interests of the city should have come forward and by their counsel and influence as prominent and representative citizens help to remedy such abuses as do exist...

Women's suffrage was first introduced into New Zealand by a Conservative ministry, and in the first election following, when the women had opportunity to show practical appreciation of the Conservative ministry's consideration, an advanced Liberal-Labor administration was elected to power, and has remained in power ever since.

It seems that the women of New Zealand are pretty much the same as women of other lands in this, that they want what they want when they want it. In that country, if a condition exists that appears to the women voters to be wrong, their dictum is to pass a law and put a stop to it at once...

As to the value of this argument, we may well have our doubts. Naturally the women voters of New Zealand are all ardent prohibitionists, and over a considerable portion of the Dominion prohibition is in force. Today, the organ of the prohibition party looks forward to the day when, liquor having been driven from the land, a campaign can be waged against tobacco, and its use prohibited by government enactment.

PROVINCIAL JUSTICE.

If there is one subject more than another upon which the Opposition press and speakers alike avoid, it is the comparative cost of criminal prosecutions under the old regime and under the Hazen Government. Time and again when in Opposition, Mr. Hazen called the attention of the then Government to the excessive cost of administration of justice in this province.

That they undertook on behalf of the province. These additional sums largely increased the amount paid these gentlemen as salaries. In some years the fees paid the Attorney General were greater than the salary, and the Solicitor General was a very good second, rapidly learning from his superior the secret of doubling his salary without increasing his labors.

Mr. Hazen has taken a different view of the responsibilities of his office and what is dub the province from its chief Crown officer. He has always appeared in court personally to prosecute Crown cases excepting when the legislature was in session or the executive were meeting. On such occasions he has been compelled to nominate a substitute, but these occasions have been rare.

Table showing Criminal Prosecutions and Miscellaneous expenditures for the years 1901 to 1907.

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PECULIARITIES OF WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE. After seventeen years or more of women's suffrage New Zealand is able to furnish some interesting, and in several instances surprising, lessons of the way in which women exercise their right to vote.

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In matters affecting the national safety the voices of New Zealand who campaign and make their voices heard upon public platforms, are opposed to militarism, and are out of sympathy with the action of parliament which lent aid to Great Britain in the South African war, and later gave a Drednought to the Empire cause.

The history of the movement in New Zealand is decidedly instructive and not without its lessons to those countries which have not yet yielded to the imperious demands being made by the suffragettes for equal franchise rights with the men.

MR. CROCKET UNEARHS STRANGE IRREGULARITY

\$25,000 Dredging Contract Awarded A. & R. Loggie on Telegrapher's Error - Went to Work in Wrong Place

Ottawa, Feb. 1.—That twenty-five thousand dollars' worth of dredging was placed by a telegraph operator two years ago, and the work done, was the extraordinary fact developed at a meeting of the public accounts committee this morning.

The story which was told by Eugene LaFleur, chief engineer of the Department of Public Works, was that in the summer of 1909 he telegraphed Messrs. A. & R. Loggie to continue the dredging at Bathurst, New Brunswick. By the time the message reached the firm the word Bathurst had disappeared and in its place was the word "Dalhousie."

HOTELS.

- List of hotels in St. John, N.B., including Royal, A. Macbeth, Boston; Jas. Gibson, Toronto; A. H. Webb, Halifax; F. W. Kirkpatrick, Toronto; Chas. F. Dole, Montreal; R. S. Keast, Toronto; O. K. Meyer, A. Rabinovich, Montreal; H. B. Sawyer, Battle, Me.; T. H. Bird, New York; H. B. Malloy, J. W. Malloy; G. G. Morrison, Halifax; A. Guisberg, Montreal; J. K. Pinder, Millville, Y. Co.; C. H. Emery, Eastport; M. W. Walton, Portland; Collis Campbell, J. Taylor and wife, Montreal; Mrs. W. M. Mills, St. Stephen; N. W. Smith, St. Stephen; A. Dow, Miss M. Dow, Houlton, Me.; W. D. Ginter, R. W. McLellan, Fredericton; D. J. S. Tyrer, Montreal; F. Frederikson, Winnipeg; Mrs. F. G. Loggie, Fredericton; B. C. Lewis, Boston; A. Berner, E. Kelley, Montreal; J. E. Giles, Fredericton; J. D. Irving, Bouchette; H. F. Watt, Sydney; Mrs. A. E. Blissett, Moncton; B. G. Todd, Montreal; H. Bradford, Halifax; R. Murray, Moncton; F. G. Fildes, A. C. Gye, A. Leslie, Montreal.

IN MEMORY OF SOUTH AFRICAN HEROES. Sleep where their friends cannot find them today; They who in mountain and hillside and dell Rest where they wearied and lie where they fell; Softly the grass blade creeps round their repose; Sweetly above them the wild flower blows; Zephyrs of freedom fly gently o'er their head; Whispering names for the patriot dead.

So in our minds we will name them once more; So in our hearts we will cover them ever; Roses and lilies and violets blue, Bloom in our souls for the brave and true; Cover them over—yes, cover them over; Parent and husband, and brother and lover; Think of those far-away heroes of ours; And cover them over with beautiful flowers.

When the long years have crept slowly by, When the dawn of earth's funeral day; When at the archangel's trumpet and tread Rise up the faces and forms of the dead; When the great world its last judgment awaits; When the blue sky shall swing open its gates; When our long columns march silently through; Past the Great Captain, for final review; Then for the blood that has flown for the right,

Lord Northcliffe On Seasickness

Gentlemen:—Your letter of the 14th of September reached me on my return to England from a journey to Newfoundland and back, during which I have seen and heard abundant evidence of the fact that Mother'silk's Seasick Remedy appears to be, in nineteen cases out of twenty, an absolute cure for seasickness, and also for what Americans call "Car-Sickness." I have taken it on many occasions, with excellent effect and no after-effects. You are quite at liberty to make use of this letter, as I think it a duty to express my opinion on the subject. Yours truly,

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For tender frost bites, o sure relief, t a box at the Park Dr 312 Brussels

CONCERT By the Choir and Friends, Room, Went Piano Fund, 8.15 p. m.

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Leavitt--In t Jean, widow in the 75th Funeral from Thursday, 2.30.

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The Perfume Store Just Received A new stock of the latest and best New York PERFUMES and SACCHETS.



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RED ROSE FLOUR ROSE RED CONCERT PROGRAMME. By the Choir of Centenary Church and Friends, in the Sunday School Room, Wentworth St., in aid of the Piano Fund, Friday, 3rd Feb, 1911, 8.15 p.m.

- 1. Chorus, a. The Chapel, Kreutzer; b. Every Rustling Tree, Kuhlman. 2. Women's voices: a. Song of the Seasons, C. B. Hawley. 3. Tenor solo: a. I Know a Lovely Garden, Guy d'Hardelot; b. To My First Love, Hermann Lohr. Ernest H. Bowman.

DIED. Leavitt.—In this city on January 31st, Jean, widow of Daniel J. Leavitt, in the 75th year of her age.

D. Boyaner, Scientific Optician, 38 Dock Street. OPTICS EXCLUSIVELY. Hours: 8.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sat. to 8.30 p.m.

King Completely Vindicated And Traducer Sent to Prison



KING GEORGE V., WHOSE ONLY WIFE IS QUEEN MARY.

Evidence in Court Completely Refutes Story of King's Morganic Marriage in Malta.

London, Feb. 1.—After brief proceedings today, a special jury before Lord Chief Justice Alverstone cleared King George of imputations against his personal character by finding Edward F. Mylius guilty of circulating a libel. Mylius was sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

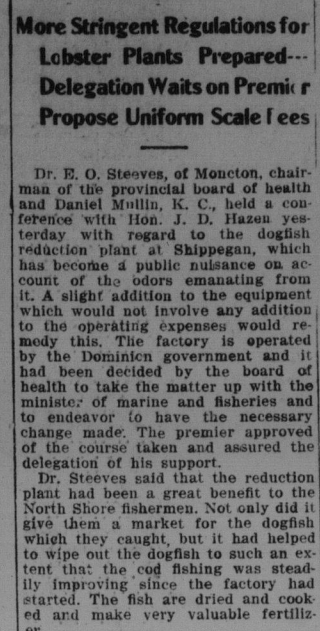
His Majesty had "foolishly abandoned" this lady in order that he might marry the Princess. Raising his voice and with a dramatic gesture, the Attorney General exclaimed: "I tell you at once that there is not the faintest vestige of truth in these slanders."

ALDERMAN LIKELY STATES HIS CASE Explains Why His Son Supplied Pitch Pine Lumber for McLeod Warehouse—None Other to be Had.

When seen yesterday by a reporter Alderman McLeod, who, at the meeting of the Board of Works on Tuesday evening was charged by Alderman Holder with using his position as an alderman to sell the city, for use in the McLeod warehouse, a quantity of pitch pine lumber when spruce at half the cost would have done as well.

Montreal, Feb. 1.—The annual statement of the Canada Cement Co. which was looked forward to with considerable interest in financial circles, was issued today and shows net earnings for the year of \$1,177,000.

IMPORTANT MATTERS BEFORE HEALTH BOARD More Stringent Regulations for Lobster Plants Prepared—Delegation Waits on Premier Propose Uniform Scale Fees



LORD ALVERSTONE, Who Tried Important Case Yesterday.

The provincial board of health held two sessions at Fredericton on Tuesday, and among other things decided on some new and more stringent regulations for the lobster factories. The provincial health regulations are being revised and amended and will soon be ready for publication in their new form.

Uniform Scale of Fees. Dr. Curran, Dr. Fisher and Daniel Mullin were appointed a committee to make up a uniform scale of suitable fees for physicians, nurses and guards in smallpox cases.

Obituary. George W. Carr, a former resident of this city, died in Worcester, Mass., on Jan. 21. Mr. Carr left St. John about twenty years ago, and had been one of the leading factors in the contracting business in Worcester.

Funerals. Samuel Ferguson. The funeral of Samuel Ferguson yesterday afternoon, at 2.30 from his late residence, 258 Guilford street, Carleton, was largely attended.

Funerals. Mrs. Margaret Read. The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Read, wife of Joseph Read, took place yesterday afternoon, at 2.30 from the residence of her sister, Mrs. E. M. Sipprell, 164 Queen street.

Funerals. Feast of St. Blaise. Friday will be the feast of St. Blaise, the patron of sore throats, and on that day the blessing of throats will take place in the cathedral, St. John the Baptist, and in all the churches at the following hours:

Sons of Temperance. The annual meeting of the St. John district division Sons of Temperance will be held this evening in Loyalist division hall, Paradise Row.

Novelty Shower. Miss N. Cathers was the recipient of many favors Tuesday evening as the result of a novelty shower tendered her at her home, No. 267 Wentworth street, by a number of friends in honor of an event that is to take place in April next.

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That Red Rose Tea is of surpassing quality is accepted everywhere it is used as an undisputed fact, but it is in the Maritime Provinces especially that it has by unvarying goodness so well earned the term "is good tea."



Prices: 30c., 35c., 40c., 50c. and 60c.

CONVENIENCE was our idea when we invented OXO Cubes. Buy the Cubes and you will say we have succeeded. The finest health-giving drink in the world; made in a moment from OXO Cubes.

"Eat and Be Merry!" Stop starving yourself—stop suffering the pangs of indigestion—stop worrying about what you dare and dare not eat. Eat hearty meals of wholesome food, take NA-DRU-CO DYSPEPSIA TABLETS and you'll feel like a new person.

Typewriters New Empires and bargains in 2nd hand machines. FRANK R. FAIRWEATHER, 12 Canterbury Street. Main 653. St John, N. B.

HUTCHINGS & CO., BEDDING MANUFACTURERS WIRE MATTRESSES, MATTRESSES, IRON BEDSTEDS, FEATHER PILLOWS etc. WHOLESALE and RETAIL 101 to 105 Germain Street.

CARPENTERS DECIDE TO INCREASE WAGE \$3.00 Day Rate Will be Asked After May 1—Active Campaign to Strengthen Union—Trade Active.

That the carpenters of the city have felt the increased cost of living and are preparing to get ready for it, was made manifest last evening at the meeting of Local 819 of the Carpenters and Joiners of America, which was held in their rooms Market building.

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Reliable and Popular Route BETWEEN ST. JOHN AND BOSTON

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Commencing December 1st.

Steel Steamship CALVIN AUSTIN. Complete Wireless Telegraph Equipment. Leave St. John Thursdays at 9.00 a. m., for Eastport, Lubec, Portland and Boston.

FICKFORD & BLACK LINE

ST. JOHN, N. B., TO DEMERARA.

S. S. Oruro sails Jan. 28 for Bermuda, Montserrat, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara. S. S. Luristan sails Feb. 9 for Bermuda, St. Kitts, Antigua, Demerara, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara.

MANCHESTER LINERS

From Manchester to St. John. Man. Spinner, Jan. 28. Man. Corporation, Feb. 4. Man. Engineer, Feb. 25. Man. Importer, Feb. 18. Man. Shipper, Mar. 11. Man. Corporation, Feb. 4. Man. Engineer, Feb. 18.

Steamers take cargo for Philadelphia only. WILLIAM THOMSON & CO., Agents, St. John, N. B.

HAVANA DIRECT

Steamer February 15. Steamer March 15. And Monthly Thereafter. WILLIAM THOMSON & CO., Agents, St. John, N. B.

Furness Line

From London to St. John. Jan. 17-Rappahannock. Feb. 18-Feb. 18-Rappahannock. Mar. 18-Feb. 28-Rappahannock. Mar. 18 and fortnightly thereafter, dates subject to change.

International Railway

Now Open For Traffic. Uniting CAMPBELLTON, at head of navigation on the St. John River Valley at ST. LEONARDS. At St. Leonards, connection is made with the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY FOR EDMUNDSTOWN and points on the TEMISQUATA RAILWAY, also for GRAND FALLS, ANDOVER, PERTH, WOODSTOCK, FREDERICTON, ST. JOHN, and WESTERN POINTS.

THE SHORT ROUTE FROM HALIFAX

AND ALL POINTS IN THE Maritime Provinces TO MONTREAL AND WEST. W. B. HOWARD, D.P.A., C.P.R., ST. JOHN, N. B.

SHIPPING FINANCE

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, Feb. 1.—HAY—The market for hay is steady, but the volume of business is small as buyers are fairly well supplied. No. 1 choice, \$11.50 to \$12; extra No. 2, \$10 to \$11; ordinary No. 2, \$9 to \$9.50; clover mixed, \$7.50 to \$8; clover, \$6.50 to \$7.

MONTREAL AND BOSTON CURB STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Range of Prices. Wheat. High. Low. Close. May 96 1/2 96 3/4 96 3/4

London Guarantee & Accident Co., Ltd.

Invested assets exceed \$3,930,400. Reserve Fund—\$2,581,075. Government Deposits—\$175,000. The above company writes the following lines of insurance:

Ideal Vacation

Low Cost \$70 - \$95. by first class steamers "BORNU" and "SOKOTO" of Elder, Dempster Line, to NASSAU, HAVANA, MEXICO.

Dominion Atlantic Ry.

S. S. Yarmouth leaves Reed's Point Wharf daily at 7.45 a. m., connecting at Digby with trains East and West, returning arrives at 5.30 p. m., Sunday's excepted.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

(Quotations Furnished by Private Wires of J. C. Mackintosh and Co., members of Montreal Stock Exchange, 111 Prince Wm. Street, St. John, N. B., Chubb's Corner.)

Table of stock market prices including Amalg. Copper, Am. Beet Sugar, Am. Car and Fdry., Am. Cotton Oil, Am. Steel Foundries, etc.

Mercantile Marine

DAILY ALMANAC. Thursday, Feb. 2, 1911. Sun rises 7.49 a. m., Sun sets 5.27 p. m., High water 1.32 a. m., Low water 7.52 p. m.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN. Arrived Wednesday Feb. 1. Stmr. Saturnia, 5494, Taylor, from Glasgow (not previously) Robert Reford Co., pass. and mdses.

British Ports. Melbourne, Australia, Jan. 30.—Ard. Stmr. Kumara from St. John.

Foreign Ports. New York, Jan. 30.—Old. Schrs. Ponbock, Page for Liverpool, N. S.; Wanda, Williams for Newark.

Reports and Disasters. Liverpool, N. S., Jan. 30.—Gloucester schooner John Hayes Hammond, Captain Fred Thompson, master, arrived at midnight Sunday night with part of her main rigging carried away.

PRICES TAKE AN UPWARD TREND

New York, N. Y., Feb. 1.—With scarcely a break through the day, price levels swept upward on the stock exchange in consistent fashion.

The volume of business on the exchange was nearly double that of most recent days, but in spite of larger offerings at successively higher levels, the upward movement continued until the final hour, when there was a slight recession, which, however, did not seriously disturb quotations.

Extensive profit-taking and a report from Washington that another effort would be made in congress to force an investigation of the United States Steel Corporation combined to make the tone at the close slightly easier.

Copper shares received less attention today, although retaining the general tendency of the market.

London was a large buyer in this market today, Americans advancing generally there. Operators here for that account were said to be at least 20,000 shares.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Table of Montreal stock exchange prices including Can. Pac. Rail., Can. Converters, Cement Pfd., etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

In Commission. Scurian, 7,296, Wm. Thomson & Co. Saturnia, 5494, Robert Reford Co.

TORONTO RAILWAY CO.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—Vice-President Nichols presided at the annual meeting of the Toronto Railway Co. Sir Wm. Mackenzie, the president, being in England. No business of importance was transacted.

We beg to announce

That we have Admitted to Partnership MR. HERBERT H. SMITH of St. John, to Conduct the Business of Stock and Bond Brokers in That City.

We will continue our offices at 111 Prince William Street. Mr. Smith will be in charge of the St. John business. We Solicit the Continued Patronage of our Friends

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Members Montreal Stock Exchange HALIFAX, MONTREAL, ST. JOHN.

Over \$2,000,000 in Profits HAS BEEN ALLOTTED IN 1910 TO POLICYHOLDERS BY THE CANADA LIFE

The increase in SURPLUS for 1909 amounted to \$1,200,000, the greatest gain in the Company's history. The large increase in Surplus each year is the best evidence that Canada Life policies will continue to be profitable.

J. M. QUEEN, Manager for New Brunswick, St. John, N. B.

Fire, Motor Car and Motor Boat INSURANCE

JARVIS & WHITTAKER, General Agents, 74 Prince Wm. St.

MONTREAL

Morning Sales. Canadian Pacific, 100 @ 209 1/4, 10 @ 209 1/2.

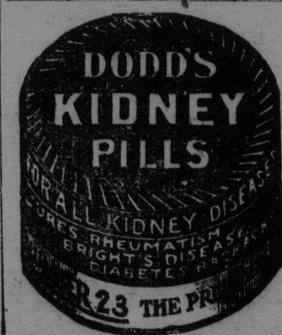
New York, Feb. 1.—In the face of very contradictory news developments today's stock market again ignored everything unfavorable in the situation and registered another substantial advance in prices.

CLOSING COTTON LETTER.

New York, Feb. 1.—There was a monotonous absence of any fresh developments to influence the cotton market which remained narrow and almost torpid in its dullness.

CANADIAN NEWS NOTES.

Montreal, Feb. 1.—The 5 per cent. dividend on Detroit seems assured and at 72 the return would be about 7 per cent. If a settlement can be reached with the city, the stock is very cheap as the earnings are large.

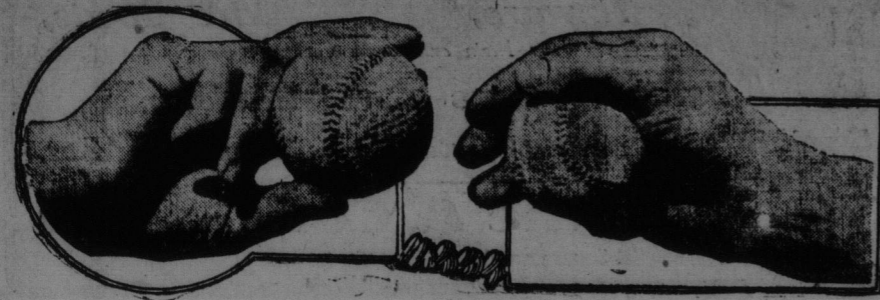


Thistles Play Carleton Today

Basketball Is Booming

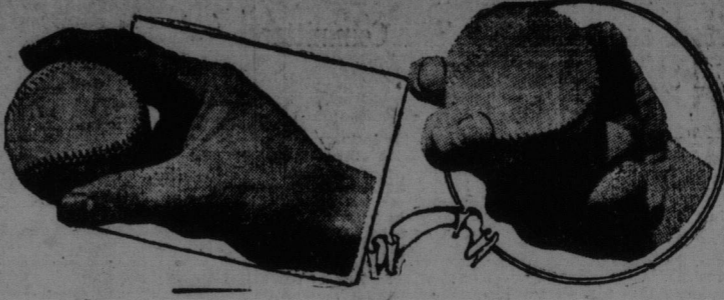
Porky Flynn Wins in London

NOW MATTY HOLDS BALL TO THROW HIS VARIOUS DECEIVERS



THE FADEAWAY.

The fadeaway is Matty's best fooler, and he is its greatest exponent. He grips his first and second fingers on top of the ball, and the thumb underneath. The side of the knuckle of the third finger is pressed tightly against the ball. When delivering the puzzler, Matty twists his wrist to the left, pulls back with the thumb, and allows the ball to leave through the second and third fingers. The ball revolves in and down, which gives it reverse English. The ball drops so far it seems to fade away.



THE SLOW BALL.

Matty uses the full-hand grip to throw his slow ball, or floater. He encircles the top of the ball with his fingers, and has his thumb underneath. When he releases the ball he spreads out his fingers to avoid friction, which would cause the ball to twist. The ball floats to the batter. When thrown right the ball does not make a single complete revolution, but seems to wobble in the air. This ball is a good one to mix in, because Matty throws it with the same motion as his fast one.

THE FAST BALL.

Matty's fast ball is next to the fadeaway in effectiveness. He grips the ball between the thumb and first and second fingers and throws it with all his speed. To ball takes a quick jump to the right just before it reaches the batter. Without the jump the ball would be easy to hit. The fast ball used in the majors is called an inshoot on the sand lots. Matty's wonderful speed comes into play when he throws his fast ball. The twist given as it leaves the hand makes the ball shoot.

THE DROP BALL.

Matty's drop ball is really a drop curve. No pitcher throws a ball that drops straight. He grips the ball tightly between the thumb and first and second fingers. The ball leaves over the fingers. He presses down with his fingers and up with his thumb to cause a downward revolution. The revolution of a ball makes the curve. The ball is thrown with an overhand motion for a drop, and with a side-arm motion for an out-curve. Jerking the ball makes it break quickly.

CHIP FROM NORTH SHORE

Bathurst Hockey Fan is Modest But Believes Iron Town Septette Will Trim Jacquet River All the Same.

To the Sporting Editor of The Standard:

Sir:—In the St. John Standard of January 27th there appeared an article in regard to a hockey match played at Jacquet River between that town's team and the Bathurst hockey club, in which it was stated that the "erstwhile champions of the North Shore" met defeat.

Now, Bathurst never for once considered that they were champions of this part of New Brunswick for there are such well known teams as Campbellton, Newcastle and Chatham they have yet to conquer before winning this title, so the hockey enthusiasts of this "new booming town," had better not consider their favorites as champions yet.

It was also stated that the defeat was a "walkover" as the score indicates. Four to one may seem like a one sided game, but it was only the remarkable work of Jacquet River's goal tender that prevented the Bathurst forwards from scoring.

Yours etc., A HOCKEY FAN, Bathurst, Jan. 30, 1911.

GOOD WEATHER FOR CURLERS

J. C. Chesley Won Last Evening's Likely Trophy Match—Thistle's Skips Chosen to Play Carleton Today.

A game in the Likely trophy series was played on the Thistle Curling rink last evening between the following rinks and resulted as follows: F. T. McKean, R. E. Crawford, H. J. Vanwart, Dr. M. MacLaren, A. J. Machum, Dr. L. A. Langstroth, A. W. Sharpe, J. C. Chesley 14 skip.

Y.M.C.A. AND C.P.R. TEAMS BOWLING WINNERS AT BLACKS

At Black's alleys last night, in the City league the Y.M.C.A. team and the Yanagans took two points each, with the Y.M.C.A.'s having 1303 of a pin fall against 1269 for the Yanagans.

Table with bowling scores for Y.M.C.A. and Yanagans teams, listing names and scores.

GRAND CIRCUIT OPENS IN WEST

H. D. Shepard Proposes Radical Changes in Harness Racing Dates at Special Meeting of Stewards.

Proposal of a new Grand Circuit to open in New York on the Fourth of July and progress from East to West, reversing the present order of things, was the feature of the special meeting of the stewards Monday at the Hoffman House, New York.

WHO IS HE?



The individual above, his countenance smeared with Chinese white, is the third of The Standard picture puzzles. Do you know him? For your information it is said that he recently made one of those retiring bows from the limelight which Adelina Patti made famous.

EXMOUTHS AND Y.M.C.A. WIN

Two Fast Games of Basketball Last Night With Portlands and Millidgeville on Losing End.

A large number of people witnessed two basketball games in the senior league series at the Y. M. C. A. last night. The first game was between the Y. M. C. A. and Millidgeville and resulted in a win for the Y. M. C. A. team with a score of 40 to 11.

LADY CURLERS PLAN 4 RINK MATCH MONDAY

At a meeting of the St. Andrew's Ladies' Curling Club, held in the rink at noon yesterday, it was decided to hold a President vs. Vice-President four rink match, for the best out of three rounds, and on the afternoon of Monday, February 6th, which is tea day, the social day of the week with the lady curlers, the first round in this match will be played.

U.N.B. SENDS BASKET BALL TEAM ABROAD

Frederickton, N. B., Feb. 1.—At a general meeting of the students at U. N. B. today it was decided to send the basketball team on the proposed trip to Upper Canada, playing at Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston and Toronto.

Advertisement for D.&J. McCallum's Perfection cigars, featuring an illustration of a woman and the text 'The Spirit of Bonnie Scotland'.

BETTER FOR THE EAST

Speaking for Boston, Hartford and Dover, A. J. Welch said that the opening of the circuit to the east would save the situation in this part of the country by bringing the horses here when fresh.

KNOTT POINT IN CRIBBAGE

To the Sporting Editor of The Standard:

Sir:—In playing cribbage, would the following play be counted a sequence when the 3 was played:

- A plays an ace; B plays a seven spot; A plays four spot; B plays a deuce; A plays a six spot; B plays an eight spot; A plays a five spot; B plays a three spot.

Would the last card played make that a sequence for B of eight cards, to count for B eight holes? Yours truly, SUSSEX, N. B. Jan. 31st, 1911.

No.—According to cribbage rules A could not play five spot as, this would make it exceed 31. B could play three spot, making it 31 for two points.

Y.M.C.A. PLAY BASKETBALL AT ST. ANDREWS

The Y.M.C.A. basketball team will leave this morning on the Boston express for St. Andrews, where tonight they will play a match with the St. Andrews team.

Advertisement for Master Mason cigars, featuring an illustration of a man and the text 'An Exquisite Flavor' and 'Cut Plug Tobacco'.

WITH THE ATHLETES.

Willard Kaiser, of St. Louis, broke the American record for the plunge for distance in the tank of the Missouri Athletic Club, in St. Louis, on Saturday night. He plunged 75 feet 10 inches.

PORKY FLYNN TRIMS BURNS IN LONDON

London, Feb. 1.—Porky Flynn, of Boston, who recently defeated Jack (Twin) Sullivan, tonight won his fight with Jack Burns, of California, at the Olympia, but he failed to knock him out.

JOHN POWER'S PUPILS GIVE EXHIBITION

The St. John physical culture and boxing school conducted by John T. Power on the corner of Church and Canterbury street, was attended last night by about 300 persons mostly business men and merchants in the city, who witnessed an excellent athletic performance.

DIAMOND DUST.

The Chicago Nationals will play a two weeks' series of games at New Orleans with the local Southern National team beginning March 5 and ending March 19.

BAND AT THE VIC. TONIGHT

LOOK—BIGGEST and BEST IN YEARS—LOOK Trades & Labor Carnival, Monday, Feb. 6 \$30 TO SKATERS \$30 \$10—DOOR PRIZE—\$10 GET READY

Queen's Rink BAND TONIGHT!

ADMISSION:—Ladies and Children 15 cents; Gentlemen, 25 cents. R. J. ARMSTRONG, Manager.

U.N.B. WILL PLAY ACADIA MARCH 10

Frederickton, N. B., Feb. 1.—The U. N. B. hockey team will leave here next Wednesday night for Wolfville to play their first game of the intercollegiate hockey league with Acadia on the 10th.

I.L.B. ROLL HIGH TO BEAT C.M.B.A TEAM

The I. L. B. team went over 1300 last night from the C. M. B. A., three points to one.

THE WEATHER.

MARITIME—Fine and cold today, followed Friday by easterly gales with snow or rain.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—The western storm is moving directly towards Ontario and from present indications there will be a heavy snowfall in northern and eastern districts. The weather continues very cold in the western provinces and also from the Ottawa Valley eastward.

Maximum and minimum temperatures: Dawson 54 below, 32 below; Atlin 36 below, 14 below; Prince Rupert 6, 12; Iqoria 34, 36; Vancouver 32, 36; Kamloops 2, 18; Calgary 20 below, 14 below; Edmonton 24 below, 12 below; Battleford 18 below, 14 below; Qu'Appelle 20 below, 12 below; Winnipeg 6 below, 4 below; Port Arthur 2, 6; Parry Sound zero, 20; London 20, 27; Toronto 13, 22; Ottawa 12 below, 4; Montreal 2 below, 2; Quebec 16 below, 2 below; St. John 4 below, 8; Halifax 4, 10.

Lower Lawrence and Gulf—Fine and very cold, followed by easterly gales and snow.

AROUND THE CITY.

Military Veterans.

The N. B. Military Veterans will hold their monthly meeting this evening, in their rooms Market building.

Temperance Federation.

The annual meeting of the N. B. Temperance Federation will be held this afternoon in the W. C. T. U. parlors at 2:30 o'clock.

Broad Jumping.

On Friday night there is a competition for the senior broad jumpers in the Y. M. C. A. gym. when medals will be given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd positions.

Lecture to Policemen.

Yesterday afternoon at four o'clock a large number of policemen attended at the central station when Dr. Curwen gave a lecture on first aid to the injured.

Labor Meetings.

A meeting of the label committee of the Trades and Labor Council will be held this evening at 7:30 in the Shipbuilders Hall. The council will meet at 8 o'clock.

Hospital Commissioners.

The regular monthly meeting of the general public hospital commissioners was held yesterday afternoon when a number of bills were passed for payment and other business of a routine nature transacted.

Trucker Injured.

Last night Joseph Taylor, a trucker handling freight from the Donaldson liner Saturnia at Sand Point, fell between two cars and received a bad cut over one of his eyes. A few stitches were found necessary to close the wound.

Lecture Postponed.

In consequence of the death of Mrs. D. J. Leavitt the lecture on Holland, by Miss Marcia Braine, which was to have been given in the Natural History museum on Thursday afternoon, will be postponed until Saturday afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

Off to Oregon.

Among the passengers on the Halifax express last night were a number of young men and women who arrived yesterday on the Donaldson liner steamer from Glasgow, en route to Portland, Oregon.

Still Alarm.

About 10:15 o'clock last night No. 1 chemical and No. 2 hose cart responded to a still alarm on Brussels street. A chimney was on fire in a house near Union street and the blaze was extinguished with some salt. There was no damage.

Winding-Up Order.

Yesterday afternoon in supreme court chambers, Mr. Justice White made an order winding up the DeWitt Bros., Ltd., and confirmed the appointment of H. F. Puddington as provisional liquidator. On Wednesday next his honor will appoint permanent liquidators. W. E. Ewing, K. C. appeared for the company; J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., F. R. Taylor and W. D. Turner, for creditors.

Horse Injured.

A peculiar mishap befell a valuable horse, the property of Hunter Brittain, of the West Side yesterday afternoon. Mr. Brittain's horse was standing on the street when a team of horses attached to a sled came along at a smart trot. The sled struck Mr. Brittain's horse, knocking it over on the side and it was dragged in this position for almost the length of the block. The horse was badly cut in the side and was taken to Dr. T. Fred Johnson, who said it would probably recover.

Baptist Missions.

The regular meeting of the Baptist foreign mission board was held in the board rooms yesterday afternoon. Rev. M. E. Ewing, K. C. secretary, submitted a report of his work in the southern part of Nova Scotia during the month of January. A communication was received from Dr. Warshaw Thompson, of London, acknowledging the receipt of the board's contribution of \$12,000 which will be used in connection with the mission station at Viznagapatam, India.

Y. M. C. A. Competition.

Saturday night there will be an interesting athletic exhibition in the Y. M. C. A. building, when the competitors will be the business and school boys. The events will include high jump, 18 foot rope climb, three standing broad jumps, 17 potato race and the 12 lb. shot put. There will also be a basketball game and the programme should be a most interesting one. A shield for the winning team and the individual winners prizes are now on exhibition in W. H. Thorne and Co.'s windows, on King street.

PERSONAL.

W. E. Rankin arrived by the Maritime Express yesterday afternoon from Preston, Ont., where he went to attend the funeral of his late partner, Mr. Erb. Miss Rankin and Jack Rankin will remain at Preston for several weeks yet.—Halifax Echo, Tuesday.

Hon. J. K. Flemming and Mrs. Flemming, who were in the city yesterday morning returned to their home in Montreal.

DISCUSS MATTER OF AUTOS RUNNING IN ROCKWOOD PARK

Horticultural Association in Annual Session Yesterday Consider Important Matters--Fishing in Park Favored and Finally Left With Committee--Financial Statement Satisfactory.

At the annual meeting of the Horticultural Association yesterday afternoon, the question of opening Rockwood Park to automobiles, allowing the boys to fish in the lake and other matters were discussed and the usual reports were received and adopted. Hon. J. D. Hazen, the president of the association presided.

G. S. Fisher suggested that a map of Rockwood Park should be prepared and it was decided to employ G. G. Murdoch, civil engineer to prepare the map. A resolution of condolence on the death of E. J. Everett was passed.

T. H. Estabrooks brought up the matter of admitting automobiles to some of the driveways of Rockwood Park. G. S. Fisher thought they should limit the hours automobiles might be allowed in the park. Mr. Estabrooks said autocrats might be a danger to people with horses, also to children. People who went to the park to enjoy a quiet hour might object to the intrusion of autos.

The president remarked that in a few years there would not be a horse within 10 miles of St. John that was afraid of automobiles. He thought they might open certain driveways certain hours in the day.

R. B. Emerson said the secretary should communicate with other cities and find out why autocrats were kept out of their parks.

On motion of Mr. Estabrooks a committee consisting of G. S. Fisher, Col. Armstrong, W. Hawker and R. B. Emerson was appointed to consider the question of admitting autos to the park.

A vote of thanks was rendered Col. Armstrong, G. S. Fisher and Dr. Hay for special work done during the year.

Fishing For Boys. Mr. Fisher moved that boys be allowed to fish on the shores of the lake.

The chairman—Will you limit them to fly and baiting fishing, or allow them to set lines?

Mr. Hawker thought there should be few restrictions. Mr. Fisher pointed out that the close season laws would apply. Mr. Hawker said the lake could be restocked every few years.

The matter was finally referred to a committee consisting of Dr. Hay, J. E. Wilson, W. Hawker, T. H. Estabrooks and G. S. Fisher with power to act.

It was reported that the government proposed to use Gilbert's Lane, the principal entrance to the park, to drive cattle to and from the sheds erected on the lane, and the president was instructed to try to induce the I. C. R. commission to use another road to drive cattle to the sheds.

T. H. Estabrooks pointed out the need of a mounted policeman in the park during the summer months. The hope was expressed that the city would provide the policeman.

On motion of Dr. Hay it was decided to refer the matter of naming lakes in the park to the fisheries committee.

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