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ENTHUSIASTIC ADDRESSES AT OPENING OF THE CONVENTION

Attendance Not as Large as Expected—Visitors Welcomed by the Premier—Papers and Speeches of Keen Interest

FREDERICTON, Feb. 20.—The forestry convention assembled here this morning at 10 o'clock. The attendance was not as large as expected. Besides the members of the legislature and the speakers present were Governor Snowball, ex-Governor McClellan and the leading lumbermen of the province.

Governor Snowball in a few brief and appropriate remarks opened the convention and called upon Premier Tweedie. The premier, after welcoming those present, explained the object of the gathering. Legislation has been passed at the last session toward bringing about such a gathering as the present one, as it was thought that the question of forestry protection and its interests were of the highest importance. On this account the government had secured the services of the premier, and he thought that the fullest discussion be given to all subjects. The premier concluded his address with a paper on the history of lumbering in the province. The growth of the exports from the various ports during the past one hundred years was shown. Spruce, which in early times was regarded with little interest, was now our leading export. The province owned 100,000 square miles of timber, and the revenue last year reached \$250,000, besides game licenses, and other sources of revenue.

The premier pointed out how it was of the greatest importance that such a valuable asset should be protected against the possibility of being lost. J. D. Hazen, M. P., leader of the opposition, made an eloquent address of the same nature. He pointed out how the people thought more of destroying the forest in the interest of farming. The time had come now when protection and preservation were necessary, and that all should combine together towards this end. One of the greatest enemies of the forest was the fire, and the greatest necessity was to guard against this. Mr. Hazen pointed out the great value the crown lands were to the province. It possessed over six million acres of lands. Ex-Governor McClellan followed Mr. Hazen, reading a paper describing the forestry of the several countries of the world. New Brunswick had a possession in its forest unequalled by any other country. The premier introduced Eilhu Stewart, president of the Canadian Forestry Association. Mr. Stewart, in his address, pointed out the importance of the invitation extended to him. He said that it was impossible for the premier of Canada to be here etc. Mr. Stewart spoke highly of Governor Snowball and Surveyor General Sweeney in the interest they had taken in forestry. The speaker read a most valuable paper on the general need of forest preservation. It is understood that Mr. Eilhu Stewart, who addressed the forestry convention this morning has resigned his position as president of the Canadian Forestry Association to take effect 1st March. It is said that Mr. Stewart has accepted a position with a large timber concern in the States.

NOTHING DOING. FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 20.—The House met at 10 o'clock and adjourned without doing any business. RUMFORD FALLS, Me., Feb. 19.—Miss Lottie Camp, head waiter at the Hotel Rumford, died tonight of accidental poisoning. She drank a quantity of carbolic acid mistaking it for aromatic spirits of ammonia, which was 24 years old and belonged in New York to which city her body will be taken.

PARIS, Feb. 20.—Following the approval by the chamber of deputies last night of the government's church and state policy, negotiations between M. Desclaux, the prefect of the Seine, and Mgr. Amlette, coadjutor bishop of Paris, regarding the contracts for the leases of the churches were resumed today. The newspapers unanimously recognize the completeness of Education Minister Briand's triumph, but some of the Republican organs are plainly discontented because it entails negotiation with the ecclesiastical authorities. The Moderate and Conservative papers rejoice at the prospect of religious peace, but fear that the solution of the religious question will not clear the way for legislation which will inaugurate social betterment.

MARRIAGES. GILLESPIE-GILLES—At Springfield, K. C., on Feb. 19th, by Rev. Abraham Perry, A. Gillespie to Emilene Gilles, of Springfield, K. C.

TEMPERANCE WORK LIVELY IN MONCTON

One Man Went to Dorchester This Morning.

Liquor Dealers are Too Smart for the Police—Last Night's Campaign Brought No Results

MONCTON, Feb. 20.—With one local liquor dealer taken to Dorchester jail to serve a month, cases laid against three hotels, and the police visiting bars to secure evidence upon which to bring a prosecution, the recently begun Scott Act crusade seems to have gotten well under way. Thaddeus Richard, proprietor of a downtown hotel, was last night arrested on a commitment, which gave him the option of going to jail for a month, or paying a fine of two hundred dollars and costs. He chose the former and was taken to Dorchester this morning.

As a result of evidence given in a Scott Act case against Alfred Hodge, restaurant proprietor, yesterday, summonses this morning were served on three city hotels, the Minto, American and Brunswick. Witnesses in the Hodge case told of securing liquor in these places, and their evidence will be employed to secure conviction against the hotels.

In the police court this morning the Scott Act case against Henry Arsenau, bar tender in a Main street establishment, was before Magistrate Kay, and the accused was placed on his defense after evidence for the prosecution was heard. Defense will be offered. The case was adjourned until Saturday. In the case against Blair LeBlanc will also be heard. The police attribute non-success of their visits to city bars to the fact that as soon as a dealer is visited he immediately telephones all the others that the police are coming, and these places are then closed up. The chief of police said today that nightly visits to bars would be continued in an effort to close them. Last night the police force was divided into detachments and all bar rooms in Moncton visited, but no evidence was secured.

The Moncton hockey team goes to Sackville to play tomorrow night, and the Sackville team will play a return game here Saturday. The Victoria play in Amherst Monday and the Ramblers will be seen here in another match on Thursday. The Montreal and Montreal druggists are circulating a petition to be put before the house of commons asking that the proposed tax on patent medicines be done away with.

MEXICAN MINE VICTIMS ALMOST A HUNDRED Fifty Four Bodies Have Already Been Taken Out of the Pit

LAS ESPERANZAS, Coahuila, Mex., Feb. 19.—The death toll resulting from the gas explosion in the coal mine near here yesterday, will probably approximate one hundred persons. Thus far 39 bodies have been recovered and twelve of the entombed men remain. The mine officials think that about sixty more men are entombed and have already perished. The majority of these are Mexicans but many Japanese are also employed in the works. Rescuing parties are working heroically at a depth of 3,000 feet or more, but their progress is slow.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 20.—A despatch last night from Las Esperanzas mines where the recent disaster occurred says: "At 5:40 p. m. yesterday 54 bodies had been recovered from the mines. Eleven injured are in the hospital, including three Japanese. Many men are still entombed. It is believed that the death toll will total between 75 and 100."

BRIAND'S VICTORY IS GENERALLY RECOGNIZED Negotiations for the Leasing of Churches in France Resumed Today.

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MANITOBA HAS A NEW SENSATION

Story of a Deal Between Government and Church

By Which the Catholic Inspectors Represent the Archbishops and Receive Homage of Pupils—Conditions Made Easy

WINNIPEG, Feb. 20.—An article appeared recently in the *Chronicle* at Boniface, the official organ of Archbishop Langevin, and published under his personal direction, which contained the most astonishing and sensational declaration that a modus vivendi has been arranged between the hierarchy and the Roblin Government on the schools question, which, in the words of His Grace's oracle, "lessens the burden of the preceding regime and under which a Catholic inspector represents the archbishop." The article, in an astonishingly frank way, records a visit of His Grace of St. Boniface to the reputed public school at Notre Dame de Lourdes in the constituency of the Ultra-Protestant minister of public works, on which occasion he put two crucifixes on the wall and received the homage of the pupils. It was here that the modus vivendi was announced and it was stated that it would shortly be greatly extended to "afford relief" to other Catholic communities. This is evidently the price of an alliance with His Grace.

SUFFRAGISTS WERE LET OUT OF JAIL

And Were Today Entertained by Their Admirers.

Sir Charles Dike Introduces His Suffrage Bill Again—Sympathy from American Women

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—When the National Woman's Suffrage Association next meet the society will have a paid membership of 40,000, with many more persons pledged to support its aims. The National Woman's Suffrage Society closed its session here last night. LONDON, Feb. 20.—A dozen women suffragists were released from prison this morning and subsequently were entertained at lunch by their colleagues. Much enthusiasm was aroused by the reading of congratulatory messages from the National American Woman Suffrage Association which closed its convention in Chicago yesterday, and from the Woman's Suffrage League of New York. The text of Sir Charles Dike's bill to enfranchise women and remove woman's disabilities was issued this morning. It provides for enfranchising every man and woman of full age residing in the district where an election, either parliamentary or local, is being held, and one shall be debarred by sex or marriage from being elected to parliament or exercising any political functions whatsoever. It is similar to the bill Sir Charles introduced last year and which was defeated.

WOODSTOCK TOWN OFFICERS APPOINTED

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Feb. 18.—At a meeting of the town council held this evening John A. Lindsay, ex-mayor, was appointed Scott Act Inspector at a salary of \$300 per annum. James Carr was made superintendent of water works and sewers, with a salary of \$500. For this latter job there were four other applicants, John Tattersall, G. Ed. True, J. A. Lindsay and James B. Brewer. The council was unanimously in favor of Carr. Tonight the Fredericton Brass Band gave a concert and dance in the Opera House.

W. B. Nicholson, merchant tailor, left this evening for the west. He will be gone at least six months, and may decide to locate there. His son Donald is in charge of the business here. Councillor Isaiah W. Fisher, wood-working foreman for Small and Fisher, Ltd., has severed his connection with that firm, and formed a concern known as The Fisher Co., Ltd., to go into the wood-working business. The new company has taken a lease of the Albert Hayden factory. Colonel D. McLeod Vince and J. Chipman Hartley left tonight for Ottawa to represent the respondents in the two cases *Leighton vs. State* and *The Carleton Woolen Co. vs. State*, before the supreme court. F. B. Carvell, M. P., will appear for the appellants.

This morning Jacob Rosenthal, a Jew junk dealer, was fined \$40 for purchasing junk from minors, and in default of payment was sent to jail for one month.

The old crippled colored man Cooper, who was found exhausted under a car on the Government wharf Saturday morning, is still in jail, and arrangements are being made for his being sent to the alms house.

MONTREAL EXCITED OVER A SENSATIONAL LEGAL SUIT.

Prominent Merchant, His Wife and Daughter, Sued by Son's Wife for \$53,000 for Alienation of Her Husband's Affections

CANADA'S OLDEST INHABITANT DEAD. Timothy Collins, Aged 111, Passed Away at Montreal.

He Was Old Enough to Vote When the Earthquake of 1819 Took Place—A Remarkable Life.

MONTREAL, Feb. 20.—Canada's oldest inhabitant, Timothy Collins, died this morning at the family residence, Chalmers street. He was 111 years of age, having been born in Cork in 1795. He caught cold early in the winter and it developed into pneumonia. He was in the full possession of his faculties up to the last and before he was taken ill he was as active as most men half his age. He used to walk to mass, a distance of half a mile, every morning up to his last illness. Born in Cork in 1795 the young Irishman came to Montreal in 1815, when the city was still very much in embryo. He was at first employed with the Allan Steamship Company. After a time he took up farm land at St. Columba, Quebec, and through decades worked hard on his farm living plainly but comfortably. He rarely tasted liquor but he smoked his pipe frequently every day. The question of diet never concerned him and he ate whatever his fancy prompted and was a healthy vigorous man.

In Montreal he witnessed the growth of the pioneer town into a city and attended the meetings that presented to the government Montreal's claims for incorporation. The memorable earthquake of November, 1819, when the sky was dark at midday and the heavens were hidden by lurid clouds, was indelibly impressed on him. At three o'clock rumblings and tremblings of the earth awed the people, many of whom fled to the nearest churches to seek, as they thought, the end, there in God's house. The burning of parliament buildings and the big flood of 1849 are other events witnessed by the centenarian. The visit of the Prince of Wales in 1860 is a comparatively recent event to him. He remembers quite well the battle of Waterloo, and when the rebellion of 1837 took place he was a man of middle age.

POLICE COURT. The case against Mrs. Mary Burns for an illegal sale of liquor on Sunday last was resumed this morning. John O'Leary, on whose account the case was adjourned, was on the stand. He said that he laid in two imperial quarts of whiskey on Saturday night to do him over Sunday. He met Grant on Sunday and he was shaky. Night did not take Grant into his house when he first met him because his wife might raise a row. When he did take Grant into the house they had only been there about two minutes and nine seconds and had a couple of drinks. When Grant asked witness to accompany him to Sheffield street Mrs. O'Leary put him out of the house. O'Leary said that he did not get any liquor from Mrs. Burns but had only called on her. The liquor Grant got was in the O'Leary house. "For honor," said O'Leary, "when Grant and me got in the house I got out the big imperial, poured out a daub and says to him get in."

Witness said that the policeman who claimed that he saw a bottle sticking out of a pocket saw three pins for a boat and not a bottle. Besides Grant witness said he met John O'Regan, who was also shaky, and being good hearted, he was going to give him a feed but Mrs. O'Leary would not allow him in her house. O'Leary also stated that he took a bottle down on the wharf and gave some of the fellows a drink out of it. They don't get it on the street but go down the wharf. He would give food and drink to all who wished it. The magistrate said it was no wonder Mrs. O'Leary kept such a gang out of her house. O'Leary—"Well, don't I earn the money for her?" Magistrate—"She would be better earning it herself."

Policeman Marshall testified that he served a subpoena on Mrs. O'Leary who refused to take it yesterday afternoon and informed the policeman that "Mr. Ritchie and Henderson sat there waiting for her"—here the witness was interrupted by the magistrate who said to never mind what the woman said. Sergeant Baxter was then instructed to go to Mrs. O'Leary and request her to attend court and the case was adjourned until eleven o'clock. When the hour for resuming arrived the witness was not produced and Geo. A. Henderson, for the prosecution informed the court that Sergeant Baxter called at O'Leary house and found the dwelling locked up and if Mrs. O'Leary was in the house she did not respond to his summons. Mr. Henderson quoted the law that any person who did not respond to a summons could be brought by a warrant. Mr. O'Leary had informed the court of good reasons why his wife could not attend court. The magistrate in adjourning the case until next Friday morning said that he would gladly give a year of adjournment if Mr. Henderson wished to go thoroughly into the case, and if it happened to be proved that a witness had sworn to evidence that was not the truth a case of perjury would be brought against him. The wharf rats who are looking for a Sunday morning drink would then be a sorrowful lot. The case was here adjourned.

DONALDSON LINER DOCKED THIS MORNING

The Cassandra Brought Out 194 Passengers—Had All Kinds of Weather

The Donaldson liner Cassandra, Capt. John Mitchell, arrived outside the island last night. She docked at Sand Point this morning. She brought out fifty-six second class passengers and 138 steerage. The second cabin passengers were Mr. Andrew Barr, Mrs. Barr, Master Andrew Barr, Mrs. Bobbin, Master Ed. Bobbin, Master John Bobbin, Mr. Herbert S. Bryson, Mr. And. Euston, Mr. Thomas Burns, Mr. Angus Cameron, Mrs. Jos. Chrestopoulos, Mr. Wm. Colquhoun, Mr. Gavin Cullen, Mr. John Cullen, Mr. John Cullen, Mr. Wm. Dewar, Mrs. Dewar, Mr. Wm. Eddington, Mr. Christopher Egan, Mr. Geo. Ewing, Miss Christina Ferguson, Mr. L. H. Gaudry, Mr. Jas. Gibson, Mr. Jas. Govan, Mr. Ben. Gosh, Mr. John Horn, Mr. C. Howatson, Mr. G. Howatson, Mr. Wm. Mackintosh, Mr. James Mackenzie, Mr. Jas. McLeod, Mr. Donald Matheson, Mr. Alex. C. Milne, Mr. Alex. Milne, Miss Bella Reid, Mr. Gus. Simard, Mr. Wm. H. Small, Mrs. Solaway, Miss Celia Solaway, Miss Dora Solaway, Mr. Wm. H. Tasker, Mr. Leonard Thomson, Miss M. Thomson, Mr. Daniel Thorburn, Mr. Geo. F. Hay Walker, Mrs. Wallace, Mr. Jas. Williams.

The Cassandra enjoyed beautiful weather on the first three days out from Glasgow. After that the weather was very rough.

John B. Jones, registrar of births and marriages, received a letter this morning from Mrs. Elizabeth Ordway of Leominster, Mass., requesting the parents' names of Elizabeth Eugene Macrane, who lived at Indiantown during the year of 1883. The registrar has no immediate information and would be glad to hear from any person who could give him any.

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SPORTING MATTERS. CURLING. ST. STEPHEN AFTER CUP. The challenge of St. Stephen for the McLean cup now held by the Thistles has been accepted, and an effort will be made to have the tournament take place on Thursday of next week.

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Wallace.....L. wing.....Stuart In the second game Sackville defeated Dorchester 8 to 5. These teams put up the best article of hockey and the combination work was much better than shown by the league teams.

PLAYED IN NEWFOUNDLAND. CHARLOTTETOWN, Feb. 19.—The Abegweit hockey team leave St. John's Nfld. tomorrow. They defeated the Newfoundlandians in two games 12 to 2, and 6 to 3 and lost one game 3 to 0.

ON THE ALLEYS. BEAVERS AND ELECTRICS TIED. By defeating the Beavers last evening the North Stars are now tied with the Beavers and Electrics in Black's alleys.

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THE RING. MIKE TWIN SH. OLD WIN. If Mike (Twin) Sullivan does not whip Harry Lewis when they meet in Denver next Thursday night, the New England boxing followers will be surprised, for though Lewis is considered in line for the world's light weight championship of the world, they feel that the Cambridge man should win.

SHIPPING. Domestic Ports. HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 19.—Artd, strs Beta, from Jamaica, Turks Island and Bermuda; St. Pierre, from St. Pierre, Miq.

Foreign Ports. PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 19.—Artd, strs Hungarian, Wallace, from Glasgow; Othello, Cox, from Louisa, C. B. Of Beale, str Victoria, for La Have, N. S.

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LOCAL NEWS. Carnival on the Carleton Open Air Rink tonight, Band in attendance.

LOCAL NEWS. The C. P. R. steamer Lake Michigan arrived from Antwerp yesterday afternoon and docked at five o'clock.

LOCAL NEWS. Bankrupt sale. The complete stock of Mrs. J. E. Cox, 308 Brussels street.

LOCAL NEWS. Free lessons in art needle work at the Corticeil Silk Company at Forsters' Hall, 23 Charlotte street.

LOCAL NEWS. The engagement is announced of Miss Roberta Murchie, only daughter of ex-Mayor Frederick M. Murchie.

LOCAL NEWS. There will be a double header in the city hockey league this evening at the Carleton rink.

LOCAL NEWS. At the first meeting of the new board of management of the Seaman's Institute held yesterday afternoon.

LOCAL NEWS. In St. Luke's church at a quarter to eight o'clock tonight Miss H. D. McKim, who has been residing in the St. Missionary hospital at Ipswich, P.E.I.

LOCAL NEWS. Mr. Gorbell manager of the Seaman's Institute wishes to acknowledge a donation of thirty dollars from Capt. J. B. Forster of the Empress of Ireland.

LOCAL NEWS. White ware sale at People's Department store, 142 Mill street, Ladies fine cotton lace insertings, table covers.

LOCAL NEWS. West Indian liner Olenda sailed this morning from Bermuda for St. Kitts, St. John's, and Antigua.

LOCAL NEWS. Shepherd Mayes, of Manchester, Eng. bugler belonging to the crew of the S. S. Empress of Ireland fell down the hold of the vessel yesterday afternoon.

LOCAL NEWS. Men who are looking for genuine values in new spring shirts, in soft and stiff bosom, latest spring patterns.

LOCAL NEWS. Tonight the first of the public temperance meetings under the auspices of the temperance and moral reform committee of the United Methodist Churches of the city.

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Look Below for Prices: Handsome Dining Chairs, Quartered Oak, Piano Polished Leather Seats, etc., per set—five chairs and arm chair—now.....\$48.50

Let Us Furnish Your Home! We will be glad to see you come in and inspect our vast stock of Furniture, Carpets, Etc., any time.

AMLAND BROS., Ltd., Furniture and Carpet Dealers, 19 Waterloo Street.

AMUSEMENTS. OPERA HOUSE. 1,000 seats at ten cents. Annual engagement of JERE McAULIFFE.

EVERYBODY IS GOING. Tomorrow night's sports in Victoria Rink under the management of the big, good-natured guardians of the peace.

BRISTON, N. B., Feb. 19.—Word has been received of the death of James N. Farley, at Fortuna, California.

OPERA HOUSE. RETURN OF THE FAVORITES. The W. S. Harkins Co. IN CHANGE OF BILL NIGHTLY, STARTING, TUESDAY, FEB. 24.

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There is only one "Bromo Quinine" That is Laxative Bromo Quinine. No Herules. Customer—Don't you care what's in it? Clerk—Well, no. That is, I never tried it.



PATERSON'S COUGH DROPS. PIXIE. Those who buy once buy it again. MADE BY NEW BRUNSWICK CIGAR CO., 507 MAIN ST.

Store closes evenings at 6 p.m. Saturdays at 11 p.m.
UNION CLOTHING CO.
26-28 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B.
Old Y. M. C. A. Building. ALEX. CORBET, Mgr.

All New, soft and stiff Bosom Spring Shirts.
OUR SHIRTS are all new, fresh, up-to-date Spring stock. We carry nothing but reliable goods—goods that we can thoroughly depend upon and recommend to our numerous patrons. You will find in our new spring stock of **Soft and Stiff Bosom Shirts** all that you are looking for—in fact, many new things that you have never seen before. We have them in all the prevailing styles, and, like our Clothing, our Shirts are "Cut to Fit."
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UNION CLOTHING CO.
SUPPRESSED STORY OF RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

Pitiful Tale of Incapacity and Disobedience is Disclosed by the Secret History of General Kuropatkin—Officers and Men Are Inefficient.

General Kuropatkin's history of the failure of the war with Russia finally has come into the hands of persons in St. Petersburg outside the circle of censors.
Kuropatkin's reasons for the failure of the war are based chiefly on a comparison of the warlike spirit of the Japanese; their preparedness and valor, which, he says, had never been seen in any previous war, and their ability to maintain the numerical superiority necessary to assume the offensive, with the disadvantages of Russia, owing to the inadequacy of the single-track railway from Europe, with the commanding officers displaying orders and in a hopeless state of confusion and cross-purposes, with a low state of morals and confidence among the troops and continuous news from home of international troubles and of insults and reproaches against the army, the fight against odds was terrible.
The general closes his survey of the cause of the defeat of the Russians with the pathetic reflection that if Russia had been unanimous in making the sacrifices necessary to safeguard her dignity and integrity the "valiant Russian army would have striven till the foe was subdued."
After tracing the events down to the end of May, Kuropatkin admits that had Gen. Kuroki grasped a critical position on the Russian east front, which "fortunately for us he did not, he could have seized Liao-Yang as early as the beginning of June."
Gen. Baidlering's tactics at Liao-Yang are severely criticized. Gen. Orloff's force of 12,000 men simply bottled from the field in wild disorder, with the result that a splendid position was lost. What was lacking throughout the fighting at Liao-Yang, Kuropatkin says, was "greater effort on the part of the troops and more capable handling on the part of their leaders."
The dangers and disadvantages of the retreat from Liao-Yang to Mukden are pointed out. When the troops got among the high hills they lost their heads and were unable to handle the war from the pen of the commander-in-chief and for the merciless criticism of the men and measures which in Kuropatkin's estimate, swept Russia and its army to inevitable defeat. The work consists of three bulky volumes, respectively devoted to the three crucial events of the war, the battle of Liao-Yang, the battle of the Sha river and the battle of Mukden. The voluminous general orders, statistics, reports and other documentary matters have been collected by Col. Bolshovonov of the general staff. These with the "conclusions" which have been formulated, constitute most amazing revelations of disorganization and incapacity and of the general staff, notably Gen. Kaulbars, against whom a formidable indictment is framed, saddling upon his shoulders practically the entire responsibility for the crushing defeat at Mukden.
The Mukden volume opens with a sketch of the early events of the war, showing that there were divided counsels from the outset over the defence of Port Arthur. In February, 1904, Kuropatkin presented two memoranda to the emperor concerning the plan of operations. In the first he wrote:
"During the earlier period of the campaign our chief task must be, not to permit our troops to be beaten in detail, but to gradually strengthen them and prepare ourselves for the necessary for an uninterrupted advance during a comparatively long time."
On the margin of this memorandum the emperor wrote the laconic comment, "Just so."
Kuropatkin goes on to show how his efforts to realize this programme were checked in numerous ways by the deficiency of the army and the lack of transport and artillery horses, dwelling upon the details given in order to show the utter inadequacy of the Manchurian army to cope with the situation. Indeed, after tracing the events down to the end of May, Kuropatkin admits that had General Kuroki grasped a critical position on the Russian east front, which "fortunately for us he did not, he could have seized Liao-Yang as early as the beginning of June."
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TO LET—Cottage No. 33 North side of Paddock street, St. John. May be seen Wednesday and Thursday 3 to 5. W. M. JARVIS. 12-2-6
TO LET—Flat 8 rooms, 15 Brindley St. Rent \$100. Seen Tuesday, Thursday, Apply 149 Waterloo St. 12-2-6
TO LET—My new house, 188 Brindley street. Has four flats. Three are rented, one is not. Who wants it? 7 rooms and patent closet. Separate entrance. A. E. HAMILTON, Contractor. Phone 1628. 12-2-6
SHOP TO LET—At 109 Main street. Enquire J. E. COWAN, 99 Main street. 12-2-6
FLAT TO LET—Corner Main and Douglas Avenue. Enquire DIR. W. F. ROBERTS. 12-2-6
TO RENT—Two houses to rent. No. 8 and 8 Charles street. Apply MRS. GILLIS, 109 Union St. 12-2-6
SHOP FOR SALE OR TO LET—Small freehold property, 230 Prince William street. G. S. FISHER & CO. 12-2-6
TO LET—At 23 Paddock street, from May 1st, upper flat—ten rooms—bath room, hot and cold water. Can be seen Wednesday and Friday, 2.30 to 5.30 p. m. Enquire of S. M. WETMORE, Ferry Building, Water street. 12-2-6
TO LET—AT MARKET SQUARE—Store at present occupied by W. H. Johnson Co., Ltd., from May 1st. Apply to S. M. WETMORE, Ferry Building, Water street. 12-2-6
TO LET—FIN 19 Elliott Row, at present occupied by Mrs. W. H. Nasse, eight rooms, electric lighting, hot water heating. Seen Wednesday afternoon. Apply JAS. MCCARTHY, 21 Elliott Row. 12-2-6
TO LET—At 106 Waterloo street, lower flat, hot and cold water, patent closet. Seen Tuesday and Thursday, 3 to 5. Enquire M. G. ADAMS, 164 Sydney street. 12-2-6
TO LET—Upper flat house, 87 High St. Seen Tuesday and Thursday at 10. Enquire MRS. E. ELLIOTT. 12-2-6
TO LET—On Whipple street, two flats in house near Seaside Park. Upper flat \$5.00 a month; lower flat \$5.00. Also barn to let. THE CHRISTIE WOOD WORKING CO., LTD. 12-2-6
TO LET—Three flats and shop on the corner of St. James and Charlotte streets. Flats can be seen on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. Apply to DANIEL MULLIN, Fugatey Building. 12-2-6
TO LET—Three flats to let, one in rear and two in front of 17 St. Paul street. Apply to MRS. E. STEELE on premises. 12-2-6
TO LET—Self-contained flat, five rooms with bath, hot and cold water, hot water heating. Can be seen Monday, Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Apply at 99 Wright street. 12-2-6
TO LET—Lower flat of house, 169 Waterloo street, corner Castle, containing six rooms, patent closet, etc. Rent \$10. Seen Tuesday and Friday. Apply to MRS. HUNT, 41 Paddock street, or Henderson and Hunt. 12-2-6
TO LET—ON ERIN STREET from 1st of May, a flat of ten rooms at 45 Erin street. Can be seen Tuesday and Thursday, from 10 to 5. Used for boarding house for two years. Also two flats at 45 Erin street, six rooms each. Apply to JAS. MACDONALD, 65 Elliott Row. 12-2-6
TO LET, at Crouchville, that pleasant and conveniently situated cottage (second house from Kane's corner), owned by J. H. Magee and occupied for some years by the Rev. H. D. Marr. Nine rooms and clothes closet. Stable and barn privilege. Rent moderate. Apply to RICHARD G. MAGEE or F. W. BISHOP. 12-2-6
SHOP TO LET—Enquire at 350 Union street. 12-2-6
TO LET—Shop, No. 57, Main street, lately occupied by R. E. Coupe. For particulars apply to F. J. LYNCH, 141 Paradise Row. 12-2-6
TO LET—Flat of nine rooms, modern improvements. Inquire at 79 Hazlet street. R. B. HOLMES. 12-2-6
TO LET—May 1st, cottage, corner of Sealey and Spruce streets, near Horticultural Garden gate. New plumbing. Apply G. ERNEST FAIRWELCH, 34 Germain street. 12-2-6
TO LET—Some self-contained flats from seven to six rooms, with modern improvements. Apply to WILLIAM HUMPHREYS, 115 St. James street. 12-2-6
TO LET—Two small self-contained houses, 321 Haymarket Square. 12-2-6
STORES TO LET—Large well lighted stores, 53 and 55 Germain street, with or without floors above and large basement. G. FRED FISHER. 12-2-6
TO LET—Two flats corner St. James and Carmarthen streets. Apply to MRS. FOSTER, 240 Prince William street. 12-2-6
TO LET—Large barn in rear 210 Waterloo street, formerly occupied by Sands Express. J. E. WILSON, 11 Sydney, 12-2-6

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

PRIVATE SALE—Household Furniture consisting of Hallett and Davis Square Piano, Large Cabinet Organ, Rialto Top, Old Mahogany Furniture, etc. Apply 149 Waterloo St. 12-2-6
FOR SALE—At Duval's Umbrella Shop, self-opening Umbrellas, etc. up ordinary. 50c up. L. S. Cane. We use no other in our chair-seating. Parlor Seats, shaped square, Light, Dark, Umbrella recovering and repairing. 17 Waterloo street. 12-2-6
FOR SALE—That desirable property known as Ashcroft, containing 5 acres of land with large dwelling, barn and orchard. Situated near upper corner Sussex. Address H. WHITESIDE, 105 Burgoe Ave. 12-2-6
FOR SALE—Freehold property on east end of Sheffield street. For terms apply MISS MARGARET McMANUS, 161 Brittain street, St. John, N. B. 12-2-6
FOR SALE—A double house, 19 St. Andrew's street. Apply on the premises. 12-2-6
SPEEDY SALMON BOAT FOR SALE—That remarkably speedy salmon boat, built to the order of F. G. Spencer, last spring. A strong, roomy, and slippery craft, with specially made sails. Only one season old. Present owner is leaving city. Apply "SALMON BOAT" Star Office. 21-1-6
FOR SALE—About twenty new and second-hand delivery wagons, 2 different styles, ready for use, glass front coach, new trimmings, well painted, a first class coach very cheap; also three sundrider carriages; best places in the city for painting and greatest facilities for carriage repairing. A. G. EDGEBY, COMB, 115 1/2 City Road. 12-2-6
GASOLINE ENGINES—The Toronto Gas & Gasoline Engine Company, having consolidated with The Dominion Engine Company, of Charlottetown, makers of the Defence Marine Engines, and now known under the new name of The Canadian Gas & Launches, Ltd., are in a position to fill orders for stationary, portable and marine engines. Stationary engines for dough, laundry, wood working, grain grinding, threshing and other uses. Parties wishing to purchase a Marine Engine will please call and inspect our stock. Also adapted for salt water, at 67 Water street, St. John, N. B.—CANADIAN GAS POWERS & LAUNCHES, LIMITED. 12-2-6

HOUSEHOLD HELP WANTED.

GENERAL GIRLS, Cooks and Housemaids can always get the best places and highest pay. Apply at MISS HANSON'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 153 Charlotte street.
WANTED—Maid for general housework, small family. Apply to MRS. GEO. L. WARREN, 234 Princess St. 12-2-6
WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 67 Sewell street. 12-2-6
WANTED—Cook and waitress for restaurant, to go home at night. Also general girl. Apply MISS HANSON, Employment Agency, 153 Charlotte St. 12-2-6
WANTED—Competent girl who understands plain cooking. Small family. Apply MRS. SAYER, 36 Colburn street. 12-2-6
WANTED—Housemaids, cooks and general girls. Highest wages. MISS H. A. PROSS, 115 Charlotte street. 12-2-6
WANTED—At once, a kitchen girl. Apply at the NEW VICTORIA HOTEL. 12-2-6
WANTED—A capable girl for general housework. Apply 221 Germain street. 12-2-6
WANTED—Girls to sew by hand. Good wages paid. Steady work. Apply at once, J. SHANE & CO., 71 Germain street. 12-2-6
WANTED—Young girl for housework. Apply MRS. CARLYLE, 45 Horsfield street. 12-2-6
WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. R. T. LEAVITT, 52 Queen street. 23-1-6
GIRL WANTED—A capable girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. D. MAGEE, 144 Elliott Row. 12-1-6

MEN AND BOYS WANTED.

WANTED—A thorough dry goods man, one capable of taking charge of dry goods store. Address M. Star Office, stating salary. 12-2-6
WANTED—An advertiser, window dresser and sign maker. Address M. Star Office, stating salary. 12-2-6
WANTED—Young man having two or three years' experience at type setting. Apply SUN PRINTING CO., LTD. 12-2-6
WANTED—Salesman. Competent salesman for our publications, through the provinces. 131 Prince Wm. St. 12-2-6
WANTED—Boy wanted to work around saloon and take care of driving horse. Apply between 12 and 1, 725 Main street. M. A. HARDING. 12-2-6
WANTED—Two iron moulders, and two men to work around machine shop and foundry. Must be strictly temperate, and come well recommended. THOMPSON MFG. CO., Grand Bay, N. B. 12-2-6
WANTED—A steady, experienced fireman, also workman at Furniture Works, Crouville. Apply to Super. 5-2-6
WANTED—A man with good business experience, wants a partnership in an established manufacturing or wholesale business. Can furnish capital. Apply to "PARTNER," P. O. Box 17, Saint John, N. B. 2-11-6

TO LET.

REAL ESTATE—Flats to let, Ring 1643, J. W. MORRISON, Ritchie Building, 59 Princess street. 6-2-3m
TO LET—Flat 95 Elliott Row. Hot water heating and modern improvements. Also 101, 102 and 103, modern improvements, hot water heating if required. Seen Tuesday and Friday. Apply to MISS DEAN, Garden street. 12-2-6
TO LET—Corner Wentworth and Britain streets, flat of seven rooms. Patent closet. Enquire J. V. ROSS, 159 Leinster street. 12-2-6
TO LET—From May 1st, self-contained flat No. 57, Duke street, now occupied by P. G. Hall, containing 8 rooms and bath room, hot and cold water. Electric light and gas. Can be seen Monday and Friday afternoons. Apply C. E. HARDING, Tel. 549. 12-2-6
TO LET—Dwelling corner of Waterloo and Paddock streets, over store, owned by M. J. Siney. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons, 3 to 5 o'clock. For particulars inquire of W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD. 115-1/2 City Road. 12-2-6
TO LET—Comfortable, sunny flat, 124 Queen street. Modern improvements. Seen Monday and Tuesday afternoon. 12-2-6
TO LET—At 310 Princess street, lower flat containing 6 rooms. Can be seen Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 3 to 6. Apply on premises, JAMES J. POWERS. 12-2-6
TO LET—ON Union street, Flat 343 Union street, 8 rooms, 2 large halls, all modern improvements. Open to spectators every day. Apply C. BRADGER & SONS, 145 Mill street. 12-2-6
TO LET—Two upper flats at 133 Douglas Avenue. All modern improvements. Seen afternoons. Apply to A. D. G. Vanwart, on premises. 12-2-6

BAR OF MUSIC V. BAR OF SOAP.

(Harper's Weekly.)
The leader of the orchestra at a Cleveland theatre was recently visited by a seedy-looking individual who asked for employment as a violinist.
"Well, see what you can do," said the leader, "here is a violin. I will accompany you on the piano."
The seedy-looking person took his seat beside the leader, and he began to play. After the first few bars had been played, the caller rasped his bow across the strings, stopped, leaned forward, looked at his composition, and shook his head. "Sharps?" he said. "Sharps? I never play in sharps."
Whereupon the leader took from him the violin, which he replaced in its case, remarking:
"My friend, what you need is a job as a night-watchman in a soap factory."
"Will you get it for me?" eagerly asked the caller.

Wanted at Once

Position as Housekeeper.
Position as Governess to Children.
Position as Companion, City or Country.
Position as Pianist or Clerk in Music Store.
Position as Stenographer.
Position as Asst. Bookkeeper.
Position as Greasy Clerk.
Apply at McRAE'S Employment Bureau, 74 King St., St. John, N. B. 23-1-6
D. J. McRAE, Prop.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

BOARDING AND ROOMS—MRS. SHANKS, 156 King St., East. 12-2-6
TO LET—Furnished rooms at Tremont, suitable for light housekeeping, at very moderate rates. 23-1-6
To cure Headache in ten minutes use Kumfort Headache Powders, 10 cents.
The case against Amelia Francis, charged with selling beer, was concluded in the police court yesterday afternoon, a fine of \$20 being imposed against her. The charge as first laid was for selling liquor, but it was changed to one of selling beer. Amelia was put on the witness stand and admitted having sold Pilsener beer in her premises on Sheffield street. There was no other business before the court in the afternoon.

For February... THE

Greatest Reductions

EVER OFFERED IN ST. JOHN ON
Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.
George E. Smith, 18 King St.
Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.

Furs, Furs, -Bargains in Furs

Money back has been our motto, if better values can be procured, quality considered. No come back yet.
BARKLEY, the Hatter, 179 Union St. Phone 409E
Your old hat blocked to look like new.

FISH FOR LENT

Haddock, Halibut, Salmon, Mackerel, Smelt, Herring, Cod, Cod-Steak, Flounders, Caspescure, Smoked and Salt Fish of all kinds.
THE GLEAM STORE
SMITH'S FISH MARKET
TELEPHONE 1704. 25 SYDNEY ST.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS IN GENERAL.

MUSICIANS WANTED—Have good positions for barbers, painter and paper-hangers, machinists, carpenters and clerks, who will locate here and assist hand on cornet, clarinet, slide trombone or drums. Address H. E. LONG-FELLOW, Sec. Rumford Falls, Maine.
HAVE YOUR PAPERING, PAINTING AND WHITENING done early. I am booking orders for spring work already. Very moderate prices. F. W. EDDLESTON, 33 Sydney street, Home, 10 Market Square. Telephone 1611.
WANTED—WILL BUY two or three second hand slate mantels in good condition, with register grate. Apply to J. Harvey Brown, telephons 454 or 1872. 12-2-6
FURNITURE REPAIRED AND MADE TO LOOK LIKE NEW at McGrath's Toy and Furniture store, 156 Brussels street, near Wilson's Foundry. Prices right. Articles sent for and delivered. We also buy any household articles. 12-2-6
WANTED—Parties having old mahogany furniture to sell. Address FURNITURE, care of the Star Office. 12-2-6
POSTAL CARDS—Twelve Beautiful Souvenir Cards, 15c.; 12 comics, 10c. NATIONAL ART CARD CO., Toronto. 12-2-6
WM. L. WILLIAMS, SUCCESSOR to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 PRINCE WM. ST. Established 1870. Write for family price list.
GEO. ATKINS, Piano and Organ tuner, 126 Germain street. Special attention paid to restoring Pianos and Organs to their original tone.
MURRAY & GREGORY, LTD., St. John, N. B., manufacturers of everything in wood that enters into the construction of a house. Cut the trees in the forest and deliver the finished product to the consumer. 8-2-3m
JAMES G. McGOVERN, Agent, No. 5 Mill street, sells coal, good coal, hard and soft, and delivers promptly. Tel. 4-2-1.
ST. JOHN FUEL CO. can give you cheaper dry wood than any other fuel company in St. John. We also keep in stock the celebrated Springfield Coal, especially adapted for cooking stoves, and also both Scotch and American Hard Coal. Prompt delivery with our own teams. Telephone 1594. 5 July-1-yr.

FLATS AND HOUSES WANTED.

WANTED—Upper flat of 5 or 6 rooms, modern improvements, for family of three adults. State location and price. Address FLAT, care Star Office. 4-2-1.
WANTED—On May 1st, a heated flat of seven or eight rooms, in central location. Address GEORGE W., care Star Office. 4-2-1.

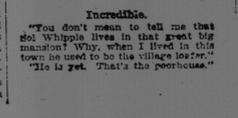
ARTICLES LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Locket at Victoria Rink Feb. 16, Saturday afternoon. The person that was seen picking it up please leave it at the office Victoria Rink. Will be rewarded. 12-2-6
A. FITZGERALD, 25 Dock street, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired. Also a full line of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Rubber Heels attached, 35c.
F. C. Wesley Co., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 59 Water street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 882.
E. LAW, Watchmaker, 3 Colburn St. 4-2-1.
J. D. McAVITY, dealer in hard and soft soles. Delivered promptly in the city. 29 Brussels street.

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for your STAR Want Ads. to be productive of more results by wording your advertisement properly. For instance, in renting rooms the answers will be better and more numerous if you tell the size, price, direction, locality, accessible car lines, etc., than if you merely give the street address. Tell the whole story, and readers will be interested. Think before you write. Word your ad. carefully.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Seaman's Mission met yesterday afternoon and completed arrangements for the decorations and other matters connected with the grand banquet to be held at the Chapman House on Thursday, the twenty-eighth instant. The tickets for the function will be limited in number and are being disposed of rapidly.



Incredible.
"You don't mean to tell me that old Whipple lives in that great big mansion? Why, when I lived in that town he used to be the village loser."
"Is it yet. That's the peculiar."

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B. WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1907.

Lustre-ite Nail Enamel!

A most brilliant polish for the finger nails.

Pasta Mack, for the Bath

AT THE ROYAL PHARMACY,

King Street.

WHY? Butternut Bread

IN PREFERENCE TO Ordinary Bread? BECAUSE IT COSTS MORE TO MAKE...

ROBINSON'S, 173 Union Street, - Phone 1161.

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Of every description attended to promptly by A. E. HAMILTON, Contractor and Builder.

Buy Your Coal From THE GARSON COAL CO.

Best quality, good weight, and satisfactory delivery, lowest prices.

WOOD - When you are thinking of Wood - Hard, Soft or Kindling - call up 468.

City Fuel Co., City Road.

SLEIGH DRIVES!

My Big Comfortable Sleigh, "New Victoria," is now ready for engagements.

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The West St. John Office of St. John STAR

E. R. W. INGRAHAM'S, DRUGGIST, 127 UNION STREET

Advertisements and Subscriptions left there will receive careful attention

THE CONVENTION.

The programme prepared for the forestry convention which opened at Fredericton today is one which beyond doubt will produce excellent results.

THE DIFFERENCE.

"Say, paw, what does it mean to live to a ripe old age?" "When a rich man gets to be eighty, my son, he is a ripe old age. A poor man is merely old and decrepit."

A SUGGESTION.

The small boy entered the shoe store and appeared to be bewildered. "What will you have, my son?" asked the clerk.

THE MONUMENT.

Premier Tweedie after the better terms conference, announced that a large portion of the increased subsidy for New Brunswick would be expended on education.

THE PRESIDENT ENGAGES A NEW YORK ARTIST TO PREPARE THEM.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—By order of the President the designs of the gold coins now in use are inartistic, and are changed some time during the coming year.

NEW DESIGNS OF GOLD COINS

Under the law the President has a good deal of prescribing just what figures or emblems shall appear on specie money.

Frequent Coughing

is the worst thing for your cough. Every time you are forced to cough the irritation in the bronchial tubes grows worse.

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL BALM

tends to soothe and heal the sore spots. We have been making it for years, the recipe being the result of careful study and experiments.

E. CLINTON BROWN, THE DRUGGIST

Cor. Union and Waterloo Sts., Phone 1008.

MISS FRANKLYN GALE, Studio of Dramatic Art

McLAUGHLIN BUILDING, 140 Union St.

IF YOU WED IN KANSAS PLEASE DON'T LAUGH

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 19.—Brides should not laugh while a marriage is being performed in Kansas.

Tiger Tea is Pure.

BIRTHS. PATTERSON.—In this city on the 19th inst., to the wife of F. R. Patterson, a son.

DEATHS.

BAXTER.—In this city on Feb. 18th, James J. Baxter, eldest son of Joseph and Margaret Baxter, leaving a father, mother, two sisters and one brother to mourn their loss.

DIVAL.—At Levis, Quebec, on Feb. 18th, E. H. Duval, formerly of St. John, leaving three daughters and three sons to mourn their loss.

WRIGHT.—At his home, Pleasant Point, on Tuesday, Feb. 19th, John M. Wright, aged 69 years and 9 months, leaving a widow, three sons and four daughters to mourn the loss of a kind husband and father.

Destroys Hair Germs

Falling hair is caused by germs at the roots of the hair. Dandruff is caused by germs on the scalp.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

NEW IMPROVED FORMULA quickly destroys all these germs, keeps the scalp clean and healthy, stops falling hair.

The New Kind

Does not change the color of the hair

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CIVIC OWNERSHIP INJURES LONDON

Socialistic Experiments Driving Her Into Penury

Decline in Value of City's Bonds—Striking Examples of Work of the Progressists.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The campaign against the municipal socialist party, which controls the administration of London gains strength as the election approaches. Last week's meeting of the county council was one of the stormiest in its history, and it developed fresh revelations of inefficiency and extravagance.

There was one interesting little object lesson in municipal ownership connected with the council's meeting. The council decided, some time ago, when bricks cost \$6 a thousand, to make its own, and did so. The M. O. bricks cost \$10 a thousand, and it turns out that only 16 per cent. of the bricks were any good. The net loss to London taxpayers by this experiment was \$18,000.

One of the defenders of the council-made brick was embarrassed by the specimen breaking in his hands while he was defending its quality.

DISCOVER M. O. SPELLS RUIN. Champions of the municipal railways have been confounded by the fact, which has just transpired, that the council is in a dispute with the income tax commissioner over the tax claimed on tramway profits. The council argues to the public that the tramways earned a small surplus. They object to pay the same tax as other property.

There was a striking example this week of the ultimate effects of the experiments in municipal ownership in the temporary insolvency of the Woolwich Local Council, which was obliged to seek an overdraft at the bank amounting to \$25,000. Owing to losses on the municipal electric lighting scheme the rate of taxation must be raised to 12 per cent. this year in order to meet the deficiency. The indirect effect of county council extravagance was shown at the annual meetings of the principal London banks this week. The London and County Bank, National, and the Provincial Bank were each obliged to write off a quarter of a million dollars from the year's profits owing to the decline in the value of London bonds on account of damage to the city's credit by the council's extravagance. This necessitated a suspension of the custom of distributing a portion of the profits among the staffs.

DISGUST TAKES STRONG HOLD. There is some revulsion against the present control of London even among the prominent sympathizers with the liberal policy. H. Vivian, who is closely identified with the working class and a strong Liberal, made an emphatic protest in the House of Commons on Tuesday against the effect of county council extravagance on the value of the municipal securities. Vivian is interested in the co-operative movement and has no faith in national or municipal ownership.

"It means," he said, "a decrease in production and an enormous increase in administrative expenses, and a lower standard in the services. In the long run the loss will fall on the poor."

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FLIRTS MUST PAY FINES DURING LENT

Waterbury Club Will Also Assess Its Members for Lying and Swearing.

WATERBURY, Conn., Feb. 19.—Forty young men in this city have formed a Lenten Club to enforce piety for the next forty days. They will meet on Sunday and Tuesday evenings.

Court will be held, with a presiding judge, James Kelly, whose associates are William Cronin and Patrick Kelly. For every conviction for flirting, blasphemy or lying the fine is five cents, which goes into the club's treasury. William Dunphy is president of the club and William McGuinness secretary.

It was not because the youths were not leading righteous lives that the moral club came into existence; it was a voluntary effort on the part of the young men, who believe that their example will be followed by many others. Their court sessions promise to be very interesting. Any member of the moralists may bring charges against a fellow member if he has good testimony to substantiate his charges. The organization of the club is said to be the result of some pointed sermons on morality by Catholic clergymen. The girls some time ago organized a White Lily Club, the influence for good of which has had a salutary effect on some of the young men whose sweethearts belong to the organization.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The scanty opening dealings in stocks and the small price changes increased a very sluggish interest in the market. Small fractional declines or unchanged quotations from last night, were about equally divided. Illinois Central and Anaconda fell a point.

PINCHOT'S POLICY HARSHLY CRITICIZED

United States Senators Find Fault With the Administration of the Forestry Department.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—There was in the senate today a chorus of fault finding with the Department of Agriculture's Bureau of Forestry, which rehearsed all sorts of evils. The proceedings halted last week when objection was made to increasing the salary of Gifford Pinchot, chief forester, and a warm personal friend of the President. That point came up today, and although more than five hours were spent in discussing the Forestry Bureau and its policy, the net result was that the proposed increase was agreed to.

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C. W. MORSE BUYS PORTO RICO LINES

Another Link Strengthens His Command of the Coastwise Trade—Deal Made Saturday.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Charles W. Morse bought the New York & Porto Rico Steamship Line on Saturday just before sailing on the Ward liner Havana for Cuba.

The purchase gives to Mr. Morse practical command of the coastwise shipping trade. The Old Dominion and Southern Pacific are the only lines he has not now under control. The New York & Porto Rico line has a fleet of five steamships plying between New Orleans and Porto Rico. What Mr. Morse paid for his latest acquisition is not yet known.

It was learned Sunday, however, that the price paid for the Mallory Line, bought by Mr. Morse last November, was \$7,000,000. For the Ward Line, which he bought on Feb. 13, he paid \$5,000,000. The net earnings of the two lines for the last year indicate that the purchase price in each case is on a basis of about 10 per cent.

Besides the five steamships plying between New York and Porto Rico, and the two ships between New Orleans and Porto Rico, the newest Morse company maintains two small steamships for the Porto Rico island trade. The largest vessel in the fleet is the Carolina, 3,100 tons, and length 494 feet. The other ships are the Coamo, 5,000 tons and 338 feet long; the Ponce, 3,500 tons and 335 feet; the Sa Juan, 3,500 tons and 335 feet; and the Santurce, 3,000 tons and 255 feet over all. They sail from the Battery and make the trip to Porto Rico, a distance of 1,380 miles, in from four to five days.

Mr. Morse has for years controlled the Hudson Navigation Company operating on the Hudson river. Beside these he now controls the Clyde Line, with a fleet of twenty-two ships; the Ward Line with a fleet of eighteen ships; the Mallory Line, eleven ships, all in the southern coastwise trade; the Metropolitan Steamship Company, with a fleet of four ships, trading between this city and Boston; the Maine Steamship Company with fifteen ships; the total capitalization of all the steamship properties held or controlled by Mr. Morse is in the neighborhood of \$80,000,000.

Mr. Morse has been interested in the New England steamship trade for years. About a year ago he began to extend his lines to the south. He first purchased the Clyde Line, then obtained control of the Mallory Line. The other companies he obtained afterward.

Mr. Morse has now completed what is practically a monopoly of the Atlantic and Gulf shipping and has hereby put himself in a strategical position which by virtue of the Interstate Commerce Commission's rate-fixing power, must be looked upon with envy by his competitors for the hauling of slow freight on land.

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EMBEZZLER WALKER THE VICTIM OF SHARPS

Missing Cashier Taken in by Disreputable New York Brokers.

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Feb. 20.—That Wm. F. Walker, defaulting treasurer of the Savings Bank of New Britain, was a victim of all kinds of sharpshooters and disreputable brokers, is asserted in a statement made public today by bank officials. It was denied that \$18,000 of the bank securities had been located, although a few had been traced.

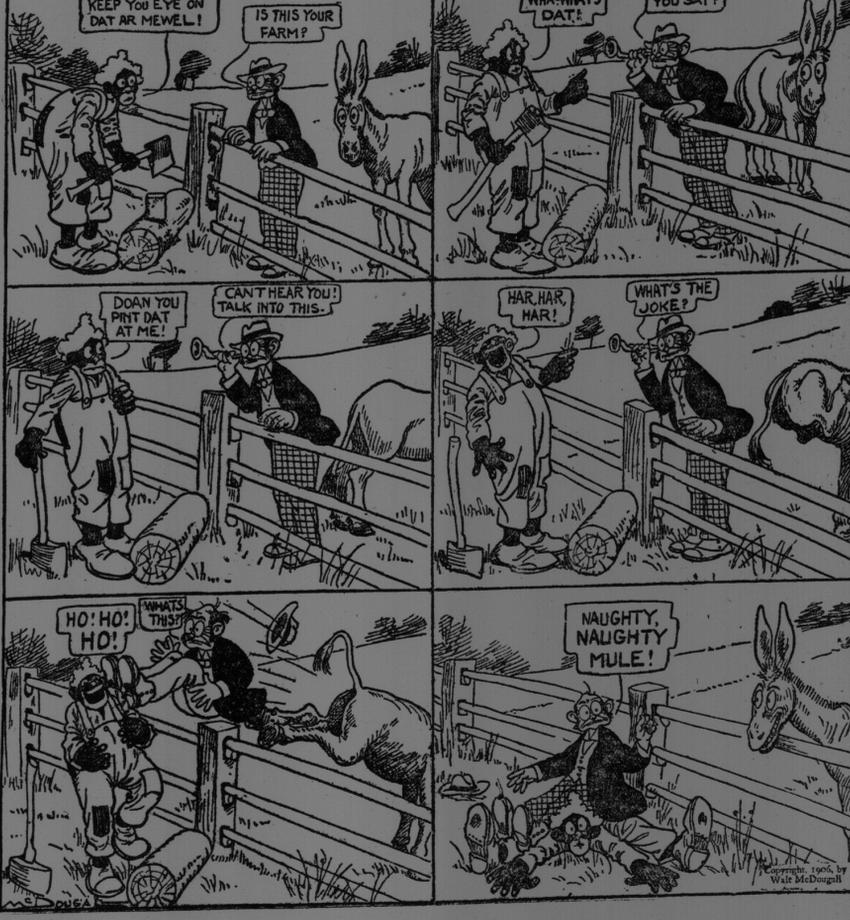
"Walker was in all kinds of wild speculation and associated with a lot of sharpers," said one of the officials. "We followed no clues that led to this day. He dealt in Wall Street through disreputable brokers and was caught in many other ways."

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MR. MAKEPEACE—HE DIDN'T SEE THE MULE NOR THE JOKE!



PUGSLEY AND HAZEN CLASH

Increased Aid to Fraternal Ry. Sharply Debated

Attorney General Strongly Supports Government's Action—Petition to Change St. John Election System

FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 19.—The house met at three o'clock. Hon. Mr. Tweedie presented the report of the inspector of factories.

Hon. Mr. Farris presented the report of the committee on the petition of the Union of Municipalities, which had asked for copies of all bills presented to the house, and that I had ordered the clerk to send them to him.

Mr. Tweedie expressed surprise that the Sun should have published the telegram before he received it. The Union of Municipalities, he said, should appoint a secretary who has some knowledge of public affairs.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley in reply to an inquiry by Mr. Hazen in regard to the bill for the amendment of the act relating to the appointment of the judges, printed and ready for distribution among the members of the house.

The attorney general has corresponded with the minister of justice in regard to the Dominion legislation which was required to be passed by parliament consequent upon the passing of the indicative act.

Hon. Mr. Lablouis, in reply to Mr. Fleming, said the government has taken over from the Hartland Bridge Co. the highway bridge across the River St. John at Hartland.

Hon. Mr. Lablouis, in reply to Mr. Fleming's inquiry, said the total amount collected under the highway act in Carleton county during the year 1906 was \$5,967, and the amount expended by the road superintendent was \$15,564.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie, in reply to Mr. Emerson v. Maddison, said this case was carried on appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada.

Hon. Mr. Farris in reply to Mr. Fleming said the number of pounds of cheese made in factories in the county of Carleton in the year 1906 was 43,106. The number of pounds of butter made in the same county during the year 1906 was 45,508.

Mr. Robertson presented the petition of the City of St. John in favor of their sewerage and civic elections bills.

Mr. Hazen gave notice of inquiry in regard to the judicature act and John Ward, highway superintendent of Chipman.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley introduced a bill to amend the act granting aid to certain railways. He said he felt quite sure that this bill would commend itself to the favor of the house.

named the International railway, was given a subsidy of \$2,500 a mile for its entire length of 110 miles and its bonds were guaranteed for \$5,000 a mile for 50 miles.

The road was being splendidly constructed and would be a great benefit to the North Shore. But the company was so hampered financially that work was proceeding slowly, and more help was needed if the line was to be finished.

Chief Engineer Schreiber of government railways, reports that the road will cost \$7,250 a mile and the Dominion government had agreed to give the company a double subsidy of \$4,000 a mile, which was never given unless the cost was at least \$21,400 a mile.

To insure speedy completion the provincial government proposes to give additional assistance by guaranteeing its bonds for \$3,000 a mile over the whole length of 110 miles.

Mr. Hazen opposed the proposition strongly, pointing out the striking condition of the road and the attorney general's speech and the speeches in 1903, when the original guarantee of \$5,000 a mile was made.

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The proposed line ran through a sparsely settled country with little traffic and would never sell for \$3,000 a mile. The province could never get its money back out of the road.

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MYSTERIOUS TIBURON ISLAND.

All Efforts to Explore it Have Failed --- Home of the Savage Serfs---Indians Without Houses or Tents of Any Kind --- Said to Be Cannibals.

"No man goes there who ever returns. Busy away, sailor, or you will never get back to your home." My mozo was so earnest in his solicitude that I defer my visit to Tiburon Island, that strange land situated in the Gulf of California, just off the mouth of the Yaqui River, and made some inquiries into its inhabitants.

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SIR WM. HINGSTON DIED YESTERDAY

Aged Physician and Financier Passed Away After a Long and Distinguished Career

MONTREAL, Feb. 19.—The death took place suddenly this morning of Hon. Sir William Hingston, a conspicuous figure in local medical and financial circles.

He was president of the City and District Savings Bank, one of the strongest institutions of its kind in the Dominion and was at the head of the medical department of the Hotel Dieu. In 1855 he was a candidate for the House of Commons in St. Ann's division in this city, but was defeated by James McShane, now harbor master.

Mr. Hingston was a prominent Irish Catholic, and has long been identified with Irish educational and other affairs. He was born 73 years ago on the banks of the Chataaugay, near Huntington, Que. He married in 1875 Margaret, daughter of Hon. D. A. McDonald, then lieutenant governor of Ontario.

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as to hold water. Their clothing, made of skins, is fastened together with sinews and they have no understanding of the use of thread in the repairing of their clothing. They beg the cast off clothes at the ranches, but they are seen to rag the women put all their clothes on their backs when they visit the mainland, but as soon as they return to the island they discard them.

Like all wild people, the Seris are strong and possessed of great endurance. They are not afraid of heat or cold, and will run a deer to death, and have been known to capture horses in the same manner. They follow the animal until it drops from exhaustion. Most of the men are tall, powerful fellows, some of them said to be seven feet tall. The women are short and heavy, somewhat of the appearance of a Ponto Apache, being much darker than the Yaquis.

The bows are made of garrambilla wood, fortified by rawhide. They are very strong, and to one unaccustomed to their use would be useless. The arrows are tipped with iron or brass if they can get it, but most of them are tipped with the teeth of sharks, which abound in the waters surrounding the island. The arrows used against enemies are all poisoned. The poison is either got by dipping the arrow points in the banks of the Chataaugay, near Huntington, Que. He married in 1875 Margaret, daughter of Hon. D. A. McDonald, then lieutenant governor of Ontario.

Several parties of Americans have visited the island, but in every instance they have either been killed or they have lost members of the party. The Indians invariably ambush them and either massacre all before they can get away or shoot down as many as they can and then flee to the shelter of the rocks and hills. The party of seven Americans visited the island to search for gold. They were all well armed with repeating rifles and revolvers, and thought themselves a match for any number of Indians who had nothing but bows and arrows and spears, but before they had been on the island an hour two of their number had been shot from ambush, and the remaining five were compelled to retreat to their boat, fighting an unseemly enemy all the way. Four of them were wounded so badly that three afterward died, and one was in a hospital in Montreal for several months with a festering wound from a poisoned arrow. The two who were killed on the island were left where they fell by their companions, and when an expedition was sent three days later by the Mexican Government they could not be found, nor could any of the Indians be seen.

Walter Stevenson, James Craig and John Wilson went to the island in 1897 to discover tribal customs and manners. They were accompanied by a geologist and a naturalist. The expedition was unsuccessful, for it is impossible to visit the island except in strong force, and then no Indians can be seen. The men who have been on the island have said that they have seen the rocks and hills which give them every advantage, and they can stand for hours, and they are driven out by hunger. As they can stand for hours longer than the Mexicans or Americans, the only way in which they keep close to the shore, and investigate would be to go to the island with an army of occupation, prepared with supplies to remain an indefinite length of time.

It has been learned that they have no houses or tents of any sort, but that they shelter of rocks and of open caves or draw the tops of bushes together and tie them to protect themselves from the sun during the heated hours of the day. The men here are frequently marked with severe storms of wind, and then the savages cover in crochets every instant of the day. While there is no authority for this statement, it is based on the fact that when the Seris troops devastated the island they found no houses of any sort, and the only signs of occupancy were few broken tin cans and pieces of tin. The reason given for the statement that the Seris are cannibals is that no remains have ever been found of more than one hundred men, women and children in revenge for the murder of a Mexican woman whom a band of Seris tried to capture. Several explorers have gone to the island, and in every instance their stay has been permanent.

In 1897 Captain George Porter and a sailor named John Johnson went ashore from a little schooner that was trading and shell hunting, and the other men on the schooner tried to dissuade them from the trip, but they insisted that there was danger. They landed near a rocky point fifty yards from the boat in which they landed when Captain Porter was seen to fall and the sailor Johnson to be captured. The latter dropped before he had gone twenty yards. Yet not an Indian was to be seen. The mystery was solved by the fact that the schooner returned, and there were not enough white men to compel them to go ashore for the bodies, or even to bury them. The bodies were found a close search of the vicinity they could find no signs of Indians, except a spot where a hole had been dug in the sand.

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I had one occasion to see a number of the Seris who were trading at the ranch of San Francisco de Costa Rica, some fifteen miles inland from the shore opposite Tiburon Island, and here many of the squaws come to trade. These women are much like the Yaquis, and several instances who have examined them believe them to be an offshoot of the Yaqui tribe. Their language and customs are entirely different from those of the Yaquis, and it is the fact that the environment has been different.

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The master but a few of the many instances where the visit to the island has been followed by the destruction of the party of invaders. The Mexican Government pays little attention to these murders, for they say that if the Americans do not want to be killed they can stay away.

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NOTE—A special train (with buffet sleeping car attached) will leave Truro every Saturday night for Sydney and Sydney Mines, after arrival of No. 24 (Maritime Express) from Montreal. CITY TICKET OFFICE: 3 King Street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 271. GEORGE CARVILL, C. T. A.

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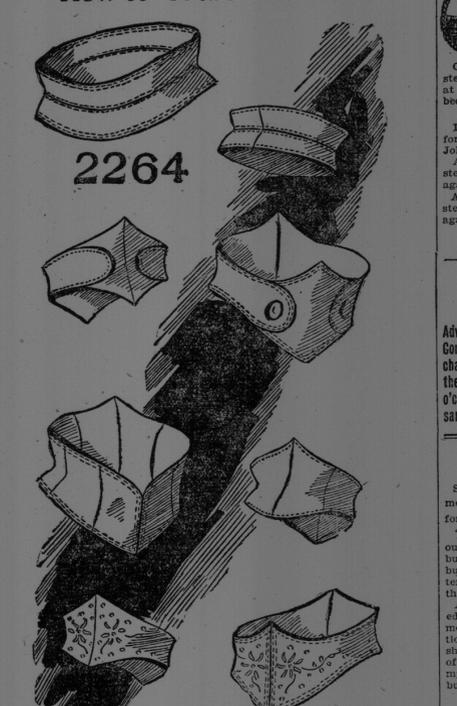
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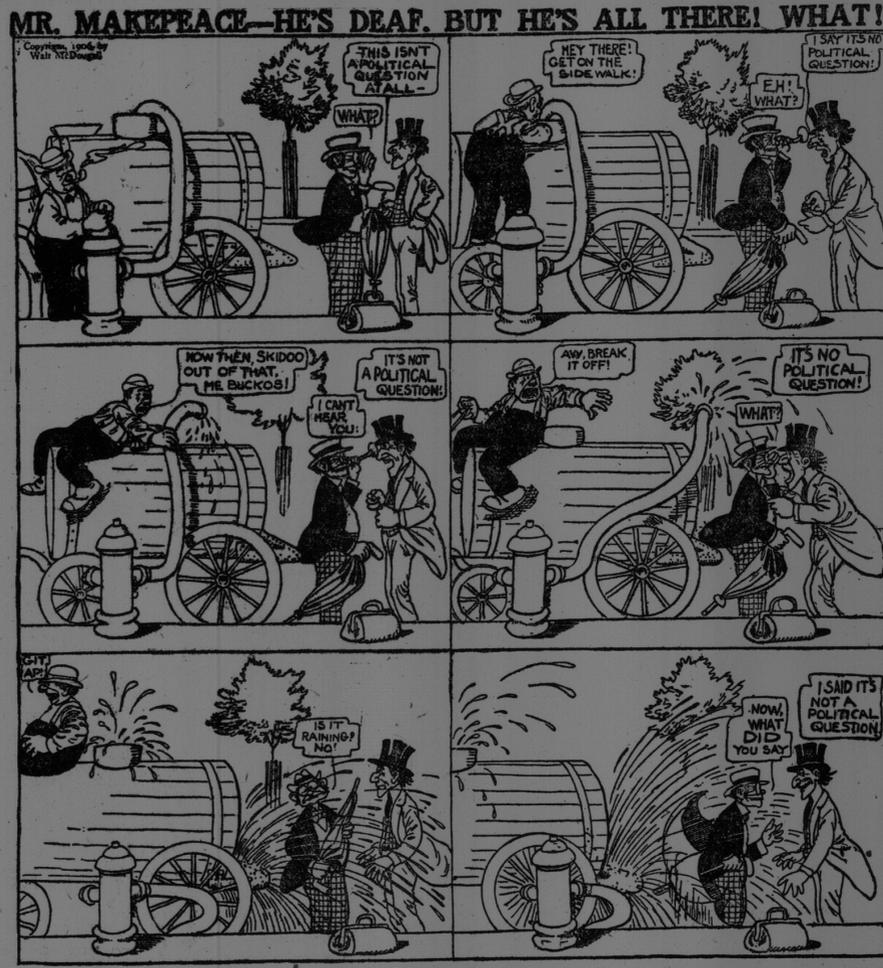
AN AMEER AND AN ALARMIST. (Recent Book of Travels). An excellent subject of the Ameer presented himself suddenly and declared that the Russians were advancing to invade Afghanistan. Undisturbed by the announcement, the late Ameer, turning aside from the business of the durbar, ordered his shahshahi to conduct the man to the summit of a certain watch-tower. "Look you out well for the Russians," commanded Abdur Rahman, "for you do not eat till you see them arrive."

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REFERENCE TO MR. FOWLER'S LAND DEALS BRINGS ANGRY RETORT FROM MEMBER FOR KINGS-ALBERT--LABOR BILL DISCUSSION

OTTAWA, Feb. 19.—Today the commons toiled with the labor bill. Most of the proceedings were as dull as an ordinary day's. There was one incident...

strikes and prevent the handling of mail and the delivery of fuel. Mr. Lemieux said opposition to the bill had been stirred up by Harvey Hall, the railway men's representative here, who had endorsed the bill when it was first introduced.



CLAN MACKENZIE GAVE OPEN NIGHT

Last evening Clan Mackenzie gave an open night, and a great many persons took advantage of the opportunity to be the guests of the clansmen.

PYTHIAN CELEBRATION A BRILLIANT EVENT

New Brunswick Lodge No. 1 and Union Lodge No. 2 of the Knights of Pythias, last night celebrated the thirty-second anniversary of the founding of the order in St. John.

ENTERTAINING LECTURE BY MR. FAIRWEATHER

The fourth lecture in the popular course of lectures before the Natural History Society was given last evening by G. Ernest Fairweather.

WIFE OF DEAD MAN PLACED UNDER ARREST

HAMILTON, Feb. 19.—The long expected arrest in Canfield re the poisoning mystery was made late this afternoon. Police Chief Farrel placed under arrest Mrs. Henry Perkins, wife of the dead man.

CHATHAM MERCHANT ARRESTED IN MONTREAL ON SERIOUS CHARGE

MONTREAL, Feb. 19.—Charged with having secreted his property with intention of defrauding his creditors, C. Rich, a merchant of Chatham, N. B., was yesterday arrested on a capias issued at the request of the Montreal Waterproof Clothing Company.

SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST THREE DARING YOUTHS OF GLACE BAY, N. S.

GLACE BAY, Feb. 19.—At three o'clock yesterday afternoon three boys John Angus McDonald, Alex. McDonald and Stewart Campbell, held up John Steele, a clerk in Francis Dixon's Fish Market, Union street, and robbed him of change amounting to \$2.

ELECTED IN DIGBY

DIGBY, N. S., Feb. 19.—Joseph William Comeau was elected to the local legislature today by acclamation, to succeed Senator Comeau.

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Pleasant to take, soothing and healing, warms up the throat and lungs, and in a very little while the cough is gone.

NEW CANDY INDUSTRY FOR NORTH SYDNEY

NORTH SYDNEY, Feb. 19.—This town is to have a new industry in the shape of a candy factory, of which Boston capitalists are the promoters.

ST. GEORGE PEOPLE ANGRY OVER WRETCHED TRAIN SERVICE

ST. GEORGE, N. B., Feb. 19.—The merchants and citizens of St. George are highly indignant over the state of affairs existing at present in connection with the mail, Saturday night's mail from St. Stephen is the last news we have heard from the outside world.

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NO OPPOSITION FOR HYMAN

LONDON, Ont., Feb. 19.—The Liberals of London will meet tomorrow night to nominate a candidate for the commons. Mr. Hyman will not have any opposition.

R. L. RICHARDSON NOMINATED

WINNIPEG, Feb. 19.—Independents in Killarney have nominated R. L. Richardson for the Winnipeg Tribune as their candidate for the seat now occupied by George Lawrence, Conservative. Richardson has accepted and will run as a protest against the action of the Roblin government in turning down the grain growers of Manitoba.

RHEUMATISM

Price 25c. Myself suffering from rheumatism for many years, I have tried many remedies but have not found relief until I used this balm.

LOTS OF WATER SAYS MR. POTTINGER

MONCTON, Feb. 19.—The soundings in St. John harbor are not yet completed, said General Manager of Government Railways and Harbors, Mr. Pottinger.

ARMED DOUKHOBORS ATTACK BAILIFF

YORKTON, Sask., Feb. 19.—Last Saturday Scott, bailiff for local improvement district south of Invermay, seized goods amounting to \$3,000. Scott and his deputies seized about one hundred head of stock and other chattels. They were attacked by Doukhobors, overpowered and chattels retaken.

MAY BE NEXT PRESIDENT OF TORONTO UNIVERSITY

TORONTO, Feb. 19.—The governors of Toronto University have, it is understood, decided to extend to Professor M. E. Sadler, professor of history and administration at Victoria University, Manchester, England, an urgent invitation to visit Canada in the spring and confer with them on the question of his acceptance of the presidency of the university.

CITY AMUSEMENTS. Harkins is Coming

The W. S. Harkins Company are booked for a return engagement at the Opera House, opening Tuesday evening, Feb. 20th, and giving a change of bill nightly for the remainder of the week.

Jere Doing Well

Jere McCalliffe and his talented company of stock players are doing a good business at the Opera House this week, which goes to show that popular plays well acted, at popular prices, are what the theatre-goers of today want, and Jere is surely giving a lot to show for a little money.

Keith's

Good clean and refined vaudeville of the type being presented at Keith's theatre, is bound to draw its own reward in self advertisement and bumper houses. To carefully study the local tastes, and provide each week a well balanced, up-to-date and high class show, requires good judgment and an unlimited supply of vaudeville talent, both of which requirements are obviously brought into requisition by the Keith management.

CHAMBERLAIN BROKEN PHYSICALLY BUT IS STRONG MENTALLY

LONDON, Feb. 19.—An interesting authoritative statement concerning the health of Joseph Chamberlain is published today. Although it does not confirm the worst rumors, it shows that Mr. Chamberlain is completely broken physically, although he is mentally alert.

QUITE A SEVERE EARTHQUAKE SHOCK FELT AT ST. GEORGE

ST. GEORGE, Feb. 19.—Quite a severe earthquake was felt here at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon. It lasted two minutes and was plainly felt by many of the residents of the town, getting a bad scare. No damage was done, however.

EARLY OPENING OF P. E. I. LEGISLATURE

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Feb. 19.—The provincial legislature opened today, one of the earliest dates in its history. The governor's speech referred to the interprovincial conference at Ottawa resulting in the payment to P. E. Island of a largely increased subsidy, thus making possible improvement in the public services without a resort to increased taxation or rendering the province being liable to a deficit.

CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

QUEBEC, Feb. 19.—Two young children of I. Savoy of Valcoeur, Quebec, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their father's residence and stove this morning.

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LOCAL NEWS.

A meeting of the Algonquin Athletic Association is called for this evening in the club's rooms at 8 o'clock.

Carnival in Carleton open air rink tonight. Suitable prizes for ladies and gentlemen. Band in attendance.

Gord in Division S. of T. will hold a musical and literary entertainment in their hall, Market Building, on Monday evening next, 25th inst.

At the Japanese tea and entertainment to be given in St. David's school-room on Saturday afternoon in aid of the free kindergartens, Mrs. Harry Roberts will give a reading. The tea promises to be most enjoyable.

The local board of health authorities received no further word from Musquash today. The cases of smallpox there are very mild and it is not thought that the disease will spread.

At public auction this morning the interest of Sampson B. Manon in a piece of land in Prince's warding on Courtenay Bay was sold to E. T. C. Knowles by the city for taxes.

Amherst Telegram: At tonight's meeting in the Baptist church in connection with the Evangelistic Mission, the music will be heard by Messrs. Hoskins and Mackie in the organ and violin, Mrs. F. A. Cain soloist. Rev. S. W. Cummings will be "Jesus and Judas" all are invited.

The Ottawa delegation was too much of a load for the Atlantic Express and the over-burdened train bearing its precious burden arrived in the city, two hours and a half late, towards three o'clock this afternoon. All the members returned home with the exception of Mayor Sears, W. H. Thorne, Ald. Pickett and Ald. Rowan, who remained in Montreal.

Hon. A. T. Dunn, collector of customs, arrived home from Ottawa yesterday where he attended the banquet tendered to John Bain, the retiring assistant commissioner of customs. The banquet was held in the Russell House. During the evening Mr. Bain was presented with a valuable cabinet of silver. R. R. Farrow, chief clerk of the department, presided.

The death occurred at Dorchester, N. B., at 4:30 o'clock this morning of William Hogan, a former resident of this city. He had been ill with paralysis for three weeks. He was about 70 years of age. Mr. Hogan before leaving St. John was a guard at the reformatory. At Dorchester he served as a guard at the penitentiary. His wife survives him. The body will be brought here tomorrow for interment.

J. E. Williams, former secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., was in St. John yesterday. Mr. Williams has now retired from active work in the Y. M. C. A. and has taken up another line of business. He still takes a deep interest in the work of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Williams is very well known in St. John. He was a resident here for several years and left St. John about five years ago. His successor in the position of secretary of the Y. M. C. A. was S. B. Wilson. Mr. Williams will visit the city again in a short time.

The St. John County District Division, S. of T., will meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Opera House. The program for the evening is as follows: 1. Reading of the report of the committee on the proposed new road to Granite Rock Division, West End. 2. After the report of the committee was read, the following programme was carried out. Address of welcome by the Worthy Patriarch of Granite Division, J. H. Carson, G. W. A. C. Hamilton, D. W. P.; F. M. Hastings, W. P.; W. H. Gowland, D. G. W. P.; D. Thomas and A. Andrews. An harmonica solo by J. Wells and a monologue sketch by J. McCavoy. D. S. O. Y. P. The district division intended to adjourn at the Lorneville Division on Saturday next.

THIS EVENING.

Jere McLaughlin Stock Co. at the Opera House.

Kett's Yachting at Kett's.

Marathons vs. Bankers; Beavers vs. St. Josephs, in Marathon rink.

Missionary lecture in St. Luke's church.

Public temperance meeting in Carmarthen street Methodist church.

FUNERALS.

The body of Mrs. Margaret McFarlane was taken to Barnesville at 8 o'clock this morning. Rev. Mr. Hoyt conducted the funeral service and interment was in the Barnesville burying ground.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jane McFarlane was held at 2:30 this afternoon from her late residence, Clarence street. Rev. S. Howard officiated and interment was in Fernhill.

The body of the late James B. Baxter was placed in its last resting place in the new Catholic cemetery this afternoon. The funeral took place at 2:30 from his late residence, Charlotte street, to the church of St. John the Baptist, where Rev. Father Chapman read the burial service.

The funeral of the late Thomas J. Moran, J. Sinclair, W. J. McGinley, A. V. Verrinder and F. Sutherland.

The funeral of the late James Shaw was largely attended. It took place from his late residence, Hazen street, at 2:30 this afternoon. The burial services were conducted by Rev. A. A. Graham and Rev. Dr. Raymond. Interment was in Fernhill.

EQUITY COURT.

In equity court yesterday afternoon and this morning the case of Warren C. Winslow vs. Wm. Richards & Co., John T. Rundle, Hugh I. Chisholm and his associates was taken up. Mr. Earle appeared for the plaintiff, Dr. Pugsley, who is retained in the case, not being able to be present. Dr. A. A. Cursey and E. W. McElhaney for Frederick appeared for the defendant.

Warren Winslow is the only witness who has yet been examined. He gave evidence of the negotiations which were carried on for the sale of the property, producing this morning a large amount of correspondence with various parties. A number of other important witnesses are at present in the city, including David Richards of Campbellton, Howard Richards and Herbert H. Gunter of Boiestown, John T. Rundle, Chatham; Arthur G. Foster, Pittsburg, and Frank H. Chedlin of Toronto.

VALUABLE SOUVENIR FOR NEW BRUNSWICK

Bust of Admiral Nelson, Made from the Copper and Oak of the Flagship Victory, to be Presented.

Through the generosity of the British Government, New Brunswick is very shortly to be presented with a valuable souvenir of Britain's naval greatness. Mr. Edward W. Matthews, general secretary of the British and Foreign Sailors' Society, is now in Canada on a mission of much interest. Mr. Matthews has been secretary of this society for upwards of 20 years and is now making a tour of the world in its interests.

Since the Nelson centenary, which aroused considerable enthusiasm in all parts of the empire, Britishers have shown considerable interest in the possibilities of the Dominion through the evidences received of the deep rooted loyalty to the crown and respect for British traditions permeating the whole of the copper and oak from Nelson's flag ship Victory. Part of this material has been made up into souvenirs of the great event of October 1865, which made England the proud mistress of the seas, and these souvenirs are highly prized. King Edward has extended his permission to the Sailors' Society to present to the capital cities of every province of his Dominion busts of Admiral Nelson, manufactured from the copper of the Victory, mounted on bases of oak from the same warship.

Mr. Matthews has presented several of these souvenirs in Upper Canada and will, in the near future, come to New Brunswick where he will make the presentation at Fredericton. He is now in New York, holding a conference with the branch of the society organized there.

THE WESTFIELD OUTING ASSOCIATION PLANS

Tennis Courts on B. R. Macaulay's Property at Woolastock—Club Colors Chosen.

At a meeting of the Westfield Outing Association held on Monday night, considerable business was transacted. After arrangements had been made for the holding of a mid-winter excursion to Westfield, which is to be held on the 25th of this month, matters concerning the work of the club next summer were taken up. A large number of the members of the association are anxious that tennis be "the" sport at Westfield during the coming summer months, so it was decided at this meeting that at least one set of tennis courts be built. The question of securing a suitable piece of ground was discussed and it was finally decided that a portion of the property of B. R. Macaulay be chosen as the site for the tennis courts. Mr. Macaulay having kindly offered the land. The ground is directly opposite the courts built in Westfield proper.

Colors for the association were also chosen at Monday's meeting. They are buff, red and green. Buff represents tennis, red represents sports, and green represents boating. The pennant design to be displayed on the salmon boats, yachts and steam launches owned by members of the association was also chosen. It is a very neat design. In the centre of the pennant are the letters W. O. A., on a background of buff, green and red.

The cups to be presented by W. C. Rothwell and Dunlap, Cooke & Co., are to be very handsome ones. Mr. Rothwell's is offered for salmon boat racing. Five races will be held for the trophy. Dunlap, Cooke & Co.'s cup is offered for amateur rowing races.

UNCLE AND NEPHEW THE SOLE OCCUPANTS

Of the Bristol Graveyard—Both Died While in the Employ of Mr. Welch.

The Presbyterian burying ground at Bristol, N. B., has two occupants. The bodies are those of Henry Beck and his uncle, of the same name, both former residents of Dalhousie. The strange part of the circumstance is that Mr. Beck, junior, who for some time has been in the lumber woods in the employ of Mr. M. Welch, died at States' Foreston, on Friday last, of appendicitis at the age of 29. His uncle was killed a few months ago while in the employ of Mr. Welch of the same place. The two are buried side by side.

CARLETON CAR SERVICE.

The first car will leave Carleton at 6:05 a. m. and the second at 6:30 a. m. The first car will leave the bridge at 6:15 and every fifteen minutes afterwards from both ends of the line; leaving on the hour, quarter past, on the half and quarter to the hour. Last car leaves Carleton at 11:45 p. m. for the city and bridge at 12:00 p. m. Cars coming from Carleton and bridge connect with bus at Fairville corner.

DEATHS.

HOGAN—At Dorchester, N. B., February 18, after a short illness, William Hogan, leaving a wife to mourn her loss. Notice of funeral hereafter.

WILL BOOM HORSE RACING NEAR TORRYBURN

Another Ice Track Has Been Made, and a Meet Will be Held on Saturday.

Historic Torryburn, the scene of training quarters for carmen, boxers and other athletes in days gone by, is to have a horse-racing revival. The interest awakened in the sport by the Millidgeville meet last Saturday has prompted horse men and others to have the cove of the Kennebecasis, opposite the Clairmont House, ploughed off, and the prospects are that the meet on Saturday will be of absorbing interest.

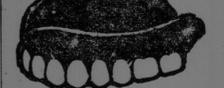
There will be six tracks—individual ice for each entry—and these will be three-quarters of a mile in length. The footing is not at all lumpy, and is very strong. Being in a sheltered spot the races will not be interfered with by harsh winds.

Among those who have signified their intention of entering their horses on Saturday are R. J. Green, with "Little Egypt," Louis King, "Walter K." Thos. Short's quick stepper, and others. Officials will be selected Friday.

STRANGE TALES FROM EAST.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 19. — Word has been received here that a wonderful athlete has sprung up who has the great "Kraenzlin" beat to a standstill. This wonder, who happens to be a Japanese, and a student at Tokio University, can, it is claimed, pole vault the remarkable height of 13 feet nine inches over a bar. The officials at Tokio swear that their protegee can run 100 yards in 9 2/5 seconds.

The name of this great man is Minoru Fujii, and he will compete in the Olympic World's championships, in England, or in the American champion-



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