

JERSEY COAST LINE IS STREAMLINED WITH WRECKAGE BULKHEADS BROKEN DOWN BY STORM.

Seabright, Famous Summer Resort, Suffers Most from Sea's Onslaught. Damage Amounting to Hundreds of Thousands of Dollars—Hotel Suffers.

New York, Jan. 3.—With a seventy-six-mile gale from the northeast driving great seas against bulkheads, already weakened or broken through by the great storm of Christmas night, the New Jersey coast points today and tonight underwent perhaps the worst experience they have had in many years.

So far no loss of life has been reported. The damage to property already mounts well into the hundreds of thousands. Most of this has been done to dwellings and other structures which the storm of two weeks ago left without protection by breaking down bulkheads and weakening others.

AUTO PARTY AT HALIFAX AFTER THRILLING TRIP

Distance from St. John to Nova Scotia Metropolis Covered in Fifty-eight Hours—All of the Party Suffered from Cold—Despite Mishaps Good Time was Made.

Special to The Standard. Halifax, N. S., Jan. 4.—After suffering many hardships, and going without sleep for three nights and two days, the Maritime Singer and the Standard automobile party finished their pioneer midwinter trip from St. John to this city in an automobile when they arrived at City Hall at 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

The letters of greeting from Mayor Frank, St. John, Mayor Lamb, Sussex, Mayor Gross, of Moncton were first delivered to Mayor Bligh at City Hall. These letters of greeting from T. P. Regan, president of New Brunswick Automobile Association, and from President Fairweather of the Sussex Automobile Club were delivered to Dr. Fred Mathers, the president of the Nova Scotia Association.

DRUGGISTS ON THE ISLAND ARE CAUGHT

Temperance Detectives Work Successfully in P. E. Island and Secure Liquor from Unsuspecting Pharmacists.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., Jan. 4.—A bombshell has fallen among the ranks of the liquor sellers in this province from Eastport to North Cape there is consternation.

A few weeks ago a couple of well dressed strangers came to the island. They called at places where liquor was supposed to be on sale, and on various protests secured it. They were generally, hall fellows well met, and ostensibly interested in foxes. They got liquor from drug stores without the essential prescriptions or persuaded doctors to give prescriptions for imaginary ailments.

WOMAN WHOSE SON DIED IN PRISON IS TO GIVE EVIDENCE

Sends Word to Commission Inquiring Into Affairs at Portsmouth that She Will be on Hand to Testify.

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 4.—The Prison Reform Commission, which convenes again on Tuesday, has received word that Mrs. O. Frances, of Milwaukee, Wis., who has charges to make against the Portsmouth penitentiary officials with regard to alleged ill-treatment of her son who died in the prison in August, 1912, will be here to testify.

SPRAY FLEW HUNDRED FEET HIGH AT 'FRISCO

Thundering Assault of Surf on Beaches Attract Big Crowds—British Tramp Steamer Grounded.

San Francisco, Jan. 3.—The ocean shore was black today with automobiles and sightseers watching the thundering assault of the surf on the beaches. A sea lion, perched nonchalantly on a weather ledge of the seal rocks forty feet above the tide, kept vigil throughout the day.

NEW MORTGAGE

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Special.—The British and Canadian Mortgage Corporation, Limited will apply for incorporation at the next session. The amount of capital stock will be \$2,000,000, while the provisional board of directors will be all Toronto men.

Sea Gives Up Body of Woman Missing for Over a Month

Body of Miss Jessie McCann, Young Settlement Worker, is Found in Surf at Coney Island—Disappeared Mysteriously from Home December 4th—No Sign of Violence.

New York, Jan. 4.—The body of Miss Jessie E. McCann, the young settlement worker who disappeared from her Brooklyn home just a month ago, was today given up by the sea. It was found by a watchman shortly after daybreak this morning at Coney Island, having been washed ashore by the heavy surf that pounded the beach during last night's storm.

HANDS OFF, ALL MEXICO DEMANDS

Best Can Expect of Washington is to be Left Alone, Officials Says Regarding the Announcement.

Mexico City, Jan. 4.—The announcement that President Wilson's policy would remain unchanged, after John Lind's trip to Pass Christian, is a source of disappointment to most of the foreigners and many Mexicans, who believed that the interview between the President and his personal representative might result in some definite step to put an early end to the distressing conditions, which so far as business is concerned, are fast growing acute.

The banking situation shows little improvement, and the scarcity of coin for ordinary trading is working hardship on retailers particularly, and business men generally.

HON. MR. McLEOD IS REMEMBERED BY FRIENDS

Presented with Travelling Case by Members of Civil Service—Address Accompanied the Gift.

Fredericton, Jan. 3.—Hon. H. P. McLeod, M. P., was presented with an address and a handsome solid leather fitted suit case, with sterling silver and solid leather trimmings throughout, by members of the civil service yesterday afternoon.

FORMER LEADER OF YOUNG TURKS MINISTER OF WAR

Constantinople, Jan. 4.—Enver Bey, the former leader of the Young Turk, part who was appointed minister of war yesterday to succeed Ismet Bey, in a statement today denied that he

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Wreckage of Schooner Iona Found on Sable Island Sands. LEFT GEORGETOWN EARLY LAST MONTH.

Started for Liverpool, N. S., With Cargo of Produce—Sighted Battling in Gale off Whitehead, N. S.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 4.—The Nova Scotia schooner Iona W., with her captain and crew of six men, has been lost in the vicinity of Sable Island. Mute evidences of the fate of the vessel has been discovered on the treacherous sands of the island.

The superintendent of the island has sent a wireless despatch to Charles Harvey, the local agent of the Canadian marine department, reporting of wreckage on the eastern end of the island. This consists of a schooner's cabin, a ship compass, a barrel of fish nets, some fish hooks, and a Norwegian fog horn.

STR. MONTROSE PUTS BACK FOR REPAIRS

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 4.—The C. P. R. liner Montrose that put back to Halifax on Saturday with her machinery disabled, is expected to get away tomorrow. A survey was held and only a slight rearrangement of the engine was found. The Montrose was seventy miles out from here when the engines behaved badly, and the captain decided to return to port for repairs.

WESTERN FREIGHT RATES FINDING EXPECTED SOON

Railway Commission Report Likely Ready for Parliament—Specific Reduction on Some of Commodities Used Most Extensively by Farmers Looked for.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Jan. 4.—That the Dominion Railway Commission will break all records of quick decision in announcing its finding in the western freight rates case, is the belief of railway men. They expect that the judgment of the board will be announced by Chairman H. L. Drayton, K.C., either before or very shortly after the opening of parliament.

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# CONVENTION IS CONCLUDED

### Archaeologists Had Successful Gathering—Rev. J. J. McCaskill Member of the Executive.

Montreal, Jan. 4.—One of the most fruitful and successful general meetings of the Archaeological Institute of America closed on Saturday evening, after a three-day convention in Montreal.

Saturday morning was devoted to the annual meeting of the council of the institute, the chief business being the election of officers.

Professor W. P. Shipley of Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., was elevated to the presidency, after having acted as interim president since the death of Professor H. L. Wilson of Baltimore, last year's president. The other officers are: Honorary president, A. Seth Low, New York; Vice-presidents, Maurice Hutton, Toronto; C. T. Curdell, Toronto; William F. Harris, Cambridge, Mass.; Allan Marquard, Princeton, N. J.; James R. Wheeler, New York; Gordon T. Loring, Chicago; Andrew F. West, Princeton, N. J.; General secretary, Mitchell Carroll, Washington, D. C.; Treasurer, Willard V. King, New York; Secretaries, Judson Eaton, Knowlton, Que.; H. R. Fairclough, Stanford University, California; Recorder, David M. Robinson, Baltimore; Editor-in-chief of the American Journal of Archaeology, Harold N. Fowler, Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio; Chairman of managing committees—American School of Athens, J. R. Wheeler, Columbia University, New York; American School at Jerusalem, Charles C. Torrey, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.; School of American Archaeology at Santa Fe, New Mexico, William Henry Holmes, Smithsonian Institute, Washington, D. C.; Mediaeval and Renaissance Research, Allan Marquard, Princeton, N. J.

The officers of the Canadian department of the institute were reported to the parent body and affirmed, as follows: President, William Peterson, McGill University, Montreal; vice-presidents, Maurice Burton, Toronto University; Sir Georges Garneau, Quebec; Sir Louis Davies, Ottawa; A. S. MacKenzie, Halifax; Charles Hill-Tout, Vancouver; Charles T. Curdell, Toronto; secretary, Dr. Judson Eaton, Montreal, Que.; executive committee, Lemuel Robertson, Vancouver; John McNaughton, Montreal; H. A. Kent, Halifax; Rev. J. J. McCaskill, St. John, N. B.

At the close of the business session, the delegates and their ladies attended a reception at the home of Sir William Van Horne, where they were welcomed by Lady Van Horne and Miss Van Horne. Sir William being confined to his room by illness.

# DUTCH STEAMER IS BOARDED BY SAILORS FROM BRITISH SHIP

Guatemala City, Jan. 3.—When the Dutch steamer *Marengo*, of the United Fruit Company's service, arrived at Belize, British Honduras, from New Orleans a few days ago, an armed force from the British warship *Lancaster* boarded the vessel and refused to allow Senor Castillo, a Mexican constitutionalist and his wife to land. Boats from the warship patrolled the bay to prevent any Mexicans from going ashore or communicating with those on shore.

The action of the British naval officers was taken for the purpose of preventing Mexican constitutionalists from entering Yucatan or Chiapas by way of Belize.

# UNCONSCIOUS HUMORIST

Teacher—Tommy, this great man about whom we have been reading is called an unconscious humorist? Small Boy—A joker that's fainted away.

A Strong Paste. A paste that will neither decay nor become moldy. Mix good clean flour with cold water into a thick paste well kneaded together, then add boiling water, stirring well up until it is of a consistency that can be easily and smoothly spread with a brush; add to this a spoonful or two of brown sugar, a little corrosive sublimate, and about half a dozen drops of oil of lavender, and you will have a paste that will hold with wonderful tenacity.

# STEAHERS HELD UP

New London, Conn., Jan. 4.—Steamers on the Providence, Fall River and other lines, as well as some smaller craft, were forced to seek shelter in the harbor here early this morning as the result of a gale that blew more than fifty miles an hour. The steamer *Priscilla*, of the Fall River line, from New Providence, unloaded here five hundred passengers who made the remainder of the trip by rail. Other steamers that put in were the *Tennessee*, *Georgia* and *New Hampshire*.

# HOUSE CARRIED AWAY

At the New Jersey town of Long Port, Margaret City, Ventnor City, Cape May and Atlantic City piers, board walks and cottages were swept away to sea. At Coney Island, Rockaway Beach, and other Long Island points miles of beach were torn out and bungalows, houses and dancing pavilions were undermined.

# SHIPPING PARALYZED

For the first time in many years water covered the six hundred foot stretch of beach between Great South Bay and the Atlantic ocean, scotting away many cottages near Amityville, Long Island.

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# GERMAN CROWN PRINCE OPPOSES FATHER AGAIN

Takes Other Side on Zaborn Affair—Instructs Officers to Take Aggressive Attitude in Case of More Friction.

Berlin, Jan. 4.—Crown Prince Frederick William appears to have again taken an attitude of opposition to the government, and the Emperor this time in connection with the Zaborn affair. Rumors have been in circulation for some time past that the crown prince had sent a telegram to Col. Von Reuter, the commander of the Ninety-Ninth Regiment, who is said to have instructed his officers to act aggressively in case of trouble between the German soldiers and the townspeople, commending the colonel's conduct.

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Main Street Flooded. As has been feared, the rising of the tide at midnight brought ruin to Seabright. The water swept across the railroad tracks in the heart of the town to Ocean avenue, the main street, which was flooded to the depth of two feet, and spread until all parts of the village were inundated. Before the tide had reached the floor stage a current was flowing through door yards and highways from the ocean into the Shrewsbury river, one thousand feet away. Cottage after cottage toppled and fell as the waters undermined their foundations. Some of these were handsome and valuable summer residences.

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# HOPE PREMIER WILL RECOVER

Rumor of His Death Unfounded—Condition Still Serious, but Physicians Hope for Improvement.

New York, Jan. 4.—Sir James Whitney, the premier of Ontario, is resting quietly tonight at the Hotel Manhattan, where he has been ill for more than two weeks. While it is admitted that his condition is serious, both Dr. R. A. Pyne, the Ontario Minister of Education, and Dr. Herman Biggs, the nerve specialist, who is in charge of the case, stated that they apprehend no immediate danger.

Dr. Biggs visited Sir James shortly after five o'clock this afternoon, and after leaving the patient he said that Sir James was no worse, but was resting comfortably.

Dr. R. A. Pyne and Mr. Horace Wallis, the premier's private secretary, spent some time with the patient and Lady Whitney early in the evening, and stated that they considered him in no immediate danger.

The news that a rumor of the premier's death had reached Toronto caused a distinct shock to the members of the party. There was nothing in the condition of the patient, they maintained, to justify any rumor even of danger.

He is poorly, was Dr. Pyne's comment, but we have every hope that he will rally. Dr. Biggs said: His condition is serious, but I apprehend no immediate danger of a fatal termination.

Sir James left Toronto early in December for a tour in the south, in an effort to restore his health. He had suffered a nervous breakdown, and Dr. Pyne considered that a short trip would be sufficient to put him back in good condition. On the way back from the south, Sir James became seriously ill in this city, and took apartments at the Manhattan, on December 14. Since that time he has been constantly in charge of a nurse, while the two physicians have been in attendance. All telephone communication has been cut off from his apartment, and Lady Whitney has been with him most of the time.

After a few days he rallied then fell back once more, but even then Dr. Pyne thought a prolonged rest and quiet would restore him. On Friday last, however, his heart action began to cause some alarm. He rallied, but has had several attacks of the same nature. While these would not alarm the physicians, it is young man, the fact that Sir James is over seventy has caused them to watch him closely.

Both Dr. Pyne and Mr. Wallis left their apartments this morning for a lengthened period, and stated there was nothing in the present condition of the patient to demand their close attendance.

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# DAMAGE SUIT IS AMICABLY SETTLED

Action Brought by Wm. J. Connors Against Colliers' for Libelous Article Adjusted Out of Court.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3.—The action brought by William J. Connors against Robert J. Collier, which is in the Calendar for trial in the Supreme Court here has been settled.

# "LEAH KLESCHNA"

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Tendered a Shower. The home of Mrs. D. Robertson, 18 Spruce street, was the scene of a pleasant evening on December 31st, when Miss Bertha Northrop, who is to be one of the principals in an interesting event this week, was tendered a most delicious shower by her friends.

PERSONAL. Miss P. J. Brickley won the drawing of the Jewish Workers' Circle last week.

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THE LATEST SHIPPING NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MARINE NOTES OF THE WORLD

SIGNAL SERVICE BULLETIN

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries.

Saturday. Cape Race, Jan. 5, 6.15 p. m., Royal George 64 miles east. 2.30 p. m. Lake Michigan ahead.

SCHOONERS COLLIDE. A six-masted schooner, believed to be the Edward B. Winslow, which was being towed into Portland, Me., with a cargo of coal, and a three-masted schooner were collided Friday off Portland Head. The smaller schooner's foremast and forward rigging were torn out and she was taken in tow and brought into the harbor.

MONTEIRO IN TROUBLE. Halifax, Jan. 4.—Arrd Saturday, Jan. 3, stmr Empress of Ireland, Liverpool, Montreal, en route to Astoria and London put back for repairs; Caroline (Fr), Havre; Arrd Sunday, Jan. 5, stmr Ionian, Glasgow. Sid Saturday, Jan. 3, stmr Caroline (Fr), New York.

LARGE DERELICTS. Two large derelict vessels have been reported in southern waters within a week and much concern is felt in shipping circles as to their identity. Capt. Dickinson of the steamer Queen Wilhelmina at Philadelphia reports last Sunday when 360 miles northeast of Cape Henlopen passed a lifeboat filled with derelicts. It had black topails, red bottom, with white base line. Only one ear was visible. Several miles further west the steamship passed the wreck of a large sailing vessel. It was dismantled. The hull extended four feet out of water.

SCHOONER ANDERSON DISABLED. With a full head of steam on, the revenue cutter Woodbury went to sea shortly after six o'clock on Thursday night, going to the assistance of the schooner George W. Anderson, of New York, which was reported at Beaver Harbor, N. B., in a leaky condition and with sails blown away, the message calling for assistance stating that it was impossible to secure the services of a tug. The Anderson, which is a small three-masted schooner of 169 net tons and 40 years of age, sailed from Windsor, N. S., on November 23, for New Bedford, and is reported to have been eastward on December 9 and doubtless has been damaged in some of the heavy gales which have prevailed during the past few weeks.—Portland Argus.

STEAMERS DELAYED. Portland, Jan. 3.—The storm reported sweeping up the coast from the south has made mariners very nervous and interfered with the sailing schedule of many of the coastwise steamers. The Bay State, which omitted her Thursday night trip to Boston, sailed at 10 o'clock last night. Steamer Belfast, which made harbor here at 3 a. m. yesterday on her way from winter port for Boston, also sailed at 10 last night. The steamer Calvin Austin, overdue from St. John, N. B., for Boston, arrived about 9 a. m. yesterday and after a short stop kept on her course. Steamer North Star sailed for New York yesterday morning about 12 hours late. Steamer North Land arrived from New York yesterday afternoon about three o'clock for regular schedule. Capt. Johnson reporting it very rough on the passage, intensely cold with considerable vapor, but no snow, a heavy sea running.

MARINE NOTES. Steamer Chignecto called on Sunday for the West Indies via Halifax. Allan liner Granplan, from St. John to Liverpool, was reported 160 miles southeast of Cape Race at 8 o'clock Saturday morning. The Royal Mail steamer Virginia, of the Allan line, sailed Saturday afternoon about three o'clock for Liverpool direct with 525 passengers, mails and general freight, including 24,000 bushels of grain. Allan liner Corinthian sailed Saturday afternoon for London and Havre with about 85 passengers, 80,000 bushels of grain and general cargo. The Manchester Corporation sailed Sunday morning for Manchester with

Two Doctors Said He Had Consumption. DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP CURED HIM. Mrs. John Ellis, St. John's West, Ont., writes: "My little boy was very bad with whooping cough and severe cold. I went to two doctors with him, and they said he had Consumption. I could get no relief for him, he would cough all night long, with a dry hacking cough. I was persuaded to try Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and was surprised to see the first bottle did him good. I have had five bottles, and they cured him, he rests well at night now, and is well and hearty. If he gets a cold we always give him Pine Syrup and he is soon better. I did not think I could raise him, but I am thankful to say Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup saved him from being a consumptive."

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QUEER YARNS OF PILOTS

Master of River Boat Says Pilots are Superstitious Lot—Cranky as Grand Opera Stars.

"A steamboat pilot can be more of a crank than a grand opera star," said Captain L. V. Brashear of the government snagboat, J. N. Macomb, as reported in the Memphis Commercial Appeal.

The remark was addressed to one of the largest unofficial gatherings of steamboat men seen in Memphis for several months. The occasion of the gathering around the baseburner in the Macomb's spacious cabin was to hear Captain Brashear spin his river yarns, as he is known from St. Louis to New Orleans as one of the river's leading jokemasters.

"I have known a pilot to get all 'hot' up over a little thing that perhaps another man would not have noticed," continued the master of the Macomb. "I have known them to change boats just because they did not like the color of the captain's eyes. A pilot on a Vicksburg boat once took a violent dislike to a passenger because he was an Englishman, and the captain had to keep him down on the boiler deck or the pilot would refuse to run."

"They are the most superstitious people on earth, too, I believe. Captain Harry Crane, an old Tennessee River pilot, would never run a boat which had on board a preacher and a white horse. He said that he had been in three wrecks which were caused by that fatal combination."

It is a well known fact that a mate can never ship a crew of roustabouts if they happen to see even one lone rat which had on board a preacher and a white horse. They will never inquire whether it is the kind of meat the cook sets out or whether the rat has friends ashore, but they refuse to ship on board. Pilots are the same way. Let a rat leave the boat and no pilot will take her out until an inspection is made.

"I have never been in a steamboat accident or disaster without having

MINIATURE ALMANAC

January—Phases of the Moon. First quarter, 4th . . . . . 9h. 9 m. Full moon, 12th . . . . . 1h. 9 m. Last quarter, 18th . . . . . 20h. 30 m. New moon, 26th . . . . . 2h. 34 m.

VESSLS BOUND TO ST. JOHN. Steamer. Lake Michigan, 5,240, Antwerp, December 24. Manchester Spliner, 2,760, Manchester, December 29. Marlin, 3,222, Glasgow, December 27. Manchester Inventor, 2,775, Manchester, December 29. Hollington, 2,725, Newport, December 23.

VESSLS IN PORT. Steamer. Chignecto, 2,999, Wm. Thomson & Co. Lakonia, 3,046, Rob't Reford & Co. Shenandoah, 2,492, Wm. Thomson & Co. Franking, Wm. Thomson & Co. Tyrolia, 4,843, C. P. R. Inishowen Head, 1,859, Wm. Thomson & Co. Corinthian, Wm. Thomson & Co. Jeserio, J. T. Knight & Co. Manchester Corporation, Wm. Thomson & Co.

Schooners. Chas. C. Lester, 266, A. W. Adams. Calabria, 451, J. Spilane, laid up. Cora Mae, 117, N. C. Scott. E. M. Roberts, 295, R. C. Elkin. Elma, 298, A. W. Adams. Hattie H. Barbour, 268, A. W. Adams. Harry W. Lewis, 297, J. W. Smith. Helen G. King, 128, A. W. Adams. Hunter, 187, D. J. Purdy. Helena Montague, 244, R. C. Elkin. Isiah K. Stetson, J. W. Smith. J. Arthur Lord, 189, A. W. Adams. J. S. Lampry, 250, C. M. Kerrison. Lucille, 164, Master. Margaret May Riley, 241, A. W. Adams. Nellie Eaton, 99, A. W. Adams. Orinimo, 121, A. W. Adams. Savala, 133, W. W. Smith. Scotia Queen, 108, A. W. Adams. Sallie B. Ludlow, D. J. Purdy.

DOMESTIC PORTS. Parrabore, N. S., Jan. 3.—Arrd schr Grace Darling, King, St. John. Cld. terra schr Crescendo, King, Kingsport, with fifteen hundred barrels potatoes, shipped by A. H. Hatfield. The Crescendo will finish loading for Cuba at Kingsport. Sid. stmr Prince Albert, Holmes, for Yarmouth where she will lay up for the winter.

IMPORTS OF BEEF INTO THE STATES INCREASE. Removal of Duty Proves Attraction for Foreign Exporters—Amount Brought in Triple that of 1912.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The placing of beef on tariff free list has resulted in a vast increase in the importation of foreign beef and meat products. During October and November the department of agriculture reported today, 18,000,000 pounds of meat and its products were brought from abroad. This is more than triple the amount imported for the whole of 1912.

The foreign beef and meat products are being rigidly inspected by the agents of the Bureau of Animal Industry who, during the two months, condemned 18,800 pounds. Nearly half of the imports, or 8,000,000 pounds, came from Canada. Argentina supplied 6,000,000 pounds, Australia 3,000,000 and Uruguay 550,000. During the two months 200,000 head of cattle from Canada and Mexico were imported.

LORD-IN-WAITING SIGNS AS MEMBER OF CREW. Lord Herchell, Attendant at Court of King George, had to become Nominal Member of Oil Tankers.

San Francisco, Calif., Jan. 3.—Signed as a member of the crew, Lord Richard Farrer Herchell, one of the six lords-in-waiting to King George, arrived here today from South America on the German oil tanker steamer Promothus.

Lord Herchell was eager to get away on the first boat from Talara Bay and in order to obtain accommodations on the Promothus, it was necessary for him to become nominally one of the crew. He is on a trip around the world for the benefit of his health.

a distinct, presentment beforehand that something was going to happen. It has never been strong enough to let me know how it was going to happen. It is a sort of uneasy feeling which makes a pilot's life miserable until the accident is over.

"If you want to make a pilot mad clear through just walk out on the roof and every now and then look back over your shoulder at him. The chances are that in fifteen minutes he will either run you down on the boiler deck to get his mate to take the wheel. It makes a man nervous to have you look at him when he is piloting."

"There is a pilot who often passes Memphis. I shall not call his name for the reason that he is a darn sight bigger man than I am, and who not long ago took the pledge and came aboard the boat the last time I was in port wearing a white ribbon. He said he was not feeling well. The doctor told him he ought to take some kind of tonic. He found one which contained about sixty per cent alcohol and the next I heard of him he was rip roaring drunk. He swore off from whiskey but not from patent medicines was the defence, and yet whiskey at a hundred proof is only fifty per cent alcohol."

"There is a pilot who used to work with me. He was fond of his little nip every now and then, but he carried his liquor well. We stopped at Cairo for a short while. His watch began as soon as we left, but I was in the pilot house with him at the time. He seemed to be all right to me as he was a better pilot drunk than nine tenths of the pilots sober. He steered the boat all right. We had gone fully twenty miles when he turned around to me and said: "Did you see that flock of white horses coming up out of the last chute we passed?" I took the wheel and he slept like a baby for the rest of the watch, and mine too.

ORTHODOX EXARCH OF BULGARIA AGAINST UNION OF CHURCHES

Sofia, Jan. 3.—Joseph I., Orthodox exarch of Bulgaria, in an encyclical address today on the orthodox Bulgarian clergy, expressed strong opposition to the proposals for a union of the Christian churches now occupying the earnest attention of some religious circles in America and England.

The exarch exhorts the Bulgarian people, "to mistrust the idea of a union with the Catholic church entertained by interested propagandists," and asserts that the safety of Bulgaria lies in the attachment of her people to orthodox "and Slavism at the head of which is the great Russian."

William James, the pitcher who was with the Cleveland Americans last year, has been purchased by the St. Louis Americans.



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## DEVELOPING OUR TRADE.

The departure for England of Hon. George E. Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce, has given to some of the cheaper opposition newspapers the opportunity to again refer to him as "the absentee member" of the Borden Government. Hon. Mr. Foster will probably survive the gibes at his expense, and will likely continue in the selection for the portfolio of Trade and Commerce, to use his very best efforts and recognized abilities to develop the Canadian trade, untroubled by what his critics may say. Since he took office in 1911 Hon. Mr. Foster has spent much time in direct negotiations to secure better trade arrangements with other countries. Evidence of his good work is seen in the treaty with the West Indies which is working out in a manner to indicate that it will soon be numbered as a distinct asset to Canada, particularly since the establishment of improved steamship connections between the two countries. The report of the Canadian Trade Commissioner in the West Indies, states that although the islands have suffered to some extent from financial depression and indifferently crops, there is every indication that trade with Canada will be especially brisk during the new year. The products of Canada and the West Indies are complementary so that steamers plying between the countries are well assured of good cargoes both ways. An essential to a successful shipping business. To a greater extent Canada will take the fruits and other tropical foods of the Indies and give its flour, fish and manufactured goods in exchange. Not alone in the West Indies but in other countries is the energetic Minister of Trade and Commerce laying the foundations for an extension of Canadian trade and it is for Canadian business men and manufacturers to follow his work and take advantage of the opportunities he is presenting. Every channel for the extension of Canadian trade is receiving the fullest publicity through the provisions made by Hon. Mr. Foster's department and with a strengthened staff of trade and commerce representatives abroad this country is building up a live department that will be prolific in results not only for the present but in a greater degree for the future.

## THE MISSING "FIGHTING SPIRIT."

Considering the distance from New Brunswick at which it is published, the Toronto Mail and Empire has the political situation in this province well sized up, if an editorial in Friday's issue of that paper is a criterion. Dealing with the bloodless victory for the Conservative party in York County, and the failure of Mr. Pugsley, and his organizer, to come up to the mark with a candidate, the Mail and Empire says: "The fighting spirit of which the Laurier politicians so often boast does not cause them to err on the side of rashness. They did not seize the opportunity to make a dash for the seat vacated in York, N. B., by Mr. Crockett's elevation to the bench. Hon. William Pugsley, who is so valiant in speech, was not present at the champion on Wednesday, when nominations were to be made. Yet he has been trying hard to make people believe that New Brunswick only wanted a chance to show completely it had turned against the Borden Government and its policy. When he was in Toronto last Summer he gave out an interview in which he declared that his province was utterly opposed to the Borden policy for strengthening the British navy. His failure to put a candidate against Mr. McLeod shows that he strongly suspects the contrary of what he said in Toronto to be the truth. The Borden Government is stronger than ever in New Brunswick or in any other province—stronger because it has kept faith with the people, and because Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues take up policies that put them further and further out of touch with the people."

## THE BALKAN SITUATION.

Judging from the reports which filter out of the Balkan states the recent cessation of hostilities did not come up to expectations in restoring the once warring countries to anything like the condition of prosperity they enjoyed before they started to quarrel over the division of the spoils won in the contest with Turkey. It is said that there are practically 200,000 homeless refugees in Bulgaria who, without shelter, are exposed to the torments of winter. In Albania, it is stated, that 30,000 inhabitants are in danger of death from starvation or exposure. In both cases the result can be directly traced to the recent war. With a treasury depleted by the cost of three severe and expensive struggles, the Bulgarian government is in a poor shape to withstand the strain that would naturally come upon it in the present situation. In Albania the

conditions are said to be due to the effect of Servian military occupancy, but the results are the same. The situation in Turkey cannot be any better, yet, the despatches bring the word that Turkey is buying, or threatening to buy a first class Dreadnought, with the suspected intention of waging another war on Greece in the hope of again becoming owners of the Aegean Islands. This report has already caused considerable anxiety over the prospect of another war. Truly it is a poor start for the New Year, but it is to be hoped that the European powers will not wait until the Turks and Greeks are practically at each other's throats before intervening. The squabbles of the Balkan states and their traditional enemies have already cost enough in lives and money. Europe must well be weary of the situation in the near east and there will be general accordance in the hope that the reports of impending strife are either totally untrue or greatly exaggerated.

## PUBLIC SWIMMING BATHS.

There is to be a particularly interesting election today in the city of Ottawa, when, in addition to the choice of Mayor, and civic government, the ratepayers will decide upon several questions of more or less importance to the civic welfare. One of the proposals to be decided is whether the citizens of the Canadian capital will expend the sum of \$50,000 for the erection of a public swimming bath. The value of public baths has been realized in practically every city of size. In the larger Canadian cities, such as Montreal and Toronto, there are several public baths which have done valuable service, not only in providing healthful recreation for those who can swim, but as a means of teaching the art of swimming to those who have not already acquired it. In a maritime city like St. John, the need for a swimming bath is even greater. Here we naturally turn for most of our recreation to the river or sea, and yet what percentage of the people can claim a mastery of the earliest of aquatic pastimes—swimming? Possibly in the fullness of time we may be able to read in accounts of elections in the St. John of the future the information that the taxpayers voted by a large majority in favor of an expenditure for public baths. It would be money well spent.

## A NOTED JOURNALIST.

Lord Burnham, founder of the London Telegraph, has just passed his eightieth birthday, amid a shower of congratulations. The Telegraph was the first penny daily in London, and its cheapness brought it a huge circulation. Not only was it popular in price, but it aimed to popularize the news of the day by making it as picturesque as possible. In this respect it seemed to borrow its inspiration from the New York Herald of the elder Bennett. But it also kept men of real ability on its staff. For many years Sir Edwin Arnold was its chief editorial writer, and George Augustus Sala its free lance correspondent. About forty years ago Lord Burnham (then Mr. Levy Lawson) joined the younger Bennett, of the New York Herald, in sending Stanley to find Livingston in Central Africa. Since that period there have been many changes in London journalism. In comparison with the Mail at a half-penny, the Telegraph is quite sedate and respectable. It is still about the best paper for its price, though there are now several other penny papers. The rate of the paper in the price of the Times from three-pence to two-pence, leaves the Telegraph about midway between two extremes.

Complaint is made by a Telegraph correspondent in Fredericton that the local government is employing more men in its civil service branches than there is necessity for. The complaint, of course, is not justified, but even if it is, it comes with very poor grace from a journal supporting a politician it could get useful ideas on the subject of governmental extravagance by a careful perusal of its editorial and news columns during the provincial election campaign of 1910. More another case of bought and paid for opinions.

The New York Post comments on the absolute failure of the abolition of the duties on foodstuffs under the new tariff, to reduce the cost of living in the United States. The situation is not one to cause surprise. The United States is a great producer and exporter of most of the staple foodstuffs. Reducing or abolishing its duties on meat and breadstuffs may affect localities so as to immediately benefit the purchasing consumer, and cannot make living dearer; but so long as the amount of food imported is only a minor percentage of that raised and used at home, prices generally will be affected by economic rather than fiscal laws.

## Diary of Events

### HISTORICAL DAYS IN CANADA

Two years from today will mark the centenary of the birth of Sir Daniel Wilson, the eminent archaeologist and educator. He was born in Edinburgh, January 1816, and was educated at the university of that city, becoming fellow and secretary of the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland. At twenty-seven he came to Canada and settled in Toronto, as professor of history and English literature and lecturer on ethnology in the university. A few years after his arrival in Canada he wrote his "Memorials of Edinburgh in the Olden Times," a work of great interest and value. This was followed by an elaborate classification of the antiquities of his native land, declared by the historian Hallam to be "the most scientific treatment of the archaeological evidences of primitive history which had ever been written." In 1863 he wrote "Prehistoric Man; or Researches into the Origin of Civilization in the Old and New Worlds," which included the fruits of his exhaustive researches into the ethnology of the Dominion of Canada, with a discussion on the unity and antiquity of the human race. In 1880 he was appointed president of the university, and in that capacity he accomplished much for the advancement of Canadian learning, taking a prominent part in the scientific and literary work of the Dominion. He was also president of the Literary section of the Royal Society of Canada, and in 1888 he was knighted. He died in Toronto in 1892. January 5 is the birthday of the Rev. Dr. Frederick Courtenay, who was Bishop of Nova Scotia from 1888 to 1894, at Plymouth, England, 1837; and of Sir Isaac Thompson, journalist, playwright, and one of the founders of the "Chicago Herald," at Fredericton, N. B., 1849.

### THE HUMAN PROCESSION

DAVID BISPHAM. Philadelphia was the place, and fifty-seven years ago today the date, of the earthly premiere of David Bispham, the renowned grand opera baritone. David Bispham at nineteen graduated from Haverford College and entered upon the occupation of a wool merchant. As leader of the choir of St. Mark's church he became prominent in the amateur musical circles of Philadelphia. In 1885 he arrived at Milan and Vannucchi in Italy he studied under the elder Lamperti in Milan and Vannucchi in Florence. Later he went to London, where he continued his studies, and became a favorite in the amateur musical life of the world's metropolis.

Mr. Bispham made his professional debut as the Duc de Louvaine in Messager's "The Basoche," at the Royal English Opera in 1891. When this engagement was concluded Sir Augustus Harris, in our paper last week we had as a heading "Mrs. Overlook's Big Feet." The word we ought to have used is a French word pronounced the same way but spelled fete. It means a celebration and is considered a very tony word.

### THE PASSING DAY

TWELFTH NIGHT. The eve of the festival known as Epiphany, Twelfth Day, Twelfth Night, and the Twelve Days, will be celebrated tonight by the star people of England, and, to a lesser extent, by actors and actresses on this side of the Atlantic. Twelfth Night was long generally observed with social rites and strange ceremonies by all the people of England and Scotland, but the tradition is now kept alive principally by theatrical folk. The observance of Twelfth Night by the Christians dates from 1796, and had its origin in a request made by Robert Baddeley, a famous comedian of Drury Lane Theatre, London, who died in 1784. In 1784 he bequeathed his cottage to a theatrical fund in trust, to be maintained as a home for four aged actors or actresses. He also left a fund to provide an annual expenditure of three pounds for a cake which was to be divided on Twelfth Night among the actors of Drury Lane Theatre. The first of these cakes was cut 118 years ago tonight. On successive anniversaries since then the most celebrated actors and actresses of the English stage have assembled to celebrate the cutting of the cake. In the course of years the cake-cutting has grown into an elaborate feast, which is attended by all the leading lights of the London stage. The annual banquet is held on Twelfth Night, after the play.

Baddeley's peculiar bequest was based on the centuries-old custom in England, and one which is still followed in some parts of the country—that of cutting a "bean cake" on Twelfth Night. This is a cake in which a bean has been baked, the finder of which is made king of the night and the following day. Epiphany or Twelfth Day will be observed tomorrow. This feast celebrates the manifestation of Jesus by the appearance of the star which conducted the Magi or wise men to the place where He was to be found. This feast was instituted eleven centuries ago, in 914. It is often called the "manifestation of Christ to the Gentiles," as the word Epiphany means "manifestation." The Greek church terms it theophany, or "appearance of God," and it is also called "the feast of light." In Germany it is known as "the festival of the three holy kings."

The Roman Catholic observance of Epiphany is based on three great events, which revealed the birth of Jesus to the kings of the East. The first manifestation was the miraculous star which revealed the birth of Jesus to the kings of the East. The second manifestation commemorated at Epiphany was when Jesus was baptized by St. John and "the Holy Ghost descended upon Him in the form of a dove," while a voice from heaven said, "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased." The third manifestation celebrated by Catholics was the transforming of water into wine at the marriage feast of Cana.

## IN LIGHTER VEIN

### AND HE DID.

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### AND HE DID.

To Make Men Jealous. He—As a sex you are full of pretence. Now, why do women always kiss each other? She—Oh, that's only to make you men jealous.

### Getting Even.

A little boy had been punished by his mother one day, and that night at bedtime he prayed thus: "Bless Papa, and Sister Lucy and Brother Frank and Uncle Fred and Aunt Mary, and make me a good boy, Amen." Then looking up into his mother's face, he said: "I suppose you noticed that you weren't in it."

### Host's Youngest.

"Don't your shoes feel very uncomfortable when you walk, Mrs. Nuryche?" Mrs. Nuryche: "Dear me, what an extraordinary question! Why do you ask, child?" Youngster: "Oh, only cos pa said the other day since you'd come into your money you'd got too big for your boots."

### An Apology Due.

A country weekly says: "We wish to apologize to Mrs. Orland Overlook in our paper last week we had as a heading 'Mrs. Overlook's Big Feet.' The word we ought to have used is a French word pronounced the same way but spelled fete. It means a celebration and is considered a very tony word."

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Example. "Tommy, you ain't go fishing with Peter; he's just getting over the measles."

"There won't be any danger, mother; I never catch anything when I'm fishing."

For Ocean Grayhounds. Malden—What's this "trough of the sea" we read about?

Corney—Oh, I guess that is what the ocean grayhounds drink out of.

Both Behaving. Mrs. Wombat: "Mah husband ain't been arrested in twenty-five years."

Mrs. Coopley: "Mine's up fo' life, too."

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SIX LOAN TO London Ban Half - Dis Action if I is Defaulte Paris, Jan. 3—recently arranged national group of use of meeting on the Mexican City of Mexico about \$5,000,000. York bankers to \$3,465,000 and P negotiations were by toward Froyer. Banque d'Paris E was assisted by of finance, Adolphe Some curious ed at the confer here as to what events of the late debt being default was strongly sup who disapprove ery toward Froyer, was that a secured by sixty Mexican customa by thirty-eight p the duty and the ropcan governm hold the bonds, houses by interna and to collect the The section hold affirmed that an erment could n of Mexico witho use of the custom to foreign. A v of view will arise interest and in less the situation the interval. An office it was sa ment has no sym these views. A SH St. John exper yesterday but th good enough for on the roads lead The temperature although a rain unpleasant. Cr the afternoon i slight thaw left glassy condition little snow was appreciated. On ar reporter that provide himself and whenever h supply himself v lar to those used of the children, slippery conditi sleds and other Students Although the about ended st was alive with shortly before 8:20. St. John's young tending colleges ronto and other ed last evening h in preparing the ture. Their frien to bid them ad for the crowd station last even THE LATE (Brooklyn's James Boyd, a for fifteen years of The Standard late residence Brooklyn Saturday born in London years ago, and w to St. John, N. E ing to Brooklyn a ago. He was on printers in 190 on all of the cl member of '98' graphical Union by his sister, M St. John, N. B. from his late re Tuesday, with wood cemetery a W. J. McCaw of IF MEALS AND ST "Pape's Di stomach n gestion i If what you ju your stomach or lead, refusing to gas and crucia food, or have a heartburn, fullne in mouth and st can get blessed Ask your phar the formula, pla fifty-cent case these you will peple troubles of and why they rel stomachs or ind ities, Pape's Di gastes like candy will digest and tion into the bl sat; besides, it jable with a h when will plean will feel that yo lines are clean an get near to reorg pills for biliousn This city will Disappeari' cranl had them, but z about this splen tion, too, if yo gation, gases, Pape's Di, or a Get some now, yourself of stom 1914.

# SIX BANKERS TO WIDE LUNGO TO MEXICO

## London Bankers take Over Half - Discuss Probable Action if Interest on Debt is Defaulted.

Paris, Jan. 3.—The loan to Mexico recently arranged here by an international group of bankers for the sole use of meeting the January interest on the Mexican government and the City of Mexico bonds, amounted to about \$5,000,000, of which the New York bankers took \$3,000,000, London \$2,465,000 and Paris \$1,535,000. The negotiations were conducted by Albert Turrelinal, general manager of the Banque d'Paris Et Des Pays Bas, who was assisted by the Mexican minister of finance, Adolfo De La Lanza.

Some curious points of view developed at the conference of the bankers here as to what might happen in the event of the interest on the Mexican debt being defaulted. One view which was strongly supported by financiers who disapprove of Washington's policy toward Provisional President Huerta, was that as the loan of 1910 is secured by sixty-two per cent of the Mexican customs and the loan of 1913 by thirty-eight per cent, it would be the duty and the privilege of the European government, whose subjects hold the bonds, to seize the customs houses by international landing parties and to collect the interest themselves.

The section holding this opinion also affirmed that the United States government could not block the ports of Mexico without destroying the value of the customs receipts mortgaged to foreign bondholders. These points of view will arise again when the next interest and instalment fall due unless the situation is much changed in the interval. At the French foreign office it was said that this government has no sympathy whatever with these views.

### A Slight Thaw.

St. John experienced a slight thaw yesterday but the sleighing remained good enough for many to enjoy a spin on the roads leading out from the city. The temperature was quite moderate although a raw wind made it rather unpleasant. Crowds, however, spent the afternoon in the streets. The slight thaw left the sidewalks in a glassy condition and on the high places the snow had been greatly appreciated. One citizen told a Standard reporter that every citizen should provide himself with a pocket full of sand whenever he went out on foot to supply himself with a sand box similar to those used on street cars. Many of the children, however, enjoyed the slippery conditions and were out with sleds and other coasting outfits.

### Students Returning.

Although the holiday traffic has about ended still the Union Station was alive with people last evening, shortly before six o'clock. Many of St. John's young people who are attending colleges in Montreal and Toronto and other western cities returned last evening to resume their duties in preparing themselves for the future. Their friends were out in force to bid them adieu and this accounted for the crowded conditions in the station last evening.

### THE LATE JAMES BOYD

(Brooklyn Standard Union.) James Boyd, a compositor employed for fifteen years in the composing room of the Standard Union, died at his late residence, 1160 Fort Street, Brooklyn Saturday afternoon. He was born in Londonderry, Ireland, sixty years ago, and with his parents moved to St. John, N. B., when a child, coming to Brooklyn about twenty-six years ago. He was one of the best known printers in Brooklyn, having worked on all of the old-time papers, was a member of "98" and later of Typographical Union No. 6. He is survived by his sister, Mrs. R. P. Patchell of St. John, N. B. The funeral took place from his late residence at 2.30 p. m. Tuesday, with interment in Greenwood cemetery, and the director of W. J. McCaw of 1737 Fulton street.

# TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION MEETS

## Reports at the Regular Meeting Shows Local Branch in Flourishing Condition.

The regular meeting of the St. John Typographical Union No. 65 was held on Saturday evening, and officers for the ensuing term were elected as follows: President—Bayard Stillwell, Vice-President—E. L. Sage, Recording Secretary—F. W. Stanton, Secretary-Treasurer—H. C. Campbell. I. T. U. Audit Committee—A. Keller, F. C. Fisher, Fred Stubbs. Local Audit Committee—W. H. Coates, James B. Case, S. E. Fitzpatrick. Delegates to Trades and Labor Council—B. Stillwell, J. Longon, W. H. Coates. Secret-at-Arms—James Byrne. Executive Committee—John Longon, Wm. Essington, Edward Sage, Geo. T. McCafferty, John Thompson, George Maxwell. Trustees—Geo. Maxwell, Wm. Essington, John Longon. Reports of officers for the past term were received and acted on. The report of Secretary-Treasurer Campbell was of special interest, and showed the union was in a flourishing condition. In the past half year receipts were \$1,231.27, and the expenditures \$1,156.76. Of this amount \$400 was paid on old age pension account, there being three pensioners on the rolls of the local union.

It was decided to hold a special meeting, open to the public, on January 27th, at which W. Frank Hetheway will speak on technical education. The Free Public Library Commission will be presented with a copy of the History of the International Typographical Union.

# NEW CHURCH IS DEDICATED AT MARYSVILLE

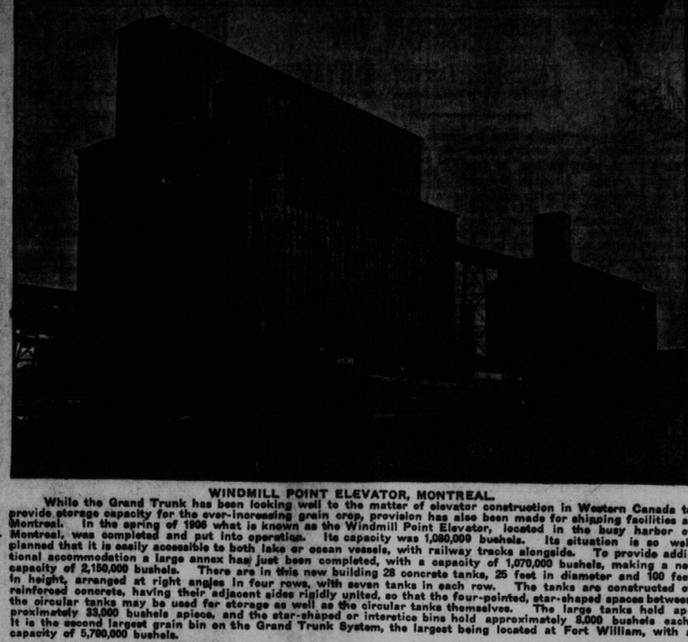
Fredericton, Jan. 4.—The new Methodist church at Marysville, which replaces the handsome structure destroyed by fire several years ago, was dedicated today with appropriate services in the morning, afternoon and evening.

# UNREST OF THE TIMES, SUBJECT OF ADDRESS

## Rev. Gordon Dickie Speaks before Brotherhood of Centenary Methodist Church.

Rev. Gordon Dickie, M. A., minister of St. Stephen's Presbyterian church, spoke on the "Unrest of the Times" before the members of the Brotherhood of Centenary Methodist church yesterday afternoon. Mr. Dickie referred to the general feeling of unrest that was evident throughout the world and he believed that some of it was necessary in order to cause people to rise to higher things than would be the result without this unrest. In many cases unrest meant ambition. There was unrest that was not of this nature, however. In Ireland the cause of the trouble was labor difficulties. In Germany there was an organized movement against churches. And it was the ambition of those leading the movement that the churches should go back closer to the teachings of Christ, or else give up. "At the present time there is money in vice," said the speaker, "and the interests back of it are well organized. Some people think that the members of the Church of Christ should stand by and by their silent example fight the evil. This, however, is hardly in keeping with the true spirit of Christianity." Mr. Dickie thought that the only true solution to the unrest conditions was a true understanding of the principles laid down by Christ and the true spirit of Christianity in the hearts of all people. The meeting was well attended and Mr. Dickie's remarks were received with marked attention by all.

# One of Montreal's Big Elevators



### WINDMILL POINT ELEVATOR, MONTREAL.

While the Grand Trunk has been looking well to the matter of elevator construction in Western Canada to provide storage capacity for the ever-increasing grain crop, provision has also been made for shipping facilities at Montreal. In the spring of 1908 what is known as the Windmill Point Elevator, located in the busy harbor of Montreal, was completed and put into operation. Its capacity was 1,000,000 bushels. Its situation is so well planned that it is easily accessible to both lake or ocean vessels, with railway tracks alongside. To provide additional accommodation a large annex has just been completed, with a capacity of 1,070,000 bushels, making a net capacity of 2,150,000 bushels. There are in this new building 23 concrete tanks, 25 feet in diameter and 100 feet in height, arranged at right angles in four rows, with seven tanks in each row. The tanks are constructed of reinforced concrete, having their adjacent sides rigidly united, so that the four-pointed, star-shaped spaces between the circular tanks may be used for storage as well as the circular tanks themselves. The large tanks hold approximately 33,000 bushels apiece, and the star-shaped or interstice bins hold approximately 8,000 bushels each. It is the second largest grain bin on the Grand Trunk System, the largest being located at Fort William, with a capacity of 5,700,000 bushels.

# DIG FIRE AT GOLDBROOK

## About 25 per cent of Walter Pedersen's Loss Covered by Insurance—Damage Heavy.

With a loss, which he places at \$20,000, perhaps more, fire Saturday morning totally destroyed the Goldbrook dwelling and barn, owned by Walter Pedersen, farmer, of 141 Charlotte St., and badly damaged his green houses adjoining. His large stock of plants and bulbs are also badly damaged. About the only things saved from the burning buildings were two horses, which were in the barn and a set of harness. Mr. Pedersen said last evening that about 25 per cent of the loss was covered by insurance.

# FUNERALS.

The body of Ellen O'Brien was buried on Saturday. The funeral was conducted from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Williams, 41 Marsh street. Service was conducted at the home by the Rev. Archdeacon Raymond. Interment was in the Methodist burying ground.

The body of John Russell was taken to its final resting place yesterday, when a long funeral procession followed the body from the late residence of the deceased, 9 Peters street, to Fernhill cemetery, where interment was made. Service was held at the house just previous to the funeral at 3.30 o'clock with Rev. J. H. A. Anderson officiating. The popularity of the late Mr. Russell was attested by the many handsome floral tributes received and the large number of acquaintances who walked at the funeral. The pall-bearers were three sons of the deceased, James W. John Jr., and David, and Robert S. Ritchie, Eustas Barnes and W. H. Keltie.

Faith and Works.  
"Do you believe in Santa Claus, Willie?"  
"Sure, I do! Don't I always start in being good a week before Christmas?"

# RADIUM CURE DIDN'T WORK

## Eminent Buffalo Physician, Authority on Cancer, Died of Disease on which he was an Expert.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3.—Dr. Frederick Busch, widely known as an authority on cancer, died here today from malignant cancer and pneumonia. Two months ago he was operated on in the Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore. Radium was used. New York State officials used the operation as a last hope. Dr. Busch's cancer was of the incurable type and at the most radium, in his case, could only alleviate suffering. Dr. Busch for ten years held the chair of physiology in the University of Buffalo. Two years ago he identified himself with the State Cancer Laboratory here, and his researches here and in Europe were important in the study of cancer. He was the author of several medical works. He was forty years old.

# PIONEER IN MISSIONARY WORK DEAD

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 4.—One of civilization's martyrs who suffered intense agonies for seven years following thirty years work among the Indians in the MacKenzie river and Great Slave Lake district, Rev. Father Gascon of the Oblate Fathers, died yesterday at the Junifont.

Born at St. Anne Des Plaines, near Montreal, eighty-seven years ago, Father Gascon came west on missionary work, when he was forty years of age, and went into the Great Slave Lake territory, where he worked among the Indians of that territory. In that period of his life he went through experiences of the most bitter kind. He was one of few white men in the great unknown lands and there were no such things as conveniences to help him along. For months, it is recalled, he lived on dried fish and depended on nature to supply his subsistence. Physically perfect Father Gascon was the one man in a thousand who could survive the rigors of such a life and for thirty years he struggled on to the work of Christianizing the red men.

Finally he was called to Edmonton where he lived for a few years and twelve years ago was called to Winnipeg by the Archbishop. For five years Father Gascon worked in St. Boniface and Winnipeg, then his strength failed and the physical crash came rendering him unable to move his chair. So he half reclined for seven years until the end came at 7.45 yesterday morning.

A Thought.  
Not always go unto the swift  
The laurels of the race,  
Nor does the costliest Christmas gift  
The truest spirit trace.  
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## New Telephone Company.

A meeting of the Westford and Summerhill Telephone Company was held at Armstrong's Corner on Friday evening. A committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements to proceed with the development of the territory coming under the control of the company. Those appointed to the committee were: J. W. Corbett, J. A. Kerr, William Kerr, Robert Scribner, D. Adamson, W. H. Woods, William H. McCracken, George Lyon, John Woods, and E. E. Armstrong.

## Maritime Girls' Home.

Rev. J. W. McMillan of Halifax will be in St. John tomorrow to speak on the question of a Maritime home for girls. Dr. McMillan has taken the lead in this matter in the Province of Nova Scotia. A light supper will be served at Bond's at six o'clock tomorrow and those interested are invited to attend, the tickets are forty cents.

## Art of Driving.

Son (a golf enthusiast)—You must acknowledge, father, that it requires a great deal of skill to drive a ball a hundred yards.

Old farmer—Stu! It don't require half as much skill as it does to drive a pig 50 feet.

# Nerves Were So Bad THOUGHT SHE WOULD GO OUT OF HER MIND.

Diseases of the nervous system are very common. All the organs of the body may be sound while the nerve centres may be affected.

Many women become run down and worn out by household cares and duties never ending, and sooner or later find themselves with the nerves shattered, and the heart action weakened.

On the first sign of any weakness of either the heart or nerves, flagging energy, or physical breakdown, do not wait until your case becomes hopeless.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS ON STOCKS AND BONDS

DAY'S SALES ON MONTREAL MARKET

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.) Saturday's Sales. Canada Cotton Pfd., 30 @ 73 1/2. Cement Pfd., 15 @ 90 1/2, 45 @ 90. C. P. R. Rights, 9 @ 4 5/16, 28 @ 4 1/8, 5 @ 4 1/4, 1,300 @ 4 3/16. C. P. R., 25 @ 207 3/8, 25 @ 207 7/8, 50 @ 208 3/4. Detroit, 6 @ 70. Textile Pfd., 25 @ 101 1/2. Dominion Steel, 47 @ 88, 10 @ 87 3/4. Hillcrest Pfd., 25 @ 83. Montreal Cotton Pfd., 5 @ 99 3/4. Crown Reserve, 200 @ 157. Hollinger, 50 @ 17.50. Scotia, 7 @ 42 1/2. Shawinigan, 3 @ 132. Illinois Pfd., 15 @ 80. Ottawa Paper, 10 @ 162 1/2, 1 @ 162 1/2. Nipissing, 250 @ 8 1/8. Quebec Railway, 50 @ 13. Ames Pfd., 20 @ 67. Penman's, 5 @ 49. Brazilian, 50 @ 80 1/2, 25 @ 80 1/8, 85 @ 80 1/2, 90 @ 80 1/4, 225 @ 80 1/8. Spanish River, 5 @ 9 1/2. Twin City, 25 @ 106. McDonald, 10 @ 19 1/2, 25 @ 19 1/4, 5 @ 19 1/2. Scotia Bonds, 3,000 @ 89 1/4. Tram Debentures, 8,000 @ 76. Textile Bonds, 1,000 @ 97. Quebec Bonds, 100 @ 50. Royal Bank, 2 @ 221 1/4. Bank of B. N. A., 1 @ 145. Bank of Commerce, 30 @ 200 1/2. Quebec Bank, 2 @ 118 1/4, 1 @ 118 1/4. Bank of N. S., 10 @ 259. Bank D'Hochelega, 2 @ 150.

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, Jan. 3.—CORN—American No. 2 yellow, 72 to 73. OATS—Canadian, western No. 2, 4 1/2 to 4 3/4; No. 3, 4 1/8 to 4 1/4. FLOUR—Manitoba spring wheat patents, Brs., \$5.40; winter patents, choice, \$4.75 to \$5; straight rollers, \$4.50 to \$4.60; straight rollers, bags, \$2.00 to \$2.10. MILLFEED—Bran, 20 to 22 1/2; shorts, \$2 to \$2 1/2; middlings, \$2.50 to \$2.6; mouline, \$2 to \$3 1/2. HAY—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$13.50 to \$15. POTATOES—75 to 80.

MONTREAL UNLISTED SALES (F. B. McCURDY & CO.) Saturday's Sales. Tram Power—50 seconds, \$4.00. Wyagamack bonds—\$1,000 at 71. Close. Asbestos—9 asked. Asbestos Pfd.—17 to 21. Asbestos Bonds—70 asked. Pell—15 to 24. B. C. Cannery—22 to 32. Coke—4 bid. Mex Mahogany—30 asked. Tram Power—3 1/2 to 3 1/4. Brick—48 asked. Brick Bonds—69 to 71. Sherbrooke—20 asked. W. C. Power—32 asked. Wyagamack—20 to 22. Wyagamack Bonds—70 bid. Penna Power—65 1/2 to 67 1/2.

MONTREAL STOCKS. (F. B. McCURDY & CO.) Canada Cement . . . 30 28 1/2. Canada Cement Pfd . . . 91 90 1/2. Canadian Pacific . . . 209 208 1/2. Crown Reserve . . . 168 167. Detroit United . . . 71 70. Dom. Steel . . . 37 1/2 37 1/4. Dom. Steel Pfd. . . 94 . . . 93. Dom. Textile . . . 101 100. Ills. Traction—Pfd. . . 92 90. Lake of Woods Com. . . 128. Laurentide . . . 164 163. Minn. St. P. and Sault 125 124. Montreal Power . . . 213 212 1/2. N. S. Steel . . . 75 1/2 74. Ogilvie Com. . . 117 1/2 115. Ottawa Power . . . 163 161. Penman's Com. . . 50 . . . 49. Quebec Railway . . . 13 12 1/2. Richelleu and Ont. . . 109 108. Shawinigan . . . 134 131. Toronto Railway . . . 133 1/2 132 1/2. Twin City . . . 106 . . . 105.

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CURRENT PRICES OF NEW YORK EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Previous High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks like Am Cop, Am Can, Am Loco, etc.

IN THE COURTS

Dispute About Farm. Hearing in the case of Robert L. Todd vs. the Farm Settlement Board et al was had before Chief Justice Barker in the Chancery Division Saturday morning. On motion of M. G. Reed, K. C., for the defendants, to set aside an injunction restraining the defendant from cancelling an agreement of sale with the plaintiff of a farm in the parish of St. Stephen, Charlotte county, on the ground that the plaintiff did not work the farm in a proper manner as set out in the agreement. Mr. Mullin, K. C., argued for the plaintiff, and His Honor announced that he would give judgment on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

City of St. John 4 1-2 p. c. School Bonds Tax Exempt Due January 2, 1938 PRICE 98 AND INTEREST ATLANTIC BOND COMPANY, LTD Bank of Montreal Bldg. St. John, N. B. Howard P. Robinson, President, Tel. M. 2424.

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STATE OF DEPRESSION ON THE MARKET SATURDAY

New York, Jan. 3.—Stocks were depressed abruptly today, after a quiet opening which gave no hint of the impending decline. Although various adverse influences were brought to bear on the market, they were not of sufficient importance to explain the sudden unloading of stocks in the first hour, during which leading issues were sold in blocks of several thousand shares. The selling apparently was of professional origin. Toward the close a partial recovery was made and a few important stocks scored net gains. The point of interest to the professional trader was the increased susceptibility of the market to bearish pressure. Such a sharp set back had not occurred since the recent advance began. The readiness with which the list responded to pressure measure the diminution in buying at the higher level, and the weakening effort on the part of a reduction in the outstanding short interest. Activities on the long side were curtailed by the tightness of money at the year-end period, although the bank statement gave promise of an improvement. An actual cash gain of \$11,788,000 was shown, after a quiet opening which gave no hint of the impending decline. Although various adverse influences were brought to bear on the market, they were not of sufficient importance to explain the sudden unloading of stocks in the first hour, during which leading issues were sold in blocks of several thousand shares. The selling apparently was of professional origin. Toward the close a partial recovery was made and a few important stocks scored net gains. The point of interest to the professional trader was the increased susceptibility of the market to bearish pressure. Such a sharp set back had not occurred since the recent advance began. The readiness with which the list responded to pressure measure the diminution in buying at the higher level, and the weakening effort on the part of a reduction in the outstanding short interest. Activities on the long side were curtailed by the tightness of money at the year-end period, although the bank statement gave promise of an improvement.

LAIDLAW & CO'S CLOSING STOCK LETTER

(J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.) New York, Jan. 3.—Fear of unfavorable developments in the Mexican situation appeared to render would-be bulls timid this morning with the result that the market as a whole reflected a diminished buying power. Professional bears were quick to seize the opportunity to turn a profit and prices declined rather easily under pressure. There was, however, little stock for sale except from professional interests and sentiment as a whole underwent no change so far as the ultimate course of prices is concerned. Bear interests tried to make a great deal of the retirement of the members of the Morgan firm from various directorates, but the best opinion seems to be that this action removes another source of friction with the government. There was some pressure on Reading based on the prediction that the forthcoming decision of antihatch rates would be against the company. Market grew dull on the decline and in the final dealings showed a tendency toward recovery. The Mexican situation is likely to be a factor of uncertainty until further announcement is made at Washington. LAIDLAW & CO.

CLOSING COTTON LETTER FROM JUDSON & CO.

(J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.) New York, Jan. 3.—Trade as a whole seemed willing to lend an ear to rumors and forecasts of forthcoming private ginning returns and the easier tone of the stock market appeared to emphasize talk of unsatisfactory financial and trade conditions. The result was a renewal of pressure, which was all the more impressive for the fact that the south figured prominently on the selling side. May and July were carried well under the low levels of last month, but this seemed in large part the result of buying of the near months by spot interests against sales of the options named. Scattered short covering brought a closing rally but sentiment remained bearish in consequence of the relatively large ginning returns for the period and a consequent larger crop than was anticipated a month or so ago. JUDSON & CO. N. Y. BANK STATEMENT. (F. B. McCURDY & CO.) Loans increase . . . \$10,330,000. Specie increase . . . 2,683,000. Legals increase . . . 1,406,000. Deposits increase . . . 21,481,000. Reserve decrease . . . 761,750.

DOW JONES CO'S SUMMARY OF NEWS

(J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.) New York, Jan. 3.—Voting trust of guaranty trust company, consisting of Geo. F. Baker, H. F. Davidson and W. H. Porter to be dissolved January 30th. Gross earnings of railroads for first 3 weeks of December show decrease of five per cent. compared with same period a year ago. Government estimates exports for year at 2,497-million and imports at \$1,756-million, excess of exports highest on record. President Wilson and John Lind confer on Mexican situation. Agreement expected today. Failures this week, 381, against 289 last week and 318 a year ago. Swift and Co., stockholders approve issue of five per cent. 30 year bonds. Limit of \$50-million placed on issue. J. P. Morgan says he intends to remain a director of Steel Corporation but his membership on bank boards will be dependent on construction of directors' liability clause of currency law. As result of change in situation affecting corporations administration may modify contemplated anti-trust legislation. Creditors of Stiegel Stores Corporation form protective committee. DOW JONES & CO. REAL ESTATE. Property transfers recently recorded are: Thos. Bell to R. C. McMann, for \$600, property on Leinster street. Thos. Bell and others to J. A. Melburn property at Simonds. City of St. John to C. E. Colwell, for \$600, property on Leinster street. Hamilton Cochrane to W. J. Alexander, property at Simonds. C. A. Emery to Nelle L. White, property on Prince street, Carleton. A. H. Likely to J. A. Likely, property at Simonds. F. W. Mullin and others to Mrs. J. F. Gleason, for \$400, property on Hazen street. Kings County transfers are: Heirs of Francis Doherty to James Doherty, property at Norion. W. H. Earle to W. I. Earle, for \$200, property at Hampton. George Lafferty to T. L. Lafferty, property at Greenwich.

VITAL STATISTICS

Reports to Registrar Jones for the week ending Saturday were 29 marriages and 30 births—18 males and 12 females. For the calendar year the record was 1,054 births, 917 deaths and 567 marriages. This is the largest number of marriages ever recorded. During the week sixteen deaths were registered at the office of the Board of Health.

NEW YORK AND BOSTON CURB STOCKS

Table with columns: Asked, Bid. Lists various stocks like Adventure, Allouez, Arcadian, etc.

BOSTON CURB STOCKS

Table with columns: Bid, Asked. Lists various stocks like Bay State Gas, Boston Ely, Chief, etc.

"STANFIELD'S EARNINGS"

Table showing earnings for years 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912. Values range from \$98,279 to \$149,406.

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With the institution of our Partial Payment Plan last August, we enabled many men and women to make a start towards the accumulation of a reserve fund with whom such a course would otherwise have been impossible.

Since we have just cut the initial deposit in half, it is now twice as easy to make a start as before, and we anticipate recognition of the plan to widen correspondingly.

Here are the new terms of our Partial Payment Plan—\$10 down and \$10 monthly buys any one bond or share of stock on our list; \$30 down and \$20 monthly buys two; \$30 down and \$30 monthly buys three; \$50 down and \$50 monthly buys five;—and so on, according to your circumstances.

Under the plan your account is credited with all bond interest and stock dividends, as declared. In most cases these credits will more than offset the carrying charges. In fact there are many good securities on our list, yielding six per cent. and upwards with safety, which would give you a net return during the period of payment of over four per cent.—or more than if you deposited the amounts month by month in the savings bank. And, of course, on completion of your payments you would receive the full income from your security.

As a preliminary to putting this New Year's resolution into effect, we suggest that you send for the explanatory booklet—with which we will send our January "Investment Offerings." Address, our St. John office, please.

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Everybody in New Brunswick or elsewhere is eligible and is offered a chance to go on this exceptional trip! That this offer is a bona-fide one we take the liberty of referring you to any of the following honorable gentlemen, who know us personally, and whom, we feel sure, will vouch for our honesty and faithfully carry out this contract:

- Sir Wilfrid Laurier, ex-Premier of the Dominion of Canada.
  - Hon. J. D. Hazen, M. P., present Minister of Marine and Fisheries in the Dominion Cabinet.
  - Hon. William Pugsley, M. P., ex-Minister of Public Works in the Dominion Cabinet.
  - Hon. T. W. Crothers, present Minister of Labor in the Dominion Cabinet.
  - Sir Frederick Borden, ex-Minister of Militia in the Dominion Cabinet.
  - Hon. F. B. McCurdy, M. P., Banker and Broker, Halifax, N. S.
  - Hon. A. K. McLean, M. P., elected with the Hon. R. L. Borden, Premier of Canada, in the City and County of Halifax.
  - Hon. Judge Wallace, Halifax, N. S.
  - Hon. T. O. Daniels, Attorney General of Nova Scotia.
  - Hon. H. F. McLeod, M. P. for York, formerly Provincial Secretary.
  - Senator Dennis, proprietor of the Herald and Mail, Halifax, N. S.
  - Mayor Frink, Mayor of the City of St. John, N. B.
  - Mayor Bligh, Mayor of the City of Halifax, N. S.
  - J. A. Chisholm, Esq., K. C., ex-Mayor of the City of Halifax, N. S.
  - J. J. Kelliher, Esq., manager of the Chronicle and Echo, Halifax, N. S.
  - Richard O'Brien, Esq., manager of the St. John Globe, St. John, N. B.
  - Thos. B. Blair, Esq., manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, St. John, N. B.
  - R. V. Dimock, Esq., manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, Halifax, N. S.
- And hundreds of others we could name.
- The names of such prominent gentlemen should convince all both in the city and other parts of the province that we will carry out our contract impartially to the letter.



### FORMER DRAWINGS!

IN JANUARY of last year our first drawing—for work done in connection with our St. John offices—was held at the office of the St. John Globe, on which occasion J. M. Robinson, Esq., Banker and Broker, and the present energetic president of the Board of Trade, Commissioner Agar and Ernest Smith, Esq., Manager of the Royal Bank officiated as scrutineers on behalf of the public interest.

The result of the drawing was that Mrs. Placide Bourque of Milford, N. B. was awarded a free trip through the West Indies, all expenses paid or the choice of one hundred dollars \$100 in gold—she decided to accept the \$100 in gold.

Miss Agnes Owens, 16 Gilbert's Lane, St. John, was awarded the trip to New York.

At the second drawing in July last, for work performed at the St. John offices—Mr. J. M. Robinson again acted as scrutineer together with Philip Grannan, Esq., M. P. P. and the result was that Mr. Matthew Briggs, Coburn, N. B. received forty dollars (\$40.00) in gold and Mrs. John Akery, 8 Barker St., St. John, was awarded the trip to Boston.

At Halifax the first drawing in January 1913—for work performed at our Halifax offices only was held in Halifax board of Trade rooms, ex-Mayor J. A. Chisholm and Mr. Saunders the efficient and popular secretary of the Halifax Board of Trade acting as scrutineers.

On that occasion Mrs. Donald Cummings, 57 1-2 Louisburg St., Halifax won the trip through the West Indies on the Pickford and Black line, or the choice of one hundred dollars (100) in gold and decided to accept the \$100 in gold.

Mr. John Greenough, 59 Coburg Road was awarded the trip to New York.

At the second drawing for work done only at our Halifax offices the interests of those concerned were carefully looked after by J. M. Robinson, Esq., president of the St. John Board of Trade and Philip Grannan, Esq., M. P. P. for the city of St. John.

Capt. John Willetta, Payne St., Sydney, C. B. was awarded the forty dollars (40) in gold and Miss Siteman of Dartmouth received the trip to Boston.

So you see you have every assurance that your interests will be fully guarded at the drawing of the big California trip!

### THE ONLY CONDITION NECESSARY FOR THIS GREAT TRIP

A FREE TICKET carrying a chance for this Grand Free Outing will be given to each and every person who has but one dollar's worth (\$1.00) of any kind of dental work performed at our St. John offices any time between Jan. 1st, 1914, up to and including Dec. 31st, 1914. If you have \$10 worth of dental work done, such as teeth cleaned, filled, extracted, artificial teeth made, crown or bridge-work, you will receive ten free chances, and so on, but bear in mind it is not the number of dollars spent that wins the prize—the expenditure of but one dollar for the best dentistry obtainable may incidentally win you the prize!

The same conditions as published in the press at the time of our first big prize offering will prevail, and we assume no responsibility beyond what we made public at that time, likewise reserving the same rights as were fully explained.

Should the prizes not be claimed within what we consider a reasonable time after the result has been publicly announced in the press, we will award them to the next ones on the winning lists, as we do not wish to shirk our responsibility in the matter.

Every purchaser at our St. John offices of one dollar's worth (\$1.00) of our celebrated tooth paste or mouth wash at 25c. a tube or 25c. a bottle will be entitled to a chance for this big trip.

People throughout New Brunswick who cannot reach us for dental work will accordingly have an opportunity of participating in this drawing and at the same time obtain the best tooth paste on the market. No family can live properly without the aid of a tooth brush and our tooth paste is just the thing, whether it be for the care and cleanliness of your natural or artificial teeth.

### A CAMPAIGN OF EDUCATION!

Our object in offering these big prizes is to instil the public mind with the importance of looking after dental requirements which are daily becoming more and more pronounced. We wish to impress this fact most emphatically. EVERYBODY REQUIRES THE SERVICES OF A DENTIST. Incidentally—we are frank enough to admit—we are anxious to enlarge our own practice which has already grown to immense proportions and we accordingly solicit your patronage. If perchance you do not care to patronize us or are unable to conveniently reach us, our educative advertisements will, undoubtedly, be the means of inducing you to patronize some other dentists and there are some excellent ones in private practice in this city and other parts of the Province.

WE WERE THE PIONEERS OF PAINLESS DENTISTRY and our famous Hale method which is used exclusively at our offices is known all over Canada, as is also our superior workmanship both of which have brought us testimonials from Governors, Premiers, Judges of the Supreme Court, Clergymen, Physicians, Dentists and thousands of others.

We were the first to advocate the examination of school children's teeth which is gradually being forced to the front and which will soon receive attention in our public schools. We claim—and we defy contradiction that we have done more to bring the subject of Dentistry home to the people of the Maritime Provinces than any other institution here.

OURS IS THE ONLY RELIABLE ADVERTISING OFFICE IN CANADA.

SHOULD the winner not wish to accept this excursion ticket to California we will pay the winner \$100 in Gold, or if the winner should prefer we will hand over the money to any institution in New Brunswick he or she may name.

REMEMBER that in this drawing absolutely no charge is made for the trip, you not only receive more than an equivalent for your money in obtaining the best possible dentistry at the lowest possible fees, but you likewise get this opportunity gratis!

### A FREE TRIP TO BOSTON!

A FREE TICKET entitling you to a chance for the Boston trip will be given for every 25c. or multiples of 25c. spent at our St. John offices for work within the above period of time. Every 25c. purchase of our tooth paste or mouth wash at our offices will also entitle you to a free chance for the Boston trip. Hence, whilst it is rather improbable still it will be possible for a person spending one and a quarter (\$1.25) to win both prizes!

Four persons may club together and buy \$1.00 worth of our tooth paste, and in case of winning the big prize may arrange matters between themselves.

Special attention will be paid to mail orders.

JUST THINK what a start in life for a child with \$100 in the bank! JUST THINK how good you would feel if you heard to-night that you were the winner of such a trip! How lucky others would say you were, and yet this may be your's for nothing!

Don't Delay! Make good New Year's Resolutions and start at once. Call and see us. No charge for examination!

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# ALL THE LATEST NEWS FROM THE ATHLETIC WORLD

## CANADIENS AND OTTAWAS TRIUMPHANT

Montreal, Jan. 4.—In a game replete with sensational rushes and brilliant combination play, Canadiens defeated Ontario in the N. H. A. fixture here Saturday night by a score of 4 to 3. The team were kept going at top speed throughout the match, yet it was particularly free from roughness.

The lineup:

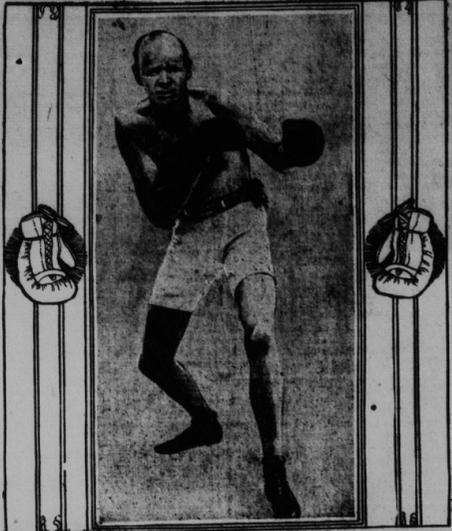
Canadiens	Goal	Ontarios
Vezina	Defence	Hebert
Dubeau	Defence	H. McNamara
Lavolette	Defence	F. Lake
Lalonde	Centre	McDonald
D. Smith	Wing	Vair
Berlinquette	Wing	Deberry

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—The Wanderer team struck a snag Saturday night when it tackled Ottawa's in the second round match of the National Association. The Senators accomplished the much promised come-back and gave Sam Lichtenhein's club a severe trimming, the final score being 3 to 3.

The lineup:

Ottawa	Goal	Wanderers
Lesueur	Point	Nicholson
Merrill	Cover	Ross
Shore	Centre	S. Cleghorn
Ronan	Right Wing	Hyland
Broadbent	Left Wing	C. Cleghorn
Darragh	Goal	Roberts

## "BOB" FITZSIMMONS BARRED



Robert Fitzsimmons, who held two ring championships at one time, has been refused permission to indulge in a "fiat battle" in New York State.

## SPORTOGRAPHY BY "GRAVY"

Take it from me, the poet was right when he remarked that the saddest words of tongue or pen are these, viz. "It might have been." Take the case of Al Kaufman, heavy weight boxer who was born in San Francisco twenty-eight years ago come tomorrow. If he hadn't been rushed too fast, Al might be right now the heavy weight champion of the world. Kaufman early displayed great skill with his fists. As an amateur he seemed to have everything—skill, stamina, courage, strength, height, reach, endurance. He stood six feet one, and was remarkably well proportioned. He could discourage the huskiest of his opponents in a single round. In short, Al looked like "the goods."

At nineteen, acting on the persuasions of his friends, he turned professional. He knocked out Harry Foley in less than a round. Then came the blunder that, as Abe Potash would say, kicked his career in the bud. He was matched with Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, a veteran battler who was a dangerous man for the best of them to tackle. And yet Al stood against the wily, clever O'Brien for seventeen rounds, and it was not until Philadelphia Jack had closed both of the Cal-

## BRITISH SOCCER RESULTS

London, Jan. 3.—Today's football results were as follows:

### ENGLISH LEAGUE.

#### First Division.

Blackburne Rovers, 0; Aston Villa, 0.  
Bolton W., 6; Manchester U., 1.  
Bradford C., 2; Middlesborough, 3.  
Chelsea, 2; Oldham A., 1.  
Derby C., 4; Tottenham H., 0.  
Everton, 2; Newcastle U., 0.  
Manchester C., 2; Sheffield U., 1.  
Sheffield W., 2; Burnley, 6.  
Sunderland, 1; Liverpool, 2.  
W. Bromwich A., 1; Preston N. E., 0.

#### Second Division.

Birmingham, 2; Notts C., 1.  
Blackpool, 3; Barnsley, 1.  
Bristol C., 2; B'ham, 1.  
Clapton O., 5; Glossop, 1.  
Grimby T., 3; Leicester F., 0.  
Huddersfield T., 3; Fulham, 1.  
Leeds C., 5; Stockport C., 1.  
Lincoln C., 1; Bury, 0.  
Notts Forest, 1; Hull C., 2.  
Woolwich A., 3; Wolverhampton W., 1.

#### Southern League.

West Ham U., 6; Bristol R., 1.  
Merthyr T., 1; Queen's Park R., 1.  
Plymouth A., 1; Swinton T., 1.  
Southampton, 0; Cardiff C., 0.  
Reading, 2; Exeter C., 2.  
Coventry C., 2; Portsmouth, 2.  
Crystal Palace, 3; Millwall, 0.  
Watford, 3; Brighton and Hove, 1.  
Norwich C., 6; Southend U., 0.  
Gillingham, 1; Northampton, 1.

#### Scottish League.

Aberdeen, 1; Raith Rovers, 0.  
Aberdonians, 3; Motherwell, 1.  
Hearts, 2; Arbroath, 1.  
Partick, 0; Celtic, 0.  
Clyde, 0; Kilmarnock, 0.  
Dumarton, 0; Falkirk, 4.  
Dunfermline, 3; Hibernian, 2.  
Hamilton, 1; Morton, 1.  
St. Mirren, 0; Rangers, 1.  
Third Lanark, 5; Queens Park, 0.

## CRACK PLAYERS IN COLLEGIATE CHESS TOURNAMENT



Playing the honors of the third round themselves as well as with respect of the games played by them against Brown University, the representatives of Pennsylvania and Cornell are continuing their trip and took part in the annual tournament of the Triangular College Chess League at the rooms of the Brooklyn (N. Y.) Chess Club.

## INTERPROVINCIAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	At Amherst.	SCHEDULE 1914		
		At Sackville	At St. John.	At Sussex.
Amherst	Read The	Jan. 21, Feb. 2.	Jan. 9, Feb. 20.	Jan. 8, Feb. 19.
Sackville	Jan. 3, Feb. 7.	Standard	Jan. 16, Feb. 11.	Jan. 15, Feb. 10.
St. John	Jan. 24, Feb. 28.	Jan. 12, Feb. 16.	For News	Jan. 20, Feb. 3.
Sussex	Jan. 17, Feb. 23.	Jan. 25, Feb. 29.	Jan. 30, Feb. 6.	of Sport

## RUGBY GAMES ON SATURDAY

Blackheath, 33; Richmond, 10.  
London Scottish, 6; Old Merchant Tailors, 5.  
Coventry, 10; Moseley, 8.  
England, 42; The Rest, 27.

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## SATURDAY BOWLING RECORDS

Saturday was a big day on the Victoria alleys. Archie McDonald bowled 149, which is the best string rolled on these alleys since 1911.

In the two man league Simpson and Johnston took five points from Roxborough and Herb.

Their scores were as follows:

Roxborough	80	82	84	80	106	432	-86	2-3
Ferguson	79	85	79	89	97	429	-85	1-5
Simpson	158	167	163	169	203	861		
Johnston	190	82	82	85	98	447	-89	2-5
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	185	167	164	173	189	878		

The matches arranged for tonight are: Kiley and Slocum versus Duffy and Davis at 8 o'clock, and Simpson and Johnston versus Stevens and McDonald at 9:15.

## PICKED

Packey McFarland says that Kid Alberts is the coming welter weight champion. Packey boxed Alberts in Connecticut recently and admits that he had his hands full.

The Toronto varsity hockey seven will not be able to play the game scheduled with Princeton at the St. Nicholas Rink tonight, and the Ottawa seven will meet the Orange and Black seven.

President Louis Heilbroner may give Dummy Taylor, the old National league hurler, a chance to umpire in the Central league this year. The fact that Dummy cannot talk is used as an argument against his appointment, but it should be remembered that an umpire is always able to officiate as long as he has the use of his thumbs.

Last year was a good one for left-handed batters in the American and National leagues. Daubert led the latter and Cobb, Hendrickson, Jackson and Speaker, the four American leaders were all left-handed.

Godwy, who is coming back to the Boston Nationals this year, is expected to prove a grand catcher next summer. He has been with Buffalo the past year and has improved since first tried by Boston in 1912.

While the Philadelphia Athletics and New York Giants have met in several games during the past few years, the Philadelphia Nationals have never played the New York Americans. The two teams are booked to face each other April 8 and 9.

Gene Marceau, the Boston A. A. mile runner, who was a member of the four mile relay team, which made a new world's record at Lafayette College games, Easton, Pa., last spring, leaves tomorrow for Chicago, where he is to go into business. Marceau intends to keep up his interest in track athletics and may join the Chicago A. A.

The University of Texas is trying to secure two baseball games with the University of Illinois for May 1 and 2, to be played at Urbana.

President Johnson, Secretary Heyler and Barney Dreyfuss should have little difficulty in getting out an acceptable 1914 schedule for the National and American leagues.

Manager Riskey of the St. Louis Americans is to give Messenger another major league trial next spring. The last time he played in the majors was with the Chicago Americans.

Reports that are coming from Federal league headquarters are very promising, but the baseball fans will wait to be shown the results before accepting the new league as a major league.

## OTTAWA LOST TO OUTLAW CRESENTS

New York, Jan. 4.—The Ottawa Y. M. C. A. basketball team Thursday played the Crescent Athletic Club's team in Brooklyn, and besides being defeated 32 to 28, unwittingly disqualified themselves by playing with a team that was not registered in the A. A. U. When James E. Sullivan, secretary of the A. A. U., heard that the Canadian team was to play the Brooklyn organization, which has defied the A. A. U., he wired H. N. Crow, president of the Canadian Amateur Club, that the Crescents were outlawed. He had mistaken the team, however, and said that it was from the Toronto Y.M.C.A. A. Mr. Crow wired Mr. Sullivan that no Toronto team was in New York. In the afternoon, on learning that the Ottawa team was here Mr. Sullivan again communicated with Mr. Crow. A telegram was sent to Jess Abelson, captain and manager of the Ottawa team, by Mr. Crow, warning him that his men must not play against the Crescents, under pain of suspension. The telegram lay on the desk of the secretary of the Crescent Club while the game went forward upstairs. In the first half Ottawa scored 17 to 4 by the Crescents, but in the second half the Brooklynites turned the tables and scored 28, while the Ottawa boys got only 14.

Mr. Sullivan, when he heard the facts of the case, said that while technically the Ottawas were subject to disqualification, he believed the fact that they had acted in good faith must be considered. He expressed great satisfaction at the prompt and decisive action of the Canadian Athletic authorities in upholding the agreement not to play unregistered teams in either country.

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## BASEBALL BUSINESS PLEASURE

Baseball is a great and wonderful combination of sport and business. It is organized on a sound business organization, such a way that the unfamiliar are inclined to refer to it as a "trust" yet it is admitted by all qualified to judge that but for the manner in which it is organized its days would be short and few. Huge interests are at stake. Millions of dollars are interested. Thousands of ball players derive a living from it each year. Thousands of dollars are made and lost each year with the moneymaking clubs in the minority. This is a fact that permits of no argument. Where one club will show a surplus on the season's operations, ten others will show a deficit, and were it not for the manner in which the game is organized and protected by the laws of the National Association of Baseball League, all would be chaos. The outcry of those ignorant writers and enemies is centered against what is known as the "reserve clause" in the contracts which players sign each year. The reserve clause gives the club for whom the player plays this year the right to his services for the succeeding season. The player signs this contract in full possession of all his mental abilities, knows what he is doing and cheerfully does it, in the majority of occasions is only too willing to seventy-five per cent. of his yearly salary is paid him for his services on the ball field as a player, twenty-five per cent. is given to him in return for his willingness to sign a contract which gives the club holding the contract the exclusive right to his services for the succeeding season. Surely this is but fair. It is the ball club's only protection, and the point around which the success of the game centres. Do away with it and baseball will become chaos. Attack it and you attack the game.

## A NEW REFEREE.

Sydney, N. S., Jan. 4.—J. C. Larder, manager of the Sydney Hockey Club, stated that arrangements had been completed with C. D. McNamara of Montreal, one of the most efficient referees of the N.H.A., to handle the Sociolimitative game here on next Tuesday evening. Mr. McNamara arrived in the city yesterday morning. The president also stated that they expected to have another player here before the next game and a good game will be assured.

## SHOT RECORD GONE AGAIN

New York, Jan. 3.—A new Junior indoor record for the 15-pound shot, fifty-two feet and four and a half inches, was made by Wallace C. Maxfield, of Dartmouth College, at the Junior indoor championship meet of the Amateur Athletic Union held in the Third Army, Regiment Armory, Brooklyn, tonight.

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## LEVINSKY FIGHTING HIS WAY UP

Philadelphia, Jan. 3.—Battling Levinsky had the better of the six-round fight with Jim Coffey, of Dublin, here tonight. Levinsky was the aggressor and had the advantage in four of the six rounds. The fight was fast for big men and both showed considerable speed. Coffey outweighed Levinsky.

## RED SOX RELEASED TO MINORS

Release of six players to minor league clubs have been announced by Secretary Edward Riley of the Boston Americans. Charles Hill, the pitcher is the only veteran to be dismissed.

With infielder McNally, he was released to the St. Paul team of the American Association. Albin Carlstrom, a first baseman, goes to Montreal of the International league; Martin Krug, a shortstop, to Omaha; Grover Cleveland Brant, a pitcher, to Beaumont, Tex., and First Baseman Mundy, formerly of the Norfolk, Va., club, will play next season in Worcester.

## CHAMPIONS DEFEATED BY TORONTO

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Quebec champions of the National Hockey Association for the past two seasons, made their initial appearance at the Arena this winter Saturday night, and were beaten 8 to 3 by Toronto.

The lineup:

Quebec	Goal	Toronto
Moran	Point	Holmes
Progers	Cover	Marshall
Mummary	Centre	Cameron
Malone	Right Wing	McGiffen
Smith	Left Wing	Walker
Marks	Right Wing	Davidson

## SACKVILLE DEFEATED BY AMHERST

Moncton, Jan. 4.—The newly organized Inter-provincial Hockey League, composed of Amherst, Sackville, St. John and Sussex, opened at Sackville Saturday night, when Amherst defeated Sackville by a score of 10 to 3.

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Special to The Standard. Campbellton, Jan. 2.—The officers of the 73rd Northumberland Regiment met tonight in the hall of the hotel in their annual mid-winter meeting.

Major C. W. Merreau, Major H. Irvine, Major A. S. Cameron, Capt. H. F. Fair, Signalling Officer Capt. A. G. McKenna, etc.

MR. BRYAN ADDRESSES CHINESE STUDENTS. Tells them they can do more to reach hearts of their people than outsiders.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 3.—Christian Chinese now studying in America are the powers to propagate Christianity in China, declared William J. Bryan.

OBITUARY. Wm. S. MacMurray. The death of Wilson Scott MacMurray occurred Saturday morning at his residence, Broad street.

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V. A. Horshaw Receives Travelling Bag from Woodstock Friends - Is Removing to Brownville. Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 4.—Special V. A. Horshaw, superintendent of the C. P. R. for this division, who has been transferred to Brownville, Maine, vice W. A. Cowan assigned to other duty, was waited upon at the Carlisle Hotel last night by a committee of citizens and presented with a travelling bag and a presentation speech being made by Dr. Chase's Kidney Pills.

Charles Muller, aged forty-six years, a native of this county, died yesterday at Vancouver, B. C. He left here on the late train, Mr. Williams became a policeman at Vancouver and was promoted until for some years he held the rank of sergeant.

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**THE WEATHER.**

Maritime—Strong northeast-  
erly winds, with snow or rain  
in some localities; not much  
change in temperature.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—A distur-  
bance which was over the mid-  
dle Atlantic coast Saturday  
morning has moved out to sea  
and a fairly pronounced high  
area has come in over Lake  
Superior. With the exception of  
some local snow falls in West-  
ern Ontario this weather has  
been for the most part fair and  
mild throughout the Dominion.

Temperatures.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	44	52
Vancouver	42	52
Kamloops	34	44
Calgary	16	35
Edmonton	14	34
Battleford	8	34
Prince Albert	9	28
Medicine Hat	22	46
Regina	7	23
Winnipeg	10	20
Port Arthur	2	20
Parry Sound	22	30
Toronto	23	38
Ottawa	24	32
Montreal	20	28
Quebec	22	26
Halifax	26	38

**AROUND THE CITY**

Good bargains await those who keep their eyes on the odd of H. Mont Jones, 54 King street, for list of offerings in our big fur sale.

**Fishing Lots**

At the meeting of the common council today the matter of arranging for the sale of the fishing lots in the harbor will be discussed, and probably several lots will be withdrawn, so as not to interfere with the harbor development work.

**Temperance Meeting**

A successful public temperance meeting was held last evening in Carmarthen street Methodist church after the regular service. The speakers included F. G. Moore of Albert county, grand worthy patriarch of Sons of Temperance; Rev. R. Robinson, grand scribe; Rev. George Steele and Rev. T. J. Deinstadt. Special musical numbers by the church choir under the direction of F. Bullock were given. E. S. Hennier presided.

**To Rate Dredge**

The underwriters to whom the Norton Griffiths Company have abandoned the sunken dredge Leacockfield have awarded E. O. Lahey of St. John the contract for raising it. The dredge is lying on her side, well down in the mud and it is expected it will be a difficult job to raise her. It is proposed to remove the string of buoys before an attempt is made to lift her. Work will be started at once, as a heavy gale from the southwest might break her up or cover her with mud.

**Preservation.**

The approaching departure of Geo. N. Mott from St. John was made the occasion of an interesting ceremony yesterday after the close of the Sabbath school of the Waterloo street Baptist church. Mr. Mott has been superintendent of the Sunday school and active in the choir and church work, so as a tribute to his services, he was presented on the part of his fellow-workers in the Sunday school with a handsome toilet set. Rev. Mr. Wentworth made the presentation and voiced the general regret at losing an efficient superintendent of the Sunday school. Mr. Mott goes to Moncton to engage in business.

**Interesting Lecture.**

In the C. M. B. A. lecture course, last evening, Rev. William Hogan, C.S.S.R., was the speaker. He discussed interestingly on "Papacy and Church History." Father Hogan is considered one of the leading lights of oratory in the Redemptorist Order, and his lecture last evening in the C. M. B. A. hall before a large audience, was exceptionally interesting. Although Father Hogan has appeared in the pulpits before church congregations on many occasions, last evening was his first appearance on the public platform. The lecture was instructive as well as interesting, and the conclusion of his remarks Father Hogan was tendered a hearty vote of thanks.

**Evangelical Alliance.**

The Evangelical Alliance has arranged an interesting series of services in connection with the week of prayer opening today. Today Group I, consisting of Brussels street, Exmouth street, St. Mary's, Tabernacle, Waterloo street, St. Stephen's, Zion, Calvin, Congregational and the Reformed Baptist church will meet in St. Stephen's church; and Group 2, consisting of Centenary, Leinster street, St. David's, St. John, Presbyterian, Carmarthen street, Germain street, St. Andrew's and Queen Square churches will meet in the Queen Square church. There will also be a service in Ludlow street church in the West End with Rev. W. R. Robinson as leader, and Rev. J. H. A. Anderson as speaker; and at St. Matthew's church in the North End with George E. Knight as leader, and Rev. W. A. Barraclough as speaker.

**PERSONAL.**

John A. Graham of New York, who had charge of the construction of the Ford automobile factory at Coldbrook, was in the city on Saturday.

Frank Scully left last evening for Montreal where he will continue his medical studies at McGill University.

J. R. Nugent will leave this evening for Montreal to resume his study of medicine at McGill.

Miss Kathleen Leonard of Woodstock is spending a few days in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sutton have returned from a visit to Chatham.

George Wahamaker has left on a trip through the southern states. He expects to be absent some months.

A passenger from the city last evening on the Montreal express was Miss Roxina McIntyre who will enter the Order of the Good Shepherd Sisters in Montreal.

Frank Scully, who has been spending his Christmas vacation with his parents in West St. John, left for Montreal last evening to resume his studies at McGill.

**FISHERMEN WILL FIGHT THE PACKERS**

**Movement on Foot to Stop Shipping to the United States.**

**MEDIUM LOBSTERS BRING HIGH PRICES**

**Canning Factories in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia want Catches — Petition Government.**

Lobster fishermen of St. John and Charlotte counties will offer vigorous opposition to the effort made by the packers to induce the government to prohibit the export of medium lobsters to the United States. The movement among the packers originated in Nova Scotia, where the packers have had difficulty getting supplies owing to the export of live lobsters to the American markets. What is known as medium lobsters are those measuring from nine to ten and a quarter inches in length. If the government would prohibit the export of lobsters under ten and a quarter inches the packers would be able to buy the medium sized lobsters for canning purposes.

In St. John and Charlotte counties the canning of lobsters has practically ceased. Nearly all the catch this season has been shipped fresh to the markets in Canada or the States, and the fishermen get much better prices for their lobsters than they did under the conditions prevailing years ago. The move being made by the Nova Scotia packers has naturally alarmed the lobster fishermen in this district as the government would have to apply the same rule here that it might do in Nova Scotia and the fishermen would again have to sell a portion of their catch to the packers at low prices.

While the bulk of the lobsters sold in the American market are above medium size, M. H. Nickerson, who is an authority on the fisheries estimates that the fishermen of Western Nova Scotia sell at least half a million dollars worth of medium lobsters in the Boston market each season.

Broken lots of medium lobsters have been selling in Boston this winter for 18 and 19 cents a pound, while the Nova Scotia packers in the western section of the province have only been paying eight cents a pound, and in sections where the fishermen can not reach the live lobster market only four cents.

The ostensible object of the move to prohibit the export of medium lobsters is to protect the packers, but the fishermen claim such a regulation would be in restraint of trade, and would greatly decrease their earnings in order to swell the dividends of the packing companies. It was stated by local fishermen yesterday that petitions would be circulated in St. John and Charlotte counties protesting against the proposed prohibition.

**FISH VALUES IN NOVEMBER**

**Fishermen did well in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia — Value by Counties.**

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The value of the fish caught by New Brunswick fishermen during November was \$127,026.

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The following are the catches in the other fishing counties:

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Kent county—Cod, 2 cwts. landed, value \$6; used fresh Oysters, 1,665 bris. landed, value \$5,964. Value of all fish landed \$5,970.

Northumberland county—Oysters, 497 bris. landed, value \$1,913.

Gloucester county—Cod, 600 cwts. landed, value \$1,115; 71 cwts. used fresh, 245 green-salted, 13 dried. Smelts, 325 cwts. landed, value \$1,125; used fresh Tomcods, 300 cwts. landed, value \$225; used fresh Oysters, 20 bris. landed, value \$120; used fresh Clams, 10 bris. landed, value \$10; used fresh. Value of all fish landed \$2,985.

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The short cold spell, therefore, came at a most opportune time for residents along the west bank of the river, and the opportunity was seized by many of the farmers who crossed to Millidgeville from points along the Baywater side on Saturday, bringing with them meat, butter, eggs and other farm products, and returning with supplies of sugar, molasses, salt, flour, etc. Fearing a change in temperature and a spell of soft weather a large number crossed on the ice for the first time this winter.

**FARMERS WELCOME THE GOOD WEATHER**

**Many Crossed on Ice for First Time Saturday, Bringing Good Supply of Farm Products.**

The decided change in the temperature of last week and continued until Saturday morning, although not received favorably by the masses of the people in the city, was warmly welcomed by the farmers and residents living along the west banks of the St. John river, as the low temperature made sleighing on the river possible, enabling those to cross over to the city. On last Saturday teams crossed the ice on Millidgeville for the first time this season.

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**CARD OF THANKS**

Mr. and Mrs. David Peacock desire to express their heartfelt thanks to the doctors and nursing staff of the General Public Hospital for the kindness and tender care shown their friend John Brookbanks while a patient in that institution.

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**WILSON DALTON BREAKS LEG COASTING, AND ALEXANDER MCINTOSH IN JUNIOR HOCKEY GAME.**

Wilson Dalton, of 127 Broad street, was the victim of a coasting accident on Saturday evening, when the toboggan on which he was coasting collided with a telephone pole at the foot of Carmarthen street hill.

Mr. Dalton was rendered unconscious and his left leg broken about two inches above the ankle.

Despite the pain Mr. Dalton, with great fortitude, caused for spirits, binding his leg in such a manner as to cause the journey to his home practically painless. Mr. Dalton was taken home on a toboggan and Dr. A. E. Macaulay called. After setting the break Dr. Macaulay had the injured man removed to the hospital, where last evening he was resting as comfortably as possible under the circumstances.

**BOY BREAKS LEG**

During a junior hockey match in the Queen's rink, Saturday morning, Alexander McIntosh, the fifteen year old son of Dr. McIntosh, was tripped by an opposing player, sustaining a broken leg.

Just how the accident occurred is not known, but in the heat of a mix up in front of the goal the injured boy collided with an opponent and fell, a stick crashing against the fallen boy's shins.

Charles Leonard, one of the spectators, hurried to the injured boy's side and rendered first aid. McIntosh was later removed to his home in Coburg St. and Dr. Murray MacLaren called. He was reported to be resting comfortably last evening. Much sympathy is felt for the injured boy, not only among his young friends, but among the older generation as well, with whom he was deservedly well liked.

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The short cold spell, therefore, came at a most opportune time for residents along the west bank of the river, and the opportunity was seized by many of the farmers who crossed to Millidgeville from points along the Baywater side on Saturday, bringing with them meat, butter, eggs and other farm products, and returning with supplies of sugar, molasses, salt, flour, etc. Fearing a change in temperature and a spell of soft weather a large number crossed on the ice for the first time this winter.

**MAIN STREET CHURCH NEW YEAR'S SERVICES**

In the Main St. Baptist church, yesterday morning, special New Year's service was held. Rev. Dr. Hutchinson delivered an appropriate address. In the evening the annual New Year's communion was held. Congregations at both church and evening services were very large and special music was rendered at the evening service.

The pulpit in the morning was occupied by Rev. Dr. Hutchinson, who spoke from the text "God's provision for the future needs of His people." In concluding his sermon he wished all prosperity and happiness to his congregation for the new term.

An orchestra was in attendance at the evening's service and furnished splendid music. New Year's communion was served to a large number. "Old promises for the New Year" was the subject of Dr. Hutchinson's sermon at this service.

**FOR MILLINERY OPENING**

Mr. Clarke of the firm of Brock & Paterson Ltd. was a passenger on the Empress of Britain which arrived in Liverpool on Saturday. He is on a business trip to London and Paris purchasing for the millinery opening.

**STATIONARY ENGINEERS**

Examinations for the granting of stationary certificates will be held in Moncton on January 6th, at the Brunswick Hotel, and at the local government rooms, St. John, on January 7th.

Mr. R. A. Free Hemming Sale Will Start This Morning

Housekeepers are urged to take note that this great free hemming sale of linens and cottons will commence bright and early this morning in the linen room. At this sale the table cloths, table napkins, sheets, pillow cases, towels, quilts, etc., will be hemmed free of charge, and interesting special offerings will be made from time to time.

**THE THEATRE AND CHURCH?**

**Rev. W. H. Barraclough Believes Church's Duty To Oppose Drama.**

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**About 5000 Theatres and 25,000 Moving Picture Houses in United States and Canada.**

"In view of the immoral influence of the theatre, I believe it is the duty of the ministry and the church to oppose it," said Rev. W. H. Barraclough, in the course of a sermon delivered in Centenary church last evening.

There were only three courses open to the church, he said. The church could oppose the theatre or it could conform to it, or it could transform itself. As it was generally admitted that the theatre exercised a bad moral influence upon actors and audiences, the church could not without stultifying itself conform to the theatre. Efforts to transform the theatre would be futile. Hence the ministry and the church should oppose it.

Rev. Mr. Barraclough said there were about 5,000 theatres in the United States and Canada. The dramatic writer classified 2,000 of these as legitimate; the balance were in the undramatic class. In addition to the theatres proper, there were about 25,000 moving picture houses. The theatres and moving picture houses were probably present by more people than the churches gathered together on Sunday. They were therefore a powerful influence for good or evil.

It was said that the drama held up the mirror to human society. Its proper function should be to represent the higher moods of humanity, but in nearly all ages it had pondered to the lower.

Before the Christian Era, Scythians, Plutarch and other ancient moralists had condemned the theatre as being destructive of good morals. In Rome the theatre was allied with the bloody arena. The early Christians necessarily opposed the theatre.

The Puritans were not alone in their opposition to the theatre. Before the appearance of Puritanism there was vigorous denunciation of the immoral tendencies of the drama. Charles Wesley, in his sermon on the Golden Age of the English drama was an'age marked by public hypocrisy, ecclesiastical pander and political tyranny and corruption. At present the Bishop of London and prominent church dignitaries were waging war upon the drama in England.

Rev. Mr. Barraclough did not think there was much hope of reforming the theatre, certain dramas might be elevating, but even the Passion Play, if commercialized, might lose its influence for good.

The speaker said he had no knowledge of conditions in St. John, but under-derogal that owing to its peculiar geographical position, vicious productions were seldom seen here. He said he had no doubt of the high character of the personnel of the stock company or playing here.

As for moving pictures, he said they could play a great part in educating and elevating the character of a community, but he would be glad to question the judgment and moral sense of the censors. But he had been told that sometimes the vaudeville features introduced in the moving pictures were not all they ought to be.

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