

THE HOUSE SPENT A BILL FOR THE SAFE CARRYING OF GRAIN

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EXHIBITION GRANTS UNDER DISCUSSION.

Hon. Mr. Murray Says Better Farming Special Will Go Over I. C. R.—Hospital Bill Passed Amended.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, March 13.—More than half of the supply items were passed today by legislature and supply is the order of the day for Monday evening when the house will resume. There was a general discussion on the various items today, the grants to exhibitions and the moving picture censorship coming in for most of the attention while the improvement of the live stock situation was another much talked of subject.

The house met at 3.35. Mr. Baxter presented the petition in favor of a bill to vest the property and trusts of the various corporations, and to dissolve the New Brunswick Hall Company.

Hon. Mr. Murray introduced a bill to incorporate the Barnaby River Boom Company.

Hon. Mr. Fleming introduced a bill to confirm a grant of crown lands.

Hon. Mr. Murray presented the annual report of the Agricultural Department.

The house went into committee of supply.

On the item of \$4,500 for dairy school, Mr. Shipp inquired what the province got from the expenditure.

Hon. Dr. Landry said it was practically a revote from last year. The dairy school building at Sussex was in a very dilapidated and unsanitary condition, and scarcely fit for use, and the department had determined to put concrete floors and concrete foundations in the school.

Only \$557 was spent last year and that was largely on equipment, and the vote this year was intended to complete the structural alterations.

Hon. Mr. Fleming added that money was voted last year for repairs, but had not been spent.

On the item of \$4,000 for the encouragement of stock raising, Mr. Black asked how the money was to be laid out, as he noticed it was greatly in excess of the amount spent last year.

Hon. Dr. Landry said that it was intended this year to make another importation of stock. Last year they had not imported any stock from abroad, but they had put up with farmers who had stock for sale and would conform to certain conditions.

Hon. Dr. Landry said the Dominion grant was for agricultural purposes and all items which were not charged to that fund would be so as to leave as much additional money as possible for other purposes. Never in the history of the province had the cattle industry been in such a serious condition as at the present time.

Owing to the reduction of the American tariff and the great demand for cattle, the province is being rapidly depleted of all its young stock. Forty odd carloads having been shipped away from Westmorland County alone within the last week or two.

He would rather see more money devoted to the encouragement of stock raising than almost anything else, even if it had to be taken from the grants to exhibition, for if things continued much longer as they are at present, very soon there would be no cattle in the province to exhibit.

On the item of \$7,000 for exhibitions, Hon. Mr. Fleming pointed out that \$1,000 had been spent last year for farmers in statistics and education work.

The better farming special train was found to be a more successful and effective method of making instructions to the people than the old methods. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company had made the better farming special possible without the cost to the province for the work and service performed by the railway, and were entitled to every credit therefor. This year the special would go over the C. P. line.

Hon. Mr. Murray said that it was the intention to have the better farming special run over the branch lines on which satisfactory arrangements could be made. Districts which the train could not reach would be visited by experts from the department to carry on educational work.

Mr. Shipp said he did not think that agriculturists were deriving much advantage from the money granted to some of the big exhibitions. This was true particularly of the St. John exhibition, where there was not much of an agricultural show given, the exhibition being devoted largely to a show of exhibits of machinery and goods from the commercial houses and the stores.

Hon. Mr. Wilson said that the St. John exhibition was the best agricultural show in the country.

Mr. Tilley said that the St. John exhibition was the big exhibition of the province, the one that counted for something. It helped to advertise the province, and he felt sure that the committee would not withhold the grant which was now given every second year to the St. John exhibition.

Hon. Mr. Wilson said that agriculturists who should know more about it than the honorable member for Queens had stated publicly, and had been quoted in newspaper interviews, to the effect that the agricultural show Mrs. Blanche, reside in St. John.

ENGINEER SHOT DEAD BY BANDIT

Two Deputies and Woman Wounded in Attempted Hold-up.

BANDIT IN CAR FIRES ON OFFICERS.

Driver of Freight Tried to Show Robbers Danger of Collision and Was Shot.

Perion, Ill., Mich., March 13.—Two men were killed and two deputy sheriffs and a woman wounded as the result of an attempted hold-up of a Chicago and Northwestern freight train at Manlius, Ill., 45 miles north of here, today.

Arthur Fisher, of Pekin, Ill., engineer of the freight train was shot dead by one of the bandits and an unidentified robber was slain in a battle with the sheriff's posse.

The wounded deputies are: Leslie Byers, son of Sheriff Byers, of Princeton, and Bert Skrogland, also of Princeton. Mrs. Wright, wife of the station agent at Manlius, was struck by a stray bullet but is not believed to be seriously wounded.

The trainmen declare they found four men unloading merchandise from one of the cars when the train stopped at Manlius. One of the men opened fire on the conductor while the others ran to the engine and ordered Engineer Fisher to proceed with the train.

He tried to explain that there would be danger of a collision and one of the bandits shot him dead.

The engine and the fourth, who had been holding off the crew, fled south in the direction of Langley.

Sheriff Byers and his two deputies started in pursuit, finally locating the bandits in a car near Langley. The men opened fire on the officers, wounding both deputies. They then fled to a cornfield, where they were later surrounded by Sheriff Byers and farmers.

In an exchange of shots, one of the robbers fell shot through the abdomen. Two then surrendered and the third made his escape to Chillicothe, Illinois, where he was later arrested.

The woman bandit was hurried to a hospital but died within a few hours.

The robbers are said to be Mexicans and are believed to have worked recently on railroad construction work near Langley.

at the St. John exhibition was second to none in the country.

Mr. Woods said there might be some grounds for his colleagues' complaints but some kind of an attraction is needed to bring the people to the exhibition, and if the farmers didn't take advantage of the good they might receive from attending these exhibitions, it was their own fault.

The small attendance at the fruit show in St. John was a most regrettable thing and it would have been a good idea if a brass band had been hired to attract the crowds there. This grant was much in order.

Hon. Mr. Fleming said he attended some of the exhibitions held in the province last year, and received reports as to the others, and from what he could learn they were all of a very high character, but the question of the province should not be used for prize money to go to exhibitors from outside the province, and exhibition managers should not tolerate other grounds false exhibits or operations by fakers who beset the public. In one case last year, the honorable minister of agriculture had himself found it necessary to stop the operation of one of these takers on the grounds of one of the shows receiving generous assistance from the provincial treasury.

Amend Factory Inspector Act. Mr. Baxter said the recent St. John show had drawn attention to the fact that the inspector had the power to order the erection of a fire escape outside the building, but not to order such structural alterations inside the building as to provide easy access to the fire escape.

Hon. Mr. Fleming said that the government expected to bring down legislation this session to amend the act, and provision would also probably be made for granting temporary licenses to engineers, as it sometimes happened that, in consequence, was caused to employers and hardship to the men by the inability of the latter to attend before the examiners and obtain their license in regular form.

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CARRIE FREEZE, I. C. R. ENGINEER DIED AT MONCTON. Moncton, Mar. 13.—Carrie Freeze, well known locomotive engineer, died at his home here this evening, aged fifty-one years. Deceased was native of Pennsylvania and had been on the I. C. R. twenty-eight years. He is survived by widow, one son, one daughter, a son-in-law, Robert Freeze and a sister.

Hon. Mr. Foster to Introduce Legislation Providing for Safe Transit to Seaboard and European Markets—Will Give Canadian Grades From West Protection.

Ottawa, Mar. 13.—At the opening of parliament today Sir Wilfrid asked that a day be set apart for discussion on the report on the National Transcontinental Railway. He suggested Tuesday next. Premier Borden replied that he would consult with Hon. Dr. Reid, acting Minister of Railways, and let Sir Wilfrid know later.

Parliament went into supply on Tuesday afternoon. The hon. member for the West in an intelligent carrying out of a great system of co-operation. We have now co-operative grain companies and co-operative elevators. I believe that the co-operative systems will go both in the West and in all parts of Canada, and through it I see the solution of some of the problems of the high cost of living.

"The hon. gentleman is very intelligent and has made his own conclusions," said Sir Foster in reply. "I intend to introduce legislation this session," said the minister "giving power to guarantee the safe carrying of grades of grain to the seaboard and thence through to the European markets."

"This will assure the protection of Canadian grades from the West through to Liverpool, which in the past we have not had. My hope for the West is in an intelligent carrying out of a great system of co-operation. We have now co-operative grain companies and co-operative elevators. I believe that the co-operative systems will go both in the West and in all parts of Canada, and through it I see the solution of some of the problems of the high cost of living."

COUNCIL OF WOMEN GOOD YEAR

First Session of Annual Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon—Reports Received—Elect Officers.

The annual meeting of the Local Council of Women was held in the assembly hall of the High School yesterday afternoon when reports for the year were read and interesting information given on the work of the various societies affiliated with the council.

All pointed to a most successful term and the officers of the Local Council were highly pleased with the work of the various societies.

The meeting was opened at four o'clock with the president, Mrs. T. H. Bullock, in the chair and a little time was allowed for discussion, as the receiving of reports practically occupied the whole of the afternoon's session.

The reports of the various societies were read and the following: President, Mrs. T. H. Bullock; vice-president, Mesdames H. Lawrence, J. V. Bullock, J. B. Prink, Richard O'Brien, H. A. Powell and Miss Leavitt; treasurer, Miss Alice E. Estey; corresponding secretary, Miss Maud Crisp; recording secretary, Miss Nellie B. Keith; Mrs. T. H. Bullock was elected a life member of the society.

Reports. The report of the committee of equal and moral standing was read by Mrs. Patterson, who gave a very startling fact touching on the moral conditions in the city. A report on citizenship was read by Miss Grace Murphy, and Mrs. C. F. Woodman read a paper on mental deficiency in the city. A report of the work of the committee on laws was given by Mrs. H. Lawrence.

The financial report submitted by the treasurer, Miss Alice E. Estey, showed the financial standing of the society to be sound with a balance on hand of \$16.10. Total receipts for the year were \$208.51 and the yearly disbursements were \$192.41. A very satisfactory report was received from Miss Nellie B. Keith.

Mrs. W. C. Matthew reported for the free kindergarten committee, speaking of the good being done in the city along this line.

Mrs. Warlock reported on the Playgrounds Association, and spoke of the additional playgrounds that had been equipped during the year. The report on the work of St. Monica's Society was read by Marion Hogan, who made special mention of the charitable work and the good being done in the work of the Victorian Evening Club.

A report on the work of the Y. M. C. A. was read by Mrs. George F. Smith. Mrs. Murray reported on the work of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. Mrs. Dr. Matthew read a report on the work of the Natural History Society. The S. P. C. report was reported on by Miss Lillian Haasen, and the W. C. T. U. by Mrs. C. F. Woodman. The Seaman's Mission report was submitted by Mrs. West and the Associated Charities by Miss Grace Robertson. The report of the High School Alumnae was reported on by Miss Grace Magee and Miss B. Carleton reported on the St. Vincent's Alumnae.

It was stated that the exhibition committee had interviewed the officers of the exhibition and had been promised more space for their exhibit this year.

GOLD WATCHES FOR CAPT. MACKINNON

Digby, N. S., Mar. 13.—An Ottawa despatch says that the Minister of Marine has authorized the presentation of gold watches, suitably inscribed, to the Captains Mackinnon of the steamers Westport and John L. Cann for bravery in rescuing the crews of the wrecked steamer Robert Thorne and a steamer.

WOMAN CONFESSES TO KILLING HUSBAND

Shot Him by Mistake, She Claimed—Man Held for the Murder Given His Liberty.

Chicago, March 13.—George Penrose, who was on trial with Mrs. Louis Vankuren, charged with killing the woman's husband last June, received his freedom today after Mrs. Vankuren had confessed that she shot and killed her husband. Vankuren, she said had broken down the door to her apartment and she shot without knowing who was attempting to get in the rooms.

The state rested its case after the confession had been read and the court took Penrose's case from the jury and gave him his liberty.

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SIGNAL SERVICE BULLETIN.

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St. John, March 12, 10 a. m.—

Cape Race, 720—Cloudy, light east.

1 a. m. Empress of Britain 260 miles south, inward, 1 a. m. Royal George 89 miles east, outward, March 12th.

8.35 p. m. Kurak abeam, inward.

Sable Island, 390—Cloudy, moderate northeast, 6.40 a. m. Maxman 120 miles southeast, bound Portland, 5 a. m. Morwenna 60 miles northeast, bound Halifax, March 12th, 8.15 p. m. Alania 150 miles east, bound Halifax.

Halifax, 267—Clear, southeast. Sailed March 12th, Rappanhanock, 6 p. m.

Cape Sable, 138—Clear, moderate north.

Brier Island, 61—Fair, light south.

Point Lepreau, 22—Cloudy, light northeast.

Partridge Island—Cloudy, light northeast.

2 p. m.—

Cape Race, 720—Cloudy, light east, 9.20 a. m. Canada 310 miles east, bound Portland.

Sable Island, 390—Clear, moderate northeast, 8 a. m. Alania abeam, bound Halifax.

Halifax, 267—Clear, light east. Aurora arrived at 11.10 a. m. Chignecto sailed at 8.25 a. m.

Cape Sable, 138—Clear, moderate northwest.

Brier Island, 61—Fine, moderate northwest. Tow boat inward at 11 a. m.

Point Lepreau, 22—Cloudy, light south, C. G. S. Lanedowne inward at 2.20 p. m.

Partridge Island—Snowing, light southeast.

STEAMER DAMAGED

Boston, Mar. 12—Steamer Dominco de Larrinaga (Br) was shifted this afternoon from National Dock, East Boston, to pier 2, New Haven pier, South Boston; the cargo will be discharged from the No. 1 lower hold in order that tanks in that compartment can be thoroughly examined; it is found that the damage is not too serious the steamer will be towed around to New York without disturbing any more of the cargo destined for that port; the damage to the vessel's bottom, particularly under the Nos. 1 and 4 holds, is thought to be heavy.

CARGO TOTAL LOSS

Philadelphia, Mar. 12—A cablegram dated March 10 received from steamer Virginia in Guantanamo Bay (Cuba) by agents of steamer Cecil (Nor) states that steamer Cecil is stranded on Martiguana Island (Bahama Islands); vessel and cargo will be a total loss; the Cecil steamed from Norfolk February 23 for Colon with a cargo of coal.

STEAMER ASHORE

Baltimore, Mar. 12—Steamer Wadon (Br), hence for Buenos Ayres, is ashore in Curtis Bay.

POSTED MISSING

Ship Invernon (Br), from Callao October 4 for Portland, O., has been posted at Lloyd's as missing.

A NEW SHIP

The steamer Batsford, which will load at St. John for New Zealand and Australia, was completed by her builder, J. L. Thompson, at Sunderland, on February 5. Her trial trip took place on the 20th. On the following day she started on her voyage across the Atlantic to Liverpool, coming along at an average speed, making about 25 knots per day. By the 25th the ship encountered strong westerly winds, which reduced her speed down to 160 knots per day. The wind moderating slightly, her speed gradually increased up to 213 knots per day. On March 1st the ship encountered a dense field of Gulf Ice, at nine a. m., lat. 48 degrees N., 46 2/4 degrees W. She steamed through this heavy ice until it was midnight, when the captain and officers concluded that it was too dangerous to proceed, stopping the engines until 6.15 a. m., March

2nd. Turning the ship around, proceeded to back her over the same course in order to work out of the ice. She continued running through ice until she reached Louisburg on March 6. Her dimensions are: Length, 404 feet; beam, fifty-four feet; depth, twenty-eight feet six one-half inches; gross tonnage, 4,732 tons; net tonnage, 2,906.

Her type is on a channel deep frame principle, single deck, with complete shelter deck, large hatches, suitable for general cargo, telescope topmasts, double bottom, carrying 1,833 tons water ballast, triple expansion engines, developing 2,100 indicating horse power. She can be converted to oil fuel in seven minutes. The oil is carried in No. 2, 3 and 4 ballast tanks, total capacity 639 tons. Lighted by electric lights, and for an emergency she is equipped with acetylene portable lighting plants, stored aft in a separate compartment. The ship's living quarters for the captain, officers and crew are specially and comfortably arranged. On the voyage out the ship proved an excellent sea boat. The ship's officers are Captain J. Wiseman; R. P. Spoor, first officer; J. McCoschie, second officer; J. Seanes, third officer; Mr. McIntosh, guarantee man, chief engineer; J. Schofield, second engineer; W. Banks, third engineer; Mr. Hines, fourth engineer. The ship will proceed to Halifax and enter the dock there to make repairs to hull and propeller, which were damaged by ice.

STEAMER EXPORTS

C. P. R. steamer Empress of Britain bound from Liverpool to Halifax, was 260 miles south of Cape Race at one a. m. yesterday.

Royal Line steamer Royal George bound from St. John to Avonmouth, was eighty-nine miles east of Cape Race at one a. m. yesterday.

Steamer Kurak, on March 12, at 8.30 p. m. was abeam of Cape Race, bound inward.

Steamer Maxman was 120 miles southwest of Sable Island at 6.40 a. m. yesterday bound to Portland, Me.

Steamer Morwenna was 60 miles west of Sable Island at 8.15 p. m. yesterday bound to Halifax.

Steamer Alania was 150 miles east of Sable Island March 12 at 8.25 bound to Halifax.

Steamer Kanawha was 125 miles east of Sable Island on March 12, at 11.30 a. m. bound to Halifax.

Furness Line steamer Rappanhanock sailed from Halifax March 12 at six p. m. for London.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

Arrived Friday, March 13th, 1914. Stmr Hochelaga, 2,601, Tudor, Louisburg, R. P. & W. F. Starr, coal and oil. Coastwise—stmr Westport III, 55, Lewis, Westport and oil.

Cleared Coastwise Stmr Connors Bros. Warlock, Chance Harbor.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

Louisburg, Mar. 11—Sld stmr's Kendal Castle, Halifax; Coban St. John's, N. B.; Henry H Chamberlain, St. John, N. B. for New York.

Matanzas, Feb. 28—Ard stmr Luristan, New York (and sailed March 1 for Calbarfen).

CHEAP FARE EXCURSIONS TO CANADIAN WEST.

Every Wednesday until October 25th, the Intercolonial Railway will sell second class round trip tickets to Winnipeg, Brandon, Edmonton, Saskatoon and Calgary. These are good for return two months from date of issue, and are a special inducement for those wishing a cheap trip to the west.

I. C. R. ticket agent will furnish full particulars.

Rev. Edwin Crowell, editor of the Maritime Baptist, will preach at Main street United Baptist church, Sussex, on Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Edward E. Brury, Boston for St. John, N. B.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Matanzas, Mar. 7—Sld schr Conrad S. Jacksonville.

Perth Amboy, Mar. 11—Ard schr James William, Getson, New York.

Hyannis, Mar. 11—Ard and sld schr Edward E. Brury, Boston for St. John, N. B.

ASTARTE, ROCKLAND; EASTINGTON, ST. JOHN'S, N.B.; CAPOUNA, PORTLAND; LOUISBURG, HALIFAX; CAPE BRETON, HALIFAX; CABOT, HALIFAX.

Louisburg, Mar. 11—Ard stmr Lingan, New York, will load cargo for Boston.

Parraboro, March 13.—The schooner Lynn, Capt. Newcombe, from St. John which was adrift in the ice, reached Fowler's Head, near Spencer's Island, and arrived here today. The tug Hilma from Digby for Hantsport, put in here last Saturday for a harbor and she sailed for Hantsport on Monday but had to put back and sailed again yesterday and reached her destination.

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Mar. 21, Man. Importer, April 11.

Mar. 28, Man. Spinner, X, April 13.

April 4, Man. Corporation, April 25.

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FUNERALS.
Mrs. Elizabeth Thurrott.
At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Thurrott took place from her late residence, Clifton street, Lancaster, to St. Jude's church, where funeral services were conducted by Rev. G. F. Scovill. Interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

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Deeds that Won The Empire

(Continued from last Saturday)

"Such a gallant line," says Napier, "being from amid the smoke, and rapidly separating itself from the confused and broken masses that started the enemy's masses, which were retreating and pressing forward as to assured victory; they wavered, hesitated, and then, vomiting forth a storm of fire, hastily endeavored to strike their front, while the fearful discharge of raps from all their artillery whistled through the British ranks. Myers was killed, Cole and the three colonels—Ellis, Blackney, and Hawshaw—fell wounded, and the three battalions, struck by the iron tempest, reeled and staggered like sinking ships. Suddenly and sternly recovering, they closed on their terrible enemies, and then was seen with what strength and majesty the British fought. In vain did they, by voice and gesture, stimulate the Frenchmen; in vain did the hardest veterans break from the crowded columns and sacrifice their lives to gain the fair field; in vain did the mass itself bear up, and, fiercely striving, fire indiscriminately on friends and foes, while the horse columns in front, the flanks, threatened to charge the advancing line.

"Nothing could stop that astonishing infantry. No sudden burst of disciplined valour, no nervous enthusiasm weakened the stability of their order; their flashing eyes were not on the dark columns in front, their measured tread shook the ground, their dreadful volleys swept away the head of every formation, their deafening shouts overpowered the discordant cries that broke all parts of the tumultuous crowd as slowly and with a horrid carnage it was driven by the incessant vigor of the attack to the farthest edge of the hill. In vain did the French reserves mix with the struggling multitude to sustain the fight; their efforts only increased the irremediable confusion, and the mighty mass, breaking off like a loosened cliff, went headlong down the ascent. The French army, in a moment, lay in a heap of blood, and 1800 unwounded men, the remnant of 6000 unconquerable British soldiers, stood triumphant on the fatal hill.

The battle of Albuera lasted four hours; its slaughter was dreadful.

Within the space of a few hundred feet square were strewn some 1000 bodies, and over this Albuera the artillery had galloped, the cavalry had charged! The 3rd Buffs went into the fight with 24 officers and 750 men and fell at the roll-call, next morning there were only 5 officers and 35 men. One company of the Royal Fusiliers came out of the fight commanded by a corporal; every officer and sergeant had been killed. Albuera is essentially a soldier's fight. The bayonet of the private, not the brain of the general, won it; and never was the fighting quality of our race more brilliantly shown. Scott summed up the battle in words that deserve to be memorable: "There is no beating those troops," he wrote, "in spite of their generalship." "I always thought, boys, but soldiers," he said, with a Frenchman's love of paradox; "now I am sure of it. For I turned their right, pierced their centre, and they were routed. There the day was mine, and yet they did not know it, and would not run!"

THE "SHANNON" AND THE "CHESAPEAKE."

"The signal to engage shall be a whistle and a baton in words that are all but firm, like me. And conquest soon will follow!"

Thus, thus, boys, but soldiers, steady, Till right ahead you see the land— Then soon as you are ready, The signal to engage shall be a whistle and a baton in words that are all but firm, like me. And conquest soon will follow!"

—C. Dibdin.

On the early morning of June 1, 1813, a solitary British frigate, H.M.S. Shannon, was cruising within sight of Boston Light-house. She was a ship of about 1000 tons, and bore every mark of long and hard service. No gleam of color appeared about her. Her sides were rusty, her sails weathered and stained; a solitary flag flew from her mizen-mast, and even its blue had been bleached by sun and rain and wind to a dingy grey. A less romantic and more severely practical ship did not float, and her captain was of the same type as the ship.

The captain's name was Vere Brooke, an Englishman pur sang, and of a type happily not uncommon. His

News of The Churches

PRESBYTERIAN

The total membership roll of 4,574 shows a net gain of 461. The contributions for congregational purposes in 1913 marked an increase of 15 per cent over 1912, while the contributions for missionary and benevolent purposes increased by 36 per cent.

Presbytery of St. John.

The date of the quarterly meeting of the Presbytery of St. John synchronizes with the date of the commemoration of the good deeds of the patron saint of Ireland. It is usually the most important meeting of the year. Reports from standing committees upon the several departments of the life and work of the church will be considered for discussion and adoption. New officers and committees of presbytery will be chosen. Important matters relating to the college will be considered, and the nomination of a professor for the chair of Church History and Practical Theology, and action with regard to the proposed extension of the college residences. Commencement of the annual assembly will be elected and nomination will be made for the moderatorship of assembly. There will be some consideration of the status of assistant ministers and the general budget for 1914.

BAPTIST

Among the temperance people of this province we believe that none are more loyal and energetic than those of our Baptist churches in different places. Here and there, it is possible there are a few voters of the Baptist persuasion who are not in favor of the prohibition of the bar, and prohibition. They have a right to their private judgment, and so long as they can square themselves with their consciences, we have no objection to the questions of Church and communities in which they live. It is neither our desire nor obligation to condemn the thought of those who are giving their influence to the other side of the question.

Rev. A. C. Berrie, who lately resigned the Woodstock Baptist church, is at present assisting Rev. N. Heroman, pastor of Immanuel Baptist church, Truro, in special services. About 45 have decided for Christ. Mr. Berrie is a man of splendid intellectual training, an excellent preacher and a good pastor. Any church would do well to get him.

Rev. A. J. Vincent, who preached in Brussels street last Sunday, is an excellent minister. He has held several successful pastorates.

Says the Watchman-Examiner: "Winning souls is the chief work of the pastor. But there is much service of another sort that is quite as important, and that is in training and inspiring the young for lives of service. A conspicuous instance of success in both lines of service is found in the twelve years Rev. George R. Baker has served as pastor of the Baptist church, Massachusetts. It is a church composed largely of working people. Before he became pastor, so far as is known, no number of the church or congregation had ever gone to college, and only eight to Normal school and one to a technical school. In the twelve years he has been pastor forty-seven have taken courses of higher education, twelve going to college, twenty-five to Normal school and four to technical schools. Of this number three have entered the ministry of the Gospel, three have become foreign missionaries, and one a home missionary. The church has also furnished, or is about to furnish, wives for two foreign missionaries and wives for several pastors.

Rev. Mr. Baker is the son of Mr. C. P. Baker, a well known business man of Fairville.

Rev. A. T. Dykeman, who lately resigned the West End Baptist church, Halifax, has accepted a call to Glace Bay, Cape Breton.

Nearly all the Baptist pastors of the city are in special meetings. Splendid results are attending these efforts.

AUTOMOBILE SHOW TO BE BIG SUCCESS

New Army Presents Brilliant Scene - Wide Range of Fine Cars on Exhibition.

The new Army will be the scene of St. John's second annual motor show, which will be opened to the public on Monday. The show will be under the auspices of the New Brunswick Automobile Association, and judging from the interest already displayed its success is assured.

The new Army, which has just been completed, should prove a big attraction for this is the first time it has been available to the general public. Many will, no doubt, visit the big building with the idea of seeing the interior of this fine structure as well as viewing the cars and other features.

Arrangements have been made for a fine musical programme, and a splendid selection of musical numbers will be given each evening.

The local dealers have been making preparations for the show for several months, and it is predicted their exhibits will be among the finest shown at any exhibition in eastern Canada. Much space has been reserved by the local agents, and every effort will be made to interest visitors to the show.

The Exhibits.

The Empire Garage and Supply Company will display the Lozier, with its special cloth timing gear. The Maritime Motor Car Co. will have a splendid exhibit of Cadillac, Paige and the Oldsmobile. The Cadillac is specializing in a new type electric equipment, which combines lighting, ignition and engine starting. The Paige and Oldsmobile are well known to local people.

The Motor Car and Equipment Co., Ltd., has the White, Hudson and Hupmobile. These cars represent the last word in motor car construction. J. A. Pursey & Co. has for the edification of visitors to the show, some fine specimens of Willy's Utility Trucks and Overland cars. The Overland has been a popular car in the Maritime Provinces, and its increased wheel base this year will make it more desirable than ever.

The Maritime Motor Car Co. will have a prominent place in the show and its efforts to display its goods will, no doubt, secure the approval of the visitors. The thorough business vehicles such as supplied to the Dominion Express Co. and the Canadian Pacific Railway will be featured in the show.

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Set-up of big things our great cause has produced. He expects, also, to host a second campaign in Canada, to begin next September, for E. Tompkins Smith, the talented English temperance orator, and fighter in many local option battles—in Great Britain, Canada, the States, South Africa, New Zealand, and Australia.

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CAMPAIGN IN THE INTEREST OF TEMPERANCE

H. J. Osborn, J. P., a prominent English journalist, speaker and organizer, is on a short third visit to the Dominion, on personal business, but he also represents numerous leading English newspapers, as editorial correspondent, and is to speak for temperance and social reform interests.

Hamar Greenwood, the brilliant Canadian member of the British parliament, says H. J. Osborn is "one of the few Liberals who have travelled widely, and benefited by their travels," while Rowland Whitehead, M. P. and a leading King's counsel, vouches for his "forceful oratory." A leading good temper, he is especially vouchsafed by Joseph Staines, the veteran world leader, and by Tom Honeyman, International secretary; and was endorsed by the late Frances Willard as "the most successful set-



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The Latest News and Comment From the World of Finance

GOLD MOVEMENT TO ARGENTINE

Suffering from Curtailment of Banking Credit, Forced to Borrow Gold to Relieve Stringency.

London, March 13.—Gold is leaving the Bank of England for the Argentine. A total of \$2,000,000 was engaged at Threadneedle Street yesterday and another large shipment will be made next week.

REPORTS FROM THE WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, March 13.—Wheat—Lower Liverpool cables made an easier tone early, but it was apparent from the sentiment among certain interests as the wheat was quickly absorbed, and the loss reached. Our foreign news is bullish but has not been given to the trade yet.

CANNING COMPANY IN LIQUIDATION

Windsor, Ont., Mar. 13.—Sheriff D. Avignon has been appointed liquidator of the estate of the Morand Canning Company's factories at Cottam and McGregor, which concerns have made an assignment to the sheriff and are winding up their business.

SUBSIDY FOR N.Y. BERMUDA SERVICE

Montreal, March 13.—According to an official report of United States consul Green of Hamilton, Bermuda, the legislature of the New York Steamship Act whereby \$160,000 per annum has been granted to Canada Steamship Lines to operate a first-class passenger service between New York and Bermuda.

FIRST BLOCK OF SHAWINIGAN ISSUE

Changed Hands Yesterday Morning at 11 1/2, a Little Below Nominal Price Figure on.

Montreal, March 13.—The first block of Shawinigan Power rights of the new issue changed hands this morning at 1 1/4. This is slightly under the nominal price figured on as indicated in the prospectus.

WOULD BE WELCOME NEWS TO EVERYONE

Montreal, March 13.—The news that legislation is in prospect at Ottawa having for its purpose cheap agricultural credits will give much satisfaction to people who have given thought to the desirability of steps in that direction.

UNDERWRITERS HAVE SIXTY-EIGHT P.C.

London, Mar. 13.—The Canadian Press understands that sixty-eight per cent of the Vancouver four one-half per cent loan at ninety-eight one-half has been left with the underwriters. The city's last loan in October last was at ninety-five, when the underwriters shouldered exactly the same amount as on the present occasion.

RANDOLPH'S CLOSING STOCK LETTER

New York, Mar. 13.—There was a relapse into utter dullness in the early afternoon but stocks held and in conservative quarters it was predicted that after a little rest and possibly a slight reaction the upward movement would be resumed.

WALL STREET TAKES A SUDDEN SPURT

Unexpected Turn For the Better Gave Trade Temporary Boom.

STOCKS ADVANCE ONLY A POINT.

Movement Was Brief and Market Relapsed Into Former Apathetic State After an Hour.

New York, March 13.—An unexpected turn for the better came in the stock market today after an indifferent opening. Trading became broad and active and the principal stocks were lifted a point or more.

THIRTEENTH NO HOODOO AFTER ALL

Montreal, March 13.—If Friday, the thirteenth, keeps on behaving market-wise as it did today and a month ago the superstitions will shake on the grip the combination of date and day has on their imagination.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Table with columns for Wheat, Corn, Oats, and Pork, showing prices and changes.

TO HAVE SURVEY AT HUDSON BAY

Ungava Mines Company Decide to Send Expedition to Have Survey Made.

Montreal, Mar. 13.—At a meeting of the shareholders of the Ungava Mines and Traders Limited, held at the Windsor Hotel last night, it was decided to finance an expedition to Hudson Bay to have the company's lands surveyed and patented by a Dominion land surveyor.

EXPERTS LOOKING OVER OIL DISTRICT

London, March 13.—H. Blake, of Canadian Standard Oil Company, Montreal, and scores of leading oil men and the United States are in the oil springs district investigating the great gusher with a view of purchasing the property and conducting further drilling operations.

PRICE'S LETTER ON COTTON MARKET

New York, Mar. 13.—There was a renewal of buying movement this morning. First prices were three to ten points higher and the market sold about eight to sixteen points above yesterday's closing figures.

C.P. RAILMOST AT LOW MARK OF LAST YEAR

New York Sun Attributes Weakness to Some Specific Reason, and Not General Market Conditions.

New York, March 13.—The Sun's financial article says: "The chronic weakness of Canadian Pacific which was notable throughout the last fall is again evident. Yesterday's low price was within a fraction of the bottom touched last year, which appeared to be brought about mainly through the previous unloading of foreign holdings, due to the long period of acute financial depression abroad."

Municipal Debentures with higher-than-usual yields

Illustrative of the broadening out of our investment service since our recent concentration on this department we would direct the attention of conservative investors to the following Upper Canadian and Western municipal debentures:—

Table listing municipal debentures from various cities like Verdun, Trois Rivières, etc., with yields and terms.

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Vertical text on the right edge of the page, including 'THE DAY'S', 'THE MONTREAL', and various small notices.

WATERLOO IMPROVEMENT MADE IN PICTURE INDUSTRY

When one looks back over the few short years since motion pictures first gained universal popularity and stops to realize the tremendous improvements that have entered into the different branches of the business in that time, it is indeed difficult, unless one has the imaginative brain of a Jules Verne, to foresee the developments that will take place in the next five or ten years.

Not only has the quality of the picture improved, but the standard has been raised, until now the very best efforts of everybody are demanded. Big men in the theatrical world, such as Chase, Frohman, Klaw and Erlanger, men who practically control the show business in America, are now presenting their greatest stage successes in pictures. Actors and actresses—people formerly were seen in only the biggest Broadway productions, are now appearing daily in your local photo-play theatres.

Authors and writers, men of international reputation, are now turning out the scenarios for the silent drama. More attention is being paid to the picture itself. Absolute correctness, costuming, make up, lighting, photography and minor details.

When big scenes are necessary to a plot, the manufacturers are not afraid to spend money in getting them, as an example we quote "The Wreck," a three reel production seen at a local house lately. The collision scenes in this production cost the Viagradio Co. in the vicinity of \$40,000.

The gaudy store shows of yesterday, with their uncomfortable wooden benches, poor ventilation, unsatisfactory lighting, and weak projection, has been replaced with modern up-to-date theatres, in which the comfort and safety of patrons, in at all times provided for. Seven and eight piece orchestras, playing selections from the operas, overtures, popular selections, have taken the place of the little tin pan piano, and pianist, who persisted in playing rag-time at the most tragic moments. Realistic effects properly worked, give a finish to the picture that is almost life like.

Coming down to the projection machine itself, we find great improvements are being made every day, the objectionable flicker, so troublesome in the past, has been eliminated to a great extent. Automatic shutters and film guards, which protect the film, while passing through the machine have done away with all fire risks. Managers demand the very highest class of work from their operators. These men are now examined and licensed by the government.

The coming season promises material advancement in every branch not only will there be better pictures, but everything that goes to make up a perfect motion picture performance, will show a very marked improvement by the end of 1914.

Mme. Rayno is claimed to be one of the best exponents of the violin appearing in vaudeville. Her art in this respect is greatly enhanced by a pleasing personality and the manner in

ST. PATRICK'S WEEK PROGRAMME AT LYRIC

To us a term to suit the times, "The Lyric will be merry and gay all next week." Special attractions in vaudeville and pictures have been secured and the management is bending every effort to make next week's programs at the Lyric the most attractive of the season. Judging from the list of attractions scheduled this should prove an easy undertaking. The first part of the week will be looked after in the vaudeville department by the Ed. Zoller Trio, a little company of boy comedy tumblers and sensational songsters. Before them the famous five lady dressed sawdust ring of a large circus and indeed it is whispered that they are no strangers to St. John, as their appearance here with the Barrum and Bailey show some seasons ago created much favorable comment, for the antics of the darling three, cannot help but win approval.

"The God of a Tomorrow" will hold feature position in the picture program. It is a product of the Majestic Company, and is a story of the inner workings of the smart set coupled with an ome of a country boy. The Thanhouse Company is also on the bill and will be seen in an amusing play, "The Head Waiter."

For the latter part of the week a vaudeville act, that has been winning laurels in Maine during the last month and one that the management has requested several times will be the principle feature. The Raynos present a refined offering of musical selections, singing and fast novelty dancing.

MAKE IT CRIME TO SEND MATCHES IN MAIL

Ottawa, March 12.—A bulletin issued by the Post Office Department states: "Notwithstanding the urgent and repeated warnings of the Post Office Department against the mailing of matches and other inflammable articles in the mails, the practice still continues, and the department is now retaining such cases to the criminal authorities for prosecution. Under the Post Office Act, Section 122, the sending of inflammable or explosive articles in the mails is an indictable offence and renders the offender liable to imprisonment for five years."

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THE DAY'S SALES ON THE MONTREAL MARKET

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Morning Sales.

Cement, 120 @ 58, 25 @ 30 3-4.
Montreal Phone, 25 @ 140.
Dominion Bridge, 25 @ 159.
Montreal Cotton, 2 @ 55.
Cement Pfd., 15 @ 91, 7 @ 91 1-2.
Ames Com., 10 @ 13 1-2, 10 @ 13 1-4.
C. P. R., 10 @ 204, 25 @ 204 1-4.
100 @ 204 1-2, 10 @ 204 3-8, 25 @ 204 3-4, 25 @ 204 7-8, 95 @ 205, 25 @ 205 1-4, 25 @ 205 3-8, 25 @ 205 1-2, 10 @ 205 1-2, 50 @ 205 5-8, 25 @ 205 1-4, 100 @ 205 3-8, 2 @ 205 1-2, 25 @ 206.
Montreal Power Nov., 1 @ 222.
Ottawa Power, 23 @ 151.
Ottawa Rights, 123 @ 12, 15 @ 11 7-8.
Quebec Railway, 25 @ 15 1-2, 25 @ 13 1-4.
Bell Phone, 10 @ 151.
Detroit Railway, 25 @ 72.
Textile, 5 @ 53.
Dominion Steel, 75 @ 31 3-4, 125 @ 31 7-8, 10 @ 31 5-8, 25 @ 31 1-2, 10 @ 31 5-4, 40 @ 32.
Dominion Iron Pfd., 50 @ 92.
Montreal Power, 10 @ 225 1-2, 75 @ 225 1-2, 75 @ 225 3-4, 75 @ 225 3-8.
Shawinigan, 180 @ 137, 50 @ 137 1-4.
Shawinigan Rights, 600 @ 1 1-2.
Pulp, 25 @ 415 3-4, 35 @ 418.
New Pulp, 2 @ 152.
Steel Can., 125 @ 17.
Rich. and Ontario, 10 @ 104 1-2, 25 @ 105.
Twin City, 5 @ 106 cash.
Lake of the Woods, 10 @ 133.
Lake of the Woods Pfd., 10 @ 120.
Brazilian, 20 @ 81 1-4, 120 @ 81 1-2.
200 @ 82, 25 @ 82 1-2, 25 @ 82 3-8, 10 @ 82 1-2, 75 @ 82 1-4, 185 @ 82, 185 @ 82 1-4, 50 @ 82 3-8, 50 @ 82 1-2, 50 @ 82 1-2, 25 @ 82 1-2, 2000 @ 82 1-4.
Canada Cement Bonds, 1,000 @ 105 1-2.
Canada Bonds, 1,000 @ 105.
F. Lyall & Sons Bonds, 100 @ 85.
Textile Bonds "C" 1,500 @ 99 3-4.
Quebec Bank, 2 @ 121.
Canadian Bank of Commerce, 5 @ 110.

Afternoon Sales.

Molson's Bank, 1 @ 201, 5 @ 199 1-4 @ 199.
Bank of Nova Scotia, 7 @ 384 1-2.
Banque D'Hotelage, 10 @ 154 3-4.
Cement, 5 @ 20 1-2, 25 @ 20 3-4.
Montreal Phone, 17 @ 140.
Cement Pfd., 5 @ 91, 17 @ 91 1-2.
Ames Com., 2 @ 13.
C. P. R., 10 @ 206, 150 @ 205 1-2, 25 @ 205 3-4.
Textile, 2 @ 53, 30 @ 53 1-2.
Penman's Com., 10 @ 54 3-4.
Dominion Steel, 75 @ 32 1-2, 125 @ 32 1-4, 10 @ 32, 25 @ 32 1-4, 25 @ 32 3-8.
Paint Com., 20 @ 60.
Toolen Pfd., 4 @ 80.
Porto Rico, 20 @ 67 1-2.
N. S. Steel Pfd., 4 @ 120.
Laurentide Pulp, 25 @ 199 1-2.
New Pulp, 1 @ 152.
Tram Debentures, 100 @ 83.
Canada Car, 5 @ 63.
Ottawa Power, 20 @ 151.
Ottawa Rights, 22 @ 12.
Quebec Railway, 100 @ 15 1-2.
McDonald Com., 50 @ 17.
Crown Reserve, 1,000 @ 189, 500 @ 190.
Steel Co Canada, 20 @ 17.
Shawinigan, 10 @ 138, 10 @ 137 1-2.
Shawinigan Rights, 1,000 @ 1 1-2.
Brazilian, 20 @ 82 1-2, 175 @ 82 3-8, 85 @ 82 1-4, 185 @ 82 1-2, 10 @ 82 3-4, 85 @ 82 1-2.
Winnipeg Electric, 20 @ 206.
Penman's Com., 10 @ 54 3-4.
Quebec Bonds, 6,000 @ 53.
Dominion Coal Bonds, 5,000 @ 99 1-4, 500 @ 100.
Dominion Cotton Bonds, 3,000 @ 100.
Canadian Bank of Commerce, 15 @ 110.

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Am Can	29 1/2	29 3/4	29 1/2	29 3/4
Am T and T	121 1/2	122	121 1/2	121 3/4
Am Sug	98	99 1/4	98	98 3/4
Am Steel Pys	32 1/2	33 1/4	32 1/2	32 3/4
An Cop	35 1/2	36 1/4	35 1/2	35 3/4
Atchafon	92 1/2	93 1/4	92 1/2	92 3/4
Balt and Ohio	82 1/2	83 1/4	82 1/2	82 3/4
B. & O.	92 1/2	93 1/4	92 1/2	92 3/4
C. P. R.	204 1/2	205 1/4	204 1/2	204 3/4
Chas and Ohio	51 1/2	52 1/4	51 1/2	51 3/4
Chic and St P	99	99 1/4	99	99 3/4
Chic and NW	134 1/2	135 1/4	134 1/2	134 3/4
Col Fuel and I	33 1/2	34 1/4	33 1/2	33 3/4
Del and Hud	149 1/2	150 1/4	149 1/2	149 3/4
Erie	28 1/2	29 1/4	28 1/2	28 3/4
Erie Int Pfd	147 1/2	148 1/4	147 1/2	147 3/4
Gen Elec	127 1/2	128 1/4	127 1/2	127 3/4
Gr Nor Pfd	126 1/2	127 1/4	126 1/2	126 3/4
Gr Nor Ore	36 1/2	37 1/4	36 1/2	36 3/4
Int-Havest	104 1/2	105 1/4	104 1/2	104 3/4
Louis and N	124 1/2	125 1/4	124 1/2	124 3/4
Lehigh Val.	144 1/2	145 1/4	144 1/2	144 3/4
Kans City	30 1/2	31 1/4	30 1/2	30 3/4
Miss K and Y	17 1/2	18 1/4	17 1/2	17 3/4
Miss Pfd	23 1/2	24 1/4	23 1/2	23 3/4
Nat Lead	49 1/2	50 1/4	49 1/2	49 3/4
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THE WEATHER.

Forecast.

Maritime—Moderate westerly winds; fair, stationary or a little higher temperature.

Washington, March 13—Forecast: Northern New England—Fair Saturday and probably Sunday, rising temperature; light to moderate west winds.

Toronto, March 13.—Fairly cold weather has prevailed today from Eastern Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, while elsewhere in Canada it has been mild and Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan report maximum temperatures of over fifty degrees.

Temperatures.

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	6	7
Edmonton	10	34
Prince Rupert	42	46
Victoria	42	46
Vancouver	46	52
Battleford	18	44
Calgary	22	44
Medicine Hat	25	45
Winnipeg	35	45
Regina	29	39
Port Arthur	14	40
Parry Sound	12	40
London	20	40
Toronto	25	40
Ottawa	8	30
Montreal	12	30
St. John	18	28
Halifax	20	30

—Below zero.

Man Rumors

Amusement Houses Here

Three Theatres May be Built in Near Future, it is Said—May Remodel Windsor Hotel—Another at Golden Ball Corner.

If the various projects, now being mooted, to provide St. John with amusement, materialize, the people of this city will not have much reason to complain about lack of opportunities to enjoy themselves for an hour or so, for a price. In addition to the proposition of Arthur Melick to erect a theatre on Union street on the property now occupied by the Weatherhead stables, it is understood the local syndicate which bought the Golden Ball corner property, on Union street, are also considering plans to establish an amusement house there.

Another Project.

Another project which has been under consideration for some time is that of starting a theatre on the property now occupied by the Windsor Hotel on King Square. There has also been some talk of the possibility of utilizing the old Nickel Theatre for burlesque shows. That property is still under lease to the Keith people, but when the lease expires it is probable some arrangements will be made for utilizing it for show purposes.

It is understood that the management of the Opera House intend to keep that institution in stock next season, owing to the success of the stock company this winter, and it is believed in some quarters that the old Nickel Theatre could be utilized to advantage for burlesque shows.

Hotel Suits.

In regard to the project to convert the Windsor Hotel into a show house, it is said that a St. John lawyer has been working on another scheme for the utilization of this property and it may be remodelled and converted into hotel suites with modern banquet and dance halls.

In connection with the talk of new amusement houses, it may be mentioned that the interests which are now catering to the amusement loving public of St. John are making plans for furnishing new amusement features to their patrons. The Keith people will, it is said, make radical departures in the character of their programmes this spring summer, and Mr. Spenser is arranging some important specialties for his houses.

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AROUND THE CITY

An Inspiring Address.

Rev. F. M. Lamb delivered an inspiring address in Main street Baptist church last evening when he spoke from the subject, "It is time to seek the Lord."

Tom Thumb's Wedding.

Tom Thumb's Wedding, the children's play, which was produced in St. Matthew's church some time ago, was repeated last evening and attracted a large audience, and was greatly enjoyed.

Renews Lease.

It is understood that Harry E. Green, proprietor of the Clifton House, who has been considering the question of erecting a new hotel, has renewed his lease of the Clifton House and will continue in business there.

Y. W. C. A.

Mrs. J. E. Dean, of Orange street, entertained informally last evening in honor of Miss Lane, Dominion travelling secretary of the Y. W. C. A. Miss Lane is in St. John in the interests of the Y. W. C. A. work and will address the Women's Club in the High school hall this afternoon.

Cottage Looting Cases.

James Lockhart and C. Arthur Doyle were taken before Judge Forbes yesterday morning for Speedy Trial. Doyle was sent up to serve a sentence of three years in Dorchester, which was standing against him for breaking and entering a pawn shop. Lockhart pleaded guilty to the charge of breaking and entering cottages at Millidgeville and was remanded.

The Next Sheriff.

The office of sheriff will not long be left vacant. It is possible the late S. S. deForest's successor will be selected while the local members of the legislature are in the city for the week-end. Among the names mentioned for the office are Messrs. Clarence deForest, George S. Shaw, J. E. Cowan, J. A. Sinclair, George A. Blair and J. P. Mosher of St. Martins.

Tax Reform.

At a largely attended meeting in Temperance Hall, Fairville, last evening presided over by W. Linton, the speaker was J. B. Brown, who addressed the gathering on single tax reform. F. L. Potts also spoke at the meeting. Questions from the audience were put to Mr. Brown touching on the idea of incorporating Fairville.

TRY UNGAR'S LAUNDRY.

WELCOME THE NEW MEMBERS TO CHURCH

Enjoyable Social in Waterloo Street United Baptist Church—Address of Much Interest.

A very enjoyable social was held in the school room of the Waterloo street United Baptist church last evening to welcome new members of the church. Rev. F. H. Wentworth presided and there was a large attendance. An interesting programme of musical and vocal selections was carried out in which the following took part: Miss Laura Kierstead, John Kott, James Mott, Mr. Cozlin, Miss Ruby Wentworth, Miss A. Green, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. G. W. Hatheway, Master Hatheway and Mrs. F. H. Wentworth.

Addresses were delivered by Deacons James Paterson, Thomas Robinson, E. Duval, Milton Galley and Clerk of the Church Jacob Smith.

During the evening Rev. Mr. Wentworth asked the following questions: What improvement can you suggest in our church? What are you willing to do to make our church more efficient? The replies to these questions were many and varied and caused a great deal of interest. After the formal programme the ladies of the church served refreshments and games were indulged in by the younger people.

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DAUGHTERS OF THE EMPIRE HEAR FINE ADDRESS

Miss Boulton, of National Executive, Lectures on Work and Aims of the Order.

Miss Boulton of Toronto, a member of the National Executive of the Daughters of the Empire, addressed a meeting of the local chapters, held at the residence of Mrs. F. E. Sayre, yesterday afternoon. Miss Boulton, who is an eloquent speaker, gave an interesting account of the progress of the organization in Canada, and dealt at length with its aims and objects.

Imperialism.

The Daughters of the Empire were, she said, a political organization in the true sense of the word, but absolutely non-partisan. One of its principal objects was to promote the cause of imperialism and encourage the sentiment of loyalty to the British connection and arouse interest in the problems of national defence. But its active interest in all matters that made for the development of our national life and the well being of the people. It had for instance vigorously taken the work of stamping out tuberculosis and several chapters now maintained sanitariums where patients were given the best of treatment.

A Big Order.

Speaking of the growth of the order, Miss Boulton said it now had 200 chapters scattered all over Canada, with a total membership of 13,000 women.

Mrs. G. McA. Blizard presided and was supported by the regents of the order, Mrs. J. Boyle, Travers and Mrs. James Stratton, and all three chapters were well represented at the gathering.

This afternoon Miss Boulton will address the Local Council of Women, who are visiting the Maritime Provinces in the interests of the association and will go as far east as Sydney.

WANTS TO ADDRESS THE CITY COUNCIL

J. R. Brown, Tax Expert, Asks for Audience—To Speak on Return to St. John.

J. R. Brown, the tax expert, who is going about the country telling people about the advantages of the single tax, and the inequities of landholders, met the Mayor and some of the Commissioners and said he would like to expound his views before the city council, the board of assessors and other officials.

Owing to previous engagements Mr. Brown was not able to ask for a hearing just now, but said he would like to have an opportunity to discuss "single tax" when he returned to St. John in the course of some weeks. The city authorities said that for their part they would be glad to give him an audience when opportunity permitted, but admitted that they could not guarantee what his reception might be, if he did not return to St. John before the civic elections took place.

Turkey supper at Wanamaker's to-night. Southern Sisters and Kubeth in cabaret.

Spring Costumes.

The F. W. Daniel Co. will hold their spring opening of ladies' costumes, dresses, etc., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. The garments to be shown embrace many novelties, the result of a close study and personal selection in the New York market. Those wishing to secure exclusive costumes or coats will find this an excellent opportunity as particular care has been taken not to duplicate designs.

THE PRINCE WILLIAM HOTEL.

LECTURES IN WAGNER

Moses Baritz in Interesting and Eloquent Address before the Socialist Local—A Comparison.

An interesting lecture on Richard Wagner and his work, was delivered by Moses Baritz of Manchester at a meeting held under the auspices of the Socialist Local in Oddfellow's hall, last evening. Mr. Baritz dealt particularly with Tannhauser and illustrated his lecture by selections played upon the clarinet.

The lecturer said that Wagner was to music what Marx was to economics. The philosopher Hegel said he found the world standing on its head in respect to the idea, and Marx, who was in a way his disciple, overthrew the ideological conceptions which then prevailed, and established a material basis of philosophy and sociology, so that the world could stand on its feet.

A Great Musician.

Wagner found the musical world in a similar state of topsyturvydom to what Hegel found the philosophic world. Prior to Wagner opera might more properly have been described as uproar; they generally consisted of a few fine melodies and solos and a silly story as a plot. The themes were usually stupid and often sensual. Wagner who effected a revolution in opera made the opera a feast of sound, expressing the highest and purest emotions.

After referring at some length to the Flying Dutchman, he made the effort to induce the local government to make provision for the same kind of an institution in St. John. Mr. Harrison will sail on the Hesperian.

An object lesson is to be had in any office where they use both Remington and other typewriters. The Remington is being made to induce the local government to make provision for the same kind of an institution in St. John. Mr. Harrison will sail on the Hesperian.

Buy N. B. Farm.

Alfred Burley and Co. report the sale of the Barton farm at Cumberland Bay, consisting of 163 acres with good buildings and nice orchard. The purchaser is William Crosshaw of Valleyfield, Quebec. Mr. Crosshaw is coming with his family to take possession in April. This farm has not been cultivated recently. This is the second dormant farm that Messrs Alfred Burley and Co. have sold at Cumberland Bay since March 1st.

Band at Queen's Rink this afternoon.

Do not forget the sunset sale at F. A. Dykeman and Co.'s commencing at seven o'clock tonight. It is a rare opportunity to buy ladies' snow white underwear at half their usual price. Nightgowns at 29 cents. Skirts at 75 cents that are worth \$1.50, and also a big lot of ladies' waists that are slightly soiled and mused at half their price.

BARGAINS REIGN SUPREME.

A bargain event that bids fair to eclipse anything of the kind yet held out to local shoppers is now in progress at the store of Douglas McArthur, 64 King Street. The pressing need of more floor and shelf space to accommodate new goods, momentarily expected, is the object of this extraordinary clean-up sale, at which bargain values rule supreme. A tremendous assortment of pretty wall papers in new patterns and colorings has been placed on sale at practically profitless prices. Stationery, books, leather goods, St. John penknives, games, toys and dolls are offered at sweeping reductions.

On each day the sale is drawing to a close, intending purchasers should pay an early visit to Douglas McArthur's bookstore, 64 King Street.

St. John Conservative Club.

The St. John Conservative Club will meet this evening in their hall, Market Building, when the principal speaker will be J. R. Brown the tax reform advocate.

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THE ADVENTURES OF KATHLYN

By HAROLD MAC GRATH.

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Every two weeks in this city a photoplay based on this novel will be presented. Each film will cover two chapters of the story. The photographs which will be used as illustrations in this paper are still pictures of scenes from the play.

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CHAPTER I.

UNDER a canopied platform stood a young girl, modeling in clay. The glare of the California sunshine, filtering through the canvas, became mellowed, warm, and golden.

A poet I might know had cried out that here ended his quest of the Golden Girl. Straight she stood at this moment, lovely of face, rounded of form, with an indescribable suggestion of latent physical power or magnetism.

Her hand, still filled with clay, dropped to her side, and a tableau endured for a minute or two, suggesting a remote period, a Persian idyl, maybe. With a smile on her lips she stared at the living model. The chatoyant eyes of the leopard stared back, a flicker of restlessness in their brilliant yellow depths.

"You beautiful thing!" she said. She began kneading the clay again, and with deft fingers added bits here and there to the creature which had grown up under her strong, supple fingers.

"Kathlyn! Oh, Kit!" The sculptress paused, the pucker left her brow, and she turned, her face beaming, for her sister Winnie was the apple of her eye, and the brooded over her like the mother would have done had the mother lived. For Winnie, dark as Kathlyn was light, was as careless and aimless as thistle-down in the wind.

A collar leaped upon the platform and began pawing Kathlyn, and shortly after the younger sister followed. Neither of the girls noted the stiffening mustaches of the leopard. The animal rose, and his nostrils palpitated. He hated the dog with a hatred not unmixt with fear. Treachery is in the marrow of all cats. To breed them in captivity does not matter. Sooner or later they will strike. Never before had the leopard been so close to the enemy, free of the leash.

"Kit, it is just wonderful. However can you do it? Some day we'll make dad take us to Paris, where you can exhibit them."

A snarl from the leopard, answered by a growl from the collie, brought Kathlyn's head about. The cat leaped, but toward Winnie, not the collie. With a cry of terror Winnie turned and ran in the direction of the bungalow. Kathlyn, retaining the leash, followed like the wind, hampered though she was by the apron. The cat leaped after the fleeing girl, gaining at each bound. The yelping of the collie brought forth from various points low rumbling sounds, which presently developed into roars.

Winnie turned sharply around the corner of the bungalow toward the empty animal cages, to attract her father and at the same time rouse some of the keepers. Seeing the door of an empty cage open, and that it was approached by a bodied runway, she flew to it, entered, and slammed the door and held it. The cat, now hot with the lust to kill, threw himself against the bars, snarling and spitting. Kathlyn called out to him sharply, and fearlessly approached him. She began talking in a monotone. His ears went flat against his head, but he submitted to her touch because invariably it soothed him, and because he sensed some undefinable power whenever his gaze met hers. She snapped the leash on his collar just as her father came running up, pale and disturbed. He ran to the door and opened it.

"Winnie, you poor little kitten," he said, taking her in his arms, "how many times have I told you never to take that dog about when Kit's leopard is off the leash?" "I didn't think," she said. "No, Kit here and I must always do your thinking for you, Ahmed!" "Yes, sahib," answered the head keeper. "See if you can stop that racket over there. Sadie may lose her litter if it keeps up."

The lean, brown Mohammedan trotted away in obedience to his orders. He knew how to stop captive lions from roaring. He knew how to send terror to their hearts. As he ran he began to hiss softly. Col. Hare, with his arm about Winnie, walked toward the bungalow. The Rajput tiger, and the Malayan panther had caused to fear Hare Sahib. He was even now preparing to return to Ceylon for an elephant hunt. The two daughters went over to the tea table, where a matronly maid was busy with the service. The fragment of a dog permeated the room. Hare paused at his desk. Miss suddenly appeared on his

bronzed face. He gazed for a space at the calendar. The day was the 15th of July. Should he go back there, or should he give up the expedition? He might never return. India and the border countries! What a land, full of beauty and romance and terror and squalor, at once barbaric and civilized! He loved it and hated it, and sometimes feared it, he who had faced on foot many a wounded tiger. He shugged, reached into the desk for a box of Jaipur brass enamel and took from it a medal attached to a ribbon. The golden disk was entrusted with uncut rubies and emeralds.

"Girls," he called. "Come here a moment." "Lock your pet up, Kit," he called over his shoulder, "and come in to tea." Kathlyn spoke soothingly to the leopard, scratched his head behind the ears, and shortly a low, satisfied rumble stirred his throat, and his tail no longer slashed about. She led him to his own cage, never ceasing to talk, locked the door, then turned



Kathlyn's Sister Winnie Becomes Frightened by a Leopard in Kathlyn's Studio in California.

and walked thoughtfully toward the bungalow. She was wondering what the gift was that put awe into the eyes of the native keepers on the father's wild animal farm and temporary peace in the hearts of the savage beasts. She realized that she possessed it, but it was beyond analysis. Often some wild-eyed keeper would burst in upon her. Some newly captive lion or tiger was killing itself from mere passion, and wouldn't the memento come at once and talk to it? There was a kind of pity in her heart for these poor wild things, and perhaps they perceived this pity, which was fearless. "She gets a little from me, I suppose," Col. Hare had once answered to a query. "For I've always had a way with four-footed things. But I think Ahmed is right. Kathlyn is heaven born. I've seen the night when Broken would be tame beside the pandemonium round about. Yet half an hour after Kit starts the rounds everything quiets down. The gods are in it."

The living room of the bungalow was large and comfortable. The walls were adorned with the heads of wild beasts and their great furry hides shared honors with the Persian rugs on the floor. There was a man who would pack up at a moment's notice and go to the far ends of the world to find a perfect black panther, a cheetah with a litter, or a great horned rhinoceros. He was tall and broad and amazingly active, for all that his hair and mustache were almost white. For thirty years or more he had gone about the hazardous enterprise of supplying zoological gardens and circuses with wild beasts. He was known from Hamburg to Singapore, from Mombassa to Rio Janeiro. The Numidian lion, Martha, that will be all, with a nod toward the door. "I never showed you this before."

"Goodness gracious!" cried Winnie, reaching her hand. "Why, it looks like a decoration, father," said Kathlyn. "What lovely stones! It would make a beautiful pendant."

"Fanciful, vanity, all its vanity," said colonel, smiling down into their charming faces. "Do you love your old dad?" "Love you!" they exclaimed in unison, indignantly, too, since the question was an imputation of the fact.

"Would you be lonesome if I took the Big Trek?" whimsically. "Father!" "Dad!" They pressed about him, as about an oak.

"Hang it, I swear that this shall be the last hunt, I'm rich. We'll get rid of all these brutes and spend the rest of the years seeing the show places. I'm a bit tired myself of jungle fodder. We'll go to Paris, and Berlin, and Rome, and Vienna. And you, Kit, shall go and tell Rodin that you've inherited the spirit of Gerome. And you, Winnie, shall make a stab at grand opera."

Winnie gurgled her delight, but her sister searched her father's eyes. She did not quite like the way he said those words. His voice lacked its usual heartiness and spontaneity.

"Where did you get this medal, father?" she asked. "That's what I started out to tell you."

"Were you afraid we might wish to wear it or have it made over?" laughed Winnie, who never went below the surface of things. "No. The truth is, I had almost forgotten it. But the preparations for India recalled it to mind. It represents a royal title conferred on me by the King of Allaha. You have never been in India, Kit. Allaha is the name we hunters give that border kingdom. Some day England will gobble it up; only waiting for a good excuse."

"What big thing did you do?" demanded Kathlyn, her eyes still filled with scrutiny. "What makes you think it was big?" jestingly. "Because," she answered seriously, "you never do anything but big things. As the lion is among beasts, you are among men."

"Good lord!" the colonel reached embarrassedly for his pipe. It lit it, puffed a few minutes, then laid it down. "The old boy used to do some trapping himself, and whenever he'd catch a fine specimen he'd turn it over to me. He had a hunting lodge not far from my quarters. One day Ahmed came to me with a message saying that the king commanded my presence at the lodge, where his slaves had trapped a fine leopard. Yes, my dear, slaves. There is even a slave mart at the capital this day. A barbaric fair land, with its good gent and its bad djinn."

"The Arabian Nights," murmured Winnie, snuggling close to Kathlyn. "The oriental love poem," went on the colonel. "He can't give you a chupatt!" "What's that?" asked Winnie. "Something like hardtack. Well, he can't give you that without ceremonial. When I arrived at the lodge with Ahmed the old boy—he had the complexion of a prima donna—the old boy sat on his portable throne, glittering with orders. Standing down the pipe. 'India is full of strange tongues and strange kingdoms and principalities. Most of them are dominated by the British raj, some are only protected, while others do about as they please. This state—touching the order—does about as it

might voice it. He could evade the questions of the vivante Winnie, but there was no getting by Kathlyn with evasions. Frowning, he replaced the order in the box, which he put away in a drawer. It was all arrant nonsense, anyhow; nothing could possibly happen; if there did, he would feel certain that he no longer dwelt in a real world-world. The idle whim of a sardonic old man; nothing more than that."

"Father, in the king dead?" "Dead! What makes you ask that, Kit?" "The past tense; you said he was, not is."

"Yes, he's dead, and the news came this morning. 'Will there be any danger in returning?' 'My girl, whenever I pack my luggage there is danger. A cartridge may stick; a man may stumble; a man you rely on may fall you. As for that, there's always danger. It's the penalty of being alive.'"

On the way to the dining room Kathlyn thought deeply. Why had her father asked them if they loved him? Why did he speak of the Big Trek? There was something more than this glittering medal, something more than this simple tale of bravery. Well, if he declined to take her into his confidence he must have good reason.

After dinner that night the colonel went the rounds, as was his habit nightly. By and by he returned to the bungalow, but did not enter. He filled his pipe and walked to and fro in the moonlight, with his head bent and his hands clasped behind his back. There was a restlessness in his stride not unlike that of the captive beasts in the cages nearby. Occasionally he paused at the clink clink of the elephant irons or at the "whuff" as the uneasy pachyderm poured dust on his head.

"Bah! It was madness. A parchment in Hindustan, given jestingly or ironically by a humorous old chap in orders and white lines and rhinoceros sandals. * * * A throne! Pah! It was bally nonsense. As if a white man could rule over a brown one by the choice of the latter! And yet, that man Umballa's face, when he had shown the king portraits of his two lovely daughters! He would send Ahmed. Ahmed knew the business as well as he did. He would send his abdication to the council, giving them the right to choose his successor. He himself would remain home with the girls. Then he gazed up at the moon and smiled grimly.

"Hukum ha!" he murmured in Hindustani. "It is the orders. I've simply got to go. When I recall those rubies and emeralds and pearls. * * * Well, it's not cupidity for myself. It's for the girls. Besides, there's the call, the adventure. I've simply got to go. I can't escape it. I must be always on the go * * * since she died."

A few days later he stood again before the desk in the living room. He was dressed for travel. He sat down and penned a note. From the box which contained the order he extracted a large envelope, heavily sealed. This he balanced in his hand for a moment, frowned, laughed, and swore softly. He would abdicate, but at a snug profit. Why not? * * * He was an old fool. Into a still larger envelope he put the sealed envelope and his own note, then wrote upon it. He was blotting it as his daughters entered.

"Come here, my pretty cubs." He held out the envelope. "I want you, Kit, to open this on Dec. 31, at midnight. Girls like mysteries, and if you opened it any time but midnight it wouldn't be mysterious. Indeed, I shall probably have you both on the arms of my chair when you open it."

"Is it about the medal?" demanded Winnie. "By George, Kit, the child is beginning to reason out things," he jests. Winnie laughed, and so did Kathlyn, but she did so because she felt that her father expected her

to do so. "The king was a kindly old chap, simple, yet shrewd, and with the usual oriental way of accomplishing his ends, despite all obstacles. Underneath this apparent simplicity I discovered a grim sardonic humor. Trust the oriental for always having that packed away under his bewitching diplomacy. He was all alone in the world. He was one of those rare eastern potentates who wasn't hampered by parasitical relatives. By George, the old boy could have given his kingdom, lock, stock, and barrel, to the British government, and no one could say him nay. There was a good deal of rumor the last time I was there that when he died England would step in actually. The old boy gave me leave to come and go as I pleased, to hunt where and how I would. I had a mighty fine collection. There are tigers and leopards and bears and fat old pythons forty foot long. Of course, it isn't the tiger country that Central India is, but the brutes you find are bigger. I have about sixty beasts there now, and that's mainly why I'm going back. Want to clean it up and ship 'em to Hamburg, where I've a large standing order. I'm going first to Ceylon, for some elephants."

The colonel knocked the ash from his pipe, beside him was a chap we called Umballa. He had been a street rat. A bit of impudence had caught the king's fancy, and he brought up the boy, clothed, fed him, and sent him away down to Umballa to school. When the boy returned he talked Umballa morning, noon, and night, till the soldiers began to call him that, and from then it passed on to the natives, all of whom disliked the up start. Hanged if I can recall his real name. He was ugly and handsome at the same time; suave, patient, courteous; yet somehow or other I sensed the real man below—the Tartar blood. I took a dislike to him, first off. It's the animal sense. You've got it, Kit. Behind the king sat the Council of Three—three wise old ducks I wouldn't trust with an old umbrella."

Winnie laughed. "While we were slaughtering and genuflecting and using grandiloquent phrases the bally leopard got loose, somehow. Maybe some one let him loose; I don't know. Anyhow, he made for the king, who was too thunder-struck to dodge. The rest of 'em took to their heels, you may lay odds on that. Now I had an honest liking for the king. Seeing the brute make for him, I dashed forward. You see, at ceremonial you're not permitted to carry arms. It had to be with my hands. The leopard knocked the old boy flat and began to maul him. I kicked the brute in the face, swept the king's turban off his head and flung it about the head of the leopard. Somehow or other I got him down. Some of the frightened natives came up, and with the help of Ahmed we got the brute tied up securely. When the king came around he silently shook hands with me and smiled peculiarly at Umballa, who now came running up."

"And that's how you got those poor heads?" exclaimed Kathlyn, kissing the scars which stood out white against the tan. "That's how," raising the hands and putting them on Kathlyn's head in a kind of benediction.

"Is that all?" asked Winnie, breathlessly. "Isn't that enough?" he retorted. "Well, what is it, Martha? Dinner? Well, if I haven't cheated you girls out of your tea!"

"Yes," sniffed, Winnie disdainfully. "Do you know, dad, you've awfully mean to Kit and me. If you'd take the trouble you could be more interesting than any book I ever read."

"He doesn't believe his stories would interest you," said Kathlyn, earnestly. "He's generally telling you and generally with her father."

During the last week in December there arrived at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco an East Indian, tall, well formed, rather handsome. Except for

his brown turban he would have passed unnoticed. For Hindus and Japanese and Chinese and what not from the southern seas were every day affairs. The brown turban, however, and an enormous emerald on one of his fingers, produced an effect quite gratifying to him. Vanish in the oriental is never conspicuous for its absence. The reporters gave him scant attention, though, for this was at a time when the Gaewar of Baroda was unknown.

The stranger, after two or three days of idling, casually asked the way to the wild animal farm of his old friend, Col. Hare. It was easy enough to find. At the village inn he was treated with tolerant contempt. These brown fellows were forever coming and going, to and fro, from the colonel's celebrated farm.

At 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the 31st day of December, this East Indian peered cautiously into the French window of the Hare bungalow. The picture he saw there sent a thrill into his heart. She was as fair and beautiful as an houri of Sa'adi. She sat at a desk, holding a long, white envelope in her hand. By and by she put it away and he was particular to note the drawer in which she placed it. That the dark haired girl at the tea table was equally charming did not stir the watcher. Dark haired women were plentiful in his native land. Yonder was the girl of the photograph, the likeness of which had fired his heart for many a day. With the patience of the oriental he stood in the shadow and waited. Sooner or later they would leave the room, and sooner or later, with the deftness of his breed, he would enter. The leopard had heard about was now where to be seen.

"Winnie!" said Kathlyn, "dread it." Winnie set down the teacup, her eyes brimming. "What can it all mean? Not a line from father since Colombo, five months gone."

"Do you think?" "No, no!" replied Kathlyn, hastily. "Father sometimes forgets. He may be hunting miles from telegraph wires and railroads; it is only that he should forget us so long. Who knows? He may have dropped down into Borneo. He wanted some pythons, so I heard him say."

The elder sister did not care to intell into the heart of her charge for fear which was in her own. "Who knows but there may be good news in the envelope? Dad's always doing something like that. New Year's!"

The collie, released from the kitchen, came bounding in. In his exuberance he knocked over a cloisonne vase. Both girls were glad to welcome this diversion. They rose simultaneously and gave chase. The dog headed for the outdoor studio, where they caught him and made believe they were punishing him.

Quietly the watcher entered through the window, alert and tense. He flew to the desk, found the sealed envelope, steamed it open at the kettle extricated the envelope and Col. Hare's note. He smiled as he read the latter and changed his plans completely. He would not play messenger; he would use a lure instead. With his ear strained for sounds, he wrote and substituted a note. This hour of So'adi would not pause to note the difference in writing; the vitality of the subject would unchain her thoughts. It was all accomplished in the space of a few minutes. Smiling, he passed out into the fast setting twilight.

They were shipping a lion to San Francisco, and the roaring and confusion were all very satisfactory to the trespasser.

Midnight. From afar came the mellow notes of the bells in the ancient Spanish mission. The old year was dead, the new year was born, carrying with it the unchanging sound of happiness and misery, or promises made and promises broken, of good and evil.

"The packet!" cried Winnie. Kathlyn recognized in that call that Winnie was only a child. All the responsibility lay upon her shoulders. She ripped the cover from the packet and read the note.

Kathlyn: If not heard from I'm held captive in Allaha. Sealed document can save me. Bring it yourself to Allaha by first steamer. Father's.

"I knew it," said Kathlyn, calmly. The fear in her heart had, as the brown man had anticipated, blinded her to the fact that this was not her father's characteristic blunt scrawl.

"Oh, Kit, Kit!" "Hush, Winnie! I must go, and go alone. Where's the evening paper? Ah, there it is. Let me see what boat leaves San Francisco tomorrow. The Empress of India, 6 a. m. I must make that. Now, you're your father's daughter, too, Winnie. You must stay behind and be brave and wait. I shall come back. I shall find father, if I have to rouse all India. Now, to pack."

When they arrived at the station the passenger train had just drawn out. For a while Kathlyn felt beaten. She would be compelled to wait another week. It was disheartening. "Why not try the freight, then?" cried Winnie. "You little angel! I never thought of that!"

But the crew would not hear of it. It was absolutely against the company's rules. Kathlyn could have cried. "It isn't money, miss, it's the rules," said the conductor, kindly. "I can't do it."

Kathlyn turned in despair toward the station. It was then she saw the boxed lion on the platform. She returned to the conductor of the freight. "Why isn't that lion shipped?"

"We can't carry a lion without an attendant, miss. You ought to know that."

"Very well," replied Kathlyn. She smiled at the conductor confidently. "I'll travel as the lion's attendant. You certainly cannot object to that."

"I guess you've got me admitted the conductor. But where the dickens will you put the cat? Every car is closed and locked, and there is not an empty car."

"You can easily get the lion in the caboose. I'll see that he doesn't bother any one."

"Lions in the caboose is a new one on me, Well, you know your dad's business better than I do. Look alive, boys, and get that angora aboard. This is Miss Hare herself, and she'll take charge."

"Kit, Kit!" "Winnie!" "O, I'll be brave. I've just got to be. But I've never been left alone before. Winnie went sobbing back to the maid who waited on the platform. What happened in that particular caboose has long since been newspaper history. The crew will go on telling it till it becomes as fabulous as one of the Sindbad's yarns. How the lion escaped, how the fearless young woman captured it alone, unaided, may be found in the files of all metropolitan newspapers. Of the brown man who was found hiding in the coat closet of the caboose nothing was said. But the sight of him, dimly skinned as no lion could have done. Any dark skinned person was now a subtle menace. And when, later, she saw him peering into the porthole of her stateroom, dismay became terror.

Who was this man? (To be continued next Saturday.)



Prince Umballah Opening the Sealed Letter.

SEE THE PICTURES NEXT FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AT THE IMPERIAL

happenings of the Week

WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, Mar. 13.—The handsome residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Blair was the scene of a gathering of very gay little folks on Friday afternoon when Mrs. Blair entertained Miss friends of her daughter Isabel. The spacious rooms were decorated with palms, ferns and potted plants and presented a very lovely appearance. When all the little tots had assembled Miss Mary Balmala and Miss Winnifred McCann assisted Mrs. Blair in amusing them. Games and music were furnished for their entertainment and delicious refreshments were served. The guests were the little Misses Marjorie Thorne, Mary Thorne, Dorothy Jones, Andrew Jones, Alice Jones, Ruth Fleming, Rowena Ketchum, Louise Manser, Zaida Vanward, Dorothy Loane, Hope Jarvis, Vivian Smith, Bertha Clarke, Muriel Newnam, Margaret Gibson, Betty Peabody, Clara Montgomery, Madge Montgomery and Messrs. John Rankin, Eschura McCann, Frank Balmala, Douglas Stevens, George Connell, Ronald McLean, John Mauer, Crichton Balmala, Harold Mauer, George Jones, Doyle Jones, Bidie Peabody, Malcolm Smith.

Mrs. E. W. Jarvis entertained at a charmingly arranged afternoon tea on Friday afternoon given in honor of her guests the Misses Digby of Brantford, Ont. The beautiful drawing room was decorated with American beauty roses. Mrs. Jarvis was seated in a violet silk with touches of cream lace. Mrs. Digby wore a handsome gown of black silk, Miss Kathleen Digby wore a blue silk and Miss Dorothy Digby navy blue silk. The guests were Miss Caroline Monroe, Miss Grace Jones, Miss May Marley, Miss Vera Bentley (Hallifax), Miss Mary Sprague, Miss Alice Sprague, Miss Alice Boyer, Miss Elizabeth Ketchum, Miss Marion Winslow.

Miss Evelyn Demming who has spent the winter at Kilmarnock arrived home on Monday.

Mrs. William Balmala entertained the Cribbage Club at dinner on Saturday evening.

Mrs. W. P. Jones entertained a few of her friends very pleasantly at a thimble party on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Digby, Miss Kathleen Digby and Miss Dorothy Digby of Brantford, Ont. are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jarvis.

Miss Alice McIntosh left on Thursday for a visit with friends in Houlton, Port Kent and Van Buren, Maine.

Mrs. C. A. Lindow of Edmundston is staying for a few days with her father, Mr. Jacob Vanward, Broadway.

The many friends of Mr. John Mavor of Fredericton were greatly shocked to hear of his sudden and untimely death at the capital on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jarvis entertained a few friends at a jolly sleigh drive on Tuesday evening, after which they went to Carleton Hall where they were served with delicious refreshments. Before leaving they enjoyed a few dances. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hoyce, Mrs. A. B. Connell, Mrs. Digby, Miss Kathleen Digby, Miss Dorothy Digby (Brantford, Ont.), Miss Alice Boyer, Miss Grosvenor Smith, Miss Marjorie Smith, Mrs. Jarvis, Miss Kathleen Jarvis, Mr. Jones, Mr. J. S. Creighton, Mr. Ken Connell, Mr. Henry Wisdom.

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Miss Belle Willard, daughter of Joseph E. Willard, United States minister to Spain, whose engagement to Kermit Roosevelt, son of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt and famous as his father's hunting companion has been disclosed by letters received in Richmond, Va., from the United States embassy at Madrid. Miss Willard is soon to be presented to the King and Queen of England. It is believed that the wedding will take place in the spring.

SUSSEX

Sussex, March 12.—Mrs. Frank Roach entertained at a small tea at the home of Mrs. Robert McFee, Main street last Saturday afternoon. Among those present were Mrs. W. B. McKay, Mrs. E. H. White, Mrs. Hatfield White, Mrs. Charles Perry, Mrs. Lansdowne, Mrs. James Lamb, Mrs. J. L. Prescott, Miss L. McLeod.

Miss Annie Magee of Quispamsis is visiting friends in Sussex and vicinity.

Mrs. Charles Huntley is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Macaulay, for a few days.

Miss Harper, Shediak, is the guest of Mrs. O. P. Wilbur, Church avenue.

E. O. McIntyre and bride are expected home this week.

Mrs. Geo. W. Fowler is visiting in Ottawa.

Mrs. Ora P. King is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holman have returned from a pleasant trip to Boston.

Mrs. John King, Smith's Creek, was the guest of Mrs. W. B. McKay on Monday.

Mrs. Kurling, St. John, spent Monday in town the guest of Canon and Mrs. Neales.

Miss Alice Leake spent Friday in St. John.

Miss Della Daly is visiting in Moncton, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Price.

Mrs. A. Robinson, Pleasant avenue

Miss Agnes Whitcraft was again hostess at a delightful sleighing party last Friday evening. The guests, numbering about thirty, drove to the home of Miss Grace Alton, where a very pleasant evening was spent. The chaperones were Mrs. Jos. Lamb, Mrs. J. L. Prescott and Mrs. Horace Slipp.

Miss Annie E. Dodge, of the Western Union Telegraph Co., has returned to work after a week's vacation on account of illness.

The Misses Vera Jones, Mira Cogson and Ina McFarlane were in St. John Wednesday attending the millinery opening.

Rev. T. B. and Mrs. Gaskill are receiving much sympathy from their many friends in the loss of their infant son, which occurred at their home on Friday last. The funeral took place on Monday, at which Rev. Canon Neales and Rev. Mr. Crowfoot of Hampton officiated.

Miss Jean Allison, of Sussex, graduate of Mount Allison Conservatory of Music, who is taking a post graduate course in Germany, has lately been highly honored by receiving an invitation to play the Grieg Concerto at a concert to be given in Berlin in April, by the Philharmonic Orchestra, which is composed of eighty members. Miss Allison's teacher is Lusenko, under whom Prof. Bruntun studied for a number of years. Miss Allison

SHEDIAC

Shediac, N. B., Mar. 12.—Miss Annie Desart of Cocagne, is the guest this week of friends in town.

Mrs. A. P. Burt is spending some time with friends in Moncton. Her daughter, Miss Frances, who is a professional nurse, left town recently for Boston.

Miss Ethel Turner, who is taking a course in professional nursing in Pittsfield, Mass., is making a short visit to her parents, Rev. Edwin and Mrs. Turner at the Methodist parsonage.

Mrs. H. S. Bell of Moncton was the guest recently of her sister, Mrs. D. S. Harper.

Mrs. H. H. Schaefer and Mrs. E. A. Smith are in St. John this week.

Miss Gertrude Evans is visiting friends in St. John.

Miss May Harper entertained the Ladies' Bridge Club last week, when the prize fell to Mrs. J. D. Weldon.

Mrs. Gordon Blair will be hostess for the bridge club this afternoon, Thursday.

Mr. Geo. A. White entertained the Sewing Circle of the Methodist church on Friday afternoon. The circle will meet this week with Mrs. Turner at the Methodist parsonage.

The ladies of the Baptist Sewing Circle met this week with Mrs. Taylor at the West End.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Jeffries are being congratulated on the arrival at their home of a young son.

Mr. C. D. Davis was in St. John on Wednesday.

WEDDINGS.

Corkhill-Martin.

Robert William Corkhill and Miss May Martin of 93 Jacques St., Somerville, Mass., daughter of the late William and Elizabeth Martin of this city, were united in marriage on Saturday evening, Feb. 21st, at the parsonage of the Broadway M. E. church, by the pastor, Rev. Wm. M. Crawford. The single ring ceremony was used. Harry G. Martin, formerly of this city, and brother of the bride, and Miss Mullan, a niece, attended the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Corkhill left for Kansas City where they will reside.

OBITUARY.

Frederick W. White.

Centreville, Mar. 11.—On Sunday, March 8, the death occurred of Frederick William White, fourth son of G. L. White, Esq., M. L. A., and Mrs. White. The deceased, who had been deaf and invalid from birth, was in his seventeenth year. He was a favorite with all who knew him. The funeral, which took place on Tuesday at 10.30 a. m., was one of the largest ever seen in Centreville. Practically the whole population attended. The service was held at the house by the rector of Wilmot, The choir of St. James' Anglican

church sang "Peace, Perfect Peace," and "Tender Shepherd, Thou Hast Sifted." At the close of the service the "Nunc Dimittis" was chanted. Interment took place in St. James' churchyard.

"STARS JOIN ESSANAY."

Two more former stars of the legitimate stage have cast their lot with the rapidly increasing army of motion picture players. They are Rapley Holmes, the talented dramatic artist, and Eddie Redway, the comedian. They are now on the staff of the Essanay Eastern Stock Company at Chicago.

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ST. ANDREWS

St. Andrews, Mar. 14.—Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. E. A. Cockburn returned on Saturday from a pleasant visit with St. John friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haycock are rejoicing over the arrival of a little son on March 8.

Mr. W. M. Fraser returned to the supply of Greenock church last week.

Mr. T. A. Hart, M. P., Ottawa, spent Sunday with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gillman entertained very pleasantly at three tables of whist on Friday evening of last week, when Mrs. P. G. Hanson, Mr. Cecil DeWolfe and Mr. Elmer Rigby carried off the prizes. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rigby, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rigby, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rigby, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil DeWolfe, Mr. Hector Richardson entertained a number of his friends very delightfully at whist on Thursday of last week.

Mr. O. M. Melanson, M. L. A., was home from Fredericton over Sunday and returns to the capital this week accompanied by Mrs. Melanson.

Miss May Harper left town on Wednesday to visit Mrs. O. P. Wilbur, Sussex.

Mr. Prince of Pine Hill College, Halifax occupied the pulpit of Knox church here on Sunday.

Miss Kate Threl has been confined to the house owing to a severe cold.

A highly enjoyable entertainment took place at Brookside, the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tait on Friday evening last, in connection with the Children's Mission Band of the Methodist church. Miss Jessie Howe, returned missionary from Japan, gave a most interesting address on this occasion and views of ports visited by her on her return home via the Suez Canal were illustrated by means of the microscope. At the close of her remarks Miss Howe was tendered a vote of thanks. Refreshments were then served. All present, adults and little folk, thoroughly appreciated the function and the silver collector taken, realized a neat sum to the Mission Band.

Mrs. H. B. Steeves went to St. John on Wednesday and is at the home of her brother, Mr. D. W. Harper.

week when Miss Noe Stinson, Mr. Sydney Anning, Miss Ethel Cummings and Mr. Dan Hanson were the lucky prize winners. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rigby, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hanson, the Misses Noe Stinson, Laura Shaw, Edith Hewitt, Pearl Graham, May Anning, Florence Anning and Eva Outhouse, Messrs. Sydney Anning, Donald Anning, Haze Burton, George Carpenter, Kenneth Cummings, Frank Malloy, Will Anning, W. F. Malloy, Charles Malloy.

Mrs. Currie of Fredericton Junction, is visiting her friend, Miss Maude Greenlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Hanson and Mr. Kenneth Cummings have been in St. Stephen this week.

Mr. Sydney Ross, of Saskatoon paid a short visit to St. Andrews this week.

Miss Marjorie Greenlaw, of Wawers is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. T. A. Hart.

ST. GEORGE, N. B.

The annual meeting of the W. A. of St. Mark's church, was held on Wednesday, the rector opened the meeting with prayer and a short address and also presided owing to the absence of the president through ill health.

The report for the past year was read and passed. Officers elected for the year are: President, Mrs. G. Craig; vice-pres., Miss G. Meating; sec.-treas., Miss I. Spear; Dorcas, Miss H. Craig. Delegates to annual meeting: the president, Misses L. Brown, L. Meating, B. McVicker.

Plans were made for a regular weekly and monthly meeting.

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"The SHADOW"

By ARTHUR STRINGER

(Continued from yesterday.)

It was then that something deep within his nature, something he could never quite define, whispered its first faint doubt to him. This doubt persisted even when late that night a Trust Agency operative wired him from Calgary, stating that a man answering Binhart's description had just left the Alberta Hotel on Banff. To this latter point Blake promptly wired a full description of his man, had an officer posted to inspect every alighting passenger, and early the next morning received a telegram, asking for still more particulars.

He peered down at this message, vaguely depressed in spirit, discarding theory after theory, testing aside contingency after contingency. And up from this gloom, however slowly emerged one of his "hunches," one of his vague impressions, coming blindly to the surface very much like an earth worm crawling forth after a fall of rain. There was something wrong, he felt as he defined it. Too continue westward would be to depend too much on the uncertainty; it would increase the risk of wandering too far from the center of things. He suddenly decided to double on his tracks and swing down to Chicago. Just why he did as he did he could not fathom. But the feeling was there. It was an instinctive propulsion, a "hunch." These hunches were to him, working in the dark as he was compelled to, very much what whistlers are to a cat. They could not be called an infallible guide. But they at least kept him from colliding with impenetrabilities.

Acting on this hunch, as he called it, he caught a Great Northern train for Minneapolis, transferred to a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul express, and without loss of time sped southward. When, thirty hours later, he alighted in the heart of Chicago, he found himself in an environment more to his liking, more adaptable to his ends. He was not disheartened by his failure. He did not believe in luck in miracles, or even in coincidence. But experience had taught him the bewildering extent of the resources which he might command. No intricate and so wide-reaching were the secret wires of his information that he knew he could wait, like a spider at the centre of its web, until the betraying vibration awakened some far-reaching thread of that web. In every corner of the country lurked a non-professional ally, a secreted tipster, ready to report to Blake when the call for a report came. The world, that great detective had found, was indeed a small one. From its secreted corners, into which his subterranean wires of espionage stretched, would in time come some inkling, some hint, some discovery. And at the conversing center of those wires Blake was able to sit and wait, like the central operator at a telephone switchboard, knowing that the tentacles of attention were creeping and wavering about dim territories and that in time they would render up their awaited word.

In the meantime, Blake himself was by no means idle. It would not be from official circles, he knew, that his redemption would come. Time had already proved that. For months past every police chief in the country had held his description of Binhart very well in mind, and knowing that he would continue to move as he had been moving, with the utmost discretion, at least protected by some adequate disguise.

It would be from the underworld that the echo would come. The next day to New York Blake knew, Chicago would make as good a central exchange for this underworld as could be desired. Knowing that the city of the Middle West, and knowing it well, he

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at once "went down the line," making his rounds steadily and systematically, first visiting a West Side faro-room and casually interviewing the "stools" of Custom House Place and South Clark Street, and then dropping in at the Cafe Acropolis, in Halsted Street, and lodging houses in even less savory quarters. He duly canvassed every likely street, "making" every rambling house and yeag hang out. He engaged in leisurely games of pool with stone-getters and gamblers. He talked bucket-shop with the till-tappers and single-drillers. He always made his inquiries after Binhart seem accidental, a case apparently subsidiary to two or three others which he kept always to the foreground.

He did not despair over the discovery that no one seemed to know of Binhart or his movements. He merely waited his time, and extended new ramifications into newer territory. His word still carried its weight of official authority. There were still an army of inquisitive underlings compelled to respect his wishes. It was merely a matter of time and mathematics. Then the law of averages would ordain its end; the needle would ultimately be turned up, the right dial-twist would at last complete the right combination.

The first faint glimmer of life, in all those seemingly dead wires, came from a gambler named Mattie Sherman, who reported that he had met Binhart, two weeks before, in the cafe of the Brown Palace in Denver. He was traveling under the name of Bannerman, wore his hair in a pompadour, and had grown a beard.

Blake took the first train out of Chicago for Denver. In this city an Elk's Convention was supplying blue-ribbed weather for underground tipsters, busy with bunco-steering, "rushing" street-cars and "lifting" leathers. Before the stampede at the news of his approach, he picked up a man named Lefty Stivers, put on the screws, and learned nothing. He went next to Glory McShane, a Marquette Street detective in doubt for certain old favors, and from her, too, learned nothing of moment. He continued the quest in other quarters, but the results were equally discouraging.

Then began the real detective work about which Blake knew, newspaper stories were seldom written. This work involved a laborious and monotonous examination of hotel registers, a canvassing of ticket agencies and cab stands and transfer companies. It was anything but story-book thrilling. It was a dispiriting tread-mill round, but he was still sifting doggedly through the tallings of possibility, when a code-wire came from the St. Louis, saying Binhart had been seen the day before at the Planter's Hotel.

Blake was cashed on his way to St. Louis one hour after the receipt of this wire. And an hour after his arrival in St. Louis he was engaged on an apparently care-free and leisurely game of pool with one Loony Ryan, an old-time "box man" who was allowed to roam with a clipped wing in the form of a suspended indictment. Loony, for the liberty thus doled out to him, rewarded his benefactors by an occasional indulgence in the pig-nose.

"Draw for lead?" asked Blake, lighting a cigar.

"Sure," said Loony.

Blake pushed his ball to the top cushion, won the draw, and broke. "Seen anything of Wolf Yonkholm?" he casually inquired, as he carried to the table his cue.

"What's she been 'doin'?" demanded Loony, with his cue on the rail.

"She's traveling with a bank sneak named Blanchard or Binhart," explained Blake. "And I want her."

"Hep Roony saw Binhart this mornin' headin' for N' Orleans. But he wasn't traveling with any moll that Hep spoke of."

Blake made his shot, chalked his cue again, and glanced down at his watch. His eyes were on the green baize, but his thoughts were elsewhere.

"I got 'o leave you, Loony," he announced as he put his cue back in the rack. He spoke slowly and calmly. But Loony's quick gaze circled the room, promptly checking two dependable faces between the four walls.

"What's up?" he demanded. "Who's you spot."

"Nothing, Loony, nothing! But this game o' yours blamed near made me forget an appointment o' mine!"

Twenty minutes after he had left the bewildered Loony Ryan in the pool parlor he was in a New Orleans sleeper, southward bound. He knew that he was getting within striking distance of Binhart, at least. The zest of the chase took possession of him. The trail was no longer a "cold" one. He knew which way Binhart was headed. And he knew he was not more than a day behind his man.

The moment Blake arrived in New Orleans he shut himself in a telephone booth, called up six somewhat undesirable acquaintances, learned nothing to his advantage, and went quickly but quietly to the St. Charles. There he closed himself with two dependable "shows" started his detectives on a round of the hotels, where he held off-handed and ponderously facetious conversations with certain well-to-do characters. Then came a visit to certain equally unsavory wharf-rats and a call to two on South Rampart Street. But still no inkling of Binhart or his intended movements came to the detective's ears.

It was not until the next morning, as he stepped into Anderson's, on Poydras Street, just off the Rue Royal, that anything of importance occurred. The moment he entered that bare and cluttered restaurant where Monsieur Justice could pick up such startling

choucroute dishes, his eyes fell on Abe Shone, a drinker with whom he had had previous and somewhat painful encounters. Shone, it was plain to see, was in clover, for he was breakfasting readily, on squares of toast covered with shrimp and picked crab meat creamed, with a blouse of blue fish and papa-bones in ribbons of bacon, to say nothing of fruit and brulieau.

Blake insisted on joining his old friend Shone, snuff to the latter's first discomfiture. It was obvious that the drum snuff, having made a recent haul, would be amenable to persuasion. And, like yeags, he was an upholder of the "moccasin telegraph," a wanderer and a carrier of stray tidings as to the movements of others along the undergrooves of the world. So while Blake breakfasted on shrimp and crab meat and French artichokes stuffed with caviar and anchovies, he intimated to the uneasy-minded Shone, in a manner known to a certain recent coup. In the face of this charge Shone indignantly claimed that he had only been playing mindo and having a run of greenhorn's luck.

"Abe, I've come down to gather you in," announced the calmly mendacious Blake. "The line o' talk they all hand out. That's what Connie Binhart said when we had it out up in St. Louis. 'Did you bump into Binhart in St. Louis?'"

"We had a talk, three days ago," Shone said. "When he'd blow through this town as though he had a right o' bull's and pig-sticks behind him. Blake's heart went down like an elevator with a broken cable. But he gave no outward sign of this inward commotion.

"Because he wants to get down to Colon before the Hamburg-American boat hits the port," ventured Blake. "He's molly's aboard!"

"But he blew out for Frisco this mornin'," contended the puzzled Shone. "Shot through as though he'd just had a rumble."

"Oh, he said that, but he went south, all right."

"Then he went in an oyster sleep, then he went sailing from this port today."

"Well, what's Binhart got to do with your trouble anyway? What I want is a rumble."

"But I saw him start," persisted the other. "He ducked for a day coach and said 'I'm a molly's behind him.' And he sure looked like a man in a hurry!"

(Continued Monday.)

COMMITTEE TO INQUIRE INTO POLLUTION OF NAVIGABLE WATERS

Ottawa, Mar. 18.—Hon. J. D. Hasen has given notice of a resolution in the Commons providing for the appointment of a special committee to inquire into what legislative steps can be taken to prevent the pollution of navigable waters. The committee will consist of Messrs. Baker, Belland, Boyer, Bradbury, Burrell, Hasen, Kyle, Lesperance, McCoy, McCraney, MacLoy, Murphy, Northrup, Sevier, Watson and Wilson. (Wentworth.)

It will be remembered that the question was up last year both in the Senate and the Commons in connection with bills proposed by Senator Belcourt and Geo. Bradbury.

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FEDERAL LEAGUE ARE IT

Chicago, Mar. 13. The erection of the League plant was the subject of a meeting of the Federal League. The meeting was held at the home of James A. Gilmore, the club, had full building commission consent of a majority of the members of the club. Two hundred men work on the plant, and the grand stand about completed.

PICNICK

Baltimore, Md. Dan Duggan, Federal League club adm. had heard that the man of his club, Federal League, would vulgus the source. Topeka, Kan.—first baseman of the International Federal League team. Cleveland, Ind.—a Federal League player, has signed again having turned a treator from the Chicago-Catch has been negotiated, he signed the New York City. He was announced Johnson, president of the Federal League. Port Jervis, N. Y. Joe Wood was training at Hot Sox probably on port made today who is attending to the Federal League. When Freddie's meet at Little will be the very to be counted in. Highweight division of Freddie's stopped due for the tender, but if he can a sterling little he must again seriously.

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FAST HORSE RACES AT WOODSTOCK

Special to The Standard.
Woodstock, March 13.—The ice was rather soft for the horse races this afternoon but nevertheless they furnished keen amusement to a large crowd. Among the outside horses were Robert W., a racing gelding owned by Leo Davitt of Fredericton, and Fred S., a big pacing gelding owned by Geo. R. Smith of Lakeville, which the horsemen of the town particularly liked. He is seven years old, an Ab-fondly by pure Wilkes mother and had a quarter in 33 1/2 seconds but he was set back for swerving and for a green horse the time is counted very fast. Mr. Smith received a good offer for the gelding at the close of the races. This will probably be the last race of the season unless the races are held in the morning when the ice is firmest. W. J. Brown was starter, Hugh Gallagher and Sandy Shaw, judges, and P. L. Thompson, timer. The summary follows:

Class A. Pace.
Mayville Boy, W. Tompkins, 1 1 1
Lady Parkdale, J. Briggs, 2 2 2
Fred S., Geo. Smith, 3 2 2
Time—33 1/2, 33 1/2.

Class B. Pace.
Robert W., L. Davitt, 1 1 1
Strocock, Mr. Grant, 2 2 2
Anna D., H. Davitt, 2 2 2
Time—35, 34, 35.

Class A. Trot.
Verna L., H. Lindsey, 1 1 1
Scott, F. Plummer, 2 2 2
Ray Minnie, John Young, 3 2 2
Mac E., E. H. B. B., 4 2 2
Time—34 1/2, 37 1/2.

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U.N.B. TEAM DEFEATED BY DALHOUSIE

Fredericton, N. B., Mar. 13.—Dalhousie College won from the U. N. B. basketball team this evening by a score of twenty-five to eighteen in a rough game at the U. N. B. gymnasium. Laughlin, the mainstay of the U. N. B. team, was knocked out in the last period, and with ten minutes to play and U. N. B. with Moore in Laughlin's place, and Burden substituting throughout the evening for Alexander, whose ankle was sprained in St. John a few evenings ago, the Dalhousie heavies pulled out a victory. Creighton was the star of the Dalhousie team, scoring eleven of their points. In the first period U. N. B. led by a score of ten to five. Messrs. Dolan and Pincus, two old football stars, handled the game satisfactorily.

The line-up follows:
U. N. B.: Jago, McGibbon, forwards; Burden, centre; Laughlin, Bender, guards.
Dalhousie: Creighton, James, forwards; Marsters, centre; Cowan, Graham, guards.

Scoring summary
U. N. B.: Field goals, Bender, two; Jago, two; McGibbon one; penalty goals, Bender two.
Dalhousie: Field goals, Creighton five, James one, Marsters three, Cowan one; penalty goals, Creighton one, James four.

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FEDERAL LEAGUERS ARE IN COURT

Chicago, Mar. 13.—A suit to prevent the erection of the Chicago Federal League plant was brought in the county circuit court today by Herman Croon, owner of property near the site of the proposed park. The plaintiff asserted in his bill that Charles Weegman, William M. Walker and James A. Gilmore, incorporators of the club, had failed to file with the building commissioner the written consent of a majority of property owners on the streets surrounding the park.

Two hundred men have been at work on the park for more than a week, and the concrete foundations of the grand stand and bleachers are about completed.

ELIGIBLES TO KENTUCKY FUTURITY

Lexington, Ky., Mar. 13.—The list of eligibles to the Kentucky Futurity to be trotted here at the fall meetings of the Kentucky Horse Breeders' Association in 1914, 1915 and 1916 were announced today and enabled the association to distribute \$26,000 among the four events. It is divided as follows: \$5,000 for the two-year-old trotters at the meeting of 1914; \$2,000 for three-year-old pacers at the meeting of 1915; \$14,000 for three-year-old trotters at the meeting of 1915, and \$5,000 for four-year-old trotters at the meeting of 1916.

A gold cup will go to the winner of the four-year-old event.

WITH THE BIG BALL PLAYERS

Boston, Mar. 13.—The sale of Joseph Schults, an infielder, to the Rochester club of the International League, was reported tonight in despatches from the Boston Nationals' training camp at Macon, Ga. Schults played with the Toronto Internationals last year.

Oakland, Calif., Mar. 13.—Joe Oeschger, pitcher for St. Mary's College team, signed a three-year contract today to play with the Philadelphia Nationals and will report to that club next week. He is a right-hander who has been successful in college baseball for two years.

Montreal, Mar. 13.—Charlie Handford, outfielder of the Montreal International baseball team wires the club from Buffalo today announcing that he had joined the Federal League. Handford was lent to Buffalo Internationals for last season when he refused to report and Otto DeBinger came here in his place.

WHAT THE FIGHTERS HAVE TO SAY

Milwaukee, Wis., March 14.—Willie Ritchie: I knew I could beat Wolgast and I can defeat him over the long route. I did not hit him low, and his actions were only a stall. I fought him at his own game and beat him all the way.

Ad. Wolgast: "Ritchie fouled me in the seventh round, and if it had not been for the low blow I would have stopped him. I am sure I can beat him, and I only hope he gives me a match over the long route."

CAPITAL PLAYERS DEFEATED

The Fredericton High School basketball team fell an easy victim to the players on the local High School team yesterday afternoon, when they were defeated to the tune of 56 to 11 in a one-sided game played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The teams lined up as follows:

St. John H. S. Fredericton H. S.
St. Andrews, Forward.
Dummer, Centre.
McAndrews, Defence.
Day, Donovan
Nixon, Colwell
C. D. Howard, Y. M. C. A. physical director, handled the whistle in a satisfactory manner.

PICKED

Baltimore, Md.—Manager "Jack" Dunn of the Baltimore International League club admitted today that he had heard that Fred Parent, utility man of his club, had jumped to the Federal League. Dunn would not divulge the source of his information.

Topeka, Kan.—Art Griggs, last year first baseman of the Montreal club of the International League, announces he has signed with the Brooklyn Federal League team.

Battelle, an Indian deaf mute from Cleveland, is to be given a trial in the box by the Portland (Ore.) club of the Pacific Coast League.

Lefty Leifield, one of the big league, has signed again with San Francisco, having turned a deaf ear to many entreaties from the Federal League.

Chicago—Catcher Ed Sweeney, who has been negotiating with the Federals here, signed a new contract with the New York American League. It was announced at the office of Ban Johnson, president of the league.

Manager Dooin of the Phillies looks for Pitcher Ben Tincup, the Indian, to amount to a whole lot this season. Tincup's only fault is that he is slow in delivering the ball.

Port Jervis, N. Y., March 11.—That Joe Wood will be able to report for training at Hot Springs with the Red Sox probably on April 1 was the report made today by Dr. P. E. Gesner, who is attending "Smoky" Joe.

When Freddie Welsh and Joe Rivers meet at Vernon on March 17, it will be the little Mexicans' last chance to be counted in at the top of the lightweight division. His two defeats by Ritchie stopped him when he seemed due for the topmost rung of the ladder, but if he can pin a defeat on such a sterling little scrapper as Welsh, he must again be considered very seriously.

New York—The State Athletic Commission has issued a request to all sporting editors to refuse to print any information regarding boxing exhibitions received over the telephone or by telegraph from any one except their accredited representatives or correspondents.

LOCAL BOWLING YESTERDAY THEY ARE PLAYING BASEBALL

ON BLACK'S ALLEYS.
Last night on Black's alleys in the City League the Tigers captured the four points from the Ramblers. The score follows:

Ramblers.			
Wilson	80	84	87-261 87
Jordan	79	103	72-254 84 2-3
Sutherland	94	83	79-256 85 1-3
Lemon	77	69	80-226 75 1-3
Beattsey	72	91	82-245 81 2-3
402 430 410 1242			
Tigers.			
Belyea	89	94	82-265 88 1-3
Gilmour	82	81	86-249 83
Gregory	89	84	84-287 89
Harrison	81	91	92-264 88
Moors	81	105	95-281 93 2-3
422 455 449 1326			

TONIGHT'S MATCH.
The Nationals and Pirates play a double header tonight in the City League.
There will be no Commercial League game.

ON VICTORIA ALLEYS.
The five mad league contest on the Victoria alleys last night proved interesting, as teams No. 2 and No. 4 broke even, each taking two points. The individual score follows:

Team No. 2.			
Duffy	90	107	80-277 93 1-3
Roxborough	84	87	84-255 85
Jenkins	91	78	76-244 81 2-3
Downing	85	110	87-282 94
Brown	92	85	87-264 88
442 467 414 1323			
Team No. 4.			
Featherstone	88	81	96-265 88 1-3
Manning	88	92	117-297 99
Brewer	70	89	84-243 81
Labbe	91	110	92-293 97 2-3
McGivern	76	91	85-252 84
413 463 474 1350			

Highest Score.
Albert Lanerman made the highest score of the night with 136 pins.

Flag at Sand Point
An interesting and impressive ceremony was carried out yesterday morning when the Union Jack was raised on the flagstaff recently erected on No. 6 shed by Brunswick Chapter, Daughters of the Empire. A large number of persons were present and Mayor Frink raised the flag while all sang the national anthem. The tugs and steamers in the harbor joined in the salute by a loud tooting of whistles.

Harry Martin, the sensational pitcher of Turf's nine in 1910 and who later was signed by Connie Mack for his Philadelphia Athletics, has joined the Tufts coaching staff.

POINTS MEDALS.

On the St. Andrew's ice yesterday Messrs. E. A. Smith, Dr. J. M. Magee and S. P. McQuinn were the points medals and all that is wanted is some cold weather to enable the skips to play off.

Dedicate Church
The United Baptists of Perth will dedicate their new house of worship on Sunday, March 15th, Rev. Geo. B. McDonald of Sussex, a former pastor, and other ministers in the province will take part in the services. The building is new, modern and commodious, and reflects great credit on the church and town. It has cost over \$6,000. Rev. W. M. Field is the pastor.

ST. ANDREWS TRIMMED HAMPTON

The three rinks from Hampton who curled against St. Andrews last night were defeated by a score of 49 to 32. The following is the score by rinks:

St. Andrews.		Hampton.	
H. R. Dunn	W. Fleming	W. Stewart	R. Appley
A. G. Stevens	M. Conway	Dr. A. H. Merritt	T. W. Barnes
St. Andrews, skip	19	skip	19
A. L. Foster	R. Bennett	F. A. Godsoe	F. L. Conway
G. A. Kimball	W. Boydair	C. H. Peters	F. Giggsey
St. Andrews, skip	15	skip	15
J. R. Haycock	J. E. Angevine	A. R. McBeath	A. W. Hicks
A. G. Sancton	R. H. Smith	H. P. Rankine	G. M. Wilkins
St. Andrews, skip	15	skip	15
Total	49	Total	32

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The greatest cosmetic known is pure air. One has but to look at the pallor of the men or women who are long in close confinement, as in our penitentiaries, to realize this. The body, as well as the lungs, needs air and it would be impossible for anyone to live if he were encased in an air-tight covering, even though he could breathe through his nose. It is a matter of history that one of the choir boys at the Vatican was covered with gold foil to represent an angel in one of their ecclesiastical pageants, and at the end he was found to be dead.

However, in your desire for fresh air, do overdo it and become sunburned and tanned. The senseless habit which so many girls have of having their hands and arms to the shoulder and turning in the neck of their shirtwaists and allowing their skin to become tanned and burned, is very reprehensible. The skin never is as fine again after being burned, and it is needless, from a health standpoint, to become sunburned. The girl who exercises mind in the open air should wear a large hat or a veil as a protection to her face, and long sleeves and large gloves for her hands and arms. Then next winter, when she begins to go to parties she will find that her skin will be all the better from this care.

Be sure and sleep with all your windows open and do not be afraid of the night air, as it is usually purer than the air in the day time. It is also foolish to think too much of your grandmother's "drafts." One does not take cold from a draft. Cold is contracted from a germ and the only way a draft can give it to you is by stirring up the germs that have congregated in an unused or dirty room.

Learn to think of fresh air as one of your greatest blessings and use all you can of it on all occasions and you will find that you will soon be possessed of a splendid lung capacity which will add years to your life, besides giving you a wholesome, clean complexion that will be good to look upon. You will also find that if you take long breaths of pure air every day, it will in some way clear out the cobwebs from your brain. Living habitually in an atmosphere of fresh air will make your thoughts and ideas



have a freshness and enthusiasm never attained by those who breathe in a vitiated atmosphere.

JUST ONE LAST WORD—Fresh air is not only a necessity to beauty, but to health as well.

Cultivation of One Talent

LOOKING about among the successful men and women, one finds that a large element entering into their success has been the cultivation of one special talent for some special line of work. Whether it is a noted designer of gowns, a private secretary, a buyer in a large store, a writer, milliner, or expert housekeeper, she has reached her present position through cultivating the particular talent which led up to this work and made it possible for her to accomplish what the position calls for. In discussing this subject recently, a high salaried woman said: "People call me clever but I am not so in the least, except in this one line. If I tried to enter any other line of work, I should not be clever at all." She had cultivated her special talent, concentrated her efforts upon the one thing,

instead of scattering her energies, and succeeded so well that her weekly salary is written in three figures. It is not infrequent for women who have been brought up in luxury to find themselves thrown on their own resources, and in that case it is not so serious if in their secure financial position they have made the most of their talents and specialized on some line.

This is an age of specializing; the all-around worker or Jack of all trades is no longer the success that he was at one time, for to meet the competition of today women have found that they must become expert in some one line of work. Whatever the talent that one possesses, if cultivated it may sometimes be found a good financial prop. Whether it be a knack for making pretty hats, dresses, cooking or

what-not, if it is cultivated, it will always be a pleasure and convenience whether it ever becomes necessary to put it to use for monetary gain. Professional women have been heard to say that if for any reason it should become necessary to take up another line of work, they could make a comfortable income at the congenial work of cooking. Many a housewife has been able to add to her income and help out the family treasury by putting into use some talent which she had cultivated, possibly with no expectation of ever commercializing it. Education in the practical arts never comes amiss, for, although a woman may be in a position to employ others to do the work, she will secure much better service if she has learned how it should be done.

Christian Science Monitor.

Savory Old German Recipes

THE Empress of Germany once remarked that the three most important things to her were her church, her children and her kitchen; and the same three enter very largely into the home life of German housekeepers in general. These who have traveled on the Continent will recall with pleasure the many soups, both sweet and savory, which are served there; and when it comes to vegetable cooking, we realize that we do not begin to accomplish what we might with the abundance of material at our command. A little time spent in experimental work will soon show where we can improve our present dietary.

Potato and Onion Soup.
4 large potatoes, 4 onions, water, 2 tablespoons of flour, 2 tablespoons of butter, 1 pint of milk, 1 tablespoon of chopped parsley.
Cook the potatoes and onions together in enough water to fully cover them. When quite tender, pass them through a sieve. Reserve the water in which they were cooked and add it to them while pressing through the sieve, so as to help the process. Blend the butter and flour together smoothly and add the milk. Stir until boiling and add the potato and onion pulp. Season with salt and freshly ground pepper and just at the time of serving sprinkle the chopped parsley over the soup.

Savory Bean Soup.
1 cup of white beans, 2 large onions, 1 quart of water, butter size of an egg, pepper and salt, 1 tablespoon of flour.
Soak the beans in cold water overnight. Next morning cook them with the onions and water until quite tender, adding more water as that in the saucepan boils away. Press through a sieve so as to keep back the skins of the beans. Return all to the saucepan and bring the soup to boiling point. Bind by stirring in the butter and flour, which have been rubbed smoothly together. Season rather richly and serve very hot.

Egg Crums.
(For serving with soup.)
1 cup of flour, 1 egg, 2 tablespoons of water, salt and pepper.
Sift the flour, salt and pepper. Beat the egg just enough to blend the yolk and white together and use it, with the water, to moisten the flour. Turn onto a floured board and knead thoroughly, working in as much dry flour as possible so that a very stiff dough is formed. Let this stand for half an hour, then grate on a coarse grater and let the crumbs so formed remain spread out on a board until they dry a little. Two tablespoons or more can be cooked in any soup or beefsteak that is to be served. Allow the remainder of the crumbs to dry through-

ly; then store them away for future use. They will keep for some time.

Liver Dumplings.
2 eggs, 1-4 cup of butter, 1-2 lb. of liver, 1-4 lb. of fat bacon, 1-2 cup of bread-crumbs, chopped parsley, white herbs, salt and pepper.
Chop the liver and the bacon (both raw) as fine as possible. Beat the eggs lightly and add the butter to them. Then also the meat, the seasonings and the bread-crumbs, adding more crumbs if necessary. This will depend on the softness or dryness of the crumbs and on the size of the eggs. The mixture should be just stiff enough to make a paste which can be formed into balls. Divide into portions, roll smoothly in the hands and place in boiling water before boiling, cooking about fifteen minutes.

Potato Dumplings.
4 cold boiled potatoes, stale bread-crumbs, 2 eggs, 1-2 teaspoon of salt, 1-4 teaspoon of pepper, 1 teaspoon of parsley, dash of grated nutmeg, 2 tablespoons of flour, 2 cups of fried bread-crumbs.
Grate the potatoes and add to them one cupful of stale bread-crumbs, salted in a little milk—just enough to moisten; also one cupful of bread-crumbs crisped in a little butter or drippings. Add also the eggs, flour and seasonings. Form into medium sized balls and steam or boil twenty minutes. Turn onto a serving dish and sprinkle with the remaining fried bread-crumbs.

Savory Cabbage.
1 medium sized cabbage, 1 pint of moistened stale bread, 1-2 lb. of sausage meat, 1 finely chopped onion, salt and pepper, grated nutmeg, 1 pt. of stock.
Blend together the softened bread, sausage meat and all of the seasonings. Remove the outer leaves of the cabbage, cleanse it thoroughly and cook in boiling water for ten minutes. Drain, spread the leaves apart and place the force meat between them. Press the leaves back as nearly into shape as possible and tie the cabbage firmly with tape or string, so that it remains in compact form. Place in a deep baking-dish with the broth. Cover closely and cook until tender, basting from time to time during the cooking. Serve very hot.

Fried Potato Balls.
3 cups of mashed potatoes, 1 small egg, 2 tablespoons of milk or cream, salt and pepper, 1 teaspoon of chopped parsley, stale bread-crumbs, frying fat.
Mash the potatoes very smoothly. Add to them the seasonings, parsley and the egg. Beat until quite light. Form into small round balls, no larger than an English walnut; less in

the stale bread-crumbs, then fry golden brown in smoking hot fat.

German Potato Salad.
4 large potatoes, 1 small onion, 3 slices bacon, salt and pepper, 4 tablespoons of vinegar.
Boil the potatoes in their jackets. Peel them and slice thin. Add to them the onion, cut into exceedingly fine slices. (If it is possible to get the small German potatoes, which are yellow in color, the salad will be just so much the better. Of these, of course, a larger number will be needed, as they are very small.) Cut the bacon into dice; fry it until crisp and then pour it with the fat over the potatoes. Heat the vinegar to boiling point. Add this also and blend all the ingredients thoroughly, allowing the salad to stand for a while to cool.

Disheartening Effect of Piles

It is not only the itching and stinging of piles that is to be dreaded, but also the depressing and debilitating effect on the whole system. The victim of piles cannot do efficient work. There is an uneasiness and discomfort by day, and at night the distress from the itching prevents sleep and rest, and undermines the general health.

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Grape jam with whipped cream on it is a novel and pretty dessert.

Very sour fruits can be partly sweetened by a pinch of salt while cooking.

Add a sliced banana to the white of one egg and beat until stiff. The banana will entirely dissolve and you will have a delicious substitute for whipped cream.

To clean steel knives, take a piece of board 10 inches long and six inches wide. Tack on this a piece of Brussels carpet and sprinkle with fine emery. Rub the knives on this and they will clean with little labor.

Fried food should not be allowed to become chilled before eating.

When making cocoa, if you wish to avoid having it lumpy, also the waste and mushiness of mixing with cold water, try blending the cocoa and sugar before adding to the boiling water and you will find it smooth, clean and easy.

To cool an oven when baking never open the door, but remove one of the plates of the oven.

When packing a hatbox into a trunk for a long journey, sew the hat to the bottom of the box.

—Christian Science Monitor.

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The Farmers and the Increased Cost of Foods

(The Journal of Agriculture and Horticulture.)

Much attention has been given during the past two or three years to the matter of increased cost of living. Inasmuch as the farmer produces most of the food-stuffs used in the home he is given the credit, or rather the blame for raising the cost of the family dinner. It is a little interesting to read the much-discussed topic and find out, if we can, if the blame should be laid on the shoulders of the farmer.

Before the days of centralization, industry and the towns and cities were almost wholly supplied with food-stuffs from their immediate neighborhood, and the cost of transportation was practically nil. The number of persons who lived on the land and tilled it was, in comparison with those who lived in towns, proportionately large.

Under modern industrialism, however, with crowded towns and cities and fewer workers on the land conditions have changed greatly. The surrounding country no longer supplies the city with most of its food materials. Great shipments and railway lines bring supplies from distant countries where large tracts of land have been brought under cultivation. For many years these new areas produce crops sufficient for the needs of the growing cities at a low price, so that the cost of food remained practically stationary and no pinch was felt on the working man's pocket.

Quebec Promological and Fruit Growing Society

(The Journal of Agriculture and Horticulture.)

An outbreak of scarlet fever at Macdonald College interfered to some extent with the plans for the winter meeting of the Quebec Promological and Fruit Growing Society. Quarantine regulations prevented the holding of the session at the college, as first announced, and four members of the staff who were to have given their addresses were for the same reason unable to attend the convention which was held in Westmount.

Major McKerrow offered the society the city's welcome, and spoke of the importance of fruit and vegetable culture to this province, especially in view of the increased cost of living. He referred to the handling over of the noted Montreal orchards to the land speculator and to the diminution of the Fameuse apple, which was known on both sides of the Atlantic. He hoped that an effort would be made to prevent this noted apple from becoming practically extinct.

For the latitude of Ottawa, and at the same time equal to McIntosh Red and other standard sorts. Recognition has been given by the American Pomological Society to the work already done in originating varieties. Mr. Macoun had just returned from Washington, where he had exhibited 140 varieties, all of Canadian origin. For these he had been awarded a silver medal by the Pomological Society, an honor given only in cases of exceptional merit. Quite a number of these were displayed at the meeting in Westmount for the benefit of Quebec growers. They will be thoroughly tested before they are recommended for general planting.

Father Leopold's Address.

Father Leopold, of Oka, president of the society, referred to the unfavorable nature of the past season, which had cut the apple crop short in most districts. Frost had taken the fruit in the blossom stage with the result that in the Huntington district there were very few left to harvest. In a few localities with northerly slopes there had been a fairly good set of fruit. The orchards of LaTrappe monastery at Oka had yielded 2500 barrels. Frost and sprays had done the work, and were spraying was not practiced. From this latter misfortune it was possible that good might come, since growers were forced to adopt spraying to save their trees. Power sprayers have been introduced, there being eleven of these now owned and operated in the province.

Fameuse Not Dying Out.

A paper dealing largely with technicalities in orchards was then read by Mr. J. M. F. Abbott, of Bedford, and in the discussion which followed Mr. Brodie maintained that the Fameuse apple was not dying out, and referred to the orchards at Haverock where five barrels to the tree were averaged. Such orchards, where special attention to the standards was paid, were valued to the province.

Co-Operative Fruit Growing.

A paper on what co-operation had done for fruit growers in Nova Scotia was then read by Mr. M. B. Davis, who has recently been appointed an assistant to Prof. Macoun. In a detailed explanation of the workings of the United Fruit Company of Nova Scotia, Ltd., the speaker traced its origin to the fact that at first some growers got together and formed a company. These were very successful, and other companies were formed, with the result that the keen competition made the conditions almost as bad as before any companies were formed.

Heating Orchards.

The advisability of heating orchards during a frost such as occurred last May was also discussed. Although such a killing frost may occur only once in ten years the expense of providing burners or smudge materials might be more than made up in the saving of a single crop. Growers in Colorado have adopted heating outfits

Mr. W. T. Macoun, Dominion Horticulturist, spoke on the extension of the work in connection with the Experimental Farms. There are now sixteen of these farms, and several more in prospect, entailing an expenditure of \$600,000 each year for their support. In Mr. Macoun's department there are now four assistants who are specialists in their own lines of work. These include pomology, plant breeding, experimental gardening and vegetable growing. In plant breeding there is a wide field in the originating of new varieties hardy enough

out the country there are thousands of consumers eagerly awaiting an opportunity to buy eggs, dressed poultry and other farm products direct. It will certainly mean a decided improvement in the private trade. Eggs may be shipped in packages containing from 1 to 5 dozen. Poultry may be shipped in packages holding 2 and 5 broilers, each weighing 2 lbs., boxes for 1 and 2 roasting chickens and boxes for 2 squabs. These sizes will accommodate the requirements of almost all classes of consumers.

Parcel Post and Poultry

(The Journal of Agriculture and Horticulture.)

When the parcel post system is introduced in Canada it will be a most decided benefit to the poultry industry. Strictly fresh eggs and specially fattened poultry may be mailed direct from the producer to the consumer. The farmer and the city man will be neighbors. Eggs may be laid on a farm 100 miles from the city one day and the next morning for breakfast

the city man may enjoy eggs which are not 24 hours old. The introduction of the parcel post system will mean much for the poultrymen and farmers near the larger cities. The yearly income from the average farms will be greatly increased. Furthermore it will mean much better satisfaction for the consumer because he can get a superior quality of goods which do not cost him any more and are delivered immediately. Freshness and quality can be relied upon. In the largest cities and towns through

out the country there are thousands of consumers eagerly awaiting an opportunity to buy eggs, dressed poultry and other farm products direct. It will certainly mean a decided improvement in the private trade. Eggs may be shipped in packages containing from 1 to 5 dozen. Poultry may be shipped in packages holding 2 and 5 broilers, each weighing 2 lbs., boxes for 1 and 2 roasting chickens and boxes for 2 squabs. These sizes will accommodate the requirements of almost all classes of consumers.

Sprouted Oats For Hens

(The Journal of Agriculture and Horticulture.)

After you have used sprouted oats you may wonder how you managed to get eggs before. Hens are certainly very fond of this form of green food and it is a great egg producer. Oats can be easily sprouted. In the winter time they are usually sprouted in the incubator cellar or in a fairly warm room where the temperature can be maintained at about 65 degrees. The room is kept dark, in fact, as in the usual custom as a rapid growth will take place in a dark room. The oats should first be soaked over night in lukewarm water, then spread in a shallow pan on a cloth on the floor or put them in pans or boxes. If they are put in boxes, holes should be made in the bottoms of a fine

mesh wire can be used for the bottoms. This allows all surplus water to drain away and will also provide some ventilation. Sometimes the boxes are arranged to fit in drawers one above the other. The oats should be moistened with lukewarm water every day and when the sprouts are two or three inches long they should be fed to the birds. Avoid allowing the oats to get musty. Considerable care should be exercised in keeping all pans or the boxes or the floor of the room clean. The floor should be thoroughly soaked after the remains of sprouted oats have been taken out. Enough should be put down each time so that the supply of sprouted oats for the hens will be kept going. This is one of the cheapest forms in which

to supply your laying hens with green food during the winter months.

Bearding the Lion.

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The Disgusted Gaffer—Have you ever seen such rotten play?

The Weary Caddie (who has caddied three days for only his bare wage)—No, sir, I've read of it in the comic papers.—Sketch.

Still Has a Pull.

James (who is broke)—I have one faithful friend left.

Hulks (also broke)—Who is it?

James—My pipe. I can still draw on that.—Stray Stories.

Always On The Run.

Wigg—What is meant by the "common run of people?"

Wagg—Commoners catching their morning trains.

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NEWS OF THE CITY AND WORLD

OUR NEW MINISTER-- A KALEM FEATURE

Empress Will Show Joseph Conyers in This Late Production.

Three million people have laughed at the antics of Joseph Conyers, in his inimitable characterization of "Darius Startle," in this timely rural drama, by Denman Thompson, and George Ryor. In the many years it was presented upon the stage, "Our New Minister," was shown in every State in the Union. The motion picture version of this great play tells the story with a vividness and a realism not possible in the stage performance. Mr. Joseph Conyers the original "Darius Startle," (the village constable) is featured in the film supported by Thomas McGrath, the original "Lem Ransom" the village drunkard, Alice Joyce, the village girl, and Mary Moore, and an All Star Kalem cast. This feature will be shown at the "Empress," West St. John, Monday and Tuesday.

NEXT WEEK AT THE IMPERIAL

Monday and Tuesday
THE SMUGGLER'S SON
An Elaborate Italian Drama of High Society and also of a "Den of Robbers."

Wednesday and Thursday
IN THE MIST OF THE JUNGLE
A Wonderfully Photographed Wild Animal Story. Equal to the Vitagraph of a fortnight ago.

Friday and Saturday
OPENING OF KATHLYN SERIES
"The Unwelcome Throne" is the title of the initial number of the Imperial's new great serial.

Our New Talent
RALPH SMALLEY--Cellist.
One of the solo artists of the renowned Boston Symphony Orchestra. Delightful musicals afternoon and evening.

BETTY DON--Soprano.
The final week of this refined little lady. An especially choice selection of numbers.

—Watch the Papers—

EGYPTIAN NECKLACE AND ANCIENT MUMMY

Pursuit of Criminals Carried Detectives Half Round the World.

When his daughter, the Princess Ameena died, Rameses, the Egyptian Pharaoh, placed a necklace about her neck and swore that whoever took it thence should never rest in peace until it was returned.

Some thousands of years later, Ameena's mummy was unpacked in the New York Art Museum and the necklace was discovered. The news of the discovery of the priceless relic reached the ears of a band of thieves and "Diamond Mary" was despatched to steal the necklace.

She was successful in her mission but the tremendous sensation caused by the theft made it absolutely impossible to dispose of the jewels in America. Accordingly Mary sailed for England, where she was joined by "English Jim," an accomplished criminal. Detective Imbert was engaged by the museum to conduct the search for the missing relic.

Imbert followed Mary to England and had her arrested, but not before she had given the necklace to her confederate. The pair escaped to Paris, and there Imbert met "English Jim" arrested with equally futile results. Then he followed them to Venice, where they overpowered him after an exciting chase in gondolas.

Then to Rome, where "English Jim" paid the penalty of his ill-spent life by falling from a roof in an attempt to escape the relentless sleuth.

How Imbert gave up the chase in Naples and how he finally recovered the gems in New York, there is no space to tell. Nor is there room to describe the wonderful historic settings in which so many of the scenes are laid. We can only mention Notre Dame in Paris, the Grand Canal, the Campanile and the Doge's Palace in Venice, the Forum, the Colosseum, and St. Peter's.

5,000 OUT OF WORK.
Not men, but corns that were put out of business last week by Putnam's Corn Extractor. No corn can live if treated by Putnam's. It is safe, painless and sure. Use only Putnam's 25c. at all dealers.

(For additional theatrical news see page seven.)

FEATURES AT GEM FOR NEXT WEEK

Great List of Pictures and Fine Bill of Musical Hits.

A fine bill of pictorial features and orchestral numbers has been arranged for each change of show next week at the Gem Theatre. Starting on Monday will be shown a three-part Edison feature "The Necklace of Rameses." There will also be an Irish picture "The Dublin Horse Show" and a special programme of airs of the "Land of the Shamrock" by the orchestra. On Wednesday and Thursday, the Lubin Co. will present a strong two-part drama "Out of the Depths." There will be other good picture features during the week, and the Gem Theatre will be ready to show the Gem's reputation is already well established.

AN INTERVIEW WITH TEENY WEENY FOLKS

Mabb and Weiss Seen Here This Week Give Out Some Interesting Stories.

The Midget Duo, Mab & Weiss, who conclude their engagement at Keith's Imperial today tell some very interesting things, and because of their diminutive stature the listener is naturally bound to look upon them as children, while in reality they are fully matured, well-to-do, much travelled and very intelligent folks.

Mr. Weiss is an expert watchmaker and jeweller by trade, and hails from Germany. His wife, Queen Mab, is of French origin, and uses her native tongue almost entirely of the stage.

She is well trained musically, has been educated in dancing, is a devotee of Dame Fashion, and the little pair have one hobby greater than all others, and that is farming.

A few years ago Mr. and Mrs. Weiss purchased the well known country place of the eminent actress Fanny Davenport, situated in the Middle States, and while they are touring for the Keith interests a reliable servant is keeping the place going full blast as a home for Madame Weiss' mother, who is a woman of normal size.

Madame Weiss' mother, who is a woman of normal size, has a beautiful orchard are to be found. One feature of the home is the special furnishing of a little living room, also a drawing room for the tiny master and mistress, miniature furniture having been especially made, including small piano and everything to correspond.

The sleeping apartments, however, are all "stock size," as they say in trade.

"Of course, we expect to retire to our home in a year or so," they are heard to say. "We are a sturdy pair," Mr. Weiss told the Standard man, "for we have travelled all over Europe and America, have seen everything worth seeing, have put up with a great deal of inconvenience and annoyance because of our size, and we long for the chance to take up our home permanently."

Among the amusing episodes in the career of Mr. Weiss was one in which he was apprehended by the authorities for assault and battery, the victim of the pugnas being a fellow midget in a Lilliputian Company of performers, who was endeavoring to "crab" his act.

The spectacle of the tiny midget on the charge of assault possessed a distinct brand of humor.

With a merry twinkle in his eye the little comedian told the Standard man that as one of a party of small people performing before the late Queen Victoria he was honored with a bouquet of violets, the gift of Her Majesty. These flowers were, of course, carefully preserved under glass and cherished among his bachelor belongings.

After marrying Queen Mab and when settling their home to rights, during the absence of the master of the house, her little ladyship indignantly destroyed this memento of royal favor, and the court whence it came, and suspecting that it was a fond nothing of some former love affair.

In fact Mab & Weiss talk continually of their funny little episodes, and as they have been fitting about town for the past week shopping and eating in the restaurants, they have naturally attracted a great deal of attention.

One little girl said: "Oh, mamma, I'd just like to pick that little lady to pieces like I would my own big doll,"—meaning, of course, to investigate her wardrobe. So have many people expressed a curiosity towards the little folks because of their cute little tailor-made garments, their specially made shoes and hats, their dainty little travelling equipment of furniture and the radiant accommodations at the Imperial.

MOVIE GOSSIP

The daily moving picture audience is about 5,000,000 people. A picture costs all the way from a few hundred to \$50,000 to produce. The average picture is 600 to 1000 feet long and takes 15 to 20 minutes to see.

Joseph Jefferson was one of the great legions of actors to pose for the "movies." Since then there have been Blanch Walsh, who did Tolstoy's "Resurrection"; Not C. Goodwin recently portrayed "Slylock"; Bernice Rejane, Jane Hading and many others.

The salary of a moving picture actor ranges all the way from a few dollars a week for a "sup" to \$10,000 a year for a star.

LOVE PREDOMINATES IN LUBIN WAR DRAMA

Star Has Many Special Pictures for Next Week.

Three beautiful pictures are booked for the Star Theatre next week. As leaders for such programmes a subject of more than ordinary interest has been selected. Monday and Tuesday's programme will be headed with a beautiful War Drama, by the Lubin Co., entitled "Love and War in Mexico." This elaborate photo-play in two reels will carry the audience through many thrilling and exciting scenes and keep them filled with the true title of the subject from start to finish. For Wednesday and Thursday, Pathe's great two reel drama, "The Governor's Double," will be shown. The Governor who is interesting himself in the rough handling of the inmates of the prison, is taken on one of the escaped convicts, who is the exact double of the Governor, and most peculiar happenings follow. In searching for the Governor, the convict is found and through a series of misadventures he works the trick for a short time. Mr. Paul Panzer of the Pathe Co., is seen in his best form in this picture.

Friday and Saturday's programme will be headed by one of the Vitagraph Company's heavy study subjects, "The Cure." The story tells of a doctor who is experimenting on a cure for morphine and other drug habits. The experiment having failed on different subjects, the doctor is found using the morphine himself with hopes of proving his remedy. His wife's timely act saves him from also becoming a morphine fiend.

The Star as an entertainment house is on the jump these days with best goods on the market.

INSURES HIS FACE AGAINST BEAUTY

John Bunny.

Fifty thousand dollars is the value of a thoroughly ugly face, or so thinks Mr. John Bunny, the motion picture comedian. He will receive that amount of insurance money if some mishap should make him handsome.

Recently Mr. Bunny met Mr. Hugo Leidenroth, manager for an insurance company. "You're getting better looking," remarked Mr. Leidenroth. "Heaven forbid," returned the actor. "If that ever happens I'll lose my meal ticket."

Mr. Leidenroth suggested insurance against such a calamity.

"Never thought of that, but I'll take you up," was the reply. "What will a policy for \$50,000 against facial beauty or accident to my face cost?"

The papers were made out by Mr. Bunny after he had returned to New York.

A SOLID WEEK OF IMPERIAL FEATURES

Three Remarkable Films Coming, Including First of the Kathlyn Series.

It almost seems a shame that Imperial Theatre film pictures are of such rare merit in the Lenten season when some people pledge themselves to abstinance from some luxury or another. Take for instance, the pictures to be shown at this house during the ensuing week.

On Monday there is a splendid Italian melodrama, entitled, "The Smuggler's Son." It deals with luxurious life at the home of a Marquis in one of Italy's loveliest villas, and a peculiar twist of Fate the beautiful daughter of the home is precipitated through an underground passage into a den of robbers. What she saw there while a prisoner, and how this band of smugglers led up to her own cherished household, makes a wonderful story.

Then on Wednesday and Thursday what is considered to be one of the most wonderful triumphs of motion picture is introduced through the medium of beasts of prey, and in points of excitement and surprise this will be quite the equal of the remarkable "Vitagraph" series shown at the Imperial a fortnight ago.

Then we come to the week-end picture house. Of all the serial plays ever written and filmed, "The Adventures of Kathlyn" by Harold McGrath, novelist, and the Selig Polyscope Co. photographers, seems to be the ultimate triumph. This picture is being shown in Chicago in collaboration with the Tribune newspaper;

NOTED CELLIST AT IMPERIAL NEXT WEEK

Ralph Smalley, of the Boston Symphony Orchestra Comes to St. John on Monday.



RALPH SMALLEY, 'CELLIST

When the Imperial Theatre was so auspiciously opened last September, A. Paul Keith promised the people of St. John a continuation of attractive novelties including musical, talking and spectacular features in elaboration of the usual splendid programme of motion pictures, for which the Keith people have wide renown in this section of Canada.

The coming of Ralph Smalley, 'cellist, next Monday is one other evidence of the fulfillment of this promise.

Mr. Smalley is an artist of international repute and a favorite performer of cultured Boston. For a considerable time he has been a solo player in the Boston Symphony Orchestra, but was induced by the lure of large salary to enter the vaudeville field to play in houses where better class of audiences attend. His coming to the Imperial on Monday follows almost immediately upon an extended engagement at the Imperial Theatre, Montreal, where his numbers were received with enthusiasm by music-loving people.

The Bostonian artist possesses a 'cello of exquisite mellowness and under his artistry will unquestionably give great delight to those who enjoy the best music interpreted in a superior manner. Since the days of Hans Kroemer's and Saturday's Festival Orchestra, St. John has not been blessed with such fine 'cello work, which will make Mr. Smalley's visit all the more a welcome one.

Because of the visit of the noted 'cellist the Imperial management has retained the services of Miss Betty Donn for one more week so that the programme value of the various bills will be enhanced that much more. Miss Donn has selected some of her choicest numbers as there is some expectation of her collaborating with Mr. Smalley in obligato effects.

On Wednesday and Thursday, a novel idea in the land of Photo Plays will be presented by the Reliance Co., called "Day Break." In this subject both performer appears and that is a woman, who enacts the role of a Russian spy. It is what one might call a "Fimlogue."

Friday and Saturday the Majestic Co. will take stellar honors for their remarkable work in the comedy drama, "A Prisoner of the Mountains," a story of politics and adventures in the wilds of the West. For the children's feature on Saturday afternoon of next week, The Keystone child players will be seen in their latest comedy, "His Sister's Kids."

In New York with the Sun and Telegraph; in Toronto with the Star; in Montreal with the Star, and in St. John the Imperial Theatre will be joined by The Standard newspaper in presenting this story both weekly and fortnightly. In this issue today, therefore, the first instalment of the famous Kathlyn series will be found, and the title is "The Unwelcome Throne." Three reels are contained in the first story, but subsequent pictures will be only two reels in length.

Kathlyn Hare is the daughter of Colonel Hare, a Californian collector of African wild animals. After having apparently retired from his risky vocation he is mysteriously summoned back to the dark continent and, after a long absence, his daughter Kathlyn is lured into the far off jungles by sinister influences; and the gripping story to be shown at the Imperial, and to be published in The Standard, will relate her adventures in finding her well-beloved father.

IMPERIAL

TODAY
Daniel Froham's Famous Players Co. Presents Miriam Michelson's Charming Story-Play.

"IN THE BISHOP'S CARRIAGE"

Featuring the Universal Favorite
LITTLE MARY PICKFORD
As Nancy, the Underworld Child.

IT IS DOUBTFUL IF A BETTER "VEHICLE" THAN this fine story could have been selected to show off the delightful little moods and coquetry of Miss Pickford. She is irresistibly sweet and dashing as the girl who runs away from the orphanage, falls in with crooks, then becomes a ballet dancer and finally settles down to the simple and pure life of a dear little homebody. David Bolanco controls Mary's theatrical fortunes now and kindly lent her to Mr. Froham for this production and a few others. She is sure of a welcome here.

Mab & Weiss, the Midgets, Still Big Hit
BETTY DONN, Phenomenal Soprano

READ THIS:
In Today's "Standard" Newspaper the first instalment of the greatest motion picture Serial ever issued will appear. We will show the film the following Saturday, viz.,
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To the biggest business of the season.

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Three Part Edison Drama

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Other Fine Numbers
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A Romance of Erin

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MON. TUES. WED.
The Funny Boys of Circus Fame
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WED. THUR. RELIANCE CO.
Day Break

FRI. SAT. MAJESTIC CO.
Prisoner of the Mountains

SATURDAY MATINEE
KEYSTONE CO.
"His Sisters Kids"

MON. TUES. WED.
The God of Tomorrow

THUR. FRI. SAT.
Top-Notchers in Their Line
THE RAYNOS.

MON. TUE. WED.
The Pride of the Force

THUR. FRI. SAT.
The Rose of San Juan

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"OUR NEW MINISTER"
Kalem Special in Three Parts.
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Doris Startle, ... Joseph Conyers
Lem Ransom, ... Thomas McGrath
Nance, his daughter, Alice Joyce
Thaddeus Strong, the Minister, ... Richard Bartlett
... Helen Lindworth

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SATURDAY AFTERNOON.
Special Subject, Thanhouse: Twins in "WOULD-BE TOM-BOYS"

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"A ROMANCE OF ERIN"
Typical Irish Drama. Taken on the Ould Sod Itself

STARS FROM THE VAUDEVILLE SKY OF LIGHT
YOUR WAY TO MOMENTS TO PLEASURE

WATERALL AND WINFIELD
The Singer and The Funny Girl.

"STAR"—Next Week's Leaders

Mon. Tue. "LOVE AND WAR IN MEXICO" 16th 17th

Wed. Thur. "THE GOVERNOR'S DOUBLE" 18th 19th

Fri. Sat. "THE CURE"—Vitagraph Drama 20th 21st

The All Feature Motion Picture Theatre