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NOTABLE PROTEST AGAINST IRON-BOUND SUNDAY LAWS

Sabbath Should Be Day of Rest and Innocent Recreation. President Hall of Clark University, Advances Broad Ideas in His Address to New England Sabbath Protective League.

WORCESTER, Mass., Jan. 27.—The annual public meeting of the New England Sabbath Protective League was held in the Old South church last night. President G. Stanley Hall, of Clark University, delivered the principal address on "the educational and physiological aspects of the Sunday question," in which he said in part:

"Sunday is no longer the ghastly day it once was for adults and especially children. Never was rest and recreation so crying and so physically needed as in the strenuous American life of today. Never has the church in its service had so many other attractions to compete with. Never was the work of re-interpreting rights and duties and persuading of Sunday so vast, complex, and yet so imperative a task, for it is the problem which confronts this league. The day when a few uniform iron laws, equally binding upon all everywhere sufficed is forever gone.

"More than any other day in the week, Sunday has from time immemorial been the day when the sexes see most of each other and every opportunity contributing to make their relations pleasant and innocent should be wide open, and every environment that makes for temptation to vice should be reduced to a minimum on that day and evening.

"But I would not close without a plea for at least one church service of some kind for all, of whatever creed or race. Letters commending the work of the league were read from Rhode Island; former Governor F. W. Rollins, of New Hampshire; Senator William F. Frye, of Massachusetts; Governor Curtis Guild, Jr., of Massachusetts.

ANOTHER VICTIM OF STOCK MARKET Florida Bank Cashier Uses Bank's Funds With Inevitable Result. PENSACOLA, Jan. 26.—G. C. Seidmore, former cashier of the Pensacola Bank and Trust Company and who has just been removed by the directors of that institution was arrested at his home here last night. It is charged that Seidmore used the bank's funds in buying stocks and that when the recent financial crisis came he was caught.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CLERGY TO GUARD ART TREASURES. ROME, Jan. 27.—Cardinal Merry Del Val, pontifical secretary of state, has addressed a circular in the name of the Pope to the ecclesiastical authorities, recalling the serious and honorable task of the clergy with regard to the custody of historic and art treasures. The circular contains pontifical instructions that each diocese name a special committee to take charge of all documents and other valuables entrusted to the clergy, for the purpose of ensuring their inviolability. A compilation of a catalogue of such articles in the custody of the clergy is also ordered, in which no change will be permitted without authorization.

FUNERALS. The funeral of Mrs. W. P. Dole took place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from her late residence, 32 Sewall street. Service was held in St. John's (Stone) church, and interment was made in Fernhill cemetery. Rev. G. A. Kuhring officiated. The funeral of John McManley was held at 7:30 o'clock this morning from his late residence, Fairville, to St. Rose's church, where service was conducted by Rev. Father Collins, and interment was made in the Catholic cemetery at Sand Cove. Relatives acted as pallbearers. The funeral of the late Mrs. Amy D. Webb was held at two o'clock this afternoon from Beattie's undertaking rooms, St. John west. Rev. W. H. Sampson officiated and interment was made in Cedar Hill.

A DEBATE TONIGHT. This evening the Young Men's Union of Main street Baptist church, north end, will hold an open debate, the subject being: "Resolved that deception is justifiable when it produces great happiness." A. W. Gay will be the leader for the affirmative, and Henry Gaskin for the negative. The decision will be made by the union.

KING AND KAISER WILL VISIT MEDITERRANEAN. ROME, Jan. 27.—It is announced here that the emperor of Germany will make a cruise in the Mediterranean in the latter part of March and that King Edward will make a similar cruise in April, both monarchs visiting Sicily and Florence.

A PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE. LONDON, Jan. 27.—The medical inspector of the local government board has recommended the prohibition of imports of frozen boneless meats on the ground that its admission might constitute a danger to public health.

OTTAWA STREET RAILWAY PAYS TWELVE PERCENT. OTTAWA, Jan. 27.—(Special)—The annual meeting of the Ottawa Electric Railway Company for 1907 was held today. The receipts for the year were \$574,215. The increase over 1906 of \$48,531. Net earnings were \$224,339.07. Profits were over 18 per cent, after paying fixed charges, dividends of 12 per cent were paid. The number of passengers carried was 12,623,440, an increase of 1,215,218 over the previous year. The old board of directors was re-elected.

CHANCES OF GETTING MORE MONEY ARE VERY SLIM

At the monthly meeting of the board of public safety this evening the estimates for the year will be taken up and passed. So far as can be learned the estimates will be about the same as last year, unless it is decided to grant the application of the permanent engine drivers for increase of salary. If this is done it would mean an advance in the amount set aside for fire department purposes. There appears to be a general feeling among the aldermen that a halt should be called in the matter of increases of salary as the city is paying as much as it can afford at present, especially when there are so many men out of work. It is likely also that there will be a discussion on the providing of more street lights in several localities.

TWO MEN MET DEATH IN FIRE. Small Blaze in a Fort Frances, Ont., Shoe Maker's Shop Claims Two Victims. FORT FRANCES, Ont., Jan. 27.—(Special)—Fire was discovered yesterday morning at two o'clock in a small building used as a shoemaker's shop on Church street. When inside of half an hour the fire was subdued, the firemen were horrified to find on the floor the remains of two men, J. Stevenson, owner of the shop, and a tailor, by the name of James McKinnon. McKinnon had evidently tried to reach the rear door but fell, overcome by smoke, with his head within a foot of the window. Both legs were burned off, and he was otherwise badly burned. Stevenson had tried to get out by the front part. McKinnon leaves a wife in Winnipeg, Stevenson, who had been long out from Belfast, was 67 years of age, and leaves two daughters in Winnipeg and a son in Vancouver. The fire resulted from a stove igniting the partition. Crover Moore will hold an inquest today. The store adjoining, owned by C. Smith, was also badly damaged. The loss is unknown.

FOREIGNERS GO WHEN RESIDENTS NEED WORK. John D. Rockefeller Acts on the Principle That Charity Begins at Home. TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Jan. 26.—To aid the large number of the unemployed of Tarrytown who have applied to the borough for help, John D. Rockefeller sent word yesterday from the south to the superintendent of his estate to have the unemployed and to give employment to needy residents. Mr. Rockefeller was appealed to by minister of the wives of men out of employment and has decided to relieve the laboring men. Three hundred were put to work on the Rockefeller estate this morning, married men being given the preference.

KING MENLIK SENDS LIONS TO POPE PIUS. His Majesty of Abyssinia Has a Shrewd Wit in the Matter of Gifts. ROME, Jan. 27.—It is announced that Rev. Father Bari Bernardi of the papal Order, who was sent by the Pope in July last to Addis Ababa with a decoration for King Menelik, is returning here with an autograph letter from the Emperor of Abyssinia to the Pope. Father Bernardi will bring with him to Rome an Abyssinian Catholic priest who suffered persecutions and imprisonment at the hands of the Coptic priests and whose liberation was secured through King Menelik.

BATTLE LINE MOVEMENTS. Steamer Tanagra sailed from Azores for New York yesterday. Steamer Aroka, arrived at Philadelphia yesterday from New York. Steamer Alburna arrived at Norfolk yesterday from New York. Steamer Cumaca arrived at Antwerp yesterday from Baltimore.

ITALIAN EMIGRANTS ARE RETURNING TO AMERICA. ROME, Jan. 27.—The return to Italy of emigrants from America is greatly stopping, while emigration to that country is being renewed. Steamers leaving Genoa and Naples before the end of the month will take back to America at least 5,000 emigrants.

MANGLED HIS ARM IN WHIRLING MACHINERY. West Chester, N. S., Youth Seriously Injured on Saturday Night. HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 27.—(Special)—Abalom L. Matatal, seventeen years of age, met with a very serious accident at Matatal's mills, West Chester, Saturday night. He was putting on a three-inch belt when his hand caught either on the belt or pulley, whirling him around the shaft several times, breaking his right leg above the knee and mangle his left arm so badly that Drs. Dixon and Bentley had to amputate it above the elbow.

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TRYING HARD TO LAND MAYOR SEARS

Local Government Machine Wants Him on City Ticket. "Produce the Job and I Am Yours" is His Worship's Attitude But He Wants It in Writing. NEW YORK, N. Y., Jan. 27.—The Thaw trial entered upon its fourth week and probably will be over in a few days. The despatch with which the present hearing has moved compared with the trial of a year ago, which lasted 12 weeks, is little short remarkable. The defence has another day of evidence to offer and the state should have its evidence in substantial before the jury by Thursday night. District Attorney Jerome has assumed something of an air of mystery as to the scope of the board solely for the purpose of showing of insanity made by the defence, but it is said he will make an effort to bring up some of the secret records of the board of justice Saturday morning to testify as to alleged irrational outbreaks by Thaw in Europe some ten years ago. They will be followed by Dr. Biagazzi, the Thaw family physician in Pittsburgh, and lastly three experts will be placed on the stand to answer a hypothetical question. When their cross-examination is over, the defence will rest.

A BIG STORM IN MONTREAL. Thirteen Inches of Snow Fell There During the Last Twenty Four Hours. MONTREAL, July 27.—(Special)—Yesterday's storm was the biggest that has struck the city this winter, thirteen inches of snow falling in twenty-four hours. There was no inconvenience in either street car traffic or trains, the effect of the previous storms having been removed from the streets of the city.

FATAL FIRE IN CHICAGO. Many Firemen Injured While Fighting Flames in Seven Story Building Early Today. CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—More than a score of firemen were injured, as many more escaped injuries or deaths, and one is missing after thrilling experiences, and being assisted by their comrades in a fire which destroyed the Mayor building, a seven story brick building and the Hering Florence early today. The loss, it is believed, will amount to half a million dollars.

PETTY ROBBERIES. Several Breaks Reported at White's Restaurant. During the past five or six months a number of breaks have occurred at White's restaurant, King street in all a total of about \$20 to \$25. It is believed that the offenders effected an entrance through the cellar and away a distance of about twenty miles and the work will start in the near future. At the works everything is going splendidly.

AN ELOQUENT SERMON. Rev. Fr. Donahue Was Speaker at St. Peter's Last Evening. St. Peter's church was crowded Sunday evening the occasion being the consecration of members to the Holy Family Society. The preacher for the occasion was Rev. Fr. Donahue, O. S. S. of the Mission Church, Roxbury, Mass. The sermon was an able and eloquent effort. Father Donahue is one of the greatest preachers of the Redemptionist order. In the course of a splendid sermon he counselled young men and women ever to have respect for their parents. He spoke to men especially married men on the evils of intemperance and set forth the duties of the wife to her husband and home. Father Donahue was listened to with the closest attention throughout.

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DAMAGE IN PORTLAND, ME., FIRE WILL BE \$900,000

Exhausted Firemen Had Strenuous Ten Hour Fight With Flames. At One Time Fire Threatened to Wipe Out Entire Business District, but Was Confined to Block Where It Started. PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 27.—A fire, which several times threatened seriously to wipe out the business district of this city, and which caused a damage estimated at \$900,000, before it was finally controlled, was kept confined to the block in which it started this morning, after almost ten hours' fighting by Portland's almost exhausted firemen, aided by men and apparatus from several outside cities and by a light rain and shifts of wind. The fire burned the block occupied by Miliken Cousins & Company, and A. F. Cox & Son, and it was here that practically all the damage was done, although nearby business houses were several times threatened by the flames and suffered somewhat from smoke and water. The fire started from unknown means in the wholesale dry goods house of Miliken Cousins & Co., and it was in their half of the building that the greatest part of the loss was sustained. Later, when the fire was thought to be under control, the other half of the building occupied by A. F. Cox & Son was involved by the flames, which had made their way through the roof and a party wall simultaneously, and the \$250,000 stock of coats and shoes was ruined. The fire burned within a block of the scene of Friday's great conflagration, when the City Hall and police building were destroyed. A remarkable feature of the fire was the entire absence of casualties. The fire assumed such serious proportions after it broke away and caught onto the opposite side of the block in which it started that Mayor Leighton called for help from ten cities in Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Maine. The fire origin has not been developed, and as there were no known causes it is regarded as suspicious. The building, which it started, that of the Miliken Cousins & Company, is heated by steam from an outside plant and the electric power is turned off each night.

LIQUOR SELLING IN CAPE BRETON. Upper Province Traveller Sells \$50,000 Worth in a "Dry" County. SYDNEY, C. B. Jan. 27.—(Special)—Although no license to sell liquor has been issued in the whole county of Cape Breton for this year, a representative of the upper province wholesale liquor houses who has been here for the past three weeks has taken orders for liquor which aggregate the sum of \$50,000.

NEW TAX AMENDMENT DISFRANCHISES MANY. Peculiar Condition Existing in Cape Breton in Regard to Municipal Elections. SYDNEY, N. S. Jan. 27.—(Special)—Owing to the recent amendment passed by the local legislature and of which the greater bulk of the people were ignorant, about half the electors in several towns will be unable to mark their ballots at the municipal elections which take place on February 4th. The amendment says in substance that all rates and taxes for the previous year must be paid at least ten days before nomination day (the 28th). A large number of people neglected to do this and cannot vote. Others who owed hundreds of dollars arrears for the previous years can vote because they have paid for 1907. The law is creating much dissatisfaction.

DEVELOPMENT AT THE PORT MORIEN MINES. Work Progressing Rapidly at the Dominion Iron and Steel Company's New Coal Mines. SYDNEY, C. B. Jan. 27.—(Special)—Work on the new area of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company at Port Morien is progressing rapidly and the company is meeting with splendid success. The coal is said to be of a superior kind, and the report of the analysis on the last lot of samples has not yet been completed. It is thought that the coal will be found of a distance of about twenty miles and the work will start in the near future. At the works everything is going splendidly.

TRYING TO BOOM COASTING TRADE. Effort Being Made to Interest Cape Breton Capitalists in Coal and Iron Carrying. SYDNEY, Jan. 27.—(Special)—A number of local men at Glace Bay are endeavoring to interest capitalists in the building or buying of ships to engage in the coal and iron trade of this province. The move is taken owing to coasting privileges to foreign vessels being revoked in 1908. Well known authorities here state that much money can be made in that business, and that 25 per cent annually is quite possible. It is thought that the matter will be taken up and before long something definite will be announced.

HOTEL BURNED AT FLORENCEVILLE. McCain Hotel, Conducted by Fred Greer of St. Martins, Destroyed—Loss is \$5,000. HARTLAND, N. B., Jan. 28.—(Special)—The McCain Hotel, at Florenceville, was totally destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The building, in which the house were saved in part, but the barns and stables, including five horses, pump, etc., were burned. Scott McCain owned the buildings but the business was conducted by Fred Greer, who came from St. Martins. He was in Woodstock at the time of the fire. The McCain's loss was about \$3,000, with insurance. Greer loses fully \$3,000 outright. The fire caught in the woodshed.

BROTHERS-IN-LAW RIVALS FOR THE MARYSVILLE MAYORALTY. Alex. Gibson Jr. is Present Mayor and Chas. H. Hatt is Opposing Him—Elections on Today—Electrical Storm at Macnaquac. FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 27.—(Special)—Marysville town elections are taking place today and the contest promises to be close. Marysville has been incorporated for over twenty years and this is the first contested election in its history. Alex. Gibson, Jr., is the present mayor, and he is being opposed by his brother-in-law, Charles H. Hatt, manager of the cotton mill. The reform party have a full ticket in the field in each of the three wards, and are hopeful of electing a majority of the new council. W. Temple Day and Dumont Reid were elected assessors by acclamation. The Marathon hockey team arrived from St. John this morning and will play at Marysville this evening. Woodworth did not accompany the team to this city, and it is probable that Baird of the U. S. B. will take his place. A heavy electrical storm passed over Macnaquac, ten miles from the city, at an early hour this morning. A resident of that locality who was here this morning said the storm was very violent and lasted half an hour. It has been raining heavily here since early morning. A petition for the repeal of the Scott Act has been signed by over five hundred ratepayers, which is more than the required number. It will be filed at the record office on February tenth, for public inspection. The Hilary term of the supreme court will open here tomorrow morning. Judge Hanington as senior partner judge will act as chief justice.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER. IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT. His passport. There is no finer subject of speculation than the future condition of one's friends and neighbors—especially those neighbors who are not quite what they should be; and Hiram naturally devotes considerable time to this indulgence. He has not, it is true, been able to improve his own views upon all his neighbors. Indeed old Sile Perkins asserts that Hiram will himself go to the very Topshott which he has assigned Sild and Sol. Smith opines that "both of 'em ought to go to the same place, because it 'ud be a pity to split two places with such critters." Of course Sol Smith's opinion is neither here nor there, and does not effect the result. As Hiram observes, Sol will find out for himself some day. There are, no doubt, many persons who are rather hazy in their views touching the next world, never having been there, or received any direct

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AFTER TEN YEARS

Premier Robinson has been ten years in the legislature. He is therefore conversant with the whole story of the Central Railway, which has swallowed up \$1,200,000 of the money of the people. Mr. Robinson knows that all efforts made to discover where this money went, and who profited at the expense of the province by its expenditure, have been buried in the legislature. He was there. No amount of talk about selling the road to the Grand Trunk Pacific can blind the public to the fact that the road cost out of all proportion to what the construction of such a line should cost, even if proper grades were secured and a good road-bed and bridges provided—which was not the case. Who got the money? Somebody knows—and declines to tell. Does Mr. Robinson not know? Then he is far too innocent and uninformed to be in politics. Has he repudiated the acts of his predecessors? Is there any disposition on the part of anybody to make a clean breast of it in connection with the Central Railway or any other act of the government? None at all. The people are urged to forget the past and gaze on that great future which is promised a submissive people. True, the highway act has been abandoned, but the next one may be worse. The thing to do is to relegate these palvering gentlemen to the opposition and permit them to serve the province in that capacity while Mr. Hazen and his colleagues get at the facts of the past and develop a really constructive policy for the future.

MR. BARNES' LITTLE JOB

The creation of the new Bureau of Colonization and Industries, at the head of which Hon. James Barnes has been placed, is an act of constructive administration admirably illustrative of the government's capacity for conceiving and carrying out practical plans for New Brunswick's advancement. It affords also a striking comparison between a government fruitful of ideas and vigorous in applying them, and an opposition barren alike of suggestion and energy.—St. John Sun. The government desired to get rid of Mr. Barnes. Therefore it named a bureau and gave Mr. Barnes a job. And this, moreover, is constructive administration. Although there has been ample time to devise the whole policy of the proposed bureau it is described only in the most general terms, and no one who reads can say with any degree of accuracy that it will be of the slightest benefit to the province. The fact that a man who was not a success as a member of the government has been placed at its head is enough to provoke universal skepticism. A government that was really "fruitful in ideas" would offer the people something more definite and something begun under more promising auspices. The opposition is charged with barrenness of suggestion. No doubt if Mr. Hazen had offered suggestions they would have been seized and appropriated by the government, and gravely presented as their own conceptions. What the people do know of the efforts of the government during the past twenty years to develop an immigration policy is the subject of combined ridicule and denunciation. There is no ground for confidence that Premier Robinson will be any more successful. He sat in the house and supported former premiers and eagerly condoned their offences. It is utterly useless for the Sun or any other organ of the government to dissociate the present incompetent administration from the past record of its members in the legislature. They are not the men to whom the province may look with confidence for reform or progressive and successful measures.

AUTOCRATIC MINISTERS

Referring to the refusal of the federal government to grant the opposition access to certain public documents, the Montreal Star remarks that in this country have allowed cabinets to get an exaggerated notion of their importance. The Star makes the following additional comment: "The government will gain no popularity in the country by appearing to deny to members of parliament access to public documents. To ask that a member seeking access shall give a reason for the doubt that is in him touching the authenticity and completeness of the copy furnished, is an absurdity. He may have no other reason to offer than that governments have been known in the past to endeavor to cover up things whose exposure would work them harm; and yet the people will

feel that this is quite a sufficient reason. In fact, no reason is the fullest information regarding public business. At any time when a member of parliament is willing to spend his time plodding through public documents, he ought to find both documents and the staff in charge of them at his disposal. There should be just one test as to whether or not a member of the House ought to be allowed to see an original document, and that test should be whether he wants to see it or not. It should not be in the power of the most autocratic minister in the cabinet to either refuse him or to delay him."

BANKS AND STOCKS

The following summary of the Canadian bank statement, by the Montreal Witness, is worthy of attention: "The feature of the statement for December, recently issued, is the further decrease in deposits, the continued contraction in current loans and discounts, and the contraction in note circulation. The circulation has contracted by about seven million dollars, when compared with last year. The demand deposits in Canada have contracted by nearly three millions on the month and thirty-five millions on the year. The deposits payable after notice have contracted over six millions on the month, but show an increase of four millions on the year. The total decrease of deposits is therefore about 29 millions on the year. The current loans in Canada have decreased by about four millions on the month, but have increased by about eight millions on the year, while the call loans in Canada have contracted by over a million on the month, and over thirteen millions on the year. All these are signs that the contraction of enterprise is still in progress. The specie shows an appreciable decrease on the month, but an increase on the year, and Dominion notes have increased on the month, and more largely on the year."

The Witness observes that this statement generally is a good argument for militant of something else. There can be no doubt that a large amount of Canadian money has been invested in American stocks. This investment may prove profitable, but it is unfortunate that the tendency to neglect equally good Canadian securities is not more largely overcome. There are not a few Canadian stocks which at recent or present prices are a splendid investment.

The world at large is disposed to smile at the exaggerated veneration and solitude of which Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy is the object. That it should be necessary to have a pilot engine and a teacher on the line when Mrs. Eddy desired to proceed from Concord to a \$200,000 home in Boston is likely to suggest comparisons with a certain entry into Jerusalem of which the world has heard much.

The amusing assertion is made in the government press that Sunbury county, which steadfastly supported Mr. Hazen in the darker days of his party will now desert him on the eve of a great victory. Sunbury will speak in due time, and with abundant emphasis, in support of the coming premier.

As stated in the Times last week, there is great delay in the adjustment of claims against the I. O. R. There is no excuse for such a state of affairs, and the minister of railways should give the matter his attention. Appeals to Moncton appear to be useless.

There will be many assertions to the effect that the provincial opposition has no hope of success in the elections. That, however, for which the public are waiting is some good reason why the government should be successful. It is time for a change.

However the world may judge the works of Ouida, whose novels had so wonderful a popularity some years ago, there is something extremely pitiful in her lonely death, amid surroundings of the deepest poverty.

In view of the fact that the politicians are warning up, it is perhaps opportune that some one in authority should utter a word of counsel and of warning on the subject of eternal torment.

Three Sensible Meals There is no ideal diet; and if there was, it would not fit the very unideal men and women in the world today. The object of feeding is to give the body materials out of which to build and sustain itself. This it will do on vegetarian diet, on raw diet, or any diet, if that diet—and here's the point—if that diet be simple in selection, moderate in quantity and taken under proper conditions.

A breakfast of fruit cereal with cream, brown bread and butter, and a glass of milk will fulfill any requirement. Or a morning meal of two raw eggs beaten up with milk, together with fruit and one or two slices of brown bread—such a meal is equally nutritious and palatable.

For dinner, fresh meat, roasted or boiled; baked potato; plain salad dressed with olive oil and a few drops of lemon juice; perhaps another vegetable, such as turnips, spinach or parsnips; fruit, and brown bread, will prove in every sense a wholesome and acceptable meal.

The third meal, if such be taken, may be similar to breakfast, or it may consist of merely fresh fruit and a glass of milk with perhaps a cracker or a bit of bread. These meals are not all vegetarian or all raw, or all fruit; but they are simple, they are moderate, and, if taken in proper quantity, they will solve the question of diet, so far as it is ever likely to be solved by erring man.—W. C. R. Lison, M. D.

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IN LIGHTER VEIN JUST A QUERY. A promising youth recently surprised his father by asking: "Father, do you like mother?" "Why, yes, of course," answered the father. "And she likes you?" "Of course she does." "Did she ever say so?" "Many a time, my son." "Did she marry you because she loved you?" "Certainly she did." The boy scrutinized his parent closely, and after a long pause asked: "Well, was she as near-sighted then as she is now?" SHOULD HAVE KNOWN BETTER. An Irishman named Hickey, who was killed by a blow on the head recently, was found, on surgical examination, to have had a skull no thicker in some places than blotting-paper. This recalls a story of an alteration between two natives of Dublin at Donnybrook Fair. There was the usual exchange of shillelagh compliments, and the man who was smacked. He said to the victor: "You are a good fellow, a surgeon testified that the victim's temporal bone was as thin as blotting-paper." "When asked if he had anything to say before being sentenced, he simply remarked to the judge: "Ver honor, I'm sorry about this thing, but you heard what the doctor said about the unfortunate young man, an' I leave it to yer honor, now, if that was any kind of a head to go to a fair with in Ireland!" London Express.

LAYING IN WAIT. Mrs. Goodheart—Ah, it's so nice to see you boys waiting outside of the school to escort the teacher home! The Bad Boy—We don't want to escort him home, lady. He has a new silk hat and we have snowballs.



PEOPLE OF NOTE Willet Martin Hays, the assistant secretary of agriculture since January 1, 1905, and a noted authority on scientific agriculture, was born in Hardin county, Ia., on October 19, 1859. He graduated from the Iowa Agricultural College in 1882 and at once began a series of experiments in interbreeding corns, which has added greatly to the agricultural wealth of the country and earned for him a prominent place in his particular specialty. He edited a number of agricultural papers and taught at several colleges on his specialty, when he attracted the attention of the national government and was brought to Washington. Mr. Hays has been twice married, his present wife having been Miss Ellen Beach, whom he married at Cortland, N. Y., in 1897.



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THE PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS

News and Opinions Concerning the Approaching Contest in This Province.

Sunbury Solid for Opposition—Rousing Meetings in Queens County—Government in Difficulty Over Ticket in Kent.

In Sunbury

Fredericton, Jan. 26—Those interested in politics are amused by some of the statements made about conditions in Sunbury. The allegations of the St. John Sun and Star about matters political in Sunbury are most laughable to people who know the facts. It is a clear case of the government wishing to keep up its courage. Messrs. Hazen and Glazier were elected at the last local elections by a substantial majority in the active opposition of Hon. A. G. Blair, who spoke on nomination day and took personal control of the government forces. On March 2 the majority which Hazen and Glazier will receive will be much larger than that at the last elections. Many prominent men, including the warden of the county, and several councillors who opposed them at the last election are now actively supporting them, and generally believed that they will receive the largest majority ever recorded in a local election in Sunbury.

In Queens

Welsford, Jan. 26—A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of electors was held at Clonca, Peterborough parish, Sunbury county, on Friday evening to hear addresses from H. W. Woods and A. B. Slipp, the opposition candidates, and Dr. A. W. MacLure, of St. John. The hall was crowded, many being unable to gain admittance. A unanimous vote of thanks to the speakers was passed at the close. Fred C. Davis occupied the platform and briefly introduced the speakers. The addresses were devoted to a scathing criticism of the present government. Reference was made to their agricultural policy, the highway act, the school books question and the state of the provincial finances. The points in the platform of J. D. Hazen, the leader of the opposition, were also touched upon. A number of questions were asked and replied to by the speakers. At the close, on motion of Robert Scribner, a unanimous vote of thanks for the explanatory and eloquent addresses was passed. This was the first meeting held by the opposition candidates since nomination, and augurs well for the success of their campaign. Messrs. Wood and Slipp have just completed a house to house canvass extending from Welsford up the river and as far as Chipman. In all they covered about 300 miles. They report most encouraging results throughout their tour, and see many Liberals who are rallying to the opposition standard in the cause of good government.

In Kent

Moncton, Jan. 26—The local government party in Kent has been making every effort to secure the support of a prominent merchant of St. Anthony, to accept a nomination on the government ticket, but so far their efforts have been unavailing. Several leading government supporters, including R. A. Irving and W. D. Carter, were there yesterday with regard to the situation. Mr. Robinson was also here. For the last two weeks the government party has been endeavoring to induce him to run but it is said on good authority he returned home last night as fully determined as he has been the past seven or eight months to support the opposition. Mr. Langais is a leading man in his district and he has been very outspoken in his criticism of the government, and it is understood he has informed the government party he cannot entertain the proposition of either accepting a place on the ticket or supporting the government. His refusal to be wheeled into line is a serious setback for the government party. Fred C. Davis occupied the platform and drop Goggin, who lives in the same district, but now that this move has failed the subject will probably have to fall back on Goggin. A second Acadian to replace Urbain Johnson has not yet been found and the government appears to be up against the rather humiliating position of now accepting the two former Acadian representatives. It is generally conceded that W. D. Carter will be the English candidate on the ticket, a young man who has been abandoned to secure Sheriff Legere, although the latter is still holding off.

MOUNT ROYAL'S PASSENGERS
HERE AFTER AWFUL VOYAGE

Strmr. Montrose Arrived Yesterday Morning With 400 Passengers From Mount Royal—They Had Been Fifty Days on the Water.

After fifty days spent on the water the 400 passengers who left Antwerp on the C. P. R. steamer Mount Royal on Dec. 7 last, reached St. John yesterday and landed on terra firma at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning. They came on the steamer Montrose, which was also several days overdue, and it was with a feeling of relief that C. P. R. officials heard on Saturday evening that the Montroses had passed Brier Island about 7 o'clock in the evening. She arrived off the island about 2 o'clock yesterday morning and was given a bill of health by the quarantine officers. Yesterday morning the tender Cruiser was expected and the steamer was brought to her wharf at 9 o'clock. The fine, bright morning succeeding the weeks of weary tossing on the waves raised the spirits of the beleaguered passengers, and they cheered as they set foot on Canadian soil. They were at migration authorities pronounced them a good lot. One of the passengers, an Englishman, describes the experience of those on the Mount Royal. As day succeeded day, he said, and conditions did not improve, all were filled with anxiety but it became terror when the word spread around the ship that one of the boilers was out of commission. Soon afterwards the steamer was practically at the mercy of the mountainous seas which swept over the decks and carried away two of the emergency lifeboats. There was almost a panic among the passengers, men, women and children tore wild around between decks. Some of the women knelt down and prayed to God to save their lives. One Jewish woman tore the hair from her head. Soon afterwards a large knife was taken from her by one of the men. Thus they drifted around for four days, the passengers frantic. One Jewish woman secured a large rope and tried to hang herself, but it became an unconscious condition. She was cut down and her life saved. For several days the steamer encountered heavy gales and mountainous seas. Sometimes when the buried in the seas the passengers thought she would never right again. Passengers below the hatches thought that they were doomed and never expected to see land again. Fastnet Light, off the coast of Ireland, was finally sighted and the glad news was soon circulated around and the passengers thanked God that they had been saved.

The Montrose left Antwerp on Jan. 9, with 103 passengers, and proceeded to Queens in fine weather. As she steamed into Queens harbor she was sighted by the Mount Royal passengers, and a deafening cheer arose as the weary immigrants realized that their means of passage to the new land had been provided. When the Montrose tied up to the Mount Royal, the Lake Manitoba, which had been transferring supplies to the beleaguered steamer, was also attached and the formidable sight of the three big C. P. R. steamers tied side by side in an Irish port was presented. This, say the Montrose officers, is something which never happened before and may not be seen again. It took but eight hours to transfer the Mount Royal passengers to the Montrose, and then the second stage of the journey was begun. Again the immigrants met adverse winds and weather, and the Montrose was fifteen days out from Queens before she was sighted off Partridge Island. Soon after leaving the Irish coast the heavy weather commenced, and heavy gales, creating enormous seas, and also thick snow storms continued throughout the passage.

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DR. J. D. MAHER'S LECTURE
TO ST. PETER'S YOUNG MEN

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AT THE PRINCESS.

A large crowd attended the Princess Theatre Saturday evening and saw a first class programme. Mr. Harry Newcomb's rendering of Love Me and the World is Mine, called forth repeated encores, showing how popular this singer is. See advertising programme for today.

BALLOONS TO SAVE FLEET FROM MINES

U. S. Navy Department Decides to Add Aerial Craft to Equipment on Warships.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25—Balloons are to become "ships" of the United States navy in the near future. It has been reported that Rear-Admiral Evans would experiment with a heavier-than-air machine when he arrives at Magdalena Bay. The fact is, however, that the navy is to make tests with dirigible balloons, and these will be in charge of Rear-Admiral Colby M. Chester, who is attached to the bureau of equipment. As the war department has issued new proposals for dirigible balloons, it is likely that the army and navy will have their equipment ready by the spring. At that time it will be possible to conduct experiments upon Admiral Evans's ships. Rear-Admiral Chester points out that the balloon would be of great service in the navy. One advantage is that at great heights it is possible to make observations of distant fleets, and news of their coming could be had long ahead of the usual methods of observation. Another advantage is that, to a person stationed at a great height, the water of the sea becomes transparent. That has been proved by observations taken from mastheads when the masts lean toward the surface of the sea. This principle being known, it is also apparent, said Admiral Chester, that mines could be discovered from balloons which could not be otherwise located. The subject is one of great interest to naval experts. The bureau of equipment will make the purchase of balloons for experimental purposes, and results may be looked for early in the spring. Rear-Admiral Chester does not regard the heavier-than-air balloon as a better means of observation than the dirigible balloon.

GOOD PICTURES AT THE OPERA HOUSE

Capacity Audiences Saw Excellent Programme Saturday Afternoon and Evening.

The beautiful pictures shown by the Deltone Moving Picture Company last week in the Opera House drew capacity houses Saturday afternoon and evening. Young and old thoroughly enjoyed them and all praised the entertainment. The programme for the first half of this week is promised as fully interesting as any heretofore shown in St. John. The programme embraces comedy and drama, spectacular and wonder. The musical end will include new songs by Fred L. W. Thus Mr. Macdonald and Thos. Hayward. The Romance of a Singer is a pathetic story of life in Paris. It has a moral, and is full of interest. The picture of A Wife Wanted is a long film, abounding in mirth provoking scenes and situations. The Rajah's Casket is one of those gorgeous pictures highly colored and full of richness and wonderment.

FINE PROGRAMME AT THE NICKEL THEATRE TODAY

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RAILWAY MEN ORGANIZE

I. C. R. Employees Form Brotherhood Branch at Moncton.

Moncton, Jan. 26—(Special)—At a largely attended meeting of I. C. R. employees this afternoon a branch of the International Order of Railway Brotherhood was organized with the following officers: W. Clarke, president; Frank A. Smith, vice-president; Orval Dobson, secretary; S. C. Alward, warden; R. T. Dobson, chaplain; Frank McCarty, journalist; James Bean, outside guard; George R. Wilson, past president. The officers were installed by George W. Lane, first international vice-president. The meeting was addressed by Robert P. Veit, of Boston, the international president and others.

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Sussex, N. B., Jan. 25—In the police court yesterday, George Doherty was acquitted on the charge of keeping liquor for sale. In this case six packages of whiskey seized from the Canadian Express Company, were involved. The court instructed the license inspector to hand over the liquor to the Canadian Express Company, as Doherty was adjudged not to be the owner of the stuff.

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DR. McDONALD IMPROVING

Moncton, Jan. 26—(Special)—Dr. S. H. McDonald, in the hospital here, expects to be able to return to his home in St. John this week.

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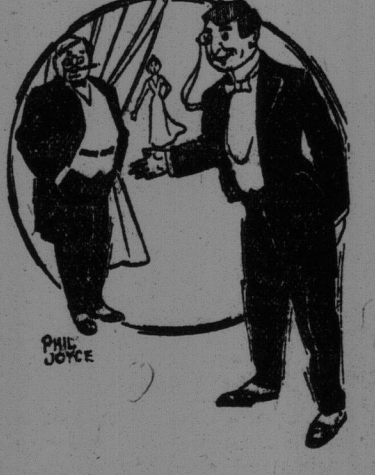
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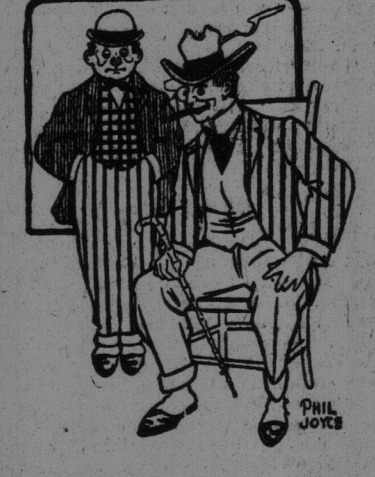
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FRIENDLY SHADOWS OF NIGHT. Groutly—How did you dare, sir, to kiss my daughter last night on the piazza?



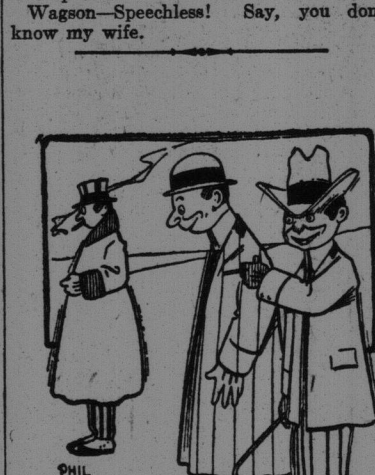
SURE THING. Hixon—Do your next-door neighbors take a morning paper?



A SLOW PROCESS. "Wigs went out this morning to clean off the snow."



TALKED A WHOLE LOT. Wigson—When your wife caught you hugging the chambermaid I suppose she was speechless with amazement.



AT A GLANCE. Bronson—As a doctor he is a splendid diagnostician, isn't he? Woodson—Fine! He can tell at a glance within a thousand dollars of how much a man is worth.

AMUSEMENTS

NICKEL "NOTHING CHEAP BUT THE PRICE" Endorsed and patronized by St. John's best families. SPECIAL FEATURES TODAY AND TUESDAY

THE PIED PIPER OF HAMELIN with scenes laid in Germany and scrupulous attention to detail. THE OTHER PICTURES ARE MISS CAMERON, CHAMPION SWORD DANCER—A picture that will delight every Scot.

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PRINCESS 2 BIG FEATURES MON. TUES. The Squawman Go, Little Cabin Boy The Masqueraders Mr. Harry Newcombe

GLACIER RINK The programme for this week is as follows: Skating and Band Tuesday and Thursday Evenings and Saturday Afternoon.

OPPOSITION CONVENTION A convention for the selection of candidates for the Provincial Opposition for Kings County will be held at the Court House at Hampton on Thursday, 30th January, inst., at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

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NEARLY EVERYBODY READS THE TIMES--AND ALL READ THE WANT ADS.

In World of Sport

THISTLES NOW IN THE LEAD

Won From St. Andrews Saturday and Are Now Three Points Ahead - - - General Sporting News.

The Thistles defeated St. Andrew's Club curriers in the second match for the Raymond cup, played on Saturday afternoon and evening.

ATFURNON

Thistle Ice. St. Andrew's. J. S. Gregory, J. R. Harrison, J. W. Cameron, Rev. Dr. W. O. Raymond, S. A. Jones, skip.

Dr. Rowley, R. O. Haley, H. E. Thomson, T. H. Estabrooks, H. H. Harvey, W. A. Watson, skip.

St. Andrew's Ice. Ralph Robertson, Geo. Robertson, J. T. Gillies, C. J. Milligan, skip.

G. F. Burgess, W. B. Tennant, Dr. McAlpin, H. H. Harvey, H. B. Malcolm, skip.

St. Andrew's Ice. J. J. Cunningham, C. P. Humphrey, R. L. Lively, J. L. Fox, skip.

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MANY EXCELLENT SERVICES HELD IN THE CITY YESTERDAY

Rev. Dr. Chown in Centenary Church--Stirring Temperance Meetings in the Every Day Club--Memorial Service in Tabernacle--Other Services.

In the Every Day Club

The Rev. Mr. Ross, of Hampton, was the speaker in the Every Day Club hall yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. For half an hour he held the close attention of a large audience, the majority of whom were men.

HOCKEY

St. Mark's Defeat Robbsey School. On Saturday afternoon St. Mark's intercollegiate hockey team went out to Robbsey and played the Robbsey School. The game was a pretty fast one, and fairly rough at times.

FOUR LOCAL GAMES SATURDAY

Saturday evening four fast and exciting games of hockey were played in the Glacier rink. The first game was between St. John's Business College and Robbsey School.

INTERMEDIATE GAMES TONIGHT

This evening in the Glacier rink two games in the intermediate hockey league will be played. Portland Y. M. C. A. vs. St. Mark's.

HOW N. B. AND N. S. LEAGUES SHAPE UP

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, Per. Moncton, 4, 0, 100. Ramblers, 3, 0, 100. Crescents, 2, 0, 100. New Glasgow, 1, 0, 100. Windsor, 1, 1, 50. Wanderers, 1, 2, 33.3. Truro, 0, 2, 0.

His Snores Saved Him

"I think most of us who travel around a bit," said the agent of an Olds quarry, "learn the lesson never to butt in, but I made an exception one day last month and got into a bit of trouble."

SKATING

Roy McLean Won. There was some good skating at the Victoria rink on Saturday night when McLean won the Raymond cup.

THE WINTER GIRL

Helen--There goes that handsome blonde out sleighing. She used to be a beach belle. Howard--Ah, I suppose now she is a sleigh belle.

Ruth's Boomerang

"There," said Ruth, tying the bow, "it's a mean trick, but I suppose that some one will do it to me when I get married and then I shall at least have the satisfaction of feeling that I did it to Gertrude."

In Coburg St. Church

Following in his series of replies to Pastor Russell, Rev. J. F. Floyd, of Coburg street church, last night preached on the question, Will the Dead Remain Unconscious in the Grave till the Resurrection?

In Centenary Church

Rev. Dr. Chown, of Toronto, general secretary of the temperance and moral reform movement in the Methodist church in Canada, preached in Centenary last evening.

Thorne Lodge Meeting

Rev. S. Howard addressed the gospel temperance meeting held under the auspices of Thorne Lodge, I. O. G. T., yesterday afternoon in Tabernacle church.

A COINCIDENCE

"Speaking of the ways things have gone in Wall Street," said the man with the complacent look on his face, "I had a very close shave last October. I went to see a broker, who always has some good things on hand, and he advised me to buy a certain stock at 165. He gave me every assurance that it would go up to 175 in a few days, and he wanted me to invest \$30,000. I took the matter under advisement for two or three days, and was about to write him, when Heinze's copper trust busted, and the panic was on. That same stock is now going for 75. Just think what would have happened to me had I bought the stock!"

THE SECRET OF CRISP PASTRY.

Keep three things in view, if you want unvarying success with your pastry--cold water, good shortening, and Blended Flour. Ice water and lard are preferable, but it may be more convenient to use cold water and some other good shortening. But stick to the Blended Flour. It will never fail to give a light, flaky crust--so tender, it will break with a breath, and as easy to digest as a delicious.

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TIMES DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE

January 27, 1908--Two years ago today Captain Van Schick of the Slocum, on which 1,000 lives were lost, was sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment for neglect of duty. Find the Captain. ANSWER TO SATURDAY'S PUZZLE. Upside down, nose against Emperor's eye.

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Table Linens-Extra Value

Table listing various table linens such as CREAM TABLE DAMASK, WHITE TABLE DAMASK, and HUCK TOWELS with their respective prices.

Hemming on Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Linens, Etc., Free of Charge.

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WARM UNDERWEAR For Men, Women and Children.

We are still showing a nice assortment of warm and comfortable underwear. The shelves in this department contain the greatest variety of underwear we've ever shown.

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DID YOU HEAR? WELL LISTEN!

We have the following left over and will clear them at extraordinary low prices: ONE LADY'S COAT, BLACK COVERING, HAMSTER LINED, ALASKA SABLE COLLAR AND REVERS, former price \$80, now \$65.50.

ANDERSON & CO., Manufacturing Furrier, 55 Charlotte Street.

WATCHES! The Boston Dental Parlors 527 Main Street

See us before you buy a watch. We can sell you a perfect time piece and save money. Call and let's talk it over.

DAVIS BROS., JEWELERS, 54 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

THIS EVENING

Local Opposition convention in Keith's Assembly Rooms. The Every Day Club. The Pastime Moving Picture Co. at the Opera House.

LATE LOCALS

Every Day Club singing class at seven o'clock this evening. New bill at the Princess. Quarterly meeting of the King's Daughters at 8 o'clock.

ST. DAVID'S CHOIR IS CREDIT TO CHURCH

Splendid Progress Being Made Under New Arrangement of Volunteer Singers.

The volunteer choir of St. David's Presbyterian church is making excellent progress under the direction of the organist, the choir-master, Mr. Pittingham, and at yesterday's services made a very creditable showing after but three practices.

POLICE COURT

Boys Arrested on King Street Last Night Allowed to Go--No Sunday Drunks

James Hunter and William Nixon, aged 12 years each, were before Judge Ellis this morning, charged with lying and lurking together and acting suspiciously in a doorway on King street.

MRS. SEABURY IS ALLOWED TO GO

Mrs. William Seabury, who was recently sent up by Judge Ritchie on a charge of perjury in the case against her husband, who is now serving a term in jail for assaulting her, was before Judge Forbes in county court this morning.

GREEKS LEAVE WITH WEAK TEAM

The Marathon hockey team left on the early train this morning for Maryville where they play the Greenets tonight. To say the team has a good chance of winning would be talking to keep one's spirit up as it is merely a semblance of the team that gave the Fredrickton Capitals such a hard game Friday night.

WAS IN ROUGH WEATHER

The Parrabon, N. S., schooner Kenneth C. Captain Tower arrived in port this morning from New York with a cargo of 831 tons of old car wheels for Rhodos, Currier & Co. of Amherst, N. S.

THE WORLD'S SHIPPING

The total tonnage of the world's shipping is shown by the Repertoire General for 1906-07 as follows: British, including Canadian, 11,742,672 United States, 2,701,993 German, 2,648,382 Norwegian, 1,483,892 All other, 8,200,078 Total world tonnage, 26,776,897

HIS SIGHT RESTORED

Cecil Gran, son of Segee Grant, of Canterbury, York county, left for his home today after having been under treatment at the hospital. The little lad, who is only five years old, was brought here by Patrick Kinsella, stonecutter, of Lombard street, who found him suffering from blindness, caused by cataracts over the eyes.

A NEW LIMERICK

The novel limerick contest to be conducted by The Prince's Beach Company offers opportunity to secure a desirable lot for a summer home on the St. John river. The lots are at Harding's and Sand Point, two of the most beautiful spots on the river, and the prizes offered are unusually attractive. Everyone should read the advertisement in today's issue and then investigate the offer.

PRINCE'S BEACH LIMERICK Only 5 Days Left to secure Coupons and return them in order to compete in this month's Limerick. Come now. Don't wait until you see the names of winners published and then say, "I Forgot"

Our Annual Clearance Sale. Decisive Clearing of Men's Overcoats \$9.95 For \$15.00 Values. Garments that are Unequaled in Style, Material and Workmanship. Children's Russian and Norfolk Suits at About One-Half Former Prices. American Clothing House 11-15 Charlotte Street, St. John.

Every Year all goods are more beautiful. So it is with our LADIES' WHITEWEAR this season. For novelty of design, and daintiness, and the usual low prices of our January sale make this year's line of WHITE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR more attractive than ever.

Great Clearance Sale of Dinner Sets.... NEVERSLIP SHOES and CALKS. Is your horse sharp shod? If you have not yet tried NEVERSLIPS do so at once. Every day without them, is time and money lost.

WEST OF ENGLAND TWEEDS! SHADOW-PATTERN SUITINGS! SPECIAL LINE OF SCOTCH PLAIDS! 3--Popular Dress Goods Lines--3 MORE ARRIVING EVERY STEAMER. THE WEST OF ENGLAND TWEEDS are booked for great popularity in the American cities during Spring. All the fashion papers say so, and the advance guard of materials indicate it. They are smart and distinctly mannish in effect, selling at \$1.10 to \$2.75 Yard.