

NO WAY TO PEACE BUT THROUGH ADRIANOPLE

Cession of Holy City By Turkey Only Way To Stop War

ALL ATTEMPTS AT COMPROMISE FAIL

Allies and Turks Equally Determined Not to Give Way -- Rumania's Scruppy Attitude Source of Uneasiness -- Powers May Intervene.

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London, Jan. 10.—The course of the peace conference has followed pretty closely the lines forecast in these messages some weeks ago, when I predicted that the great powers would be compelled to intervene. This is now made easier by the unexpected smoothness of the arrangements between the great states and the settlement of the Austrian and Serbian difficulty. The main questions now at issue are Adrianople and the future of the Aegean Islands. Respecting the former there is a general agreement in favor of cession to Bulgaria, although it is just possible that a compromise will be reached by ceding the railway and reserving the city to Turkey.

There is less unanimity among the great powers on the question of the Aegean archipelago. The triple alliance would leave the northern islands with Turkey. The question is not without importance and difficulty, and is unlikely to lead to serious discussions.

London, Jan. 10.—The pendulum of peace in the Balkans swings between the fall of Adrianople and the action by the powers of Europe. Advice, suggestions, good offices, pressure and friendly offers—all that diplomatic terminology has been tried by the powers to bring the conflicting parties to terms over Adrianople, but the reluctance of Turkey to cede the "holy city" is only surpassed by the determination of the allies to win their point to have it included in the territory of Bulgaria.

Several so-called intermediate courses for solving the problem, by neither entirely separating Adrianople from Turkey nor entirely giving it to Bulgaria, have been refused by both sides. As an indication of the stand the allies have taken in the premises one of the Bulgarian delegates said today, "Adrianople is the Aisace-Lorraine of our war."

Turkey's hopes that she may be able to save Adrianople undoubtedly have been revived by the threatening attitude of Rumania. In this attitude Rumania is believed to be backed by Austria as otherwise she would not have her claim to the city against Bulgaria in contrast with the pacific position she had assumed a fortnight ago.

The powers are awaiting the result of the representations to be made in the Constantinople government by their ambassadors. In the Ottoman capital. Their notes probably will be delivered next Monday to the Turkish government.

Ambassadorial Conference. The ambassadorial conference met at the foreign office today but the only information given out concerning the meeting was that it had arrived at no important decision and had been adjourned until Monday.

CHRISTIANIA FEARS PARTY OF HARDY EXPLORERS LOST

Captain Otto Sverdrup and Crew of Sixteen May be Victims of Arctic -- Another Expedition in Trouble.

Christiania, Jan. 10.—It is feared here that the famous Arctic explorer Otto Sverdrup and a party of sixteen persons who accompanied him on a walrus hunt in Greenland waters, have been lost. Sverdrup and his party left Christiania in March, 1912, in a motor ship, and since then nothing has been heard from the expedition. Mail sent to a station in South Greenland, where the walrus hunters were to have stopped, has been returned here marked "uncalled for."

Another Party in Trouble. The Norwegian government has guaranteed the expenses of a relief expedition to Spitzbergen for the German explorers under Lieutenant

MANY SHIPS WRECKED IN LATE STORM

Navigation Endangered by Floating Hulks of Victims of Terrible Tempest -- U. S. Revenue Service Busy.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 10.—Wrecks strewn along the Atlantic coast by recent storms are axing the strength of the revenue cutter service to overtime duty in removing dangerous menaces to navigation. The schooner Clara Jane was stranded today at the entrance to Gloucester, Mass., harbor and a cutter will endeavor to save the vessel, the crew having safely reached shore in a lifeboat.

The abandoned Russian bark Dorotha is reported to have sunk about 400 miles off the New Jersey coast. The search for her has not been given up, however, and the revenue cutter Androscoogin today was withdrawn from the Maine coast to assist the Seneca in endeavoring to find the Dorotha, the schooner Future and the bark Carrie Winslow, all three having been wrecked far off the coast of North Carolina.

Just as the British steamer Indrakula which ran down the steamer Julia Luckenbach, resulting in the loss of 15 lives, was about to start from the Rappahannock river today for Newport News, water poured into her hold. The cargo is being lightened.

WOMAN NOW OWNS NEW YORK TRIBUNE

Almost Entire Stock Issue of Great Newspaper Goes to Widow of Whitelaw Reid -- His Will Published.

New York, Jan. 10.—The entire estate of the late Whitelaw Reid, Ambassador to Great Britain, is left unconditionally to his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Reid with the exception of specific bequests totalling \$110,000 under not a penny, although the late Ambassador indicates unmistakably his wish that they should be well provided for by their mother. The value of the estate has been previously estimated at from \$10,000,000 to \$20,000,000. Mrs. Reid thus becomes the owner of almost the entire issue of stock of the Tribune Association, publishers of the New York Tribune.

The ambassadors would not confirm the reports that a naval demonstration had been planned as a last resort to bring pressure to bear upon Turkey.

The threat of Turkey to withdraw her peace delegates early next week if the allies refuse a further compromise in their demands was discussed at today's sitting of the ambassadors but was not considered a serious one. The delegates of the allies have replied to Turkey with a counter threat that they will give all necessary notice of a termination of the armistice now in effect in Southern Europe if the Turks leave the peace conference.

SCHRODER STRANZ, WHO STARTED OUT LAST YEAR IN THE STEAMER HERZOG ERNEST AND ARE REPORTED TO BE IN DIRE STRAITS

Manager Mansfield, of the American Coal Company, at Green Harbor, tried to organize a relief party, but found that conditions rendered sending a successor to the explorers from his station impossible.

The last advices from the expedition came recently from Captain Ritscher, who reached Advent Bay in a desolable condition and seeking aid. He said the condition of the expedition was most serious. Lieut. Schroder Stranz and two companions had not been heard of since August 15 when they left the remainder of the party for a sledge journey.

UNIONISTS EMERGE FROM THE SHADOW CHASTENED AND STRONG

Unswerving Loyalty To Bonar Law Saved Delicate Situation

LIBERALS NOT SO FORTUNATE

While Opposition is Rapidly Preparing United Front, British Ministry is Riven with Violent Dissensions -- Resignations Threatened and Expected.

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London, Jan. 10.—For a full week, Unionism has been walking in the valley of the shadow. There were days when the party seemed doomed not merely to temporary inconvenience but to disaster complete and irretrievable on Saturday Sunday. Bonar Law's resignation was imminent, which would have involved the resignation of all the other Unionist leaders. Nothing saved the position but the unswerving loyalty of the party to its chief. The tragedy of the situation lay in this, that the party is in itself sound, but was threatened with ruin by the action of certain newspapers catering for sensation and preferring circulation to concord.

As I cabled before, this crisis was more or less artificially manufactured, but not, therefore less pregnant with danger. The virulent acrimony of the news columns, the unyielding Bonar Law's position difficult and almost impossible. He could not accept either of the alternative policies without appearing to yield to clamor, thereby losing dignity and abdicating functions of leadership and forfeiting reputation for strength necessary to the direction of great politics. But safety came from the extremity of danger. Extremists on both sides awoke to the inevitable result of pushing their opinions too far. They saw the growing consciousness of the folly of quarrelling over what the Unionists should or should not do, when the quarrel promised to deprive them of the power of doing anything. The gravity of the national outlook impressed the fact that the first necessity consisted in getting the government out of the mire. The party and country by his courageous, frank and resolute utterances, and holds a place which has not been weakened by recent events. Thus during the middle of the week the horizon cleared.

Party Outlining A Broad Policy.

It would be premature and unwise to assert definitely that all the danger has been averted. The situation is still delicate, and liable to be compromised by the freakish action of thoughtless extremists, but every moment brings a settlement nearer. Broadly, the settlement will embody the policy outlined by Mr. Law at Ashton-Under-Lyne. Food taxes will be distinguished from the general question of tariff reform, and will receive separate treatment. They will be dropped from the programme as a matter of immediate legislation, and will be referred to the conference. If the conference finds them not essential to the Imperial preference, they will disappear unless there is a popular demand for them. If the conference recommends them, they will be referred to the people for approval. Many already advocate an alternative method of Imperial preference by means of bounties. The proposals are still unsettled, but will probably receive increased attention. Under no circumstances will the Unionist party abandon the cause of Imperial preference.

Discord in the Liberal Ranks.

The visible sign of discord in the Liberal ranks, referred to last week, has been furnished by the sudden and definite postponement of the great land campaign to have been opened by Lloyd George at Swindon, on January 20th.

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NEW MONUMENT TO WOLFE.

Quebec, Jan. 10.—The battlefield commission is calling for tenders for the erection of a monument to General Wolfe to replace the one which now stands on the spot where he died on the Plains of Abraham.

DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED

Bulletins Issued Yesterday Indicate that Danger Point has Passed for Royal Patient.

Montreal, Jan. 10.—Only two bulletins were issued today regarding the condition of Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Connaught, and the tenor of both indicated that a change for the better had set in. The intimation of improvement suggested by the official bulletin of the morning was borne out and strengthened during the day, and a marked change set in which, from the last bulletin issued shortly before seven o'clock tonight indicated that for the present the danger point is passed and serious apprehension has been lessened. The condition of Her Royal Highness this evening was so favorable that it was decided unnecessary to issue more than the early evening bulletin.

This read— "During the day the condition of Her Royal Highness has improved somewhat. Temperature has come down, pulse has improved in quality, and she is suffering less pain and distress from abdominal symptoms." (Signed) E. S. WORTHINGTON, A. E. GARROW, W. W. CHIPMAN. Twelve today His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught accompanied by the Princess Patricia, visited the hospital and any change in the condition of Her Royal Highness is immediately communicated to Havercrast, where the Royal party is stopping.

ALLAN LINER IN ST. JOHN'S; FIRE ABOARD

The Carthaginian's Passengers Had Narrow Escape—\$10,000 Damage Done by Fire in Mid-ocean.

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 10.—A narrow escape from a fine and severe storm experienced by passengers and crew, were reported by the Allan Line steamer Carthaginian, which arrived here tonight from Liverpool. The steamer left Liverpool Dec. 28, for St. John's, Halifax and Philadelphia. Capt. McKillop said that when she was three days out her cargo caught fire in some unexplained manner. The flames spread so rapidly that it was necessary to pump an enormous amount of water into the vessel to drown them out. The fire was finally extinguished, but for 12 hours the water was knee deep on the lower deck.

It is expected that repairs to the vessel will cost \$10,000. A large part of the general cargo was damaged.

LOWER TARIFF NOT WANTED

Metal Manufacturing Interests Present Solid Front to U. S. Committee of Ways and Means—May Injure Market.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 10.—Fear that foreign producers would invade and injure the American market, were expressed today in the testimony on the metal schedule of the tariff before the house committee on ways and means.

The committee heard arguments from representatives of manufacturing and producing interests, press manufacturers, the zinc interests of the Rocky Mountains and the Joplin fields, the wooden screw manufacturers of which the American Screw Co. controlled 40 or 45 per cent, and the \$40,000,000 output of machine tools, and numerous industries presenting a practically solid front against revision of tariff rates.

"Keep on the tariff as it stands or it will work a hardship to American industry," was the consensus of the opinion of witnesses, all under oath prescribed by the chairman.

Chairman Underwood pointed out that the committee was legislating from the present and not figuring on what might happen in the future. "This committee," said Mr. Underwood, "cannot legislate on your feet and on the conditions that you say you expect. The committee ought to legislate to meet conditions when they arise."

SIR EDWARD SHEA DEAD IN ST. JOHN'S, N. F.

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 10.—Sir Edward Shea, said to have been the oldest active legislator in the British Empire, died here today, aged ninety-three years. He was a former president of the legislative council of this colony, and continued a member to his death.

PIT CARS BREAK LOOSE; ONE KILLED, TWO HURT

COMBINATION OF FIRE BUGS IN NEW YORK

District Attorney Gets Evidence to Implicate Fire Insurance Broker in Operations of "Arson Trust."

New York, Jan. 10.—The existence of an "arson trust" which defrauds insurance companies by collecting money on premiums after "firebugs" have been employed to touch the match to crowded tenements, is described in a statement issued tonight by District Attorney Whitman as a result of successful prosecution by the State of men accused of arson. Not infrequently a life is lost through "the trust's" operations, he declared.

Working on leads furnished in the confession of Samuel Gold, who pleaded guilty to arson and Isidor Stein or "Izzy the Painter" now serving a sentence of from twelve to twenty-four years in Sing Sing for committing this crime as Gold's "tool," Mr. Whitman's assistants today had George Grutz, a fire insurance broker, arrested.

Evidence connecting Grutz with Gold and "Izzy" was placed at the disposal of a Police Magistrate before whom Grutz was arraigned, and the broker was held in \$15,000 bail. Grutz is alleged to have conceived the plans by which "Izzy" set fire to Gold's home, so that the three might share in the insurance money. "Izzy," according to Mr. Whitman, "is said to have made, or instructed people to make, numerous fires which Grutz afterwards adjusted."

The District Attorney declared that evidence uncovered "shows that a firebug can be bought for a five dollar bill and ten per cent of the settlement to set fire to furniture, having no regard for human life whatever."

MIDDLETON TO HAVE BLACK FOX RANCH

Leading Business Men Have Subscribed the Majority of the Stock—Apple Growers and Inspectors Clash.

Special to The Standard. Middleton, Jan. 10.—There have been rumors that the clay works were to be closed down, it is now definitely announced that the works will be operated next season.

The apple packing question a live one this season, is especially lively just now, as the inspectors are starting prosecutions against several co-operative shipping companies. The cause is the fact that several of the companies have made a new importation of the fruit, and they claim that more spotted apples are permissible in No. 2 grade than has been allowed throughout the earlier part of the season. The inspectors claim that this interpretation is not correct.

NANNING'S BRUTAL MANDARIN MASSACRES HELPLESS LEPERS

Catholic Mission Tells of Fearful Deeds Done by Cowardly Official's Order -- Shot and Then Burned in Pit.

Shanghai, Jan. 10.—Thirty-nine lepers recently were put to death in an atrocious manner by order of the provincial authorities at Nanning, in the province of Kwang Si. The sufferers from the dreadful disease first were shot and then their bodies were burned in a huge trench.

These advices were received here today in letters from the Catholic mission at Nanning. The letters were dated Dec. 14. They stated that the lepers lived in the woods a few miles outside of the city of Nanning. The mission sought permission to build at its own expense, a lazaretto for them, and the provincial authorities pretending to consent, dug a pit in which there was placed wood soaked with kerosene. At the point of the bayonet the lepers then were driven into the pit and shot and the pyre was then lighted and their bodies were burned in the presence of a large crowd. The authorities then offered rewards for discovery of other lepers, and this offer resulted in the shooting of one man afflicted with the disease. The governor after the massacre issued a proclamation in which he accused the lepers of having committed outrages. The letters from the mission say there is no foundation for this charge.

Three Cars in Wild Dash Down Slope in Joggins Mines

A BROKEN ROPE IS CAUSE OF ACCIDENT

Men Ascending Slope to 1800 Foot Level, on Homeward Way, Knocked Aside by Compact -- Victim Died in Mine.

Special to The Standard. Amherst, N. S., Jan. 10.—The colliery operated by the Maritime Coal Railway and Power Co., at Joggins Mines, was the scene of a serious accident this afternoon resulting in the death of one man and severe injuries to two others.

The accident occurred near the bottom of one of the balances opening from the 1,800 foot levels. The details are very brief. Three pit cars loaded with coal and attached to an endless rope were ready to be sent to the surface. In some manner not yet explained the cars were sent downward over the level instead of upwards. They broke loose from the rope and were rushed down the balance towards the slope.

Three men, John J. Burbine, James Gould and George Covil were unfortunately ascending the balance at the same time on their homeward journey. Burbine was struck a severe blow on the head and otherwise injured. The other two men received severe cuts and bruises, but they are not of a serious nature. Burbine died before he was brought to the surface.

E. B. Paul, deputy inspector of mines from Springhill, will visit the Joggins tomorrow to inquire into the accident. A coroner's inquest will be held tomorrow morning.

Burbine was a married man and leaves a wife and six children. His home was at Lower Cove, some twelve miles from the Joggins. He was popular with his fellow workmen and his death will be deeply regretted.

CASTRO IS AGAIN REFUSED ADMITTANCE TO UNITED STATES

New York, Jan. 10.—Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela, who declares that he is being unlawfully prevented by the immigration authorities from entering this country, had his day in court today before a Federal tribunal in this city, but tonight is back again on Ellis Island defeated, temporarily, at least, in his attempt to land.

UNITED STATES JUDGE TAKEN SERIOUSLY ILL

Stricken With Hemorrhage of the Stomach While at Luncheon—Was Unable to Resume Seat in Court.

New York, Jan. 10.—United States Judge Charles M. Hough, appointed in 1896 seriously ill tonight in a hospital suffering from hemorrhage of the stomach. He was stricken while at luncheon early this afternoon and was not able to resume his seat in court.

Judge Hough's illness caused a suspension until Monday of the government's trial of Julian Hawthorne, Josiah Quincy, Albert Freeman and William J. Morton, accused of using the mails fraudulently to promote Canadian silver and iron mines.

BOTH HALIFAX TEAMS BEATEN

Moncton and New Glasgow Proved Too Many for Crescents and Socials in "Pro." Hockey Games.

Special to The Standard. Halifax, Jan. 10.—For nearly an hour and ten minutes two teams of hockeyists battled in the arena to reach the goal that gave them the victory over the Crescents of Halifax.

It was a rejuvenated Crescent team that came on the ice tonight in the attempt to reverse their defeat by the Vics a few days ago. A few minutes from the face-off the Vics scored No. 1. Then Dallaire netted No. 2 for the Crescents and a few minutes later put over the third tally. Moncton soon tied the score on a shot from the right wing. Dallaire scored for the Crescents, breaking the tie and then a shot from McGregor tied things up and the play went on. When the end of the hour came play was resumed and after about eight minutes, the Vics got another past Wortman and the game was over, 7 to 6, in favor of Moncton. The penalties were many and referees Pickering and Weaver another past Wortman and the game was over, 7 to 6, in favor of Moncton. The penalties were many and referees Pickering and Weaver another past Wortman and the game was over, 7 to 6, in favor of Moncton.

WILL GIVE THEM OPPORTUNITY TO AVOID TROUBLE

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Jan. 10.—With a view to protecting Canadians of Hungarian origin from certain unpleasantnesses which occur when these people revisit Hungary, the colonial secretary has forwarded to the Canadian government a despatch from the British Consul-General at Budapest to Sir Edward Grey. The despatch states that the Hungarians naturalized in Canada often visit the country of their origin before the expiration of the ten years which would free them from the obligations of their Hungarian nationality according to Hungarian laws. They are sometimes detained to fulfill their military service, or their sons are obliged either to return to Hungary or deposit caution money for their subsequent enrollment as recruits. The despatch suggests that such people, most of whom are simple farmers, might be advised that their certificates of naturalization do not protect them from military service and other difficulties. Consul adds that if they know this they would probably not go back to Hungary.

BLEW HIS HEAD OFF WITH A SHOTGUN

Lindsay, Ont., Jan. 10.—John Brooks a well known citizen of this town, took his own life this afternoon. Brooks has been employed for a number of years by the Dominion government on bridge repair work. Brooks placed the muzzle of a shotgun to his head, and operated the trigger by means of a poker.

RECOVERING MONEY STOLEN FROM BANK

Montreal, Jan. 10.—The sum of \$12,000 to \$14,000 of the \$25,700 stolen from the Bank of Hochelaga by Henri Legace, the ex-keeper of the institution was recovered early today by Lieut. Savard. The money was found in the room of one of Legace's friends. As a result of his find Savard states that he has a clue which will most likely lead to a recovery of the

THE WEATHER

Table with weather forecasts for various locations including Maritime-Fair and mild today; rain on Sunday; Toronto, Jan. 10.—Pressure is high over the western provinces, and also over the eastern portion of the continent, while a trough of low pressure extends from Lake Superior to the southwest states.

FINANCIER THINKS CONCENTRATION OF MONEY DANGEROUS

George F. Baker, Before U. S. Money Trust Committee. States it Would Have Bad Effect on Nation.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 10.—That the present concentration of money and credit "has gone far enough," that "bad hands" it would have a bad effect upon the nation; that "the safety of the situation lies in the personnel of the men in control," and that present conditions are "not entirely comfortable for the country," were a few of the statements made today by Geo. F. Baker, master financier, as the climax of two days' examination before the house money trust committee. But Mr. Baker declared that "bad hands" could not retain the control.

These statements come at the end of a day of routine examination during which Mr. Baker reviewed in detail the operations of himself, his bank, the First National Bank of New York, and J. P. Morgan and Company and Mr. Baker's counsel, Fisher A. Baker and John S. Spooner. Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the committee, was wading through a mass of heavy statistics relating to bond issues handled by Mr. Baker's associates. Suddenly he paused, leaned forward in his chair, and shot a question at the 73 year old financier, who despite his long examination, was cheerful and confident.

LEAVES PULPIT TO BECOME POLICEMAN

Rev. Raymond Chew Turns Cop But Still Remains a Christian He Says.

Can a man be a Christian and a policeman at the same time? "Sure," says the Rev. Raymond Chew, who has quit the Methodist ministry to walk a beat in Des Moines. "It is possible that a policeman might be subject to intense temptations in some of the larger cities," says the preacher-copper. "For instance, I judge that the members of the force in New York have a strenuous time to put Satan behind them. But if they would study the Bible and practice its teachings they could be Christians and New York policemen at the same time. The club and billy, and even the pistol, may be needed at times on a beat, but that kindness also is a great asset for an officer. I gave up the ministry believing that I would be able to do a great deal of good as a policeman, and that I am better fitted for the latter job. Policeman Chew is twenty-two years of age, erect, 6 feet 2 inches in his stocking feet and weighs 155 pounds. "I thought when I came of age I was called to preach. When I went home to work on my father's farm, near Adair, I was given a chance to preach several times in the Adair Methodist church. Then I came to Des Moines to enter mission work. I preached a number of times in East Des Moines mission. When the strike came I heard of the trouble and knew that Christian men were needed on the police force, so I applied for a job. I do not smoke, drink, chew or play cards. I walk along by and sometimes into the saloons without the slightest temptation. I believe that a policeman can carry his Christianity right along with him over his beat. That's what I'm trying to do between Seventh and Ninth streets and Walnut and Cherry streets. There are some dark spots in this beat, but I have never felt any fear. I do not pretend to be any angel, and I do not air my religious beliefs. "Can a man live a Christian life and be a policeman? He certainly can. It is just as easy to love the Lord and walk a beat as it is to preach from the pulpit. I often think of the verses of the Scripture, which I treasure most as I walk back and forth through the streets. I know I have a kinder and more sympathetic disposition because I have been a minister of the Gospel. But that would not keep me from doing my duty as I saw it, even to the extent of using a club or billy if absolutely necessary."

LATE SHIPPING

Shipping schedule table with columns for destination, date, and ship name. Includes entries for Saunderson, R. I., Jan. 10.—Ardschr Blunness, Parrboro, N. S.; Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 10.—Ards Rebecca G. Whidden, Bangor; Vineyard Haven, Jan. 10.—Returned to port Pearl Nelson, Lubec, Me. (broke foremast); Portmouth, N. H., Jan. 10.—Ardschr Jessie S. Hall, Hantsport, N. S.; Portland, Jan. 10.—Ardschr Willie Maxwell, St. Andrews, N. B.; New York, Jan. 10.—Sld schrs Grace Darling, Halifax; Ladysmith, Lunenburg; Palmisto, Yarmouth, N. S.; Silver Leaf, St. John, N. B.; Vineyard Haven, Jan. 10.—Sld schrs Margaret May Riley, St. John, N. B.; Luella, do; Antwerp, Jan. 10.—Ards stmr Montezuma, St. John, N. B.; Liverpool, Jan. 10.—Sld stmr Tuntian, St. John, N. B.

COLLEGE PRESIDENT SCORES ACTIONS OF WILD STUDENTS

Mild But Sincere Terms He Condemns Pranks of Undergraduates—Students Listen Attentively.

Toronto, Jan. 10.—In terms mild, yet unmistakable in sincerity, Toronto University, through President F. A. Cooper, today spoke out in condemnation of student misconduct. Five thousand undergraduates ransacked tier upon tier above the vast interior of Convocation Hall and listened in tense silence to the grave admonition and advice which followed as an echo upon a fall term of excitement. "Canada has established its name for law and order," he declared, "but if it is to be maintained in the country, it must shine forth in the university. Students must show that they respect law and order for it is only in constraint and self-control that success in future life will follow. We must show here what we are fit to take our place in civic life."

SEA OTTER HUNTING GOOD JOB FOR JOB

To Sit for Days and Sometimes for Weeks Before Sighting One Requires Great Patience

An industry conducted solely on the rock-bound coast of Washington, is hunting the rare sea otter. Eleven men are engaged in this lonesome, tedious and sometimes lonely occupation. To facilitate the range of the eye the otter hunter is stationed at the top of a thirty foot derrick or tower erected on a rocky point in places where as much sea can be commanded as is possible. The tower is merely a tripod of poles, with a ladder giving access to a tiny house or protection at the top.

It is the business of the otter hunter to sit, armed with a long range rifle, in this box as long as daylight lasts waiting and watching for a sight of a sea otter. The habits of the otter are simple. It swims through the water, sealing fish from time to time after which it climbs up a rock to eat its meal. Then the hunter must take careful aim and attempt by long range shooting to get his quarry. So rare is the sea otter now that it is considered very good if from three to six shots are fired during a year. Once shot the hunter trusts to the force in New York have a strenuous time to put Satan behind them. But if they would study the Bible and practice its teachings they could be Christians and New York policemen at the same time. The club and billy, and even the pistol, may be needed at times on a beat, but that kindness also is a great asset for an officer. I gave up the ministry believing that I would be able to do a great deal of good as a policeman, and that I am better fitted for the latter job. Policeman Chew is twenty-two years of age, erect, 6 feet 2 inches in his stocking feet and weighs 155 pounds. "I thought when I came of age I was called to preach. When I went home to work on my father's farm, near Adair, I was given a chance to preach several times in the Adair Methodist church. Then I came to Des Moines to enter mission work. I preached a number of times in East Des Moines mission. When the strike came I heard of the trouble and knew that Christian men were needed on the police force, so I applied for a job. I do not smoke, drink, chew or play cards. I walk along by and sometimes into the saloons without the slightest temptation. I believe that a policeman can carry his Christianity right along with him over his beat. That's what I'm trying to do between Seventh and Ninth streets and Walnut and Cherry streets. There are some dark spots in this beat, but I have never felt any fear. I do not pretend to be any angel, and I do not air my religious beliefs. "Can a man live a Christian life and be a policeman? He certainly can. It is just as easy to love the Lord and walk a beat as it is to preach from the pulpit. I often think of the verses of the Scripture, which I treasure most as I walk back and forth through the streets. I know I have a kinder and more sympathetic disposition because I have been a minister of the Gospel. But that would not keep me from doing my duty as I saw it, even to the extent of using a club or billy if absolutely necessary."

STEAMSHIP LINE AGREED ON RATES

Washington, Jan. 10.—Most of the steamship lines trading between the United States and ports in South and Central America, South Africa and Australia use identical freight rates, agreed to in conference, according to shipping men who testified today before the House Committee investigating the so-called shipping trust. The witnesses were Paul W. Gerhardt, president of the Funch Edye & Company, freight agents in New York for a large number of shipping companies, and William E. He's, New York, agent for the Houston line. All the witnesses insisted that no rebates were given on outgoing cargoes from America by their companies or those associated with them in rates conferences, and it was denied that rebates probably were given on cargoes coming from South Africa or South America.

FATAL BURNING IN A QUEBEC VILLAGE

Quebec, Jan. 10.—A fatal accident occurred last night at Jonquiere, 10 miles from Chicoutimi, by which one woman lost her life and another woman and two children were badly burned. In the residence of Mr. Hick, employed in Price's paper mill, a gasoline lamp exploded instantly killing Mrs. Lilburn, a servant in the family. Mrs. Hick and two of her children were badly burned. How the explosion occurred is unknown. The house was only slightly damaged.

BRITISH STEAMER IN PORT AFTER HARD TRIP

Boston, Jan. 10.—The British freight steamer Fernley, which left Bremen more than a month ago arrived today, after a most successful year in its history. The steamer encountered tempestuous weather, but sustained no damage. The Trans-Atlantic steamer Manitowishago was reported by wireless, five days late on her trip from Antwerp was reported by wireless. She is expected to reach here Sunday.

NOTHING EQUALS POSLAM FOR SKIN DISEASES

Poslam is years ahead of anything yet devised for the cure of skin diseases. Its action is immediate. It stops itching, allays inflammation and heals with wonderful rapidity. Aggravated cases of eczema, acne, tetter, salt rheum, psoriasis, scab, scabs, barbers' and every form of itch are cured quickly to the surprise of those unaccustomed to the results by other means. Overnight treatment is often sufficient for pimples, red and inflamed noses, rashes, complexion blemishes, etc.

POSAM SOAP, used daily for toilet and bath, makes every cleansing operation a double means of healthfulness to the skin. Incomparable in its benefits to tender skin, particularly to infants. All druggists sell Poslam (price 50 cents) and Poslam Soap (price 25 cents). For free samples, write to the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West 25th Street, New York City.

UNIONISTS EMERGE FROM THE SHADOW CHRISTENED AND STRONG

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For months this momentous event has been trumpeted as though the walls of agrarian Jericho would fall at the sound. In preparation for it, a secret army of unionists has been conducted by methods which even many Liberals condemned. The exposition of the new gospel has been awaited with interest by all, and with hopefulness by the radicals, who believed that the new agitation would expunge the memory of previous disappointments. The extreme land reformers were especially jubilant, for though Lloyd George had declined to adopt some parts of the policy, they expected much from his impulsive character, and derived confidence from the appointment of a pronounced socialist as permanent secretary of the Board of Agriculture.

Lloyd George In the Shadow.

It is open secret that there has been a formidable revolt of Liberal landholders against Lloyd George, whose reputation, as called last week, is somewhat in eclipse. Other Liberal landowners think that the land is already overtaxed, while Lloyd George's other proposal of a minimum wage for agricultural laborers and the economic door which many fear to enter. Employers of labor generally feel that such a rule for one class of workers might be followed by the extension of the system which was shown to be exceedingly repugnant to the vast majority at the time of the railway strike. Unquestionably Lloyd George has met with a terrible setback. Probably his colleagues are not sorry to retaliate for his former dominating attitude in the government, and for the difficulties which his policies have created for them.

Fateful Day For Liberals.

January 20th may prove a fateful day for Liberalism. Sir Edward Grey's amendment to the franchise bill is expected to be discussed on that day. The amendment proposes to omit the word "male" from the bill, thus making women eligible to vote. If carried, it will give women the right to vote in the limits of the female franchise, but for the moment the details are obscured by the interest in the general proposal. The amendment is in principle on somewhat unusual lines, and a nuance spectacle is witnessed for ministers canvassing for votes on the attitude of coalition lies in the known dislike of the premier to women suffrage. This will probably influence the Nationalists to vote solidly against the amendment, lest its success cause the risk of Mr. Asquith's retirement.

NEW DELHI NOT YET BUILT Even the Style of Architecture Has Not Been Decided Upon.

The despatches from Delhi describing the attack by an Indian anarchist on Lord Hardinge, when the Viceroy made his state entry into Delhi as the new imperial capital of India may have given the impression that the new capital has already been built or is in the course of construction. This is not the case. It is about a year since King George's announcement at his accession to the throne that the seat of government in India was to be transferred from Calcutta to the ancient capital Delhi, and that the Bengal provinces were to be reconstituted, Calcutta being made the headquarters of a governorship similar to those of Bombay and Madras. This compensation to the city on the Hooghly—still, as the King afterward said, the premier city of India—took effect on April 1, when Lord Carmichael became the first Governor of the Bengal Presidency. Six months later the city of Delhi and a considerable area in its vicinity, making a total of 557 square miles, were taken from the control of the Punjab Government and formed into an enclave under the immediate authority and management of the Governor-General-in-Council.

Shoe Your Children At Our Expense

A feature of our great sale of high-grade shoes will be the remarkably low prices at which we will sell Children's Shoes. It will pay you to purchase a supply for the future.

Here Are Some of Our Prices: Misses' \$1.50 to 2.25 Shoes | Children's \$1.25 to 2.00 AT 98c AT ONLY 78c Infants' Shoes at 48c, 55c, 68c, 75c

\$1.00 At least One Dollar is taken off the price of every pair of Men's or Women's Shoes, some are being sold at less than half price, but you are bound to save at least that much.

THE SLATER SHOE SHOP, 81 KING STREET

policy holders and to reduce the ultimate cost of insurance by reason of liberal surplus returns. In spite of the excellent results achieved in 1912 the ratio of management expenses was substantially below the very favorable rate of previous years. This feature combined with the unusually stringent reserve basis adopted by the company evince a tendency in the right direction from the policyholders' standpoint. Mr. Alexander Laird, general manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has been added to the Board of Directors. His vast experience in financial affairs is an added source of strength to the company.

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architecture and the planning of the city have still to be settled. There is a good deal of controversy regarding the style of architecture to be employed, some desiring a modified native style and some being in favor of Occidental design. (Victoria County News. Aubrey and Lorne Oxner, are spending a few weeks with their clients at St. John, N. B.

BUCHANAN'S RED SEAL "YOUR WHISKY"



Advertisement for the Opera House featuring Nellie Gill Players. Text includes: "TODAY Matinee 2.30 Evening 8.15 OPERA HOUSE ALL NEXT WEEK NELLIE GILL PLAYERS 'One of the Greatest Dramatic Successes in Recent Years' 'PAID IN FULL' MATINEE - 25c, 15c MON. AND TUES. Great New York Police Story 'THE THIRD DEGREE' Played in N. Y. nine consecutive months. Most talked of play before the public. Prices—15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. SEAT SALE NOW OPEN."

Advertisement for Tiger Tea. Text includes: "A RECORD YEAR'S BUSINESS. The prosperity which has been so general throughout the country is reflected in a marked degree in the statement in another column covering the past year's business of The Imperial Life Assurance Co. of Canada. This Company reports that 1912 was the most successful year in its history. It is very gratifying to all having an interest in Canada's development along sound lines to find among the progressive institutions which companies such as this, in which is so apparent the aim to advance along lines which tend to improve the security afforded

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Various small advertisements on the right margin including: 'WANTED—salesman to ada Real \$150.00 p... ready to work...'; 'WANTED—baby girl, from 2 to 3 months, to Box W. K...'; 'WANTED—class female to No. 1, Brunsv...'; 'SITUATION... MALE \$5.00 to \$10...'; 'FOR SALE...'; 'FOR SALE...'; 'LARGE...'; 'JUST ARRIVED...'; 'FARM...'; 'FARM...'; 'FOR SALE...'; 'TO LET...'; 'F. C. WEE...'; 'Musical In...'; 'VIOLIN...'; 'ELECTRIC...'

SURPRISE SOAP

Is a pure hard soap that has peculiar qualities for washing clothes. Makes Child's Play of Wash Day.

(Good for all general uses)

Read directions on the wrapper for the "SURPRISE" way of washing.

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One cent per word each insertion. Discount of 33 1-3 per cent. on advertisements running one week or longer if paid in advance. Minimum charge 25 cents.

WANTED.

MALE HELP.
Be independent; start a Cut-rate Grocery business of your own. Red-patch's granulated sugar 4 cents pound. No capital required. Earn \$25 weekly with few hours work. Outfit free. The Consumers Association, Windsor, Ont.

WANTED.—An experienced salesman to sell Western Canada Real Estate. Salary \$150.00 per month. Must come highly recommended and ready to work Jan. 15th. Enquire International Securities Co., Ltd., Dearborn Building.

WANTED.—To adopt a healthy baby girl, from birth up to the age of 3 months. Whole surrender. Apply to Box W. K., office of this paper.

WANTED.—Second class or first class female teacher wanted in District No. 1, Brunswick Parish, Queens Co. Address R. H. Covy, Secretary to Trustees, New Canaan, Queens Co.

PROFESSIONAL.

INCHES & HAZEN
C. F. INCHES. D. KING HAZEN.
Barristers, etc.
108 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET.
Phone Main 330.

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ROBERT WILBY, Medical Electrician
Specialist and Masseur. Eleven years England, five years St. John. Treats all nervous diseases, weakness and wasting, neurasthenia, locomotor ataxia, paralysis, sciatica, rheumatism, etc., etc. Consultation free. 27 Coburg street.

HOTELS.

"THE PRINCE WILLIAM"
Apartment Hotel
Permanent and transient. Summer months only. Summery of refined taste and excellent table. Overlooking harbor.
Prince William St., St. John, N. B.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

MALE HELP WANTED.
\$5.00 to \$10.00 per day easily made securing subscriptions for the largest and best magazine devoted to Canadian development. Easy, pleasant work, whole or part time. Write, enclosing references, THE DOMINION, 35 Canada Building, Winnipeg.

SALESMEN—\$50 per week selling one hand Egg Beaters. Sample and best machine devoted to Canadian development. Easy, pleasant work, whole or part time. Write, enclosing references, THE DOMINION, 35 Canada Building, Winnipeg.

FOR SALE.
New Home and other Sewing Machines. Genuine Needles of all kinds. Edison Improved Phonographs, \$16.50. One good Typewriter cheap. Domestic Machines and Phonograph Repairs. I have no travellers, buyers can save money in my shop. WILLIAM CRAWFORD, 106 Princess street, St. John.

FOR SALE—A box hall alley, 42 feet wide, in first class condition. Apply to R. S. Welch, Woodstock, N. B.

FOR SALE—Inside finish, doors, sashes, etc. Apply at Standard Building.

LARGE SAFE FOR SALE.
New second hand Taylor safe. Address safe, care of Standard.

JUST ARRIVED—Two cartloads of choice HORSES, weighing from 1,000 to 1,500 lbs. For sale at EDWARD HOGAN'S Stables, Waterloo St. Phone 1557.

PARK HOTEL
N. J. BARRY, Proprietor.
45-49 King Square, Saint John, N. B.
This Hotel is under new management and has been thoroughly renovated and newly furnished with Baths, Carpets, Linen, Silver, etc.
American Piano, Electric Elevators, Street Cars stop at door to and from all trains and boats.

DOMINION PORTS.
Halifax, Jan 9.—Arrived—Stm Sassafras, St. John.
Sydney, Jan 9.—Sailed—Stm Langan, St. John.

BRITISH PORTS.
Stm Langan, St. John.
Liverpool, Jan 8.—Sailed—Stm Monmouth, Murray, St. John.

FOREIGN PORTS.
Philadelphia, Jan 9.—Arrived—Stm Tanagra, Dalton, from Santa Cruz del Sur.
New York, Jan 8.—Cleared—Stm Edyth for Perth Amboy, to load coal for an east port, owned by Herbert Hicks and is quite an old craft.

FARMS FOR SALE.

FARM FOR SALE.
Our 1912 Farm Catalogue now in preparation will be ready for distribution January 15th. A splendid assortment, 150 to select from. Prices range from \$3.00 per acre up. Values more wonderful than ever. ALFRED BURLEY & CO., 46 Princess Street, New Brunswick Farm Specialists.

FARM FOR SALE.
A farm formerly owned and occupied by the late Dr. H. J. C. containing 17 acres, opposite Treadwells on Loch Lomond Road, St. John County, with considerable standing timber thereon. 20 acres cleared ready for ploughing. Apply to DANIEL MULLIN, Pussley Building, City.

FOR SALE—Farms and Lots, 450 acres, three miles from Public Landing, Kings Co. Also lots to fifty acres lots close to river at Public Landing. At Langley, on C. P. R., 80 acres, two houses and barn, also 2 1/2 miles from Oak Point, 250 acres, house and barn and 250 acre woodland and other farms at bargain. J. H. Poole & Son, Nelson street, Phone 925-11.

THE ROYAL
SAINT JOHN, N. B.
RAYMOND & OHERTY,
Proprietors.

Hotel Dufferin
ST. JOHN, N. B.
FOSTER, BOND & CO.
JOHN H. BOND, Manager.

CLIFTON HOUSE
H. E. GREEN, Proprietor.
Corner Germain and Princess Streets
ST. JOHN, N. B.
Better Now Than Ever.

VICTORIA HOTEL
St. King Street, St. John, N. B.
St. John Hotel Co., Ltd., Proprietors.
A. M. PHILIPS, Manager

WINE AND LIQUORS.

Medicated Wines
In Stock—A Consignment of Jerez-Quina Medicated Wines
Indorsed by the Medical Faculty.
Prepared with choice and select wines from the Jerez District, Quina Calisaya and other bitters, which contribute to ward its effect as a tonic and appetizer.

TO LET.

TO LET—Two large front rooms, electric light and bath, 28 Coburg street.

ENGRAVERS.

F. C. WESLEY & Co., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 59 Water street, St. John, N. B., Telephone 925

Musical Instruments Repaired
VIOLIN, MANDOLIN, and all stringed instruments and bows repaired. SYDNEY GIBBS, 31 Sydney Street.

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ELECTRIC MOTOR and Generator repairs, including rewinding. We try to keep your plant running while making repairs. E. S. Stephenson & Co., Nelson street, St. John, N. B.

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Telephone Main 330, 44 and 48 Dock St.

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Direct Importers and Dealers in all the leading brands of Wines and Liquors. We carry in stock from the best house and imported and Domestic Cigars. 11 and 15 WATER ST., Tel. 272.

WHOLESALE LIQUORS.
William L. Williams, Successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 116 and 112 Prince William St. Established 1874. Write for family price list.

UNION FOUNDRY and MACHINE WORKS, Ltd
GEO. H. WARING, Manager.
Engineers and Machinists.
Iron and Brass Castings.
WEST ST. JOHN. Phone West 15.

FROZEN HERRING
Frozen Herring, Fresh Codfish, Haddock, Herring, Kippered Herring and Flounder.
JAMES PATTERSON,
19 and 20 South Market Wharf, St. John, N. B.

SHIPPING NEWS

DAILY ALMANAC.
Saturday, January 11, 1913.
Sun rises 8:07 a. m.
Sun sets 4:53 p. m.
High water 2:45 a. m.
Low water 10:30 p. m.
Atlantic standard time.

VESSLS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.
Steamers.
Mount Temple, Antwerp, Dec. 26.
Manchester Miller, Manchester, Dec. 21.
Ramore Head, Dublin, Dec. 23.
Lan Michigan, Antwerp, Jan. 1.
Man. Inventor, Manchester, Jan. 2.
Inventor, Manchester, Jan. 2.
Durango, London, Jan. 3.
Granplan, Liverpool, Jan. 3.
Monmouth, Liverpool, Jan. 3.
Tunisian, Liverpool, Jan. 10.

VESSLS IN PORT.
Steamers.
Kvarra, 2003, J. T. Knight and Co.
Man. Shipper, 2542, Wm. Thomson and Co.
Sokoto, 1,969, J. T. Knight & Co.
Saturnia, 5494, Donaldson Line.
Rappahannock, 2,490, Wm. Thomson & Co.

Paris.
Hector, 478, A. W. Adams.
Schooners.
Anne Lord, 246, C. M. Kerrison.
Ann Louise Lockwood, 266, A. W. Adams.
Rebecca M. Walls, 56, C. M. Kerrison.
Charles C. Lister, 268, master.
Henry H. Chamberlain, 205, A. W. Adams.
Rialto, 349, A. W. Adams.
McClure, 191, C. M. Kerrison.
W. E. & W. L. Tuck, 395, J. A. Gregory.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN, N. B.
Arrived, Friday, Jan. 10.
Coastwise—Stmra Connors Bros, 49, Warnock, Chance Harbor, St. John, 49, Lewis, Apple River, Westport III, 49, McKinnon, Westport, Victoria Plot, Brown, Grand Harbor, Casarco, 24, Johnson, St. Andrews, Friendship, 65, Wilbur, St. Martins.
Cleared, January 10.
Coastwise—Schr. Sassafras, Pearl, Gordon, St. Martins; Abbie Keast, Taylor Parrsboro.
Sailed, January 10.
Stm Empress of Britain, Murray, Liverpool via Halifax, CPR.
Stm Lake Champlain, Kendall, Antwerp, CPR.
Stm Pomeranian, Baird, London and Havre, Wm. Thomson and Co.
Stm Inishowen Head, Pichford, Dublin, Wm. Thomson and Co.

CASCARETS SURELY STRAIGHTEN YOU OUT

No Headache, Biliousness, bad taste or constipation by morning.

Are you keeping your bowels, liver and stomach clean, pure and fresh with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passage through these important or drainage organs every few days with Salts, Cathartic Pills, (Castor Oil) or Stop having a bow-wash-day. Let Cascarets thoroughly cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the undigested, sour and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the decomposed waste matter and poisons in the intestines and bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will make you feel great by morning. They work while you sleep—never gripe, sicken or cause any inconvenience, and cost only 10 cents a box from your druggist. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never have Headache, Biliousness, coated tongue, indigestion, Sour Stomach or Constipated Bowels. Cascarets belong in every household. Children just love to take them.

THE BANK OF NEW BRUNSWICK AND THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN of the intention of the undersigned Banks to apply for the expiration of four weeks from the date of the first insertion of this notice in the Canada Gazette, to the Governor-in-Council and the Treasury Board through the Minister of Finance and Receiver General for the approval of an agreement between The Bank of New Brunswick and The Bank of Nova Scotia whereby The Bank of New Brunswick agrees to sell and The Bank of Nova Scotia agrees to purchase all the real and personal properties, assets, rights, credits and effects of The Bank of New Brunswick of whatever kind and wherever situated, and whereby in consideration for such sale and purchase The Bank of Nova Scotia agrees to allot and issue to The Bank of New Brunswick or to its nominees, ten thousand fully paid shares of the capital stock of The Bank of Nova Scotia, of the par value of one hundred dollars each, and amounting in all to the par value of one million dollars, and to pay to said The Bank of New Brunswick the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, and whereby The Bank of Nova Scotia undertakes to assume, pay, discharge, perform and carry out all the debts, liabilities, contracts and obligations of The Bank of New Brunswick (including notes issued and intended for circulation outstanding, and in circulation, and leasehold, and other obligations.) A copy of the said agreement can be seen at the office of The Bank of New Brunswick, Saint John, N. B., and The Bank of Nova Scotia, Halifax, N. S.

The said agreement has been approved by a resolution of the shareholders of The Bank of New Brunswick present in person, or represented by proxy, representing more than two-thirds of the amount of the subscribed capital stock of the said Bank, at a special general meeting of the shareholders of the said Bank duly called and held for the purpose. The said agreement has been approved by a resolution of the shareholders of The Bank of Nova Scotia at a special general meeting of the shareholders of the said Bank duly called and held for the purpose.

Notice is also given of the intention of The Bank of Nova Scotia to apply at the same time to the Governor-in-Council and The Treasury Board for the approval of the increase of the capital stock of the said The Bank of Nova Scotia which is necessary to provide for the payment of the shares of The Bank of New Brunswick to The Bank of Nova Scotia as provided in said agreement.

Dated the eleventh day of December, A. D. 1912.

By Order of the Board The Bank of New Brunswick.
C. H. EASSON,
General Manager.

By Order of the Board The Bank of Nova Scotia.
H. A. RICHARDSON,
General Manager.

MARINE NOTES

ANOTHER COAL STEAMER.
Steamer Langan left Sydney, N. S., Jan. 9 for St. John with about 7,000 tons of coal.

BATTLE LINE.
Steamer Tanagra, Captain Dalton, arrived at Philadelphia Thursday from Santa Cruz del Sur.

WILL LOAD APPLES.
The Furness line steamer Rappahannock, Captain Hanks, now in port, will on her return trip to London call at Halifax and take on about 20,000 bbls of apples for the English market.

SCHOONER CONDEMNED.
Schooner Stella, said, of St. John, which stranded on the voyage from Parrsboro to Windsor with a cargo of coal, has been condemned and her registry has been closed.—Digby Courier.

LIGHTSHIP MISSING.
It is reported that the Lightship Lurcher is missing. She might have gone to sea under her own power, having broken adrift from her moorings.—Digby Courier.

STEAMER FOR CUBA.
Norwegian steamer Navigator goes to Bermuda and Cuba from Halifax with a general freight, part of which is for the Puruss liner Swanes Trader was to have taken to Havana prior to the cancellation of her voyage after she was rammed by a tugboat at Prince Edward Island a fortnight ago.

SCHR. BOBS ASHORE.
The 90-ton schooner Bobs, Captain David Robinson, is reported ashore at Jonesport, Maine, high up on the rocks, but not much damaged. She had no cargo and the next high run of tides are expected of float her. The Bobs was from Boston for Clementsport, where she is owned by Herbert Hicks and is quite an old craft.

THE REAL CAUSE OF Most Bad Complexions

(From Family Physician.)
It is a stern fact that no truly beautiful complexion ever came out of jars or bottles, and the longer one uses cosmetics, the worse the complexion becomes. Skin, to be healthy, must breathe. It also must expel, through the pores, its share of the body's effete material. Creams and powders clog the pores, interfering both with elimination and breathing. If we have understood this, there would be fewer self-rimmed complexions. If they would use ordinary mercolized wax instead of cosmetics they would have natural healthy complexions. This remarkable substance actually absorbs a bad skin, and cleanses the pores. Result: The fresher younger under-skin is permitted to breathe and to show itself. An exquisite new complexion gradually peeps out, one free from any appearance of artificiality. Get an ounce of mercolized wax at your druggist and try it. Apply nightly like cold cream, or once a week or so, washing it off mornings.

To eradicate wrinkles, here's a marvelous effective treatment which also acts naturally and harmlessly: Dissolve a or powdered saxolite in 1/2 pt. witch hazel and use as a wash lotion.

NEWS IN SHORT METRE

LOCAL.
Police Court.
One prisoner, Richard Taylor, was arraigned in the police court yesterday morning charged by Captain Pierce of the S.S. Sokoto with being drunk and creating a disturbance on board the steamer on Thursday evening. He pleaded not guilty and as the Captain did not appear to prosecute he was allowed to go.

Believes in Future of East.
Earle J. Scovill, formerly of this city, but latterly of British Columbia, has returned to the east on a visit and expresses the opinion that the time of the east has come and is steadily passing. John and New Brunswick have a great future in store for them.

Golden Wedding.
Mr. and Mrs. John Cruikshank, of Lancaster Heights, celebrated their golden wedding last evening. A large number of friends called on the couple, a good time being enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Cruikshank came to Canada from Scotland a good many years ago and since then have made many warm friends in the land of their adoption, all of whom wish them many more years of happiness.

A Bad Fatality.
Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 10.—A sad fatality happened on the road between this town and Newburg last night when Charles Cunningham was killed by a kick from a horse or by falling. He was on his way home with his team and was found on the road by a neighbor who was driving home. Chief Kelley went to the scene about midnight and had the body brought to Henderson's undertaking rooms. Coroner Lindsay is holding an inquest. The unfortunate man was about 34 years of age and much respected.

First Operation in New Hospital.
Chatham, N. B., Jan. 10.—The Sisters had the patients moved from the old hospital to the new one on Tuesday. Two appendicitis cases were admitted on Wednesday and this morning the first operations in the new hospital were performed by Dr. Marven, assisted by Doctors Duffy and McKen Young of Longville, and Master George of Henry Seale—are both reported to be doing nicely. The new hospital cost about \$50,000.

GENERAL.
Burial Service Refused.
London, Jan. 10.—Replying to criticisms concerning the action of a Beulah clergyman in refusing to read the burial service of the Church of England at the funeral of a servant girl,

FOR SALE

THE SACKVILLE WOODWORKING COMPANY offer for sale as a going concern, its Woodworking factory and lands at Sackville, N. B. The factory consists of a main factory building, two warehouses, dry-house, and engine house. The buildings are well arranged and equipped with suitable machinery in good running order. The property contains eighteen acres of land situated just opposite the C. P. Railway Station and near the public wharves of the town, with railway siding and public roads adjoining the property.

It is practically assured that the Dominion government will acquire the N. B. and P. E. I. Railway, and that in the near future traffic between Prince Edward Island and the mainland will come by way of Sackville. Also that natural gas will be available for power purposes during the coming year. These features should make the property an especially desirable one.

Tenders will be received up to the 18th day of January, 1913, by and at the office of the undersigned, Brock & Paterson, Limited, for all the uncollected book debts, shop fittings (silent salesman), safe, office furniture and fixtures, goods, chattels, personal property and effects in and about the premises now or heretofore occupied by Frederick Patterson (doing business as F. R. Patterson & Co.) at No. 207 Union street in the City of St. John, mentioned and comprised in a certain bill of Sale dated 11 May, 1911, made by the said Frederick R. Patterson to the said Brock & Paterson, Ltd. The said property may be tendered for sale separately. Terms for cash. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. An inventory of the property to be sold may be seen at the office of the undersigned. Dated this second day of January, A. D. 1912.

BROCK & PATERSON, LIMITED,
30 King street, St. John, N. B.

NOTICE TO PATRONS

The American Steam Laundry Company wish to announce to their many patrons that they will be able to continue to look after the work given them and that the laundry teams will call and deliver laundry as usual, despite the fact that the Laundry was badly damaged by fire.

Builders' Supplies Heavy Hardware

GANDY & ALLISON
3 and 4 North Wharf

J. Fred. Williamson,
MACHINIST and ENGINEER.
Steamboat, Mill and General Repair Work.
INDIAN TOWN, ST. JOHN, N. B.
Phone: M. 229, Residence M. 1724-11

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—Retail Dealer in—
FINE BOOTS & SHOES, RUBBERS, GAITERS, ETC.
REPAIR WORK NEATLY DONE.
32 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B.
Telephone, Main 1822-11.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry

A Complete Line of Waltham and Equity watches, in stock.
ERNEST LAW, — 3 Coburg St
Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION.

TAKE NOTICE that the Dominion Trust Company, a company duly incorporated under the laws of the Dominion of Canada, will apply to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick at the next session thereof for an act authorizing the said company to carry on business under the laws of the Province of New Brunswick as a trust company and to authorize and empower the said company to exercise its powers to the same extent as authorized by the act of the Dominion of Canada incorporating the said company. Dated the thirtieth day of December, A. D. 1912.

PIERCY A. GUTHRIE,
Solicitor for the Applicant,
Dominion Trust Company,

AUCTION SALES.

THREE VALUABLE FREEHOLD CITY LOTS.
50x92 feet, more or less each, making a total of 150 x 92 more or less on Prince William street and running through to Water street and adjoining lot purchased by McAlary Mfg. Co., from city.
BY AUCTION
I am instructed by Commissioner H. B. Schofield, Esq., of the Lands, to sell by public auction at Chubb's corner, on Saturday morning, January 12th, at 12 o'clock noon, three very valuable lots of land situated on Prince William street and running through to Water, giving a frontage of 150 feet more or less on two of the principal streets of the city, and being most valuable for manufacturers or shipping purposes, being near by railway and steamboat terminals. For further particulars, etc., enquire at office of H. B. Schofield, Esq., city hall, or F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer, 96 Germain street.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 21st February, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week each way, between Perry's Point and Reed's Point, from the 1st April next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Perry's Point, Reed's Point, Kingston, and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at St. John.

G. C. ANDERSON,
Superintendent.
Post Office Department,
Mail Service Branch,
Ottawa, 7th January, 1913.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Notice is hereby given that the light on Neverfall Shoal Gas Buoy, entrance to Halifax Harbour, is not burning. It will be lighted soon as possible.

CHAS. H. HARVEY,
Agent, Marine and Fisheries Dept.

EXTENSION OF TIME.

Notice is hereby given that the time for the reception of tenders for the construction of Six Steel Hopper Scoops, 300 yards capacity each, is extended to Tuesday, January 14, 1912.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, January 7, 1913.

PROBATE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY of Saint John, Province of New Brunswick.
To the Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John, or any Constable of the said City and County—Greeting:

WHEREAS the Administrator cum testamento annexo de bonis non of the portion of the estate situate within the Province of New Brunswick of Frederick M. Spiller, of Abington, in the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, Druggist deceased, has filed in this Court an account of his Administration of the said deceased's estate in the Province of New Brunswick, and has prayed that the same may be passed and allowed in due form of Law, and distribution of the said Estate directed according to Law.

YOU ARE THEREFORE required to cite the devisees and legatees of the deceased and all of the creditors and other persons interested in his said estate within said Province to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the City and County of Saint John, at the Probate Court Room, in the Pussley Building, in the City of Saint John, on Monday, the twentieth day of January, next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to attend the passing and allowing of the said accounts and of the making of the order for the distribution of the said estate as prayed for and as by Law directed.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of December, A. D. 1912.

(Sgd.) J. R. ARMSTRONG,
Judge of Probate.
(Sgd.) H. O. McNEILS,
Registrar of Probate.
J. B. M. BAXTER,
Proctor.

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Royal, G. C. M. G.

TO ADOPT A UNIFORM CONTRACT

Cincinnati, Jan. 10.—In reversing a decision of the National Board of Minor Leagues here today, the National Baseball Commission gave notice that at its annual meeting in Chicago next Thursday it would advocate the adoption of a uniform contract for both major and minor leagues.

WITH THE BIG BALL LEAGUES

Latest doings in the baseball world sound like frenzied finance, and in view of Connie Mack's doubtful note in order that the clubs may pay dividends, long deferred, the alleged salary that is to be paid to Frank Chance has every one guessing.

THE MARITIME STEAMSHIP CO. (Limited)
Commencing Jan. 22, and until further notice the S. S. Connors Bros. will run as follows:

For Sale
The Steamer CALABRIA, of 40 Tons Register, and Schooner ORIOLE of 124 Tons Register.

BOWLING ON BLACK'S YESTERDAY

The Sweep in the City League last night, on Black's alleys, managed to take three points from the Insurance team in the Commercial League.

Table with columns: Name, Sweeps, Points. Includes names like Foshay, Paterson, Cosman, Sullivan, Harrison.

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Table with columns: Name, Sweeps, Points. Includes names like Riley, Seymour, Knaf, Sullivan, Connell.

Table with columns: Name, Sweeps, Points. Includes names like Ryan, Kaye, Paterson, Sullivan, MacMichael.

MARITIME PROVINCE SECURITIES.

Table with columns: Name, Asked, Bid. Includes names like Acadia Fire, Acadia Sugar, Brand, Henderson, Cape Breton Elec. Com., East. Can. Sav. and Loan, Eastern Trust, Hal. Fire, Hesp. Pure Wool Textile, Mar. Tel. and Tel. Com., N. S. Car 1st Pfd., N. S. Car 2nd Pfd., N. S. Car 3rd Pfd., N. S. Car 4th Pfd., N. S. Clay Works, N. S. Fire, Stanfield Ld. Pfd., Stanfield Ld. Com., Trin. Con. Tel. Com., Trinidad Electric.

Table with columns: Name, Asked, Bid. Includes names like Brandram-Henderson, C. B. Electric, Chronicle, How Pure Wool Textile, Maritime Tel. Co., N. S. Steel and Iron, N. S. Steel Deb. Stock, Stanfield's, Trinidad Telephone, Trinidad Electric.

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M'CURDY & CO.'S FINANCIAL AND LEGAL INTERESTS ON ATLANTIC SUGAR BOARD

Montreal, Jan. 10.—The past week has been a bullish one on the local stock exchange. Trading in Brazilian was exceptionally heavy during several days and it is freely stated that the market is bound for much higher levels.

Canadian Converters was a strong stock today. The regular dividend was declared on the stock at the rate of 1 per cent. per quarter. The stock has been showing a strong tendency lately and on very small buying and selling the price has advanced.

National Brick was very strong on general prospects and no doubt on a movement inaugurated by the interests behind the company. The stock advanced a couple of points today and was 65 1/4 at the close.

At the close of trading on Friday (Cement was showing only a little activity and the stock strengthened up a full point. Apparently the west is buying the stock for some reason or other which is not fully explained by the statement that the company will not show more than 2 per cent. on the common stock at the outside in the coming annual statement.

Montreal Power has been an active and strong issue all week. On Friday it sold at 240, while Shawinigan sold at 158, being also very strong.

Domestic Steel was the most disappointing stock in the entire list, being practically the only one which showed any weakness. The bid price at the close Friday was 56 1/2.



D. LORNE MCGIBBON, President Atlantic Sugar Refineries, Limited.

Directors of the Atlantic Sugar Refineries, Limited, are all well-known and successful Canadians.—D. Lorne McGibbon heads the list, which in itself is looked upon as an assurance of success in new enterprises.

It has been foreseen for some time that there is room in Canada for a new and extensive sugar refinery, and consequently the announcement of the organization of the Atlantic Sugar Refineries, Limited, has received an amount of public attention which is very remarkable.

D. Lorne McGibbon, the president of the company, is one of Canada's great captains of industry, a capitalist known throughout the Dominion as one of extraordinary energy, foresight and success.

Mr. F. H. Anson, the vice-president and managing director of the Atlantic Sugar Refineries, Limited, is a Montreal business man who is noted for his organizing and executive ability.

Mr. S. H. Ewing, a director of Atlantic Sugar Refineries, Limited, is one of Montreal's largest and most successful merchants and capitalists.

Mr. H. J. Fuller, also a director of the Atlantic, is another of Montreal's prominent and successful business men.

The Hon. Wallace Nesbitt, K. C., another director, is one of the most eminent lawyers in the Dominion, and has figured in innumerable cases of importance that have come before the Supreme Court of Canada.

Sir Thomas Tait is a Canadian railway man, whose reputation is known in other parts of the empire outside the Dominion.

Mr. W. R. Allan, of Winnipeg, is a member of the Allan family of Montreal, who are the Canadian shipping industry.

Mr. F. H. Ward is a well-known figure in the business eye of Montreal, and noted for his energy, foresight and square dealing.

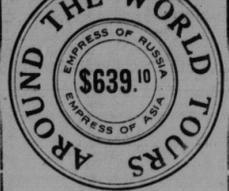
The Hon. T. Chase Casgrain, K. C., is one of the most distinguished men practicing at the Bar in Canada.

The financing and underwriting of Atlantic Sugar Refineries, Limited, was handled by Messrs. N. B. Stark and Company, of Montreal, and Murray, Mather and Co. of Toronto.

Fredericton, Jan. 10.—The provincial government met this afternoon and discussed the legislative programme for the coming session of the legislature.

RAILWAYS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC



Empress of Russia and Empress of Asia will leave Liverpool April 1st and May 27th, respectively, and will arrive at Vancouver in about two months.

General Route—From Canadian or American Port to Liverpool, thence Gibraltar, Monte Carlo, Port Said, Suez, Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Vancouver, thence rail to original starting point.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

Fall and Winter Through Service

QUEBEC and MONTREAL 2 THROUGH 2 TRAINS 2

OCEAN LIMITED

Through Sleeping Car from St. John on No. 4 Express, leaving at 11:30 a. m., Daily except Sunday.

MARITIME EXPRESS

Connecting Train No. 134 leaves St. John 12:55 Daily, except Sunday.

THE INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY

Winter Time Table Summary

GOING WEST. Express train leaves Campbellton daily (except Sunday) at 7:30 a. m. for St. Leonard's and intermediate stations, due at St. Leonard's at 12:30 p. m.

GOING EAST. Express train leaves St. Leonard's daily (except Sunday) at 5:00 p. m. after arrival of C. P. R. express from St. John, Vancouver, etc., due at Campbellton at 10:00 p. m.

And in addition to above and to the ordinary freight trains, there is also a regular ACCOMMODATION TRAIN carrying passengers and freight running each way on alternate days as follows:

GOING WEST—Leaves Campbellton at 8:00 a. m. for St. Leonard's, and intermediate stations, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, due at St. Leonard's at 4:20 p. m.

GOING EAST—Leaving St. Leonard's at 8:30 for Campbellton, etc., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, due at Campbellton at 4:30 p. m.

Governed by Atlantic Standard Time.

See local time tables and for full information regarding connections, etc., apply to R. B. Humphrey, freight and passenger agent, 55 Canterbury street, St. John.

E. H. ANDERSON, Manager, N. B. ANDERSON, Traffic Mgr., THOMAS MALCOLM, Gen. Mgr., Campbellton, N. B.

ALL THE WAY BY WATER

Eastern Steamship Corporation

International Line WINTER FARES. St. John to Boston \$4.50, St. John to Portland 4.00, State Rooms 1.00.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY

S. S. Yarmouth leaves Reed's Point Wharf daily at 7 a. m., connecting at Digby with trains East and West, returning arrives at 5:30 p. m., Sundays excepted.

STEAMSHIPS.

WHITESTAR DOMINION CANADIAN SERVICE

BUY YOUR PREPAID TICKETS NOW! Latest Steamships in the Canadian Trade

TO AND FROM ENGLAND AND SCANDINAVIA and the CONTINENT CANAD. Jan. 18 DOMINION, Feb. 1

Rates: Cabin (D) \$47.50 and \$50; Third Class \$11.25 and up according to destination

Local Agents: W. H. C. Mackay, Wm. Thomson & Co., The Robert Hood Co., Limited.

CANADIAN PACIFIC EMPRESSES AND OTHER STEAMSHIPS

Liverpool Service

FROM ST. JOHN, N. B. EMPRESS OF BRITAIN, Jan. 10 TUNISIAN (chartered), Jan. 24

For Rates, Reservations, Plans, Literature, Tickets, Etc., Etc., Apply to W. B. HOWARD, General Agent, St. John, N. B.

ALLAN LINE

ROYAL MAIL

Twin Screw and Turbine Steamers

ST. JOHN TO LIVERPOOL. Grampian ... Dec. 12 Jan. 17, Virginian ... Dec. 20 Mch. 28, Heperian ... Dec. 23 Jan. 31, Corsican ... Jan. 3 Feb. 14, Tunisian ... Jan. 24 Feb. 28

ST. JOHN TO HAVRE & LONDON. Pomeranian ... Thursday, Jan. 9, Lake Erie ... Thursday, Feb. 6, Pomeranian ... Thursday Mch. 6, Lake Erie ... Thursday, Mch. 20

For particulars regarding Freight or Passage, apply to WM. THOMSON & CO., St. John, H. & A. ALLAN, Montreal

PICKFORD & BLACK LINE

ST. JOHN, N. B. to DEMERRA. S. S. "Rhodense" sails Jan. 5 for Bermuda, St. Kitts, Antigua, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara.

S. S. "Oromo" sails Jan. 15 for Bermuda, Montserrat, Dominica, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara.

S. S. "Briardene" sails Jan. 26 for Bermuda, St. Kitts, Antigua, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara.

S. S. "Oruro" sails Feb. 8 for Bermuda, Montserrat, Dominica, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara.

For passage and freight apply to WILLIAM THOMSON & CO., Agents, St. John, N. B.

MANCHESTER LINE

From Man. to St. John. Nov. 30, M. Commerce Dec. 28, Dec. 7, M. Importer Jan. 4, Dec. 14, M. Shipper Jan. 8, Dec. 21, M. Miller Jan. 11, Jan. 2, M. Inventor Jan. 23, Jan. 11, M. Corporation Feb. 1

Dates subject to change. WM. THOMSON & CO., Agents

HEAD LINE

ST. JOHN TO DUBLIN. S.S. Inshaven Head, December 20.

ST. JOHN TO BELFAST. S.S. Ramore Head, December 30.

Wm. Thomson & Co., AGENTS

ELDER-DEMPSTER LINE

NASSAU, CUBA, MEXICO SERVICE. S. S. "SOKOTO" sailing from St. John about Jan. 10th, for Nassau, Havana, Puerto, Mexico, Vera Cruz, Tampico and Progreso, followed by Barran Jan. 27th.

SOUTH AFRICAN SERVICE. S. S. "KWARRA" sailing from St. John about December 20th, for Cape Town, Port Elizabeth, East London, Durban and Delagoa Bay. Cold Storage accommodation on each vessel. Accommodation for a few cabin passengers. For freight and passenger rates and full particulars apply to J. T. KNIGHT & CO., Agents, ST. JOHN, N. B.

FURNESS LINE

From London, St. John. Dec. 7, Shenandoah Dec. 31, Dec. 28, Rappahannock Jan. 14, Jan. 3, Durango Jan. 21, Jan. 10, Kanawha Jan. 28

Dates subject to change. WILLIAM THOMSON & CO., Agents, St. John, N. B.

The Imperial Life Assurance Company of Canada

THE following are some outstanding features from the Directors' Report submitted at the Annual Meeting of the Company held on Wednesday, January 8th, 1913, and covering the operations of the Company in 1912:

Table with columns: 1911, 1912, Increase. Includes rows for Assurances in Force, Assurances Issued and Revived, Premium and Interest Income, Policy and Annuity Reserves, Total Assets, Policyholders' Net Surplus, Payments to Policyholders, Rate of Interest Earned.

The reserves for 96% of the assurances in force have been based on a 3% and those for the balance on a 3 1/2% interest rate.

The Company's policy reserves are now on a stronger basis than those of any other Canadian life assurance company.

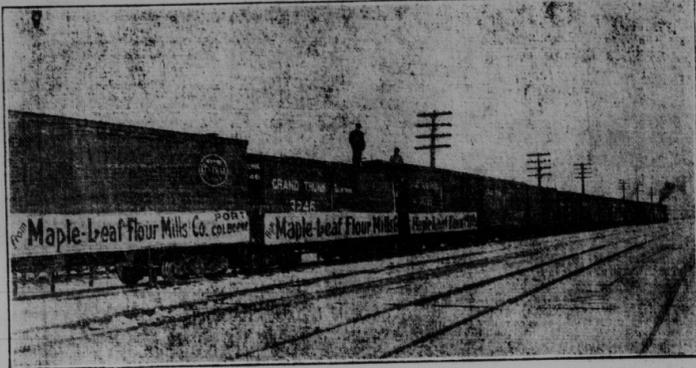
The results achieved in 1912 surpass in all departments those of any previous year in the history of the Company.

HEAD OFFICE: Imperial Life Bldg., TORONTO W. A. GIBSON, Provincial Manager, - St. John, N. B.

an Canada Companies
Mr. E. L. JARVIS
John, N. B.
Brokers
PHONE 865

MARKS IMPORTANT EPOCH IN TRADE HISTORY IN ST. JOHN

Arrival of "First Through Freight" Over Grand Trunk Pacific Railway -- Thirty Cars of Canadian Milled Flour for Export to South Africa.

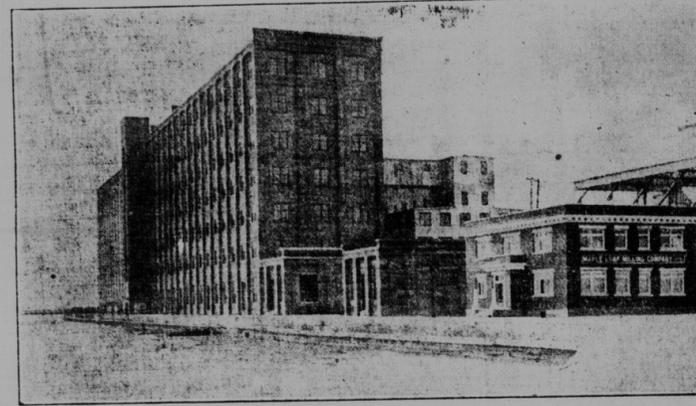


First Through Train to the Winter Port Over the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. Thirty Carloads of Flour From Maple Leaf Milling Co., Port Colborne Arriving at St. John for Export to South Africa.

An epoch marking event in St. John was the arrival here on Tuesday, of the first train load of through freight over the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway from the west. Particularly appropriate is it that this first train load was composed of thirty cars of flour grown in a Canadian wheat field, milled in a Canadian mill, and shipped over a purely Canadian railway in Canadian built cars to a Canadian port, there to be transhipped to Africa. The particularly appropriate coincidence that the first train of freight to come over the new road was made up of flour is found in the fact that in no branch of industry has the Canadian producer been more marked than in the growth of her great milling business, and no firm in the broad Dominion has labored more zealously or with greater success toward this development than has the Maple Leaf

Grand Trunk railway, it reached what these towering structures of steel and concrete look like. It may be mentioned that the Maple Leaf Milling Company's mill at Port Colborne, Ontario, is the largest of the modern mills in Canada. This great mill was built in 1911, is perfect in every detail, and is run, lighted and heated by electricity. The Port Colborne plant is the principal one of six mills owned and operated by the Maple Leaf people. It is 600 feet long and seven stories, or 125 feet high. In its construction 20,000 barrels of cement and 400 tons of steel reinforcement were used. The flour storage capacity is 400,000 bags and the floor space of mill and warehouse cover nearly five acres.

With such a plant it is easy to believe that the combined output of Maple Leaf Mills, over 12,000 barrels of flour per day, requires a large and steady wheat supply. This is provided for by the company's fifty or more elevators situated in various western points, and having a total wheat capacity of 5,000,000 bushels.



Where the 30 Cars of Wheat Were Made Into Flour--The Mammoth Plant of the Maple Leaf Milling Co., Port Colborne, Ont.

Milling company, which had the distinction of milling the consignment of flour in the train referred to.

The arrival of the first train marks the opening of a new era in the development of Canada's national transportation system and also does much to justify the hope and expectancy of the people of New Brunswick who have looked forward to the great benefits which will follow the opening of the road, regarding it as a great factor in establishing this city's future and developing our export trade. In the first week of the new year we see the first fruits--an earnest of greater freight--of thirty cars.

That the journey of the first train from the wheat fields to the Atlantic seaboard is a matter of more than local importance is evidenced by the great interest the train excited all along the route. Of course it is common knowledge that the whole line of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway is not yet completed, but that it is now in such shape that a consignment can be routed largely over it from the prairies to St. John is a matter of national interest and has been recognized as such all along the line. Upper Canadian newspapers devoted much space to the achievement referring to it as the "History Making Train Now on Way to the Winter Port."

Leaving its initial point on December 24th and running over the Grand Trunk Pacific, Temiskaming and Northern Ontario and

of the Canadian milling industry, in which Canada now stands abreast of all competitors.

This train, an illustration of which is published herewith, started from a prairie point filled with the famous Canadian hard wheat, which stands as the hall mark of quality in the grain markets of the world. It was milled into flour and hurried on to St. John in record time, reaching here on January 6th and will be shipped to Capetown on the steamer *Deiwin* sailing from St. John on January 15th. This wheat from Canada converted into flour will reach South Africa in sixty days, a feat starting from its western point of origin. So much for modern transportation and modern milling.

During its short stay at Port Colborne, Ont., the transformation from wheat to flour took place at the immense modern plant of the Maple Leaf Milling Company. To emphasize the great strides which have been made in the milling industry in Canada it may be said that the thirty cars of wheat were converted into something like 9,000 bags of flour, enough to supply one to each and every family in St. John, ground, packed and reloaded on the cars in the short space of forty-eight hours. Such a record was only possible because of the huge milling capacity and up-to-date equipment of this great milling plant for expeditious handling of wheat and its products.

A glance at the accompanying illustration will give those not familiar

with modern flour mills a fair idea of what these towering structures of steel and concrete look like. It may be mentioned that the Maple Leaf Milling Company's mill at Port Colborne, Ontario, is the largest of the modern mills in Canada. This great mill was built in 1911, is perfect in every detail, and is run, lighted and heated by electricity. The Port Colborne plant is the principal one of six mills owned and operated by the Maple Leaf people. It is 600 feet long and seven stories, or 125 feet high. In its construction 20,000 barrels of cement and 400 tons of steel reinforcement were used. The flour storage capacity is 400,000 bags and the floor space of mill and warehouse cover nearly five acres.

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The Maple Leaf Milling Company is the largest exporter of flour in Canada, sending great quantities of its product to Great Britain, and, as the present instance, to South Africa. Their high grade patent flour, "King Quality," finds ready sale throughout the Maritime Provinces, and is a popular brand in St. John households. The Smith Brothers Company, of this city, are the Maritime Province agents for these mills, and it is to that firm The Standard is indebted for the interesting data regarding the present historic shipment, furnishing conclusions as to the transportation and modern milling Canada leads the way.

The Great Holiday Favorite---

Four Crown Scotch

Sold Everywhere

FOSTER & CO., AGENTS, - ST. JOHN

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOR KIDNEY, BLINDNESS, RHEUMATISM, BRUISES, DIABETES, GRAVEL, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY SYSTEM.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Dodd, 23 THE PRINCE

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM THE CITIES OF GERMANY

Berlin, Jan. 2.--The long campaign waged by German actors has resulted in the introduction in the Reichstag of a bill designed to afford members of the profession relief from the present arbitrary decisions of theatrical managers.

If the legislation is enacted the right of the manager to discharge a player after a month's probation will be denied. The bill abolishes all provisional or conditional contracts. No rehearsals may be held after evening performances, and rehearsals on Sundays and holidays are sharply restricted. The producer too, must supply all costumes that cannot be worn in common life.

The managers claim that the last provision would work a great hardship upon them and point out that it would of necessity result in lowering still further the already small salaries which are paid to German actors and actresses, except in the case of large, well-paying playhouses in the big cities.

E. W. Kerngold, a 15 year old lad, has just been honored by the production of the famous Philharmonic orchestra under the direction of Arthur Nikisch, of a dramatic overture, his fourth work of importance.

The Nikisch concerts are musical events of the first importance in musical Berlin and the programme was announced musical critics and habitual concert-goers worried their heads over the identity of this mysterious selector whose work has been so closely watched.

Disregarding the signal distinction the composer the critics have praised the work highly as showing complete mastery of the art of orchestration and modern musical technique and the experience of a composer of years' training. A certain lack of originality, however, is expected in so young a musician under the influence of composers like Strauss, was the chief criticism brought against him and this he is expected to outgrow.

Although the story of Madame Humbert and her fraudulent millions has presumably penetrated all parts of the world, a German version of the swindle has just been stopped and the perpetrator, Mrs. Anna Saunack, sentenced to 2 1/2 years imprisonment.

With a companion, an architect named Spiel, she played upon the gullibility of Berliners through an alleged inheritance of \$450,000 from an uncle in Russia. Spiel was able to embark in extensive building operations, many of which were conducted at a profit on credit. Saunack later placed the mortgage on scale all out of proportion with his former pay and pension.

The military authorities had him closely watched through his fifteen years at hard labor, fined \$2,750 and money loaned on mortgages by him to the amount of \$47,650 ordered confiscated to the state. The total of \$21,000 apparently representing his profits as a Russian spy.

the ashes made by the burning brush. Then he saw a great light. He resumed his search more carefully than ever, and a hundred yards from there, under a tall bush, in a little island of unburned brush, he found another piece of wire attached to a lens or spectacles taken from a pair of common spectacles or eye glasses. One end of the wire was in the ground, the other with the lens was in the air. Directly under this glass, which made a most effective burning glass, was a little hole scooped out in the earth and in it a block of cellulose, a piece of dry grass, bits of dry wood and other inflammable material, all placed as to quickly carry any fire in them to the surrounding brush and grass.

It needed no Sherlock Holmes to tell this forest officer what the whole affair meant, and the bright sunbeams of California day in the month of August, a lens for a burning glass, and a bit of inflammable material to catch the heat of the sun, concentrated in the triangle of the lens and the whole plan was perfect.

But evidently the plans of the cunning incendiary had gone wrong for the brush failed to catch fire, leaving it here a silent but effective witness to his ingenuity.

Wise in the generation was this forest officer. Not a step did he take or a thing did he touch in the vicinity of this unsprung "trip trap." Hastening to his station, he returned with witnesses and a camera lens his evidence might not be accepted when the time came.

Later on, the boasting of a certain person that he "could start a fire in the hills and be miles away from it at the time," gave a faint clue which followed up carefully by the forest officer. One day this individual found himself facing a United States Judge in Los Angeles who was asking him if he knew any reason why he should not pronounce sentence upon him for starting a fire on government lands.

Evidently his reasons were not satisfactory for the man eventually found him located in the county jail with six long months ahead of him in which to study over the changed conditions concerning his case. The forest officer, incidentally, also, the judge asked him to contribute the sum of \$500 to the public treasury as a slight recompense for the trouble he had caused his Uncle Sam.

Ray Bronson of Indianapolis will be a busy man for the next few weeks. He has been signed for three matches Jan. 13 he will meet "Spike" Kelly of Chicago in an eight-round bout at Memphis; his second bout will be with Hilliard Lang of Canada at Indianapolis, Jan. 15, and Jan. 22 he will battle 10 rounds with Tommy Howell at Kansas City.

SCIENTIFIC INCENDIARISM

Ingenuity Applied to Evil Purposes--A Story of the Chaparral Hills.

(From the Scientific American.)

In Southern California where the hills are covered only with "chaparral" or brush, the stockmen have used them for their stock and herds for over a century. These pioneer stockmen found that by burning off the brush covering of these hills they could obtain several years of excellent feed, like five or six years of no fires and the brush reached a density and height through which no grazing animal, not even a goat, could make its way. So they grew up the practice of frequently burning off these brushy areas that their herds might the better graze over them.

Along the western slope of these mountains, and depending on them for every drop of water with which to irrigate the lands, lies one of the great growing districts of Southern California.

Here water for irrigation commands the highest value of any place on the globe. Every drop is needed, every drop must be saved, and the brush covering these hills is the sole means of saving this precious rainfall and keeping it from running off in floods into the nearby Pacific.

Thus it was that many of the stockmen resented the coming of the Forest Rangers who stopped the wholesale burnings and where the fires did get started fought them day and night till they were out.

One burning of a brush-covered mountain may seem a small matter, but of all the fires which a forester has to combat a brush fire is the most dangerous. For these reasons, when a series of brush fires occurred in a certain district in southern California, for the origin of which no reasonable excuse could be found, the forest officers set diligently to work to discover the source. They saw the effect, and eventually found the cause.

One day on a mountain side where the brush was thickest and conditions for a fire almost ideal, there had been half a dozen smaller fires in this immediate vicinity, but although after each was out they made the most careful investigation not a thing could they find to which they could tie a reliable suspicion as to its genesis.

After the last fire the forest officer in charge of the district started to make a systematic search of every foot of the area about where it was known to have originated to see if he couldn't find something on which to build up some theory or suspicion as to its start.

It was not lightning, for it had not rained there for six months. It was not campers, for no sane person would camp in such a spot. It was not sheepherders, for a chipmunk was about the only animal that could worm its way between the dense tree-like commonest of all sources of forest fires--for there was not a foot of railroad bushes. Nor was it a locomotive, that commonest of all sources of forest fires--for there was not a foot of railroad within 30 miles. This exhausted the list of ordinary causes. He must look further for the reason.

Like a bloodhound on the trail this man followed the edge of the burned-over area. Hour after hour he crawled along, bent almost double, his eyes watching every inch of ground over which he passed. Finally he came to a little piece of fencing wire some ten inches long stuck into the ground at an angle of about forty-five degrees. At its upper end was a small loop in the wire about the size of a silver half-dollar.

He sat down in the black dirt and studied that piece of wire for half an hour. Every inch of the ground about it was scrutinized and gone over as if with a fine-toothed comb, in an effort to connect the wire with the fire--the possible cause with the certain effect.

In a hole, were a few minute particles of glass and some ashes, unlike

A Hot Dish for a Cold Day

It is not easy to warm a poorly nourished body. Heat and strength do not come from overcoats or flannels. Bodily warmth and vigor come from foods that are rich in blood-making, tissue-building material.

SHREDDED WHEAT

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If Your Color is Bad, if You Suffer From Pimples, Here is Good Advice.

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Memoir

CHINA'S VICTORY TELLS OF TOUR

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The newspaper have given me such I shall never forget the have not treated my very manner of the the half patronizing London and Liverpool have tried to get at the East. The editorial was a little fun at our same time the chief made my visit the of and sensible editorials and her people. For them. The great U. been our friend in though she shut out and she will be our need some day.

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Mr. J. Hurlbert.

It is so easy to overlook the warning given by headaches, indigestion, falling memory, lack of power to concentrate the mind, irritability and worry over little things, that a man does not realize his danger until on the verge of breakdown.

Mr. J. Hurlbert, 28 James street, Brantford, Ont., writes: "I was very much run down in health and as a consequence my nervous system was very much exhausted. Close confinement at my work, I think, brought on the trouble. I started using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and by the time I had used up one box I felt a great improvement."



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Every Woman is interested and should know of this ideal liniment. Every drop you rub on is absorbed quickly, sinks through the pores to the congested muscles, eases, relieves, and cures quickly.

APOLI & STEEL PILLS For Ladies

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A Fallen Star—The "If Man"

—Votes and Rats—"Doc" Gets Busy. BY EDGAR NICOLE.

He had to send for the dear old "Doc" to see up for all he was worth. He had not, he explained, part of the modest fare that he meant by "too many" is a problem.

There was some excuse then, in the oyster case, for hurrying up the doctor, who is at this time of the year, who is very busy, and after all, is deserving of a little thoughtful consideration.

MISPLACED MODERATION. (Montreal Witness.) "Oh, I just love cake, and it's awfully nice," cried little Dorothy, regarding her chocolate-fronted dessert with high approval.

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MR. CODY AND THE COW. Mr. S. F. Cody, the aviator, was the defendant in an action at law in the Federal Court, being sued by John Maynard, of Government Laundry, Cove, for the value of a cow, which it was said he had killed with his monoplane.

Now that the festivities incidental to Christmas and New Year are very nearly over, that is to say so far as ordinary folk are concerned, the doctor will be in the job making over, to be a dictum, but, of course, conditions are constantly changing.

I Will Stake This Medicine Against Your Time

A Few Days Will Be Sufficient to Prove That You Are Curable

A few minutes of your time for a few days and I will demonstrate to you, without expense to yourself, that I have a medicine that drives out the uric acid poison from the system and by so doing cures kidney trouble, bladder trouble and rheumatism.

I am trying to convince sufferers from these diseases that I have something far better than the usual run of remedies, treatments and such things, and the only way I can demonstrate that fact is to go to the expense of compounding the medicine and sending it out free of charge.

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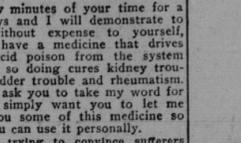
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Partenings of the Week

Mrs. L. W. Barker's host of friends...

The Saturday Night Bridge Club...

Mr. and Mrs. John McAvity gave one...

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mackay entertained...

The Minister of Marine and Fisheries...

Mr. and Mrs. Bancroft and family...

Mrs. M. A. Curry, of Halifax, is the...

Mrs. R. B. Patterson gave a delightful...

Mrs. J. Rowden Thomson is giving...

Mrs. George Nichol, of Halifax, is...

Mr. Arthur Hannay, of Ottawa, is...

The marriage of Miss Ella Beecher...

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fraser Gregory and...

Mrs. Frank Williams entertained at...

Mr. and Mrs. H. Fielding Rankine...

Mrs. Alexander Robertson was...

Frank Likely, Miss Bertie Armstrong...

Mrs. R. W. McNeilan of Fredericton...

Mrs. John H. Parks and the Misses...

Mrs. Walter E. Foster was hostess...

Mrs. R. E. Puddington and Miss...

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Robertson...

On Tuesday Mrs. J. Simeon Jones...

Mrs. Fred A. Peters was hostess...

Mrs. W. B. Howard entertained in...

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frink and little...

Mrs. James F. Robertson was hostess...

given this season, at her residence...

The second assembly dance was...

Mrs. Walter Holly was hostess at...

Mrs. William Downie was hostess...

Mrs. T. Escott Ryder entertained...

Mr. John W. McKean has issued...

DO NOT USE THE KNIFE.

ENLIGHTENMENT ON MARRIAGE AGE

Profes. Eugenics Explodes Popular Fallacy

What is the best age at which to...

These questions of world-wide interest...

Incidentally, Dr. Hoffman, who occupies...

Mr. Ralph Robertson left on Monday...

Mrs. Dorothy Purdy, Rothesay, is...

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frink and little...

Mrs. Brown and Miss Fraser, of...

TURKEY'S TREASURE A VERITABLE DREAM

Figures of Dead Sultans Glad in Jeweled Robes and a Throne Ablaze with Large Diamonds.

London, Dec. 27.—R. J. Turner, in an interesting article in The Academy...

"Here, in all conscience," says Mr. Turner...

"The most striking object that meets the eye...

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"That is a barbarous way of treating...

"Ranged around the room in cases is a long line...

"The scabbard of each warrior's scimitar...

"Still steadfastly outfanked by the black-coated brigade...

"Preceded and followed by the shuffling band...

"On the other hand, they are both still sufficiently pliant...

"The woman of a man's choice has no right...

"What is it?" demanded Hammerstein.

"It is a sylvan dell—a most charming landscape!"

"What do I want with a sylvan dell? Paint me a banker!"

THE REAL THING NECESSARY (T. P.'s Weekly).

SHE FRIGHTED WITH THE AGONY

'Fruit-a-Lives' Cured Her Kidneys

Mountain, Ont., Dec. 14th, 1911. "I desire to let the world know...

"Five different doctors attended me and all said it was Kidney Disease...

"I have gained over 20 pounds since taking Fruit-a-Lives..."

"Fruit-a-Lives" are sold by all dealers at 50c...

AN INDIAN FAREWELL. (Lady Gay in Saturday Night).

Here is the inscription on a tombstone at Port Simpson...

"When the federal police escort broke had to search the each room before...

"Following the day the raid the federal direction of the

You Get a New Complexion

Pimples Disappear by the Wonderful Effect of Calcium Sulphide Treatment on Every Kind of Skin Eruption.

You positively get rid of your pimples and skin eruptions by taking Stuart's Calcium Wafers.

Have a Matchless Complexion and Quickly Get Rid of All Pimples, Blackheads and Other Skin Eruptions.

They contain as their main ingredients such thorough, quick and effective blood cleanser...

Prove to yourself that Stuart's Calcium Wafers are beyond doubt the best and quickest blood and skin purifier...

Long Service and satisfaction are assured by your purchase of Stuart's Calcium Wafers...

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

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NEW SALES JUST AS

Dens Built After Strongly Agitations Sh

San Francisco, J. of the grassy, picture of former days, says Call, was worse than found in the Port by the federal of this week.

"It was thought town" was no more an "subcellar had a foundation for a town. Occasionally of "slave girls" and they caused, but g lieve that the old with the fire.

Perhaps a posse not have penetrated Chinatown before that even the police know of its depths that their secrets the fire of 1906. How there has been around a maze of doors secret pass doors illustrating Oriental mind as a suburban new city.

There are no str story brick building dow is covered with sides room before the cupants from send outside world. In would have been chance for escape. The rooms are but otherwise be a prisoner's case.

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AROUND THE CITY

Will Hold Banquet. Clan MacKenzie will celebrate the Robert Burns anniversary on Friday, 24th, by holding a banquet at Bond's restaurant, King street.

Lecture in St. Andrew's Church. Rev. Dr. Smith, of Fredericton, will lecture on "The Social Experiment of a Multi-Millionaire," in St. Andrew's Church lecture room, under the auspices of the Guild, Monday evening, Jan. 13th, at eight o'clock. Silver collection.

The Country Market. The following are the retail prices quoted in the country market for today: Turkey, 27 to 29c per lb; chickens, \$1 to \$2; fowl, 75c to \$1.50; ducks, \$2; geese, \$1.50 to \$1.75; beef, 12 to 20c; pork, 16 to 24c; ham, 12 to 18c; chops, 16 to 22c; veal, 10 to 16c; pork, 14 to 18c; vegetables remain at the usual prices.

Will Arrive Sunday. Count de Bury and de Bocarme, brother of Mrs. Daniel Mullin, is expected here on Sunday on the Allan liner Gramplan. The count has been spending a three month vacation travelling through Europe. He is military secretary to the lieutenant governor of Manitoba, and a major of the Canadian ordnance corps. At Winnipeg it is expected that he will spend some days in St. John before proceeding to the west.

Under Governor's Patronage. The drama "A Rose Among Thorns," to be given in the Opera House on Jan. 29 and 30 for the benefit of the new St. John's hospital, will be under the patronage of His Honor Lt. Gov. Wood. A letter to this effect has been received by the directors of the entertainment, and the play and the bright specialties give assurance of something exceptionally pleasing in amateur theatricals.

W. C. T. U. Annual Day of Prayer. The North End W. C. T. U. held their annual day of prayer yesterday. A very impressive programme was carried out, prayers being offered for the youth of the land, for the destruction of the liquor traffic and the welfare of the missionaries abroad. A resolution was passed endorsing the work of the Child Protective Society, and pledging the members of the union to do all in their power to assist it in carrying out its objects. The president, Mrs. James McAvity, occupied the chair, and there was a good attendance of members.

Pioneer Lodge Installation. Last evening in the Oddfellows' Hall Charlotte street, D. D. M. Codner installed the following officers of Pioneer Lodge No. 9, I. O. O. F.: W. E. Neve, N. G.; W. H. Esty, V. G.; J. A. Murdoch, R. S.; A. D. Smith, F. S.; D. B. Doer, T. W. E. Dickson, W.; R. J. Diblee, Con.; Chas. Fowler, Chap.; D. A. Sinclair, R. S. N. G.; P. L. Cunningham, L. S. N. G.; P. L. Jenkins, R. S. V. G.; J. W. Day, L. S. V. G.; H. V. McKinnon, R. S. S. S.; Chas. Doig, L. S. S.; Thos. McMaster, L. G.; F. H. Sinclair, O. G.

Lecture on Norway. On Wednesday afternoon next Mrs. John H. Thomson will deliver an illustrated lecture entitled "Some Impressions of a Recent Trip to Scandinavia." Last summer Mrs. Thomson travelled to Norway and Sweden, and in this lecture she will tell of her visit to these interesting countries. This is the first of a course of free lectures to be given in the Natural History museum under the auspices of the ladies' association of the Natural History Society. The public are cordially invited to attend these lectures which will be given on Thursday afternoons at 3.30 during January, February and March.

St. James' S. S. Treat. The children of the Sunday school of St. James' church held their annual reunion and treat in the school room last evening and the affair proved very pleasant. At six o'clock about 1200 children sat down to a tasty supper and in the evening a musical programme was given as follows: Chorus, "Christmas Tide"; recitation, Gladys Parlee; solo, Roy Parlee; chorus, "Newboys' Parade"; recitations, Elsie Keo, Winnifred Carrick; chorus, "The Loved Us"; recitation, Frank Keo; solo, Edgar Primer; motion song by six girls; recitations, Freda Carlous, Frank Keo and Ethel McKinley; address, J. C. Keo; recitation, R. J. Diblee; chorus, "Listen to the Merry Bells."

Pleased with Work in Progress Here. Thomas Robb, of Montreal Shipping Federation, in City Yesterday and Made Tour of Harbor Facilities.

Thomas Robb, of the Montreal Shipping Federation, was in the city yesterday, and made a tour of inspection of the harbor facilities on the West Side, and also went out to Courtenay Bay to look over the work in progress there. On the tour of inspection he was accompanied by H. C. Schfield, of the Robert Reford Company, and the shore captain of the company. Mr. Robb also called at City Hall and had a chat with the mayor about the developments in progress here.

After looking over the situation here Mr. Robb said he was much impressed with the extent and character of the port facilities already available, and was greatly surprised at the magnitude of the plans for the further development of facilities on the West Side and the conversion of Courtenay Bay into a shipping port. Mr. Robb also remarked upon the many evidences of progress and prosperity about the city, and predicted great things for the port in future. He left for Montreal last evening.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ST. JOHN BIBLE SOCIETY

Reports Submitted Show Work of Circulating Scriptures has been Vigorously Carried on During the Year--Eloquent Addresses Marked Anniversary Meeting.

Judge McKeown presided at the exercises, last evening, in Leinster street Baptist church to mark the 33rd anniversary of the founding of the St. John Bible Society branch. The attendance at the anniversary meeting was very large, and representative of the various Protestant denominations. The speakers of the evening included besides the chairman, Rev. Dr. MacVicar, of St. Andrew's church; Rev. Dr. Raymond, Rev. A. F. Newcomb, secretary of the Canadian Bible Society. The devotional portion of the meeting was conducted by Rev. Wellington Camp, and Rev. Wilfred Gault.

The meeting was principally retrospective in tone, the work of the past year being prominently put forth by the different speakers, and the almost unanimous opinion expressed with an urgent appeal for a continuance of the support given to the society in the past. The report of the secretary, A. A. Wilson, K. C. showed that a considerable amount of work had been accomplished. The feature of the St. John branch's activities was the work among the immigrants arriving at West St. John and passing through this port to other points. Over 25,000 copies of the Bible were distributed during the year among the newcomers. Over 3,000 families were visited in the interest of the work. The financial statement had not been received from all the sources, but many of the churches had increased their contributions to the Bible work. The booth which the society had at the exhibition, realized about \$100 from the sale of books. A large amount of literature was also distributed from the book.

The report was adopted on motion of Judge Forbes, who also moved that last year's executive be re-elected, which recommendation was also adopted. The president of the society, Hon. H. A. McKeown, in his address, dwelt upon the work which had been carried on during the past year. The society, he said, had a great history behind it. The branch has existed in this city nearly 100 years, and is only 15 years younger than the parent society, the British and Foreign Society. In the ninety odd years the St. John branch has been active and has done much work.

The central aim of the society has been, and is, the distribution of the Bible. Today the book has been distributed in 440 different languages and dialects through the Bible societies. The vitality of the Bible was the subject of the address delivered by Rev. Dr. MacVicar. In dealing with the subject, he showed the vitality of the Bible is demonstrated by the light of certain tests. Among these is the deceased and continuous circulation which it has enjoyed. While the circulation of the works of Dickens has reached between twenty-five and thirty millions, the Bible has reached, in the last year alone, seven and one-half millions. A more subtle test of the vitality is that of translation. Homer is thought to have been translated into about 100 tongues; Shakespeare into 33, John Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress into 31, while the Bible has gone into over 400.

The district secretary, Rev. A. F. Newcomb, reviewed at length the work which has been accomplished during the year. Through the influence of the work which the society is doing, he said, the Balkan regions which today are the cynosure of the eyes of the world. He referred to the opportunities which he before the society at this port, and the influence which, he said, the work could have on the future life of the country. The character of the nation twenty years from today will depend upon how it is moulded now when the country is passing through a period of transition. He made an appeal for his hearers to continue the contributions which have been made in the past. The first contribution which St. John made to the Bible Society was in 1821, the sum being \$210. Last year the contribution was about \$1,200. He asked that the work be carried on in the future as well as it had been in the past.

The last speaker of the meeting was Rev. Dr. Raymond who first gave an interesting account of the work and start of the organization, after which he dealt with the subjects as regards foreign fields. The choir of Leinster street church assisted in the musical service of the evening.

Small Increase in County Estimates. Municipal Finance Committee Made them up Yesterday--County May Establish Detention Home for Children. A lengthy session of the finance committee of the county council with Coun. Wm. Smith in the chair, was held yesterday afternoon when the estimates for the year were made up, and a delegation was heard in connection with the Child Protective Act. As passed by the committee, the estimates for the current year are a few thousand dollars more than last year. The assessment for the ordinary county purposes was increased about \$3,000. Dr. Thos. Walker who appeared before the committee on behalf of the commissioners of the public hospital, asked for \$36,000, and it was decided to recommend the council to appropriate this amount. The appropriation for last year for the hospital was \$37,200. The board of health asked for \$5,000, but it was said the board has a balance on hand, and it was decided to cut their appropriation to \$4,000. The Alms House commission asked for an increase over the appropriation of last year, and it was decided to recommend the granting of their estimate. A committee appointed by churches and other organizations and consisting of W. Frank Hatheway, Rev. R. A. Armstrong, Rev. H. E. Thomas, John Cummins, of the Salvation Army; A. M. Belding, Mrs. T. H. Bullock and Mrs. H. Lawrence appeared before the committee and urged that provision be made for giving effective aid to the Child Protective Act. It was said that the operation of the act and the maintenance of a detention home would entail an expenditure of about \$4,000 a year. The committee will make its report direct to the county council and it is expected that the report will be of a favorable nature.

PERSONAL. Mrs. A. J. Trueman and daughter, Miss Kathleen, are visiting in Montreal and Toronto where they will spend the winter. W. H. Thorne returned yesterday from Montreal. Manning W. Doherty returned from Toronto yesterday. A. W. Covay was a passenger on the incoming Pacific express yesterday afternoon. A. Gordon McIntyre, of Toronto, arrived in the city yesterday on the Montreal train. John McLean, of Fredericton, is on a visit to the city. Mothers, what is the use of worrying over making Children's Dresses when you can buy them at F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s at one-third less than what they were originally to be sold for. They have a lot of manufacturer's sample Dresses in 4, 5, 6, 12, 14 and 15 years which they will now offer to you at just the bare cost of the materials in them without anything added for the making. The dresses are made in the best styles that were produced by one of the big manufacturers and certainly display culture and good taste in their design.

"TEXAS BILL" BACK IN CITY

Former North End Man Well Known as Circus Performer and Rider.

His Career, as He Tells It, Reads Like Life Story of Popular Priced Fiction Hero.

After travelling for twenty years, visiting all parts of Europe and the American continent, and even penetrating into the wilds of Africa, during which time he encountered many dangers, and made many daring and famous rides, William Baird, better known as "Texas Bill," who claims to be a famous circus cowboy rider, has arrived in St. John and is renewing old acquaintances in his native "Texas." "Bill" was formerly a resident of Adelaide street, but in 1893 he left to seek his fortune in the United States. He went to Boston, later joining the Buffalo Bill show, and then began his interesting and notable career. He travelled for three years with the circus and became one of the main attractions in the arena with his thrilling cowboy act. He then went ranching in Texas, and then located in San Antonio. He travelled for a number of years with his own act, working his way from Trenton to Texas. He was later with the circus and was associated with "Colin Cummings in the Kennedy and Cummings act. He then joined the Two Bill show which he remained until last year. "Texas" claims the distinction of riding from Prince to Chicago on horseback. Starting from Prince without a "red copper," he travelled the whole distance on saddle. When about half way his horse became exhausted and he says he was obliged to shoot it and proceed with another. He crossed the great Pueblo and San Fe trails and claims to be familiar with every mark and trail across the Rockies. Accompanying "Texas Bill" is his wife who has travelled with him in many shows. Bill will leave this morning on the Boston train. He was looking over the opportunity for opening a novelty house in this city and if necessary arrangements can be made he will return in a week. "If not," said "Texas," "we will be in two weeks time leave for Savannah."

WAS AMONG FIRST INTERPORT MEN. F. W. Bowden Left Last Evening for Montreal to Accept Higher Position - Was Highly Esteemed.

With the departure yesterday afternoon of F. W. Bowden, who was superintendent of the Laurentide Paper Co. here, for Montreal where he has accepted a higher position with the company, the West Side loses one of its most highly respected and esteemed citizens, who during his career has made a large circle of friends and while all congratulate him on his promotion, his loss will be keenly felt. Mr. Bowden has the honor of being one of the pioneer interport men and was working at Sand Point when the first winter port steamer, the Lake Superior, of the old Beaver Line, steamed up the harbor. Since that time, day, no more than 18 years ago, Mr. Bowden has been steadily engaged in forwarding the business of his company and has met with merited success, resulting in his receiving promotion to a position of higher responsibility in the service of his company. The increase of Mr. Bowden for Montreal, the number of men now living in St. John who were employed in the winter port service at the time of his departure, has been reduced to four. These are Police Officer Wm. Lee of the West Side division; William Doherty and Charles Pidgeon, both of whom are in the custom service; and John Duffie, wharfinger for the C. P. R.

Word was received in the city last evening of the death of Mrs. Seely, at the Central Hotel, Sussex, yesterday, after undergoing a minor operation. The late Mrs. Seely was a daughter of John Scott and lived at Markhamville, Kings county. She is survived by a husband and several children.

U. N. B. Alumni. A meeting of the Alumni Association of the U. N. B. was held here yesterday at which the finances of the university were discussed and it was decided to ask the local government for greater financial support. The other matters dealt with were of a routine nature. Last evening the members of the association were entertained by Dr. Walker at his residence on Princess street.

Canned Salmon Made Them Ill. While eating their lunches yesterday at the depot, a girl employed by Ham's biscuit factory suddenly became seriously ill. One of the girls had procured a can of salmon in a nearby store and was sharing it with the other girls. They had eaten but a small quantity when they became weak and fell unconscious to the floor. Dr. Pratt was summoned and after rendering medical aid, ordered the girls to be removed to their homes.

Today's Matinee at 2.30. The Nellie Gill Players will present "Paid in Full" at the Opera House at 2.30 p.m. and also this evening. The matinee prices are 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children.

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Early Hints Regarding the New Spring Dress Goods

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