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CHRISTMAS

IN ITS CHRISTMAS DRESS

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carried out.

But as time went on, very good reasons were found to cause disappointment. However optimistic newspaper writers of New Brunswick may be, and however high their ophicin is regarding the advantages of this province, certainly none among The Standard at ataff had, a few months ago, anything like a real appreciation of actual conditions. The task of preparing this paper has brought home in a very forcible manner the conviction that there is far more in New Brunswick than ninety-nice per cent. of its inhabitants realize. Although the preparation of The Standard's special number was commenced six weeks ago, and while it was thought that this time would be sufficient to secure and write the desired information, it was soon seen to be utterly impossible for force, which is a work to be satisfactorily carried out. All that remained, therefore, was to select from the tremendous mass of material available that portion which, it was believed, would appeal most strongly to those portions of the country fa which the standard.

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Hold Their Annual Meeting in Halifax-W. J. Wetmore of St. John is the New President -A Live and En thusiastic Organization.

The Maritime Commercial Travellers' Association held its annual meeting in Halifax last evening, when William J. Wetmore of this city, representing Moir's Limited, was by acclamation elected president, succeeding A. Milne Fraser, of Halifax.

This association has during the past ten or fifteen years become one of the most important and influential institutions in the commercial life of the three provinces. Largely because of its activities, the methods of business have been transformed, and the work of selling goods reduced almost to an exact science.

Established in 1831 by a small group of the cider travellers of that time, who in their exterprise secured the



WILLIAM J. WETMORE
The New President.

ow more than ever, ciation boasted by the end of its first y, have the making in year a membership list of almost one in the coming year, century of peace, begins speaking people namerican Continent, or controlled achievement or progress, but in the early nineties it became infectors begins and the fruits of the fruits of

his is the tree we soon shall see, in bloom the world around.



Courtenay Bay As it Will Appear When Finished.

those qualified to enjoy places in its membership roll, it has been of undoubted benefit to the travelling men of the provinces, and has done much in every way possible to its members in advancing the interests of the east.

The association was incorporated in 1886 by special act of the legislature of Nova Scotia. Its primary objects were set forth to be: To secure as far as possible all the concessions and benefits which as a collective body, they are capable of obtaining, the general advancement, welfare and interests of its members, whether for mutual support, protection, information or provision; and by an agreed annual subscription, the formation of a fund which shall be applicable to the insurance of its members in such manner, by such means, and against such contingencies as may be recommended by the directors for the timebelng; and such other approved purposes as the members, or a majority of them, shall by their votes, decide at any annual or special general meeting.

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at any annual or special general meding.

The mortuary benefits to which reference is made, consist practically of life insurance ranging as high as \$960, and varying in amount according to the age and term of membership of the member. The association has paid thousands of dollars annually in this way, and no better certificate of the healthiness of the commercial life should be required than is found in the financial statement. This shows that in spite of these recurst.



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SATURDAY MORNING. DECEMBER 13, 1913

PROBS.-FAIR

PRICE TWO CENTS

Interesting Evening Held By The Local Canadian Clubs.

British Parliament May Deal With The Situation.

FISHERIES TREATY UP

Expect that States' Ultimatum Will Be Ready For Meeting.

MATTER ALREADY LONG TIME IN ABEYANCE.

Congress Refuses to Ratify Until Several Modifications to Have it go Through.

dion between the two countries, will prevail against the objections of the United States fishing interests on the Pacific coast to the passing of leafile. Major Archer-Shee, who won his lation to put the treaty into effect, will largely be determined at a meeting of Canadian and United States Commissioners of Fisheries to be held in Ottawa next week.

Dr. Hugh M. Smith, head of the United States fisheries, will arrive in the capital next week, and will meet Prof. Prince, Dominion Commissioner of Fisheries, and Marine Department officials in regard to the matter. Dr. Smith is expected to bear a message which will indicate once and for all whether the United States government is willing to give effect to the propose at reaty as it stands by passing an act embodying its provisions, or whether the whole matter is to be let drop. Where President Wilson comes into the matter is in his known desire, to have the treaty put through. The Canadian government under the terms of the treaty put through. The Canadian government under the terms of the treaty put through. The Canadian government whether the matter is most and under the decided to put it into effect but as is well known the United States Congress refused to pass it until some eleven of its clauses had been delected. These, which were among the most important provisions in the whole treaty, included proposed regulations governing the Pacific coast to which the lidea of putting through a mutilated agreement and there the matter has since stood.

With the accession of the Democratic government, however, prospects have improved. It has been learned that President Wilson himself is most anytous to see the treaty put through, Furthermore, Dr. Hugh Smith has expressed himself as hopeful that this leoult may be attained, the under the state of the control of the c

INVESTIGATE

are Made-Wilson Anxious Unionist Member of Parliament Now in Sonora After Information for Use in Un-

LOCAL MILK DEALERS CLAIM DANGER OF CORNER IN SUPPLY

Mysterious Meeting of Dealers Last Night to Fight Alleged Movement-Decide to Ask Consumers to Cut Down on Consumption of Milk for the Present-The Other Side of

Panoramic View of City from the Fort. UNITED SOCIETIES PASS RESOLUTION TO CONVERT FORT HOWE INTO PARK

IN MEXICO Large and Representative Audience Shows Appreciation of Project Interesting Addresses Tell of Progress Made.

A large and representative audience gathered in York Theatre last evening to show their appreciation of the project to convert Fort Howe into a park. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club, in opening to show their appreciation of the project to convert Fort Howe into a park. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club, and interesting speeches were made by Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, Rev. H. A. Coy, A. M. Belding and Ven. Archdeacon Raymond, dealing with the history of the Fort. On motion of T. H. Estabrooks, seconded by Daniel Mullin, K. C., a resolution was adopted endorsing the project to convert Fort Howe into a national park.

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COAL BOAT EIGHT SAILORS

Shields for Portland, Me., a Total Loss — Crew Reported all Saved.

St. John's Nid., Dec. 12.—The Str. Cervona of the Cairn Line, coal laden, from Shields for Portland, struck on the rocks near Bear Cove Peint, Renew's Head, today, and was wrecked beyond probability of salvage. Renew's Head is an isolated point about fifty miles south of here and ten miles east of Cape Race. No details of the disaster have been received, although it is known that the crew is safe, the steamer's three holds are full of water and Captain Stooke is standing by his ship. The Crevona salled from Shields

MORAL SUASION YARN ENTIRELY UNFOUNDED

Story of Missionary Effort Among Eskimos Instead of BATTLESHIP Justice for Murder of Explorers Pure Fiction.

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MAIL FRAUD

Steamer Cervona Bound from State Department May Have Officers of Radio Wireless Telto Use Diplomatic Channels to Rescue Them from Iso-Promote Sale of Stock.

VERMONT IS CRIPPLED

Shaft Broken and Compartments Flooded-Under Con Voy of the Delaware 600 Miles from Bermuda.

CASES HEARD

ephone Company Made False Statement in Order to

REVENUE CUTTER TO

SEARCH FOR WRECKASE

OF UNKNOWN VESSEL

Washington, Dec. 12.—Revenue cutter headquarters today telegraphed the commander of the cutter Morrill at the Makeran war office it was an example of the cutter Morrill at the mounced that eight hundred additional troops had been dispatched from Lore a mast attached to some rigging has been sighted in Lake Erte about thirty miles north of the Cleveland breakwater. According to reports here a mast attached to some rigging has been sighted in that vicinity by passing ships.

Mexico City, Dec. 12.—Rear-Admiral Fletcher, the American commander at Tampico, has declared, according to reports here today, that there shall be no bombardment by Mexican warships of Tampico proper.

At the Mexican war office it was an online the commander of the cutter Morrill at the Jack and the defence of Tampico, Reinforcements, it was added, also had been sent to the city, according to private telegraphed the commander of the open to send a detachment of troops from Torreon to rescue the wayfarers. The Mexican gunboat Bravo is playing an important part in standing off the rebels who are attaccing Tampico, the warship directing its fire from the river at the insurgent positions on the other side of the town. In spite of the heavy firing of both the federals and rebels in the Tampico battle, little damage has been done to the city, according to private telegraphed the town from San Luis Potost, leaving at the latter place only a very small gar.

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CONFESSION

Police Inspector Describes the Scene in Murderer's Room

at Time of Arrest-Prisoner

New York, Dec. 12.—Hans Schmidt's confession of the murder of Anna Aumuller was read today into the record of his trial, by Police Inspector Faurot, in command of the detective bust reau. It was Faurot who arrested Schmidt, and to him the one-time prest told the story.

Leaving his chair, Faurot stepped before the jury box and by dramatic gesture and word re-enacted the scene of the confession. From his seat in that he prisoners' box, Schmidt viewed the unusual scene with unchanged expression.

"I slapped Schmidt on the back "I slapped Schmidt on the back "I slapped Schmidt on the back "I slapped Schmidt on the confession from his seat in the long standing did the unusual scene with unchanged expression.

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SETTLEMENT OF QUESTION

In Interest of Commerce That U. S. and Columbia Ar-

range Difficulty. LORD MURRAY SPEAKS

ON CONCESSIONS. Explains Why He Withdrew from Contract - Pearson Concern Not Hostile to Am-

erican Enterprises he Says.

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FEDERALS AND REBELS ENGAGE IN FUSILADE AT TAMPICO

No Bombardment of City By Mexican Troops - Eight Hundred Troops Rushed to Aid in Defence - British Subjects Have Taken Refuge on Warships.

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Hon. Mr. Pelletier Gives Out Statement - Decided on

ton.

In the second place, Mr. Pelletier said there are many places where the sale of liquor is now profitbited and illegal, because the people have deded that it should be so. "Am I going to thwart their wishes by allowing to the transmission of liquor by parcel post into the districts where the people have said they do not want it. In conclusion, Mr. Pelletier, said the question is settled and will not be reopened.

It is known that Mr. Pelletier is a

It is known that Mr. Pelletier is It is known that Mr. Pelletier is a firm believer in temperance princi-ples, and that before entering the gov-ernment was for a number of years a member of an anti-alcoholic league of the Province of Quebec.

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Shippers Association to be Represented at Meeting at Which Potao Embargo Will Be Discussed.

Be Discussed.

Statement — Decided on Merits of Case, Not at Instance of Temperance Body Ottawa, Dec. 12.—In an interview today, the hone. I. P. Pelletter, Postmaster General, stated that after githing the matter considerable houghth he had decided to make a public state ment as to the parcel post regulations bearing on the question of the transmission of intoricating il quore. At first Mr. Pelletter decilhed to make any statement as to the regulations until the whole scheme was worked. However, in view of the numerous communications received at the department on the matter, the postmaster general has come to the accommunications received at the department on the matter, the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the decilhed to be transmitted by packed that perhaps the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the department on the matter, the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the department on the matter, the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the department on the matter, the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the department on the matter, the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the department on the matter, the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the department on the matter, the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the coverance of the department of the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the department of the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the postmaster general has come to the coverance of the postmast general has come to the coverance of the postmast general has come to the coverance of the postmast general has come to the coverance of the postmast general has come to the coverance of the postmast general has come to the coverance of the postmast general has come to the coverance of the postmast general has come to the coverance of the postmast general has come to the coverance of the postmast general has come to the coverance of the p

The game in the City League to-night will be between the Ramblers and Pirates.

Many Subscriptions.

Miss Gunn acknowledges the following subscriptions for the Playgrounis Association:—Hon. J. D. Hazen \$50; G. E. Barbour \$20; Mrs. James Straton, A. F., Lady Tilley, Mrs. Dr. W. W. White, Mrs. E. A. Goodwin, E. L. Rising, Mrs. Percy W. Thomson, Mrs. George F. Smith, Mrs. H. A. Powell, W. E. F., George Warwick, J. A. Tilton, Mrs. F. E. Sayre, John O'Regan, Mrs. Tennant, John E. Moore, R. P. & W. F. Starr, F. C. Smith, Mrs. John Sell, T. H. Estabrooks, Mrs. James Harding, W. E. Earle, \$5 each; Mrs. Draws Harding, W. E. Earle, \$5 each; Mrs. C. H. Peters, \$3; Mrs. Beverly, Mrs. Thomas Walker, Mrs. Dr. Mer. J. R. Woodburn, L. Dunn, Mrs. Dr. Mer. J. R. Woodburn, L. Dunn, Mrs. Dr. Bonnell, Mrs. Dr. Bishop, \$1 each.

A Pretty Calendar.

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The Standard has received from F. W. Munro, the Main street druggist, a very pretty calendar. A view of life in the primeval land entitled "The Advance Guard," makes a very attractive picture on the front of the calendar.

It may possibly have been intended to demonstrate that there was no real cause for the present high prices in the beef market, but when about nine o'clock last evening while the streets were thronged with Christmas buyers a herd of cattle was driven up King street.

A Serious Accident
While putting clothes on a line stretched from a window in her dwelling early last evening a woman residing on Brusels street was given a bad fall and miraculously escaped serious injuries. Medical aid was hurriedly sought, and the woman is reported to be resting comfortably.

Consumers' Coal Co's coal burns a

DIED.

ALLESPIE—In this city, on 11th inat Julia, widow of Arthur Gillespie. Funeral from her late residence & Erin street, on Saturday morning & 8.30 o'clock to Cathedral for Hig Mass of Requiem. Friends invite to extend

hass of request. Freeds invice attend.

ARNHILL—At his residence, Mans wagonis Road, Lancaster, on the 12th inst., William Frederick Barn hill, fin his fifty-second year.

Funeral on Sunday the 14th inst. Service at the house at 1.30 p. m.; four real at 2.30 p. m.; interment Fern hill Cemetery. Coaches will leave head of King street at 1.00 p. m. (Please omit flowers.)

ellers Association - Membership is Now Over 1200 Sam Gompers Says It Permits Hugh Nicholson Stricken While -Flourishing Financially. at Work-Collapsed in Ar

Halifax, Dec. 12.—The Maritin commercial Travellers' Association to tonight and elected the following

met tonight and electrical and officers:

President—William J. Wetmore, St. John, by acclamation.

Vice-President for Nova Scotia—W. H. Harrington, by acclamation.

Vice-President for New Brunswick—J. E. Petrle, by acclamation.

Directors for Nova Scotia—H. E. Pyke, H. C. Palmer, C. W. Smith, F. A. Graham, H. I. Weitner, E. A. Corbin, A. Milne Fraser.

Directors for New Brunswick—Geo. D. Ellis, A. R. McKenzie, J. H. Pritchard, A. W. Banks, H. C. Simmons, James Pringle.

Treasurer—O. E. Smith, Halifax, by acclamation.

Secretary—Hon. Geo. E. Faulkner.

The membership of the association is 1.267 of which 700 are registered at Halifax, and 567 at St. John.

The association lost thirteen members by death during the year.

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Wm. J. Wetmore Heads Trav- OF FREE SPEECH

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Albany, N. Y., Dec. 12—The Canadian system of hydro-electric development can be operated successfully in this state, in the opinion of Adam Beck, chairman of the system in the Province of Ontario. At the request of the conservation committe and Governor Giynn he today conferred with the legislative committee appointed to investigate the feasibility of state development of electric energy from waters of the Barge Canal and other sources.

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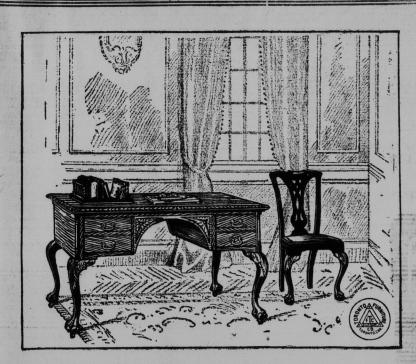
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Hollinger, 100 @ 17.15, 400 @ 17.10.

Spanish River, 100 @ 10.

Twin City, 10 @ 106.

Paint Bonds, 2.000 @ 98.

Rubber Bonds, 1,000 @ 99.

P. Lyall Bonds, 500 @ 88.

Bank of Montreal, 10 @ 233.

Canadian Bank of Commerce, 8 @ 201.

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Tram Power—10 at 38; 25 at 38%.
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Close.
Asbestos—9 asked.
Asbestos Brd—21 asked.
Asbestos Bonds—70 asked.
B. C. Canners—22 to 32.
Felt—15 to 30.
Coke—4 bid.
Mex. Nor. Power—5 bid.
Tram Power—35½ to 38%.
Sherbrooke—20 asked.
W. C. Power—51 to 55.
Wyagamack—21% to 21%.
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New York, Dec. 12—The important overnight news of the reduction of the Bank of Germany's rate to five per cent. It need hardly be said that a reduction at this time of the year by any of the big European bangs is most unusual, as there is always more or less strain over the end of the year. The fact that the Bank of Germany reduces its rate at present shows on what easy condition money is in Berlin, and what a tremendous change from one year ago, when German bankers were trying to borrow money is New York at from seven to eight, his may not produce much effect. It has not done so as yet on the foreign hourses, but it is a distinctly favorable factor. Our market shows no sign, however, of emerging from the ret of protessionalism and duliness in which it has been held for so long.

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The following statement of the statistics of export trade through the Port of St. John from the year 1895 to the end of last season, 1912-13, will be of interest to readers of The

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Valuation.

The following is a statement of the valuation of the St. John exports from the season of 1895:

1895 \$ 3,744,907 11896 \$ 4,380,271 1897 \$ 5,750,675 1898 \$ 7,063,992 1899 \$ 6,565,536 1900 \$ 9,733,534 1901 \$ 11,094,903 1902 \$ 14,273,846 1903 \$ 15,364,736 1904 \$ 13,318,068 1906 \$ 23,615,001 1906 \$ 28,615,001 1907 \$ 28,615,001 1906 \$ 28,615,001 1907

Grain Shipments.

The following is a comparative statement of the shipments of grain since the opening of the winter port business in 1895-6:



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Chas. C. Lester, 266, A. W. Adams.
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Cora May, 117, N. C. Scott.
E. M. Roberts, 295, R. C. Elkin.
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Hellen G. King, 126, A. W. Adams.
Hunter, 187, D. J. Purdy.
Islah K. Stetson, J. W. Smith.
J. Arthur Lord, 189, A. W. Adams.
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Nellie Eaton, 99, A. W. Adams.
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Antwerp—Ard Dec. 12, stmr Sella-sia, Hatfield, from London. THE LETITIA.

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Mrs. John Robinson, Sr., continues wery ill, and her recovery not being expected, as she is 37 years of age. Her son, Rev. W. R. Robinson of St. John, has been with her most of the week.

Capt. Selena Butler, S.A., has gone on a furlough to visit her sister in Cambridge, Mass.

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scurity of health, position and the glorious knowledge of the power to create and earn should pass in thoughtless complaisance our less favored brethren? Have we not a Christmas duty? When we lip the seasonable greeting "A Merry Christmas" can we do so with a clear conscience, knowling that no act of ours has contributed to take from the merriment of another's time of joy? Have we, during the preceding twelve months, done what we could toward the accumulation of the fund of Christmas happinness? For the pleasures of Christmas are not born of a day. That was the case in the first Christmas, but conditions have changed. Now the happiest souls in the villetide are those who in the yuletide are those who helped others to be happy in the fact that the average age of the chilyear which is drawing to a close. Folderen in, say the eighth standard, is ear which is drawing to a close. For the line standard, is a stand ives for fifty weeks in the year and which would seem to discount the in the other two to go out of our inlividual ways to spread glad good ich come but from the lips.

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* ing to find a considerable number of There is a Christmas duty, a respon-illiterates even among adults, but the sibility resting upon all of us and as immigration movement to this province we have prospered so does that duty has been of comparatively recent or press for fulfilment. What have we done this year in the liquidation of literacy all the more amazing. that debt? Is there one to whom we can point and say "I helped to make him or her better or happier or wiser?" Is it not the fact that we have lived to ourselves aione, accepting what came to us with equal satisfactory. what came to us with equal satisfaction or disappointment? Have we done aught to repay our obligation to God and to humanity, to the men and women who lived and worked and died that we might enjoy the comforts denied to them? If those dear dead could come back and see us as we are, would they consider they had been justified in their efforts in our behalf? Think it over.

Chysternes is a priced of form Also present condition. Give our children a disappointment? Have we done aught to repay our obligation to obtain the rudiments of companion to obtain the rudiments of concepts the morphologist. British and Danish scientists will today pay tribute to the memory of the eminent archaeologist, George Stephens, who was born in Liverpool just a century ago. For over forty years he was a member of the faculty of the University of Copenhagen, and made a special study of Danish and Norwegian antiquities.

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Christmas is a period of joy. Also should it be a time of abnegation, of complex social system who have never known the Christmas joy in its full fruition. Why should we cheat them of their right? Should they not be as happy as we? And if the buffetins of fortune has let a brother on the rocks of material adversity should there not be a helping hand at this time of all times? Thank God for the noble men and women who band them selves together to do what they can to alleviate the distress of the world. They are paying our debt, but shall we be content to have them pay it always? Is not Christmas 1913 a good time to commence the bearing of our descriptions. The British mall which arrived on the steamer Royal George was sen forward by a passenger special on the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the canadian Pacific Railway. When the steamer docked, officials of both the St. John and Hallfax post offices were the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he proticed alw in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he joined the practiced law in his native city for many years before he practiced law in his native city for many years before he poined the practiced law i complex social system who have nev

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the message and to make it real. Then when we meet our fellow men we can wish them "A Merry Christmas" and it will come from the heart. It is worth the effort.

ILLITERACY IN NEW BRUNSWICK.

Why should the Province of New Brunswick enjoy the unenviable distinction of leading all other provinces in Canada in the percentage of its population which is unable to either read or write? Surely this is a discreditable record, and yet, according to the latest census returns, it is a strictly correct one.

The portions of the census report dealing with the advertices!

DIARY OF EVENTS

HISTORIC DAYS IN CANADA

One hundred and thirty-seven years ago today the thirteenth of December fell on a Friday, and it was observed throughout England as a day of fasting and humiliation, by order of George III. who hoped thus to obtain the favor of heaven in the task of quelling the "rebels" of the North American colonjes.

A SERMON ON CHARITY.

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Heinrich Heine, whose 114th birthday anniversary will be celebrated today by his admirers in his native Dusseldorf, was a freethinking Jew, but he once delivered a brief sermon on charity that was more powerful than most of those that issue from pulpits. Baron James Rothschild, who was a patron of men of letters, invited the poet to a dinner, at which was served an immensely costly wine called "Tears of Christ." As Heine sipped, the precious beverage, he remarked: "So these are the famous Tears of Christ." Small wonder that He weeps at the sight of two wicked Jews consuming wine that has cost so much, when Paris is filled with poor devils who are starving for want of bread?" In the provinces of the West, where

THE HUMAN PROCESSION

THE "PREX" OF HARVARD.

Dr. Abbott Lawrence Lowell, pre ent of Harvard University, was bo

If—and topmost people this seem a pretty large "if"—the so lists ever attain power in Amer Emil Seidel will doubtless loom la hearts and brains of the cobwebs and dust of avarice, greed and selfishness. Let us go out into the country, fill our lungs with the bracing Canadian air, look at the sunlight and the blue sky; get ourselves in harmony with our fellows, then go home and thank God for life and for His gift to men.

Remember we are not alone and that our brothers as well as we, have the right to enjoy the Caristmas pleasures. Have we helped? Think it over, but do not stop at the think-ing. Let us do our share to spread the message and to make it real. Then

THE CASH REGISTER KING. John H. Patterson, president of cash register "trust," was born a farm near Dayton, O., sixty-nyears ago today. As a boy he worl in his father's saw mill. Later engaged in the coal business in D. www, and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. His heroic work to caring for the flood sufferers of bayton caused a widespread movement to be launched to save him from mprisonment. Mr. Patterson has long seen an advocate of co-operation become employer and employe, and his work for the benefit of his workmen or recognition from the French government, which conferred on him the ecoration of the Legion of Honor.

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key's head.
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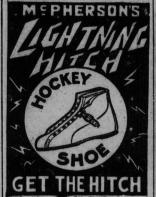
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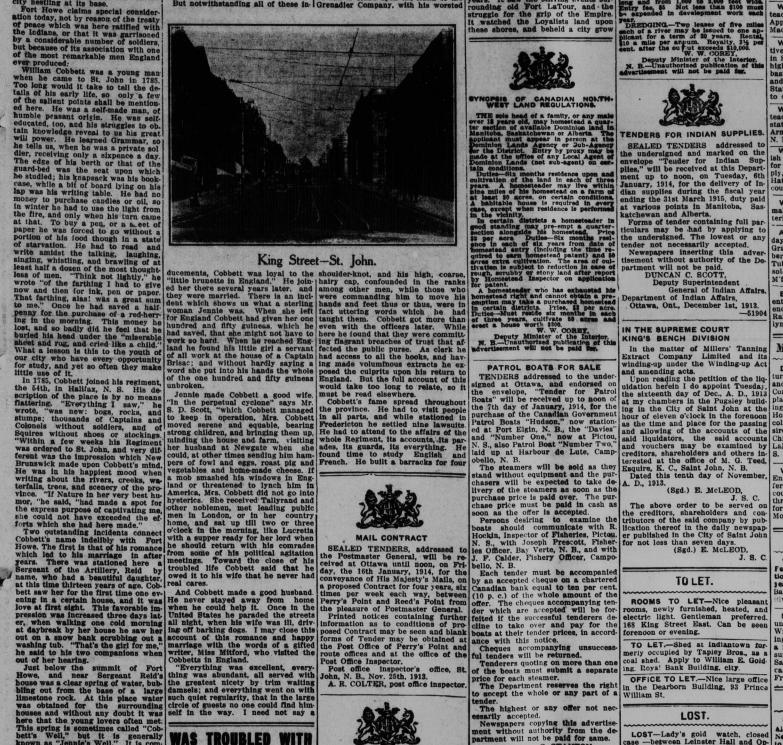
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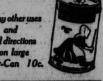
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Johnson's Release.
(who has met his friend
hasn't seen for some time)
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—Yes, I knew him well.

—Then you will be pleased
is out of his misery at last.
—You don't say so. Poor

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Wilson—Oh, he's not dead, it's his fe.

Reference of Good Digestion

**In perfect health, with regular and salthful action of the liver and didneys, you need not know there is che a thing as digestion or indigeson. Unfortunately, however, modim, life is artificial, and not many sopile avoid suffering more or less come troubles of this nature.

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St, John Market.

The Shannon and the Chesapeake, 1813

Exploits of war, a century past, are cherished in Romance,
Though Time's swift stream has washed away the hateful circumstance
Which served to test the loyal heart, to dig the patriot's grave,
And fixed the boundaries North of which the Union Jack shall wave.
Among those fratricidal fights, trailing the Heroes' car
Was the battle of the Chesapeake and Shannon, men-of-war.

On swept the tidal wave of Anarchy; And on its crest Napoleon role again To overwheim that Island of the sea, Where Freedom's doughtiest champions aye have been.

And Britain, bracing full against the shock Of European foes, struck fiercely back; Yea, more. She sent a squadron West, to block The Yankee projects, till the tide should slack.

The gallant Broke keeps guard in Boston Bay While harbored lies the Chesapeake within; He sends his consort, Tenedos, away, And in the Shannon rests his chance to win.

For trained in Nelson's school, and long affoat, He studied well how naval fights were won; And made his officers and crew devote Their time to skill with sword and heavy gun.

Meanwhile Commander Lawrence frets with rage. Shall he, with laurels fresh, and frigate smart, Lie bottled up in port? He will engage These bold blockaders, prick them off the chart.

Nor was there long delay. For when, at last, Commander Broke sent challenge for a fight, The Chesapeake was seen with bending mast Racing the West-wind out by Boston light.

Ah! never yet could human art produce A spectacle more proud, morebeautiful. Than such a sailing warship, on her cruise, O'er ocean bounding, all her canvass full.

Now, past the ledges, steady point the stripes Of three new national ensigns on the gale Toward the audactous enemy; while pipes The boatswain loud his men to shorten sail.

Yes, England's prestige on the sea had waned By losses to this raw antagonist, Whose armies Northward nearly had attained Their aim, the conquest of the Loyalist.

Quick to his eager crew the orders pass, And soon in fighting trim the Shannon lies; Topsails alone are spread; the constant glass Fixed on the Chesapeake which closer flies.

But look! the other's plans to disconcert, For Lawrence holds the weather gage and track, The Shannon ranging Northward, makes a spurt Helm-up, and goes about on starboard tack.

At once the Chesapeake must follow suit; She wears, and foaming, hard alongside runs, Her gunners furious, with hot dispute, Forced to begin the fray with larboard guns.

Now with the Britisher the vantage lies; His ready gunners, on the moment, fire; A full broadside of eighteen-pounders flies Into the hostile ship, with slaughter dire.

Undaunted their preponderate guns reply With like effect. Then cannons, connonades And muskets jointly roar and hide the sky. Through wounded men and dead each fighter wades.

Alas! Brave Lawrence falls in mortal pain;
"Oh, don't give up the ship," he sadly calls;
His officers disabled are or stain;
Fate hovers o'er that bridge of cannon-balls.

Her adversary, and is grappled fast,
While Broke springs to her deck with flashing sword,
Leading to reeking victory, his last.

The boarders rally to his ringing call,

'Now, lads, aboard, and stop them from the play
Of Yankee Doodle Dandy oh, Come all!

With cheers they leap the buwarks, slash their way.

Their blades like lightning range the hapless ship; Survivors hide below or weapons yield; Her flags are struck; and see, on decks adrip With gore, brave boys galore, to judgment sealed.

Oh, shame. Our Captain, when the fight was won, Unconscious fell by treacherous attacks; 'Mid gloom the star of Provo Wallis shone, And led both battered ships to Halifax.

The joy of martial victory is mixed with coarse alloy,
The pealing bells and tolling bells together find employ.
The nations grieve or glory as their ensigns strike or stay,
But these all mourn whose husbands, sires, and sons fall in the fray.
Ah, must we ever immolate our sons to pagan Mars,
These choicest youths, at blindfold play, groping for glory's stars?
Must brother nations, clashing swords, thus prove their honor bright?
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WHO RECEIVE OFFERS

Ban Johnson, president of the American league, stated confidentially last week that the Federals had not actually signed a single organized league player, with the possible exception of George Stovail, who says he will manage the so-called outlaw team in Kanasa City next season. The Federals however, have a list of more than 50 players who, they insist, have to been approached with offers of increased salary and have not refused point-blank to join the new movement. At the Federal league meeting in Pittsburg last Saturday Secretary Lloyd Rickart produced this list, but admitted that none of the players mamed therein had agreed to sign. He reported that the players were waiting to find out how the fraternity would be treated by the National commission in January. From a trust-worthy source the names of the players decreased at Saturday's meeting have been secured, and are printed to chicago—Zimmerman, Schulte, Bridwell, Leach, Richie and Lavender. Pittsburg—JohnMiller, Wilson, McCarthy, Dolan and Michell.

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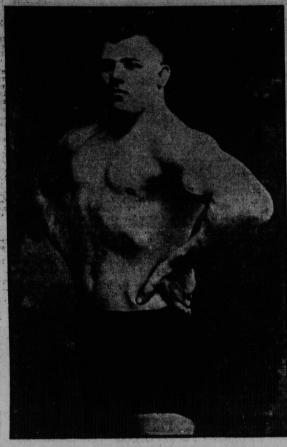
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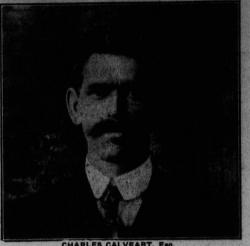




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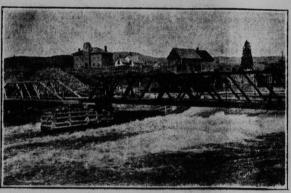
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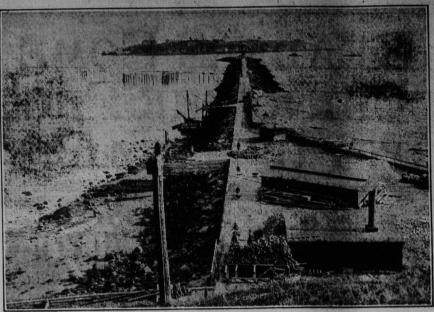
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St. John Under Commission Government; A Synopsis of the Work of the Past Year

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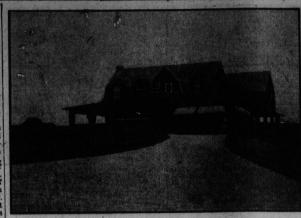
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Dredging operations have been carried on with great vigor in the harbors of New Brunswick during the year just closing. Dredges have been at work on the north shore and also in the harbors of the Bay of Fundy. In St. John harbor the dredging has been extensive. More than 7,000,000 until yards of material have been dug from the bed of the harbor and the Beacon Bar, near the harbor entrance, has been almost completely removed to a depth of 32 feet below low water. Several slips and steamer berths have been almost completely removed to a depth of 32 feet below low water. Several slips and steamer berths have been at work in Courtenay Bay in connection with the Norton Griffiths contract. The dredge Fleiding has also been at work in the harbor channel almost continuously during the year and about 200,000 cubic yards of sediment has been removed.

Dredging on the West Slde in prevanting for the extension of the

of sediment has been removed.

Dredging on the West Side in preparation for the extension of the wharf accommodation has been vigorously pushed forward during the past year. The contract was let to the Maritime Dredging and Construction Co., and the Beaver Dredging Company. The Maritime Dredging and Construction Company of which W. Manning Doherty of this city is the general manager and treasurer, has three dipper dredges at work. The Cynthia, built at Boston, is the largest of the three. This dredge has a bucket capacity of 13 cubic yards, is capable of dredging to a depth of 52 feet and has a record of removing

and can remove spoil at a depth of 32 feet.

During the past summer the Iroquois and the Beacon Bar have been employed under direction of the Department of Public Works in dredging at Digby N. S., and Vernon River, P. E. I. They were later at St. Ardrews and St. Stephen for the same purpose but have now returned to St. John to take up the winters work.

The Cynthia has been continuously at work during the past year. The whole slip from the end of the old C. P. R. wharf south to below the former site of the Beacon Light has now been taken out. The depth of water in this area at low tide is 32 feet.

Since the contract began, in all, about 2,000,000 cubic yards have been dredged out and when the work is completed as far as this dredged out and when the work is completed as far as the open for the construction of twelve work is concerned and ready for the construction of twelve may will be open for the construction of twelve.





The North Side Queen Square, St. John

HIGHER PRICES PREVAILED, A GOOD DEMAND FOR LUMBER.

The Season Had Many Peculiar Features But Has Been Well Up to the Average--Shipments to Britain Show a Marked Increase.

work is concerned and ready for the erection of new berths below Blue Rock. The wharves at present in the harbor are only about 800 feet in length while the latest wharves in Boston and New York have been 1000 and 1200 feet long.

A New Industry

On Marsh Road

A new industry in St. John which promises before long to become of some importance, is a manufacturing industry established by John White, Mr. White and his son, Walter White, who were for many years in the furniture business in St. John, are now devoting their attention to the manufacture of the Royal Rotary Electric Vacuum Cleaner. This machine has been long and increase of more han nine milliom feet of spuce and nand in milliom feet of spuce and nand manufacturing that hardwood plank. The local woodworking factories exported more goods than ever before and the demand for New Brunswick doors, window sashes an other houser that the high great was closed the lumber market was poor and the milloor of have been settled to a great extent. In the spring however, the whole here was stitled to a great extent. In the spring however, the whole here was sold account to the manufacturing lide to a great extent. In the spring however, the markets for sawn lumber took a boom and the supply was not equal to the demand. The result was an increase in prices. Late this fall the market was slow again and it it is expected, will be changed in the early summer caused several of the early summer caused several of the mills to go short handed still when the supply of workmen available and the mills and woodworking factories and the demand for New Brunswick doors, window sashes an other houser, the trade was closured to a great extent. In the spring however, the whole the lumber market was poor and the universe compelled to pile work the lumber market was low agaits and it unnecessary to send large crews to the woods and the cut of logs was curtained to a great extent. In the spring however, the trouble to severe the strikes in the Old Country that cathering the woods and the

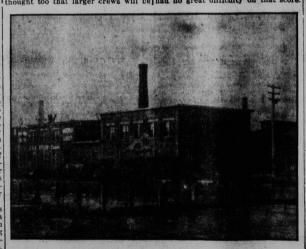
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Baptist Denomination Completing Twelve Months of Aggressive Work.

Year However, Saw Many Losses by Death of Leaders in the Work -Missionary and Connexional Activities Were Fully Up to Best Standards of Past.

By W. E. Mointyre.

The Baptist denomination in New Brunswick during the year just closing has been very successful in raising missionary benevolences, the general funds contributed by churches and individuals totalling over \$19,090, as against \$6,000 six years ago. No small part of this increase is due to the Laymen's Movement which sprang up during the period and awakened a wide interest among our business men. The amount named does not of course include the large gifts for church edifices, or those for higher education, which would in their total far exceed this sum, nor does it cover the giving of the Women's Ald Societies and Mission Bands, both of which have had a marked increase along missionary lines. The sum given is merely the total of the direct missionary contribution of the churches as such from the ten districts in New



William Baird's Farm at Hamoton.

Considerable progress has also been made in the matter of church extended work, many of the buildings harm been remodelled and repaired for reatly enlarged work. At Petitcodiac, tittleton and Brown's Flats, the houses have undergone renovation, the first amed being practically a new building. New houses have been erected at campbellton, at Mt. Whatley in Westmorland and at East St. John, while Jermain St., the parent of the city organizations, is adding a spacious chapel for Sunday school and general purposes, at a cost of upwards of \$30,000. Other buildings are in course of con-

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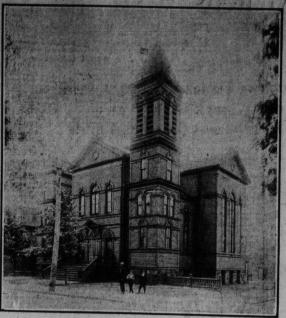
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The College of St. Thomas is the latest addition to the educational institutions of New Brunswick. The College was established two years ago at Chatham, N. B., by the Rt. Rev. T. F. Parrd, D.D., Bishop of Chatham and is conducted by the consregation of St. Sasil, whose fieadquarters are in Toronto. The building is a four storey wooden structure, with spacelous varandahs and pretty grounds, with shade

ronto. The building is a four storey wooden structure, with spacious varandahs and pretty grounds, with shade trees. The site is a commanding one of the bank of the Miramichi and gives a view of the picturesque river and valley for miles above and below the town. The buildings are modern and well equipped for the courses taught there.

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The courses are 4 in number, namely Arts, Grammar and High School, Commercial and Preparatory. The

up a standard curriculum.

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taught until September 1914, has a
very complete selection of subjects.
History, Literature, Science and Mathematics receive comprehensive treatment. For special students a com-

and in the History of Philosophy is provided.

The social life of the College is

The social life of the College is brightened by two religious and three Literary Societies, not to mention the various associations of sports. Aquinas Academy is a very serious association devoted to essay writing and the gentle art of Elocution.

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RAILWAYS IN PROVINCE WERE WELL PATRONIZED

Passenger traffic over the railways of New Brunswick has been remarkably good during the year just ending. Officials of the different roads reported an increase in all departments. More people than ever before left the province but the same was true in regard to the matter that came in. Within the borders of the province also the travelling has been heavier than

in former years.

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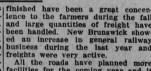
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During the year just closing the National Transcontinental was opene for business between Edmunston an Moncton and the Valley Railroad wa carrying freights between Benton an Centreville and Fredericton and Gag down. This latter road however ha not yet been taken over from the cortractors. The National Transcont mental has been carrying both freight

and passengers.

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though the Valley Railroad has Catholic yet been completed still the parts



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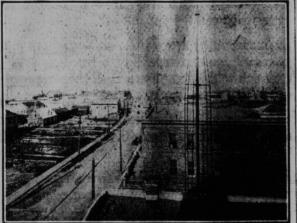
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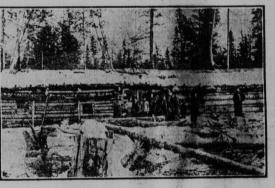
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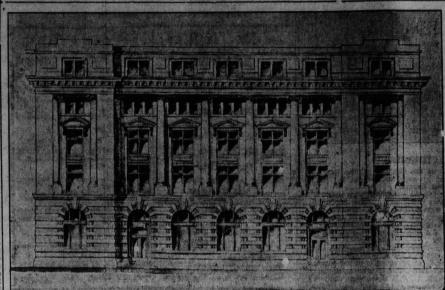
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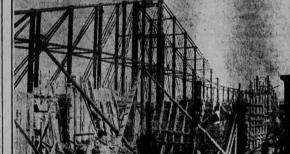
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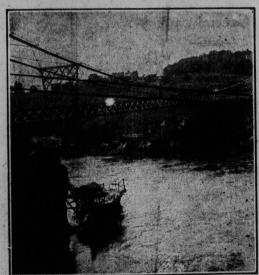
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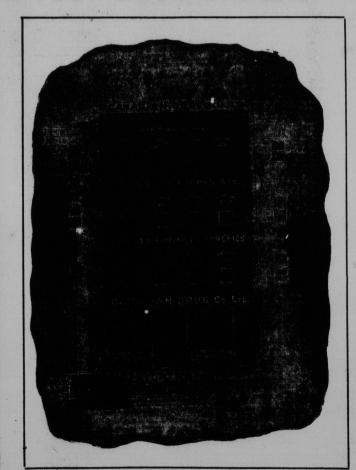
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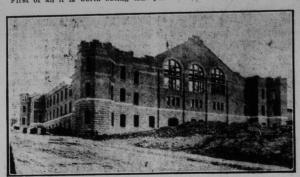
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Intercolonial Railway Has Spent a Lot of Money on New Work in This District-Additional Yard Room Secured.

It will come as something of a revelation to many to learn of the develbence completed and an extension of the develbence completed and an extension of the property of the pr



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Millions of Yards of Mud Removed to Make a

Safe Channel for the Largest Vessels at Any
Stage of the Tide.

Charge in order to instruct the future permanent staff.

It is proposed also to hatch a considerable number of trout eggs, obtained either locally or from the Province of Quebec. It is worth noting, on the authority of Mr. Bruce the resident engineer, that this hatchery is being built expressly for trout as there is

Rafting Logs on the River



The New Marine Wharf



The New Marine Wharf.

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Is All Right

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Puts MONEY TO WORK For YOU!

INCOME MAKE Their MONEY

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Without Effort on Their Part

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By the Careful Investor The Man MONEY WANTS

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Q Per Cent. **O** INTEREST

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I desire to secure shares of the Issue of 8 p. c. Debenture Stock at par value \$1.00

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Attractive Values

Are more than ever a feature in our offerings of this year, and, you need only compare to prove, for yourself, that OUR PRICES ARE THE LOWEST, consistent with quality, to be found enywhere. In

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We present an exceptionally choice exhibit; these having been carefully chosen expressely for our Christmas trade, and are of rare beauty. In this, as in either lines, we offer EXTRA SPECIAL VALUES. PRICES RANGE FROM \$9.00 to \$425.00

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ANYTHING YOU SELECT WILL BE RESERVED FOR YOU, ON PAYMENT OF A SMALL DEPOSIT. It is always a privilege and a pleasure to show our stock, even if you don't want to buy.

Small Profits, Quick Sales, is Our Motto

A. POYAS

Jeweler - - 16 Mill Street

Willions Are Being Spent On Private Enterprises.

Many New Works of Importance in All Lines of Industry Have Been Undertaken in St. John During the Year Now Ending-Some of Those Which Have Almost Become Public Institutions.

Perhaps of even more importance than public works, in estimating the growth of St. John, is the development of private enterprises, and in this line this city has been particularly fortunate during the year now closing. A great many business concerns have found occasion to increase quarters for their business. In addition to these there are others, some of them of prime importance in Canadian commercial life, which are locating in St. John for the first time and constructing plants of very considerable moment.

Describe the meet expensive and expensive and

The New C. P. R. Elevator.



Stop, Gentlemen!

Listen to what we have to say before you buy your

Winter Clothing

Don't Go to the High Rent Store

Where you must pay high prices to help the merchant pay

We are out of the High Rent District, which enables us to Sell Clothing Cheaper than others

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	-		\$1	0.00 to	\$30.00
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"Where Good Clothing is Sold Cheap"



The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Suits and Blouse Waists in the Maritime Provinces.



EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS IN

Ladies'

Coats

A nice warm stylish coat makes a ost useful and acceptable Christmas esent. Our stock is very ex-nsive, including all the new models quards, Tweeds, Brocaded Ratines, Rough and Soft lals, Mixed Serges and Chin-All at clearing prices for \$5.90 to \$22.50

Christmas Gloves

Christmas Neckwear

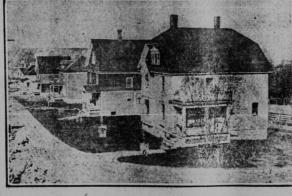
for the Christmas season.
CHRISTMAS HANDERCHIEFS
We can supply you with almost everything in this line, we have over
2,000 FANCY GIFT BOXES
with two pretty handkerchiefs
in each box, 25c a box,
CHRISTMAS WAISTS
On Silk, Net and Lawn.
HOSIERY at Special Prices
for Christmas.

The New Sugar Refinery. In the magnificent assemblage of buildings being erected by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing received by the sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly soccupied by the Sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly soccupied by the Sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly soccupied by the Sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing received by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly occupied by the Sing Refineries Limited, on land cormerly o

DeMont Street, East Side.

e a short time ago, purchased a considerable area of land and in addition to shis own extensive timber yard and offices, has erected factories for the Oil Motor Company, Mr. John White, and Frost & Wood Company. Considerable land yet remains which will undoubtedly be built on before very long. This land is served by I.C.R. tracks, while Mr. Likely operates an engine and travelling crane for his own use and benefit.

In the amusement line the outstanding feature of the year has been the



DeMont Street, West Side.



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Choice and Beautiful

At Remarkable Values

Ladies' Russian Poney Skins, Electric Seal, Hudson Seal, Muskrat and Persian Lamb, Smartest Cutaway and Straightline Models in Coats

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Lynx Sets

Children's White Furs Children's Sleigh Robes

Thorne & Co. **FURRIERS**

55 Charlotte Street

Many Improvements Have Been Made on Partridge Island, Buildings Erected

Included in the localities where new building have been erected during the past year by the Government. Partridge Island must not be overlooked. Dr. and Mrs. Warwick are preparing to make their permanent home on the Island and will occupy the comfortable residence equipped with every modern convenience, which has recently been erected by the Public to of first class passengers similar. every modern convenience, which has recently been erected by the Public Health branch of the Department of Agriculture, which has charge of all matters relating to quarantine. Dr. Warwick has filled the position of bacteriologist for the quarantine station for the past two years. The advantage of having him on the spot to attend to his important duties is self evident. It will obviate constantly travelling to and from the island, tora visit has to be made practically every day, and he will be ready and prepared at any time, day or night, to board a vessel when his services are required. The new laboratory on Partridge Island completes the list of these important buildings which have been erected during the last two years, at all the large quarantine stations throughout the Dominion. Prior to that date the only laboratory in existence was in

This has been brought about by the increased efficiency of the firms doing business here, supplemented by ing business here, supplemented by increased travelling staffs and facilities given to the visiting milliners, and by that is meant the milliner who visits the Spring and Fall Openings, taking place in March and September respectively. It will no doubt be of inrespectively. It will no doubt be of interest to learn that the attendance now averages in the vicinity of three hundred and fifty or four hundred, drawn from a district comprised between River du Loup and Gaspe, St tween River du Loup and Gaspe, St. Stephen and Sydney. These milliners visit St. John twice each year, those at nearby points more frequently, and it means much to St. John that they do, as their purchases, apart from millinery, are considerable and furnish much business to other trades.

ONE OF THE BUSY CORNERS.



RESIDENCE OF HON. H. A. McKEOWN-MOUNT PLEASANT



Ye Old Time Tokens Of Yule-Tide Cheer

In the good old days, the sturdy host greeted his Christmas guests with a horn of Choicest Brew, to mark good will and peace. This historic custom still holds

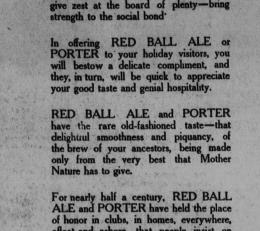
RED BALL ALE and PORTER blend naturally with Christmas cheer— give zest at the board of plenty—bring strength to the social bond

For nearly half a century, RED BALL ALE and PORTER have held the place of honor in clubs, in homes, everywhere, afloat and ashore, that people insist on

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Value of New Buildings in St. John This Year is Nearly \$2,500,000 ATTENTION

Building Inspector -Discussion as to the Alleged Higher Cost

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Figures Given By the HOTEL MEN HAVE HAD GOOD YEAR; VALUE OF WINTER BUSINESS



The Algonquin, St. Andrews-Famous Summer Hotel

BY **USING** THE LONG DISTANCE LINES

The New Brunswick Telephone Company, Ltd.

> You Can Find A Market For Your Product.

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NO DELAYS IN WITHDRAWALS

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Judging from Outward Appearances the Banks Have Been Earning Their Dividends

Incidents of More or Less Moment in Banking Circles-Many of the Local Institutions Show Signs of Material Prosperity.



taken steps to improve their premises.
Chief among these is perhaps the bank of British North America, which has for years been located in a somewhat obselete building on Chipman Hill in quarters far too small for the business offered that institution. The business offered that institution. The business offered that institution. The business offered that institution.



HENRY T. HOAG. Secretary of the St. John Board of Trade.

HOW THE DAY WAS FIXED.

The restival of Christmas was filter of the possibility of the possibi



The Bank of B N. A.

completed its plans and awarded contracts for the construction of a new and altogether modern establishment on the corner of Market Square and Dock St. This building, which is of concrete, is being constructed by Messrs. Mooney & Sons under the supervision of Mr. G. Ernest Fairweather, who represents the Upper Canadian architects. The building is steel frame and reinforced concrete, and should prove sufficient for the reeds of the bank for a zood many years to come. The construction of this building has been attended with more than ordinary difficulty owing to the large amount of rock to be removed before the site was prepared, and to the somewhat peculiar nature of the concrete construction. Reasonable progress has been made, however, and the building is now well along towards completion in so far as the heavy work is concerned. The finishing will, of course, not be put for some little time yet, but within two or three months the British Bank should be comfortably installed in its new quarters, and indeed in quarters which will be a credit to St. John and to the bank.

The Merchants Bank of Canada, since its advent in St. John has occupied a portion of the Bank of Moraters, and indeed in quarters which will be a credit to St. John has occupied a portion of the Bank of Nova Scotia. Having reached the property at the corner of Finces, william and Church Streets, adjoining The Standard building, and when of arrangements had been made for pos-

the New England States with a great many young men. This has proved not only a serious drain on the population of the Maritime Provinces but has had the effect of seriously

of the Maritime Provinces but has had the effect of seriously reducing our power in commerce and in politics. At last, however, the East has awakened to the importance of this, and a general move has resulted in which the Board of Trade did its share and in which we are glad to say we were thoroughly well supported by the newspapers to curtail this annual outflow of population.

Results we believe have been accomplished and men are beginning to realize that the older and possibly more conservative East presents better opportunities than the

conservative East presents better opportunities than the A great deal of advertising has been done during the year through the weekly news letter which has been sent

to papers and periodicals in Canada. United States and England, and to a large individual mailing list. Our news letter during the year has appeared on the first page of the New York Journal of Commerce. Advertising in this way cannot be over estimated. In conjunction with the City



Even a sketchy review of the activities of our Board for the past year would be sadly lacking if no reference were made to the harvest excursions. Every year these excursions are run by the Railroad Companies, carrying the young blood of the Maritime Provinces West whence a large percentage of them never return. For two generations now the East has been supplying the new West and



SENATOR W. H. THORNE,

HOLLY AND MISTLETOE

Council, advertising space was taken in a special St. John number of the Montreal Standard. Other advertising contracts in a lesser degree were entered into during the year and a large amount of general literature distributed.



early. And we're calling your attention to the fact that we're playing Santa Claus to men. Everything men wear and like.

Silk Neckwear, put up in fancy boxes, 25c to \$1.00 each Men's Lined Mocha Gloves. 75c to \$2,50 pair Men's Lined Cape Gloves . 90c to \$2.00 pair

Men's Wool Gloves, 35c to \$1.00 pair Boys' Wool Gloves, 25c to 35c pair Knitted Mufflers, suitable for ladies

or gentlemen, 50c to \$2.00 each Men's Braces, . 25c to 75c pair Boys' Braces, . 15c to 50c pair Men's Regetta Shirts, 75c to \$175 each Boys' Regetta Shirts, .

negetta smits, . . . 50c to \$1.00 each Men's Sweater Coats, . Boys' Sweater Coats, .

. . \$1.00 to \$5.00 each

. . . . 25c to 50c pair Silk Handkerchiefs, 20c to 75c each Combination Sets, including armlets, braces and garters, 75c to \$1.50 set

Men's Cashmere Sox, . . .

Men's Overcoats, lalest styles, newest cloths, . . \$8.75 to \$20.00 Boys' Overcoats, \$4.00 to \$13.50 Men's Suits, . \$6.00 to \$20.00 Boy's Two-Piece Suits, \$2.25 to \$12.00

Boys' Three-Piece, Suits,

Men's Separate Pants. . . . \$1.25 to \$4.50 pair Boys' Separate Pants, :

50c to \$2.00 pair . \$1.45 to \$10.00 Suit Cases. \$1.10 to \$10.00 . . . 50c to \$2.00 each | Trunks, . . \$2.30 to \$12.00

Also an Excellent Range of Umbrellas, Jewelry, Canes, Collars, Underwear, Hats, Caps, Fancy Half Hose, etc.

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Eastern Harbor FOR THE DOMESTIC TRADE we supply the following celebrated brands of boneless fish, which are , obtainable through jobbers.

Write our Lunenberg onices for prices.				
"Halifax"	3 lb. Boxes	12 to Crate		
"Halifax"		24 to Crate		
"Halifax Shredded Codfish	THE RESERVE OF THE PERSON NAMED IN	24 to Case.		
"Acadia"	2 lb. Boxes	24 to Crate		
"Acadia"	2 lb. Boxes	12 to Crate		
"Acadia Tables"	1 lb. Pckge.	20 to Box		
"Acadia" English Strip		30 lbs.		
Cod Bits		12 to Crate		
Cod Bits Bulk	30 lbs.	30 lbs.		
Pilot	25 "	25 "		
Skinless Codfish		50 "		
Bluenose Cod Steak		20 "		

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Marine Department Quite Active During the Year Now Ending Trimmed Ready-to-Wear Hats

Many Works Have Been Completed and More are now in Progress Tending to Lessen the Dangers of Navigation Around This Coast.

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Oc pair

5c each

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\$20.00 \$13.50 \$20.00

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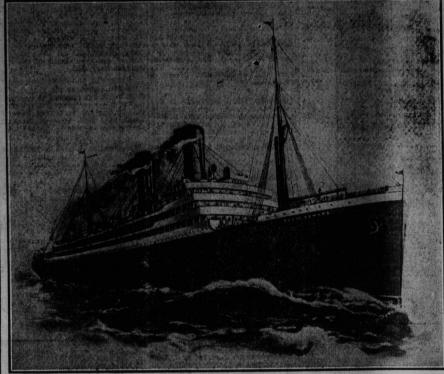
and wharflights established.
Scotchtown, St. John River—Four
spar buoys established.
St. Louis Gully—Steel Conical buoy
stablished.

Trinity Rock was protected by a gas ad whistling buoy.

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the sleigh,

Canadian Northern Liner—Royal Edward.



ONE OF THE TWO FIRST CLASS STEAMERS NOW PERFORMING THE ATLANTIC MAIL SERVICE.

VEHICLE DEALERS HAVE HAD PROSPEROUS YEAR

The farm implement and vehicle business in New Brunswick has been good throughout the whole year, and some of the dealers have reported their sales much greater than for several year back. One of the oldest concerns having branches all over the Maritime Provinces, told The Standard that the year just closing had been the best for record.

Vehicles including carriages and buggies have been in good demand and the purchasers have apparently had no difficulty in securing money to pay for them. Farmers and those in the so called lower walks of life have not been but to any great extent by the introduction of machines. Horse driven mowing machine rakes, cultivators, hay loaders, manur spreaders, planters, pitching machine some amount of business each year. The demand for farm wagons and heavier vehicles had been good but light wagons for deliving purposes the year. The sale of farm implements had allowers have been but to any great extent by the introduction of machines. Horse driven mowing machines was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade was usually divided among the differ. He pointed out that this trade wa

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Season by season this department keeps growing. General store keepers and dry goods dealers who do not employ a milliner, find their sales of these business-building, ready-selling and prefit giving hats a growing feature of their business.

WHOLESALE ONLY



If you have not handled ready to wear millinery, order a sample dozen now. They are re-order goods, the kind that leave real profit behind them. None will be left behind to cause you sorry, bother or expense.



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Atlantic to Pacific. Standard High Grade Equip

Tourist Sleepers.
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Empress of Britain

Empress of Ireland. The popular ocean link be ween Canada and England. These liners have establishe

SAFETY AND SPEED.

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A Review By Parishes of The Work of The English Church of New Brunswick

Almost Without Exception the Clergy in Charge Report Notable Progress - Congregations are Grow-





Stone Church-St. John.



Christmas Cheer

YEARS AGO, at this season, our greatgrandfathers went to the forest and by dint of much labor and inconvenience chopped down and dragged home

The Yule Log

The idea was picturesque, but the comfort which they might have derived from a cheerful open fireplace was to a large extent destroyed by the smoke and sparks from the wet lumber.

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You Should Plan to Do Most of Your Christmas Shopping Here Where Immense Assortments of All Things Su.table for Holiday Gifts Make Choosing So Simple and Satisfactory

This huge store house of Christmas Gifts with its practically unlimited number of suggestions will wonderfully simplify the task of choosing the most appropriate things. Whatever you desire to bestow, whether it be something inexpensive or otherwise, our immense holiday displays will perfectly anticipate your needs.

We have prepared carefully and extensively of such Christmas merchandise as will present exceptional values—great assortments of everything you could possibly think of arranged so accessibly and temptingly as to reduce to a minimum the strain on both purse and patience.

Every person requires a gift of some sort and while wide gift giving taxes one's resources, a thorough inspection of our holiday offerings will reveal innumerable ways to lessen that tax and provide more presents than you had hoped for.

Prices here are generally more moderate than usually prevail at this season and with the range of selection so very extensive many things may be purchased for a modest sum.

Following is a brief outline of suggestions which may prove helpful, but a visit to different departments will disclose thousands of other articles suitable for Christmas presentation.

Here Are a Few Hundreds of Furniture Hints at Market Square Store

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Cabinets.

Plate Racks. Bables' Sleighs. Adjustable Shaving Mirrors. colarctes.

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Gifts in Costume Section

Ladies' and Children's Sweaters, Ladies' Silk and Satin Underskirts, Ladies' Moirette and Sateen Underskirts, Ladies' and Children's Coats, Ladies' and Children's Bath Robes, Short Padded Silk Dressing Sacques, Ladies 'House Dresses, Ladies' Afternoon Dresses, Ladies' Evening Dresses, Ladies' Tunics and Silk Slips, Ladies' Street Dresses, Children's Black, White and Navy Clouds, Ladies' Quilted Vests, Ladies' and Children's Raincoats, Ladies' Evening Wraps, Ladies' and Misses' Costumes, Ladies
Wool Shawls, Ladies' Motor Scarfs.

A Cloth ng Gift is the Practical Thing Here Are Some Hints for Men and Boys

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For Men	For Boys
Overcoats \$7.50 to \$40.00	
Suits \$10.00 to \$26.00	Boys' Three-Piece Suits 3.75 to 13.00 Boys' Russian Suits 3.25 to 9.00
Reefers 4.50 to 8.00	
Waterproof Coats 8.25 to 18.50	Boys' Fancy Overcoats 3.50 to 8.50 Boys' Regular Overcoats 5.25 to 13.50
Trousers 1.25 to 7.50	Boys' Bath Robes 4.25 to 5.75
Fancy Vests 2.75 to 5.00	Boys' Hockey Caps and Toques
Smoking Jackets 5.50 to 15.00	lams s.uu to 4.50
Bath Robes 3.50 to 5.75	Children's Bo-Peep Bath Robes
Dressing Gowns 6.00 to 19.00	Boys' Rubber Coats. 3.65 to 4.75 Boys' Waterproof Coats 5.75
Fur Lined Coats 20.00 to 90.00	Play Suits, Rough Rider, Cowboy and
Fur Coats21.50 to 88.00	
Fur Caps 1.90 to 27.00	Boys' Knitted Jersey Suits including
Fur Collars 3.00 to 15.00	Boys' Jaeger Snow Suits, includ- ing Toque, Sash, Mitts Sweater
Fur Gloves (Gauntlet) 6.75 to 21.00	and Overalls

Gifts in Brassware, Sterling Silver, Silver Plated Ware, Cut Glass, **Etched Crystal Glass**

BRASSWARE—Jardinieres, Umbreila Stands, Smokers' Accessories, Kettigs, Dinner Gongs, Trump Markers, Citar Boxes, Candle Sticks, Calendars, Citarette Boxes, Tobacco Jars, Serving Trays, Jewel Boxes, Ash Trays, Fern Dishes, Table Lamps, Candle Shades, Desk Sets, Book Racks, Ink Wells, Spark Screens, Tea Stands, Plate Stands, also a great range of other appropriate sift novelties.

STERLING SILVER — Bon-Bon Dishes, Sugar and Creams, Trinket Boxes, Fhoto Frames, Dinner and Dessert Forks and Spoons, Napkin Rings and a variety of odd pieces.

SCHRISTMAS SHUVER PLATED WARE—Scallop Dishes, Entree Dishes, Toas, Cus Place Pots, Ot Water Plate, Low Young Sets, Book Racks, Breakfast Cruets, Marmalade Pots, Spoon Holders, Fern Dishes, Deasert Knives and Forks, also Pish Sets in polished wood and leather cases.

CUT GALSS—Mustard Pots, Carver Rests, Individual Sait Dishes, Vases, Sowar Shakers, Butter Plates, Usear Shakers, Butter Plate

Dolls, Perfumes and and Gift Stationery in the Milinery Salon

Gifts in Annex, Front and Back Store

Children's Gaiters and Overstockings. Ladies' and Children's Wool Gloves and Mittens. Ladies' and Children's Kid Gloves. Ladies' and Children's Handkerchiefs. All kinds of Ribbons. Ladies' Collars, Scarfs, Ruchings and Pleatings, Needlework Novettles' in Tea Costes, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes, Sachets, Sofa Cushions, etc.

Gifts in Men's Section

Christmas Linens

Plaything Gifts for the Kiddies

sgans, 5, 6 and 7 ft. Dolis' Sieighs.
Baby's Sieighs.
Boys' Board Sieds.
Kindergarten Tables.
Dolis' Carriages, English pat-tern, with leather hood.

Children's Rocking Chairs, in hard-Children's Tables, both stationary and

Kindergarten Chaire, to match tables Children's Desics, blackboard invide Children's Secretaries, with druff from Children's Swinging Horses, Baby's Sleighs, \$3.25 up.

Children's High Chairs, all have tre Boys' Express Wagons, tery stre and nicely finished. Children's "Shoo Fly" Rockins Hora Flexible Framer, nicest sled made a boy or girl.

Child's Table and Two Chairs in Ja-anese copper finished steel, Boys' Clipper Sleds.

Children's Rattan Rockers

Gifts in Dress Goods

SPRING DRESS GOODS AND SUITINGS-An early showing,

especially for holiday shoppers.

Handsome Silk and Wool Eoliennes, Marquisettes and Volles for Party,
Afternoon and Evening Dresses; also New Brocade Poplins, New Brocade
Silk Grepes, New Brocade Worsteds.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT—GROUND FLOOR.

Fifts in Fur and Silk Departments

Black Silk Dress Lengths, Colered Silk Dress Lengths, Pager Silk Dress Lengths, Black Silk Waist Lengths, Colored Silk Waist Lengths, Pager Silk Waist Lengths, Cordurors for Dresses, Velveteens for Dresses, Ladies' White Tailored Blouses, Ladies' White Lingerie Blouses, Ladies' White Lingerie Blouses, Ladies' White Lingerie Blouses, Ladies' Ladies' Ladies' Ladies' Ladies' Ladies' Umbrellas, Children's Umbrellas, Ladies' Feather Bots.

Mink Stoles, Mink Muffs, Blended Sable Stoles, Blended Sable Turni, Persian Lamb Stoles, Persian Lamb Muffs, Fleced Persian Ties, Stoles and Muffs, Persian Paw Ties, Stoles and Muffs, Grey Squirrel Throws and Muffs, Grey Squirrel Throws and Muffs, Black Fof Stoles and Muffs, Black Wolf Stoles and Muffs, Children's White Coney Coats, Children's White Coney Coats, Children's White Goat Sleigh Robes, Ladies' Persian Lamb Coats, Ladies' Hudson Seal Coats, Ladies' Electric Seal Coats, Ladies' Muskrat: Coats.

Gifts in Whitewear Section

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

A Rather Mixed-Up Year, But the Prospects For Sport Are Very Bright. Everything You Want

Organized Baseball Met With Moderate Success — Schoolboy Movement Promises Well—New Athletic Club Formed — College Football Aroused Interest—Hockey Not Very Popular.



A MERRY CHRISTMAS?

Christmas Day In Bethlehem Draws Large Number to Ancient Shrine.

Picturesque Gatherings
of Visitors From All
Parts of the World—

No words can adequately describe the grandeur of the Christmas services at the church of the Nativity which is the centre of interest for the A General Festival Which Means Much to the Natives of the Little Town.



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STEEL BEAMS—All Weights—Quick Supply.

METAL LATHING—Concrete Bars, Expanded Metal, Corner Beads, Steel Ceilings, Metal Shingles, Corrugated Sheets, "No Rust", Kalemeia Doors, Steel Vault and Office Files, Concrete Floor Hardner, Terrazo Flooring, Stair Treads, Cast Steel, Bar Steel, Spring Steel, Angles and Channels, Steel Rails, Steel Tires, Trolley Poles and Wire, Polished Shafting.

Copper Sheets, Copper Tubes, Brass Tubes, Boiler Plates, Tank-Plate? Galvd. Sheets



Auto Tires. Bicycle Tires. Inner Tubes. Cements, Auto Clothing. **Auto Supplies**



Rubber Department

Belting, Steam Packing, Fire Hose, Steam Hose, Air Drill Hose, Tubing, Clothing of all kinds, Oiled Clothing, Carriage Cloths, Drills and Ducks, Door Mats and Matting, Gloves and Mittens, Druggist Sundries of all kinds, Weather Strips, Fire Hose and



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WE WELCOME NONE A Message From His Hon. Lieut.-Gov. Wood NINTEEN-THIRTEEN



We have reached the closing days of another year. 1913 will soon belong to the past. We naturally pause and recall its events, its joys and sorrows, its hopes and disappointments, its successes and

There are few countries so highly favored and few people so richly blessed as our own people and Province. We rejoice in peace and plenty. We know nothing of the sufferings of pinching poverty or hardships and cruelties of war. We read of these in the Daily Press, but are strangers to the reality. If we think of the wholesale slaughter, devastated fields and desolate homes in the Far East, the result of bitter religious and racial strife, and compare those conditions with our surroundings, we cannot be too thankful for the protection and security our Christian civilization affords.

We bid the old year good-bye, and enter the new with bright prospects and with high hopes and aspirations. Let us each show that we appreciate our blessings and prize our advantages, and let us labor to maintain them. Let us recognize the obligations that rest upon us as citizens, live up to high standards of conduct and character, and faithfully contribute by industry and enterprise, to the material prosperity of our Province, and do our part to make it the happy home of a contented and law-abiding people.

JOSIAH WOOD.

Government House, Sackville, N.B. Dec. 12, 1913.

NEW INTERCOLONIAL DEPOT AT TRURO IS A MODEL OF ITS KIND-A FINE BUILDING



New Features Introduced Which Will add Greatly to the Comfort and Convenience of Those Using the Station-Commodious Offices for Members of the Staff.

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omewhere about Christmas Day or the roof is supported on steel roof the time the year 1914 is ushered there will be opened in the town the following the proof of the building. The main restaurant is 57 x 30 feet and the inside dining rooms are 48 x 21 feet. The furnishing of these rooms are very the control of the building. ering of asbestos shingles, extends along the whole track front and tractive, and the kitchen and pantaround the two ends affording outside shelter and shade. Inside the building is handsomely equipped on a scale more artistic than the Intercolonial southern extension. street entrance is through the tower while there are two entrances from the station platform and side entrances and the floors of apartments leading from it are of "Terrazo" on top of concrete. The wells for a height of a ing from it are of "Terrazo" on top of concrete. The walls for a height of 7 seet above the floors are tiled, the upper part and the ceilings being done in rough cast plastering with finished cornices, beams, etc. All the wood furnishings are of quartered golden, oak. The ticket office is a handsome contraction with a cold from and an

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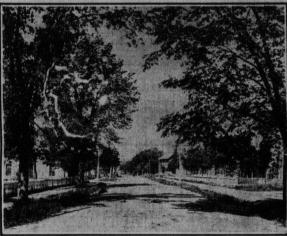
ST. JOHN'S YEAR

Twelve Months of Progress Unrivalled in the History of Our City.

OVER 50 PER CENT. OF INCREASE IN POPULATION

The Past Year Marked The Turning Point---Confidence-In What We Have Has Stimulated Us to Greater Effort

St. John, the Atlantic port of Canda, has shown by its rapid growth of the last few years that it is destined to become in the very near future one of the largest cities in the Dominion. The volume of trade through this port has been greatly increased and every year records additional business. The increase in shinning through St. John more would be let at once, the increase in shipping through St. John I during the last twelve years has been during the last twelve years has been which greatly exceeded that of any in other Eastern Canadian port.



Main Street---Sussex.

The plumbing is installed according to the most modern sanitary methods. Special attention has been paid to the electric lighting, the wiring being carried in conduits and the fixtures in excellent taste. The lighting will be account of the western side of the hard on the wasting rooms so that the passengers while resting there can read comfortably. Most comfortable are the large open fire in men's smoking room.

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this American city the Encyclopedia
Americans says: "New York early took the lead because of its excellent harbor, its situation relative to the European markets and because it became the terminus of the first trunk rail and water route from the middle west." In considering the case of Canada and St. John, the facts are as follows:

The population of Canada in 1901 was 5,338,883 practically that of the

The population of Canada in 1901 was 5.338,883 practically that of the United States in 1800. The population of Canada in 1911 was 7.234,000 which was practically the same of the United States in 1810.

In St. John the population increased from 42,363, in 1911 to 67,000 in 1913.

The situation of St. John in regard to the European markets surpasses that of New York, and it is the terminus of the first rail route from the Canadian West.

The New Gazetteer of the world issued by Lippincott, has the following in regard to the harbor here:

"The Harbor of St. John is capacious, safe and never obstructed by ice, being the only harbor on the Atlantic Coast north of Baltimore that enjoys this condition."

On the western side of the harbor is the ocean terminus of the Canadian West.

This growth is in procress now.

All sorts of appreciable gift things in leather are here, from the small Coin Purse to the Solid Leather Suit Case.



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These Burnt Leather Goods

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In newest styles and of good quality. Seal, Morocoo, Oalf and Alligator. Any one would

Purses, 25c. to \$5.00. Handbags, 50c to \$5.00 Leather Club Bags and Suit Cases of all sorts In tan, black, etc.--Club Bags \$1.50 to \$13.50 Suit Cases 1.50 to 12.00



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See the very handsome designs in Christmas

Stationery direct from the best New York and Canadian manufacturers. We are selling these goods at reasonable prices and it will pay you to

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Year Brought Great Forward Movement
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Provincial Capital Will
Soon be District Centre of Five Railways—
Twelve Months of Commercial and Industrial Expansion—
Fine Building Record.

By W. R. CLARKE,

Publicity Commissioner of the Fredericton Board of Trade.

This may be regarded as the barometer of the financial and commercial and commercial and commercial and the fire horse system at present in vogue.

The loss of the draw pler and the draw span of the highway bridge, which were carried away by the leaf the expenditure already of about \$40,000, and this amount, it is understood, will have to be supplemented by a further expenditure of about \$30,000 before the bridge is restored back to its former condition. The work of rebuilding the granite draw pler has recently been completed and the placing of the steel of the new span will be commenced as soon as possible. In addition to this the Dominion Government has recently directed the conplacing of the steel of the new swill be commenced as soon as poss in addition to this the Dominion of the struction. Dec. 12—As one of best and surest indications a city's prosperity are its bridge, and this will prove a new city of the struction of a stately concrete when the struction of the steel of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion and the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion and the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion addition to this the Dominion of the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion addition to this the Dominion of the structure of the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion addition to this the Dominion of the structure of the structure of the structure of the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion and the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion and the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion and the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion and the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion and the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion and the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion and the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion and the structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as a structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as a structure of the new shift will be commenced as soon as possion and the new shift will be commenced as a structure of the new shift will be commenced as a structure of the new shift will be commenced as a structure of the new shift will be commenced as a struc





TWENTIETH CENTURY

IMPRESSIONS OF

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The Cathedral Fredericton.

Amportations, the increase in Fredericton's imports for the nine mouths of the city.

ending September 30th, surpassed those of the previous year during the same period by nearly \$150,000, and the past year, the Dominion Experi-

started in Hull by the late Ezra Butler minion. Eddy in 1851, who in 1856 added to his business the manufacture of woodware. Palls for every purpose soon became an important product of the Eddy Company. Later on he turned his attention to the making of fibreware articles, of which the company now produces about 4,000 packages daily. Washtubs, butter and milk tubs and all kinds of palis are some of the best known and popular articles of this ware. The manufacture of woodenware has been discontinued since last year and the company contemplate using the extra space for increasing the output of the indurated filty-ware tubs, buckets, etc., for which there is a growing demand.

In 1890 the company commenced to make pulp and paper products, an industry which now occuples an important place in their operations and includes the manufacture of ground wood and sulphite pulps, and all varieties of paper and wood boards from the thickest wrappings and heaviest cardboard to the thinnest tissue. The Pulp Mill is now electrically driven and has a capacity of 90-100 tons dry weight of mechanical pulp. In connection with this a new hydro-electric power house has been built, which is the dining room, where is served free to the help at noon, an excellent luncheon. Perhaps even more intresting and unusual is the dentity room, in which the testh of all employees are examined once a month without charge. This has been installed on account of the some insta Eddy in 1851, who in 1856 added to his business the manufacture of wooding annex, which is the dining room,

The E. B. Eddy Company, of Hull.
Canada, manufacturing matches, paper and paper bags of all kinds, indurated fibre-ware, sulphite sheathing, etc., is probably the largest industry of it's kind in the world, cerebral to Canada.

Chaudiere Falls at Ottawa and Hull.

The manufacture of matches still forms one of the most important parts of the Eddy industry. Figures on the production and consumtion of matches seem almost incomprehensible for so seem almost inco dustry of it's kind in the world, certainly in Canada.

This large concern covers with its factories, machine shops and warehouses, over 75 acres of land and employs from 1600 to 2000 workmen. In spite of the big fire which swept Hull in 1900 and almost wiped them out, the Eddy Company today are having to put up new buildings and improve their plant in order to cope with the universal demand for their wares.

The manufacture of matches was almost incomprehensible for so small an article. Next to a pin, a match is perhaps about as inconsequential in value, and when you think that for 5 cents you can purchase 500, it is hard to realize that in the aggregate they form an industry almost beyond belief in magnitude. The daily output varying from 70,000,000 the proposition of the proposi The manufacture of matches was matches for every person

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business at Moncton	station	1:
November, 1912	5,204	\$ 10,304
December, 1912	. 5,828	11,767
January, 1913	4,418	9,920
February, 1913	-3,792	8,378
March, 1913	4.679	11,108
April, 1913	4,594	11,050
May, 1913	5.579	10,953
June, 1913	5.475	11,444
Мау, 1913	7.667	16,215
August, 1913		22,872
September, 1913		
Beptember, 1910	5 390	12 214



Ready's Brewery, Fairville



DESK & SHOW CASE CO. 23 Brussels Street, St. John

Saint John Board of Trade

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ST. JOHN BOARD OF TRADE

162 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

Grocery Business Was Good; But Luxuries Not Demanded.

Staple Articles Have Very Generally Advanced in Prices -Collections are Reported Rather Slow But Losses are Few



MR. GILBERT W. GANONG. St. Stephen, N. B.

hind. It seems to be the opinion that these small retailers are taking advantage of the hard times in the lange cities and using that as an excuse for not settling their accounts with the wholesalers, white investing what money they can secure in fox arms and other such enterprises. However no serious results are anticipated and it is believed that 1913 will eventually considered as an average rear among the wholesale grocery nen.

have been awanced the previous season.

There has been a marked difference in California raisins. The cost of these has jumped more than seventy per cent. since the fall shipments were made. The crop in California has been very seriously affected by the long dry season and the production of the vine is poor.

Fork has remained at a high level, beef has been steadily advancing, and is now from \$2 to \$3 a barrel more than last year. The bean situation is than last year. The bean situation has become easier and the fall shipments have caused the price to drop considerably. Last year the crop was a fall-ure in Canada and beans had to be imported from Austria and France. The old stock is quoted from twenty to thirty-five per cent. higher than the new crop of Canadian beans. The price of Jard has been fluctuating slightly, but two cents is the greatest variation in price noted during the year. The price now is about the same as during last January.

The weather conditions have been particularly favorable to field crops such as corn, peas and tomatoes. In these products there has been a sharp, decline since the new stock was placed

AN IMMENSE MILLTOWN FACTORY



TELEPHONE COMPANY HAS DONE MUCH WORK

A new exchange with thirty-five subscribers has been opened at Gagetown one at Blackville has twenty-five instruments and another at Shippigan has fifteen.

The long distance equipment from that nearly three hundred and fifty

ROYAL HOTEL

St. John, N. B.



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The Royal Hotel is one of St. John's best advertisements, for it ranks among the best conducted hotels in Canada.

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77 Years in Business

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Manager, A. C. SKELTON.

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Manager, T. Guy

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Incorporated 1910 by Special Act of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick.

Now Building for Sale—len New Self-Contained Houses With Every Modern Convenience.

WE WILL BUILD

A Self-Contained House on any of the Company's Lands from the Buyer's Own Plan, and in the meantime, while building

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One of our Houses already finished, the rent to apply on the purchase price of the New House.

TERMS OF PURCHASE.

Cash: Part cash with a straight mortgage at 6%, interest payable half-yearly or quarterly; or small cash payment with balance payable in equal monthly instalments, covering interest and principal, with the privilege of paying the whole or any number of instalments at any time.

Positively no fees, fines, or forfeitures; the purchaser getting a clear deed at time of buying.

Fenton Land Nº Building Co., Ltd.

St. John, N. B.

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Despite the Tightness of The Money Market Amherst Has Gone Ahead As Never Before and Has Enjoyed a Great Year In Every Way

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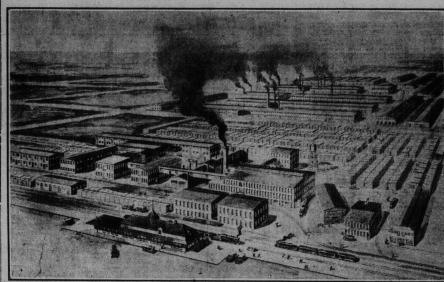
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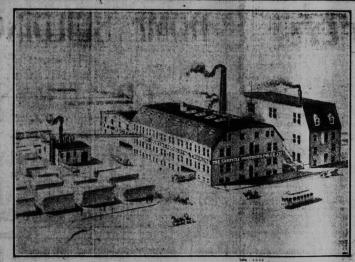
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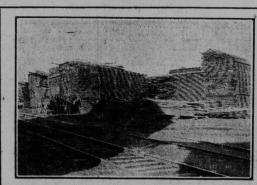
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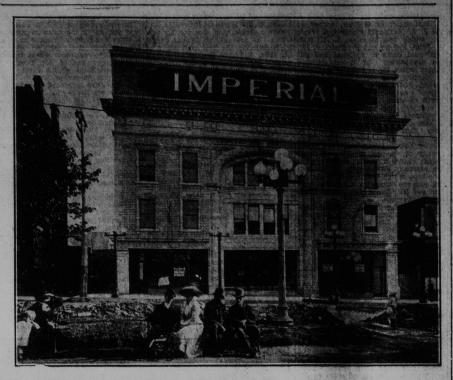
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Aricgulture Has Made Great Progress In Almost Every Direction This Year

Provincial Department Has Been Active in Many Lines—Still in the Elementary Stage, But Results Already Apparent.

The year now ending has seen many changes in farms and farming methods in New Brunswick. Owners of farms have awakened to the fact that agriculture is both a paying and an anteresting occupation. The Provincial Government has undertaken to assist farmers and by means of special instructors and practical demonstrations, the modern methods of handling the different crops have been taught to many.

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While the farming industry in New Brunswick has practically not advanced beyond the elementary stage, still wonderful changes have been made during the last few years since the Provincial Government has given it serious attention. The Department of Agriculture of which J. B. Daggett has been the secretary, has directed its efforts toward improved farming and the problems of husbandry have received scientific attention. By means of experimental farms it has been proved that New Brunswick has great opportunities for any who wish to cultivate the soil and carry son the other work connected with it. The following is a short outline of the activities of the Department of Agriculture during 1913:

The bee keepers of the province were formed into as association through the efforts of H. B. Durost, a graduate of Macdonald College. He was sent to different parts of the province by the department and succeeded in arousing many beekeepers to renewed efforts. Besides teaching the proper ways of handling bees Mr. Durost gave instructions in the use of fertilizers, and advised as to farm drainage.

Dairy farming was also encouraged.

A new field assistant was appointed and the activities of the instructors increased. In Madawaska Co., the small creameries have been done away with and a large central creamery has been erected at St. Hilare. The Dominion Government paid for the building and the New Brunswick Government for the equipment. It has been decided to start handling milk there

next season.

The main idea in connection with the establishment of central creaemeries, has been to have the products uniform for each section. With the smaller factories uniformity of production has not been possible. The reconstruction of the dairy school building at Sussex has been commenced. Plans have been drawn for many improvements that will make this the best equipped building of its kind in the eastern provinces. Special accommodations.

CHRISTMAS CAROL

By Phillips Brooks.
The earth has grown old with its but dens of care,
But at Christmas it always it

The heart of the jewel burns lustrou and fair, And its soul full of music breaks for on the air. When the song of the angels

It is comging, old-earth, it is coning tonight.

On the snowflakes that covered the

sod
The feet of the Christ-child fall gentie and white,
And the voice of the Christ-child tells
out through the night
That mankind are the children of
God.

On the sad and and the lonely, the wretched and poor,
The voice of the Christ-child shal fall;
And to every blind wandered one

And to every blind wandered op the door Of a hope that he darned not to dres of before, With a sunshine of welcome is

The feet of the humblest may we in the field
Where the feet of the holiest ha trod;

This, this is the marvel to morta revealed When the silvery trumpets of Chris mas have pealed That mankind are the children

MARK'S SPONTANEOUS FUR

Mark Twain's spontaneous fun wa rresistible. When a joke of his ha fallen flat and had been received it allenee by an audience, he remarked "A crowd like that can never mak a good deal of silence when they combine." It was Twain who said:
"Reader, suppose you were an idio!
And suppose you were a member of congress. But I repeat myself.
When he was ill hundreds o quaks wrote to him advising him to take their medicines. To all o

beneficial results."
Twain, however, had his moments of melancholy. "The man who is not a pessimist is a fool," he once wrote. If never greatly envied anyone but the dead, I always envy the dead," and when urged by his friends to leave the "eternal round" of the city and go to his country home for a rest he re-

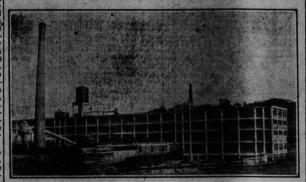
Nothing Coming to Him, Anyway,
"By Jove, I left my purse under
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"Oh, well, your house girl is honest
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of the Department ing the year. This is to the farmers. Eight field competitions were held during the year. This in operation for se convention held in February proved mer, which was two more than ar and the number of competias greatly increased.

onstrations were given in domestic science, home nursing and kindred

Miss Winter, accompanied by M Sadie R. Enwright, of St. Steph est results. The hiss isabel McLaren, of Monch and productions, y and the grow will likely soon the important che important ince.

Through the efforts of the Department of Agriculture, farming has been brought to its present advanced stag and efforts have been made to about the people that farm life has man interest and the partment has praved a success and the work will be continued with great energy than ever.

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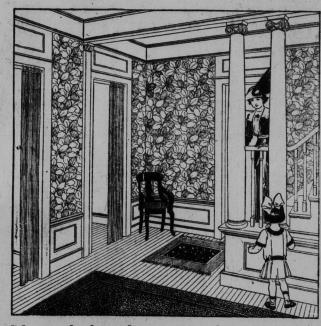
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sking conditions in New Brunsk during the last year have not not up to the average of normal rs, but the demand for fish has inased and the price has been added materially. The large markets are do the transport of the United test cariff and the introduction of ter shipping arrangements have ated a great demand for New mawick fish and the fishermen we benefitted to a large extent. The storms of the last season have in blamed for a short supply of finny food. It has often happentant fishermen were unable to go





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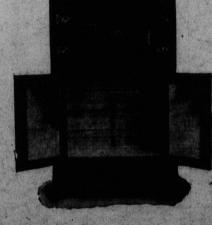
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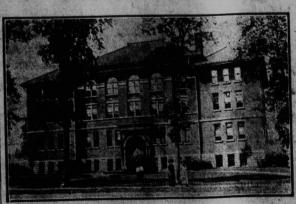


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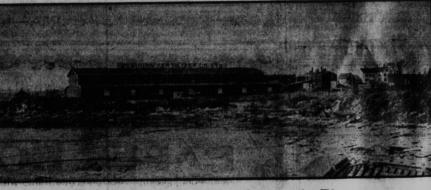
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The history of printing has been closely silied with the advances in civilization and the invention of the printing press marked the beginning of the fight for freedom of the common people. From that time to the present, the improvements in society have kept pace with the improvements of the printing press. Gutenberg, in 1450 printed his first book from movable type. His apparatus was of the rudest type and each impression had to be handled carefully in order to keep the ink from blotting. As scon as an impression was made, the sheets had to be hung up to dry and the process of making even small pages of printed matter was attended by much greater labor than today turns cut a full sized newspaper.

Were Gutenburg called upon today to print a bible, he would be be wildered in the maze of printing machinery contained in any well equipped printing office.

The simple wooden form of press.

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GUTENBERG'S IDEA.



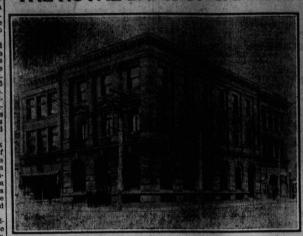
worked with a screw by means of a novable bar, contained in use for about one hundred and fifty years, or outil the early part of the seventeenth con-tury without material change. The forms of type were placed on wood or stone beds, and moved in and out by hand and each impression was made by screwing the platen down with a bar.

with a bar. William Jensen Blaew, a printer of Amsterdam, introduced improvements to this press about 1620. He passed the spindle of the screw through a square wooden block, which was guided in a frame, and from this Lock the platen was suspended by wires or cords. The block or box prevented any twist in the platen and secured a more equal motion to the screw. He also placed on the press a device for rolling in and out the oed and added a new form of iron hand lever for turning the screw. Blaew's press was introduced into England and was extensively used on the continent. Earl Stanhope was the next person to make improvements to the printing press. He had the frame cast it cre plece of iron in order to have creater power for impressions. He added a series of levers to the screw to give

ess labor.

Other printers added the improved evers to their wooden presses but only succeeded in spoiling their epparameters.

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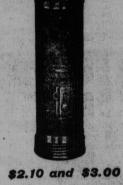
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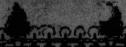
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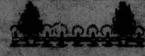
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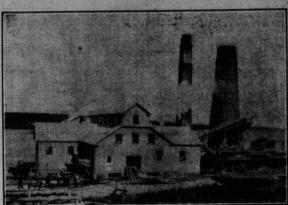
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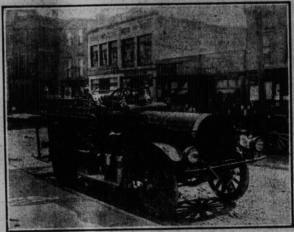
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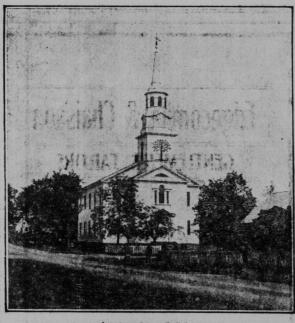
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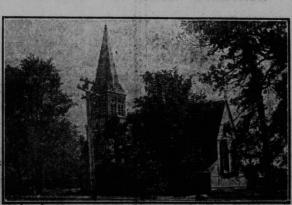
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From The New York Sun of September 21, 1897.

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"Dear Editor—I am.8 years old.
"Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus.
"Papa says If you see it in The Sun it's so.'
"Please tell me the truth, is there a Santa Claus?
"Virginia O'Hanlan.

"115 West Ninety-fifth street."

Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the scepticism of a sceptical age. They do not believe except they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds Virginia, whether they be men's or children's, are little. In this great universe of ours man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole truth and knowledge.

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alasl how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies! You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas Eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders there are unseen and unseeable in the world.

You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond. Is it all real? Ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

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A DOG'S CHRISTMAS.

sairs last night. She hits my head, so I yell and rush up to missis, scratch her door until she opens it, says I may go in as it is Christmas; curl up on her eiderdown and finish my sleep.

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the sugar. Then boil it until a tiny and a cup half full of strong coffees Boil until abil can be formed of the mixture dropped into water. Remove from the fire and fold in the stiffy beaten white of an egg and one-half acup of nut meats. Beat until creamy turn on a buttered platter and when nearly cold cut in squares.

Cocoanut Bar.

Three cups of granulated sugar and only enough water to moisten. Boil until it will hair. Pour to a platter and when partly cold stir until creamy. Do not beat this or you will spoil it. Into this fondant kneed enough fresh graded cocoanut to make a heavy bar, but its in a bread pan and let it stand two hours, then cut into sloes.

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Maple Fudge.

Break about a pound of maple-sugar into filts fondant kneed enough fresh graded cocoanut to make a heavy bar, but it in a bread pan and let it stand two hours, then cut into sloes.

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A Win on the Black---How Johnny Cadotte Turned the Trick and Died.

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When the white blanket swooped down and covered the land with its thick mantle, when the big lake froze so solid that it presented a lake froze wind-swept route of eighty gradeless miles for the freighters, Johnny Cadotte took to his bed, torn internally by the white plague which had sapped his powers until he was a gasping convulsed shadow of his former self Restlessly tossing on his blankets if the dark corner of his cabin, he watted for the end while his patient, brown faced wife hustled here and there and kept the house in order as she had been taught to do in childhood when she attended the mission schools. At times racking spasms of coughing, am blood tinged lips attested the severity of the sickness of her husband, who only grianed cheerfully then and spok hopefully of better feelings when the balmy winds of spring arrived.

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trappers. It howled with irresistable force across the level stretches of the lake, it screamed with bitter vigor when it reached the poplar hills and bent the ghostly timbers before its fury. Out from the drifting scuds of ice-like snow that enveloped the sunface of the frozen lake came three men who urged their dog teams to further efforts and finally drew to a rest in the shelter of the grove where stood the cabin of Johnny. Mrs. Cadotte opened the door and peered out, grupted to her interested husband and returned to her fire where she impassively commenced to prepare a meal, for the newcomers would be

huagry.

The new arrivals unharnessed their dogs, threw them frozen fish, entered the house, and sat down just as the snarling dogs finished their meal and burrowed into the snowbanks to carl up in comfort. Brief grunts of salutation passed, between the men and Johnny, silence broken only by the lighting of pipes and the noise of culturary preparations was maintained until supper was ready and dispatched after which the work grew more conversational and spoke of various things. The atmosphere in the small unventilated cabin dense and stifling, Johnny coughed and strangled and shook.



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The men of the wilds have always, of y whether in north, south or west, one lade all-powerful weakness, which is that for the god of chance. Give a party of trappers, miners, hunters, any grade of nature's people a few quiet hours and a pack of cards, and they will the hazard all on the turn of a card. Naturally, when the meal was finished and they turned to entertainment, a pack of greasy cards was produced and the his trio dragged Johnny's bed of blankets able and skins out from the all so he could take a hand.

All night in the thick atmosphere, with

All night in the thick atmosphere, with the wind yelling wildly outside, the quartette lived in the hands they held, packs of skins brought in from the laden sleighs and opened beside each owner, grew larger or less as fortune swayed. Johanny's pack which had become a goodly one before his sickness took him down was dragged forth and opened, time flitted as nothing. Sometimes the game stopped for a few minutes for the host to get over a flerce coughing spell, sometimes it was broken for food, prepared by a silent woman.

Fortune, mever reliable swung to Johnny, and the heap of glossy hides at his bedside increased with pleasur able regularity, men cursed their luck and doggedly perserved, all smoked and played and hoped. A dark, fever ish flush made the cheeks of Johnst still darker than nature intended, hi hands gripped his cards convulsively he dropped himself on his elbow and panted as he gambled.

The stient woman direct say noting for it is not in the book of the norths or wives to give advice to husbands when it is not asked for. Their duty is to obey and make the home life as workless for the man as possible.

The game went on, the second day dayned, brightened dully, faded, and

lawned, brightened dully, faded, and larkness came again; the storm gain and show and seemed like a broad expanse of dull lead; great trees, weakened by the increasing pressure of the wind crashed as they gave up the struggle for

I bat you dat black fox, dat rifle, my dog team dat I have bettaire han' dan you, one deal jes."

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McFarlane, who had accumulate the packs of every man in the game covetously eyed the sheen of the for skin and healtated. He knew Johnn was pretty sick and he did not reall want to play any more, the cautio of his father warning him he hawon, but the soft blackness of the silken hair was too much, and hooded assent. Too weak to sit un Johnny beckoned his wife to hold his head and shoulders, flercely he grassed his cards, and eagerly the spect tore bent over the hands exposed.

"Show," panted Johnny to the other was to see the standard of the cards.

"Two ace," declared Johnny in the faintest whisper, dropping five black spades on the floor. "Ah ween on de black Geev eet all to de woman she good wife to me and as good Creesmus gif." And the black blood gushed from his open mouth as his everstrained body gave in to the uneven struggle. A low moan, and then the sad wall of the stricken arose above the howl of the storm, for the wife of Johnny Cadotte was mourning her

THE STAR OF BETHLEHEM.

The star of Bethlehem.

The reference to the star of Bethlehem has been the matter of much discussion. The information available on the subject is about as follows: Kepler proved that Jupiter, Saturn and Mars were in conjunction three times in the seven hundred and forty, seventh year after the foundation of Rome, that year being very near the birth of Christ. This conjuction appeared in the signs of the Zodiac which astrologers connected with the fortunes of Judes, and certain writers have tried to identify it as the star of Bethlehem. Furthermore, according to the Chinese astronomical tables a very bright new star actually did appear in the heavens at this very period. This identical conjunction of planets occurs only once in about 800 years. It has been shown, however, by later astronomers that the appearance of this conjunction does not answer the requirements of St. Matthew's description. Therefore the Biblical authorities claim that the text implies a supernatural appearance in the

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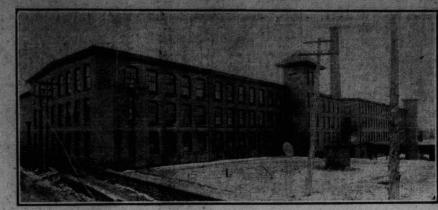
Post—Thinks he's the whole thing, does he?
Parker—Well, I'd hardly go as far as that; but he certainly considers himself a quorum.—The Smart Set.

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Nearly a Million Dollars Spent in Massachusetts Last Year By Autoists—T. P. Regan Tells of Auto Activities.

T. P. Regan, President of N. B. A. A.
I have it on the best authority that \$1,000,000 is left in the State of Massachusetts annually by motor visitors of outside states. Proceeding on a conservative estimate, it means that at least 20,000 non resident machines passed through the State of Massachusetts this summer, averaging three persons to the car makes a visiting total of 60,000 summer tourists. Placing the expense of each at a very low estimate, \$10.00, gives \$600,000 spent by visitors for food and lodging. To this total add the money spent for tires, garaging, gasoline, oil and the various other incidentals and the total is brought quite close to the million mark. Now as soon as our roads are in shape we'll be able to get some of that million dollars. Therefore, it is behooves us to hurry with those good

The most popular movement toway over America is one for better roads. It is not for new roads but rather for improving old ones. The people have learned the value of selecting certain popular routes and bending their energies to the improvement of those first, to be followed later by the improvement of other connecting roads. The N. B. A. A. are now soliciting the support and backing of the people for the purpose of asking our local government to continue the good road work

on the St. Stephen to St. John road Good roads mean an increase in preperty values and it is possible for on to live in a country house and statend to business affairs in the clijust as easily as though one lived it the cky, such being the case the ben fit that strikes me as being most pra

pent in Massachuspists—T. P. Regan

Many improvement made in the roads and st different cities and tow vince. The cities hav plan of putting down pents and for this put asphalt, granite and who pound paving blocks have properly located on good more properly located on good

in real estate values operty located on good is a widespread demand to for the improvement glways—one can hardly uzine or newspaper with me article written on tant topic. Not only is rested in this movement, have joined in the deg merchants, manufactly officials, tourists and ectitizens. Not only do citizens. Not only do citizens. Not only do do roads now, but they add that will stay good, is they want permanent as that can be built at a st.

quite general for all level roads.

Over in Prince Edward Island the people have awakened to the need of better pavements and next summer Summerside will construct several miles of tarvia pavements.

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Practically all the towns and villages of New Brunswick have been improving their sidewalks and concrete has been the chief material in use. Moncton was practically the first city in the province to lay this kind of sidewalk.

It has been the custom for the differ ent towns and cities to maintain their own sidewalk plants but the building of roadways has been let out at ten

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Something for Old and Young, for Men and Women, Ideas Which May Be a Help to Those who Are Still in Doubt.

You can buy for 25 to 50 cents a cunning little sachet bag of crochet silk, in any color, that will just drop in the front of your friend's corset. Many women like a bit of intangible, fragrance about them.

Almost any girl would be glad of a boit of delicately colored seam binding with three celluloid bodkins for running it in her dainty underclothes. Many women like seam binding better than baby ribbon. Binding and bodkins cost 25 cents.

An address book in a dainty binding for your friend who uses a telephone



St. Andrews, N. B.

kins cost 25 cents.

An address book in a dainty binding for your friend who uses a telephone much can be had for a quarter.

Fans are coming into fashion again. Lovely celluloid ones in imitation of ivory and tortoles shell, decrated in flowers and birds, sell at 50 cents.

A woman with a little ingentity can buy one of the cheap-framed prints for 50 cents, cover the back with cambric and screw two handles om the sides, thus making a beautiful tray.

Pretty imitation amber heads are shown at 50 cents a string. There are also Venetian glass heads for the same price.

Sets of enamel pins in three sizes from the sides, thus making a beautiful tray.

Pretty imitation amber heads are shown at 50 cents, and a very pretty commender of the commender o







AS A WOMAN THINKS AT CHISTMAS TIME. You have lost the significance of Christmas if you harbor in your heart an unking thought.



"Give him a Gillette Safety Razor"

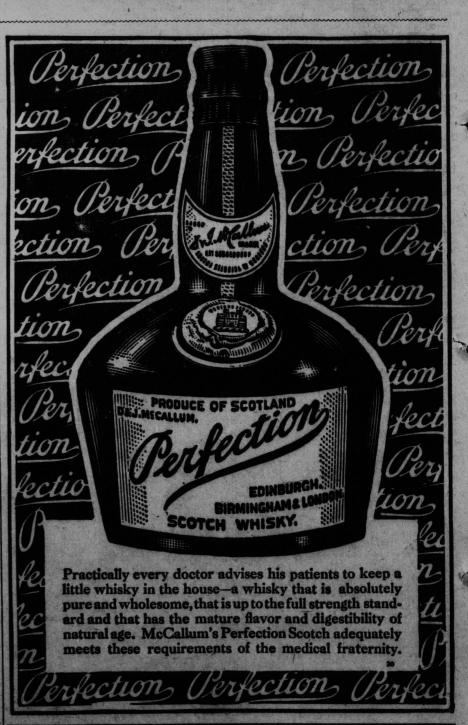
is certainly hard to beat in that particular. It appeals to a man's hard-headed business nse as well as to his good taste, for it gives him, every day in the year, a service whose equal he could not get from any other source.

The gift of a Gillette is a comp

cased in leather or polished plate, you can select a Gillette exactly suited to any man's tastes or habits. Standard Set (shown at right in lower panel) costs \$5.00. Pocket Editions (centre, below) cost from \$5.00 to \$6.00. Combination or Travellers' Sets (right above and left below) run

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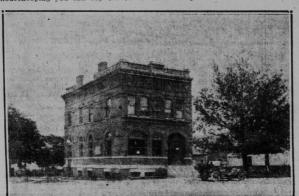




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Blessed Saviour, we pray Thee,
Be Thou car Guest today;
Help us to love and adore Thee,
Begin in our hearts always;
And as we greet Thy first coming
King though in manger alone,
Help us await Thy next Advent,
King, on Thy glorious throne!

—Adele Clere Ogder



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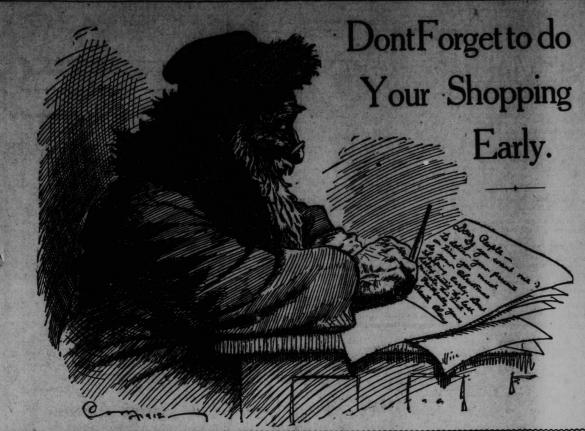
Those Whe Love Cards.

See a deck of cards and four pieces that are two inches ill arraound than the bridge Cover the cardboard box the one and the pieces of cardwith holly paper. Tie the on neatly with scarlet baby This gift if made neatly will appreciated by the man or who loves cards.

Gover for Card Table.

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Those white shoe horn and shoe ut white shoe in diameter. Sprinkle with sachet powder and cover with the ribbon. Fringe the ended the ribbon and the with narrower ribbon against a cover the card finding head of the wall paper that covers the wall of your friend's poom and passe keeps and a seach of the wall paper that covers the wall of your friend's poom and passe keeps and a seach of the wall paper that covers the wall of your friend's poom and passe keeps and a seach of the wall paper that covers the wall of your friend's poom and passe keeps and a seach of the wall paper that covers the wall of your friend's poom and passe keeps and a seach of the wall paper that covers the wall of your friend's poom and passe keeps and a seach of the wall paper that covers the wall of your friend's poom and passe keeps and a seach of the wall paper that covers the wall of your friend's poom and passe keeps and a seach of the wall paper that covers the wall of your friend's poom and passe keeps and a seach of the wall paper that covers the wall of your friend's poom and passe keeps and a seach of the wall paper that covers the wall of your friend's poom and passe keeps and a seach of the wall paper the cotton that is the exact size of the drawer. Sprinke the cate of the drawer. Sprinke the cotton that is the exact size of the drawer. Sprinke the cate of the drawer. Sprinke the cotton that is the exact size of the drawer. Sprinke the



Among the Christmas Books--Something to Suit Every Taste This Season

Popular Novels, and Gift Volumes of Every Description— Special Attention Given to Illustrations— Childrens Books More Attractive Than Ever.

The old rule, "When in doub don't!" would never do to apply Christmas giving, but a newer, safe plan is, when in doubt, give a book As a rule, fiction, in the form the popular novel is the best to give and this year there is a varied a

At the top of the list comes Winston Churchill's "Inside of the Cup."
This is the mostly widely read addiscussed of the new novels, an you are no really up-to-date unless you

own a copy.

Basil King, who anonymously published "The Inner Shrine" has achieved enough success to put his name on his latest novel, "The Way Home." It tells of the struggle between a man's spiritual and material natures, ard also how he sometimes depreciates a woman's value.

"The Coryston Family," by Mrs Humphrey Ward, reminds one of Thirn Woman," in that "Lady Coryston expects her children to live thiffe she has planned for them. How finally she sees that they have right as individuals, and that "The old order changeth" makes very interesting reading, but Mrs. Ward's previous book, "The Mating of Lydia," is a ver

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much better story.

Rex Besch has a thrilling book called "The Iron Trail." The cauntles hero, who was indeed "Master of higher, who was indeed "Master of higher early belongs to teh Vikin days, and is just the type to appear to the heroine, who struggled under the name of "Eliza" until she met an loved him who understood her nature call her "Violet."

enough to call her whole; Stewart Edward White has wande ed from the northern woods, which has always described so well, and "Gold," tells an adventurous story California in '49.

California in '49.

"The Brokem Halo" by Mrs. Barcla, is the story of a loveable young cynic who has his childhood's faith restor ed by the little white lad. That sheets nothing out of it herself excep a sense of well-doing, does not matter

at least in a book.

John Galsworthy and Robert Chambers each give us what may be calle temperamental novels. With diaphic outs fabrics the fashion, transparent emotions seem to have come in vogur The heroines in "The Dark Flower, and "The Business of Life" do neelleve in letting "concealment gnaw, and etc, and are interesting psychological parts of the property o

Everyone has heard of "Pollyann
—The Glad Book, and everyone sho
buy at least two copies to give to p
ple whom Santa Claus might possil
forget. In the same class is "Lit
Thank You," by Mrs. O'Connor,
wite of the famous "Tay Pay."

wife of the famous and enjoyed "Mai tha By The Day" must assuredly rea "Making Over Martha." Martha is on of those rare women who can accorplish as much with her fingers as he tongue; when advised by one of he family to "get a hump on," she say "If I get any more of a hump than have, its a dromedary I'll be."

Nicholson, is the wholesome story of a wholesome girl. Phyllis possess a healthy mind in a healthy body, as a refreshing as a west wind.

"The Chief of the Ranges," M Cody's annual book, is a good story that northern country with which the

author is so familiar.

"Captain Dave's Daughter" is Licoin's contribution to the Christme bookshelf, and is written in his usua happy style. "Ever Breeze," by Sarn McLean Green, is another good Captory.

Cod story.

Do you remember how delightful "Molly Make Be lieve" was ? Well! "The White Linen Nurse," by the same

author is quite as charming—the lovilist mixture of whimiscal metaphors

nd siangy contessions.
"The? Garden Without Walls,," b
Coningsby Dawson, has no less that
three heroines. Their names alone ar
enough to tempt one to buy the book"Vi," Rutitha," and "Flesole," c
whom the hero said, "she had a nam
like a lullaby and manners like
mustard plaster."

The great interest that is being ta en in educational matters is show by the number of books on the su ject. Those on the Montessori syste seem most popular.

The admirers of Myrtle Reed w

The admirers of Myrtle Reed we welcome the volume, "Gray and Gold which has been brought out. This the last of the unpublished Mss. I by Miss Read, and is one of those is endar scented romances that she can well.

Price Collier's ever increasing public will enjoy "Germany and the Germans." The chapter on the German women is alone worth the price of the book.

Peace, some people will be interested in the Peace Movement, Norman Angell's "Great Illusion" is acknowledged by all critics to be the ablest and most concise thing ever written on the question. The demand for a popular edition of Mr. Noyes' poems has been met by Stokes, who has published a new two volume set of his works, containing the best of his verse.

minature edition of "The Call of the Yukon," and "The Cremation of Sam Magee," that makes a delightful substitute for a Christmas Card, and one that will be appreciated by a man. James Whitcomb Riley, The Hoosier Pot, is always read. A complete edition of his works would take too bulky

a volume, but they can be had in sepa ate books. "After Whiles" contait the best selections. I must quote fro the poem: "Afterwhiles and one intends To be kentler to his friends, To walk with them, in the hush

loviiphors
One, in time, will joy to take
New resolves for someone's sake,
,,' by And wear then the look that lies
than Clear and pure in other eyes

"Fiesole," of had a name maners like a Books" to their pocket Kipling contains all the verse printed it is being tak-ters is shown twe poems—another good book

has just been issued. Them there are a couple of good books on Panama and Mexico, both good places to read about, while the "Wanderer" series by E. V. Lucas, and "The Tent Dwellers and Ship Dwellers," by Albert Bigelow Paine, Mark Twain's biographer, can not be beaten by any book of 1913.

For those who love the unusual it their reading as well as in other things a good book is "The Crook of Gold," by James Stephens. Anything more delightful in fantastic philosophy and

be is quite as good.

The children's books get lovelle each year. Artists nowadays seem to put their very best efforts into illustrating fairy tales, and one reads "list ultrated by Rackham, Pogony, Dula: Roger Pocock, and Jessie Wilcons Market and Smith's," on all the juvenile gift books and A series for girls that has been lale away for a generation, and bee

wiving.

Miss Montgomery's "The Golden

Road" is properly a girl's book, bu

will be enjoyed by all classes of readers.

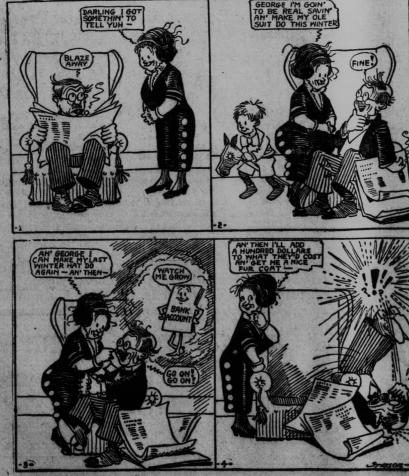
Boys are becoming more interested in science and modern inventions every day, and that this is recognized by those who write for them is shown by the titles of the latest boy's books. "Electricity for Boys'.—"The Airship Series".—"Every Boy's Workshop," and dozens of the same trend. It is a healthy sign too—far better than "A Five Guinea Watch," or "Eric The Schoolboy."

Schoolboy."
Oh, there are cooks for everybody, and if one is doubtful of the wisdom of his choice, why, let him remember what Lucas says: "Every deserving book sooner or later finds its way to those who love it best. There is a fate in these matters; a destiny that leads one, by devious ways, it is true, to those authors in whom they find most of that sympathy, which it is the read-yler's end in life to discover."

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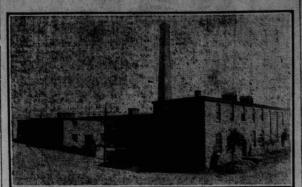
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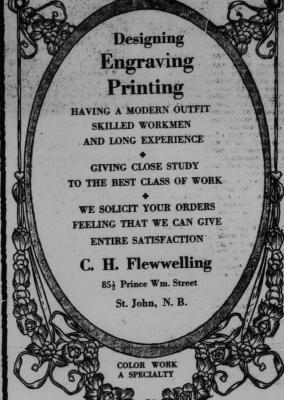
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		25.00	to	100.00
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The "Splendid" Safety Razor is almost an

exact duplicate of the Gillette, takes same blades and is hard to distinguish from the \$5 line, "Sp'endid" Razors sell for 50c., \$1.00 and 2.00. Sets \$3.25.

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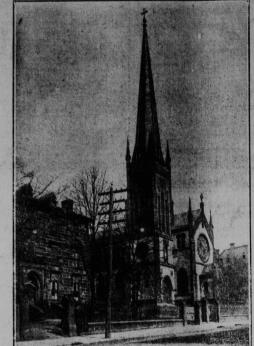
The Metropolis of Kings County Boasts of a Year in Which All Have Been Busy

Particularly Active and Prospects are for More Than Ever Next Year—Looking Forward to Natural Gas.

Sussex, industrially, has had the best year in its history. While there is no buildings byelaw, and therefore no occasion to issue building permits, by which the value of building serected may be definitely fixed in dollars and cents, it is safe to say that the cost of the buildings finished and in course of erection during the current year, exceeds several times over the amount similarly spent in any previous corresponding period. There has not been an idle workman in Sus, sex this year. In fact the supply of men was entirely inadequate and building operations were sadly hampered in.

Among the buildings finished and under way, are the magnificent new store of W. B. McKay, Limited, the new station, large addition to the Depot House, Sussex Mercantile, large barn, the remodelled Maplehurst Hotel, Mr. Garfield White's handsome now residence, (a beauty by the way): A. E. McAuley, E. Grey, store and dwell-ing and large barn for George W. Powler, M. P., a \$6,000 addition to the Provincial Dairy School and the

Building Has Been Particularly Active demand for both, which cannot be

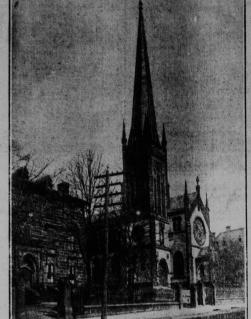


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gypsum deposits near Sussex, and will commence work in the early spring. The Dominion Iron and Steel Company are also represented at Markhamville, where they have several drills at work to determine existing values on the Old Manganese mines, which were successfully operated some years ago by a company, the manager of which was Col. Markam, formerly of St. John. The work has been delayed by the difficulties experienced in getting men, but those interested hope to overcome this and the work will be diligently pushed. The revival of mining at this centre would once more restore the willage of Marhamville to its former importance, and quickly en able it to regain its old-time population.

The industries of Sussex, while not numerous, are making a success of the several lines in which they are engaged. The Sussex Manufacturing Company, the largest in the list, is now among the foremost producers of refrigerators of Canada and their goods. La Favorite refrigerators are sold in every province in the Dominion and are shipped as far as the Argentine Republic. The company is also successfully producing a number of farm implements, which are find-



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The Market Offers =

The Silver Black Fox industry is no longer an experiment, being now established on a solid business basis. Its enormous profit-yielding possibilities are recognized and appreciated by the highest commercial authorities. Both Canadian and United States Governments have gone carefully into the matter of fox raising and fur farming, their reports showing that fur-bearing animals are decreasing and the prices of furs advancing. This means that all valuable furs will, in future, be ranch bred. Silver Black Foxes are steadily increasing in value, and

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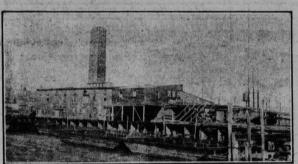
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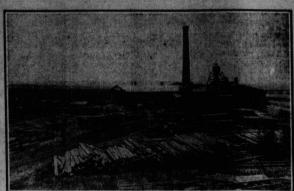
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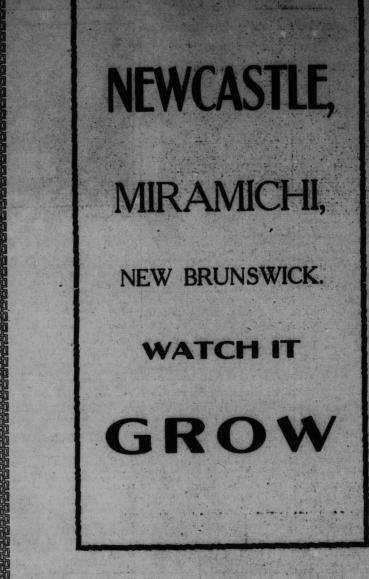
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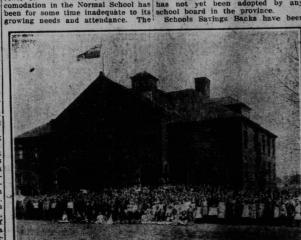
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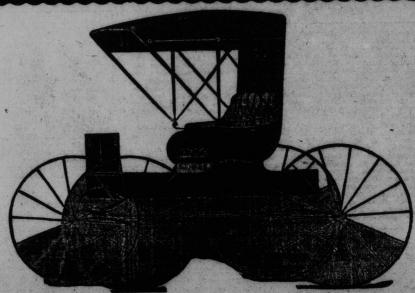
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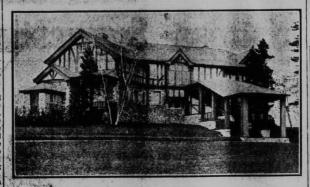
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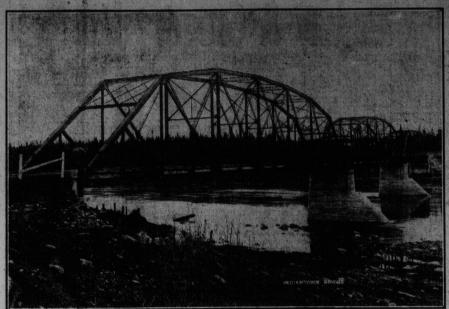
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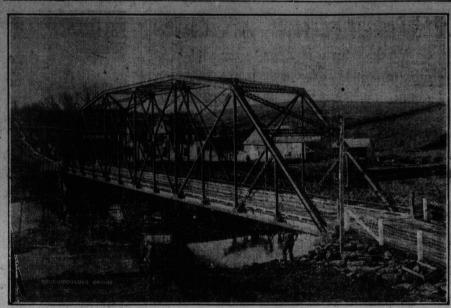
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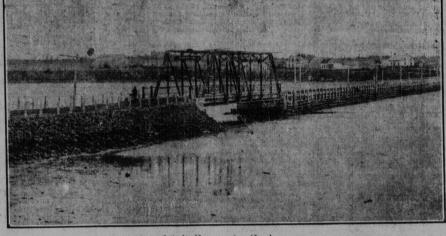
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The roads and highways have received a greet deal of attention during the season just closing. In many places roads have been rebuilt and other improvements arranged. Within the next few years, with the present policy of the government in force, New Brunswick will have the best system of roads to be found anywhere in Canada.

The Department of Public Works has grown in importance during the year and the nature and number of the undertakings coming under its jurisdiction have added greatly for the duties of the Commissioner and his staff.

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cost of these will be heavy. A full description will be found in another part of this paper.

At Fredericton arrangements have been completed for the placing of the new draw span in the highway bridge. This span has been ordered and will be can the ground within the next few weeks and it will be placed in position as soon as the river is solid enough to accommodate the traffic. Besides the read diversions and improvements necessary on account of the construction of the Valley Railroad other highways have been greatly improved. Perhaps the most important was the old St. John post road to St. Stephen. In the parishes of Penfield and Lepreaux this roadway has been put in first class condition. All, who have had occasion to use this stretch of highway, have been loud in their praise of the efficient manner in which the work was carried on.

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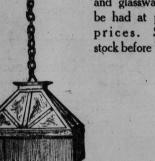




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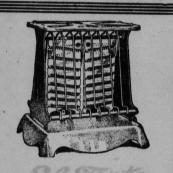


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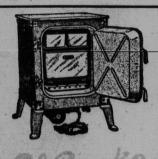


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