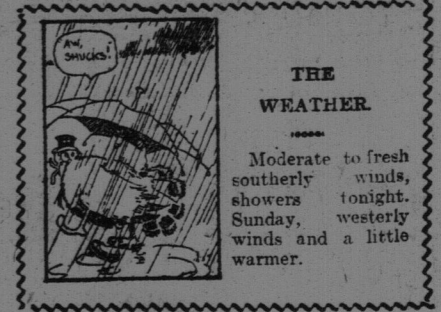


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TEN PAGES—ONE CENT

CHINAMEN THOUGHT THEY WERE VERY NEAR TO DEATH

Two Cars of Chinese in Bond Which Were in Maritime Express Yesterday Were Plunged Down an Embankment—Chinamen Had Narrow Escape and Were Very Much Frightened

Moncton, April 17.—(Special)—Scenes of more than usual excitement attended the wreck of the Maritime Express at Campsie yesterday morning. The train did not get here until half past nine last evening and passengers who were in the wreck, had interesting stories to tell while the train crew said it was one of the worst wrecks that ever occurred on the I. C. R.

SAILORS FORCED TO DRINK WINE; NO WATER

St. John Schooner Annie F. Larder Had a Long Trip From Oporto to Boston—Water Gone, the Captain Served Wine to His Men.

Boston, April 17.—(Special)—The little St. John schooner, Annie F. Larder, reached port yesterday after a turbulent passage of 35 days from Oporto, Portugal, her water gone and her crew thoroughly thirsty. The water was used up some days ago and the captain had been distributing Portuguese wine to the men. To add to their troubles, the steatit was spoiled when 600 miles off the coast and Captain Henderson had to run his schooner on dead reckoning. Through gales and dense fog, the little vessel fought her way toward the coast, and finally a fisherman was hailed and their true position learned.

ACCIDENT AT THE PARTINGTON MILL

James McMaster, of Fairville, narrowly escaped death in the Partington Pulp and Paper Company's mill at Union Point, early yesterday morning. While oiling some bearings he became caught in a rapidly moving belt and his clothes were practically torn from him.

THE GLASGOW SERVICE

Dominion line steamship Athens, Captain McNell, sails tonight for Glasgow. She is taking a very large shipment of cattle, about 800 head. While they were being put on board the ship this morning the chute broke or gave way, throwing several of the cattle into the slip which caused quite a commotion about the vessel. All of them were rescued except one, which was drowned before it could be hoisted on board.

PERSONALS

Dr. Arnold, of Wolford, was a passenger to the city on today's Boston train. A. H. Huntington came in from Fredericton at noon today. R. O'Brien came in on today's Boston train. A. B. Copp, M. P. P., passed through the city at noon en route to his home in Sackville. J. A. Murray, M. P. P., passed through the city at noon en route to Sussex. Judge Landry passed through the city today to Dorchester. F. H. McAlpine went east at noon. Prof. Alexander Graham Bell, of Washington, D. C., and W. F. Bedwin and wife of Bedford, C. E. summed in the city this morning on the Halifax express and are registered at the Royal Hotel. A. G. Edgecombe and Miss Gladys Edgecombe, of St. John, N. B., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Settle, 480 Mount Stephen avenue, Westmount, Montreal, Star.

New York, April 17.—Free offerings of stocks at the opening cleared prices downward throughout the list. The Grangers and Transcontinental stocks were most conspicuous in the decline.

Thirty persons were injured in a collision on the Chicago South Bend Electric Railway.

The penalty in New York State for kidnaping has been increased to 99 years imprisonment.

The British steamer "Cassaba" has been abandoned on the Goodwin Sands.

A SMALL ATTENDANCE AT THE LEGISLATURE THIS MORNING

Amended Road Act Read a Second Time and Explained by Premier Hazen—Mr. Hatheway Introduces His Women's Suffrage Bill; but It May Be Declared Out of Order

Fredericton, N. B., April 17.—(Special)—The second morning session of the house this week did not draw a large attendance. Many of the members having left for home by the trains last evening and this morning. Most of the time was taken up by Mr. Hazen explaining the provisions of the Highway Act which have already been published. People who were in the Pullman car did not know of the accident until they woke up half an hour later. The first-class cars stayed on the rails, while the forward truck of the dining car was derailed. The cars were badly smashed up and the road bed greatly torn. It being a dangerous wreck and the passengers considered themselves exceptionally fortunate in escaping death or serious injury.

HOW IMMIGRANTS HAVE BEEN "DONE"

"Redney" Jones, of Toronto, Had an Easy Way of Making a Profit Out of New Comers to Canada

Toronto, April 16.—(Special)—A man whom the police say has been making an easy living by fleecing immigrants was arrested at the Union station this morning. He is James "Redney" Jordan, of Williams street, and is alleged to have fleeced various immigrants of sums ranging up to \$84. The police are looking for another man whom they say has been working with Jordan.

NIAGARA ICE JAM BROKE UP TODAY

One Dock was Carried Away and Considerable Other Damage Done

Niagara, Falls, N. Y., April 17.—The ice in the Niagara River below the falls, broke up this morning at the wharves, and also in the vicinity of Lewiston, Queenston and Youngstown. Considerable damage has been done at Queenston, one dock being carried away. Several fishing shanties have been destroyed.

POLICE COURT

Four dollars was the fine extracted from William Williams in the police court this morning for being pugnacious last night. Between 11 and 12 o'clock, the services of Patrolmen Belyea and Hughes were requisitioned to eject Williams from the chintz bistro on the corner of Mill street, where he objected to paying for a lunch. On the street he was taken into custody and after deducting \$4 from his \$22.75 this morning he departed from court ostensibly to resume his journey east. From March 17 until April 17 (today) morning, Sergeant Scott, has assisted 14 arrests and figured singly in two, a total of sixteen. Patrolman McColloch has made seven arrests in the period without assistance and eight with a partner. Sergeant Baxter figures in four arrests of his own separately. Sergeant Caples made four arrests without assistance of subordinates. Sergeant Campbell made one of his three arrests with assistance and Sergt. Klipatronic figures in two arrests. Night Detective Lucas had seven arrests, three of which were singly and Patrolman Crawford also had seven, four being assisted. Patrolman Jones had six arrests, two being unassisted. Patrolman Sullivan had three, two being singly. Totten had four arrests, Ward five, two being singly. Rankine three unassisted, Steeves, four, three being singly. Bowes, five, one being singly. Ross had four, three singly. Merrick had four, two being singly. Bell had four, one being singly. Ira Perry had four, one being singly. Nelson had four arrests, Linton two arrests, Gooline two arrests, Henry one arrest, Silas Perry three arrests, two being singly. Corbett two arrests, McNamee, McLellan, Olive one each singly. Covay two singly. Henry had three, two being singly. McFarland had two singly. Policeman Lee of the west end division figured in no arrests.

Montreal, April 17.—Dominion Steel pfd was a leader in stocks today in view of the declaration of 10 1/2 per cent dividend. The price rose to 129 yesterday and today's price was 127. Common stock at 33 1/2. The balance of the market was quiet and firm, the leading features being Toronto Ry, 124; Pacific, 173 1/4; Power, 114 1/4.

Barney Breen, a well known character at Carlow, near Mangerville, was drowned last night. He had been drinking and while driving over a bridge spanning a small stream, fell from his wagon and was drowned. An inquest will be held.

Rev. J. J. McCaskill was a passenger to the city on today's Boston train.

WINTER PORT BUSINESS WILL TOP ALL RECORDS

When the Season Closes the Value of the Exports Through the Port of St John will Reach \$25,000,000—Two More Steamers Yet—A Banner Year for Grain

The following is the list of 97 steamships that have made their returns to the customs house up to date, which shows the valuation of export cargoes has passed the \$21,000,000 mark. Before the season closes the \$25,000,000 will be reached, as there are about ten more steamers to arrive here for cargoes. It is probable all of them will take away large shipments.

Table with columns for ship names and values. Includes Empire of Britain, Montreal, Manchester Mariner, etc.

MADE \$5,000,000 HON. MR. SIFTON IN WHEAT DEAL

Chicago Tribune Says Patten Pool has Cleaned Up that Sum—Patten also Scalped the Market for a Profit

Chicago, April 17.—The Patten Pool has cleaned up between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000 on the May wheat deal, says the Tribune in a news article today. "Of this amount Jim Patten has pocketed fully two thirds. Market experts estimate that the broker and his coteries have sold about twenty million bushels of May wheat at an average profit of twenty cents, giving them a profit of \$4,000,000, and besides this he has made a substantial profit on July wheat, to say nothing of the September and December, which he has scalped in the market for a profit of from 2 to 6 cents, making his total winnings not much under \$5,000,000.

BOOTHS ARRANGED FOR OPTION VOTE

The civic election on Tuesday next promises to be one of the most exciting contests for years. Nearly all the candidates are canvassing hard and all expect themselves confident of winning. New methods are being introduced in this campaign, such as the publication in the newspapers of photos of the candidates and addresses to the election, public meetings, and now comes the big election poster which has made its appearance on the billboards around the city. The polling places for the local option vote will be as follows: Dalys—In rooms adjoining Vanvart Bros. grocery, Charlotte street. Victoria—In Victoria Park, City Road, Lorne—Corner Albert and Main streets, opposite the car sheds. Landowne—Near the polling booth for civic election, Main street.

SMUGGLED GOWNS AND LACES ADDRESSED TO SOCIETY LEADER

San Francisco, April 17.—Miss Nellie Grant, daughter of General U. S. Grant, and her aunt Mrs. John Mason of this city have been notified by customs officers that three of the trunks containing about \$30,000 worth of French gowns and lace were found to be addressed to them. Miss Grant and Mrs. Mason have, however, informed the customs agents that the baggage was not their property, and that they were unable to throw any light upon the smuggling plot which now is being investigated by the custom officers in New York city. It was upon this assurance that the three trunks held at this New York Customs house, were opened and their contents confiscated.

Miss Grant says: "We returned from residence abroad, and all our effects were admitted free of duty. We arrived in New York on the Kronland. Recently Mr. Stratton, the local collector, communicated with us and asked whether or not we expected any delayed baggage. When we told him we did not, he then commenced with New York. They broke open the trunks and found them filled with laces and gowns. The smugglers must have gotten our names from the passenger lists, and decided to ship some goods addressed to us, and then have agents collect for them on this side. My father writes that the officials have been searching for a smuggling gang that is carrying on this sort of traffic, and I suppose the search frightened the persons who used our names without permission."

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THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

HIRAM AND THE MOOSE. Mr. Hiram Hornbeam was much diverted this morning by the mental picture of Mr. Lowell proceeding with flying cat-tails through the underbrush back of Grand Bay, pursued by a bear, a wild cat and a bull moose. Hiram had been reading the report of the debate in the legislature on the subject of guns. "Say," said Hiram, "if they ain't one of them fellers could hit a barn door with a charge of buckshot. Out to the Settlement we don't ever need a gun in the woods. Why the moose ain't deer folk round everywhere, lookin' for protection from the Hays government game warden."

MORE EARTHQUAKES. Ottawa, April 17.—(Special Standard Service)—Dr. Daniel and Mr. Crockett had a long conference this morning. There is much speculation in parliamentary circles as to the cause of the meeting. It is the sole topic of conversation. Mr. Foster joked but said nothing when approached by the correspondents. Mr. Crockett is regarded as the shiest man in parliament when Dr. Daniel is away, and both of them are terrers when they rear. Dr. Pugsley and Sir Wilfrid had a faint spell when they heard that Crockett and Daniel were closeted together. The weather is mild.

PRUDENT MR. BINKS. Mr. Peter Binks declines to express an opinion on the amended highway act at the present time. He will wait to see whether it will be put in force or held over till next session to find out whether the people will stand for it or not. There was a highway act last year.

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A Romance of Modern New York and Paris
By Hudson Douglas

(Continued)

"I saw that before I clambered on board, but it made no difference to me just then except that it maybe saved my having to kill him myself. I picked up the paddle and made a bee-line for the far bank without paying any attention to him. I was in such a mortal sweat that it didn't strike me to tumble him overboard right away, and I was a good deal more thankful for that in a minute."

"I was doing some pretty quick thinking on my own account all the time, and looking back on it now, with my eyes on the back of his head—which was not so disagreeable an inspiration. It turns the canoe sharply round, drove back to the place I had started from, and dumped him ashore there. I reckoned that I had still half an hour to the good, and what d'ye think I did?"

Arendsen adopted a bored expression and shook his head.

"I dropped the stone dead there, Arendsen. I became a corpse. I said the long good-bye to poor old Dominic Seager, and in a damned hurry. That was the idea that took me back to the danger zone. It was the only way to prevent the Frenchmen from following me to a finish."

"It had to be a quick change, of course, and I hadn't leisure to sort out my belongings, so I stored them about the body wholesale as soon as I'd emptied the pockets. I left it completely equipped for identification, and later on I found there had been no missed about by the niggers that it might have passed for anyone in the wide world."

"Then I tramped about in the mud a bit, first in my own boots and then with bare feet, snapped twigs and branches, and left all the marks of a life-and-death struggle. Then I drove the canoe at the bank in a dozen places to show that there were savages here and there, and I came on again after driving the white man up, and as I was drawing back from the last bump I heard a voice behind me. It was a deep, guttural voice. My God! that gave me a bad start. Arendsen. I dug out for the nearest cover, and clung to a leafy bush scarcely daring to breathe."

"I had over-estimated my time allowance, and it was too late then to break for the open. In half a minute the first of the Frenchmen's black-boys were yelling about the body, and their yaps brought up the rest of the expedition as a dog trot—a dozen whites and maybe twenty natives all told."

"There was a great palaver over their find, and they seemed disappointed to think that they hadn't been there in time to shoot me themselves. They never searched the body and held a sort of an inquest and the first thing they came across was my papers. They clumped it made them mad to see from those what a big trade I had been driving in guns and cartridges, and that was quite natural, since it was precisely what they were always trying to prevent. However, they were well enough pleased to think they had heard the last of me, and so had their niggers dig a neat hole in the mud and tuck poor old Dominic tidily into it. I looked on and listened to the damned crew all crunching their claws. For the funeral was within a few yards of me, and it wasn't mine to have to attend a dress rehearsal of what might happen to me yet at any moment."

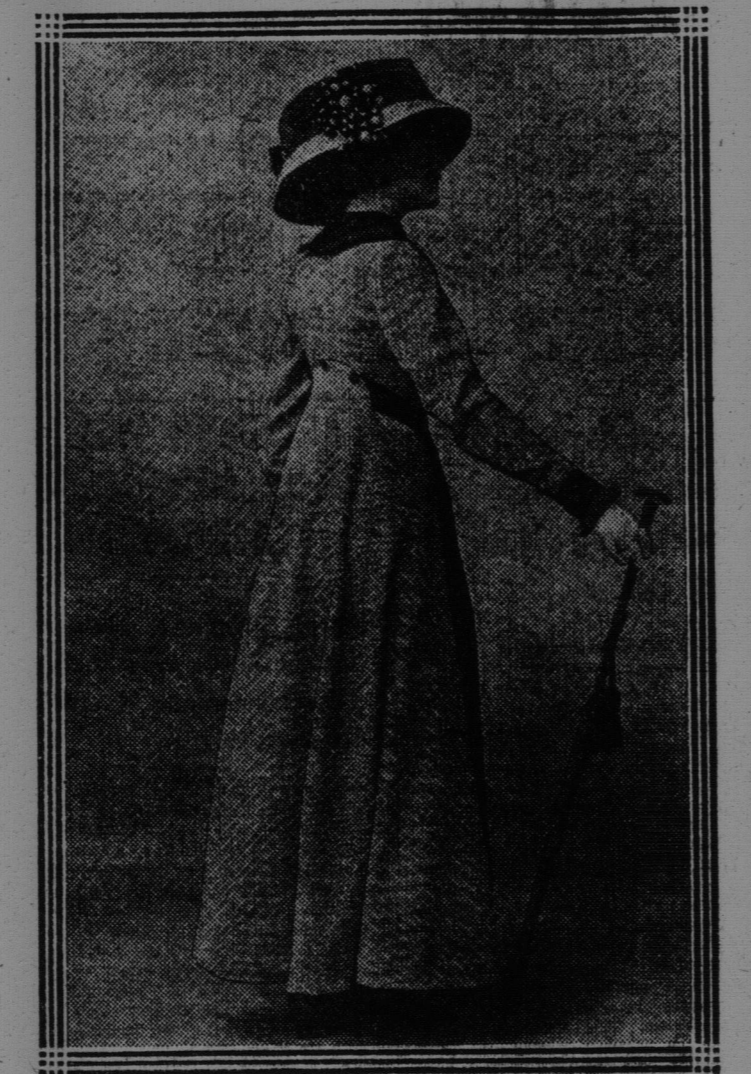
"But in the end the Frenchmen turned tail and made off, in a desperate hurry to get back beyond the German border. And I was saved. I was saved!"

"D'ye know that I felt pretty good? I've often faced a close call, but that one was just a trifle too near the edge."

"Well, after I'd quieted down again, I began to wonder who I was now, and what I'd better do next. This is where you begin to come in, Arendsen, and you'll see that I haven't been telling you silly stories for nothing, as you seem to think. I've brought you up to the moment when I first opened the papers I had inherited from the dead man. There was a heap of them in the canoe, besides what I'd found in his pockets, and so had their inheritance. He held a royal flush of the finest at the identical instant when he was put out of action. It's mine now, and here are the cards—diamonds all and ace high—with which you and I are going to sweep the board clear."

"He was speaking excitedly now, as he recalled the prospect which had been tempting enough to bring him back within reach of Black Dirk, and the individual also would seem to have been infected by his obvious faith in his grand. At any rate he did not take any advantage

Fashion Hint for Times Readers



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This one-piece dress of shepherd check serge is a very smart spring model, and many of these quaint little dresses will be seen when the weather grows warm enough to lay aside wraps. The lines of this model are extremely simple and straight, the high "cherit" back being shown, and a sash of black satin sloping from this back to the front. Black satin cuffs and turn-down collar complete the frock, which buttons from neck to hem down one side of the front with black satin buttons. The hat is of white chip trimmed with a black velvet band and bunches of cherries at the sides.

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WHAT CANDIDATE POTTS HAS TO SAY



Frank Leslie Potts, Candidate for Alderman at Large.

P. L. Potts, addressing the citizens in brief, said:

Ladies and Gentlemen: The time is close at hand when you will be once more called upon to cast your ballot for the election of seventeen aldermen to carry on the affairs of your city for the coming year. Let not the side issues, which unfortunately will be brought into this contest, get the better of your good sound judgment. Remember your first duty is to your home and country. Let those who have been successful through the efforts of their fathers before them (who left to them a tax of \$1.20 per \$100) join hands with those who find the burden of taxation too high.

In safeguarding our city this year with a vote for the candidates who will pledge if the harbor is sold the money received will be used to pay the outstanding bonds against the city, which means \$3,000,000 of mortgage removed from our real estate and a saving of \$100,000 of interest to the taxpayers.

I might say more, but as the hour is late would ask you on Tuesday, the 20th day of April, to vote for F. L. Potts for alderman-at-large, who will do his utmost to serve the citizens in the best interest of all classes.

ERA OF MINING DEVELOPEMENT

Toronto World Paints a Rosy Picture of Progress in Canada.

(Toronto World)

The pulse of natural expansion is beating stronger today than at any period since 1867 and the current year should pass into history as one of the most notable in the industrial life of this country.

In the more perennial growth of the agricultural areas of the Dominion, a great deal of the most important progress of the country being made in the campaign for the conservation of the natural resources of the country. Things are "stepping along." The west coast of Vancouver is being developed with 12,000,000 of building permits already for the city of Vancouver being the most wonderful building activity since the first settlement of the city in 1867. From coast to coast the country vibrates with the note of renewed confidence and developing prosperity.

It is not only that Canada will experience this year a new national impulse, which is great and growing better. What is important, it is gaining international recognition. It has done so much in the past and has left the new-born camp of the republic away behind in a lull.

Great rich in minerals are being opened up, and with these will be made much of the mining history of 1909.

It is safe to say that six months from today Canada should know with reasonable certainty the possibilities of the new fields. The plan of machinery have gone into the Montreal river country and to downlands. In those places the development work is now in progress will tell its story of success or failure. It looks now so much as though the men have discovered themselves on large scale in the country.

In six months there should be sufficient energy to develop the country to include the and enough developments to be made to be expected this year a great many of the great mineral resources of the country will be opened up. At Sturgeon River and Rainy River interests in developing in the great north-west are being opened up. The development has been going on for some time and there will soon be a big push there. New York capital is about to open the Olivet gold mine near Moose Centre, near Vile. The copper deposits are coming to the front. At the same time the Moose River and Irons River are being equipped with machinery of great capacity. As the men from Fort Frances said recently "the eastern part of the province has the same Government as the western part, but we have our St. Lawrence and Rainy River. The Government of the western part of the province will make a name for the western part of New Ontario."

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Sold by all medicine dealers or on mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50. From The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The school room of St. John Presbytery church was well filled last night at an excellent concert given by the Acorn Mission Band. Those who took part were: Mrs. Nixon, Misses H. Smith, Ena Campbell, Lulu Colwell, Marion Weyman, Ida McKay, Miss Catberris, Miss Cox, Miss Helen Armstrong and Jack Armstrong. There were a number of drills and dialogues, the entertainment concluding with the Hawatwa hunting drill in Indian costume.

ANNUAL MEETING OF SEAMEN'S MISSION

Reports for the Year Show Work Has Been Very Successful—Officers Elected

The annual meeting of the Seamen's Mission Society was held last night in the Institute and was well attended. The reports presented were encouraging and showed extensive work during the year.

Manager Gorbell's report was especially interesting. It was reported that the first contract on the new building had been all paid for and a new one of \$300 started. The sum of \$2,000 more was required to furnish the building.

Practically all the officers were re-elected. H. C. Tilley was again chosen president and R. Morton Smith, who was in the chair, first vice-president. The other vice-presidents are: Thomas Graham, F. W. Daniel and Alex. Watson; J. W. Cassidy, treasurer; J. N. Rogers, secretary, and S. L. Gorbell, manager.

The board of management consists of Mayor Bullock, Capt. J. Walsh, H. C. Schofield, W. E. Earle, George A. Henderson, William Downie, C. A. McDonald, R. T. Hayes, G. Willford Campbell, Rev. G. A. Kilbring, Rev. David Lang and Capt. Lindsay.

The treasurer reported that the maintenance fund was in better shape than had been the case for some years.

Before the meeting closed a vote of appreciation of the services of the president, H. C. Tilley, was passed. Votes of thanks were also tendered to the ladies' auxiliary, the owners, agents, captains and officers of the steamships and to the press of the city. The building committee, of which F. W. Daniel is chairman, was re-elected. The consideration of the auditors' report will be taken up at the next meeting.

King Edward is spending \$30,000 to improve Windsor Castle.

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For years I have been a great sufferer. Life to me was a burden, my limbs ached, I always felt tired and worn out, had no ambition. People could not sympathize with me. In fact at times they imagined I was put on a matter of fancy with me, but one who suffered the same as I did knew exactly what it meant. I would be weak when I should be in bed. I was weak, seemed to be void of strength; life seemed to have left me to a certain extent. I have often felt as if I would give the world if I could feel buoyant and cheerful, really so. I often had to force what little cheerfulness I did have. I was urged to try Vitol, and my what a change; today I am the woman I used to try and picture. I am happy, cheerful and strong; it seems as if I had new nerves, in fact new life. Mrs. R. Simms, Newcastle, Ont. You may be strong and healthy, and buoyant if you will take Vitol. For sale everywhere. Price 50c. box or six for \$2.50. For sale by all drug stores. E. Clinton Brown, corner Water and Irons street, wholesale agent.

At the Easter meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Carlton Methodist church last evening, an offering of \$50 was taken up for their funds. The pastor, Rev. Jacob Heaney, and J. N. Harvey made excellent addresses. Miss Maida Owen and the mission band chorus took part in the programme.

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THOUGHTS OF SPRING.
In the spring the automobiles
Come again upon the scene
And the gentle breeze of springtime
Waits the smell of gasoline.
Find supplier farther.
ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.
Left side down on shoulder.

The Times Daily Puzzle Picture

Baron Kato denies that Japan wants to sever the British alliance.

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Laxative Bromo Quinine & **W. L. Brown** on every
Cures a Cold in One Day, Cures in 2 Days

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CITIZENSHIP

The address by Prof. Andrews at the Canadian Club luncheon last evening set forth with great clearness the obligations and duties of citizenship. The speaker dealt with economic values, but made clear the relation between good citizenship in the social and moral sense and the material progress of a community.

AMATEUR SPORTS

The indoor athletic sports held in the Queen's rink last evening afforded gratifying evidence of the fact that there is genuine revival of interest in this city in clean amateur sports.

In the legislature yesterday Hon. H. A. McKewen asked for items and particulars of certain statements made in the report of the Central Railway Commission.

poses to develop the iron mines in Gloucester, said that "the legislature could well afford to be generous with this company, and thus show that the province is willing to encourage others in prospecting and development of great mineral wealth."

The St. John Valley Railway delegation, with the apparent exception of Hon. Mr. Fleming, were greatly pleased with their reception at Fredericton yesterday.

The rival interests on the Tobique were well represented before the corporations committee at Fredericton yesterday. The discussion was extremely interesting, and the question at issue is one that calls for very careful consideration.

The Conservatives are dejected. They had hoped Sir Wilfrid Laurier would call upon Dr. Pugsley to resign. The vote on Dr. Daniel's motion has thrown them into despair and rage, which are ill-concealed.

The winter port statement published today is a very gratifying one. This is a record season for the winter port. Ten years hence this total will appear small by comparison. St. John does not lack evidences of genuine material progress.

The news from Turkey is of a most disturbing nature. Nothing could be worse than an outbreak of religious fanaticism at this stage of the evolution of the state toward constitutional government.

EMPERESS OF BRITAIN ARRIVED LAST NIGHT

The C. P. R. liner Empress of Britain, J. A. Murray, R. N., commander, arrived from Liverpool via Halifax about 8 o'clock last night and went to her berth at once.

A. Piers, general manager of the C. P. R. steamship lines, who now resides in London, was a passenger. He was met here by W. M. Duff, his assistant, residing in Montreal. Both left for Montreal last night.

Also to meet Mr. Piers were General Superintendent William Downie and Marine Superintendent Captain Walsby. Among other passengers on the steamer were Hon. E. Dewdney, J. W. C. Fegan, founder of "Mr. Fegan's Home Incorporated," London, who brought over 112 boys, aged from ten to eighteen years.

The army also has about 100 on the Allan liner Tunisian and possibly 200 on the Lake Erie, due a week from tomorrow. Some of the Tunisian party are for the west, but the majority for the maritime provinces. Nearly all of those on the Lake Erie are for this province. To meet them, Adj. Thompson of Montreal; Capt. Hanagan, of Toronto, and Staff Capt. Jennings, of Halifax, are here.

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BOYS TWO-PIECE SUITS \$1.40 to \$7.00
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GO WINTER!

Go winter! Go they say! We wait again The winter of the blizzard and the snow, Leaves ever greener growing, and the skin Of summer sun—no! no! no!

IN LIGHTER VEIN

"Yes," said the young wife proudly, "I've always given my husband the best of everything."

LETTING THE CAT OUT

"Say, grandpa, make a noise like a frog," coaxed little Tommy.

THE OPTIMISTS GREETING

Howdy, Mistress Springtime! "You ain't 'ere!" here!

DUSTY

Ever notice what a great cloud of dust is kicked up by the automobiles you are not riding in?

INDIFFERENCE

I don't care what others think. Of what others say of me to-day, Let them mind their own business.

JUST A WAY THEY HAVE

A little nonsense now and then is a relief to a man's mind.

PROVINCIAL NEWS

New Brunswick

Arthur Hicks, of Upper Sackville, is busy setting his up to saw a brood of logs owned by William Estabrook. Among the lumbermen who have been getting out logs about the point are Arthur George, 7000; Noah S. Sears, 3000; Archie Estabrook and others.

Nova Scotia

Miss Eva Fraser, who has spent the winter in St. John, N. B., the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Coombs, has returned to New Glasgow.

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Oxfords Laced Boots Button Boots

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Follow this very simple and safe treatment and you'll find that not an ache of pain in any part of the body will remain.

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A strong wind on Wednesday night last resulted in the breaking of the ice bridge at the mouth of Summerside harbor and the harbor ice all went out.

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EPSS'S

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'DIAMOND MAKER' CAUGHT AT LAST

Swindled English Merchants out of Thousands—Sentenced in Default

Paris, April 16—Henri Lemoine, the diamond maker, has been arrested here. Lemoine is the man who created a sensation last summer by pretending that he could make diamonds.

By various pretences he postponed the test until the magistrate's patience was exhausted and then he disappeared.

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HAZEN ANNOUNCES HIS HIGHWAY ACT BACK DOWN

Considerable Business in the Legislature Yesterday—Municipal Councils to Control Expenditure of All Road Money—Government to Guarantee N. B. Cold Storage Bonds

Fredericton, April 16—The house advanced the business of the session very considerably today, though the progress made with the same law was not as great as was expected.

In connection with the legislation of last session, Hon. Robert Maxwell has given out for publication in the government gazette a resolution adopted by six labor unions in St. John endorsing the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Mr. Hazen made two important announcements in the house today. In connection with the guarantee of \$30,000 more of bonds for the cold storage warehouses in the Gloucester mines.

Mr. Hazen spoke rather slightly of the cold storage guarantee and reflected some criticism on the previous government having promised to introduce legislation to legalize the guarantee which was made under a previous government.

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Ladies' Venetian Suits, plain and fancy stripe, latest shades from \$13 to \$25
Ladies' Tweed Suits, different shades and styles, from \$10 to \$18
Ladies' Short Box and Semi-fitting Coats latest styles and shades, from \$4.98 to \$12
Ladies' Vicuna Skirts, blue, brown, black and green worth \$2.98 to clear at \$1.98
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200 White Underskirts, worth 1.25 for \$1.00
300 Black Satene Underskirts, worth 1.25 for \$1.00
200 Guaranteed Silk Underskirts, worth 4.50 for \$3.48
150 Ladies' Kid Gloves, worth 1.00 for \$0.75
Ladies' Kid Gloves, worth 1.50 for \$1.15
Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, worth 35c for \$0.25
Ladies' Black All-wool Lama Hose, worth 45c for \$0.35
P C and D & A Corsets, worth 2.50 for \$1.75
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P C and D & A Corsets, worth 1.25 for \$0.98
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- Men's Black Clay Worsted Suits, double or single breasted \$12 to \$16
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Men's Scotch Tweed Suits \$10 to \$10
Men's Canadian " \$7.50 to \$10
Men's Spring Overcoats \$6 to \$14
Men's Raincoats \$6 to \$14
Men's Soft Front Shirts \$4 to \$1.25
Men's Ties and Braces \$19c to \$0.50
Men's Summer Shirts and Drawers \$4c to \$1.25

Wear the King Hat \$2.50

The Liberty Shoe Fits Men Best, \$4 to 5.50

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LOGICAL REASON
"Jinks" - Have you selected a trade or profession for your boy?
"Wilks" - I shall make a plumber of him.
"Jinks" - He's a best that way?
"Wilks" - He's born for it. Tell him to do a thing immediately, and he won't think of it again for a week. -TH-Bits.

Alderman Baxter addressed the second of a series of meetings on civic politics in the assembly rooms of Keith's Theatre last evening. Thomas Kitchin presided and about 60 persons were present. The alderman dealt with various civic issues and spoke at some length also on newspaper criticism of his actions, and referred to his connection with G. S. Mayes.

JOHNSON AND KETCHEL WILL FIGHT FOR PURSE AND 60 P. C.

Articles of Agreement Under which They will Battle Twenty Rounds on October 12th—\$5,000 Side Bet Posted—Big Loser's End in Percentage Division

The heavyweight championship fight of 20 rounds between Jack Johnson, the present holder of the title, and Stanley Ketchel, middleweight champion of the world, to be decided at Colma, California, Oct. 12, has been clinched by Promoter James Coffroth, who has agreed to hand up 60 per cent. of the gross receipts. After Johnson had seen Al Kaufman in his attempt to buy the title, Coffroth in ten rounds at the Fairmont A. C. on Tuesday night, he was soon in close consultation with Coffroth and Willis Heat, Ketchel's manager. There was another combat after which articles of agreement were signed, both Johnson and Ketchel accounting for the fight. The articles, including a 25 and 35 per cent. division of the money, with a side bet of \$5,000, which has been posted. It seems, by the way, that ever since Johnson arrived from Australia he has been more anxious to take on Ketchel than anybody else. Johnson, who is now in Chicago several weeks ago, who would be his opponent in a battle for the title, Texas Jack replied, with a broad grin, "That boy Ketchel is just made for me." So from that it is understood that Johnson made up his mind as soon as Ketchel beat Jack O'Brien that a bout with him would draw more money in California than a battle with Kaufman or Langford. Jeffries being eliminated from the calculations altogether. Ketchel, when he learned that he had been matched with Johnson, was delighted. "I'll beat him, sure," said he. "I know he can't handle me, and furthermore, he can't keep away from me like O'Brien. All I want is to get home a few months in the body and I'll bring Johnson down so that I can knock his head off. When I get into the ring I'll scale at 175 or perhaps 180, for I'll have more than five months in which to build up."

NEWS AND VIEWS OF SPORT

Pitcher Ed Walsh, the big spit ball artist, is creating trouble for Ontario baseballers from Meriden, Conn., Chicago and Cincinnati follow. Meriden, Conn., April 16.—Edward Walsh, this city pitcher for the Chicago American baseball team last year, filed an application with the national baseball commission today to be declared a free agent. Walsh was tendered a contract prior to March 1 and that the matter of the tender was properly registered. Chicago, April 16.—August Hermann, chairman of the national baseball commission, said today that the commission had received an application from Ed Walsh of the Chicago American league club it was stated that Pitcher Ed Walsh was tendered a contract prior to March 1 and that the matter of the tender was properly registered. During a match between Montreal and National, one of the spectators named Leport jumped into the field while two of the players, Pitre and Neville, were having a tussle and tried to pull Neville off the field. Leport was charged with interfering with the play and the referee in the position of a player and has no legal redress for any injuries he may sustain. An interesting decision from a sports point of view was rendered by Judge Dorion, of Montreal, in the Circuit Court, when he decided that a player who interferes in a game must be placed in his position as a player and has no legal redress for any injuries he may sustain. During a match between Montreal and National, one of the spectators named Leport jumped into the field while two of the players, Pitre and Neville, were having a tussle and tried to pull Neville off the field. Leport was charged with interfering with the play and the referee in the position of a player and has no legal redress for any injuries he may sustain. Manager Mask, of the Philadelphia American league club, has been reported as proceeding on Thursday by releasing four players. Pitcher Salve was turned over to the Boston Braves, Grand Wizard Koehler, to Bridgeport, Connecticut league; Pitcher Piles, to Holyoke, and Outfielder Jackson to Savannah. Stanley Ketchel will fight the breach of promise case brought against him by Miss Elizabeth Hyman, Grand Wizard Koehler, to Bridgeport, Connecticut league; Pitcher Piles, to Holyoke, and Outfielder Jackson to Savannah. Secretary Knives of the New York National, says that his club will take special pains to stamp out gambling this year. Detectives will patrol the stands to see that the league rule on the subject is lived up to. It looks now as if Parkey McFarland's cornered. He has all along claimed that he was ready to fight Nelson. Now the opportunity comes and he wants the fight. Nelson has heretofore insisted on 133 rounds, but may concede the difference in order to leave McFarland no loophole. Terry Turner, the Cleveland short stop, started the season well at shortstop, having six chances, which he accepted, and participating in two fast double plays in the opening game at St. Louis. "My baby girl at two months broke out with the same rash and I treated her with D. D. D. and an perfectly satisfied she is cured to our great joy. I feel sure it is a splendid remedy for all skin diseases and can highly recommend it to any one suffering with skin trouble." If any reader of this paper should write Mr. McGilivray, we request that a self-addressed stamped envelope be enclosed. For free sample bottle of D. D. D. Prescription write to the D.D.D. Laboratory, Department S. T., 23 Jordan St., Toronto. For sale by all druggists.

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Any Sufferer Can Write to Mrs. D. McGilivray, of Nanton, Alta., for Full Information. There are undoubtedly many frants in the testimonials of medical firms—letters written by friends or even employees of the advertiser. But, on the other hand, in some cases the testimonials are of an entirely genuine, gladly offered by prominent citizens, who are grateful for the cure. Such a case is that of Mrs. D. McGilivray, of Nanton, Alberta, who cured her two children with D. D. D. and is glad to tell others about it. She wrote on September 2nd last: "Your letter to hand of recent date, I must thank you for so kindly inquiring about my order and also the child. I am glad to say I received the three one dollar bottles of D. D. D. and two cakes of Soap safely, and I am delighted with the result of both prescription and Soap. The soap is all that is required to complete the treatment. The little boy of two years and a half is to all appearance cured of the dreadful Eczema. "My baby girl at two months broke out with the same rash and I treated her with D. D. D. and an perfectly satisfied she is cured to our great joy. I feel sure it is a splendid remedy for all skin diseases and can highly recommend it to any one suffering with skin trouble." If any reader of this paper should write Mr. McGilivray, we request that a self-addressed stamped envelope be enclosed. For free sample bottle of D. D. D. Prescription write to the D.D.D. Laboratory, Department S. T., 23 Jordan St., Toronto. For sale by all druggists.

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EVERY DAY CLUB MEN HEADED THE LIST

Athletes From This Popular Institution Scored Highest Honors in Last Nights Sports—Relay Race Feature of Meet

The Every Day Club carried off the honors at the indoor sports last evening in the Queen's rink under the auspices of the Mohawk All-St. John Club. The E. D. C. had about fifty-five points to their credit, the Y. M. C. A. about forty-two, and the High School next with eighteen. The feature of the meet was the five-mile gas-oussage relay race, in which teams from the Every Day Club, the Y. M. C. A. and Brock & Paterson A. C. competed. The teams were: E. D. C.—Stirling, Stubbs, W. H. Smith, Snodgrass and Marsden. Y. M. C. A.—Harper, Rothwell, McKee, Kery and King. Brock & Paterson A. C.—B. & P. A. C.—H. Wetmore, J. McKenzie, D. Paterson, R. Pendleton and W. Wood. The former won by a lap over the Y. M. C. A. and two laps over the B. & P. men. It was a grueling contest. The feature of the meet was the five-mile gas-oussage relay race, in which teams from the Every Day Club, the Y. M. C. A. and Brock & Paterson A. C. competed. The teams were: E. D. C.—Stirling, Stubbs, W. H. Smith, Snodgrass and Marsden. Y. M. C. A.—Harper, Rothwell, McKee, Kery and King. Brock & Paterson A. C.—B. & P. A. C.—H. Wetmore, J. McKenzie, D. Paterson, R. Pendleton and W. Wood. The former won by a lap over the Y. M. C. A. and two laps over the B. & P. men. It was a grueling contest. The feature of the meet was the five-mile gas-oussage relay race, in which teams from the Every Day Club, the Y. M. C. A. and Brock & Paterson A. C. competed. The teams were: E. D. C.—Stirling, Stubbs, W. H. Smith, Snodgrass and Marsden. Y. M. C. A.—Harper, Rothwell, McKee, Kery and King. Brock & Paterson A. C.—B. & P. A. C.—H. Wetmore, J. McKenzie, D. Paterson, R. Pendleton and W. Wood. The former won by a lap over the Y. M. C. A. and two laps over the B. & P. men. It was a grueling contest.

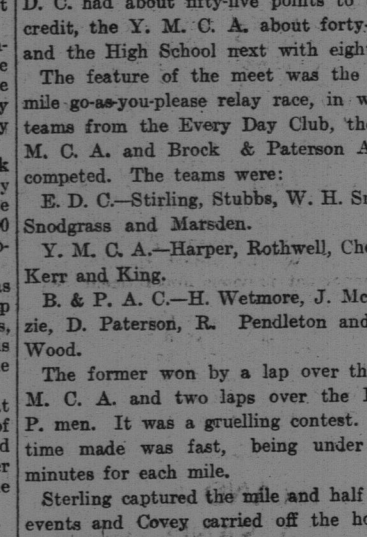
AMERICAN LEAGUE

Captain Herman Schaefer says it's a cinch that the Detroit will win this year. Western League fans all expect the Des Moines recruit, outfielder Matticks, to make good with the White Sox. Pitcher Buck Ehlman, of the Boston Club's Akron recruit, has made a big impression upon Manager Fred Lake. Manager Stallings is quoted as saying that Cleveland will be the next champion team of the American League. Pitcher George Suggs has reported to Manager Jennings fine physical condition and confident of making good. Outfielder Cravath, of the Boston team, is playing first base for the White Sox in the practice games at San Francisco. Pitcher Walter Johnson, in his first full game of the season, against Houston on March 12, struck out 14 batsmen. Outfielder Cravath, of the Boston team, is playing first base for the White Sox in the practice games at San Francisco. Pitcher Walter Johnson, in his first full game of the season, against Houston on March 12, struck out 14 batsmen. Outfielder Cravath, of the Boston team, is playing first base for the White Sox in the practice games at San Francisco. Pitcher Walter Johnson, in his first full game of the season, against Houston on March 12, struck out 14 batsmen. Outfielder Cravath, of the Boston team, is playing first base for the White Sox in the practice games at San Francisco.

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FRANKIE CARPENTER: The Frankie Carpenter Company, with the clearing weather, are enjoying a big business in the Opera House.

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MAJOR AND MRS. TOM PLANT HERE TODAY: Celebrated Musical Salvationists, from London, will be in the City Over Saturday.

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Boys! Nickel's Matinee Great Today: 4 Big Pictures and Two Fine Songs Talking Picture, 'The Sleep-Walker' Festival Orchestra At Night!

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CANADIAN PACIFIC: Home-seekers' Excursions: April 7 and 21, May 5 and 19, June 2, 16, 30, July 14 and 28, Aug. 11 and 22, Sept. 8 and 22.

Assessors' Notice: THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES for the City of Saint John, in the present year, require all persons liable to be assessed to furnish to the Assessors true statements of all their Real Estate, Personal Estate and Income.

Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations: ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 16 years of age, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS: Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the envelope "Public Works" will be received at the office of the Commissioner of the Transcontinental Railway at Ottawa, until 3 o'clock noon, of the 20th day of March, 1924.

HAZEN ANNOUNCES HIS HIGHWAY ACT BACK DOWN: (Continued from page 5.) J. C. Hazen said that assuming the proposed cut was only 20,000,000 under present conditions, there would be about 100,000 trees left in the woods, not only waste but a menace to the country on account of the danger to the country from fire.

AMUSEMENTS

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Major and Mrs. Tom Plant, of Salvation Army headquarters, London, announced as musical wonders, world-wide travelers.



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music and song on Monday evening a great musical meeting. All will be in the Charlotte street chancel.

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Guaranteed Oak Dining Tables,	\$14.90
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Mission Oak Chairs,	3.25
Morris Chairs,	5.25

For the Bedroom

Guaranteed Oak Dressers	\$22.00
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Ladies' Dressing Tables,	12.00
Brass Bedsteads at prices never again to be offered,	\$21, \$27, \$40
All kinds of Iron Beds, Springs and Mattresses.	

5-Piece Walnut Sets,	\$22.00
5-Piece Walnut Sets,	29.75
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3-Piece Mahogany Sets,	30.00
3-Piece Solid Mahogany Sets,	67.00
Fancy Odd Pieces,	6.00
Solid Mahogany Odd Pieces,	10.00
Solid Mahogany Parlor Cabinets,	27.00
Solid Mahogany Parlor Tables,	10.00

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PROF. ANDREWS SPEAKS TO THE CANADIAN CLUB ON GOOD CITIZENSHIP

The Economic Value of a Good Citizen Discussed in an Excellent Address—The Question of Temperance—Corruption in Politics—A Man's Use of Wealth

Doubtless the fact that there were many other attractions last evening kept many members of the Canadian Club from attending the luncheon given in the assembly rooms of Keith's theatre when Dr. Andrews, of Mount Allison, delivered a most interesting lecture on "The Economic Value of a Good Citizen."

The speaker dealt with the commercial and social problems, the effect of temperance on the nation, corruption in elections and the duty of citizens in contributing to the common cause of humanity. The speaker's remarks were frequently applauded and at the close of his address he was tendered a hearty vote of thanks.

Miles E. Agar, vice-president, presided. In opening his address Dr. Andrews said: "Man is a social animal. He moves in flocks and obeys the law of the herd. The gregarious habit is demanded by many necessities of his nature. Those qualities which are the highest and of most importance in human character are developed in the association of others.

"Civilization progresses through a division of labor and thus the highest good comes to all. The sense of justice is a social grace, so also are courtesy, sympathy and brotherliness.

"Language, one of the most powerful of educative characters in his social life, is a social instrument. A hermit is in danger of being debilitated, therefore we find men gathered in communities bound together by undeniable bonds of dependence and obligation.

"Every nation is a partnership in which men are willing to receive the benefits and in which they should be willing to acknowledge the corresponding obligations. Both the burdens and the benefits of the social relations are necessary to make him a normal specimen of his race.

"That nation is richest which develops the largest amount of social well being. That man is the wealthiest who has made the outlook of his intellect, the range of his sympathy, the effectiveness of his powers, the workfulness of his ideals and the happy exercise of his faculties the greatest possible, and who has gained on account of his accumulated resources of character and wealth the greatest influence over the lives of his fellows.

"It is my purpose to show to how great an extent the common weal of a nation depends on the diffusion of moral power among its motives.

"The value of a gold coin or a piece of land is a gift from the market relation becomes valueless and so it happens that the multiple commercial activities of men, their hungers and thirsts, etc., conspire to give value to every street front and every distant farm.

"The basis of all such organizations depends therefore on this, that men shall drop the primeval warfare of the savage and shall show public spirit enough to see their own advantage in the advantage of others. The honest man is the corner stone of commerce. The honest men doing an honest day's work, fulfilling all their obligations, whose word can be depended upon, create a public sentiment which gives steadiness and solidity to the world of business. They are the silent partners in business enterprise and their sobriety, industry, intelligence and good will are assets on which the business firms can count. No hermit can amass a fortune, a millionaire is possible only when it is possible for one man to farm a million lives. Honest men perform a great public service and when, through disability, they are not needed in their last days, a pension is not a charity but a reward for such public service.

"What effect has intemperance on the economic value of a citizen? The scientific laboratories in Germany and the United States are giving a scientific answer to this question. The moderate use of alcohol reduces muscular power, the rate of doing work, the rate of improvement in tasks being learned, and the dose repeated day after day has a cumulative evil effect which is the greater the more complex the activities involved.

"The massed figures of life insurance companies show there is a reduction of life power and therefore a diminution of the rate and length of time of production. The well known effect of alcohol to decrease the general reliability, morality and purchasing power of men is also a well known fact.

"This matter is being studied by the boards of trade of the maritime provinces. The question may well be asked, When large corporations are putting in force a prohibitory law so far as their own employees are concerned on account of loss of property and time through drink should not a nation as a business partnership ask the question whether it can stand the economic waste this habit occasions among its citizens?

"We spend annually \$75,800,000 for liquor and our national and provincial revenues from that source amount to \$16,500,000, leaving a difference of \$59,300,000. Money spent for liquor is still in circulation and plays its part, but if the same money is spent for tools, clothing, buildings, etc., the money is still in circulation and, besides, the nation has something to show for the expenditure.

"The economic loss through political corruption and the use of campaign funds in the bribing of voters destroys the most valuable thing in a democracy, namely, the sense of responsibility on the part of the average citizen. When political committees spend money that they are guilty of defrauding the honest and incorruptible voter of his due influence in our electoral contests. The necessity for large campaign funds has led to the raffle of public contracts and public works cost more than they should. The independent citizen is therefore defrauded by means of their own money.

"For many years in my own county (Westmorland) large sums of money have been spent in every election, \$80,000 and over. Had these funds been invested in educational work we could have before us a generation of men who would be a credit to the nation.

A WINDSOR LADY'S APPEAL

To All Women: I will send free, with instructions, my home treatment which positively cures Leucorrhoea, Discharge, Displacements, Falling of the Womb, Painful or Irregular Periods, Uterine and Ovarian Tumors or growths, also Hot Flashes, Nervousness, Melancholy, Pains in the Head, Back, Bowels, Kidney and Bladder troubles, who caused by weakness peculiar to our sex. You can continue treatment at home at a cost of only about 12 cents a week. My Book, "Woman's Own Medical Adviser," also sent free on request. Write to-day. Address Mrs. M. Summers, Box 26, Windsor, Ont.

This settled the question of technical education in the maritime provinces.

"Only as a higher public conscience in this regard is created can many reforms of great promise of benefit to the community be inaugurated."

The lecturer spoke of Glasgow as an illustration of a city receiving great economic benefits from the reforms made possible by the high moral standards of its average citizens. He said that, as we partook of our Anglo-Saxon civilization, one of the greatest the world had ever seen, each man received greater benefits from his race than he could do for himself and greater than he could repay. Service for the public good was not only benevolence, it was simply justice.

"The danger of these obligations the unjust and the dangerous classes were the poor and the wealthy shirkers. "We compel men to pay taxes and this is not highway robbery on the part of the public but a demand of social justice. Even the bachelors have to pay the school tax and they should pay more than they do. They haven't the burdens to carry that a man with a family has.

"The tramp receives benefits for which he makes no return. If a man commits crime against the public weal he is still worse, for in this aspect crime is doubly criminal.

Prof. Godkin, in an article entitled "Who Will Pay the Bills of Socialism?" says that the total estimated wealth of the United States in 1890 would amount to only \$1,000 a head, or \$5,000 for an average family of five. The interest on this would equal \$200. If the income of the people amounted to six per cent, on capital it meant \$300 more for each man, making a total of \$600 income for the average family. These figures showed how great was the diminution of national wealth through thriftlessness and crime and that the person with a salary of \$1,000 or more was an especially favored citizen in the community and therefore under increased social debt.

"The consideration of the rights of men leads us to the same conclusions. If we ask ourselves if the boys in the slums have a right to an opportunity to acquire a high school or university education, an affirmative is the only answer. This many of them are not getting. Our public school system is a clumsy attempt at social justice."

In conclusion," said the speaker, "the man of independent income, who lives without any sense of responsibility in regard to the social, municipal and political problems of his community, must be numbered among the dangerous classes. He is a man who has received his pay in advance and to use Robert Louis Stevenson's phrase, he is his own paymaster on parole." The rest of his fortune besides what he pays to himself as salary to be used as he chooses, is not his, for he has not earned it; he holds it in trust for the rest of mankind.

"Selfishness is the great source of injustice and the selfish citizen, whether in the ranks of the very poor or among the

ALCOHOL DENOUNCED FROM A SCIENTIFIC STANDPOINT

A Physician, a Nerve Specialist and a Public Health Expert, Show the Evil Effects of Alcoholic Liquors on the Body and Brain—Some Startling Facts

The following is an abstract of three addresses delivered at the meeting of the American Association for the Study and Cure of Inebriety and Alcoholism, held in Washington, D. C., March 17 to 19: Henry O. Marcy, M. D., LL. D., of Boston, Mass., ex-President of the American Medical Association delivered an address on "The Temperance Movement in the South from a Scientific Point of View. He asserted that the rapid change of public sentiment favorable to most radical measures for the suppression and control of the sale of alcohol as a beverage was not a mere sentiment or theory, but was a deep feeling of alarm and recognition of the influence of alcohol in intensifying and increasing the social perils of home life and good government.

Medical and hygienic study based on statistics and mortality tables indicate that alcohol as a beverage is a most active cause of degeneration and disease among the colored and illiterate class of the South.

The unrestrained use of alcohol is literally anarchy in which life and property are in constant peril. All the leaders recognize that the alcoholic problem has a sanitary side of the most absorbing interest, and this must be recognized and become a part of the practical life of every community.

Dr. George W. Webster, of Chicago, Ill., Pres. of the Illinois State Board of Health in a paper on Alcohol and Public Health, gave the following conclusions:

1. The alcoholic problem is more important than tuberculosis because it costs more lives and money.
2. It costs the United States in direct money over two billion dollars.
3. It causes directly and indirectly at least 10 per cent. of all deaths in the United States.
4. It predisposes to infection, destroys acquired immunity, prevents the occurrence of artificial immunity, lowers vitality and increases mortality in all diseases and in surgical operations.
5. It lessens the power of individuals to resist the injurious influences of extreme heat and cold.
6. It causes deterioration of the quality of mental work.
7. It diminishes the power to withstand fatigue and lessens the efficiency of the individual.
8. It should always be classified as a poison and never as a food or stimulant.
9. It is a public health and sanitary question and not a moral one, but should be treated the same as fevers, smallpox and malaria and by scientific men alone.
10. The alcoholic problem is a medical one, and can only be solved when studied from a scientific point of view.

H. E. Barrett, M. D., of New York City, Specialist in Nerve Diseases, in a paper on "Certain Psychic Effects of Alcohol," pointed out the loss of honor, pride of character, truthfulness and conscientiousness of right and wrong in persons who use spirits.

The highest and last formed elements of character in the brain are torn down first by alcohol. Sometimes this process of

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Every sufferer from coughs, colds, bronchitis, and all throat and chest ailments needs a soothing, healing medicine, which goes direct to the breathing organs in the chest and lungs, attacks the trouble at its source, disperses the germs of disease, and cures the ailment thoroughly. And this medicine is "CATARRHOZONE."

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Japan wants smaller sub-marines, with twice the speed of the present craft.

Why Tired Feelings in the Spring?



This question comes to mind when you are scarcely able to drag yourself about to attend to the necessary work of the day and for an answer you must look to the conditions of the blood.

Winter life is artificial, and in the spring the blood is almost sure to be thin and watery. The result is a starved condition of the nervous system and derangements of the vital organs.

The least action is weak, digestion impaired, the filtering process is carried on by the liver and kidneys in an inefficient way, the excretory organs are slow in removing poisons and hence the pains and aches, the sleeplessness and irritability, the depressed spirits and tired, languid feelings of spring.

Restorative treatment, such as Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food, is necessary not only for comfort and happiness but also because in this run-down condition you stand an easy prey for all sorts of germ diseases.

In the spring the very air is filled with germs which lurk in myriads wherever winter refuse has been left to thaw and ferment and the only resistance against disease germs is good, red blood, such as is formed by

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This great restorative is above all else a builder of rich, red blood and for this reason its effects on the system are of substantial and lasting benefit. Gradually and certainly it forms new firm flesh and tissue, puts new vigor and energy into the nervous system, improves appetite and digestion and restores health and strength. 50 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto, Ontario. Portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D., the famous Receipt Book author, on every box. Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment positively cures itching, bleeding piles.

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"Winter lingering in the lap of Spring" develops a fine crop of Colds, causing an increased demand for "Seventy-seven." Careless people change their garments too soon and Colds are the inevitable result.

A dose of "Seventy-seven" taken at the first chill or shiver will break up the Cold. 25c., or mailed.

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"Yes," the postmaster says in telling his story, "it is three years since I was cured of Lumbago and Sciatica; Dodd's Kidney Pills did it, and I am happy to say the cure was permanent. "I had Pains in my back, Cramps in my Muscles, Shooting Pains across my Loins, and I often found it hard to get any rest at night, and when I did my sleep was unrefreshing. I was medically attended, but without getting any benefit, and at last I was persuaded to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I used six boxes altogether and they took the pain away and quite cured me."

Nearly every cure by Dodd's Kidney Pills tells of trying something else first. If you use Dodd's Kidney Pills first you will never need to try "something else." They always cure all diseases of the Kidneys, and all diseases that are caused by sick Kidneys.

Cyril H. MacDonald, of this city, who is leading in New Brunswick for the Standard of Empire free trip to the old country, is 1,000 votes ahead of the nearest competitor, Geel R. Carman, of Fredericton, but is not sure of victory as the contest will last until June 1.

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A Great Bargain in Children's Wear for Monday

We have secured a lot of fine white cotton underwear for children which we will sell at less than the cost of the material, not counting anything for the making.

For instance, CHILDREN'S DRAWERS AT 16 AND 17 CENTS A PAIR, that are worth from 30 to 40 cents. They are made from fine English long cloth and lace trimming, with fine tucks on a wide frill. They are made to fit children from 4 to 12 years.

CHILDREN'S UNDERSKIRTS AT 17 CENTS EACH, to fit children from 4 to 12 years. These skirts have a Hamburg frill, are made from fine longcloth, nice and full. The cotton alone would cost more than the prices we are asking for these.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES. The greatest showing of Spring and Summer dresses that we have ever made and the prices are fully one-third lower than the usual. We have dresses for children from one to 16 years of age. PRICES FROM 50 CENTS UP TO \$7.50 EACH.

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Tams in Red, Blue, Fawn and Black 20c to \$1.00

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CIRCULATION

The following is the sworn average daily circulation of the Times for the last three months:

January—6,712
February—6,979
March—7,187

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

THIS EVENING

Frankie Carpenter and company at the Opera House in "Girl of Eagle Ranch." Big festival bill of pictures and songs of the Nickel.

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

Committees in No-nonsense contest meet in various headquarters.

Meeting in Temple of Honor hall, North End. Alderman Baxter will talk to electors on civic politics.

Annual meeting of the Neptune Rowing Club in Board of Trade rooms, at 8 o'clock.

LATE LOCALS

Patrolman Alex. Crawford is prepared to run a Marathon with Officer McCollom or any other policeman.

The owner of a purse containing a sum of money lost on Main street can recover it at the North End police station.

Patrolman Rankin reports that the glass is broken in Fire Alarm Box 412, corner of City Road and Gilbert's Lane and the key is missing.

Allan steamer Tunisian, arrived at Halifax last night from Liverpool. She will probably be here tomorrow with a large number of passengers.

The engineer officers of the Empress of Britain will meet the team representing St. John in a soccer football match on the Every Day Club grounds this afternoon.

Rev. W. R. Robinson will be the speaker at the temperance meeting in Tabernacle church tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock. Special music by St. Mary's orchestra.

A cable from Barbados received by Baird & Peters this morning announced that the quotations on Barbados grocery molasses had advanced two cents per gallon, which is the highest price reached for many years.

C. P. R. steamship Lake Manitoba sailed this morning for Liverpool with a general cargo and a number of passengers. British steamship Mirra, Captain Kerion, sailed today for Cork, Ireland, with a deal cargo.

A sacrifice sale of furniture is now going on at John White's furniture store, 97 Charlotte street. It will be a very varied variety of high grade furniture, at prices that will interest everyone. See adv. on page.

The concert under the auspices of the German street Baptist church choir, which is to be held on Tuesday evening next, April 20th, will be a great musical treat. Some of the very best local talent will take part, and a very pleasant evening is promised those who attend. Tickets 25 cents each.

Schooner Mary E., before reported ashore near Machias, Me., has been declared a total loss. The steamer Harbinger has gone to the wreck to strip her. Another schooner will take her cargo of lumber to Hingham, Mass. Captain D. R. Glennie is still at Machias.

As report from Upper Gagtown early this morning stated that the river was full of ice as far as could be seen. The Reach is now full of ice. It had been intended to send the Majestic up river today, but the reports of the conditions all along the stream are such that the trip has been cancelled. She will probably go up on Monday afternoon.

The Young People's Society of Centenary church will hold their last Missionary Evening for this season on Monday, at eight p. m. A fine programme has been prepared, consisting of an address by Rev. Wellington Camp, readings, music by a quartette, solos and a duet. All are cordially invited.

TOOK THREE ORANGES AND IS NOW IN JAIL

Purchasing three oranges, valued at less than seven cents, is the charge on which Michael Costello, aged 30, and a native of Ireland, was arrested shortly before 11 o'clock this morning in No. 3 shed, Sand Point, by C. P. R. Policeman Campbell. He was accused of the late Andrew and arranged before the magistrate, who remanded him until Monday morning. He admits picking up three oranges from a case in the shed, which he asserts was previously opened, and was detected by a bystander, who informed the officer, and his arrest ensued. He has been employed as a longshoreman on the steamers since the beginning of the winter port season, but did not work this morning. He says he was strolling through the shed and saw the case partially opened. The contents were inviting, and casually he paused and took three, continuing to wend his way to his boarding house.

"It's pretty hard luck," was his comment as he was led into jail to pass Sunday.

A SUCCESSFUL BANQUET IN NEW TEMPLE OF HONOR HALL

The citizens' banquet held in the new Temple of Honor Hall, Main street, north end, last night was a most successful affair more than 130 ladies and gentlemen being present. Among the speakers were Mayor Bullock, Deputy Receiver General, George Robertson, Judge Willich, Most Worthy Templar, W. C. Whitaker, Rev. D. Hutchinson and J. King Kelley, Dr. W. F. Roberts presided.

In the course of his remarks Mr. Robertson said that he hoped the time would come when a statue of Sir Leonard Tilley would adorn some of the public squares.

DEATHS

McGUIRE—Sudden, on April 15th, in the General Public Hospital, Annie, eldest daughter of the late Andrew and Margaret McGuire, aged 17 years.

(Boston papers please copy.)

RALSTON—On the 16th inst., at her residence, West St. John, Elizabeth, widow of Capt. John Ralston, aged fifty-one years.

HARGREAVES—On 17th inst., Sarah Ann, relict of James Hargreaves, aged 81 years. Funeral from her late residence, 84 City Road, Monday afternoon, 19th inst. Services 2 p. m.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

Heavy Snow Storm Set in This Morning—Tugs Will Swing Sugar Island Booms on Monday

Fredericton, April 17—(Special)—The weather here turned quite cool last night and the water in the river fell a few inches. There is very little ice in the river today, but there is still considerable piled up along the shores. There is a big jam in the dugway at Springhill but Grand Pass is open. The St. John River Log Driving Company's tugs will start swinging booms at Sugar Island on Monday.

Traffic on the Canada Eastern branch of the Intercolonial is still interrupted, by washouts at McNamee's Siding, but it is hoped to have repairs made in time to allow trains to cross this afternoon. The express from Logville today is reported three hours late.

Quite a heavy snow storm set in here this morning and continued until after one o'clock.

Charles E. Oak, of the Miramichi Lumber Company is here en route to Miramichi to arrange for the season's driving operations.

SEAMAN DROWNED

Angus Chaisson, of Cheticamp, N. B., Washed Overboard from Schr. Pearl Evelyn

(St. John's Nfld., Telegram)

The schooner Pearl Evelyn, Captain Reeves, arrived from Carthage via Albion and Gibraltar at 10.30 yesterday. Her flag was half-masted coming in the Narrows on account of having lost one of the crew, Angus Chaisson, on March 1st, two days after leaving Gibraltar. He was standing on deck near the cabin door at 8 o'clock on the night of March 1st when a big sea struck the ship forward of the main mizzen. As the wave swept at poor Chaisson crouched to avoid it as much as possible. He was thrown on his face, and the waves swept him clean over the rail. His cries for help were heard twice by the crew, but under the circumstances it would be madness to put out a boat, as the schooner was laying to in a big storm under reefed foresail. The unfortunate seaman belonged to Cheticamp, C. B., was 22 years of age and had a mother in Glace Bay. Captain Reeves, whose wife is in Pictou, N. S., was wired this morning to break the news to Mrs. Chaisson.

LOCAL OPTION CAMPAIGN

Good Meeting Held Last Night—The Programme for Sunday

A meeting in the interests of the temperance cause was held in the old Temple of Honor Hall, north end, last night. W. J. Forbes, chairman of the Lorne ward campaign committee was chairman and the speakers were, L. P. D. Talley, Miles E. Agar and Rev. D. Hutchinson.

A mass meeting in the interest of local option will be held in Tabernacle church on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The speaker will be Rev. W. R. Robinson.

There will be a meeting in Zion church after the service Sunday evening.

In St. Luke's Church Sunday evening there will be a mass meeting at which Rev. A. B. Colboe will speak.

BRING OUT THE VOTE

To the Editor of the St. John Times:

Dear Sir—It was with much pleasure that I read the figures in your issue of the 15th inst., showing the result of the plebiscite in Lorne, Lansdowne, Dulces and Victoria wards. The majority at that time in these wards in favor of prohibition was very creditable and of course encouraging to temperance workers. We hope, however, that no one will be so discouraged by the plebiscite vote as to think there is no need of very strenuous effort. Not only in 1888 if the workers did not work day and night, they worked during very long days and put much energy into the cause. Success in any enterprise and especially in a good cause should lead on to renewed effort and not to a decline in zeal. While we feel confident of success, yet to slacken our pace or relax our hold might mean defeat. Satisfied as we may be with the vote in 1888 yet there is a side to it which cannot be deemed satisfactory. Less than half the number of qualified voters took the trouble to vote at that time. Now, what we want and hope for is a larger number of votes, a larger proportion of the voters on the list showing their interest in this contest. Not only a large majority of the votes polled but also a large proportion of the voters on the lists taking a hand in this fight.

It was very kind of one or two papers to print the names of the petitioners. Although it was not thought of at the time the petitions were circulated, and there was no intention on the part of temperance workers to have them published, yet, when they appeared in print they must by the splendid array of names which they contained, have convinced every one of their importance and weight. My only grievance is that in one published list several names including my own, were omitted.

We hope the various temperance meetings tomorrow will be attended and that on Tuesday a large number of ballots will be deposited and a large majority secured for prohibition in the four wards above named.

JAMES CRISP,
(on behalf of the committee for Victoria Ward.)

CHURCH SERVICES

MAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. Mr. Hurlow, of London, England, will be the preacher at the morning service tomorrow at 11 o'clock. Rev. David Hutchinson, at 7 p. m., will tell the people what to do with the saloons. The choir of Portland Methodist church will furnish the music at evening service.

Zion Methodist Church—Pastor, Rev. James Crisp. Men's class meeting at 10 a. m.; morning service at 11, subject, "Hindrances to the Gospel." Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30. Service in the evening at 7, subject "Behazzar, or a Doomed Man." Class meeting Thursday 3 p. m., and unpreaching on Friday evening at 8. Strangers are cordially invited.

On Sunday evening at 8.15 there will be a public temperance meeting under the auspices of the committee for Victoria ward.

At the Victoria street United Baptist church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. B. H. Nobles, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., subject of morning sermon: Some Characteristics of an Ideal Church Membership; evening, Has the Saloon or Tavern Any Right to Exist. Baptism during morning service.

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Our Shirt Section is much busier this season than ever. Why? Because we have given it our most careful attention in selecting styles and patterns which in many cases are exclusive. Our Colored Shirt showing is most interesting to those who appreciate something a little out of the ordinary. Popular soft and pleated fronts in regular styles, also our Patent Coat Model. Perfect fit and Satisfaction assured. The range of patterns is much larger than ever before. All sizes. Prices from 75c. to \$2.

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Full assortment of Natural wool, Union and Balbriggan. All weights, sizes and qualities, Men's Sizes 32 to 50 inch. 40c. per garment up. Boys' Sizes 22 to 32, 30c. per garment up.

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