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EXPRESS RATES ON FISH FROM N.S. CUT

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Decision Announced At Halifax by C. N. Express Officials

Maritime Products Will Be Able To Compete With Others In Upper Canada

By Canadian Press. HALIFAX, March 2.—At a conference held over the week-end, attended by Premier E. H. Armstrong, C. W. Muir, General Manager of the Canadian National Express Company, Arthur Bottiller, President of the National Fish Company, and others, a reduction of 25 per cent. in the express rates on fish shipments between Halifax and Montreal and Toronto was agreed upon.

A Long Fight. The fishing interests of Nova Scotia have been striving for a considerable time, to have a reduction in express rates, but without result. The last hearing on rates was before the board of railway commissioners in Halifax last February, at which the express companies sought to have the rates increased. This request was not granted. Since that time the fight has been carried on largely by the National Fish Company, and by correspondence.

Means More Business. Discussing the decision, Arthur Bottiller stated last night: "This reduction of rates will necessarily mean an increased volume of business in Nova Scotia. It will mean that Nova Scotia fish will have a better opportunity to reach the Toronto and Montreal markets, and these compete with fish from other parts of the world."

VALUABLE IRISH RECORDS ARE LOST "Annals of the Four Masters" Burned in Donegal County House Blaze.

BELFAST, March 2.—Early editions in Gaelic of the "Annals of the Four Masters," reputed to be the only copies in Ireland, together with important records, were destroyed yesterday in the burning of the Donegal County house.

The annals were compiled by three members of the O'Clery family, and another monk, in the Franciscan monastery in Donegal. Michael O'Clery, the greatest of the four, lived from 1775 to 1843, and devoted the major part of his life to collecting data on great annals were completed in 1838. Nearly all the materials from which O'Clery drew his records are now lost.

CATHOLICS PROTEST 60,000 Gather in Nantes Against Suppression of Vatican Embassy.

NANTES, France, March 2.—Sixty thousand Catholics assembled here yesterday in a protest meeting, at which General De Castelnau was the principal speaker, against suppression of the French embassy to the Vatican, and the proposed strict enforcement of the law relating to separation of church and state. A message was sent to the Pope accusing him of the "devotion of 60,000 citizens of Loire and Vendée."

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PILGRIMS IN ITALY Cardinal O'Connell and Party Reach Naples on Way to Holy Year Ceremonies.

NAPLES, March 2.—Cardinal O'Connell, at the head of a party of 400 pilgrims bound for Rome, for a Holy Year visit, arrived here this morning. The party includes a number of Canadians.

Scientists Decide Tremor Due To Rock Movement Under Earth's Surface

NEW INDUSTRIES FOR CITY LIKELY

'Peg Ignored By Earthquake' WWINNIPEG, Man., March 2.—Whatever may be written on the wall by jealous cities against Winnipeg, they cannot without stretching the truth even more than they sometimes do state it is troubled by earthquakes. That has been demonstrated once again, for the tremors which Saturday night made the hearts of many people in Eastern and Western cities flutter, if not quake, gave the "gateway to the golden west" a wide berth.

FARMERS GET \$1.35 SO FAR FOR WHEAT

More Expected at End of Season—7,000,000 Bushels Still on Hand. WWINNIPEG, Man., March 2.—The Manitoba Free Press today says:—Cheques for a total amount of approximately \$25,000,000 representing a second payment of 38 cents a bushel on wheat handled by Western pools, were sent out to members of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta pooling organizations Saturday, it is understood.

Disposing of Wheat. It is understood the wheat pools have still about seven or eight million bushels of wheat to sell, though this is not all to grade and the chief seller, D. L. Smith, has been in Great Britain, France and Germany arranging for direct selling connections between Winnipeg and agents in the Old Country.

8 DEAD, 600 INJURED

Three Hundred Are Unaccounted For After Explosion on Caju Island. BUENOS AIRES, March 2.—A despatch to La Nación from Rio Janeiro, says the known casualties in Friday's explosion, on Caju Island near Niteroi, are eight dead and 600 injured, but that 300 persons who were on the island have not been accounted for.

GETS PROMOTION

Col. J. T. Clarke Moved From Quebec to Halifax as Medical Officer. QUEBEC, March 2.—Col. J. T. Clarke, principal medical officer of Military District No. 5, has been promoted to that position for military district No. 6, at Halifax, and will assume his duties April first. Col. Clarke came to Quebec from Halifax, in 1912.

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Vicar Is Slain By Sister After He Had Attempted Suicide

LEICESTER, England, March 2.—An extraordinary tragedy, reviving the question of justification in the taking of life under special circumstances, occurred yesterday in the vicarage of Hungerton, Leicestershire. The Vicar, the Rev. William Bettison, after celebrating communion, retired to his study, from which shortly came the sound of a shot. The vicar's sister, Miss Bettison, who, with her brother and a housekeeper, were the only occupants of the vicarage, went to the study and found her brother lying on the floor. A sporting rifle lay beside him and there was a wound in his head.

Sells Death Ray



H. GRINDELL MATTHEWS, inventor of the death ray, who reports that he has disposed of his invention in the United States.

DISPOSES OF DEATH RAY IN AMERICA

Grindell Matthews, inventor, Declares Britain Has Lost Chance to Get Invention. SOUTHAMPTON, Eng., March 2.—H. Grindell Matthews, inventor of the "death ray," asserted on his arrival here from the United States, that he had disposed of his invention in the United States but he would not divulge the buyer's price.

39,000 RETURN FROM U.S. IN 11 MONTHS

Total Immigration to Canada in That Period Was 141,609 People. OTTAWA, Ont., March 2.—Immigration to Canada, including Canadian returning from the United States, has averaged a little over 14,000 a month for the 10 months of the fiscal year up to and including January, according to a statement just issued by the Department of Immigration and Colonization. The total is 141,609.

NOBLES ORDERED TO VACATE LANDS

Russian Land Lords Will be Given Small Grants in Colonization Areas. MOSCOW, March 2.—The nobles and land lords are given notice in a decree just issued by the council of the people's commissars, that they must vacate all their land holdings by January 1, 1926. This extinguishes completely the few remaining rights of the members of the old regime, and places all property entirely in the hands of the proletariat. The decree stipulates that persons expelled under the order, are entitled to receive small allotments of land in distant colonization areas on the same conditions as the peasantry, and that they shall be given assistance by the emigration department within prescribed limits.

CONFERENCE FAILS

Plans to Formulate Hindu-Muslim Unity Blocked by Suspicion. DELHI, March 2.—The committee representative of all India appointed by the January conference to formulate a scheme for Hindu-Muslim unity, broke up yesterday, having failed in its object. There were serious differences among the members respecting the question of representation in legislative bodies and public services and Mohandas Gandhi, the Nationalist leader, declared agreement was impossible in view of the prevailing mutual suspicion.

N. B. GOVERNMENT TO MEET TUESDAY

Preparations for Legislature Session Will be Made Tomorrow. FREDERICTON, March 2.—The regular monthly meeting of the Provincial Government will open here Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. This meeting will be preparatory to the opening of the House of Assembly, which will take place on March 3. Premier Vautour, who returned to his home in Bathurst late last week after spending some time in Ottawa, and other members of the executive will arrive tonight.

KILLED BY BOMB

Niagara Falls Customs Official Dead and Friend is Injured. NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., March 2.—O. A. Pewster, a Federal customs official, was instantly killed here yesterday by the explosion of a bomb. Eimer Whitacre, a friend was fatally injured. Shortly after he had obtained imported evidence against the Niagara border rum-ringer, Pewster was instantly killed by the explosion of a bomb that had been ingeniously placed in the transmission of his automobile. The blast occurred when Prenter stepped on the starter.

SPREAD OF CANNIBALISM IS REPORTED IN FRENCH GUIANA

PARIS, March 2.—Energetic efforts are being made by the authorities in French Guiana to stamp out cannibalism, which recently has become widespread. Six medicine men of the Lardamian tribe, who were convicted of cannibalism, were executed last month, and endeavors are being made to capture others who are addicted to the practice. All the convicted people were old, one being over 70. During the search for a kidnapped child, a cannibal's kitchen in the midst of an African forest was discovered.

ST STEPHEN MAN KILLED AS CAR GOES OVER BANK



G. Leonard Mowatt Is Victim of Accident Near Town DROPPED 30 FEET Driver Is Found Dead, Pinned Beneath Overturned Automobile. Special to The Times-Star. ST. STEPHEN, March 2.—A fatal accident occurred on the Moore's Mills road about four miles from here last night about midnight resulting in the death of G. Leonard Mowatt of this town, owner of the Mowatt Transfer Co. He had taken two passengers to Oak Hill in a car and was returning home alone. When about four miles from town where there is a steep bank, which drops about 30 or 40 feet, his car skidded and went down the bank. When found the car was upside down with the driver pinned underneath it, his head and face badly cut and bruised. It is believed that he was killed instantly.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Lawyer's Clerk Goes on Trial in Connection With "Mr. A." Blackmail. BRITISH PRESS. LONDON, March 2.—Hopeful of additional speech testimony in the now famous "Mr. A." blackmail case, a long case, in which were many women, gathered outside historic old Bailey, where William Hobbs, lawyer's clerk, was charged with conspiring to defraud the Indian potentate of two checks for £150,000 each. Hobbs pleaded not guilty.

54 ARE CONVICTED

Indian Court Sentence Four to Death, Rest to Prison for Conspiracy. LAHORE, British India, March 2.—A court has found 54 defendants guilty of conspiracy in connection with the Baba Akal conspiracy case, which was an outgrowth of activities of the Sacred Sikh shrines. The government had declared this committee illegal in 1923. Four of the defendants were sentenced to death, nine to life imprisonment and the remainder to varying terms of from three to seven years.

CRASH IS FATAL

Two Killed, Two Injured When Auto Struck by Train as Crossing. DASSEL, Minn., March 2.—Two persons were instantly killed, and two others were probably fatally injured when the automobile in which they were riding struck a train at a railroad crossing here, late last night. The party was on its way to a moving picture show. The dead are Miss Laura Johnson, 18, and her sister, Frances, 16. The injured are Reuben Lindhufid, 12, and Harold Sangre, 21.

ON LAST LAP

Macon, Ga., Mar. 2.—The 12 United States army airplanes from Selfridge Field, Mich., took the air here this morning at 8:35 for the last lap of their trip to Miami, Fla.

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QUAKE LOCATED IN EAST PART OF U.S. AND CANADA

General Belief Centre of Disturbance Was in Quebec WORST IN HISTORY Washington Authority Says Another Not Likely For 55 Or 60 Years. QUEBEC, Que., March 2.—Beyond the death of Mrs. Eugene Bureau, of Ste. Anne de la Parade, about 25 miles from Three Rivers, from shock caused by the earthquake, there was no confirmation of reports of fatalities in this province. It was reported last night that five persons had died along the south shore of the St. Lawrence, but the rumor is not generally credited. In the store of the Quebec Liquor Commission at Riviere Du Loup two plate-glass windows were smashed, and some bottles of liquor fell off shelves. At Bale St. Paul the church suffered to such an extent that it may be impossible to hold mass in it until extensive repairs have been made.

CANOEIST LEAVES PARIS FOR ROME

Canadian Paddler Starts up Seine on Way to the Mediterranean. Canadian Press Despatch. PARIS, March 2.—George S. C. Smyth, Canadian canoeist, started from the Pont de La Concorde here last night on his journey to Rome. He will paddle up the Seine to the River Yonne, thence to the Burgundy canal, where he will go by the Saone and Rhone rivers to Marseilles. He proposes paddling from Marseilles along the Mediterranean to the Italian capital.

Table with 2 columns: City, Temperature. Includes Victoria, Calgary, Winnipeg, Toronto, Montreal, St. John, Halifax, New York.

MORE ARE HOME FROM OTTAWA IN HOPEFUL MOOD

Looking to Supplementary Estimates for Some Results of Visit

WANTS COMMITTEE ON FOLLOW UP WORK

Commissioner Wigmore Says One Should Be Named—Courtney Bay Work

That the delegation to Ottawa had accomplished something and the trip would bear fruit in the way of additional accommodation for this port, was the opinion expressed this morning by three members of the City Council who accompanied the delegates on their journey.

Commissioner Wigmore.

Commissioner Wigmore said he felt that the sending of the delegation had been a good thing and the supplementary estimates would give proof that the trip had not been in vain. He thought that Premier King had gone out of his way to discuss the possible secession of the Maritime Provinces, as nothing of this kind had been said by the speakers. Something else had been accomplished by the trip, and this was well worth the effort in arranging it, and that was that New Brunswick and Nova Scotia had been brought closer together than they had ever been before.

Suggests Committee.

The Commissioner said he had been disappointed in one thing and that was that more information could not be secured about what it was proposed to do in Courtney Bay. The Mayor and Commissioner Bullock had gone to the Montreal and Ottawa at the express desire of Sir Henry Thornton, to back him up in an effort to have terminal facilities started in Courtney Bay. He, the commissioner, had found that the Public Works Department officials had no plans or knowledge of what Sir Henry wanted done there. He had also been unable to get any information as to how much money was to be spent this year on the depot here. He said if the utmost good was to come of the trip, then there should be a committee appointed to keep in touch with proceedings and if necessary go again to Ottawa.

Mayor Potts said it was true that when he and Commissioner Bullock and Hon. Mr. Foster met Sir Henry, all he had in mind for Courtney Bay this year was some dredging, but he felt that as a result of interviews with the Minister of Public Works that some action would be taken toward providing terminals in Courtney Bay.

Commissioner Bullock said that since the return of the first delegation to New Brunswick, representative of the C. N. R. Board, Matthew Lodge, had been active, and he felt sure that the supplementary estimates. Premier Venol had advocated the issuing of bonds for work of this nature. J. E. Tighe had also made a strong plea for development of this port. The government had expressed a desire to develop and use these ports, and he felt St. John would come out all right. He also referred to the statement of Premier King that he hoped to over-

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, MARRIAGES

BIRTHS

LANGLISSE—To Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Langille on Monday, February 24, 1925, a daughter, Evangeline Maternity Hospital, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

MARR-FOSHAY—Feb. 24, 1925, by Rev. A. Lawrence, Tedford, Annie Mildred Foshay to Harry Allen Marr, both of this city.

DEATHS

MILLER—In Bermuda, on February 23, 1925, George F. Miller, son of Helen E. and the late Charles Miller of this city, leaving his wife, two daughters, two sons, his mother and two brothers to mourn.

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IN MEMORIAM

MARTIN—In loving memory of my dear nephew, Thomas Martin, who departed this life March 1, 1925. Safe in the arms of Jesus.

AUNT, MRS. CLARKE.

Jas. T. Logan Burned In Face At Furnace In Customs House

James T. Logan was severely burned about 9 o'clock when a back draft from the furnace at the customs house shot out a tongue of flame. In addition to the burns to his face his eye brows were burned off and his ears also suffered injury. He threw up his arms as the flame appeared and this saved his eyes from serious harm.

Mr. Logan is assistant engineer at the customs house and was engaged in his regular work when the accident occurred. He was able to walk to a street car and go to Dr. F. S. Stevenson's office in Main street where his injuries were attended to. He was then taken to his home, 36 Metcalfe street. A report today was that he was doing as well as could be expected. His condition is not regarded as serious.

Local News

CHILD IS DEAD.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Carl O'Hanley, Green street, East St. John, will be sorry to learn of the death of their little son, Carleton Charles, aged 2 1/2 months, which occurred on Saturday. Besides his parents he leaves three young sisters.

PRIZE WINNERS.

The winners of the weekly prizes in the Civic and Civil Service Bowling League were: First, Arthur Harrison, 840; second, Fred Williams, 839; third, E. L. Carville, 838; consolation, No. 19.

VISITING FORESTER OFFICIAL.

F. I. Clarke, of Toronto, deputy supreme ranger, I. O. F., will this evening visit Court Lingley, West St. John. The meeting will be in 'Prentice Boys' hall, Guildford street. He will be assisted by officers of the New Brunswick high court in the initiation ceremonies.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Mrs. Rose A. Haley, who died in Boston, was held this morning from the residence of her sister, Mrs. John B. Donagan, 46 St. Patrick street, to the Cathedral for high mass of requiem by Rev. E. P. Reynolds. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

DIED TODAY.

The death of Margaret, daughter of the late Patrick and Mary Daley, occurred this morning at 34 Paddock street. She is survived by one sister, Miss Annie Daley, of this city and three nephews William Daley, of this city and Joseph and John Daley, both of the United States. She was charged with the funeral on Wednesday morning from Fitzpatrick's undertaking parlors.

ROTARY LUNCHEON.

The speakers at the Rotary Club luncheon today were E. J. Terry and Royden Foley, the former speaking about a visit to Rochester and the latter about his recent visit to England. Rotarian F. Garnett was in the chair. It was planned to hold a joint theatre party with members of the Gyro Club next week.

SETTLEMENT PROBABLE.

A theft charge against Harold Semone was taken up in the Police Court this afternoon. He was charged with taking two tires, two rims and tubes, valued at \$35, the property of Roland Miller. The case came on for the morning session at which Magistrate Henderson said he was in possession of the material and that the sides and thought a satisfactory settlement could be reached if the parties got together. This was done and the matter was adjourned to come before the Magistrate this afternoon.

Ladies' Debating Team At U. N. B. Selected

Special to The Times-Star. FREDERICTON, March 2.—The ladies' debating team of the U. N. B. which has been selected to meet the team of Dalhousie University will be Margaret Wallace, Katherine McNaughton and Dorothy Bennett. Miss Wallace and Miss Bennett belong to Fredericton, and Miss McNaughton to Chatham.

PERSONALS

Miss Kathleen Simpson, of 135 King street, West St. John, who underwent an operation on her throat last week in the General Public Hospital, was able to return to her home on Friday and is recovering rapidly from the effects of her operation.

CORNS REMOVED

And Arch. Treaties Corrected. Also Electric Treatments. W. W. CLARK. Grad. Chiropodist and Masseuse. For personal attention call R-4761, 14 KING SQUARE.

RULING ON DRAINAGE QUESTION REACHED

U. S. Secretary of War, However, Withholds Publication Until March 4.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Secretary of War Weeks has reached his decision in the Chicago drainage case, but will not make it public until after March 4.

MAKES RECORD TRIP TO FREDERICTON

Royden Foley, of St. John, Goes Over Broad Road Without Difficulty.

Special to The Times-Star. FREDERICTON, March 2.—The earliest motor run on record from St. John to Fredericton took place Sunday, when Royden Foley and a friend came to this city via the Broad road. The run was made without mishap. A snowstorm set in late last night and looked like a heavy storm at first, but amounted to little, some three inches the snow falling. Mr. Foley, however, did not want to take a chance retreating, so left his car and went back by rail this morning.

TO LECTURE IN SUSSEX

Rev. Dr. David Hutchinson left at noon today for Sussex, where he will deliver his lecture on Germany. With him the Kaiser and War Lords this evening.

CONSIDER END OF TAG DAY PLANS IN FINANCING

Matter Under Discussion at City Hall But Not Decided

DAYLIGHT TIME IS TO BE DISCUSSED

Spelling Out of Name of City in Full is to Be Urged on People

Tag days were under fire in City Hall today at a meeting of the Common Council in committee. The advisability of abolishing them was discussed but no action taken. Daylight time was also talked over, and there was advocacy of spelling out the name "Saint John" in full in referring to the city.

Communication from the Civic Power Commission asking that the city sign a contract with the C. N. R. for a right of way for a guy wire across the railway tracks from Pond street to Lombard street, was referred to the Commissioners of Safety and Public Works for a report.

Mayor Potts said he would like an expression of opinion from the members of the council on the matter of allowing tag days.

Commissioner Bullock suggested that this year the number be cut in half and that they be gradually abolished.

Commissioner Wigmore thought they served a good purpose in that they allowed citizens who felt they could not give largely to worthy objects to help.

The Mayor said if tag days were allowed all there would be no discrimination in the granting of permission to all who were entitled to them.

Commissioner Frink said the first tag day had been held when he was Mayor, during the war period, and so far as he knew that city council had no power to grant permission for one. He had pointed out to those seeking for the privilege at that time that the police act provided that any person asking money on the street was committing an offence. No action was taken.

Daylight Time. Mayor Potts said there was another matter he wanted to speak about and that was daylight time. He felt that there would be no extra hour at night might well go to work an hour earlier in the morning and an hour earlier in the evening and this would do away with the necessity of changing clocks.

Commissioner Harding said this would not be workable.

Commissioner Frink pointed out that a plebiscite had been held and that the majority had decided for daylight time during the summer months.

Worship said the matter would be taken up for discussion on March 16 and any protests would be dealt with at that time.

Mayor Potts said he would like to have a meeting of the members soon to discuss the bills to be sent to the legislature.

Name of City. Commissioner Harding said that what St. John was out after industries it might be well to take steps to have the city brought more prominently before the public and to distinguish it from other cities of similar names.

He suggested that the council adopt the spelling in full of the name Saint John and that a request be made of all merchants and citizens to adopt this form of spelling.

Commissioner Bullock suggested that the Board of School Trustees be asked to have the teachers in the public schools instruct the scholars along this spelling. He also suggested that in order to induce industries to come here that free electricity be furnished them for a period of two years as the city had a large block of current for which it was paying and not using.

Mayor Potts said he thought it would be a good idea to ask the school trustees to adopt the spelling of the name of the city in full.

On motion it was decided that in future all city departments would adopt this spelling of the name of the city.

Mayor Potts announced that there would be a special meeting of the council at 11:30 Thursday morning to hear the appeal of J. E. Porter from his 1924 assessment.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THE THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

MUCH INTEREST IN EDNA PRESTON HERE

She Returns to Opera House For One Week Opening Tonight.

Practically all stock followers remember the closing night of the Carroll Players last season, when Miss Edna Preston received a farewell ovation without precedent probably in the local Opera House. Unless St. John friends forget easily, this would seem to indicate a hearty welcome for the clever little lady who is now heading the Carroll forces at the Majestic Theatre, Halifax.

MOVIES OF OTTAWA DELEGATION.

The moving pictures of the St. John delegation to Ottawa arrived at noon today for the Imperial Theatre and will be shown at this evening's show.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Dance Victoria St. Hall tonight. 11893-3-3

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.

Court Lingley, No. 4284, will meet in 'Prentice Boys' Hall, St. John, West End, this evening at 8 o'clock. Initiation and other important business. A full attendance requested. 11893-3-3

Special free demonstration of Masala.

The famous salad and cooking oil, during this week at Brown's Grocery Co., West St. John. 11892-3-3

CONCERT.

Come to the concert and vaudeville show to be held in the South End Boys' Club, at the corner of Carnarvon and Bellevue avenues, across from the Armories, at 8 p. m., March 2 and 3. Come and help the boys. 11896-3-3

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The store windows are full of smart fabrics for Spring and Summer wardrobes. Cottons are down in price and woollens going up, so there is no time to lose in getting busy on your sewing machine.

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And the New System Wet Wash is so much cleaner than other washing.

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### R.M.S.P. TO TAKE OFF PASSENGER SHIPS TO INDIES

Freight Vessels Will Continue Until Contract With Government Renewed

COMING TO ST. JOHN SINCE FALL OF 1913

Mail Boats Have Been Operating on Route on Short Term Agreements.

HALIFAX, March 1.—The Royal Mail Steam Packet Company are withdrawing their passenger steamers from the Canadian-West Indies services at the expiration of the present short term contract, March 31, according to a statement authorized by the head office at London and handed the Canadian Press today by John Hulbert, Canadian representative of the line, with headquarters at Halifax. The text of the statement follows:

No New Contract.  
"The Royal Mail Steam Packet Company announce that owing to the fact that no agreement has yet been concluded with the Canadian Government for the renewal of the contract for the mail service between Canada and the West Indies for a term of years, which service they have carried on uninterruptedly since November, 1918, the passenger steamers employed on the route will be withdrawn after the expiration of the mail contract on March 31 next. The Royal Mail Company will, however, maintain a regular freight service between Canada and the West Indies."

The Royal Mail Steam Packet Company has been operating a mail and passenger service between Halifax, St. John and the British West Indies under short term contracts with the Dominion Government since 1918. Previously they had operated the service under a five-year contract with the Government. Three steamers will be affected by the announcement, the Chaudiere, Chaleur and Chignecto. The Teviot, a fourth steamer at present in the service, is a freighter, having replaced the Carquet, wrecked off the entrance to Bermuda.

### CHOIR ASSISTS IN SPECIAL SERMON

Rev. G. B. MacDonald Tells Story of Prodigal Son—Presentations.

The evening service in the Victoria street Baptist church yesterday was most impressive. It was the story of the Prodigal Son in sermon and song. Rev. G. B. MacDonald, the pastor, graphically related the story of the prodigal, and in his sermon pictured the scenes as they were described in the Bible narrative. A variety of points in the narrative were reached by the choir in a selection illustrative of the incident or of the sentiment of the incident or of the sentiment of the incident or of the sentiment of the incident. The choir members were wearing surprises for the first time. The musical numbers were as follows: Quartette, "Drifting," J. D. Trail, G. W. McAuley, Hayward Sparks and F. C. Dunfield; "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight?" solo by Mrs. O. W. Brentnall with quartette chorus, Mrs. Perley Ferris, Mrs. Fred Brookings, Mrs. Trull and Mrs. Sparks; "Softly and Tenderly," by the choir; male quartet, "Only a Contrite Sinner," anthem, "Lord I am Coming Home," choir solo, "The Penitent," Mr. Cougle; solo and quartette chorus, "Through Your Sins be as Scattered," solo "Lovingly Drifting," J. D. Trail, G. W. McAuley, Hayward Sparks and F. C. Dunfield; "Home Sweet Home," by the choir; anthem, "The Prodigal Son," by the choir; Arthur C. Burke, organist and choir leader directed the musical programme. The large congregation filled the church. Good Attendance.

The morning service also was well attended and Mr. MacDonald gave an inspirational address at the session of the Sunday school in the afternoon gifts were presented to two of the members who as follows: Quartette, "Drifting," J. D. Trail, G. W. McAuley, Hayward Sparks and F. C. Dunfield; "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight?" solo by Mrs. O. W. Brentnall with quartette chorus, Mrs. Perley Ferris, Mrs. Fred Brookings, Mrs. Trull and Mrs. Sparks; "Softly and Tenderly," by the choir; male quartet, "Only a Contrite Sinner," anthem, "Lord I am Coming Home," choir solo, "The Penitent," Mr. Cougle; solo and quartette chorus, "Through Your Sins be as Scattered," solo "Lovingly Drifting," J. D. Trail, G. W. McAuley, Hayward Sparks and F. C. Dunfield; "Home Sweet Home," by the choir; anthem, "The Prodigal Son," by the choir; Arthur C. Burke, organist and choir leader directed the musical programme. The large congregation filled the church. Good Attendance.

### MAYOR POTTS TALKS ON TEMPERANCE

Points Out Sunday School's Part in Enforcing Prohibition Act.

His Worship Mayor Potts was the speaker at the temperance Sunday general meeting of the Sunday school of the Queen square Methodist church yesterday afternoon when Newton Rogers, the superintendent, presided and there was a good attendance of pupils. The Mayor referred to the incident of his asking the police to release a boy who had been arrested under the Prohibition Act and he said he had taken that action at that time because the city was then in communication with the Provincial Government asking that half of the fines under the Prohibition Act should be given to the city. He did not wish to have the police take part in enforcing the prohibitory law until the city received half the fines. His Worship referred to the loss the Sunday school and the city had sustained in the death of R. Duncan Smith, the former superintendent. He extolled

### MOTHER!

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When your child is constipated, bilious, has colic, feverish-breath, coated-tongue, or diarrhea, a teaspoonful of genuine "California Fig Syrup" sweetens the stomach and promptly cleans the bowels of poisons, gases, bile, souring food and waste. Never cramps or overacts. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs. Children love its delicious taste. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has full directions for babies and children of all ages, plainly printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

Dr. Smith as an ideal pattern for the scholars to follow.

Temperance Ideals.

He pointed out that prohibition had been in force in New Brunswick for eight years and that the boys of 15 years in the Sunday schools when prohibition first became law had now become young men of 23. His worship said that if the Sunday schools were carrying out their duty in instilling temperance ideals there would be no difficulty in having prohibitory legislation enforced.

The temperance programme for the Sunday school was arranged by Miss C. M. Pratt, superintendent of the temperance department of the school, on whose invitation Mayor Potts had been the special speaker on temperance on more than one occasion.

### NEW PASTOR TAKES OVER DUTIES HERE

Rev. Henry Mahon Welcomed to Douglas Avenue Christian Church.

The Douglas Avenue Christian church congregation extended a hearty welcome to its new pastor, Rev. Henry Mahon, when he occupied the pulpit of the church for the first time yesterday and the church was taxed to accommodate the large congregations present. Mr. Mahon's forceful and very able sermons were delivered with conviction and appeal and made a deep impression upon the congregation. There was special music at the services. In the evening Mr. Mahon spoke of some of the things which Christianity had survived, pointing out

### Vigor of Mind-

THE system poisoned; a raging headache. You know the feeling—darting pains in the head, one eye feels as if it was detached and turning round—and why?

Simply because you do not attend to that most important of all rules of health—the cleansing of the intestinal tract.

DR. CALDWELL'S LAXATIVE SYRUP PEPSIN relieves constipation. It is pleasant to the taste. There is no discomfort in its action. There is immediate relief from the headache.

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### FURNITURE

That Charms and Brightens the Home. Here is certainly wonderful Reef Chair Value—Maritime Made—First class construction, deep spring seats, rich brown finish, large and comfy.

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Upholstered in best Chintz \$15.95

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Furniture of equal value for any room.

We ask your inspection and comparison.

### The C. H. Townshend Piano Co., Ltd

### HAD HEARTBRUN AND HEADACHES FOR MANY YEARS

Miss Rita Burris, R.R. No. 1, Waterford, Ont., writes—"I have been troubled with heartburn and headaches for many years. There were very few things I could eat without suffering from either the heartburn or severe headaches.

A friend recommended me to try

### MILBURN'S Laxa-Liver Pills

This I did and found relief at once and have never been troubled since. I will always recommend your Pills to any of my friends who are troubled with heartburn, headaches or any other liver trouble."

Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills are for sale at all druggists and dealers; put up only, for the past 30 years, by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

### Arches ache?



Always inflammation—eases pain

Just a little Sloan's lightly patted on before going to bed gives the most amazing relief to tired, aching foot-arches. You'll be astonished to see how it takes out the soreness and pain. Try it tonight! All druggists—35 cents.

### Sloan's Liniment

—kills pain!

that Christianity was the only religion which met the needs of all men at all times and in all places. He said that Christianity had survived the death of its Founder upon the Cross and in that death was the triumph of the Christian religion. The special speaker on temperance on more than one occasion.

### BUSINESS LOCALS

I. L. A. LOCAL 273. Regular monthly meeting will be held in hall 35 Water street, Monday March 2nd, at 8 p.m. Convention call from the N. B. Federation of Labor will be dealt with. All members are requested to attend. By order of the president. 11745-3

### REMOVAL NOTICE

C. H. Belyea begs to announce removal of office on March 2nd from No. 40 Princess street to No. 4 Rodney street, West St. John, where all lines of insurance will be handled, representing strong British companies for the West St. John. 11737-3

### DIAMOND COAL

Is the name of a special high grade soft coal, \$10 per ton in the bin. Phone Main 2936. Gibbon & Co., Ltd. 3-5 West St. John.

### BIG BEN IN TROUBLE

LONDON, March 2.—Big Ben, the great Westminster clock, has taken his first rest in several generations. Fog was too much for it, gumming the mechanism of the giant timepiece. It stopped twice in a week, when it was decided that the famous chiming must say off for repairs.

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Many Converts. In the afternoon Rev. R. A. Grube, who has been a missionary to French Indo-China, spoke of the entrance of the Alliance workers into Cambodia as a miracle of modern missions. In spite of the greatest opposition the Alliance workers into Cambodia after obstacle was removed and today there are hundreds of converts in that remote and backward country.

This was followed by a sermon by Dr. E. Ralph Hooper, a Canadian, pastor in the Boston Bible Training School, on "The Refuge of the Refugee."

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### DISTRICT SCOUTS' TROOP IS DIVIDED

Will Function Now in Three Sections—Employment Service Started.

Owing to the increased membership of the Boy Scouts, it was decided at their meeting on Saturday evening to divide the District troop into three sections. There were 80 present at the meeting, held in the assembly hall of the New Brunswick Telephone Company, the meeting being for scout leaders and patrols. F. Choppin, scoutmaster, was in charge and was assisted by the three troop masters, who took care of the sections.

Special commendation was given the boys by Dr. G. B. Peat, who was judge in the contests. Attention was drawn by him to the fine appearance of the boys, who had acquired uniforms and equipment since the last meeting. This improvement made the inter-sectional competition a keen one and more interesting than any previous contest, he said. Points were given for general efficiency and details relating to neatness and carriage. Points were deducted for omissions and especially for absence of members of a section.

### Employment Service

An employment service has been opened at headquarters for scouts. The slogan is "If you want a boy, employ a Scout." It was announced at the meeting by L. L. Johnson, secretary.

When around the Council Circle, one boy from each section was asked to give a short talk on any subject he wished. Each boy was given half an hour to think up his subject. Frank Wetmore, patrol leader for Knox troop and representing section one of the district troop, won the honor of five points for his section by giving a spirited talk on "The North West Mounted Police." Gerald Russell, of Assumption troop, section two, spoke on the District troop, and William Edwards, of St. Jude's troop, section three, told the activities of H. Lister, first commissioner, when he was in the city recently. The boys were at home with their subjects and won hearty applause from the meeting.

### Games Played

Games were carried on, each section specializing in some stunt. A vote of thanks was extended. Trinity church officials for having given the use of their hall for so long. No report was received from the School Board, which has been asked to allow the Scouts to use a school assembly hall, but it was understood that this would be dealt with at a meeting of the board tonight. The Scouts have been without a home since they were obliged to give up their hall, which was needed for church activities. They are awaiting the answer of the School Board as to their subjects and won hearty applause from the meeting.

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THE QUAKE
Earthquake. A vibration or sudden undulation of a portion of the earth's crust, a shaking of the ground. The vibration advances in a series of waves from one or more deep seated central points called foci, where it may arise from the splitting of a mass of rock, due to contraction of the earth's crust, or from volcanic or other causes.

It would be difficult to find any two people in St. John or in New Brunswick who would describe the earthquake shocks of Saturday night in the same terms. There was only one earthquake, but such things seldom impress two people in the same way. To those who happened to be where they were free from either noise or other distraction at the time, the first tremor may have passed unnoticed, but as the tremors grew in intensity there was a sudden feeling of uneasiness, followed by one of mystery, and then by an instantaneous decision that this must be an earthquake. Window panes rattled, and solid houses seemed to shudder and sway slightly. There was a feeling as though the floor were pressed upward by some mighty force from below. There was a movement at once tremulous and wave-like, a greater rattling of the windows, a more perceptible feeling that the walls were moving, and then which the sea movement gradually subsided. The crest of the underground wave passed in less than thirty seconds. Subsequent shocks were much slighter and few of them, probably, were really noticeable here because by the time they came most people were asleep, but a few did feel one or two during the night.

THE WAR DEBTS.
Great Britain is proving a lenient creditor of her war debts. Indeed repeated British concessions in the matter of her loans made to the Allies during the war, at a time when there must have collapsed with disaster to the cause of civilization but for her financial aid, is bound to be compared with her course in undertaking the payment of every cent of the loans she floated in the United States at the same time. It will never be forgotten that the American money that she has received was turned over to her Allies, and that the prospects for recovering much of it are not good.

London cablegrams show that the latest British offer to France is even more favorable than that outlined a few days ago. The first British proposal was that the Government must expect to collect from the Allies and from German reparations the sum which Britain must pay the United States. This was understood as meaning that to the extent that Germany failed or defaulted, the Allies would have to pay. As now explained, the British have made known their willingness to accept payments from France and the other Allies in accordance with their ability to pay, together with a percentage of the German payments to them.

NOT POLITICAL.
The parliamentary correspondent of the Ottawa Citizen says of the big delegation: "The delegation that is here is not only numerically large but very influential and it represents one party as much as another. The strength of the case which is being presented, taken in conjunction with political events provincial and federal, which are impending, would seem to suggest that the appeal will not fail to awaken the response that is hoped for."

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Y. M. C. I. PLANS FOR NEW ACTIVITIES

Members Discuss Possibilities of Camp For The Coming Summer Months.
A meeting of the Y. M. C. I. was held yesterday afternoon at which several reports were received and there was a general discussion on plans for the near future. It was reported that the House pool tournament was going along well, and the Maritime boxing championships held under the auspices of the "Y" had proven very successful.

Call for National Spirit.
No one born along the beautiful St. John River, with its islands, its curving shores and graceful coves, could fall to be a lover of nature, and much of Mr. Robert's poetry is inspired by the Canadian landscape. He was, however, a moving voice for a national feeling which was so slow to take form after Confederation. Here are two verses from one of his national poems: "Who stands among the nations new? With unannounced brow—"

Odds and Ends
You never know what you'll find in the "Odds and Ends." From "Notes by a Wayfarer."

The Girl Behind the Cigarette
Mr. Arthur Ponsonby, who no one has suspected of being a humorist, says the wisest man of today is a woman. He writes "I. B. D." in the Victoria Colonist. The dominion is most noticeable in cafes and restaurants, says this eminent British authority. "In the old days you would see a man enter, followed by a girl, shy and demure. Today you will see the girl stride in with an air of mastery and assurance, her brimless hat crushed over her eyes, a long, thin holder suspended from her lips, and behind her trots the little man. She orders the meal, and if there is any swearing to be done at the water she will do it. None of the bewicklered gentlemen of the old school would permit anything like that, would they?"

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C. N. R. Radio

GNRA, MONCTON—318.
8.30 p.m.—Programme by students of the Halifax Conservatory of Music, Halifax, N. S.
Piano solo—"Ballade" in A Flat. Op. No. 10, No. 3. Chopin.
Vocal solo—"On the Immortal Height"—Atilia. Verdi.
Vocal solo—"Spanish Dance"—Rehfeld. Miss Jean Fraser.
Piano solo—"Andante and Ronco Mendelssohn." Miss Helen Wilson.
Vocal solo—"A. Part of Swanee Wind." Miss Edith Bowes.
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GIVES PROTESTANT VIEW OF CHURCH

Rev. Hugh Miller Speaks on Confession of Caesara Philippi.
There was a fine congregation in St. David's church last night who listened with the closest attention while the minister, Rev. Hugh Miller, M.A., B.D., gave an exposition of the Protestant interpretation of the famous confession at Caesara Philippi. It was the question of the proper interpretation of the words of Christ on this occasion which had split Christianity all through the centuries.

There had been many rumors as to the person of their Master, and now He says to them: "Whom do men say that I am?" The man on the street would not tell Jesus what he thought, but their reticence would be forgotten when in the presence of the disciples. It was then that Peter gave utterance to his confession, and that Jesus made use of the words so often quoted as to the founding of His church.

Protestant Church.
The position of the Protestant Church is that it is the confession to which Christ referred as the rock. This has been the touchstone all along through the ages. The confession of Christ has always been held to be the first essential. Christ did not require any other test of discipleship. Peter, because it was not long after this very day that behind the Master addressed him: "Get thee behind Me Satan." Again it was Peter who denied his Lord—surely now, if Peter also found a church. It was Peter also whom Paul withstood in his face when he wished to keep the gospel at home instead of sending it to the Gentiles.

SCHOONER IS SEIZED
British Vessel Had 3,500 Cases of Liquor Aboard When Taken.
PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 1.—The coast guard liquor patrol yesterday seized the British schooner Taquist, which was driven by a gale from her anchorage off the Rhode Island coast, and was obliged to take refuge in the lee of the old harbor at Block Island.

FAST DAYS.
Wednesday, Friday and Saturday of this week will be fast days in the Catholic church. They are the Ember days of Lent.

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thirst quenching
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FOLEY'S PREPARED FIRE CLAY
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The occasion for buying Jewellery is so important you like to feel that everything is in your favor.
The type of Jeweler, one commanding the utmost confidence. The type of stock one so well chosen that making a wrong choice is impossible.
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In such a store of such a character the pleasure of expressing your taste is all the keener when safeguarded in every way.
Through generations the Senior Jewelers have tried to mean all that and more. They have been singularly fortunate in their aims by having always the largest patronage in the province. This in turn has justified their carrying the largest selections—bought in greater quantity and therefore lower priced.

Ferguson & Page Jewelers
Schooner is seized
British vessel had 3,500 cases of liquor aboard when taken.

This Jury of Pen Owners Gives the Reasons Why Duofold Outshines Any Other
Though Hoops of Pens are Lower-Priced
My Duofold was used on 31,000 hotel guests and their different styles of writing didn't alter the point one iota.

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For over 100 years, (four generations)
Dack's have been making exclusively highest quality shoes for men.
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3 MAJOR MOVES FOR PEACE ARE IN THE MAKING

Alliance of France, Britain and Belgium Is One Project

WIDER WORLD PACT ANOTHER IDEA

Third Is Second Disarmament Conference—Writer Discusses the Situation.

PARIS, March 2.—(United Press).—Three major moves towards world peace are in the making today. These plans are:

1—A possible alliance by France, Great Britain and Belgium to guarantee French and Belgian security on the continent against another attack by Germany.

2—A wider "world pact" to settle the question of European security, the idea for which was brought forward by Germany.

3—A second disarmament conference at Washington to finish the work begun at the first Washington Conference and, if possible, to extend world disarmament into other fields.

The first two ideas concern one broad subject, which is at present the most formidable problem of the world—European security, with special reference to France. The first is a settlement of this broad question, only one of the first two plans needs be carried into effect, or the two could be combined into one. The third plan can be executed in addition to agreement on the first two, and, in fact, largely depends on a settlement of the first question.

Recent developments in the European situation have completely confirmed the fact, published first in these despatches, that Premier Herriot of France and Foreign Secretary Chamberlain of Great Britain gave close attention to their conference in Paris to the security problem and since have been deeply engrossed in this question.

France would prefer a defensive alliance with Great Britain and Belgium to almost any other solution of the security problem that is possible at the present time. Chamberlain has apparently been taken as one of the tenets of his foreign policy that France's anxieties regarding her security must be calmed before there can be real peace in Europe. But Chamberlain must move cautiously, for it is his belief that his foreign policy should be approved by the British dominions.

Now Germany has stepped into the breach with her plan of a security pact, to which she would like to see the great powers of Europe, through a tripartite arrangement, but would be more in the nature of a "world pact."

Various interpretations have been placed on the German move. There is the theory that Germany thus is simply seeking to drive a wedge between France and Great Britain and prevent an alliance between those powers with the participation of Belgium. There is the belief that Germany's action shows that she is afraid of being isolated by the great powers of Europe through the consummation of a Franco-Belgian defensive alliance and wants to take part in this arrangement.

Whether or not Germany's real intentions and her authoritative representatives assure that they are purely the view to bring about a real solution of European security—Europe's judgment on the recent treaty signed between Japan and Soviet Russia and the probable factors involved therein, are highly significant.

Speculation. Is there being drawn a great Russo-Japanese-Chinese German Alliance, Europe asks? Will Great Britain and others of the great European Powers be inclined to favor participation of Germany in a settlement of the security problem, in order to keep Germany out of the other possible alliance linking the East with the West, is another question asked on the basis of the first.

But, any satisfactory settlement of the security problem, regardless of its form, will certainly facilitate the calling of another disarmament conference at Washington, which President Coolidge has promised to do if possible, for it is almost a *fait accompli* conclusion now that Great Britain will not ratify the Geneva protocol, which probably will spell the doom of this treaty, as it is not believed that Japan will ratify without England. Therefore, some other form of settlement of the security problem must be found before a disarmament conference at Washington could bear full fruit.

MONTCLARE ON WAY Sailed Saturday With Passengers Off Montclair For St. John.

QUEENSTOWN, Ireland, March 1.—The steamer Montclair, having taken aboard the passengers of the Canadian Pacific liner Montclair, which was forced to return to Queenstown Friday because of damage to her steering gear, sailed at 9 o'clock last night for St. John, N. B. The passengers on board the Montclair now number nearly 1,000, while there are more than 5,000 sacks of mail. The Montclair is being towed to Liverpool for repairs.

Bell Will Command Toronto District

TORONTO, March 1.—General A. H. Bell, C.M.G., D.S.O., will officially resume his duties as commander of Military District No. 2 tomorrow when the resignation of Col. A. H. Borden becomes effective. The retiring officer will leave immediately for Halifax. General Bell comes to Toronto from Calgary.

Deaths

George T. Miller.

Many friends in New Brunswick were deeply grieved to learn of the death of George T. Miller, second son of the late Charles Miller and Mrs. Miller of this city, which occurred on Saturday in Bermuda after an illness of only a few days. His brother, H. Usher Miller and Mrs. H. Usher Miller left for Bermuda immediately word of his illness was received here but they will arrive too late to attend the funeral which took place yesterday afternoon. Mr. George Miller took up residence in Bermuda about 15 years ago. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Virginia and Helen at Netherwood school at Bethesda at Netherwood school at Bethesda and two sons, Sydney and Frank at home, his mother, Mrs. Charles Miller and two brothers, H. Usher Miller and Frank Miller, all of St. John.

Margaret Carroll.

The death took place of Margaret Carroll on Saturday at the Mater Misericordiae Home, Sydney street. She was 90 years old, a daughter of the late John and Eliza Carroll, a well known resident of West St. John, and leaves one sister, Mrs. Hannah Friel, of Boston, to mourn. The funeral will be held from the home on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock to the Cathedral for high mass of requiem.

Funerals

Mrs. Frank L. Best.

The love and respect in which Mrs. Frank L. Best was held by the community at large was feelingly attested by the wealth of floral tributes sent to the mourning home on Saturday. Mrs. Best, who was a woman of ideal domestic tastes, made her pretty cottage on the Sandy Point Beach a centre of hospitality in the summer months and many of the floral remembrances were mute expressions of memories of her goodness to intimate acquaintances and strangers alike. The following list rather emphasize this fact: Husband, pillow, sister and brother, broken circle; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kincaid, cross; Chas. E. Colwell and son, Montreal, wreath; Harold Kincaid, Jr., basket; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Kincaid, Providence, R. I., star; Mr. and Mrs. W. Pedersen, wreath; H. Vineberg & Co., Ltd., Montreal, wreath; Mr. H. C. Duffy, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davison, broken circle; Driscoll Drug Co., wreath; Mr. and Mrs. K. Pederson and Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon, basket; Mr. R. A. Lidd, Clothing Dept., Mr. Morrison, sheaf; Loyalist Temple, No. 18, Pythian Sisters, sheaf; L. R. Ross, sheaf; Mr. D. E. Lynch, spray; P. L. Best, Jr., spray; King & Parke, Ltd., sheaf; Mrs. F. H. Foster and Mrs. Callahan, spray; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Golding, spray; Mrs. Wm. Vincent and family, spray; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Foster, sheaf; Mr. and Mrs. A. Stephenson, sheaf; Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Woodworth, spray; Mr. and Mrs. A. Bowen, Yarmouth, N. S., sheaf; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parke, sheaf; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leck, sheaf; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Beckett and family, spray; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Vanwart, spray; Mr. and Mrs. Edmondston, Florenceville, Dalhousie and elsewhere.

Damage at Dalhousie. DALHOUSIE, March 2.—An earthquake, which lasted about 20 seconds, occurred here on Saturday evening. It was about 10 minutes past 10 o'clock. In some buildings the clocks stopped. In one house a partition separated from the wall several inches.

Calgary Unshaken. CALGARY, March 2.—The earthquake shock felt in Eastern Canada did not extend to Calgary. No shock was felt here.

Felt in Saskatoon. SASKATOON, Sask., March 2.—Earthquake shocks, not quite so severe as those in the last, big Japanese catastrophe, were registered by the University seismograph here between 7:30 and 8 o'clock Saturday evening. The needle of the instrument showed a variation of three inches, far heavier than that recorded by the average seismic disturbance.

KNOW NOTHING OF CUT RATE ON COAL

C. N. R. Officials Say Alberta Ontario Tariff up to Commission.

MONTREAL, March 1.—Canadian National Railways headquarters here yesterday issued the following statement: "Freight traffic officials of the Canadian National Railways have no knowledge of the report registered by the University of Alberta coal from \$12.70 per ton to \$7 per ton to Ontario points. The reduction was to take place within a few days, according to a statement by J. D. Grant, a Drumblerville mining man.

"The Ontario Government, in the Speech from the Throne on Feb. 10, announced that an application would be made to the Railway Commission for a special rate for the carriage of coal to Ontario, and so far as the railway officers are concerned that is the only new development in the situation. When this application comes up before the Railway Board, costs of transportation, etc., will be fully gone into."

Action This Week In Matter Of Hangings

Sheriff J. B. Hawthorne expects that action with regard to the circulation of petitions for amendment of the law concerning executions by hanging will be taken this week. The desire is for provision for all hangings to take place at the Maritime Penitentiary at Dorchester where permanent arrangements for executions could be made.

FATHER SAVAGE RETURNS.

Rev. E. Savage, pastor of St. Bernard's church, Moncton, has returned after a four weeks vacation trip spent with relatives and friends in Chicago. He also visited Notre Dame University, Indiana.

EARTH TREMOR FELT ALL OVER THE CONTINENT

Houses Shake, Dishes Broken and People Alarmed by Saturday Night Quake

PHENOMENON LASTED ABOUT 25 MINUTES

Casualties and Damage Reported as Result in Other Localities.

An earth tremor that caused widespread alarm but fortunately no damage was felt distinctly in St. John beginning about 10:20 o'clock Saturday night and lasting for about three minutes. Buildings shook noticeably in all parts of the city, while several citizens reported flower plants crashed to the floor and chinaware smashed. Furniture and draperies moved in a weird manner and many citizens in a panic quitted the shaking buildings. The unusual phenomenon was felt mostly by people inside as many people who were on the streets at this hour declared they had not noticed the tremor.

Art Novelties

A display of latest novelties in our art department offers a fine choice of suitable bridge prizes and other remembrances.

TRINKET BOXES

With tops covered with fancy colored feathers. Very bright and attractive. 85c and \$1.35 each

PARROTS

with bright plumage. These are perched on trinket boxes and are in handsome shades of red, or in white. 95c to \$1.25 each

CHINA HEADS

Finely molded and in various poses. These are very popular as gift novelties. Very low priced. 30c each

KEWPIE CUSHIONS

For pin cushions or may be used as trinket boxes. Made in pretty houndie shades. Dainty and very handy too. 85c each

EGYPTIAN DOLLS

Grotesque figures painted in severe stripes. 85c each

KIKI PEN WIPERS

With a pair of small candles. Better choice yours early. (Silk Dept., 2nd floor.)

Evangelist Comes This Week To Main Street Baptist Church

At the evening service in Main street Baptist church on Sunday, Rev. Dr. Hitchings made special reference to an evangelistic campaign which is to begin on Tuesday evening, at which the speaker will be Rev. Harry Taylor. The singing will be led by Miss Ruth Taylor, daughter of the speaker. In addition being a harpist and plays the accompaniments for Miss Taylor's solo.

The evangelist comes to this city from Halifax, where he has been conducting a mission at the West End Baptist church and the Halifax papers speak highly of him as a preacher and evangelist.

Large congregations were present at both services yesterday in the Main street Baptist church. In the morning at the close of the service the ordinance of baptism was administered to three candidates and at the close of the evening service the Lord's Supper was observed.

Dogs cannot be landed in Great Britain unless a license has been previously obtained from the Board of Agriculture in London.

Comes To St. John



REV. HARRY TAYLOR.

SAVES HIS CAR BUT SUFFERS \$25 FINE

Owner Backs Down After Offering Auto to Anyone Driving it 40 M. P. H.

SPRINGFIELD, March 2.—Joseph Lipson, Worcester, almost lost his fine big automobile when Judge Heady in district court accepted his offer of the machine to anyone who could make it go more than 40 miles an hour.

Lipson promptly raised the speed limit to 85 miles an hour when he was so readily taken up. "All right," said Judge Heady, "you will make out a bill of sale of the machine and give it to an officer who will go with you if he can make more than 85 miles an hour."

"Now, judge," the Worcester man plaintively responded, "such a statement you are asking me to make right in a courtroom."

Since Lipson has backed down on his offer, the judge dropped that issue and fined him \$25 on the charge of speeding.

The load-line mark on ships was originated by Pilsnitz, an Englishman, to prevent vessels from going to sea overloaded.

Comes 8,000 Miles to Attend Wedding, Dies

PHILADELPHIA, March 2.—Mrs. Mary Corina Lemare came all the way from Valparaiso, Chile, to Woodbury, N. J., a distance of 8,000 miles, to attend the wedding of her son, Robert Walter Lemare, to Miss Elizabeth Hancock on Jan. 31. Now she is dead. It was a brilliant wedding and Mrs. Lemare was one of the happiest guests. She stayed on at the Hancock home for a brief visit and a few days ago became ill. She died Tuesday, Mrs. Lemare was 87 years old.

At 70 Will Fight Suit of Husband, 80

BOSTON, March 2.—At the age of 70 years, Mrs. Etta L. Hildreth, formerly of Littleton, is racing eastward from Iowa to answer charges of desertion and cruelty contained in a libel for divorce filed against her in Middlesex Probate court by her 80-year-old husband, Charles C. Hildreth.

Married April 17, 1888 at Chesterfield, N. H., Mr. Hildreth alleges his wife deserted him Oct. 21, 1918, on which day and on previous dates she was guilty of cruel and abusive treatment towards him.

SUES FOR \$50,000 GETS CENT DAMAGES

Verdict in Capt. Graham's Alienation Suit Against Ex-Wife's Husband.

BALTIMORE, March 2.—One cent damage was awarded by a jury in City Court after forty minutes' deliberation to Captain Stephen O. S. Graham, former husband of Mrs. Francis T. Hiss, in a suit brought against her present husband, J. Howard Hiss, President of the W. A. Simpson Seed Company, for alienation of his former wife's affections.

The suit was for \$50,000. Captain Graham charged that Hiss had wrecked her home life and brought about her divorce from the present Mrs. Hiss. Mrs. Hiss denied this, testifying in court for her present husband.

She declared that Captain Graham lost her affections about six years ago, when, returning to her apartment on St. Paul street, she found him in company with a strange woman. Captain Graham later obtained a divorce from his wife on grounds of abandonment.

The greatest depth in the Pacific ocean is six miles, near the Island of Guam.

Manchester Robertson Allison Limited. KING STREET GERMAIN STREET MARKET SQUARE. Beautiful Printed Silks For Summery Frocks. Every woman and girl will be wanting to have a frock of printed silk. This is the time to choose silks for making these frocks. Varieties are very fine just now. Later on they will be less varied.

Crepe-De-Chines. In newest colors and charming printed patterns. Something for every taste. 40 in wide... \$2.95 to \$5.25 yd. Pebbled Crepe. In stripes and brocaded patterns. A new fabric this spring, and very lovely. 36 in wide... \$1.50 and \$1.75 yd. Silk Crepes. In stunning self checks. Showing in shades of aurora, orchid, bamboo, grey, navy and black. 38 in. wide. \$2.70 yd. Brocaded Cantons. In handsome spring shades, including grey, navy blue, cocoa, etc., as well as black. 36 in wide... \$2.15 yd.

Remnant Sale of Curtain Materials. Commences Tuesday Morning. Prices are greatly reduced in order to clear immediately. 1 to 6 yards in each length. Included are: SCRIMS and MARQUISSETTES—Plain, crossbarred and in colors. SPOTTED MUSLIN for sash curtains, etc. ALLOVER NETS in white, cream and ecru. MADRAS MUSLIN in cream and colors. This opportunity to re-curtain the home at a very slight cost is too good to let pass. Be on hand early Monday. NO APPROPRIATION—NO EXCHANGE. Sale in Curtain Department. (German street entrance.)

Men's 2-Trouser Suits. Big Value at \$23.50. These suits are very exceptional value. There's nothing shoddy looking about them, even if the price is low. Made from serviceable, good-looking tweeds in striped patterns. Most men will welcome the idea of two pairs of trousers with each suit, as most men know what it is to have a wardrobe full of useless coats and vests. Right now is the time to make a selection from among these new models. The value is so fine, we know we won't have the suits with us very long. SEE THEM IN OUR MEN'S SHOP. (2nd floor.)

More New Arrivals In Ensemble Suits. Poiret Twills and fine corded wool fabrics, plain, embroidered and fur trimmed, fashion stunning full length coats that top the new ensemble suits. Dresses that complete suits are developed in many cases of crepe-de-chine to match coat linings combined with bands and other touches of material as coats. There are many new and becoming colors showing for spring. Important among them are rust, oakwood brown, arden green and of course, navy blue. Collars and bands of soft fur add a delightfully rich finish to some of the very smartest models. In one case a suit of Arden green cord, has stunning standing collar of fine grey fur caught in at regular intervals with narrow bands of silver braid. Bottom of coat is also banded with fur to match. We would like to have you see these newest models before they become picked over.

Frocks Of Latest Vogue. Every new and fashionable style touch one could imagine will be found in newest frocks for spring showing here. Gaiety abounds in dresses of printed or striped silk, especially suitable for warmer weather wear. You may choose from loose, pliable woollens and sleek crepe-de-chines. The styles are certain to please for they cater to both Miss and Matron with a nicety. Ensemble Dresses, which really means, two frocks in one, are another of spring's style features. Coats For Early Spring. It isn't a day too early to choose the coat you will be needing for spring, as there are many novelties to be chosen among first arrivals that are not seen later. Plain surfaced fabrics and serviceable mixed tweeds are both being shown in fashionable models. You may choose your fabric according to your particular need. Colors and styles are delightfully new. You'll enjoy choosing from among them. (Costume Dept., 2nd floor.)

THE TIMES-STAR FEATURE PAGE

Adventures of the Twins

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON.

Mister Peg Leg and the Twins went along through the Land-Of-Deer-Knows...

But almost before the last words were out of her mouth, who should open the front door but Reddy Fox himself...

"Where are you going, my pretty maid? Please step inside, don't be afraid."

"I'm going with Nick and Mister Peg Leg to sell things," said Nancy. "I'm not afraid, but we can't step inside because we are in a hurry."

"Hurry! You'll just come in if I say so," said the fox. "If you don't I'll tear Mister Stumpalongs' pack all to pieces with my sharp teeth."

"His name's not Stumpalongs—it's Peg Leg," said Nancy. "We'd better go in for you can't tell what he'll do."

So Nancy and Nick and Mister Peg Leg walked right into Reddy Fox's house. "Have you any money?" asked the fairman unseeingly.

"Money! Ha, ha, ha! That's a joke. I don't need money. What I want, I take. And I want a lot. Now show me everything."

Four Peg Leg undid his pack and spread out his wares. "Now let me see," said Reddy licking his lips and grinning again like a cheery cat.

ATTEND BANQUET.

The Merry Entertainers of the Main Street Baptist church greatly enjoyed a banquet held in the schoolroom of the church on Saturday night.

CHANGE PULPITS.

During Lent pulpit interchanges are being made by some of the Anglican clergymen in the city.

NEW COLLARS.

Collars of georgette crepe with long scarf ends finish some of the most lovely silk wraps.

Fables On Health

BEST OF ALL FOODS

WHAT is the best single food we have? Mrs. Mann of Anytown was asked in her study of foods for health's sake.

Without a moment's hesitation she answered that it was milk.

Milk contains all the elements ordinarily needed for healthy growth. It is the only food of babies, calves, pigs and puppies, and it these grow and thrive on it, it must contain all the elements necessary to life.

Every person should have at least a pint of milk a day, and a quart would be better.

When the boys and girls are growing rapidly—and this means right on through that period of rapid growth from 12 to 16 years—they really need a quart for the best development.

The demand for calcium for the

LITTLE JOE

NATURAL IS THE KEY TO A PERSON'S TRUE SELF



bones and muscles is great during this time, and the principal ingredient of milk is calcium.

It is not necessary to drink the whole quart of milk. Some of it may be taken on cereal, some made into cocoa, creamed soups, custards, junket, rice or other cereal pudding.

If you and your family would be healthy use plenty of milk.

FLAPPER FANNY



SOME boys are so fat they think the three-mile limit is a mere sprint.

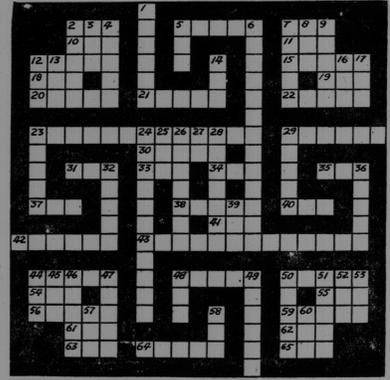
The average depth of the ocean is two miles.

Black Monkey Fur



THIS coat, designed for afternoon wear, makes effective use of black monkey fur as trimming. The material is aquamarine Joiceux. The upstanding collar and unusual revers are distinguishing features.

Cross-Word Puzzle



HORIZONTAL.

- 2.—Division in music. 5.—Everybody loves him. 7.—Means sun. 10.—Township in Ontario. 11.—Wrath. 12.—Underlies. 15.—No time. 18.—Corrode or gnaw away. 19.—At the end of the day. 20.—A crime. 21.—A long street in Ontario. 22.—Haw food. 23.—Wrong apprehension. 29.—More spacious. 30.—A constellation. 31.—Part of circumference. 32.—Made of rushes or reeds. 34.—Ill-wisher. 37.—A well known pest. 38.—A small fraction of a stone (weight). 39.—Large body of water. 41.—To secede brown. 42.—A Dominion. 43.—Immediate. 44.—Onward. 48.—Extensive. 49.—A corner, or place. 49.—Girl's name. 51.—By way of. 52.—No past or future. 53.—Ridicule. 61.—Blunder. 62.—Barrier. 63.—Unofficial. 65.—A pen or enclosure.

VERTICAL.

- 1.—Stellar. 2.—Fastenings. 3.—Part of the verb "to be." 4.—Substance from trees. 5.—Boy. 6.—Rediagnosis. 7.—Goes down. 8.—Metal. 9.—Flat. 12.—Large body of water. 13.—A useful pole. 14.—Companionship. 16.—Girl's name. 17.—Like blood. 22.—Niggard. 24.—Odious. 25.—Chronological. 25.—Deserving compassion. 27.—Preposition. 28.—Spanish princess. 29.—Bodies of water. 32.—Hooded snake. 36.—Yards, booms, etc. 39.—Able. 44.—Part of a fish. 45.—A song, or poem. 46.—Unwist. 47.—Taste. 48.—Begin to grow. 49.—Separate. 50.—Continua. 51.—A white substance. 52.—Negative. 57.—A period of time. 58.—Man's name. 60.—Gnawing animal.

Saturday's Puzzle



THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



JUST AS THE DASHING NEW MILLINER LEFT HER BOARDING HOUSE ERNIE HICKS HAPPENED ALONG WITH HIS RUBBER TIRED RIG

CHASE & SANBORN'S TEA MAINTAINS THE REPUTATION ESTABLISHED BY OUR COFFEE

Always A safe and soothing remedy for cuts, burns, or skin troubles. Protects, soothes, and heals. Internally for coughs and sore throats. Vaseline PETROLEUM JELLY

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



By BLOSSER

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



By MARTIN

SALESMAN \$AM

NAPOLEON MUSTA TRIED IT BEFORE

By SWAN



Contents of Bread You satisfy more hunger and build more health and strength with the money you spend on Bread than any other way you spend the same money. Butter-nut Bread

Reliable Dentistry No Pain. No High Prices. Full Set of Teeth \$10 UP. Broken Plates repaired in 3 hours. Maritime Dental Parlors

THREE BAPTIZED. The rite of baptism was administered to three candidates in the Main Street Baptist church yesterday morning by Rev. Dr. David Hutchinson and special announcements were made of the evangelistic services to be held this week, conducted by Evangelist Harry Taylor...

NAVY BLUE AGAIN Navy blue is a staple in the average woman's wardrobe, but it is being particularly featured for spring and is being combined with bright-colored buttons and color contrasts that lift it out of the mediocre class.

BLUE SERGE AGAIN Blue serge, after having been neglected for some time by fashion, is coming to the front in the spring collection and treated in new and interesting ways.

ELDERS ORDAINED AT EAST ST. JOHN

Organization is Completed in New United Church.

The United Church of East St. John completed its organization at last evening's service with a roll of 43 members.

The members used at the communion service a beautiful individual silver communion set, the gift of two of the members of the congregation as a memorial to the late Rev. Daniel Bailey.

Large, Hideous Necks Can Be Prevented

How many of your friends and acquaintances are affected with Goitre, the most disgusting and difficult disease to cure? Physicians and scientists have exhausted every known means to offer you a preventive for this ugly, dangerous disease without marked success—until now.



Windsor Iodized Salt

Some of the newest garters from Paris have quaint rosettes in which a small face is surrounded by white ribbon, giving the effect of a Pierrot.

One farm structure burns every seven minutes in the United States.

100% Value in every packet of "SALADA" TEA Pure, delicious & rich-drawing. Black, Green and Mixed Blends.

Big Spring Drive For New Customers OUR SILK SECTION A veritable garden of beautiful patterns in the new weaves and new colors for spring and summer dresses.

Our Big Value 40 in. Crepe de Chere All Colors For Tomorrow \$1.39 yd. F.A. DYKEMAN & CO. The Silk House of The Maritimes

Social Notes of Interest

A large number of players and tea guests were present at the St. John Garrison Badminton Club on Saturday afternoon. Tea was served at 4:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Fenwick Fraser, who has spent the last two weeks in New York, Toronto and Montreal, has returned home.

Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Taylor entertained at a most enjoyable dinner last Friday evening at their residence, Germain street, in honor of Mrs. C. E. MacPherson, of Winnipeg.

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THE IMPERIAL LIFE Assurance Company of Canada HEAD OFFICE - TORONTO M. L. McPHAIL, Branch Manager, Royal Bank Bldg., ST. JOHN

What a com-bi-nation! Aunt Jemima pancakes with new run maple syrup

EDWARDSBURG CROWN BRAND CORN SYRUP The pure wholesome corn syrup, a Standard of Quality for over 25 years—ask for it!

No irritation for baby's skin Do this and keep his clothing soft, pure and comfortable



Delightful Styles in the New Spring Dresses Arriving Daily

Hardly a day goes by without a few new Dresses coming to us from the various Fashion Centres. Those to which we call your attention are very recent arrivals.

This particular assemblage shows many frocks for informal afternoon and evening wear. Crepe back satins and novelty woven silks fashion most of them.

SPRING COATS Tailored with — and Smart Simplicity

Swagger in line—exceedingly colorful and pleasing in design and fabric—these Spring Coats strike a new note in smartness. Made up of "charmeuse," "chamoisene," wool-poppins, poirets, etc., in sand, russet, chukker-brown, King blue; many with new "stand-up-gathered" collar with bands or edgings of fur; smart checks and plain velours are also shown.

Prices \$14.85 to \$44.75 London House F. W. DANIEL & CO. HEAD KING ST.

Major John A. MacKenzie, D.S.O., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albin Sturges, Albany, N. Y., returned on Thursday and left yesterday for Brownville Junction, Me.

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Miss Nora Dooty is visiting Miss Jean Vinnuakki, Fredericton.

The Misses G. M. Grant and R. E. McPurson returned to Moncton on Friday from Sackville. They were accompanied by Miss Grant's cousin, Miss Neta Mills, who spent the weekend in Moncton before proceeding to her home in St. John.

FOR NEGLIGEE An attractive negligee is made of white chiffon over brilliant red orange chiffon, bound with maribou in red orange.

SMART WHITE DRESS A smart white kasha dress is embroidered in shades of gray, brown and beige and worn with a coat lined with beige.

First actual work on the Panama canal was started by the French in 1882.

ST. JAMES' BASILICA DAMAGED BY FIRE

Pipe Broken in Earthquake May Have Been Cause of Blaze.

MONTREAL, March 1. St. James' Basilica, the Catholic Cathedral in the west end of the city here, was threatened with destruction this morning when a fire, which may have been caused by oil flowing from a heating system pipe, broken during the earthquake on Saturday night, caught in the furnace room ceiling.

Only the presence of mind of the engineer of the building in turning-off the oil flow by a safety valve and good work by the firemen prevented the flames from spreading to the church proper.

As it was the smoke penetrated the church and the many persons who had

Lecturer Delayed On Journey Here

The address which Miss Lillian Faithful, head mistress of Cheltenham Ladies' College in England was to have given here on Tuesday evening of this week under the auspices of the St. John branch of the National Education Council will not be given on that date but it is hoped that it may be arranged to have Miss Faithful speak in St. John some time next week.

She was coming to Canada on the Montclair which was damaged off the coast of Ireland and with other passengers she was transhipped to the Montclair which is expected to dock here on Saturday of this week.

More than 200,000 persons are now employed in the United States making men's ready-to-wear clothing.

BIG REDUCTIONS AT BROWN'S TOMORROW, TUESDAY Hundreds of Dollars Worth of Right Up-to-the-minute Merchandise at Prices Lower in Many Cases Than Wholesale.

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THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, MARCH 2, 1925

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## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING SECTION

RATES: General Classifications—Two cents a word each insertion; minimum charge 25c. Situations Wanted—One cent a word each insertion; minimum charge 15c.

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WANT AD

### LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Aldred dog; Howard if returned to 25 Dufferin Ave. 1181-3-2

### MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Salesman Maritime Province for men's furnishings. Only worker considered. State experience. Box S. F. W., Telegraph. 1184-3-2

WANTED—Man for farm work. Good milker. Apply Primrose, Farm, South Bay. 1181-3-2

WANTED—Boy at Victoria Bowling Alley. 1184-3-2

LEARN BARBER TRADE, only few weeks required, 21 years of successful teaching. Big demand and great opportunities. For information, apply Modern Barber College, 42 St. Lawrence, Montreal, or 572 Harrington St., Halifax. 1184-3-2

WANTED—General blacksmith. Write A. F. Seely, Hampton. 1171-3-2

WANTED—Men's tailor. Must have experience in making men's overcoats. Apply Maritime Clothing Mfg. Co., 108 Union street. 1170-3-2

WANTED—Janitor and sexton for church in city. Apply with references, to Box P 35, Times-Star. 1159-3-2

MAKE MONEY AT HOME—\$1 to \$2 an hour for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. West Africa and supply you with work. West Africa Showcard Service, 7 Colborne Building, Toronto. 1184-3-2

### FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Experienced dining room girl for Ten Eyck Hall, 121 Union St. 1180-3-2

WANTED—Girls for evening—Apply Paradise, Ltd. 1180-3-2

WANTED—Young women to train as nurses. Monthly allowance of \$12-14 with maintenance. Accredited and text books. School is equipped entirely up to date. Please make application for classes entering March 1st or September 1st. Head tax will be paid if students remain. Address: Bessie Eiler, Principal, Training School for Nurses, The Meriton Hotel, 115-117 Union St. 1180-3-2

WANTED—Dressmakers and finishers for ladies' suits. Apply at once, 1171-3-2

WANTED—Girls experienced on power machines—Gold Crescent Mfg. Co., 21 Clarendon street. 1184-3-2

WANTED—Experienced hand sewer—Apply Cohen's Clothing, 3 Dock street. 1184-3-2

### COOKS AND MAIDS

WANTED—Experienced girl, or middle aged woman, for general housework. Good home, good wages. Apply Mrs. Taylor, 90 Westside Ave., West. 1184-3-2

WANTED—A girl, middle aged, for general housework. References required. Apply Mrs. Thompson, 21 Sydney street. 1184-3-2

WANTED—General maid. Must do plain cooking—Apply 35 Paddock. 1184-3-2

WANTED—A competent maid. References required. Mrs. H. Black, 192 Queen street. 1184-3-2

WANTED—Cook. Apply Matron Chalmers, 48 Garden street. 1184-3-2

WANTED—Young girl for general housework. References required. Apply Mrs. L. Goldberg, 50 Mill street. 1184-3-2

WANTED—General maid with good references. Apply between 7 and 9, 4 Colburn street. 1184-3-2

WANTED—A competent housemaid. Apply to Miss Thomas, 18 Mecklenburg terrace. References required. 1184-3-2

WANTED—A housemaid with some experience. Apply Mrs. W. G. Bell, 289 Gormain street. 1184-3-2

### AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS—Pick up \$5 for few hours work. Then if you like, work regularly, day a business, 24 hours, make \$5 up daily. Experience or capital unnecessary. Garrison Company, Brantford, Ont. 547.

MAKE MONEY AT HOME—\$1 to \$2 an hour for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We insure and supply you with work. West Africa Showcard Service, 7 Colborne Building, Toronto. 1184-3-2

### SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper. Is open to work for firm or keeping office help for two or three hours a day or evenings. Good banking experience. Apply Box P 106, Times. 1179-3-2

WANTED—Young lady, with several years experience, desires position as computer operator, also has had experience in general office work. Best reference—Call Main 1997 night. 1184-3-2

### FOR SALE—AUTOS

FOR SALE—Two McLaughlin cars, extra car in party tires, etc. First \$325 takes all. Call M. 4080. 1184-3-2

FOR SALE—ALWAYS A FEW GOOD used cars, which we sell for less than cost, us, after thorough overhauling. One-third cash, balance 12 months. Twelve months—Victory Garage, 92 Duke street, Phone Main 4100. 1184-3-2

### FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD

FOR SALE—Upright piano, bedroom, dining room and kitchen furniture—97 Hazen street. 1184-3-2

FOR SALE—Piano, dining room suite, beds and floor coverings. 1182-3-2

FOR SALE—Sideboard, wardrobe, lounge tables, hot-trunk, gas range, Indolium, vacuum sweeper, pictures, etc.—142 Charlotte St., middle door. Phone 371-21. 1176-3-2

FOR SALE—Table piano. First \$25.00 takes it—23 Britannia street. 1172-3-2

FOR SALE—Solid built brick house, 198 Wentworth street, 3 rooms, moderate improvements, \$2,500, cash terms. Phone 4107. 1168-3-2

FOR SALE—Handsome walnut inlaid bed with mahogany bedstead, suit and household effects—192 Colburn street, West. 1168-3-2

FOR SALE—Contents of flat. Apply 69 St. David street. 1170-3-2

FOR SALE—Household effects. Telephone M. 1316-4. 1174-3-2

### FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Two family houses, central, wide range of prices, also East St. John; many to select from. Terms arranged—W. E. Lawton & Son, 1184-3-2

FOR SALE—Self-contained freehold, 65 Cranston Ave., nice corner property. Enquire Holder's Bakery, 196 Rockland Road. 1184-3-2

TO LET OR FOR SALE—Mr. H. N. Stetson's residence, 161 Mt. Pleasant Ave. Perfect modern modern improvements, hardwood floors, hot water heating, gas and electric, immediate possession to a desirable tenant. Rent \$750 a year, or furnished, according to amount of furniture. 1119-3-2

### FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—New 2 family house, modern improvements, large lot, Douglas Ave. Easy terms—Apply H. O. Miller, United Garage or Phone 2384 or M. 3763. 1176-3-2

FOR SALE—Residence of late M. G. Tweed; large freehold lot, brick house, electric light, hot water heating—Apply Mrs. Teed, 119 Hazen street. 1182-3-2

### FOR SALE—GENERAL

FOR SALE—Persian Lamb fur coat worn a few times. Bargain—Apply Box U 29, Times. 1183-3-2

FOR SALE—Office safe and quartered oak filing cabinet at bargain—Telephone Main 3561. 1180-3-2

PAINT BRUSHES from 5 cents up, at McCann's, Water street. 1183-3-2

FOR SALE—Cabin motor boat, speed 10 miles. Bargain. Immediate sale—Phone M. 70. 1178-3-2

FOR SALE—Team of good servicable horses. Apply Gordon, 90 Broad. 1171-3-2

FOR SALE—Stock, dies, cutter and vice—Apply 282 Duke street, Phone M. 2142-11. 1179-3-2

FOR SALE—Grey Lloyd baby carriage, also Lloyd go-cart. Good condition—292 Rockland road. 1184-3-2

FOR SALE—Ladies' suits and coats \$2.99-18 Waterloo. 1182-3-2

FOR SALE—50 thoroughbred Plymouth Rock hens. Tel. M. 4335. 1184-3-2

### WANTED—GENERAL

WANTED—Room and board by a young man, in private family—Address Box U 15, Times Office. 1172-3-2

WANTED—Ford Sedan. Must be reasonable. Will pay cash—Main 1093-3-2

WANTED—Horse about 1000 lbs. Must be sound and kind. Apply, stating where can be seen, to Evening Times Box 78. 1180-3-2

### HOUSES TO LET

TO LET—Self-contained house, hardwood floors, bath and electric. East St. John—Apply Miss N. McGrath, Imperial Theatre Building. 1182-3-2

TO LET—House, Broad street, 6 rooms, modern—Telephone M. 2422-21. 1184-3-2

TO LET—A desirable self-contained brick house, 24 Crown street, nine rooms, bath, hardwood floors, electric stairs. Now occupied by A. S. Bowman. Apply D. W. Puddington, 1171-3-2

FOR SALE—Two family houses and self-contained house, West John Street, St. John—Apply Mrs. E. A. Lawton & Son, 1184-3-2

TO LET—Self-contained house, 30, 32 and 34 Charles street—Apply 109 Hazen. 1171-3-2

TO LET—Self-contained house, modern improvements. Seen 2 to 4, Miss Merrill, 120 Telephone Main 4068. 1182-3-2

TO LET—From May 1st, first class rooming house, 13 good-sized rooms, hot water heating, electric lights, corner German street and Pagan Place. Apply to The Saint John Real Estate Company, Limited, 39 Princess street, city. 1184-3-2

TO LET—House, 87 Elliott row, electric, bath, seven rooms—M. 490. 1184-3-2

TO LET—House, 349 Main street, opposite Douglas Ave.—Apply Dr. Maher. 1172-3-2

### PLACES IN COUNTRY

PURNISHED Apartment, five rooms with bath, five minutes walk from Bell's, 180 at Riverdale—Phone 2078. 1184-3-2

### FLATS TO LET

TO LET—Heated upper flat, 4 Peters street, 1 room and bath. \$12.00. Wednesdays and Fridays 2 to 4. 1184-3-2

TO LET—Pleasant 6 room flat, bath, electric, 114 Victoria street. Seen Tuesday, Thursday—Apply 1184-3-2

TO LET—Bright sunny upper flat, modern, 2 1/2, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6, 233 Britannia street. See Best reference—Call Main 1997 night. 1184-3-2

TO LET—Upper corner flat, red house, 33 First street, Phone 1842-3-2

TO LET—Modern flat, Crown street, between Princes and Orange—Main 2165. 1184-3-2

TO LET—Modern 6 room flat, hardwood floors, heated by landlady, 251 King St. East, or M. 2914. 1182-3-2

TO LET—Small flat in rear of 251 King St. East—Telephone M. 2814. 1184-3-2

TO LET—Bright, cheerful lower flat, 6 rooms and bath, large ground front and back at 141 Paradise row—Phone M. 982-11. 1181-3-2

FLAT, 17 Garden; also one heated—Apply 34 Wall, M. 1180-3-2

TO LET—Flat, 183 St. James street, Rent \$25. Phone 231. 1180-3-2

TO LET—Fats, central—Phone 1568. 1182-3-2

TO LET—Modern flat. Apply 74 Summer street. 1182-3-2

TO LET—Eight room heated flat, Prince street. Tel. M. 2831. 1180-3-2

TO LET—Modern flat, 7 rooms, 176 Adelaide—M. 1351. 1168-3-2

### FLATS TO LET

TO LET—Lower flat, 178 Duke street—Apply to Dillmore's 8 King, or Mr. Armstrong, Unique Theatre. 1162-3-11

COMFORTABLE FLAT, 3 bedrooms, \$30 a month—228-21. 1180-3-2

TO LET—Flat, electric lights and bath, hot water heating—Apply George Maxwell, 3 Dunn Avenue, West Side. 1181-3-2

DESIRABLE modern 6 roomed middle flat, well heated by landlady, hardwood floors, 141 King St. East, also small flat in rear. Inquire Hansen's, 146, 17-19 Charlotte street, or Phone M. 2814. 1181-3-2

TO LET—Upper flat, 169 Waterloo street. Tel. 1228. 1182-3-2

TO LET—Three flats, 90 Chapel St. Phone M. 4084. 1180-3-16

TO LET—Flat, 30 Canon street—Phone M. 4084. 1180-3-16

TO LET—Flat, 23 Union. Seen Tuesdays and Fridays. 1183-3-2

TO LET—Flat, 24 Barker street. 1183-3-2

TO LET—Flat, 120 St. James street. 1184-3-16

TO LET—Heated, modern flat, six rooms and bath, sanitary service, heated by landlady; central. Two minutes walk from King Square. Rent moderate—Telephones 1401. 1179-3-2

TO LET—Comfortable middle flat, 15 Brindley, bath, electric—Apply 149 Waterloo—Phone 1468-41. 1182-3-2

TO LET—Modern 7 room flat, 100 City road, also 6 room corner flat, 231 City road. Enquire 282 City road, top bell. 1184-3-2

TO LET—Sunny self-contained flat, modern improvements; central. Seen Mondays-Wednesdays. 9. 1175-3-2

TO LET—Small flats, \$30, \$31, Rockland road, modern. 1177-3-2

TO LET—Flat, West Saint John, 607. W. E. A. Lawton & Son, 1093-3-2

TO LET—Small flats, North End and West 964—sterling Healy Limited. 1172-3-2

TO LET—Modern, heated flat, 5 rooms and bath. Apply Mrs. A. E. Scott, 111 Gormain street. 1172-3-2

TO LET—Plats and apartments, heated, moderate rents—W. E. A. Lawton & Son, 1187-3-2

TO LET—Seven room flat, corner house, bath and electric—60 Albert street, North End. 1184-3-2

TO LET—Plats, 4 and 5 rooms, electric. Inquire 129 Main. Phone 5174-3-5

TO LET—Modern 7 room flat, 177 Pitt street. 1174-3-2

TO LET—Upper flat, 87 Broad, corner Carmarthen, kitchen, dining room, parlor, four bedrooms, toilet, electric lights, \$25.00. Seen Tuesday, Friday 7 to 9 o'clock. Also two flats, 288 Carmarthen street, \$25.00—Phone Main 298-11 evenings or apply 16164 Sydney street, W. V. McKinley. 1186-3-2

TO LET—Lower flat, No. 63 Carmarthen street, known as the "Electric" flat, electric lights, \$35.00. Inspection Monday and Tuesday afternoons, 4 to 6 o'clock—Telephone Main 4068. 1182-3-2

TO LET—Upper flat, 260 Douglas Avenue, 7 rooms and bath, hardwood floors, hot water heating, electric lights, with garage \$45.00—Telephone Main 4098. 1184-3-2

TO LET—Large upper flat, 39 Princess street, corner Carmarthen and St. Andrews street; also store No. 183 Carmarthen—Phone M. 423. 1177-3-2

TO LET—Bright sunny modern flat, Seven rooms, bath and electric. Close to Prince Wm. St. 1164-3-2

TO LET—Modern 8 room flat. Apply 180 Main street. 1142-3-2

TO LET—Flat, Lansdowne Ave., modern, five rooms, Call Healy. 1182-3-2

TO LET—Bright, modern upper flat, 112 Lansdowne Ave., Main 154-21. 1178-3-2

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TO LET—Eight rooms, corner Lombard and Dorchester extension, Bath 10, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162, 164, 166, 168, 170, 172, 174, 176, 178, 180, 182, 184, 186, 188, 190, 192, 194, 196, 198, 200, 202, 204, 206, 208, 210, 212, 214, 216, 218, 220, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 248, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 262, 264, 266, 268, 270, 272, 274, 276, 278, 280, 282, 284, 286, 288, 290, 292, 294, 296, 298, 300, 302, 304, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 338, 340, 342, 344, 346, 348, 350, 352, 354, 356, 358, 360, 362, 364, 366, 368, 370, 372, 374, 376, 378, 380, 382, 384, 386, 388, 390, 392, 394, 396, 398, 400, 402, 404, 406, 408, 410, 412, 414, 416, 418, 420, 422, 424, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 438, 440, 442, 444, 446, 448, 450, 452, 454, 456, 458, 460, 462, 464, 466, 468, 470, 472, 474, 476, 478, 480, 482, 484, 486, 488, 490, 492, 494, 496, 498, 500, 502, 504, 506, 508, 510, 512, 514, 516, 518, 520, 522, 524, 526, 528, 530, 532, 534, 536, 538, 540, 542, 544, 546, 548, 550, 552, 554, 556, 558, 560, 562, 564, 566, 568, 570, 572, 574, 576, 578, 580, 582, 584, 586, 588, 590, 592, 594, 596, 598, 600, 602, 604, 606, 608, 610, 612, 614, 616, 618, 620, 622, 624, 626, 628, 630, 632, 634, 636, 638, 640, 642, 644, 646, 648, 650, 652, 654, 656, 658, 660, 662, 664, 666, 668, 670, 672, 674, 676, 678, 680, 682, 684, 686, 688, 690, 692, 694, 696, 698, 700, 702, 704, 706, 708, 710, 712, 714, 716, 718, 720, 722, 724, 726, 728, 730, 732, 734, 736, 738, 740, 742, 744, 746, 748, 750, 752, 754, 756, 758, 760, 762, 764, 766, 768, 770, 772, 774, 776, 778, 780, 782, 784, 786, 788, 790, 792, 794, 796, 798, 800, 802, 804, 806, 808, 810, 812, 814, 816, 818, 820, 822, 824, 826, 828, 830, 832, 834, 836, 838, 840, 842, 844, 846, 848, 850, 852, 854, 856, 858, 860, 862, 864, 866, 868, 870, 872, 874, 876, 878, 880, 882, 884, 886, 888, 890, 892, 894, 896, 898, 900, 902, 904, 906, 908, 910, 912, 914, 916, 918, 920, 922, 924, 926, 928, 930, 932, 934, 936, 938, 940, 942, 944, 946, 948, 950, 952, 954, 956, 958, 960, 962, 964, 966, 968, 970, 972, 974, 976, 978, 980, 982, 984, 986, 988, 990, 992, 994, 996, 998, 1000. 1184-3-2

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FINANCIAL

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Several Variations in Price While Stocks is Active in Montreal

RISING QUOTATIONS FEATURE WALL ST.

Reports of Merger Causes Heavy Buying in Many Oil Shares.

MONTREAL, Mar. 2—Early trading on the local stock market today was featured by National Breweries, which, after displaying strength on Saturday by rising two points, and being the most active issue, opened this morning at 53 1/2 off 4 1/2 points, strengthened to 54 and, then sagged to 51 1/2, where it was down six points from last month's close. Well over a 1,000 shares changed hands during the first 15 minutes. Apart from Breweries, the market was quiet. Asbestos preferred gained two to 88, while Detroit Railway lost one to 22. Other changes were fractional, including a quarter point decline in Montreal Power 178-8 1/2 and an advance of an eighth to 46 in Winnipeg Rice.

In Wall Street

NEW YORK, Mar. 2—Rising prices marked the resumption of trading in the stock market today with heavy buying of the oil shares promoted by merger reports and prospects of an increase in Mid-Continent crude prices. Demand for other popular industrial shares advanced. Builders, American Locomotive, American Can and American Smelting which scored gains of about a point.

Cable Transfers

MONTREAL, March 2.—Cable transfers 477 1/2.

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Current Events

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Brokers' Opinions

NEW YORK, March 2.—Bache—"Think the secondary reaction improved a somewhat, but the market is still looking for a continuation of the upswing for the day."

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ATLANTIC SUGAR VARIATIONS PROBED

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AGRARIAN STRIKES LESS UNDER FACISTI

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TAKE UP MATTER OF AID FOR BRAVE LITTLE GIRL

Women's Council Committee Meets to Consider Request to City

OFFERS TO ASSIST MARGARET DAVIS

Times-Star Asks Request to Receive Contributions From Generous.

In connection with the publicly expressed desire that there should be recognition given the brave act of 12-year-old Margaret Davis, Main Street, in safely getting her little brother and sisters out of their burning home a few days ago, the Times-Star has heard of several people who are anxious of helping. One lady who knows the family circumstances well and who sees opportunity to help Margaret get an education, and also to relieve the mother in her battle against difficulties, tells of several who have expressed a wish to assist. The Times-Star has been asked to act as temporary custodian of any contributions that may be made, and is very willing to do so and will receive and acknowledge any amounts sent in.

Seeks Peace

General Michael W. Frunze, successor to Trotsky as Bolshevik war commissioner, says that "Russia wants peace and that its army is only for defense. His words are believed to be the Bolsheviks' first move to be received by the general arms conference.

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CANTEEN FUND UP

Prohibition of Public Gambling and Atlantic Subsidy Other Questions

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DISCUSS REPORT ON VICE IN ST. JOHN

Evangelical Alliance Withhold Details—Committee to Urge Clean up.

A committee which investigated vice conditions in the city gave a report that was fully discussed at a meeting of the Evangelical Alliance this morning in St. John. The secretary reported for the Y. M. C. A. The committee was continued as a standing one and given authority to urge upon the proper authorities as the necessity of continued effort to clean up the conditions stated by them. It will also carry out propaganda, arranged for at the meeting. No further statement could be given by Rev. E. Z. Styles, secretary said in giving the report of the meeting.

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Advertisement for Fraser Companies Limited, featuring a large image of a ship and text about preferred stock and investment opportunities.

Advertisement for Diamond Coal, highlighting its quality and availability for industrial and domestic use.

Advertisement for J.S. Gibbon & Co., Ltd., offering diamond coal and other services, with contact information for Montreal and other cities.



Prince Wins Follies Beauty



Flo Kennedy, daughter of San Francisco, and a glittering beauty of the Ziegfeld Follies, has announced her engagement to Prince Youca Troubetzkoy...

CITY APPRECIATES BETTER PICTURES

Change of Sentiment Regarding Historical and Costumed Films—More on Way.

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WHOOPIING COUGH IS A VERY SERIOUS TROUBLE HER 5 CHILDREN HAD IT

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CHAPLIN SAYS ART MAKES HIM FAMOUS

"I Suppose It's Just Me," Actor Says on Los Angeles Witness Stand.

LOS ANGELES, March 2.—Charles Chaplin, called as a witness by his opponents in his suit against Charles Amador, answered the questions of A. B. Goldman in low, muffled tones, but always maintained the attitude of fencing with his interrogator. He shifted in his chair, cupped his chin in his hands, folded his arms, looked at the ceiling and around the room.

He stated that he worked under contract for a year with the Keystone Company, making one and two reel pictures and films of feature length, receiving \$175 a week. This was in 1913. He said that he wore the garb now the subject of the suit in nearly all the films, changing it on rare occasions, once when "the character went into the prize-lighting business."

"It's due to all of these," answered the witness, "I suppose it's just me."

"The good-will of the public is reflected in the box office returns," said Chaplin at one time.

"Is an actor's success affected by his private life?" asked Goldman.

"I cannot answer that," replied Chaplin, smiling.

"But you know that escapades on the part of an actor limit his good-will?" asked the attorney.

Objections to these questions were sustained.

"Has your own popularity been impaired during the last six months?" "I don't know."

Chaplin said that his latest picture had been finished and titled "The Gold Rush."

"Was the booking of that picture cancelled at a Los Angeles theatre after club women of Southern California had objected to it?" asked Goldman.

"Positively untrue," answered Chaplin, leaning far forward, "it's a lie."

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ACTRESS SUES RICH NEW YORK CLUBMAN Georgia Hopkins Asks \$300,000 Damages For Breach of Promise.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Major Henry Sanford, who held a commission during the World War, and is a member of the New England Athletic Club, has been sued for \$300,000 for breach of promise of marriage by Miss Georgia M. Hopkins.

Found He Was Married. It is alleged in the complaint that Major Sanford asked the plaintiff to marry him and, when she accepted, he agreed to wed her within a reasonable time after Aug. 3, 1923.

Expert's Observation. Alvin Wyckoff, a well-known expert with the camera, has this to say about making a scene look as if it were lighted by the moon.

They are Bebe Daniels and Thomas Meighan. Both of these stars are in New York where they are said to have come to an agreement with "C. B." during the past ten days.

One thousand dollars worth of property burns every minute in the United States.

GOES TO BERMUDA To Get Exteriors

NEW YORK, March 2.—Herbert Bronson left yesterday for Bermuda to shoot exteriors for "The Little French Girl."

HAD THEATRE PARTY. As the outcome of a very successful sales campaign the sales force of the Prudential Insurance Company, accompanied by their wives and lady friends attended a theatre party at the Imperial on Saturday night.

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## ALEX. BRAYLEY, FAMED SCULLER, IS DEAD AT 74

### Won World Notice in Days of Champion Edward Hanlon

### LATTER HELD HIM IN HIGH REGARD

### Peter Clinch Tells of Notable Performance in Philadelphia Regatta.

Alexander Brayley, one of the noted oarsmen in the world in the days of Hanlon and other giants of the oar, died here last evening after a lengthy illness. News of his death will be heard with regret by a wide circle of acquaintances and particularly by followers of aquatic sports, some of whom had the pleasure of seeing him perform while others have read about his great achievements as a single sculler.

Was 74 Years Old.

Mr. Brayley was a son of the late Mr. Brayley a native of England. He was born in this city in 1851 and when only a young man showed marked ability as a sculler. He had a strong physique and an astounding way to the foremost ranks of single scullers in the world.

He is survived by three nephews, John, Robert and J. Alexander all of this city, and two nieces, Mrs. J. Cady Johnson of this city and Mrs. C. Newers of Lower Jersey. His funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from Brennan's mortuary chapel, Main street.

Clinch's Tribute.

Peter Clinch commenting on the oarsman's death today said: "Brayley, considering the chances he had, was one of the greatest scullers that ever lived. At the Philadelphia Centennial Exhibition in 1876 he beat Higgins, the English champion; the next day he beat Ellis Ward, the U. S. champion and on the third day, in the finals, he rowed Hanlon to a length in a race which Hanlon often said was one of the hardest he ever rowed. He told me that properly handled and equipped he considered Brayley almost unbeatable."

"When Brayley beat John Brown in Halifax the St. John people won more money in bets than they ever won on any event except the race between the Paris Crew and the Renforth Crew in 1871, and of course that race was not finished."

Never Equipped.

"To my certain knowledge Brayley never in his life had a good oar to row with. When he rowed Fulton the year after the Fulton-Brown race he used a pair of poplar oars 10 feet long when the proper length was about nine feet six or seven. He had in his whole career only one good boat the 'C. Vaughan' and he rowed her in Philadelphia. When he went to Philadelphia he was unattended and had to carry his boat five miles to the course. Fortunately he met a St. John man there who assisted him."

## GRANITE FOR CITY MEMORIAL ALL CUT

### Last Cars on Way to St. George For Finishing For Soldier Monument.

The large granite stones cut especially for the soldier memorial to be erected in King Square next summer, have all been cut and shipped by the Mooney Quarries at Spoon Island, near Hampstead.

There are 20 in the lot, of an average weight of eight to nine tons each. The last two cars are on their way to St. George, where the stone will be finished.

It is a significant tribute that the stone thus quarried of famous New Brunswick gray granite will be the supreme effort to date of that industry.

An Historic Industry.

The granite was cut under the supervision of Ernest Walton, son of the original owner and operator of the Spoon Island Quarries, the late Henry Walton, in whose long period of proprietorship much of the basic and ornamental stone used in rebuilding St. John after the great fire was turned out. Even of late years Ernest Walton, working for the Mooneys, has produced a large proportion of the gray granite entering into the construction of modern buildings hereabouts and throughout the province, as well as curbing stone and paving blocks used by the Department of Public Works.

## CUSTOMS REVENUE HERE SHOWS GAIN

### Increase of \$104,153 in February Over Corresponding Month For 1924.

The St. John customs receipts showed an increase for February this year over those of the same month in 1924 for the port of St. John, according to figures secured this morning. This is the first time in many months that there has been an increase over the record of the previous year. The increase was \$104,153.80. The receipts for February 1924 and 1925 were:

Import duty	\$396,537.24	\$518,995.63
Excise tax	49,446.92	24,336.96
Excise duty	4,081.66	4,962.23
Sundry collection	955.41	6,464.07
Pilotage	6,306.00	7,109.99
Steamship inspection	425.00	185.00
Marines dues	3,319.32	3,192.66
	\$461,081.75	\$565,286.55

### ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, MAR. 2

High Tide	..... 11:27	High Tide	..... 11:51
Low Tide	..... 1:05	Low Tide	..... 1:31
Sun Rises	..... 7:05	Sun Sets	..... 6:10

## Local News

### THREE ON LIST.

Two persons appeared before Magistrate Henderson in the police court this morning on drunkenness charges and were fined \$8 or two months in jail. Another forfeited his deposit of \$100.

### DEPOSIT FORFEITED.

Richard Diken, who was arrested on Saturday night on charge of fighting in Union street, West St. John, did not appear when his name was called in the police court this morning and his deposit was forfeited.

### HER 87TH BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Wm. Sinclair, living with her daughter, Mrs. John Hastie, Leinster street, was the recipient of many warm congratulations on Saturday, it being her 87th birthday. She received numerous callers and many lifelong friendships were happily reviewed on that occasion.

### ON ACADIA MISSION.

Rev. Dr. F. W. Patterson, president of Acadia University, Wolfville, N. S., who was in the city for the week-end, left on the noon train today for his home. Dr. Patterson had been in New York, where he interviewed Mr. Rockefeller in regard to the finances of Acadia. He had nothing to give out today.

### JUDGMENT RESERVED.

In County Court Chambers this morning before Judge J. A. Barry, evidence for the defendant was concluded in the case of Weatherhead vs. Smith, an action under a mechanic's lien. Argument of counsel was heard and judgment in the matter reserved. S. H. Hutton appeared for the claimant and Powell & Mercier for the defendant.

### NAVIGATORS, TAKE NOTICE.

The light on Brer Island Northwest of Lunenburg and the light on the Lurchee Shoal buoy is also reported as being out of order. The light on the Lurchee Shoal buoy is also reported as being out of order. The light on the Lurchee Shoal buoy is also reported as being out of order.

### TOOK ILL IN STREET.

Peter Wood, aged 64, was taken ill in Paradise row about 9 o'clock last evening and was conveyed to the General Public Hospital. After receiving treatment there, he was able to proceed to his home, 86 Kennedy street. The ambulance was summoned about 10:15 o'clock last evening to convey William Johnson to the General Public Hospital. She had been taken ill suddenly in Prince Edward street. Later she went to her home.

### TEA AND SALE.

The Pension Band of St. Andrew's church held a very successful tea and sale in the schoolroom of the church on Saturday afternoon, under the convalescence of Mrs. H. A. Steele, president of the band. The tea tables were very attractively centered with yellow and white, while the room was decorated by Miss Homer and Mrs. Royden. Thomson looked lovely with candelabra of yellow and two large bouquets of yellow roses. The children of the Mission Band were ably assisted by the ladies of the church. The candy table was in charge of Miss Grace Clark and Miss Ada Finley, and was very attractive. The fancy work table drew many. It was in charge of Miss Mary O'Brien, Miss Phyllis Stackhouse and Miss Jean Robertson. Mrs. Percy Hants and Mrs. Mary looked after the home-cooking table.

## LOT OF MONEY FOUND IN BURNED MAIL

### Officials Have Damaged Letters Now Pretty Well Cleared Away.

The mail from the burned mail car is nearly all cleared away at the local post office. The work has been done under the supervision of the District Department, and only local mail matter has passed through the regular postal clerks in the St. John office. The registered mail was badly burned, but scattered fragments of almost all the letters have been found. In addition, a large shipment of money was found too badly burned for circulation, but intact.

Many of the letters are past registered, but wherever there is the least possible clue a search is being made for the owner. All letters damaged by fire are delivered with a notice attached explaining the cause of the damage.

## Will Take Place As President Tonight

Mrs. H. B. Peck will preside for the first time since her election to the presidency of the Annual Rescue League at the monthly meeting this evening, which meeting is also the adjourned annual session. The executive will be appointed and several other matters not completed at the annual meeting will be taken up. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Wilford Campbell, second vice-president.

## Two C. P. Steamships Expected Tomorrow

According to late advices received at C. P. R. headquarters, the Canadian Pacific steamship Marloch is due to reach port tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock from Glasgow and Belfast. She is bringing 217 passengers and more than 1,000 tons of general cargo, in addition to a small consignment of mail. Included in the cargo are 16 horses. The Canadian Pacific steamship Marburn is due tomorrow afternoon from Antwerp, Southampton and Cherbourg. She has 207 passengers, in addition to 1,370 tons of general cargo and a consignment of mail.

## THORNE AVENUE LIQUOR CASE IS OUT OF ORDINARY

### James Moore Says He Bought From Patrick Flood; Told Inspector

### ADMITS PLANT TO END OLD SCORE

### Flood Denies—Two Other Liquor Cases Come Before Magistrate

A liquor case with unusual features was given a hearing in the Police Court this morning, when Patrick Flood, of Thorne avenue, pleaded not guilty to a charge of supplying liquor unlawfully. The charge was based on an information sworn out by James Moore, of Thorne avenue, who in his testimony said he laid the charge to "get" the accused.

Moore said he visited Flood's house last evening and was admitted. He said he asked for \$1 worth of liquor and that it was given him by Flood. He identified a bottle in court, it being about one-half full of rum. He said he went to the police court this morning and swore out the information to Inspector Garnet.

### Trouble 3 Months Ago.

On cross-examination by E. J. Henneberry, who appeared for accused, the witness admitted he had had difficulty with Flood about three months ago. Asked if he had not told Flood at that time that he would "get even" with him, the witness said he could not remember. Asked why he laid the charge, witness replied "to fetch him here."

"In other words, this was a plant, wasn't it," asked Mr. Henneberry. "Yes, it was," replied witness. Inspector Killen gave evidence regarding Flood's home and said it had a reputation where liquor could be bought. He said Flood had been seen about three months ago, he said. Moore was at his house, wanting to purchase some liquor. Moore, he said, created a fuss and attacked the witness. Fortunately, he said, he was able to get the best of him, and Moore had then told him he would "get even" with him.

### More Witnesses.

The magistrate said, the evidence being contradictory, he would like to have all the witnesses possible to appear. On the part of the accused, there was the fear of a penalty, while on the part of Moore there was the hope of getting even, the Magistrate said. He set Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock as the time to resume hearing. W. M. Ryan appeared for the prosecution.

### Restaurant Cases.

Charlie Fong, proprietor of the King Cafe, Charlotte street, pleaded not guilty to a charge of two citizens to a person under the influence of liquor remaining on his premises when it was meant to be taken away. Inspector Killen laid the charge. E. J. Henneberry appeared for the accused and at the request of the prosecution, conducted by W. M. Ryan, to secure the services of an interpreter, the case was set over for hearing, until 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

### Two Charges.

Charged with having liquor in his possession other than his private dwelling, and also with resisting Sub-Inspector Frank Garnett in the discharge of his duties, John Campbell pleaded not guilty in the police court before Magistrate Henderson this morning. At the request of his lawyer, Scott E. Morrell, the hearing was postponed until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Inspector Garnett became suspicious in Clarence street yesterday afternoon and proceeded to search him for liquor. A tussle ensued and it was said a bottle was thrown over the wharf nearby. The inspector called on the witness to identify the bottle and then reclaimed the broken bottle.

### DEPOSITS IN EXCESS.

The St. John branch of the Dominion Savings Bank reports deposits for February last to be \$83,966.96, while withdrawals were placed at \$48,478.57.

## Hiram on Tour

VANCOUVER, Feb. 14.—I see Jim McKenna has been writing a letter to me an' signing it Hanner. I'll bet a big apple it was Jim done that. Wait till I get hold o' him. Mebbe I won't need to if Hanner sees him fast. Hanner knows I won't get slack up. Any time I ever tried to put on airs she he'd the remedy right. He says you might phone her an' say that I been tendin' a dairy convention out here an' got a lot o' points about how to look after huffers. Well, sir—I'm hoppin' off to Victoria tomorrow night—an' if I had time I'd go right on to Japan. A feller offered to take me down in his car to Seattle—but they hed two or three murders down that way lately an' I guess I won't put my whiskers in Jeppody. Well, sir—the C. N. R. is gonto build a million dollar hotel out here. Hey they put that there roof on that there station down to St. John yit?

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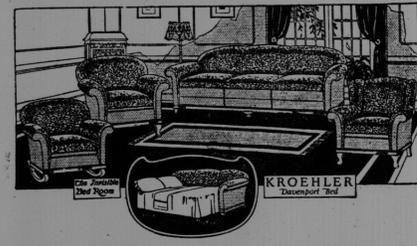
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