

'DRYS' DEFEAT MAYOR FINED IN WET CASE

By Majority of 265 Votes Dartmouth Rejects Chief Magistrate.

ELECTION FOUGHT ON HIS CONVICTION

Fined in His Own Police Court for Giving Too Many Prescriptions.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 1.—Elections for the civic rulers of incorporated towns of Nova Scotia were held today. About half the towns elected their mayors by acclamation a week ago, but in most of those today there were contests for councilmanships, while in the other towns of the province there were some spirited contests between aspirants for the position of chief magistrate as well as for councilmanships. In many respects the most notable contest was that in Dartmouth, where Colonel I. W. Vidito defeated Mayor H. O. Simpson, M. P., by 265 votes.

The "dry" forces worked with might and main for the colonel, while the "wets" went solidly for the Mayor, whose recent excessive issue of liquor prescriptions caused his conviction in the town police court of violation of the Nova Scotia Temperance Act. The final count showed 769 votes for Colonel Vidito and 604 for Mayor Simpson.

The closest contest reported in the province was at Inverness, Cape Breton, where Mayor J. B. Henderson was re-elected over his opponent, D. A. McIsaac by a majority of seven.

BIG REVIVAL IN STEEL MILLS OF UNITED STATES

Plants That Have Been Closed for Weeks Are Reported Starting Again.

DETROIT STILL HAS ARMY OF WORKLESS

Cotton Mills of New England Are Resuming Work and Taking on Large Staffs.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 1.—Many independent steel manufacturing concerns in the Pittsburgh district today increased operations on what constitutes the working time was reduced so as to bring operations within the limit of the eight hour day, and thus avoid time and a half pay for overtime.

Of the 51 independent blast furnaces from which reports were received by steel authorities here, 21 were in operation. From points outside the immediate Pittsburgh district came similar reports of increased operation today, including plants at Youngstown, Canton and Warren, Ohio. Many plants resumed operations under changed labor conditions in some instances wage reductions were accepted by the men, and others the working time was reduced so as to bring operations within the limit of the eight hour day, and thus avoid time and a half pay for overtime.

Repair Russia's Engines. London, Feb. 1.—An undertaking for the repair of virtually all of Russia's locomotives, extending over a number of years, has been signed between the London firm of Armstrong, Whitworth and Co., and the Russian Trade delegation.

Reports to this effect had been current for several days and the company confirmed them yesterday. It announces, however, that the contract is subject to the signing by Great Britain of the trade agreement with Russia.

Detroit's Unemployed. Detroit, Feb. 1.—The beginning of February sees little change in the industrial situation here, a canvass of the larger factories yesterday indicated. Although there have been unconfirmed reports that this week would bring marked increases in the number of men employed, there were no announcements of resumption of operations which were generally expected to follow the partial reopening of the Ford plant.

STEEL WAGES CUT. Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 1.—Wage reductions of about 20 per cent have been announced by the Steel Company of Canada here. Notices that the reductions would be made were posted up by the employees were quitting work tonight. It is said that the men will go back to work to the scale of wages that were in force in 1919.

Boasted of Freedom Too Soon So He Got Two Year Sentence

Montreal Prisoner, Out on Suspended Sentence, Talked Too Much.

Montreal, Feb. 1.—R. Horowitz, who had recently been released on a suspended sentence by Chief Justice Desautels, today appeared before His Lordship and received a two year sentence. It was explained that Horowitz after resigning his post, went out talking of how easy it was to get out of Montreal courts. When bragging to certain friends about his release, he had said that two hundred dollars judiciously distributed amongst various court house officials was all that was needed to get away. It so happened that these stories reached Judge Desautels' ears, so his lordship accordingly summoned Horowitz to the court and imposed upon him the sentence he had previously escaped.

THREE MILLION DOLLAR ACTION AGAINST FORD

Theatre Magnate Declares Auto Maker Slandered Him in His Paper.

CHARGE CONCERNS CLASS OF PLAYS

'Panderer to Public Taste He Has Been No Mean Factor in Debasing' is Statement.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—The complaint in a \$3,000,000 damage suit against Henry Ford and his paper, The Dearborn Independent, was filed in circuit court today by Morris Gest, theatrical producer, who alleged that an article in the Independent on January 22, 1921, contained "slandering, libelous and false statements" concerning Mr. Gest and certain stage productions he has handled. The article mentioned in the suit was said to have attacked "Aphrodite" and "Mecca," in particular, terming them "the most salacious spectacles ever shown in America."

Other Suit Coming. Gest's attorney here announced it had been planned to file similar suits in Detroit today. The article which was alleged to have been libelous was quoted in the complaint. It asserted that the American stage was "under the influence of a group of former boot-blacks, newsboys, ticket speculators, prize ring habitués and lowery characters." After saying that "Mr. Gest stalks before his fellows Jews as the most successful producers of the year," the article declared that Mr. Gest was not a great producer, but a great panderer to a public whose taste he has been no mean indebasing.

WAGE REDUCTIONS IN MANY CITIES

From Ten to Twenty Per Cent. Cuts Announced in American Offices.

New York, Feb. 1.—The following announcement of wage reductions were made today: American Sheet and Tin Plate Company, Sharon, Pa., ten per cent reduction, affecting 350 men; Ogleby, Norton Iron Mines, Ironwood, Mich., fifteen per cent reduction and institution of a four-day week. The Town Site mine, fifteen per cent reduction; Cleveland Railway Company, ten per cent reduction, affecting 1,300 employees; Maintenance of Way laborers on the Erie Railroad at Hornell, N. Y., from forty-eight an hour to thirty-three and thirty cents; section hands of the Erie region of the Erie Railroad, from forty-eight cents an hour to thirty-five and thirty-eight cents, and of unskilled labor from thirty-eight and a half to thirty cents.

Six in Family Are Burned To Death

Barre, Vt., Feb. 1.—Six out of the ten members of the family of Henry Martell were burned to death and two others were seriously burned, when fire destroyed their home at Rochester, forty miles from here today.

The dead are: Louis Martell, father of Henry Martell, and the latter's five children, ranging in age from 4 to 21 years. Mrs. Henry Martell, and one other child are in a serious condition. The latter is not expected to live.

BARGAIN WEEK VOTE OFFER TO END SATURDAY

Two-Hundred Thousand Extra Votes Given for \$18 of Subscriptions.

BIGGEST OFFER IN STANDARD'S CONTEST

Only Four More Days in Which to Secure Advantages of the Great Opportunity.

Just a few more days remain of the Big Bargain Week EXTRA vote offer, which is in vogue in The Standard's big contest of the present. An EXTRA vote ballot good for 200,000 EXTRA votes will be given for each and every \$18 worth of subscriptions collected by any of the contestants before 8 o'clock Saturday night, Feb. 5th. Full details of the extra vote offer will be found on the contest ad. in this issue.

Two Extra Prizes. To enthrone the contestants, and thus aid them in getting an early start in the big prize contest, two magnificent \$216 Starr Phonographs are being offered as EXTRA prizes to the two contestants (one in each district), who turn in the greatest amount of subscription money by Feb. 19th at midnight.

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Enroll Now. Hardly a day passes without some inquiries being received at The Automobile & Movie Star Department of The Standard as to whether or not it is too late to enroll in the contest.

It is not. Several new contestants have made splendid records within the past few days, and their chances for being one of the big winners are as good as anyone's. There is no reason why you cannot duplicate their records. Enroll now. Get your share of the Bargain Week EXTRA vote ballots, which are good for 200,000 votes each. Remember, it takes VOTES to win the prizes.

AT THE IMPERIAL TODAY.—Ethel Clayton in "Young Mrs. Winthrop."

AT THE UNIQUE TODAY.—Anita Stewart in "The Sins of Mothers."

AT THE QUEEN'S SQUARE TODAY.—Dorothy Gish in "Little Miss Rebellion."

Two of the prizes to be given away in The Standard's big contest are opportunities to become Movie Stars with The Universal Film Company. Filmdom's largest and most important Moving Picture Company.

WIRE FLASHES

Telegraphic News Condensed from Last Minute Messages for Quick Reading.

Relieved Once More. Dublin, Feb. 1.—The execution of Joseph Murphy, found guilty by a court martial of having led an attack in Cork, October 8, against the military today was postponed for the fourth time.

Police Inspector Shot. Cork, Feb. 1.—District Inspector O'Sullivan was shot today while walking with his little son in Listowel.

Fire On Motor Car. Dublin, Feb. 1.—A private motor car containing four detectives was vigorously bombed and fired upon with revolvers in Merrion Square today.

Executed at Cork. Cork, Feb. 1.—Cornelius Murphy of Rathmore, County Kerry, was shot to day after being found guilty by a court martial of having in his possession a loaded revolver.

Dartmouth is Defeated. Halifax, Feb. 1.—Crescents defeated Dartmouth 7 to 2 in a city hockey league game here tonight.

Bill Brennan Wins. Buffalo, Feb. 1.—Bill Brennan, the Irish heavyweight, knocked out andaman Dick Rice, of England, in the second round here tonight.

Apple Week in England. Ottawa, Feb. 1.—As a means of popularizing Canadian fruits in Britain the proposal has been made that a "Canadian Fruit Week" be held next year, according to a report of J. Forsyth Smith, fruit trade commissioner.

COMMERCE BOARD DESERTED. Ottawa, Feb. 1.—The Board of Commerce offices today are practically deserted, the staff has been released and the activities of the Board have ceased, at least for the time being.

WORLD NEWS TODAY

CANADA

Hanford Keith, of Sussex, N. B., drops dead while talking with his wife after completing fifteen mile walk.

United Farmers of New Brunswick are in session at Fredericton.

Board of Conciliation by a majority report suggests to Government that the famous "Hanna order" should be rescinded.

UNITED STATES

Henry Ford's paper is sued for \$2,000,000 by Morris Gest for alleged libel.

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Six in family of ten at Barre, Vt., are burned to death.

Fordney embargo bill is meeting strenuous objections in the Senate and may be side-tracked for session.

THE BRITISH ISLES

Important Irish prisoner on his way to Dublin Castle is re-captured by the Sinn Feiners.

EUROPE

Germany declares it is impossible for them to pay the amount the Allies demand.

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No Hope of Reconciliation. Dublin, Feb. 1.—John Dillon, chairman of the Nationalist Party, in response to an invitation from United Irish League supporters in Scotland to attempt a reconciliation between that body and the Sinn Feiners says such reconciliation would be impossible by adopting the programme and methods of the Sinn Fein, in which he and a large body of Nationalists would not consent.

Mr. Dillon declares he believed many who voted for the Sinn Fein at the last election have changed their minds and regret it, but that the change is not sufficiently widespread.

Resignations Come Thick and Fast. Expert Heads of Departments Fired With Great Frequency by Head of Firm.

New York, Feb. 1.—Today the Wall Street Journal prints a sensational despatch from Detroit, declaring "Henry Ford is quitting."

The despatch declares that it is beyond the powers of any man to raise the money and carry forward single a loan and said he would send down a block of \$5,000,000 bonds of a certain municipality. The bank made its arrangements and waited; then telephoned Mr. Ford. He could not find them; they had been misplaced. Later he intimated to the bankers that he was not going to let them have those bonds anyway, he doubted if he could trust the bank, the bankers in Ford, though it has never before been told, that Henry Ford has fired them one after another. He fired his \$75,000 general manager, and told him he never wanted to see his face again."

Fires Chief Auditor. "Ford fired his chief auditor and cannot now find the items or collateral he wants. He made arrangements for a loan and said he would send down a block of \$5,000,000 bonds of a certain municipality. The bank made its arrangements and waited; then telephoned Mr. Ford. He could not find them; they had been misplaced. Later he intimated to the bankers that he was not going to let them have those bonds anyway, he doubted if he could trust the bank, the bankers in Ford, though it has never before been told, that Henry Ford has fired them one after another. He fired his \$75,000 general manager, and told him he never wanted to see his face again."

Case of Dean Marquis. Discussing the departure of Dean Marquis from the Ford organization, the article continues: "This practical Christianity developed into welfare work that has invited the attention of the whole world. It reached down to bath-tubs, curtains and pianos. The men were told what they must have and what they could not afford. The publication of 'some financial facts' concerning Mr. Ford led the latter to believe that Mr. Marquis was 'the author of sundry leaks,' and for that reason Mr. Marquis was fired, the paper asserts. 'And the charges against Dean Marquis,' the writer concludes, 'were a fiction in poor Henry's brain.'

LIBERAL CANDIDATE CHOSEN. Montreal, Feb. 1.—At a convention of the Yankoska County held today at St. Francis De La Sa. Aime Benches, notary public, of Pierreville, was nominated Liberal candidate for the Yankoska bye-election shortly to take place to fill the vacancy by the death of Oscar Gledis, M. P.

TAKE CAPTIVE FROM BRITISH AT JAIL GATE

Important Prisoner is Rescued in Sensational Style En Route to Dublin Castle.

ATTACKING PARTY IS DRIVEN AWAY

Battle Follows Attack Upon Inspector and Mrs. King—One Killed and Two Hurt.

Dublin, Feb. 1.—Vincent Forvarde, described as an important Sinn Fein prisoner, was attacked on the way to Dublin Castle. The police jumped out and returned the fire of the attacking party, but when they again entered the car they found that Forvarde had vanished.

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GERMANS FEAR EUROPE'S RUIN THROUGH TERMS

Likely to Make Counter Proposition Declares Their Foreign Minister.

PRESS VERY SORE OVER DUTY CHARGE

'Germany Powerless to Oppose This Victory Madness' View of Some Papers.

Berlin, Feb. 1.—Dr. Walter Simons, the foreign minister declared in the Reichstag today that the German Government would refuse to negotiate on the basis of the Entente decisions regarding reparations and would formulate counter-propositions. His position was supported by all the party leaders except the Communists, who heckled and jeered him when he concluded speaking.

Dr. Simons said the German Government was unable either to refuse or agree to participate in the forthcoming London conference because it had not yet been invited to send representatives.

See Ruin of Europe. The Berlin newspapers today are as one in voicing the opinion that the reparations conditions as laid down by the Allied Supreme Council in Paris sound the economic ruin of Central Europe, including France, Belgium and Italy. The press, however, does not presume to advise the cabinet as to its course in the crisis, reaching the conclusion, as one of the newspapers expresses it, that Germany is powerless to oppose this "victory madness."

Crushed To Death By Falling Tree

Joseph Gaudet Meets Death in Woods When Big Tree Falls the Wrong Way.

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C. P. R. Rents Big New York Offices

New York, Feb. 1.—President E. W. Beatty, of the Canadian Pacific Railway has signed a 21 year lease on the first two floors and basement of the new twenty-one story building near the completion of the corner of Madison Avenue and 44th Street, which will be known as the Canadian Pacific building. Occupation will begin May 1. The aggregate rent approaches \$5,000,000.

Radicals Deported To Russia From United States For Activities

Sixty-Eight Enforced Passengers on the "Esthonia" Bound for Libau.

New York, Feb. 1.—Sixty-eight Russian radicals, men and women, ordered deported by the Government as undesirable citizens, left here today on the liner Esthonia bound for the ports of Libau and Riga. Philadelphia furnished 21 deportees, Baltimore 8, while the rest were rounded up in various parts of the United States. Immigration officials accompanied the Russians as guards.

DROPPED DEAD WHILE TALKING WITH HIS WIFE

Sussex Man Expires Suddenly While Seated at Family Table.

HAD JUST FINISHED FIFTEEN MILE WALK

Hanford Keith, Employed as Millwright at Shepody Road Mill, Stricken Very Quickly

Special to The Standard. Sussex, N. B., Feb. 1.—Hanford W. Keith, a millwright, and employed by the S. H. White Company, at their mill on the Shepody road, about 15 miles from this place, walked this afternoon from the mill to his home at Sussex Corner, arriving about 8:30 o'clock this evening.

He had been home but fifteen minutes and was seated at the table in conversation with his wife when his head fell forward on the table and he expired almost instantly.

Medical aid was called and pronounced heart failure as the cause of death. He was forty-nine years of age, and is survived by his wife, two sisters, Mrs. Sarah Gaudet, of Hillsburn, and Mrs. Wright Alward, of Havelock, and two brothers, Buller H. Keith, of River Hebert, N. S., and Ford, of Stellarton.

USE NO BLIMPS IN SEAL HUNTS

Difficult to Operate in Northern Latitudes But Planes May be Employed.

St. Johns, Nfld., Feb. 1.—The Newfoundland Government has abandoned its plan to use three blimps to aid in the location of seal herds in the annual hunt for seal to be started next month. The principal reason assigned is the difficulty of operating the dirigibles in Northern latitudes. There will be a hunt from the air, however, in which two airplanes will be employed. One of these already is stationed at Botwood, on the Northern coast, and another recently ordered from England will be taken to the same place. The blimps, which were the gift of the British Government, will be sold.

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RESCUED FROM KIDNAPPERS

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 1.—Arthur Rust, twenty years old, son of W. R. Rust, and Paper Mills, Limited, testifying this afternoon before Commissioner Riddell and Commissioner Rathford in the timber inquiry, assured the commissioners that neither the company nor himself personally has contributed to the Conservative campaign in Ontario in 1919.

HEAVY GOING FOR EMBARGO MEASURE YET

Fordney Bill is Hit Hard All Day in the United States Senate.

MEASURE MAY GET SIDE-TRACKED TODAY

Opponents of Bill Insist it Will Increase the Cost of Living.

Washington, Feb. 1.—With Senator MacCumber, Republican, North, Dakota, as its only consistent defender in the debate, the Fordney emergency tariff bill went through another series of hard knocks in the Senate today, opponents of the measure accepting every opportunity to attack the bill. The measure is to be side-tracked or it consideration continued until limitation of debate will be decided tomorrow when the Penrose resolution for cloture will be voted upon. The most ardent supporters of cloture and of the bill admitted tonight that defeat of the Penrose motion is inevitable.

Vote Comes Today. The vote on the cloture is set for 1 o'clock tomorrow and as all amendments must be submitted before that time, there was a deluge of proposed amendments today. Opponents of the measure today stressed the argument that a passage would increase the cost of living in the United States.

Senator MacCumber, defending the measure argued that farmers receiving fifty cents a day for their labor should be entitled to relief even at the expense of workingmen receiving \$3 a day.

NEGRO MURDERS WOMAN IN HUNT FOR HER MONEY

Crime Discovered by Her Little Daughter When She Returned from School.

CHASE SLAYER INTO WOODS NEAR MILFORD

Farmer Fired Four Shots at Murderer as He Flew from Crime Scene.

Milford, Conn., Feb. 1.—Mrs. Joseph Chernock, 27 years of age, was murdered in her home on Old Gate Lane here this afternoon, by an unidentified man, believed to be a negro. Police, firemen and neighbors quickly gathered, and it is believed they have surrounded the murderer in a woods in Woodmont. The woman's eleven-year-old daughter, returning from school this afternoon, saw a man attacking her mother in the house and ran to the home of H. I. Lane, nearby.

Mr. Lane took a rifle and ran to the Chernock home. He was in time to see a man fleeing from the house and fired four shots at him.

Chased Murderer to Woods. A posse quickly formed and headed toward a woods nearby in Woodmont. The negro was said to be armed. Robbery was apparently the motive for the crime, as the house was in disorder and dresser drawers had been ransacked.

The body of Mrs. Chernock was found in a room on the second floor. Her head had been smashed in. A bloody axe was found in the house, and a man on the lower floor lay the five weeks' old boy of Mrs. Chernock, unharmed.

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# THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

## Good Basketball Program Tonight

### Intermediate, Senior Girls and Senior Y.M.C.A. and Alerts Will Battle.

The City Basketball League are still attracting large crowds at the league games. The fine type of basketball being played is responsible for the continued interest of the general public.

Capt. Stokes, general secretary of the local association, has just returned from a trip to Upper Canada, and states that in no city—Toronto and Montreal included—does basketball attract the lively interest that it does in St. John.

Tonight's line-up is a good one. In the intermediate game, the Y.M.C.A. will clash with the Y.M.C.A. Business Boys, and a good tussle should result. The Y.M.C.A. Senior School Girls will meet the Y.M.C.A. High School Girls; the Y.M.C.A. team most Moncton a short while ago and put up a good showing, so that the Y.M.C.A. girls can be assured of a fast game.

The stellar attraction of the evening will be the Senior game, the Y.M.C.A. Seniors vs the Alerts. The Y.M.C.A. Seniors still hold the lead in the league, although at times they have been forced to stretch themselves to maintain it. The Alerts are noted for their fast, clean play, and it remains to be seen whether the Senior team will continue to lead the league.

## Reports Received Most Gratifying

### Corporation of W. C. T. U. Annual Meeting—Officers Elected.

The increasing usefulness of the Library, managed by the Corporation of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, was brought out in a report read at their annual meeting held yesterday afternoon.

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## Salts If Kidneys Or Bladder Bother

### Take Salts to flush Kidneys and neutralize irritating acids.

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in voiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a table-spoon-ful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice; combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by uric acid irritation. Jad Salts is splendid for kidney and bladder ailments.

More you have a pleasant, effortless, urine-voiding which quickly relieves bladder trouble.

## St. John Skater Wins Laurels

### Charlie Gorman, Representing Commercial Club, Wins Two Seconds at Saranac.

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Roy McWhirter, of Chicago, and Charles Jewtraw, of Lake Placid, divided the honors in the first of the three days' International Amateur Skating Championships meet here today. McWhirter won the mile event after a hard struggle, and Jewtraw took the 200 yard skating the fastest heat of the event. Jewtraw's speed won in the 200 and McWhirter's endurance brought him victory in the mile.

In the junior events, Ernest Graves, of Saranac Lake, won the 440 yard race, and Carl Parody, of Lake Placid, the 200 yard event. The attendance was large.

**The Summaries**

Senior 200 yards—Final won by Charles Jewtraw, Lake Placid; second, Chas. Gorman, St. John, N. B.; third, Roy McWhirter, Chicago. Time, 29-3 seconds.

Senior one mile—Final, won by Roy McWhirter, Chicago; second, Chas. Gorman, St. John; third, Jewtraw, Lake Placid. Time, 5:38 2/3 seconds.

Junior 200 yards race for boys of twelve—Won by Carl Parody, Lake Placid; second, Avon Norwick, Saranac Lake; third, Wesley Moody, Saranac Lake. Time, 23 seconds.

Junior 440 yards event for boys of twelve—Won by Ernest Graves, Saranac Lake; second, Avon Norwick, Saranac Lake; third, Robert Dewey and Wesley Moody, Saranac Lake, tied. Time, 1:15 1/2 seconds.

## Local Bowling

**THE CITY LEAGUE**

Last night in the City League on Black's Alleys the Ramblers won all four points from the Cubs. Individual scores follow:

Cubs	Farnham	90	91	84	265	88	13
	Stevens	108	79	82	249	89	23
	Leaman	98	113	79	290	96	23
	Parise	89	90	84	263	87	23
Ramblers	460	465	408	1331			
Covey	115	191	98	316	104	23	
Beatley	83	83	78	244	81	13	
Morgan	99	99	85	283	94	13	
Coughlan	99	89	90	269	86	23	
Hiley	102	105	84	291	97		
	489	477	426	1392			

**COMMERCIAL LEAGUE**

In the Commercial League series on Black's Alleys last night the Atlantic Sugar Refinery captured all four points from the Maritime Nail Works. The scores follow:

Maritime Nail Works	Whitaker	87	90	77	254	84	23
	Carson	87	98	85	270	90	
	Akroy	87	84	89	256	86	
	Givan	87	84	78	239	86	13
	Lemon	93	86	77	256	87	13
	439	452	406	1297			
Atlantic Sugar Refinery	Leaver	97	92	102	291	97	
	Sullivan	75	98	92	265	88	13
	Wright	76	82	78	235	78	13
	Griffith	94	85	90	269	89	23
	Archibald	101	96	88	285	93	13
	442	453	460	1335			

Tonight the T. S. Simms and Ames Holden McCready Company teams will roll.

**WELLINGTON LEAGUE**

On the G. W. V. A. alleys Monday night McMillans captured four points from the Customs. The scores follow:

Customs	Wills	89	87	101	268	89	13
	Rose	86	80	87	233	77	23
	Nice	72	71	83	226	75	13
	Folkins	91	76	71	238	79	13
	Willett	85	93	87	265	88	13
	414	407	400	1230			
McMillan	Quinn	85	88	94	267	89	
	Allen	87	87	80	254	88	
	Sindley	91	83	83	256	85	13
	King	82	80	84	246	82	
	Morgan	110	100	89	299	92	23
	465	438	439	1332			

**Last Night's Game**

In the Wellington League series on the G. W. V. A. Alleys last night the Veterans captured all four points from the Schofield Paper Co. The scores follow:

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	Angel	79	79	83	241	89	13
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## Yacht Club Plans Big July First

### Royal Kennebecas Club Elects Officers and Makes Preparations for Regatta.

The biggest day of water sports ever held on the St. John River or any of its tributaries will be held under the joint auspices of the Royal Kennebecas Yacht Club and the Millidgeville Summer Club at Millidgeville on July 1 next, if the plans unanimously adopted by the R. K. Y. C. at their annual meeting last evening are realized. The meeting was held in the Board of Trade rooms, Vice-Commodore, Walter Logan, presiding in the absence of Commodore F. P. Starr, who was prevented from attending because of illness.

The proposal to hold a water day on the first of July met with an enthusiastic reception. One of the members proposed that every effort be set forth to make the day an even greater success than the Renforth regatta, which he said was "some" success. The programme suggested will comprise every form of rowing and sailing, and efforts will be made to have yachts and boats here for the day from as many outside points as possible. The dates for the start of the annual cruise was set for the 10th of July. The place of the annual regatta will be appointed at the May meeting of the club.

The reports of the secretary and treasurer showed the club to be in a flourishing and highly satisfactory financial condition.

**Election of Officers**

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Commodore—F. P. Starr, re-elected. Vice-Commodore—Walter Logan, re-elected. Rear-Commodore—Geo. W. Mullin. Secretary—Frank Whelpley. Treasurer—Harry W. Heans. Chaplain—Dr. J. A. Morison. Executive—J. S. Hoare, G. H. Kimball, W. H. Turner, James Barnes, W. H. Haller.

A sailing committee was also appointed.

## Local Bowling

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## Revival of Real Boxing In St. John

Boxing has received a decided boost during the past few months in St. John. The Y. M. C. A. included in a strong physical programme, boxing and wrestling, and the classes have proved a decided success. An average of thirty have attended the weekly class, and the individual members are more than satisfied with what they have learned.

Other athletic clubs and organizations have taken up the sport; in perhaps a dozen or more different points in the city the game is being taught.

The boxing and wrestling exhibition staged at the Y.M.C.A. last Wednesday drew a crowd of interested spectators, and the coming city championships—on Saturday, the 6th—ought to attract a large crowd.

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## Fine Ottawas \$500 For Leaving Ice

### Ottawa Hockey Team May Refuse to Play Until Order is Rescinded.

Montreal, Feb. 1.—At the special meeting of the National Hockey League held in the Windsor Hotel here this afternoon, it was unanimously decided to fine the Ottawa Hockey Club \$500 as a punishment for the team's action when it left the ice last Wednesday night in the game with Canadians here. Ottawa supporters, discussing the decision unofficially, stated that Ottawa team will refuse to play until the order is rescinded.

## J. Starr Tait County Master

### St. John County L. O. L. No. 1 Held Annual Meeting—Reports Received.

The annual meeting of the St. John County L. O. L. No. 1, was held last evening in Orange Hall, Simonds St., when the following officers were elected:

J. Starr Tait—County Master.  
E. L. Pippet—Deputy Master.  
J. E. Arthur—Rec. Secretary.  
Percy Gibbons—Fin. Secretary.  
W. V. McKinnon—County Sec.  
C. B. Vanwart—County D. of C.  
Chas. P. Stevens—County Chaplain.  
John Russek—County Lecturer.  
N. J. Curdiss, Frank Napier—Deputy Lecturers.

The installation of officers was conducted by Past County Master, Harry Selten. Officers were installed by Grand Secretary William H. Sully.

The reports from officers for the year were read.

## Canadians Win From Scotland

Edinburgh Scotland, Feb. 1.—The Canadian curlers today defeated the Northeast province rink by 147 to 83. Individual scores were:

Canadians—W. F. Payne, Winnipeg, 21; Lowe, 20; Dr. S. T. White, Shelburne Ont., 37; P. H. Douglas, Hamilton, Ont., 30; Lamont 21; J. J. Turnbull Sydney, 25.

Northeast province—Reid, Turfrie 8; Elmslie, Aberdeen, 7; Laggan, Torphins, 5; Laing, Inverurie, 7; Garry, Aberdeen, 8; Fletcher, Aberdeen, 3.

Totals—Canadians, 147; Northeast Province, 38.

## Salvage Corps Smoker

The North End Salvage Corps were the guests of M

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## A PAGE OF NEWS ABOUT THE MARITIME

### POLITICS THE ROCK WHERE NEW BRUNSWICK'S FARMERS ARE LIKELY TO BREAK UP

Two Hundred Delegates in Session at Fredericton Express  
Sharply Divergent Views Upon the Foster Government  
—Victoria and Westmorland Agrarians Complain of Extravagance and Assistance Provincial Powers Are Giving to the Fraser Interests.

Special to The Standard  
Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 1.—Two hundred delegates from 141 local branches of the United Farmers of New Brunswick organization, gathered in convention here today, heard prominent speakers discourage any attempt at this time to make the organization a political machine. Politics is the rock that will split the organization of farmers in the province, declared one speaker.

Before the political field is entered by the United Farmers as a party it would be well for the members of the organization to first learn the spirit of co-operation and become united on other aims of the organization before blossoming out as a political party was the opinion expressed by chief organizer for the province, William Irvine.

Fixing the Organization  
The first duty of the farmers was to strengthen their local branches making each meeting an educational one and organize every district working in harmony; then the United Farmers organization can swing as a power for good and obtain those things that are for the best interest of the farmers, was the opinion of the chief organizer.

He was ably backed in his position by J. F. Rilly of Westmorland and Wallace Hargrove of Sunbury county. Co-operation and a united effort on the part of farmers to secure results in a commercial line should be the first consideration of the United Farmers, then after that other fields might be explored, according to the speaker.

Attack Foster Government  
The provincial government got many a dig today. From Victoria and Westmorland came complaints of government extravagance and of the assistance it was giving the Frasers to grab the lands of New Brunswick and crowd other people off the map, especially the residents of Victoria.

The Victoria delegate claimed it was for self preservation to save what little they possessed, that the farmers of that county went into the last provincial election and fought with their own candidates the government forces. They decided that Hon. Mr. Tweeddale, who was spokesman for the legislation of the Frasers, should stay at home and home he was elected to stay.

Milk Plant for St. John  
Of special interest to St. John was the declaration made before the convention by H. H. Magee of the arms of the Kings County Milk Producing Association. He said it was their plan to inaugurate in the city a mercantile warehouse to handle all farm products and also to establish a creamery for the distribution of milk to the dealers. At the central distributing station the milk will be clarified, pasteurized and chilled. Purer, better milk will be the result and St. John citizens will benefit. The move by Kings County should not be regarded as a move of coercion.

Not Coercing City  
Mr. Magee said it was not for the purpose holding a club over the city. His association believed it was time for the country and the city folks to get closer together and co-operate for each others good. This, he believed, can be accomplished through the plans which they hope soon to inaugurate.

R. W. E. Burnaby, president of the United Farmers of Ontario was present today to assist in the work of the convention. He will be the chief speaker at Wednesday night's session. He was given a rousing reception when introduced to the audience.

Fishermen There Too  
The fishermen of Charlotte County had representatives at the convention for the purpose of making their position known and seeking to get in on some equal basis with the Farmers for the handling of their product. Forast Calder put forth the claims of the fishermen for recognition. If they were permitted to join in with the Farmers he felt that Charlotte County could be swung for anything that would be for the best interests of all. He said the fishermen were paying from 50 to 70 per cent more for farm produce than the Farmer received for it and he knew the farmers were paying from 50 to 75 per cent more for their fish than the fishermen received for it. He urged a get-together and stick-together policy to eliminate the middleman and try to live.

He pleaded that an educational campaign be conducted. It was now realized that in the boy in the boat and the boy on the farm were possibilities for great men. To develop them was the work of the United Farmer, declared Mr. Calder.

Brings Ontario Greetings  
President Burnaby, brought the

greetings of the Ontario Farmers to their New Brunswick brothers. In a short talk he endeavored to impress upon the minds of the delegates the importance of conducting their affairs on a business basis. The time has come when farming had ceased to be a calling and had become a plain business proposition. The sooner the farmer realized that the better off he would be. Keep the supply within the demand, or just equal to it and prices, he said, could be maintained at a profit. Crowding the market, creating a surplus, causes a fall in prices. It is up to the farmer, he said, to figure as any business man should and does a figure, and greater profits will come to the farmer. The speaker went into a review of the co-operation buying in Ontario, a struggle at first but now a great thing for the farmer.

Got Cold Reception  
With the thermometer registering twenty below zero the delegates to the convention of the United Farmers of New Brunswick met with a chilly reception this morning. The auditorium, where the convention assembled, was cold, but, after the formalities were over, things began to flow, and was happy. Thos. W. Caldwell, M. P., president of the United Farmers of New Brunswick, presided.

The following committees for the convention were named this morning: Credentials—H. H. Smith, Miss Blanche Robinson, William Irvine. Resolutions—J. Frank Rilly, J. Gordon Corry, C. Gordon Sharpe, W. S. Poole, C. Alward.

Order of Business—C. Gordon Sharpe, R. Alward, J. Frank Rilly. Legislation—Charles Fawcett, H. H. Smith, J. T. Rilly, C. Gordon Sharpe.

President Caldwell, in a short speech, right to the point, welcomed the delegates and explained the purpose for which they had gathered. He invited a full and free discussion of all questions and hoped no one would hesitate to give the convention the benefit of any ideas they had that might help in furthering the cause in which they were all interested.

Organizing Directors  
The report of organizing directors was the start of the real business to goodness business of the convention, after the routine work of the morning. There were but few organizers present at the opening session. J. F. Rilly, of Westmorland county, reviewed the progress of the farmers' movement in his county, which, he said, had not proceeded as rapidly as he had hoped for. He did not regard the farmers' organization as a political body, but was purely an organization through which it was hoped to secure commercial and social benefits, as well as make themselves felt in the political world. He referred to their work in the last provincial election campaign, and of their success in electing one of their four candidates. That they did not elect their whole ticket, he said, was discouraging to some and these for a time, lost their interest in the organization. They are now coming strong and expect to organize many branches this spring.

With a little more pep and a little more push, and a strong pull together he felt the farmers of Westmorland could be welded into a solid body of United Farmers.

The Sunbury Case  
Walter Hargrove, Ripples, reported of the work done in Sunbury. He said they had been well trimmed in the last election. They were snowed under, he said, because of the special effort put forth by the Government forces. To save Sunbury, he believed if the county was well organized they would be able to do business and accomplish their objects. The farmers of Sunbury, he declared, were waiting to see some results from the commercial end of their organization before they can be expected to get going strong in things political. The foundation fund doesn't take well with Sunbury farmers, because they think the organization is developing into an expensive affair. The political aims, he thought, could not be liquidated until the commercial end was made to show results profitable to the farmers. He thought that if twenty-five guides could go before the government and secure what they wanted in legislation, then the farmers were surely entitled to some consideration by that same government.

What Albert Thinks  
Harry Thirley said that Albert was coming slowly but surely to the front. But little effort had been put forth, in the past, in the way of organization. Things were looking brighter for the future, he said, and with a little assistance from other workers in the cause, Albert could easily be settled in the movement and

attain great results that would be for good of all.

General Discussion  
The meeting was opened to general discussion for the good of the movement, none of the organizers being present. Hiram Whitney, of Northumberland, said the organization was weak in his county. The call for money, as embodied in the appeal for the Foundation Fund, had put a damper on meetings held for organization purposes and but little had been accomplished. He pleaded that eloquent speakers be sent to his county to place squarely before the farmers the aims and objects of the organization. They said they had elected one good out and out farmers' candidate at the last provincial election. He was not so positive as to the other candidate on the ticket, he was elected as the farmers' candidate.

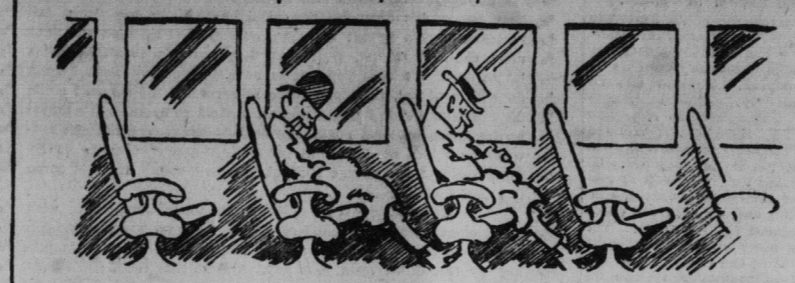
Slams Government  
Thos. Arounault, of Westmorland, took a swing at the Government. He thought the Foster Government was not as good as it ought to be. He declared it was butchering the province of the province. The government, he said, was so sick with money they had to get a doctor, and they have forced the people to pay bills. Not as them on it, just the total amount. What is the money for, we asked. Never mind, he says, pay it, and we did it.

Stop Land Grabbing  
Jerry Hafford, Victoria county, told of the success of their efforts to gain what they considered their rights. In the last provincial election it was the people of Victoria lined up to down a monopoly. They defeated Minister Tweeddale, he said, because he represented the Fraser Companies which were grabbing up all the lands of the county and forcing others off the earth. He said they had promised to build a big mill on the Tobique, but the only mill they have built is a "win mill."

Farmers in Kings  
H. H. Magee, of Kings county, then set forth the aims and ambitions of the farmers of Kings county, the most important of which was relative to the establishment in St. John city of a mercantile warehouse, etc. as referred to in the opening of this story. Mr. Magee also suggested the idea that an interchange of organizers among the different counties, and the Canadian Council of Agriculture and much benefit, he thought, would come from that union.

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On the Midnight Suburban Train

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The secretary explained that several counties had been organized and much good work done. He said there was considerable opposition to the fund, a subscription of \$10 from each member who felt inclined to assist in promoting the movement, but this opposition was unwarranted. It required money to carry on the work, he said, and the farmers must aid financially. If the membership was all paid up, he said, there would be over 10,000 members in good standing in the New Brunswick union.

He urged the importance of keeping up the local branches. If they are not maintained to strength, then he said, the whole structure, which we are trying to build up, must fall to the ground, he said. He declared that each branch should choose with great care their secretary. Upon his energy depends to a large extent whether the union shall succeed or fail.

Touching on the fertilizer question, he said it was the opinion of the central office that the farmers who have placed their orders on the high market should cancel those orders and wait for the fertilizers to drop. He said they must come down and should come down very soon. Chemicals were coming down in price and farm-

ers may have a chance to do their own mixing.

Financial Statement  
From membership fees a total of \$3,309 had been received during the year. From the Foundation Fund and special drives, a total of \$3,141 was secured, making a total revenue from these sources and from special accounts, \$6,450. The total expenditure for the year, including the work of organization, salaries and incidentals, the figure \$8,311, leaving a cash balance of approximately \$1,000.

Among the expenditures was the sum of \$599.50, charged up to campaign fund. This amount, it was explained, was to aid in some counties in the procuring of speakers and incidental expenses in carrying on the political battle at the last provincial election.

Quits His Office  
Secretary Sharpe, after answering all questions pertaining to the report, announced his sorrow at being obliged to sever his connection with the office. He reviewed the work accomplished during the tenure of office, but his own duties now compelled him to devote his whole attention to his own farm work. He thanked all who had assisted him in the past, and assured all that he would continue to do his part to help in promoting the best interests of the U. F., which, he considered, was going to succeed.

On motion of Alex. Brewer, of York, a vote of thanks was tendered the secretary. President Caldwell paid tribute to the most efficient work performed by the secretary, and he felt they were losing a man who had been instrumental in boosting the farmers' movement in New Brunswick to its present successful and commanding position. He regarded it as a most serious blow to the organization to lose Mr. Sharpe at this time.

Messrs. Magee, of Kings, and Rilly, of Westmorland, in brief remarks, praised the work of the retiring secretary. They pleaded that the convention should increase their membership fees and secure a fund that would make it possible to hang up a salary for a secretary that would be inviting to a man of Mr. Sharpe's ability.

Resolutions Presented  
Resolutions were presented for consideration of the convention by various delegates. The first was one urging that the Provincial and Federal Governments be prevailed upon to provide railroad communication between Shediac to Port Elgin. It was shown that there were 12,000 people there who were now obliged to haul their products from ten to fifteen miles to market. If there were rail facilities it would prove an impetus to farming.

The Government, it developed, did considerable preliminary surveying on a route between these places just before election, and then quit after the ballots were counted.

Mr. Rilly urged upon the convention to look favorably upon the resolution.

Oldest Resident of Bass River Is Dead

James Marsh Succumbs at Age of Ninety Years After Brief Illness.

Buxton, N. B., Feb. 1.—James Marsh, an aged and respected resident of Bass River, is dead. He was born at Molus River ninety years ago and survived by his widow, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Brown, five sons, John, Isaac, Charles, William, David and one daughter, Annie.

Interment was made in Bass River cemetery, Rev. Alexander Craze officiated at the house and grave.

Daniel Nowlan  
Daniel M. Nowlan, a prominent resident of St. Ann's, Kent County, passed away at his home. He had been in failing health for the past four months and death was due to gangrene. Mr. Nowlan is survived by his widow, two brothers, Martin of St. Mary's and John, of St. Ann's, one sister, Mrs. Gilbert Richard of Buctouche, also four sons, Frank, residing in United States, Cyril of Moncton, Daniel and Frederick at home and six daughters, Mrs. Sylvia Richard, Mrs. Cyril Alton, Mrs. Calista Richard, Mrs. John Mooney, Mrs. Levi Cormier and Mrs. Francis Bell. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. John Gaudette, interment was made in the Roman Catholic cemetery at St. Ann's.

CONDEMN CATTLE EMBARGO  
London, Feb. 1.—Another meeting of the London Meat Traders was held today and a resolution was passed condemning the embargo on Canadian cattle and calling for its removal.

had been made of the proposal to build a railroad on the route suggested by the resolution. He thought something should be done to help the people asking the resolution. Resolution adopted.

A resolution was presented embodying a request of the farmers of Queens town that the Federal authorities establish a money order department at their local office.

Being a purely local question, it was decided by the convention not to be advisable to act on the resolution, and that request, purely local, should not be treated by the convention. Resolution withdrawn.

Fertilizer resolutions were prominent and bore up bravely under much discussion. One was introduced calling upon the Government analyst to examine all samples sent to him without the name of the manufacturer and the percentage of the material in the fertilizer being on the packages. It was approved.

The Valley Railway bobbed up and found its history reviewed by President Caldwell.

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## THE FARMERS' CONVENTION

Judging from the report of the proceedings at their convention in Fredericton yesterday, the Farmers' party either have as yet not got into their stride, or they don't know just where they are at. Possibly as the business of the convention proceeds, they will settle down into something like order, and decide what they are really going to do. While several speakers disclaimed all idea of the Farmers' party being a political organization, the meeting seemed to have discussed little else than political questions. Until they can agree among themselves as to what it is that they really do want, it is scarcely likely that they will make much headway, either politically or otherwise.

Probably the keynote of the situation was struck by Mr. R. W. E. Burnaby, the president of the United Farmers of Ontario, who told the assembly that the only way in which farmers could hold their own and take care of their own interests was to keep down production. Providing a greater supply than there was demand simply crowded the market and brought down prices. If this is to be the principal aim of the farmer movement, they do not need to go into politics to accomplish it. As to what line the farmers are to take in politics, Mr. Burnaby is, we understand, to discuss with them later on in the proceedings. There were nine farmer candidates elected to the Legislature, and they will naturally want to know what they stand for and what they are to do. Mr. Burnaby's address this evening on this phase of the farmers' activities should be of more than usual interest.

## THE "NO POLITICS" ORDER

Unless the Government refuses to accept and act on the findings of the Conciliation Board which sets aside the "no politics" order of Mr. D. B. Hanna, it is difficult to see how that gentleman and his colleagues on the Railway Board can do other than hand in their resignations. If this should happen, it will be a matter of great regret, because their appointment was an earnest attempt to take the Government Railways out of politics altogether. If the Government refuses to sustain Mr. Hanna's order, it brings the railways back into politics again with all the old troubles and abuses that it was beginning to get away from. The present system of managing the Government Railways may not be as perfect as might perhaps be wished, but it certainly is a great improvement upon the system that used to obtain when the railways were controlled directly by the office of the Minister of Railways. If the National Railways are to remain public property, as many people seem to wish them to, they must be controlled by men altogether free from political influences and affiliations, if their management is to be at all satisfactory, and those upon whose shoulders the burden of management is placed have the right to expect that they shall not be subject to outside interference. Public opinion is behind Mr. Hanna so far as regards the "no politics" order at any rate; and it will be a great blow to all attempts at independent management. No private corporation would submit to what the Railway Board was asked to submit to; and there is no reason why the latter should submit either.

## THE INCIDENCE OF TARIFFS

If there is one man who is thoroughly conversant with financial conditions in this country, it is Sir Henry Drayton, and he dealt with them pretty trenchantly in the course of his speech at West Peterboro on Saturday in the interests of Mr. R. Deane, the Government candidate in that constituency. Necessarily he had a good deal to say upon the subject of the tariff, and more particularly upon Hon. Mackenzie King's wretched views with regard to it.

Mr. King is one of those who believe in following the Apostolic teaching of being all things to all men on the off chance that thereby he may make disciples of some. In the West he was, as Sir Henry said, one of the most marvellous free traders and tariff smashers to be found anywhere. In Peterboro he is supporting Mr. Gordon who would protect everything but foodstuffs. During the last session, Mr. King called upon the Government to make immediate tariff reductions and in West Peterboro, the leader of the Opposition assured the electorate that if the Liberals were returned to power, no changes will be made to the tariff without first submitting it to the people at a general election. As a matter of fact, Mr. King and his friends are pledged in the House to substantial reductions in the tariff on

necessaries, which means substantially everything.

All that the Government has in mind in the way of tariff impost is a tax sufficient, and no more, to provide a reasonable degree of protection to Canadian industries. The high protectionist is just as great a menace to the welfare of the community as the free trader. The latter would simply let down the bars altogether and allow foreign made goods to compete freely in the Canadian market against home made goods which cannot be produced at such low cost. The high protectionist, on the other hand would impose such a tax on imported goods as would allow Canadian manufacturers to demand an exorbitant and altogether unwarranted price for their products. Every patriotic Canadian is interested, vitally interested, in maintaining the industrial life of the country in as healthy and prosperous a condition as is possible, but there is no need whatever for the public to be led in order to pile up the profits of these industries unnecessarily. Adequate protection is all that is needed, and few industries are getting more than this at the present time. The tariff is lower today than it ever was in the Laurier regime, and for the people to put Mr. King and his party in power with the chance of making it even lower, would be a national calamity.

## PRODUCTION

It has been dined into the ears of the people, not only of this country but all others, persistently and continuously for the past year or more, that the only remedy for the present high cost of living is to be found in greater production. Along comes Mr. Burnaby and advises the farmers to keep production down below actual requirements or at least only just level with them. This advice follows along the same line as that given by speakers at the Shoe Manufacturers' Association last week, when the claim was made that one of the reasons for the unsatisfactory conditions in the boot and shoe industry, was over-production. It is abundantly evident that neither the farmers nor the shoeman intend, if they can help it, that prices shall come down. It must be assumed that Mr. Burnaby, as President of the United Farmers of Ontario, is in full sympathy with their political platform, one of the chief planks of which is a very large measure of free trade. Free trade will have a tendency to lower prices, which apparently Mr. Burnaby does not want. How is he going to reconcile his apparently conflicting attitudes? The Shoemen are of course avowedly protectionists, and strongly object to anything that will tend to bring prices down. Their attitude is consistent at any rate, even though it is not altogether in the interests of the consuming public.

## MANDATES AND INDEMNITIES

Liberal M. P.'s who keep shouting, as in the Peterboro by-election, that the present Parliament has no mandate would in the opinion of the Ottawa Journal be more impressive if the public didn't remember that they are the same gentlemen who last session thought they had sufficient mandate to vote themselves an increase of \$2,000 a year in their indemnities. Unionists, of course, were a party to the grab, but inasmuch as they do not go about crying that this Parliament is "defunct, irresponsible and without a mandate," they do not add inconsistency and hypocrisy to their sin.

The curious thing is that the chief spokesman for a bigger indemnity was the leader of the "no mandate" chorus—Mr. J. H. Burnham—with that other fine apostle of parliamentary responsibility, Mr. Ernest Lapointe, running him a close second.

Premier Foster has expressed his willingness to hold off the opening of the Legislature until the Restigouche election petition can be heard. This is really very good of him. It would be altogether too bad if the two Conservative candidates who were declared elected by the sheriff should take their seats and then find out they had no right to them. The Premier desires to save them from anything so ignominious of course. The fact that if their election should be upset and the seats declared vacant, would give him a majority in the House naturally does not weigh with the Premier at all. Personally he would much rather that each county was fully represented, and if it hadn't been that the war needed everybody's attention so badly that an election could not be permitted to distract St. Carleton County would never have gone without one third of its representation all last session.

## WHAT OTHERS SAY

**The Winter Wonders.**  
 After noting the cars in which young women go about in winter, one is constrained to wonder how that same "fashion" ever came into existence.—Osgood Herald.

**Awaiting Explanation.**  
 No doubt anti-vaccinationists will have some sort of explanation all ready to account for the facts that smutspor broke out in a Brantford family of fourteen, that the seven who had been vaccinated escaped infection, whereas the unvaccinated seven were all taken down with the disease. We don't know what the explanation is, but it is no doubt all ready to produce.—Hamilton Herald.

**American Capital in Canada.**  
 A Canadian branch of an American firm was opened in Watford last week. The Board Chairman of the Windsor district have been practically built up by American capital. Toronto has no fewer than 10 United States branches. There are 25 American branches in Hamilton. Welland claims the largest per capita growth in the Dominion in the 19 years. Of its 18 industries no fewer than 13 represent, or originally represented, American capital, and so with the other cities throughout the Dominion. Yet free traders seem entirely indifferent to or ignorant of the value of the Canadian tariff in promoting foreign investment in Canada.—London Free Press.

## A BIT OF VERSE

**LUMBER.**  
 C. F. S. in Punch.

If I'd got to choose alone  
 One all the rights I've known—  
 All my cargoes, live and dead,  
 Bacon pigs and pigs of lead,  
 Cattle, copra, rice and rails,  
 Pilgrims, coolies, nitrates, rails,  
 Lima beans and China tea—  
 What do you think my pick would be?

If I'd got to name the best—  
 Take just one and leave the rest  
 Out of all the ports I've known—  
 Coral beaches white as bone,  
 All the hot lands and the cold,  
 Nights of stars and misted gold,  
 Tropic smells and Spanish wine,  
 Whispering palm and stinging pine,  
 All the isles of all the sea—  
 Where do you think I'd want to be?

Loading lumber long ago  
 In a ship I used to know,  
 With the oar-ports open wide  
 In her starboard and port side,  
 And the saws screaming shrill  
 Where the Fraser floods and flows  
 Green and cold with melting snows,  
 And the tow-boats' wailing din,  
 As the booms come crawling in,  
 Fills the echoing creeks with sound,  
 And there's a swiftest all around,  
 Deep and soft like drifted snow,  
 Nowhere much a man can go,  
 Nothing much to see or do,  
 Mouldiest burg you ever knew.

But I'd give the years between—  
 All I've done and all I've seen,  
 All the fooling and the fun,  
 All the chances lost and won,  
 All the good times and the bad,  
 All the memories sweet and sad,  
 Far and near, by shore and sea,  
 I would give them all to be  
 Loading lumber years ago  
 With the saws' wailing din,  
 Loading lumber all day long  
 Stacks of scented deals among—  
 Loading lumber at the mill  
 'Till the screaming saws were still  
 And the rose-red sunset died  
 From the mountains and the tide,  
 Till the darkness brought the stars  
 And the wind's song in the spars  
 Of that ship I used to know—  
 Loading lumber, long ago.

## THE LAUGH LINE

**Accommodating.**  
 Lawyer—I would like more time for my client, your honor.  
 Judge—Certainly, I was going to give him five years, but I'll raise it to ten.

**The Real Problem.**  
 "Should women propose—" began Professor Pate.  
 "Certainly not," impolitely interrupted J. Edgar Ginty. "But now see they to be kept from it?"—Kansas City Star.

**Paternal Anxiety.**  
 "Were you with the girl's father?"  
 "Not exactly. The old man demanded to know if I was prepared to support him in the same style his daughter was accustomed to do."

**The Canker in the Rose.**  
 "What reason have you got for grouching? Didn't you get \$100 for allowing your picture to be put in the paper as having been cured by Pudge's Pills?"  
 "Yes I did, but hang it, my relatives are all asking me why I don't go to work now that I'm cured."—Boston Transcript.

**Dangerous Aphorism.**  
 "Talk is cheap."  
 "Sah! For goodness sake don't advertise it as a bargain while my wife is around."

**Their Inability.**  
 "My gracious, Cousin Waybacker!" exclaimed the city relative. "No wonder you are hungry, after coming all that distance with nothing to eat! Why didn't you have a lunch put up before you started from home?"  
 "Phenny wanted to," replied the country relative, "but we couldn't find anything to pack it in. There wasn't a shoe box on the place."—Kansas City Star.

**The Wrong Course.**  
 "Dawdle says that he's had chances enough but they were all poor ones."

## Benny's Note Book

Pop was smoking and thinking with his feet up and I was wishing somebody would invent a automatic lesson machine to do my lessons every mite, and I sed, say pop, can I have a cent please, pop?  
 Was or erth can anybody do with a cent with the cost of living as high as it is? sed pop.  
 Well G gosh, pop, I can do lots with a cent, I sed, I can buy 2 small size sourballs or one big size one, or 10 jelly beans, or a stick of chewing gum, or one chockit mushmeller, or I can make a bet with Puds Simkins or one of the fellows and if I win I'll have 2 cents, or I can buy a rubber band and make a siltg shot and use it till the rubber band breaks.  
 Anybody that knows that much about a cent certenly awt to have one of his own, sed pop. And he took his feet down and reetched in his pocket and put his feet back up agon and gave me a cent, me saying, Well gosh G, pop, if you think I know a lot to do with a cent you awt to hear some of the things I could do with a nickel, gosh pop you'd be surprised the things I could do with a nickel if I had a nickel. I could go upstairs in a movie in the afternoon, or I could buy 50 jelly beans or a hot dog sandwich or a half of a 10 cent pie or a tea cream cone any flavor, that's some of the things I could do with a nickel, that's of course if I had a nickel.  
 You present your case with sutch clarity and yet with sutch eloquence that I feel it my duty to hand down a decision in your favor even tho it involves the personal sacrifice of taking my feet down agon, sed pop. And he took them down agon and gave me a nickel for the cent and put them back up agon, me saying, Well holey smokes pop, you woudent hardly believe it if I told you all what I could do with a lime, do you want to hear some of the things?  
 Well skip the speech for the defence this time, I've me back the nickle, and I'll exchange it, sed pop. Wich I did, and pop sed, I'll exchange it for this. And was did he do but give me the cent back agon, saying, Now in the future please remember that the lobrest reetch awfent has the shortest touch. Meaning if you dont know wen to stop you'll soon find out.

"I've notified that whenever opportunity knocked, Dawdle proceeded to knock the opportunity."—Boston Transcript.

**Revenge.**  
 "I don't believe in revenge."  
 "I don't either. But just the same there are a number of men I do business with who have kept me waiting in outer offices for half an hour or more I'd like just once before I die to keep waiting to see me."—Detroit Free Press.

"Why don't you make a lawyer or a doctor of your boy John?"  
 "I'd like to," replied Farmer Corn-tassel, "but what are you going to do with a young feller that is so talented he won't be satisfied with anything less than a million dollars a year as a motion picture star?"—Washington Star.

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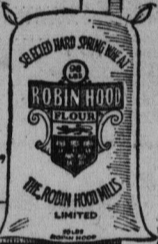
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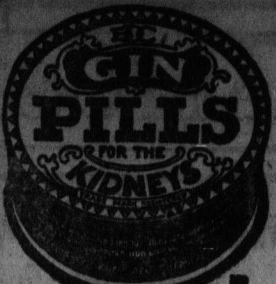
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## BOARD SUGGESTS HANNA ORDER TO BE REMOVED NOW

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MINORITY FINDING BY RY. REPRESENTATIVE

Claim Gov't Never Intended to Carry Non-Political Policy to Exclusion Extent.

Ottawa, Feb. 1.—A majority report of the board of conciliation which investigated the dispute between the employees and management of the Canadian National Railway, now in the hands of the minister of labor, recommends the withdrawal of the "Hanna order," which was the main cause of the dispute. This report is signed by John M. Godfrey, chairman and D. Campbell, representative of the men.

F. H. McLaughlin, representative of the employers submits a minority report. In the minority report bearing the signatures of John M. Godfrey, chairman, and D. Campbell, representative of the employees, the fourth question namely the request of the employees for the withdrawal of the "Hanna order" is dealt with.

Mountain of Mole-hill.

"It appeared early in the proceedings," states the report, "that in reality there was little difference between the position taken by the management and the employees." It goes on to say that Mr. Hanna based his position on a pronouncement made by Sir Robert Borden in parliament at the time the railroads were taken over by the government. This was to the effect that the roads would be run by a reconstructed board of directors and that political patronage and political interference would be eliminated. Mr. Hanna, it goes on, "stated that at the time he and his associates took office, it was understood that this was to be the policy of the management, and it was only on this condition that they accepted office."

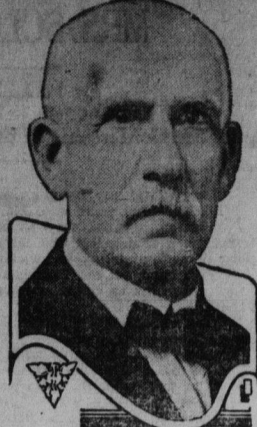
Agreed to Plan.

The employees stated that they agreed absolutely with this policy and are prepared to co-operate to the utmost with the management to prevent political interference on the exploitation of the railroads for political purposes.

"But," the report continues, "the employees maintain that this policy does not involve the prohibition of any employee under any circumstances of referring himself as a candidate in parliamentary elections. They further maintain that the government and parliament could not have intended any such prohibition inasmuch as, when the matter was considered by parliament in the session of 1919, they were

## PROF. NEW YORK MAN PRAISES TANLAC

John F. Hyatt, of Albany, N. Y., is Relieved of Severe Attack of Rheumatism of Many Years' Standing.



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"I am now seventy-two years old and am just getting rid of fifteen-year attack of rheumatism that had me so crippled up I could not walk," said John F. Hyatt, 227 Pearl St., Albany, N. Y., in relating his remarkable experience with Tanlac, recently. Mr. Hyatt is chairman of the committee in charge of building the Albany County Courthouse and was four times elected a member of the County Board of Supervisors. At present Mr. Hyatt is Assistant Superintendent of the Albany County Courthouse, with offices in the building.

"I don't believe," he continued, "anybody could have rheumatism any worse than I did, and my case was of such long standing I didn't expect to ever get over it. I was unable to walk except for a short distance, supported with a cane, and even then the pains struck me every time I took a step. My legs, hips and ankles hurt something awful and my joints were stiff and ached. I couldn't cross my leg without having to lift it up with my hands, and to turn over in bed, why, the pains nearly killed me."

"My appetite was gone and the sight of food nauseated me. My stomach was out of order, and I had a sluggish, heavy feeling all the time. I was weary and discouraged so that it looked like I might as well quit trying to ever get well."

"I had no idea Tanlac would relieve my rheumatism when I began taking it last Spring. I took it because I saw where it would give a fellow an appetite. Well, sir, I was the most surprised I ever was in my life when the rheumatic pains began to ease up."

Question of Leave.

Dealing with the question of leave of absence, the report states that the employees claim that leave of absence might be granted to many employees without in any way interfering with the efficiency of the railways. The instance of the cases of Messrs. Palmer, Moore and Higginson, all of whom, they maintain, might have been granted leave of absence, their positions being filled by others during the absence.

"The employees do not believe," says the report, "that any evil results have been occasioned to the C. P. R. because four of its employees have been permitted to engage in parliamentary elections. Of these two have attained cabinet rank, the Minister of Labor in the Federal Government and the Minister of Mines in the Ontario Government." The report states that the employees finally made a proposal which seemed to the two signatories a just one. This proposal conceded without reserve all of the employees' demands for political purposes the operation of the railways, but to accept nomination in the ordinary way or to be permitted to a public office should not be regarded as prima facie evidence of disloyalty.

## Quebec's Liquor Law Sends Prices Down

Montreal, Feb. 1.—With the announcement that the provincial government will take complete control of the liquor traffic, handling it through retail stores and importing it directly from distilleries, a noticeable decrease in wholesale prices has resulted. On December 4, the very best brands of brandy were advertised at \$35 and \$40 a case. Yesterday some brands were advertised at \$28 and \$30 a case. Scotch whiskey, gins, Canadian whiskey in every kind of "hard" drinks, has been reduced in price by the wholesalers shipping to Ontario and other provinces. One brand of Scotch whiskey has dropped from \$44 per case to \$32 per case. Canadian whiskey also shows a sharp decline.

## CUSTOMS RECEIPTS.

The customs returns for January, 1921, shows a decrease of \$98,692.99 compared with January, 1920. The returns are:—

Duties	1920	1921
Excise tax	\$312,704.99	\$190,032.91
Sales tax	1,589.04	10,386.41
Marine dues	2,504.35	2,522.16
Philatelic	5,850.50	5,850.50
S. S. inspection	—	215.00
Sundries	108.09	81.32
Totals	\$328,656.97	\$216,038.30

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Heard on the Train.

"How did you happen to buy this hardware journal?"

"It didn't have a girl on the front cover, and the novelty appealed to me."—Boston Transcript.

I took seven bottles in all and, it's a fact, I didn't have an ache about me, was eating fine and simply felt like I had been made over again.

"I have been in the best of health ever since, with only a slight twinge of rheumatism at intervals. I do not seem to be able to walk without it for several years, I got into the habit of carrying it and so still take it along. I am enjoying life and health once more and can conscientiously recommend Tanlac as the greatest medicine I have ever run across in all my experience."

Tanlac is sold in St. John by Ross Drug Co., E. W. Munro and by T. H. Wilson, Paisville, N. B., and by R. D. Wetmore, Perry's Point, N. B., under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative.—Advt.

## Exports To U.S. Nearly Double

Big Increase in Trade to American Ports from St. John.

Exports to the United States from St. John last year were nearly double what they were for the previous year, according to figures supplied by H. S. Culver, American Consul here.

Following are some of the figures: Total exports for 1920...\$9,716,608.09 Total exports for 1919...5,153,027.01

Principal Exports	1919	1920
Fish	\$ 215,009.44	\$ 149,886.33
Fish oil	13,449.01	2,169.55
Hides and skins	1,106,005.07	621,144.66
Laths	284,967.97	374,225.43
Lumber	1,216,279.32	2,325,169.80
Pulp wood	134,286.55	296,001.32
Shingles	16,534.10	15,362.25
Straw	13,669.50	26,264.10
Wood pulp	1,096,278.92	1,827,680.61
Lime	6,347.10	132,678.71
Nails	242,720.54	451,539.06
Iron and steel	175,173.41	115,569.36
Sugar (refined)	66,775.90	1,744,944.25
Tea	56,198.09	344,674.57
Wool	272,281.56	10,208.45

## DR. DEVAN'S FRENCH PILLS

A reliable regulating pill for Women. Restores health, maintains strength, ensures beauty, lessens pain in all menstrual troubles. Direct from our laboratory, The Scotch Drug Co., 81 Youville St., Montreal.

## Home-made Remedy Stops Coughs Quickly

The best cough medicine you ever quickly made. Saves about 8¢.

You might be surprised to know that the best thing you can use for a severe cough is a remedy which is easily prepared at home in just a few moments. It's cheap, but for prompt results it beats anything else you ever tried. Locally made. Save about 8¢.

And as a cough medicine, there is really nothing better to be had at any price. It goes right to the spot and gives quick, lasting relief. It promptly heals the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages, cures hoarseness and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of Norway pine extract, famous for its healing effect on the membranes.

To avoid disappointment ask your druggist for "Pinex" with directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

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Not even in pre-war time could we offer such astounding values in such superb Silks. Even better than in 1914 is what every woman will say when she sees these remarkable values for the spring of 1921.

Pussy Willow Jap Silk, 36 in. wide, all shades at 98c. yard.

Butterfly Jap Silk, 36 in. wide at \$1.25 yard.

Colors: Mimosas, Azure, Buffalo, Apricot, Indigo, Peach, Russian and Black.

Paillette Silk, 36 in. wide, all shades at \$1.65 yard.

Satin Duchesse, 36 in. wide, twenty colors at \$2.75 yard.

Taffeta, 36 in. wide in Copen, Buffalo, Pink, Fawn, Black and Navy.

Shot Paillettes, Brocades, Foulards, Fancy Oriental Silks for Lamp Shades.

Natural Shantung, 34 in. wide, 98c. yard; free of dressing.

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Cash Assets, \$54,536,060.31. Cash Capital, \$5,000,000.00. Net Surplus, \$16,825,965.32. Surplus as Repair Policyholders, \$16,615,446.71.

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## OBITUARY.

William S. Ewart.

The death of William S. Ewart of Lorneville occurred at the General Public Hospital yesterday of typhoid fever, at the age of forty. He leaves to mourn his father and three brothers and four sisters. The brothers are Lewis of this city; James and Henry of West St. John. The sisters are Mrs. John McGuire of Sea View; Mrs. William Williamson of the city; Mrs. Sidney Ewart of Lorneville, and Mrs. Herbert Wagg of West St. John. The death of his mother occurred just one month ago. The funeral of Mr. Ewart will be held from his brother's residence, 11 Whipple street, West St. John, at a time to be announced.

Mrs. Sarah Mann.

The death took place yesterday at her residence, 28 Castle street, after a brief illness, of Sarah, widow of James T. Mann. Mrs. Mann was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Atkin, and leaves to mourn a son, Fred, and daughter, Marion at home as well as a brother and sister. She was one of the oldest members of St. Mary's (Anglican) church and leaves a large circle of friends who will miss her sadly.

New York funds in Montreal are quoted at 12 1/2 per cent. premium. Sterling in New York, demand, 3.82.

## Ouch! Rub Backache, Stiffness, Lumbago

Rub Pain from back with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil."

Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now listen! That's lumbago, sciatica or maybe from a strain, and you'll get relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil." Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on your back and out comes the pain. It is harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Limber up! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from any drug store, and after using it just once, you'll forget that you ever had backache, lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints and has been recommended for 90 years.

# FOR WOMEN

# AMUSEMENTS

## Windsor Chapter's Splendid Record

Secretary's Report Showed Work Accomplished—Miss Gertrude Lawson Regent.

A splendid record of patriotic activities was heard when reports were read at the annual meeting of the Windsor Chapter, I. O. D. E., held last evening at the residence of Miss Maud Cunningham, Guildford street.

### Secretary's Report.

The secretary, Miss Gladys E. Shaw, in her report, made the following statements:—  
Number of members in 1926... 21  
Number of members in 1927... 27  
Number of meetings held... 16  
Average attendance... 19  
Patriotic work included:—  
Magazine subscriptions to C. C. Hospital.

Financial aid to soldiers' wives. Donations to G. W. V. for children's trust at Christmas.  
Educational work includes a large donation to the War Memorial Fund, which has been the Chapter's main effort during the year; donation to S. J. H. S. Alumnae Memorial Scholarship; presentation of flag chart, pictures and prizes to Beauséjour School; donation to I. O. D. E. for returned men at U. N. B.

Child welfare includes: Assistance in maintenance of V. O. Child Welfare Nurse; assistance in maintenance of Kindergarten teacher at St. John County Hospital; Christmas cheer for needy girls and boys.

At the beginning of the year, a fund known as the "Emergency Fund" was established, to which each member contributes a definite amount monthly. This fund is used to defray all expenses other than patriotic, educational or philanthropic which may be incurred by the Chapter.

Two-thirds of the members are subscribers to Echoes, and a report is made quarterly to headquarters.  
GLADYS E. SHAW.

### Treasurer's Report.

The treasurer, Miss Florence Ord, stated a balance on hand of \$139.21. Receipts included \$222.65, proceeds from dances, and \$28.71 from a tea and sale; expenditures were \$553.68.

### Donations.

Windsor Ward, Lancaster Mill	25.00
Educational War Memorial	25.00
St. John High School Memorial	50.00
U. N. B. prize	4.00
AM to soldiers' families	22.50
Victorian Order nurse	25.00
Salvation Army	25.00
Teacher at East St. John Hospital	5.00
Beauséjour School	24.00
G. W. V. A. Christmas treat for soldiers' children	5.00
Total	\$430.50

### Officers Elected.

Election of officers resulted as follows:  
Miss Gertrude Lawson, Regent.  
Miss Eva Newcomb, Vice-Regent.  
Mrs. A. C. Smith, 2nd Vice-Regent.  
Miss Gladys Shaw, Secretary.  
Mrs. W. C. R. Allan, Jr., Assistant Secretary.  
Miss Lois Fraser, Echoes Secty.  
Miss Edith Cameron, Educational Secretary.  
Miss Florence Ord, Treasurer.  
Miss Irene Macaulay, Standard Bearer.  
Arrangements were completed for a dance to be held this week at the Masonic Hall.

## Royal Standard Chapter Annual

Reports from Officers Show Chapter is Keeping up its Good Record.

The Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. D. E., held its annual meeting last evening at the residence of Mrs. Alexander Wilson, Queen square. Reports showing that the Chapter is keeping up its record of splendid patriotic effort, were read and members are enthusiastically planning to go forward, furthering the aims of the order.

### Secretary's Report.

The secretary's report written by Miss Edith Jarvis contained the following facts:—  
Since the formation of a Municipal Chapter in St. John some of our efforts, must of necessity, go through their channel. Though this means we have done our share in the Child Welfare work to which the order is committed. We give monthly for this cause to the Victorian Order and to the support of a kindergarten teacher in the East St. John County Hospital. Welfare work is being conducted by those especially fitted for the purpose.

Through the Municipal chapter also we have contributed our mite towards the return passage to England of two distinctly worthy cases. In the month of March we held our annual Shamrock Tea and sale. Over \$100 was thus added to the funds. In October we held a Rummage Sale in the Lobby of the Queen's Rink, thus adding another hundred dollars to the funds. In November we held our annual Christmas sale and tea. At Christmas time we gave our donation to the Goodfellows Fund, to the Seaman's Institute at East St. John Hospital and also to the G. W. A. Veteran's treat for the children and also sent two to our member to assist in the entertainment. Our other gifts have been given to the Y. W. C. A. to the Nurses Home, where we expect to furnish a room, to the Navy League to assist with their annual campaign, and to the little starving children of Europe, the chapter had the pleasure of handing in the first subscription of \$50.

### Sent Magazines.

We have also sent magazines to East St. John and also to Lancaster Hospitals. We sent a donation of socks to the men in East St. John. We have now reached our present objective by contributing \$500 to the War Memorial. We have also sent \$4.00 towards the annual prize for the returned men at the U. N. B. We have contributed prizes and a picture to the school.

We have not forgotten that we are also members of the Provincial Chapter and at each meeting we have been well represented the delegates bringing back full reports of the proceedings.

In November we had the pleasure of sharing with the other chapters the entertaining of our National President, Miss Joan Arnold. Mrs. Stewart who was with her also told us of her organization work.

We extend the heartiest thanks of our chapter to all officers and members and last we forget the motto by which we stand "Not for one but for all" let us give thanks also to the many friends including the press who have helped us towards the good we have in view.

### Treasurer's Report.

The treasurer, Mrs. R. H. Anderson, reported: Total receipts, \$1,488.98; donations, \$981.14; expenditures, \$331.30; balance, \$186.54.

The sum of \$25 was voted to the Free Kindergarten Association. It was decided to purchase garments by

## MRS. SOLOMON SAYS:

By HELEN ROWLAND

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Being the Confessions of the Seventh-Hundredth Wife.

Now, behold, my Daughter, in a dream I had a strange vision. Lo, an Angel came unto me, saying:

"Woman, woman, why spendest thou the days of thy life in the instructions of damsels and matrons, when the MEN are so sorely in need of understanding and wisdom?"  
"For, have not the Bromides written, since the beginning of time, concerning how to charm a man, and to hold a husband, and how to be beautiful?"

"And of WOMEN'S MAGAZINES there is no end; but of Men's magazines there is not one!"  
"Arise then, and give unto the world a 'MAN'S MAGAZINE,' which shall be called 'The Perfect Gentleman.'"

"And in to, let there be wisdom concerning the following:  
"How To Hold a Wife's Love."  
"How To Make Home Attractive For The Clubwoman."  
"How To Camouflage A Bald Spot."  
"How To Make A Rough Chin Kissable."  
"Delightful Ways To Decorate a Golf Stick."  
"Performing Pipe-Smoke For The Home."  
"Seven Ways To Sew On A Button, Without Strangling It."  
"How A Man Can Be His Wife's Right Hand In Politics."  
"The Gentle Art Of Jollying The Cook."  
"Seven Good Recipes For Getting Out Of The House, Evenings."  
"The Husband Who Sings At His Bath."  
"Breakfast Table Perilous, Without Profanity."  
"The Husband's Gentle Influence—Or Turning A Wild Bachelor Girl Into a Wife."

"The Poker-Table Beautiful."  
"Shall A Wife Carry A Latch-Key?"  
"How To Get Your Wife To Make You A Regular Allowance Out Of Your Pay Envelope."  
"Do You Get On Your Wife's Nerves—And Why?"  
"How To Live On A Delicately Diet."  
"How To Read A Newspaper After A Woman Has Folded It."  
"Making Beautiful Cravats From Daughter's Old Silk Stockings."  
"Daily Recipes For Home-Brew."  
"Who's Who In The Home—And How To Prove It."  
"Are Men 'People'?"

"Verily, verily, until some Wise Woman shall arise to enlighten men upon these mighty questions, they shall dwell in utter darkness and ignorance, and women shall continue to rule over them."  
"For this is a Woman's World, and a Little Gentleman hath no say in it!"

Selah.

## W.C.T.U. Held Monthly Meeting

Mrs. Hope Thompson Presided—Reports from Different Committees Were Received

As is the custom for the first Tuesday in the month, Mrs. Seymour, Evangelistic superintendent, had charge of the opening exercises at the W. C. T. U. meeting yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Seymour asked Mrs. Hope Thompson to act, and after the singing of the hymn, "Saviour Like a Shepherd, Lead Us," Mrs. Thompson led in prayer. The first chapter of Isaiah was read and inspiring talk given, entitled, "The Lord Hath Sent Me to Bind Up the Broken-Hearted." Mrs. Hanselpecker then offered prayer, others following. The singing of "All the Way My Saviour Leads Me," closed the devotions.

Mrs. David Hipwell then took the chair and thanked Mrs. Thompson, referring to the help her talk and appropriately chosen music would be to all present. A collection was taken for missions.

Reports Received  
Mrs. Hope Thompson reported on her visit to the General Public hospital, saying that fruit and literature had been taken to patients. Mrs. Hipwell asked that flowers be sent to an elderly lady patient there. Mrs. W. H. Humphrey, superintendent of visiting, told of fruit and jellies being taken to the sick. Mrs. Hanselpecker gave other details of visits made.

The county superintendent, Mrs. George Colwell, reported having received some literature, which was discussed. The superintendent of parlor meetings, Mrs. E. Ellison, asked that all members meet with her on Frances Willard Day.

Mrs. Burgland and Mrs. May Seely were plaintiffs for a short address on parliamentary rulings, and a discussion followed. Mrs. Hennigar spoke of the White Ribbon Bulletin and stated that it is a great help to her son in his missionary work in Japan. Mrs. Hoar told of The King's Daughter's Circle, to which she belongs, and its entertainment given for the Babe's Club. Mrs. Seymour asked that all members meet with her on Frances Willard Day.

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### Enthusiastic Reception to Those Who Took Part in Programme at Trinity.

An Old Fashion Concert received an enthusiastic reception from the audience before whom it was staged in Trinity church school-room last evening. The vocalists, musicians, elocutionists and piper, who performed, were warmly applauded and replied to numerous encores. Especially popular was the Highland Fling performed by little Miss Gregory. The programme follows:

- Guitar Solo—Miss Betty Craikbank, accompanied by Miss Marion Craikbank.
- Solo ..... Mr. Smith
- Reading ..... Miss Pierce
- Solo ..... Mrs. Southouse
- Bagpipes ..... Mr. Regan
- Solo ..... Mr. E. C. Parsons
- Highland Fling—Little Miss G. Gregory.
- Solo ..... Miss Roope
- Piano Solo ..... Miss Kee

## Sketch ..... Messrs. Hoyt and Parties Solo ..... Mr. Emery

Washington, Feb. 1—President Wilson, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, tonight went to the theatre, for the first time, since he was taken ill more than a year and a half ago.

## "DANDERINE"

Girls! Save Your Hair! Make it Abundant!



Immediately after a "Danderine" massage, your hair takes on new life, lustre and wondrous beauty, appearing twice as heavy and plentiful, because each hair seems to thicken and thicken. Don't let your hair stay lifeless, colorless, plain or scraggly. You, too, want lots of long, strong, beautiful hair. A 35-cent bottle of delightful "Danderine" freshens your scalp, checks dandruff and falling hair. This stimulating "beauty- tonic" gives to thin, dull, fading hair that youthful brightness and abundant thickness.

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is quickly relieved when the liver is aroused to activity by the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. One pill a dose. 25c a box, all dealers.

## Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

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Bronson Howard's Emotional Home Story With **ETHEL CLAYTON, HARRISON FORD**—AND BABY DOROTHY ROSHER—

—IN—  
**"Young Mrs. Winthrop"**

ARE Mothers justified in leaving their babies at home whilst they attend dances, card parties, dinners, etc.?

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A SURPRISE LAUGH-PACKAGE! Buster Keaton Delivers the Jolt of the Year TWO REELS OF HAPPIEST HILARITY! "His Uncle's Gift, A Portable House"

Canadian Picorial and Imperial's Concert Orchestra  
FRI.—"The Girl With the Jazz Heart"  
MON.—Dorothy Dalton in "Black is White"

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### OLIVE THOMAS IN "THE SPITE BRIDE"

It's simply a knockout—the best thing the screen has seen in many moons. It has snap, dash and zest; a human picture of human people presented in a human way.

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### Old, Faded Garments, Draperies, Everything Made New for Few Cents.

St. John women can do wonders with a package of Diamond Dyes. An old, worn coat, skirt, waist, sweater, kimono, dress, faded stockings, gloves, draperies, portieres, chair covers, anything, whether wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods, can be dyed to look like new. Easy directions in each package guarantee perfect results. Druggist has color card showing actual materials dyed. Money, dances, and the Christmas gift shop. Members have assisted many worthy objects.

Members of the Seven Seas Chapter, I. O. D. E., were congratulated last evening on the good reports heard at their annual meeting held at the home of Miss Alice Wilson, Seely street. The report, Mrs. Ray Haley, presided.

The Secretary  
Miss Helen Hayes, secretary, in her report told of twelve regular meetings held with an average attendance of 17. The Chapter had 32 members. She reviewed the year's work. Money had been raised by rummage sales, talent money, dances, and the Christmas gift shop. Members have assisted many worthy objects.

Treasurer's Report  
Miss Helen Murdoch, treasurer, stated that the total amount of money raised during the year was \$218.15. Donations included \$200 to the War Memorial Fund, \$150 to the Victorian Order, \$50 to the Y. W. C. A., \$25 to the Free Kindergarten Association, \$10 to the salary of the kindergarten teacher at East St. John. There is a balance on hand of \$84.96.

It was decided to vote ten per cent of all money raised by the Chapter next year to the War Memorial Fund of the I. O. D. E.

The Officers  
Mrs. Lloyd Estey—Honorary Regent.  
Mrs. Ray Haley—Regent.  
Miss Alice Lockhart—First Vice-Regent.  
Miss Frances Jordan—Second Vice-Regent.  
Miss Helen Hayes—Secretary.  
Miss Alice Wilson—Assistant Secretary.  
Miss Edna Simon—Treasurer.  
Miss Helen Corbett—Educational Secretary.  
Miss Jean Somerville—Echoes Secretary.  
Miss Audrey Cross—Standard Bearer.  
Councillors—Mrs. Everett Hunt, Miss Elsie Trentowsky, Mrs. J. H. Marr.

KNAPMAN—At her home, Public Landing, N. B., Eliza A., wife of David E. Knapman, aged 68 years, leaving one sister, Mrs. J. Simmet, Calais, Me., three daughters, two sons and two grandchildren to mourn. Funeral will take place on Wednesday from Dr. Underhill's parlors, Main street. Service will be at one o'clock and interment will take place in Fernhill cemetery.

MANN—In this city on February 1st, Sarah, widow of James T. Mann, leaving one son, one daughter, a brother and sister to mourn. Funeral on Thursday at 2.30 p. m. from her late residence, 28 Castle street.

GORHAM—At his residence, 185 Douglas Avenue, on February 1st, 1927, after a long illness, James A. Gorham, leaving a loving wife, one son, one daughter, and a brother to mourn. Funeral service at his late home, on Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Remains will be taken to White's Bluff, Kings Co., by Thursday morning's Valley train for interment.

the dozen from the National Institute for the Blind.

Officers elected were as follows:  
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## Seven Seas Chapter Annual Meeting

### Year's Work Reviewed—Mrs. Ray Haley Regent—Treasurer Showed Balance.

Members of the Seven Seas Chapter, I. O. D. E., were congratulated last evening on the good reports heard at their annual meeting held at the home of Miss Alice Wilson, Seely street. The report, Mrs. Ray Haley, presided.

The Secretary  
Miss Helen Hayes, secretary, in her report told of twelve regular meetings held with an average attendance of 17. The Chapter had 32 members. She reviewed the year's work. Money had been raised by rummage sales, talent money, dances, and the Christmas gift shop. Members have assisted many worthy objects.

Treasurer's Report  
Miss Helen Murdoch, treasurer, stated that the total amount of money raised during the year was \$218.15. Donations included \$200 to the War Memorial Fund, \$150 to the Victorian Order, \$50 to the Y. W. C. A., \$25 to the Free Kindergarten Association, \$10 to the salary of the kindergarten teacher at East St. John. There is a balance on hand of \$84.96.

It was decided to vote ten per cent of all money raised by the Chapter next year to the War Memorial Fund of the I. O. D. E.

The Officers  
Mrs. Lloyd Estey—Honorary Regent.  
Mrs. Ray Haley—Regent.  
Miss Alice Lockhart—First Vice-Regent.  
Miss Frances Jordan—Second Vice-Regent.  
Miss Helen Hayes—Secretary.  
Miss Alice Wilson—Assistant Secretary.  
Miss Edna Simon—Treasurer.  
Miss Helen Corbett—Educational Secretary.  
Miss Jean Somerville—Echoes Secretary.  
Miss Audrey Cross—Standard Bearer.  
Councillors—Mrs. Everett Hunt, Miss Elsie Trentowsky, Mrs. J. H. Marr.

KNAPMAN—At her home, Public Landing, N. B., Eliza A., wife of David E. Knapman, aged 68 years, leaving one sister, Mrs. J. Simmet, Calais, Me., three daughters, two sons and two grandchildren to mourn. Funeral will take place on Wednesday from Dr. Underhill's parlors, Main street. Service will be at one o'clock and interment will take place in Fernhill cemetery.

MANN—In this city on February 1st, Sarah, widow of James T. Mann, leaving one son, one daughter, a brother and sister to mourn. Funeral on Thursday at 2.30 p. m. from her late residence, 28 Castle street.

GORHAM—At his residence, 185 Douglas Avenue, on February 1st, 1927, after a long illness, James A. Gorham, leaving a loving wife, one son, one daughter, and a brother to mourn. Funeral service at his late home, on Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Remains will be taken to White's Bluff, Kings Co., by Thursday morning's Valley train for interment.

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## THE EMPIRE'S BREAKFAST



# PURITY OATS

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# EXTRA VOTE OFFER ENDS SATURDAY NIGHT!

Hurry Contestants! Only four more days in which to secure the 200,000 EXTRA Vote Ballots for each and every \$18 worth of subscriptions. The special Starr Phonograph offer continues throughout next week and the week following, but the big Bargain Week Extra Vote Offer is FOR THIS WEEK ONLY.

## FULL DETAILS OF THE SPECIAL PHONOGRAPH OFFER

The Automobile and Movie Star Department of The Standard wants to assist each contestant in getting a good, early start in the big \$15,000 Automobile and Movie Star Contest, and as a consequence, two magnificent \$215 Starr Phonographs are being offered as special prizes for the best work done in the contest by midnight, Saturday, February 19. The Starr Phonographs will be awarded, as follows:—

(1). To the contestant in District 1 (Greater St. John and suburbs) who turns in the greatest amount of subscription money by the above hour, we will give one of the \$215 Starr Phonographs.

(2). To the contestant who resides in District 2 (the territory outside of Greater St. John and suburbs) who turns in the greatest amount of subscription money collected by the above hour, we will give the other \$215 Starr Phonograph.

The Phonographs mentioned above are EXTRA prizes, and all votes and extra votes secured while working for them will count towards the regular prizes, which will be given away at the end of the contest, consisting of the big Studebaker, the Gray-Dort, the Ford, the Movie Star Contracts, and the rest of the regular prizes.

The winners of the special prize Phonographs will not be disqualified from winning one of the regular prizes at the end of the contest. The winners of the Starr Phonographs will be announced in issues of The Standard on the Thursday after the close of the Phonograph offer, and the Phonographs will be given away on that date.

Any subscription money turned in previous to the announcement of the Starr Phonograph offer will count towards the special Phonograph offer.

## ONE OF THE SPECIAL STARR PHONOGRAPHS



This magnificent \$215 Starr Phonograph will be given to the contestant in the Greater St. John district, who collects the greatest amount of subscription money by midnight, February 19th. Winner will be given the choice of an Oak, Walnut or Mahogany finished cabinet.

See the special prize Starr Phonographs on exhibition at the Starr & Co. (Maritime Division) 171 Prince William street, from which firm they were purchased.

## STANDINGS OF THE CANDIDATES

The standings of the contestants given below represent the votes counted for each up to noon Tuesday, Feb. 1st.

A.	Appley, Mr. Irving	10,940	Larson, Carl	11,150
	Anderson, Miss Margaret	10,100	Lardon, Miss Martha	10,600
	Armstrong, Miss Sarah	10,800	LeBuff, Robert	10,900
	Alward, Miss Ouisa	10,900		
B.			Merritt, Stanley	10,000
	Baskin, R. C.	10,800	Meloy, Miss Agnes	10,200
	Borden, Miss B.	10,900	Malloch, Miss Neale M.	10,050
	Brundage, A. G.	10,200	Murtagh, Edward	10,350
	Brewer, Miss Minnie	10,000	May, Miss Annie	10,150
	Bowie, Capt.	10,400	Magnuson, Miss Elma	10,000
	Bushmann, Miss Annie	10,150	Mersetti, Herman	10,300
	Burton, Geo. E.	10,500	Morhouse, Mrs. Alfred	10,100
	Boyd, Geo. H.	10,050	Masciovecchio, Daisy	10,750
	Blanchard, Miss Alice May	10,500	Milhand, Miss Flavia A.	10,500
	Butler, Mrs. Hayward	10,950		
	Bill, F. A.	10,850	Mc.	
	Brown, Walter J.	10,050	MacKean, Hazel L.	10,200
	Barker, Mrs. Chas.	10,250	MacBeth, Mrs. F. E.	10,500
	Bishop, George	10,900	McArthur, Albert	10,100
C.			McCabe, Guy	10,000
	Cohen, Columbus	10,000	McCauley, Geo.	10,000
	Callen, Charles	10,000	McGowan, Miss Helen	10,200
	Cripps, George	10,050	McNally, H. W.	10,450
	Crawford, Robert	10,900		
	Cross, Mrs. J. J.	10,900	Nickerson, G.	10,550
	Cunningham, Hugh	10,000	Northrup, Miss Mary	10,000
	Cunningham, Wm.	10,000	Nase, Dr. H. B.	10,900
	Cusman, Miss Antina F.	10,650		
	Coggin, J. E.	10,850	Olive, Mrs. Elfreda S.	13,600
	Cook, Fred R.	10,500		
	Chadwick, Harold	10,750	P.	
	Chase, Wellington	10,700	Pike, Bessie J.	10,000
	Carr, Herschell	10,000	Polson, Miss Margaret L.	10,000
	Chappell, Montrose	10,900	Porter, Miss Myrtle A.	10,700
	Cameron, Mrs. Irene	10,000	Phillips, Mrs. May	10,550
			Poltras, Remi	10,900
D.				
	Doherty, Arthur	10,000	Rogers, Mr.	10,000
	Dow, Cecil	10,900	Rosario, B. D.	10,050
	Dryden, Leonard	10,900	Rosa, P.	10,900
	Dowsey, Miss Bessie	10,350	Robertson, Miss May	10,700
	Davis, Willard	10,600	Richardson, Miss Mary	10,700
	Doucett, Fred D.	10,500	Rathburn, C. G.	10,950
			Rosborough, Geo. F.	10,950
			Rommel, Miss Annie	10,000
			Sawyer, Bryce P.	10,300
			Snodgrass, P. M.	10,000
			Stephenson, Miss L.	10,100
			Smith, A. Ren.	12,800
			Saban, Miss Ruby	10,000
			Stephenson, Miss Goldie	10,000
			Stokoe, Myron V.	10,000
			Strickland, W. G.	10,300
			Sterens, Chas. E.	10,600
			Stevens, Rene	10,000
			Taylor, E.	10,000
			Treatowick, Stewart	10,500
			Thomas, Miss Iva	10,000
			Tompson, Mrs. J. B.	10,800
			Totten, L. W.	10,000
			Towers, Donald	10,200
			Vail, Harry	10,050
			White, E. D.	10,000
			Wilson, W. L.	10,900
			White, G. S.	10,700
			White, Mrs. Gertrude	10,000
			Williams, James	11,550
			Wills, Miss Theresa M.	10,500
			Webb, A.	10,450
			Waltmore, Miss Grace	10,000
			Walsh, Miss Laura	10,000
			Woods, Miss A. Katherine	10,000
			Wright, J. G.	10,300
			White, H. G.	10,000
			Woods, Kathlyn	10,000
			Wasson, Willis	10,150

## FULL DETAILS OF THE 200,000 EXTRA VOTE OFFER

To aid the contestants in getting an early start for the special Starr Phonograph offer, an unusual extra vote offer is being launched and will continue through this week ONLY. It is as follows:—

For each and every \$18 worth of subscriptions a candidate secures by 8 p.m. Saturday night, February 5, he or she will be given a vote ballot good for 200,000 EXTRA votes. This ballot will be given in addition to the ballot for the regular number of votes given for the subscriptions.

The \$18 Clubs of subscriptions may be composed of subscriptions to either the Morning or the Semi-Weekly Standard; from either new or renewal subscriptions; and the subscriptions may range in length from six months to five years.

It is not necessary for a contestant to bring in the entire \$18 worth of subscriptions at one time. The Cashier at the contest department keeps an accurate record of each contestant's records, and as soon as a total of \$18 worth of subscriptions has been turned in by a contestant, he or she will be given his or her extra vote ballot.

There is no limit to the number of EXTRA votes that a contestant can secure during this splendid vote offer: this week. One of the EXTRA vote ballots will be given for each \$18 worth of business turned in. Thirty-six dollars worth of subscriptions would entitle the contestant to two of the 200,000 EXTRA vote ballots; \$54 worth of subscriptions, to three of the 200,000 EXTRA vote ballots; \$180 worth of subscriptions to 2,000,000 EXTRA votes, etc.

The offer given above is an exceptional offer and will not be given again or extended.

If any contestant has already turned in \$18 worth of subscriptions, he or she will be given his or her extra vote ballot the next time he or she makes a turn in of subscriptions.

If YOU have not turned in a sufficient amount to entitle you to one of the EXTRA vote ballots, HURRY! THE EXTRA VOTE OFFER IS FOR THIS WEEK ONLY. It ends Saturday night of this week, February 5, at 8 p.m.

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USE THIS BLANK TO ENROLL IN THE BIG PRIZE CONTEST. IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO ENTER

## ENTRY BLANK

GOOD FOR 10,000 VOTES

Nominate Yourself or a Friend

PRIZE CONTEST DEPT. OF THE STANDARD  
St. John, N. B.

Gentlemen—

I hereby nominate as a candidate in your Automobile and Movie Star Contest.

NAME .....

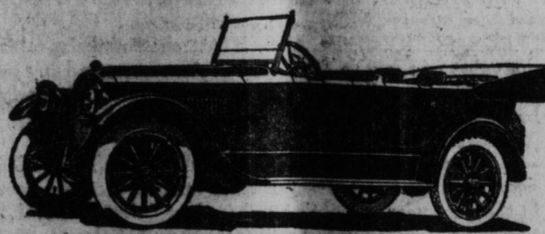
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NOMINATED BY .....

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Notes—Only one entry blank will be accepted for any one candidate.

## FIRST CAPITAL PRIZE



This luxurious \$2,500.00 seven-passenger Studebaker is the first capital prize in The Standard's big \$15,000 Automobile and Movie Star Contest. It will be won by vote. The extra votes which are being given on \$18 clubs of subscriptions secured by 8 p.m. Saturday night of this week will undoubtedly be big factors in the winning of this handsome machine.

See the Studebaker on exhibition at J. Clark & Son, 17 Germain street. Mr. E. P. Dykeman, Local Manager, will be glad to explain the merits of The Studebaker to any contestants or their friends who call at the Studebaker agency.

HAVE YOUR FRIENDS SAVE THESE COUPONS FOR YOU. EVERY VOTE COUNTS. VOTES WILL WIN THE REGULAR PRIZES.

CUT OUT NEATLY

The Standard's Big Automobile and Movie Star Contest

Good for 50 Votes

FOR .....

ADDRESS .....

This Coupon, when neatly cut out and brought or mailed to the Contest Department of THE STANDARD will count for the person whose name is written thereon.

Valid After Feb. 9. Cut Out Neatly.

THE EXTRA VOTE OFFER GIVEN ABOVE IS AN EXCEPTIONAL OFFER AND WILL NOT BE REPEATED OR EXTENDED. IT ENDS POSITIVELY THIS COMING SATURDAY NIGHT, FEBRUARY 5TH, AT 8 P. M.

With the Announcement of the Big Offers Given Above, The Standard's Contest Begins in Earnest--If You Have Not Already Enrolled do so at Once

# THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

AROUND

Moon's Phase  
New Moon  
First Quarter  
Full Moon

## POOREST DAY IN YEAR'S BUSINESS ON WALL STREET

Sluggish Movement Accompanied by Lower Quotations on Almost All Securities.

### LEATHER COMPANY PASSES DIVIDEND

Lowest Prices of Day Were Registered in the Closing Hour of Listless Session.

New York, Feb. 1.—Dealings in the stock market today were chiefly noteworthy for their extremely light and narrow turnover, total sales of about \$25,000,000 representing almost the lightest full session thus far this year. The sluggish movement accompanied by a general impairment of quoted values which extended from 2 to 3 points in the prominent issues and rose above that range in several of the more speculative stocks. News and general developments of the day hastened the reaction which found substantial expression in the important commodity markets, domestic money rates, and virtually the entire range of international remittances.

Dividend is Passed. Passing of the American Hide and Leather preferred dividend met with popular expectations in view of known conditions in that industry, but the suspension of the American Smelting common dividend, probably upset the calculation of the shorts. Specific features of weakness comprised the leading oils, steels, equipments, shipping, motors and allied specialties, including American Woolen, International Paper, Sears-Roebuck and Motor Accessories. Rails also contributed moderately to the reversal. Following yesterday's course, lowest quotations were registered in the final hour, the setback being concurrent with another rise in call money from 7 to 8 per cent, this encouraging the bears to extend their commitments.

Exchange is Down. All the leading rates of foreign exchange moved in favor of this centre, the reaction from recent gains being attributed to dissatisfaction of European interest over the terms outlined by the reparations commission. Weakness of industrials and Liberty issues, especially the latter was the outstanding feature of the bond market, the general list, however, displaying a heavy tone. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$12,500,000, old United States coupon four rose half per cent. on call.

### N. Y. QUOTATIONS

	Open	High	Low	Close
Am Beet Sug.	46	46	46	46 1/2
Am Loco	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Am Sugar	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Am Smelting	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Am Sd Fdy.	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Am Woolen	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Amazonia	40	40	40	40
Am Can	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Atchafson	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Balt and O.	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Bald Loco	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Beck Steel	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
C. I.	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Che and O.	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Chino	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Cent Leach	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Can Pac	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Cranfield Stl.	93 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2
Gen North Pfd.	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Gen Motors	15	15	15	15
Indus Alcohol	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Inter Paper	60	60	60	60
Inspir Copper	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Kenn Copper	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Lehigh Valley	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Mer Mar Pfd.	54	54	54	54
Mex Petrol	158 1/2	158 1/2	158 1/2	158 1/2
Midvale Steel	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Miss Pacific	19	19	19	19
NY NH and H	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
N Y Central	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Nor and West	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
North Pacific	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Penn Stl.	94	94	94	94
Reading Stl.	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Republic Stl.	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
St. Paul	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
South Pacific	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Studebaker	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
U S Stl.	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
U S Rubber	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Utah Copper	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Westinghouse	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2

The Oldsmobile 4 is here at last and on exhibition at 45 Princess street.

### LONDON MONEY MARKET.

London, Feb. 1.—Close, Bar silver, 34 1/2 per ounce; Bar gold, 107s. 2d. Money 4 1/2 per cent. Discount rates, short bills 6 1/2 per cent. Three months bills 6 1/2 per cent. Gold premiums at Lisbon 140.

### Save Black Squares

## Rails Were Strongest Features in Stock Lists At Montreal

Papers and Brompton Decline to Lower Levels With Little Trade Offering.

Montreal, Feb. 1.—In today's trading on the local stock exchange the only issues to show gains were Detroit Quebec Railway and Shawinigan, each up a fraction; and Bank Royal and Nova Scotia, which added two and five points respectively. Otherwise the market scored net losses of from a fraction to sixteen points. The last named was scored by Brompton down 1 1/2 points; steamships 2; Canada 1 1/2; Asbestos preferred; Cement, General Electric, Macdonald, one point each.

The bond list was slightly more active than yesterday. The industrial list while quiet, was strong and in the war loan group, prices were mixed with the 1922, 1923 and 1924 Victories showing a net gain. Total sales: Listed, \$4,505; bonds, \$250,450.

### MONTREAL SALES

	Bid	Asked
Ames Pfd	38	38
Abtlibi	62 1/2	62 1/2
Brazilian L H and P.	23	23
Brompton	62 1/2	62 1/2
Canada Car	67	67
Canada Cement	69	69
Canada Cement Pfd.	92 1/2	92 1/2
Canada Cotton	78 1/2	78 1/2
Detroit United	90	90
Dom Iron	89	89
Dom Iron Com.	44 1/2	44 1/2
Dom Textiles	110	110
Gen Electric	91	91
Macdonald Com.	24	24
Mt L H and Power	84	84
Ogives	100	100
Quebec Railway	26	26 1/2
Ridion	142	142
Shaw W and P	106	106
Spanish River	89	89
Spanish River Pfd.	89 1/2	89 1/2
Steel Co Can Com.	63	63 1/2
Toronto Rails	63 1/2	63 1/2
Waygamack	80	80

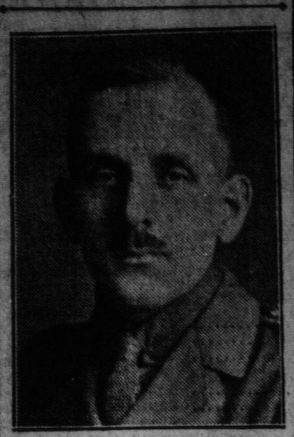
### Morning

Steamships Com.—4 at 96 1/2, 50 at 45.
Brazilian—15 at 23.
Dom Textiles—10 at 110, 10 at 119 1/2.
Canada Com—10 at 61, 2 at 60 1/2.
63 1/2, 25 at 61 1/2, 50 at 60, 10 at 60 1/2.
10 at 60 1/2.
Dom Textiles—5 at 110, 5 at 119 1/2.
63 1/2, 25 at 61, 20 at 63 1/2.
Dom Iron Pfd, 7 p.c.—5 at 75, 15 at 74 1/2.
Dom Iron Com—85 at 45 1/2.
Montreal Power—25 at 84.
Canada Car Com—10 at 67.
Canada Car Pfd—10 at 67.
Toronto Railway—55 at 69 1/2, 25 at 69, 10 at 69 1/2.
Gen Electric—2 at 103.
Smelting—45 at 21, 75 at 20 1/2, 35 at 20 1/2.
Ridion—25 at 147, 50 at 143, 10 at 145, 10 at 140, 10 at 144, 10 at 145.
McDonald's—25 at 24.
Quebec Railway—25 at 26, 15 at 25 1/2, 25 at 25 1/2, 2 at 25 1/2.
Atlantic Sugar Com—25 at 31 1/2, 25 at 30 1/2, 25 at 30 1/2, 25 at 30 1/2, 125 at 30, 25 at 31.
Breweries Com—25 at 53 1/2, 70 at 53 1/2, 25 at 53, 50 at 53 1/2.
Span River Com—25 at 81 1/2, 10 at 80 1/2, 135 at 81.
Span River Pfd—101 at 90 1/2, 325 at 90, 25 at 90 1/2, 2 at 90 1/2.
Brompton—60 at 63, 35 at 62 1/2, 115 at 62 1/2, 25 at 62 1/2, 100 at 61 1/2, 10 at 62 1/2, 50 at 61 1/2, 5 at 62 1/2, 50 at 62 1/2.
Dom Cannery—5 at 41 1/2, 10 at 41 1/2.
Dom Bridge—15 at 90.
Ponnam Bonds—50 at 83.
Glass Com—4 at 62, 5 at 60.
1922 Victory Loan—99 1/2, 99 1/2.
1923 Victory Loan—99 1/2, 99 1/2.
1924 Victory Loan—99 1/2, 99 1/2.
1925 Victory Loan—99 1/2, 99 1/2.
1926 Victory Loan—99 1/2, 99 1/2.
1927 Victory Loan—99 1/2, 99 1/2.
1928 Victory Loan—99 1/2, 99 1/2.
1929 Victory Loan—99 1/2, 99 1/2.
1930 Victory Loan—99 1/2, 99 1/2.

### Afternoon

Steamships Com—100 at 45, 50 at 44 1/2, 10 at 45 1/2.
Steamships Pfd—20 at 71 1/2.
Brazilian—30 at 23.
Canada Com Pfd—13 at 62 1/2, 6 at 62 1/2.
Canada Com—60 at 60.
Steel Canada—120 at 63.
Dom Iron Com—115 at 45, 2 at 46.
Ottawa Power—10 at 70, 2 at 72 1/2.
Montreal Power—20 at 84.
Abtlibi—110 at 62 1/2, 40 at 62 1/2, 25 at 62 1/2.
Canada Car Com—25 at 60.
Toronto Railway—60 at 65, 20 at 68 1/2.
Gen Electric—50 at 103.
Detroit United—10 at 91, 25 at 90 1/2.
Laurentide Pulp—70 at 96 1/2, 10 at 90 1/2, 50 at 90 1/2, 20 at 90 1/2, 90 at 90 1/2.
Smelting—45 at 20 1/2.
Ridion—20 at 142, 10 at 143.
B C Fish—10 at 45, 10 at 44 1/2, 50 at 45 1/2.
Waygamack Bonds—1,200 at 78.
Quebec Ry Bonds—2,500 at 63 1/2, 25 at 63 1/2, 5,000 at 63 1/2.
B C Fish—10 at 44 1/2.
Quebec Railway—55 at 65 1/2, 50 at 64 1/2, 5 at 65 1/2.
Atlantic Sugar Com—75 at 30, 50 at 29 1/2.
Breweries Com—25 at 53, 5 at 53.

## IN THE PUBLIC EYE



HERBERT P. FRID.

He is the vice-president and manager of Frid Construction Company, Ltd., general contractors, Toronto. He was born in Hamilton, Ont., in 1888. He was educated at the public and high schools, Hamilton, and Toronto University, graduating B. A., Sc., 1911. He began business career at Chicago as estimator for Thompson, Starrett Co., 1908; engaged in contracting with J. W. Frid in Winnipeg, 1911-15; afterwards returning to Hamilton and organized Frid Construction Company, Ltd., with offices in Toronto and Hamilton, and built the Memorial School at Hamilton; Toronto-Hamilton highway bridge; John Morrow Screw & Nut Company at Ingersoll; Wood, Alexander and James Building at Hamilton; new Adams Furniture store at Toronto; new General Hospital at Hamilton. He was a major in the 6th Canadian Railway Battalion and had two years' service in France.

### LONDON OILS

London, Feb. 1.—Close: Caltcutta Unseeded £16, 10s; Unseeded oil 29s; sperm oil, £60. Petroleum, American refined, 2s. 3 1/4-2s. 1 1/4. Turpentine spirits 90s. Rangoon American strained, 29s. Type "G" 30s, 6d. Tallow, Australian 48s. 10d.

### N. Y. COTTON MARKET

High Close  
March 14.90 13.55 13.85  
May 14.19 13.82 14.11  
July 14.53 14.17 14.43  
October 14.76 14.47 14.67

### SAVINGS BANK RETURNS.

During January the returns from the Dominion Savings Bank here show \$36,504.31 deposits, and \$47,753.43 withdrawals. For the corresponding month last year the returns show \$64,102.56 deposits and \$42,651.16 withdrawals.

## Sharp Decline in All Wheat Prices; Loss Since January 12 is 37 Cents

No Domestic or Foreign Demand to Offset the Liquidation at Home.

Winnipeg, Feb. 1.—Further heavy liquidation in all grains was continued today, wheat prices being sharply lower and coarse grains moderately lower in connection with wheat. After opening wheat dropped until \$1.56 1/4. There were sales of 29,000 bags of Cuba's and 430 bags of Venezuela. Redwood was weak and prices were firm, 24 to 25 points lower to the bulk of 485 to 700 cents for the grade, the lowest price recorded in over two years. The weakness in raw and refined led to softened liquidation in futures and prices at mid-day were ten to eighteen points net lower.

### TURPENTINE AND ROBIN

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 1.—Turpentine, quiet, 93 1/2; no sales; receipts, 12; shipments, 87; stock, 16,000. Rosta, quiet; no sales; receipts, 295; shipments, 221; stock, 33,296.

### A TEACHERS' PAY SOLUTION

To the Editor of The Standard, Sir:—Like all great writers, and writers who think they are great, the Squeese is an infinite source of supply for ideas that the master-minds ignore. This is one of his: School training in 1914 was valued at \$95 per day, in actual worth to the student. Whether education's value has declined with the soaring prices of the more necessary (?) accessories of civilization, has never been announced by the enterprising Squeese. Anyway, the cost of inflicting the daily supply has surely travelled, just a little bit.

If this school education is really worth the price placed against it, then surely the more of the valuable ingredient per capita, the richer the country as a whole. This being so obvious that even the Squeese was impressed, why not, then, proceed along this very line in paying the teachers?

Why not pay them what they're worth to their individual classes? Here's the big idea: If ten pupils leave school when being taught by a certain teacher, then that teacher is (at least partly) to blame for this loss of potential prosperity for the country tomorrow; if ten pupils fail to pass the examinations, then that teacher (again, partly) is to blame for the loss of one year's use of this invaluable capital.

Pay teachers what they're worth. Give them as much as they can earn. The Squeese doesn't see, at all, why unsuccessful teachers should draw the same pay as those who are every day making Canada more prosperous. Why not base the pay envelope estimates on the success of the teacher, making it worth while (and then some) to the best teachers, but the minimum salary discouraging to those who are throwing away this nation's riches.

If every class is 100 per cent. at the first of the term, and all new members are considered "over and above" we might work it along these lines: the teacher's salary is calculated from the total number of pupils; (1) number of pupils; (2) subjects, or grades taught; (3) local conditions. Thus, at the first of the year, the teacher is guaranteed a minimum salary; also an attendance bonus; also a bonus for keeping the full class at school. The teacher would be paid these amounts monthly. The grading bonus would be paid annually.

That's the whole solution. Yours, etc., X. Y. Z. St. John, Jan. 31st.

## Sugar Market Easier

New York, Feb. 1.—The raw sugar market was easier and prices were 1 1/4 cents lower to the bulk to 11-18 cents per bag. Cuba's, cost and freight, equal to \$1.23 for centrifugal. There were sales of 29,000 bags of Cuba's and 430 bags of Venezuela. Redwood was weak and prices were firm, 24 to 25 points lower to the bulk of 485 to 700 cents for the grade, the lowest price recorded in over two years. The weakness in raw and refined led to softened liquidation in futures and prices at mid-day were ten to eighteen points net lower.

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## which at present levels gives return on the investment of around twelve per cent.

Announcement is made that the proceeds for the completion of the merger of the various Lower's Companies in Canada have been delayed pending the securing of certificates from the auditors showing the existing assets and liabilities of the various companies.

### Unlisted securities reported by Montreal stock exchange are:

Wholen, 10 at 17 1/2; New Britain, 25 at 28; Trap Power, 25 at 12; New Britain, 10 at 27 1/2. Car notes, 112.50 at 7 1/2, 642.34 at 7 1/2.

### Vessels in Port

Canadian Seiler—McAvity with Canadian Rancher—Sugar Reef.

### New Rancher—No. 16 berth.

Canadian Trader—Stream. S. E. Dunbridge—No. 5 wharf. J. A. McKee—Filling wharf. C. P.



AROUND WORLD'S PORTS

Table with columns for Moon's Phase, Day, and various port names like New Moon, First Quarter, Full Moon, etc.

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PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B. Wednesday, Feb. 2, 1921. Arrived Tuesday...

BRITISH PORTS Gibraltar—Passed Jan 27, stmr Aswan, St. John, for Marsellais.

To Load for Irish Ports The steamer Lord Antrim arrived in port yesterday afternoon...

FUNERALS The funeral of George Arthur McEneaney took place yesterday morning...

The funeral of William H. Porter took place yesterday afternoon from his parents' residence...

The funeral of Richard Parker took place yesterday afternoon from the General Public Hospital...

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FROM ST. JOHN, N. B. LONDON SERVICE. S.S. Canadian Hunter, Feb. 16th...

FROM ST. JOHN, N. B. AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND SERVICE. S.S. Canadian Pioneer, Jan. 29th...

FROM ST. JOHN, N. B. CANADIAN & SWANSEA SERVICE. S.S. Canadian Hunter, Feb. 16th...

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after having made a remarkable trip to Genoa and back. This was his maiden voyage, and she was built at the Halifax shipyards and brought around here to load grain. She sailed from this port on Dec. 9, and after discharging at Genoa, made an indirect trip back with general cargo. Her time is considered excellent.

Sailed Yesterday. The steamer Generale Pettit, Capt. Sutton, sailed yesterday afternoon for Gibraltar for orders. She carried a cargo of 208,424 bushels of wheat for the Italian government. J. T. Knight & Co. are the local agents.

For New York. Steamer Gredon sailed yesterday afternoon for New York in ballast. She will load grain for the United Kingdom. McLean, Kennedy, Ltd., are agents at this port.

Due Saturday. The C. P. O. S. liner Empress of Britain is due here Saturday with 811 passengers, made up as follows: Sixty-two first cabin, 220 second cabin and 630 third.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. The following real estate transfers have been recorded: A. F. Emory to Nellie L. White, property in King street west.

McGulvyre to Peljespot Paper Co., property in St. Martins. John McIntyre to Peljespot Paper Co., property in St. Martins.

R. Taylor to J. W. and Amy Nixon, property in Simonds.

Kings County. Peter Callaghan to Waido Carr, property in Waterford.

A. Arnold-Gilliland to D. E. Waddell, property in Kingston.

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FUNERALS. The funeral of George Arthur McEneaney took place yesterday morning...

The funeral of William H. Porter took place yesterday afternoon from his parents' residence...

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Save Black Squares. GRAND MANAN S. S. CO. Steamer leaves Grand Manan Monday, 7.30 a. m., for St. John via Campbell and Eastport, returning leaves St. John Wednesdays 7.30 a. m. for Grand Manan, via the same ports.

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RMS P. TO THE WEST INDIES. FORTNIGHTLY SAILINGS FROM HALIFAX. Bermuda, Montserrat, Barbados, St. Kitts, Dominica, St. Vincent, Antigua, St. Lucia, Grenada, Trinidad and Tobago.

MAILS, PASSENGERS, FREIGHT. The most attractive Tariff Rates available to the Canadian Investor. LITERATURE ON REQUEST. The Royal Mail Steam Packet Co., HALIFAX, N. S.

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THE WEATHER. Toronto, Feb. 1.—Pressure is still abnormally high over the greater portion of the continent. Fair weather prevails in the Dominion. The cold has moderated in Ontario.

AROUND THE CITY. INVITES TRUSTEES. Mayor Schofield has written the school trustees extending an invitation to discuss with the Council the matter of teachers' salaries.

HARBOR REVENUE SMALLER. The harbor revenue for the month of January this year was about three thousand dollars less than for the corresponding month last year.

SEEMS TO DIFFERENCE. The citizens of St. John are striving to make their city a better place to live in. In Halifax several citizens have not waited for the trains, but have started to get out of their town on foot.

Natural History Society At Home

The Natural History Society's annual conversation, which was held last night in the society's rooms on Union street, afforded a pleasant social evening to the large number of members in attendance.

Judge Ritchie Speaks. Judge Ritchie delivered an eloquent appeal for the continued support of the natural history society.

Examine the Exhibits. The entire building was thrown open to the members, and Charles William McIntosh explained the many interesting collections on exhibition.

MONEY RECEIVED FOR PEW FUND

An excellent concert was given by the young children of the Douglas Avenue Christian church, and several of the adults as well in the church last evening.

These Who Took Part. The names of the children who took part were as follows:—May Read, Madeline Ervine, Wila McCallum, Pearl Taylor, Etta McKinney, Bertie Priest, Hazel Tutta Della Reed, Hazel Hayes, Bonnie Kincaide, Dora Mosher, Mildred Clifford, Doris Hunter, Helen Ring, Alma Ring, Mildred Wellington, Harry Fowle, Douglas Forsie, Gordon Donaldson, Edgar Donaldson, Albert Gordon, John Gordon, Robert Whitaker, Richard Reid, Mildred Clifford, Harry Latham, Freddie Yeoman, George Hudson, Andrew Williams, Miles Ring and Willie Reid.

Ice Crop Is of Splendid Class

Mild Weather Will Not Mean Any Shortage in St. John Next Summer.

It's a hard thing to down a pessimist, but those who have been worrying about this winter's ice crop need do so no longer. The manager of the city's largest ice concern stated yesterday that his company had well over half of their supply of ice already stored in the ice houses.

Better Than Last.

He was of the opinion that notwithstanding the mild weather, this year would be a better year for ice than last. Heavy storms in February prevented the securing of the accustomed harvest in several sections of the country.

Sing Old Songs Of Alma Mater

Mount Allison Graduates of St. John District Entertain the Rev. Dr. Borden.

Over three hundred former students were present last night at Borden's restaurant to attend the Mount Allison reunion and pay homage to their Alma Mater.

James A. Gorham Has Passed Away

Once Competed Successfully as Oarsman Against the Famous Paris Crew.

The death occurred yesterday morning at his home, 185 Douglas Avenue, of James A. Gorham, a well known resident of the city.

Liquor Charge In Police Court

Booze, and booze alone, held full sway in the police court yesterday, both at the afternoon and morning sessions of the court.

LOCAL JEWS ARE LIBERAL GIVERS

Meyer Budovitch & W. Levy Gave \$500 Each to Zionist Convention in Montreal.

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Vocational School Will Be Closed

Pay Outstanding Bills, Sell Equipment and Wind up Affairs by February 15.

The Vocational Training School in this city will cease to be, after the 15th of February, because of city hall's refusal to vote any further grants towards its support.

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February Continues Our Free Hemming Sale Bargains. During January the big reductions offered on the various Household Cottons and Linens were taken advantage of by scores of enthusiastic buyers. February has still more big values to offer.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. For these three days we have cut the price away down on the following articles, and they are exceptional bargains. NEAR SEAL COATEES HUDSON SEAL COATEES. 2 only, \$95.00. Were \$150.00. 2 only, \$225.00. Were \$350.00.