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THE PLAINTIFF
TELLS HIS STORY.

Interesting Evidence in the
Turner Case

The Greek Says That One Serafice a
United States Officer, Conspired
Against Him.

Greek was the language which was
most heard at the trial of Anastores
Papageorgiou vs. H. M. Turner this
morning. Its significance was made
known by means of an accomplished
interpreter.

Owing to the fact that a foreigner is
the plaintiff and many of the witnesses
are foreigners, many comical sayings
are brought out and the trial is
probably the most entertaining heard
in this vicinity for some time.

At yesterday afternoon's session of
the court the only witness examined
was Louis Corey, who accompanied the
plaintiff to Eastport, and who was ar-
rested by the defendant as a smuggler of
a prohibited immigrant. He cor-
roborated previous evidence to the effect
that George Serafice, detective in the
United States service, had repre-
sented himself as an agent of a steamship
company and induced the plaintiff
to leave St. John under the belief
that he was to receive employment in
the United States and when he once
had him within the borders of the
republic he clapped him in prison.

This witness, who is Assyrian, and
can speak very imperfect English was
the cause of much laughter. For in-
stance, Chief Justice Tuck asked him
how long he had been married and he
replied: "Two year." "How many
children have you, Corey?" "Six,"
was the reply. "Good gracious," said
the chief justice, "how could you have
six children in two years?" "Me mar-
ried when me sixteen," excitedly ex-
plained the Assyrian, "and me now
twenty-two."

Peter Miller, chief of the United
States immigration office here, was
the first witness examined this morn-
ing. He said he knew Serafice as an
official in the United States service.
At present he believed Serafice was sta-
tioned in Florida. This concluded Mr.
Miller's evidence.

John Speardakes, confectioner, swore
that he knew Serafice and the defend-
ant. He met Serafice at his store on
Charlotte street. He later saw Serafice
in the company of the defendant,
Turner, at the Royal hotel.

The plaintiff Orato Papageorgiou
now took the stand. As he could not
speak English his testimony was in-
terpreted by Michael Iatros, Greek
consul at Lowell. Witness said he was
a native of Greece and came to this
country as a seaman, working at
Birmingham, landing at Montreal. He
came to St. John to visit some rela-
tives residing here. He also has a re-
lative in Boston to whom he is writing.
Desiring to go to Boston he returned
to Montreal to pass a physical ex-
amination but failing to pass he re-
turned to St. John. He was advised
to open a store here. Subsequently he
met Serafice at the store of John Spear-
dakes. Serafice represented himself as
a Greek doing business at Montreal.
"Did Serafice make any agreement to
take you to the United States?"
Mr. Currey here objected, but At-
torney General Pugsley contended that
an answer was admissible as evidence,
as it had been shown that Serafice was
connected with the defendant Turner.

The chief justice thought that no
clear evidence had been given to allow
how to draw the inference that Serafice
and the defendant were connected in
some way, and he accordingly allowed
the witness to answer the question.

The witness answering said that Sera-
fice told him he knew Turner and
would try to get Turner to assist in
passing him to the United States. He
further effect this purpose Serafice pro-
mised to see U. S. Inspector Leonard and
induce him to pass the witness into the
republic. Serafice came to him several
times afterwards and finally took him
to the home of Mr. Leonard's sister and
there tried to consummate their plans.
Leonard refused his assistance unless
he were paid \$50 or \$60. Witness re-
fused to pay the money. The following
day Serafice came to witness and told
him that he had an Assyrian friend
going to Eastport and who would as-
sist him thither. Witness declined to
go, but Serafice insisted, urging that
there would be no difficulty and the ex-
pense for a trip to Boston would only
be \$15. Finally witness consented and
handed over the \$15. He, however, still
did not want to go to the United
States because he had failed to pass
the doctor's examination, but Serafice
removed his fears. All the time he re-
garded Serafice as an honest fellow
countryman.

Witness now described his trip to
Eastport, accompanied by Louis Corey.
Serafice previously planned the voyage.
Arrived at Eastport they went to the
house of Corey, where a little later he
saw Serafice, who told him he would
leave for Boston by the six o'clock
train. To witness's surprise police offi-
cials arrived with Turner and they
were all arrested. Once lodged in jail
Turner relieved him of papers on his
person, among them the receipt which
Serafice gave him for the \$15 he paid
him. Serafice was arrested also, but
was almost immediately released. Wit-
ness was kept in custody at Eastport
two days and then was taken by Turn-
er to Portland and placed in the jail
there. Serafice put in an appearance at
Portland, and told witness he would
be discharged after paying a fine of
\$25. Witness was paid a dollar a day
while in until after the hearing of the
court. No charge was brought against
him at Portland. He merely appeared
as a witness. After the trial Turner
told witness he would be brought to St.
John. Turner, however, took him to
Boston and then to New York, where
he sailed for Italy in the steamer Vic-

VLADIVOSTOK BLOCKADED
BY A JAPANESE FLEET.

Sailing of Third Russian Pacific Squadron---
Twelve Steamers With Contraband of War
Captured Since January 13th.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—A St. Peter-
burg despatch to the Herald says:
"Reports received here announce that
Vladivostok is being closely blockaded
by Admiral Uriu's fleet."

PARIS, Feb. 16.—Forty sailors from
the French steamer Esperance, belong-
ing at Havre, have returned to Mar-
seilles on board the Madagascar mail
boat, having refused to engage in the
contraband traffic. The Esperance
sailed from Barry, England, Oct. 25th,
ostensibly for Saigon, with a cargo of
coal. On arriving at Vigo the coaler
joined the Russian second Pacific
squadron and continued in its company
to Vladivostok. There the seamen re-
lated the circumstances to the authori-
ties and were sent home. The Esper-
ance on Jan. 13 was reported at Nossi
Be, off the Madagascar coast with her
refrigerating machinery damaged.

LEBAU, Feb. 15.—The third Pacific
squadron sailed at noon today. Grand
admiral Alex. and Admiral Birtin in-
spected the squadron before its de-
parture. The ice-breaker Ermak
cleared the way. The battleship
Vladivostok was the first to
start and the others were towed out in
turn. All the vessels were out at sea
by midnight.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 15. Many
rumors are current of ministerial and
military changes including a report that
War Minister Sakharoff, may be sent
to relieve Gen. Kriepotkin, and also
to the effect that M. Boulgan,
minister of the interior, is not in

BANK PRESIDENT,
Tired and Cold, Occupies a Cell in the
Chicago Jail.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—President W.
H. Hunt, of the defunct Pan-American
Bank arrived in Chicago late last
night in charge of an officer and was
given a cell in the county jail. He
would not talk, declaring that he was
tired and cold. The banker was in-
dicted on four charges of receiving
money, knowing his bank to be insol-
vent.

EQUITY COURT.
In the equity court chambers this
morning argument was heard in the
case of Gault Bros., Ltd., of Montreal,
vs. Morrell & Sutherland. The plain-
tiffs some days ago obtained an injunc-
tion to restrain the defendants from
making a general assignment for the
benefit of their creditors. The defend-
ants are seeking to dissolve the in-
junction. Judgment will be delivered
tomorrow.

toria. Turner all the time made him
believe he was going to St. John. At
Naples he consulted the Greek consul,
who advised he returned to St. John,
arriving in February, 1904.

L. A. Currey now took up the cross-
examination, having been previously
questioned by the Chief Justice to dis-
card long words.

Mr. Currey asked witness if he did
apply for admission into the United
States as George Constantine. Wit-
ness denied this, and admitted that he
went to Eastport under the name of
one Petrevius, a Greek who had a store
here. Witness was asked if Turner had
not cautioned him to allow himself to
be smuggled into the United States. He
replied that Turner did not, nor had
Turner cautioned him through an in-
terpreter. Turner, however, not caution-
ing him that he would be deported if caught
in the United States. Turner returned
to him everything he had taken from
his person at the time of his arrest.
At this point a tilt took place between
counsel. Mr. Currey had been cross-
examining very smoothly and Attorney
General Pugsley remarked that it must
be annoying him to find himself un-
able to brow-beat the witness in view
of the fact that he had to question him
through an interpreter.

Continuing the cross-examination, Mr.
Currey asked if witness had not been
advised by Inspector Leonard to go be-
fore the board of medical examination.
Witness said that he was. In response
to further questions witness said he
was informed by Serafice that he was
held at Portland as a witness against
Corey and Morrey. For his services as
a witness he received ninety odd dol-
lars and gave receipts for the money.
The Chief Justice remarked that the
plaintiff might have been mistaken
when Turner told him he was return-
ing to St. John, as their conversation
was carried on merely by suggestions.
Before the court adjourned for recess
the Chief Justice asked the inter-
preter what the name "Serafice" meant.
The interpreter replied that it was a
Turkish name, meaning a man who
changes money. "In English," said the
Chief Justice, "seraphic means heaven-
ly."

The appearances are: for the plaintiff,
Attorney General Pugsley and W. W.
Allen; for the defendant, Hon. Isaac
M. Dyer, United States attorney for
the District of Maine, and L. A. Cur-
rey.

GASOLINE EXPLOSION
With Serious Results on a British Navy
Submarine Boat.

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 16.—An ex-
plosion of gasoline occurred on board
the new submarine boat "A 5," this
morning while the officers and crew
of eleven men were engaged in charg-
ing the tanks. The crew were hurled
in all directions. Nine of them were
picked up by boats and taken to the
hospital. Two are missing.

FIRES THIS MORNING.

SALEM, Mass., Feb. 16.—Fire today
damaged the works of the Salem Gas-
light Company, causing a loss of \$27,000.
The blaze originated in the retort
house which was filled together
with the coal sheds, and 2,000 tons of
seriously hampered.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Feb. 16.—Fire
which broke out early today in the drug
store of J. H. Mericles, at Brocton,
communicated to stores of W. N. Clark,
groceries; Purman & Company, dry
goods; E. C. Edmunds, hardware, and
the State Bank of Brocton, all of
which were destroyed. The Brocton
Opera House was in the Mericles build-
ing. The total loss is \$75,000; insurance
\$50,000. The buildings burned were
brick and three stories. The upper
floors were occupied as lodge rooms
and offices.

GAVE UP HIS LIFE.

BOIS BLANC, Mich., Feb. 16.—Albert
Fleury walked on the ice from Bois
Blanc Island to this city on Saturday
night to get medicine for his sick and
dying wife. The mercury was 16 below
zero and a wild snow storm was raging,
but he bravely set out on the return tri-
ple under a heavy blanket and with
compass to guide him. That was the
last seen of him and there is no doubt
that he perished and his body was cov-
ered up by drifting snow. His wife
came to this city to look for him and
large searching parties were organized
both here and on the island to search
for his body. He was 31 years old.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

CANDY COTTON—Made from granu-
lated sugar. Hit of the World's Fair.
5c. a bag at SCAMMELL'S, Charlotte
street.

LOST—On Wednesday afternoon,
either at Opera House or between there
and Germain street, by way of Char-
lotte and King, a gold watch and beaded
chain. The finder will be liberally
rewarded on leaving it at Elliott's Hotel,
Germain street.

TO LET—Lower flat of house, 60
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quire of W. H. COLWELL, 232 Duke
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GLASS SMASHER
AGAIN IN PRISON.

John Grogan Attempted to Re-
peat His First Escape.

And Was Felled to the Ground With a
Night Stick by a Big Policeman.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Within 24
hours after his release from prison
where he had served a sentence for
smashing more than \$3,000 worth of
plate glass windows, John Grogan early
today returned to the scene of his
escape and started in to duplicate
the feat of two months ago. He was
not so successful this time, having
broken three large windows when he
was overpowered and again taken to
a cell.

Two months ago today, Grogan ap-
peared at the corner of 23rd street and
Fourth avenue, nude and armed with
a short iron crowbar. Running down
the street he swung the crowbar
through every window for nearly a
block before a policeman knocked him
down. Grogan perched himself upon a
bank of snow in the street and by
freely swinging his crowbar defied ar-
rest until more than a dozen policemen
had reached the scene.

When he reached the place today he
was stripped to the waist although the
thermometer was near the zero mark,
and had as a weapon of destruction a
brick in a stocking. He was trav-
ersing the same route which he took two
months ago, swinging the brick through
one window after another when a
policeman crept up behind him and
felled him with a night stick.

GUILTY OF MURDER.

Jury Finds That Fred Bond Killed
Charles Daley.

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 16.—A verdict of
murder in the first degree has been re-
turned by the jury against Fred Bond
on trial for the murder of Charles
Daley in this city last October. Bond
was a boarder at the house of Daley,
and appears to have been in love with
the latter's wife. Daley was shot and
struck with a hatchet. Mrs. Daley at
first represented that she had killed
her husband but it developed that she
was persuaded by Bond to tell that
story. She is held as an accessory
and was the principal witness against
Bond.

GOLD STOPS COAL.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Feb. 16.—The
Lehigh Valley Coal Company has or-
dered the suspension of a number of
colliers, until Monday on account of
the intense cold. Coal washers and
jig machinery are blocked throughout
the region today, operations being im-
possible owing to the large amount of
ice they use quickly freezing and block-
ing the machinery.

In this city it was four degrees be-
low zero, and in the country districts
the mercury reached ten below.

SIR CHARLES GOES TO NAPLES.

MONTREAL, Feb. 16.—Sir Charles
Tupper, Lady Tupper, Miss Tupper and
Sir Charles' private secretary are here
today en route to Naples, via Boston.
In an interview, Sir Charles stated that
the trip is taken for the benefit of his
health, as he finds the Canadian win-
ter climate too severe for his advanc-
ed age. After wintering in Southern
Europe he will go to Great Britain,
where he expects to assist Hon. Joseph
Chamberlain in the campaign for
preference. He will return in the sum-
mer to Canada.

DEATHS.

BARKER—In this city at 83 City Road,
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past 24 hours, 12; temperature at noon,
16.

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much colder. Friday, strong westerly
winds, fair and cold.
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coast during yesterday and is now cen-
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northwesterly and westerly gales. To
American ports, strong northwesterly
and westerly winds.

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FURS—three months of fur wearing
weather yet to come, and there is
enough saved on the price to make it
an inducement. For instance, I have
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THE SITUATION IN QUEBEC.

When Premier Parent left Ottawa a few days ago the Liberal press generally announced that he would resign before forty-eight hours and that Mr. Gouin would be called upon to form a government.

Another declaration made by Mr. Parent seems to disclose the basis of his confidence. He says that he will test his strength in the choice of a speaker, and that if he is outvoted the house will be dissolved and a new election ordered.

This is a threat which would be expected to fill many minds with terror. Among these forty-five anti-Parent Liberals are many who do not desire to run another election within a few months after their last contest.

In these circumstances it is quite possible that some of Mr. Gouin's supporters would weaken in the face of Mr. Parent's threat of dissolution. They would be liable to give their retreating leader a word of caution.

The Parent threat is probably directed also to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his federal supporters. It would not be a good thing for Sir Wilfrid to have his Quebec party split in two, each faction vigorously assailing the other in a bitter contest.

The officers in search of the late government organizer in Manitoba who borrowed the election lists and marked out Conservative names with red ink have not been able to find their man. But Mr. Sifton found him right after the election and made him some kind of an inspector at \$2,000 a year.

There is an astonishing want of information among ministers in the house of commons concerning the steamship subsidies and the nature of the services. Sir Richard Cartwright has gone to the senate and it becomes Mr. Patterson's duty to express regret that he cannot answer questions concerning ships.

President Castro, of Venezuela has evidently heard how the United States senate is amusing itself with the president's international arrangements. He does not seem to care a hang for Mr. Roosevelt.

Owing to the failure of his highway act to provide for breaking the roads in Northumberland, Mr. Tweedie's convention called for Monday did not happen. If Mr. Tweedie had brought on the election at the right time it would have been over before any snow fell.

The people of St. John were told that within a week or two after the provincial election Mr. George Robertson would have something interesting to say about the dry dock. Mr. Robertson appears to be suffering from an impediment in his speech.

Now that the United States has mutilated the Newfoundland Treaty beyond hope of recovery it is suggested that union negotiations be re-opened between Canada and Newfoundland.

COSTLY AND BAD. The Religious Intelligencer has not changed its opinion of Mr. Fisher's census. It says: "Replying to a question in parliament last week, the minister of agriculture said the census was finished, and that its cost was \$1,192,396. 'Finished,' is it? A nice job they have made of it. If the other parts of the census are anything like that relating to the Free Baptists, it is a jumble of gross inaccuracies.

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OFFICERS INSTALLED. Jewel Rebeckah Lodge, I. O. O. F., Carleton, met last evening and installed officers.

Josephine Clark, noble grand. Nellie Clark, vice grand. Harriet A. Smith, recording secretary. Kathleen Bartlett, financial secretary. Nettie Retallick, treasurer. Mary Mosher, R. S. N. G. Annie Brown, L. S. N. G. Mary Neve, R. S. V. G. Bessie Clark, L. S. V. G. Christina Morrell, warden. Estella Griffiths, conductor. Nan Retallick, I. G. Ada Allingham, chaplain. J. N. Mosher, O. G.

The installation of officers of Court Martello, No. 1747, I. O. F., took place last evening as follows:- W. B. Kierstead, C. R. R. B. Jordan, V. C. R. K. J. Macrea, R. C. T. H. Bolger, treasurer. L. R. Morrison, P. S. E. N. Davis, O. G. W. L. Rand, S. W. H. J. Kierstead, J. W. E. H. Sisson, S. E. G. A. B. Addy, C. physician. W. S. Morrison, C. physician. K. J. Macrea, C. D. H. C. D. D. D. Lingley, H. C. R., conducted the installation, assisted by Messrs. Todd, Bradley and Cronk.

WHAT IT IS. The Mucous Membrane and the Important Part It Plays in the Health or Sickness of the Body.

The Mucous Membrane is the inside lining of the body, and of all its vessels and organs. The moment this mucous membrane becomes out of condition, ever so little, illness follows swiftly, in some form or other. In ninety-nine cases of a hundred disease has its beginning in some derangement of this Mucous Membrane. It is very delicate and extremely sensitive, and consequently very liable to disease. If you are not feeling well you may be sure that the Mucous Membrane of some part of you is sick and requires immediate treatment. There is one medicine that is intended to act, and does act, directly and curatively on the Mucous Membrane. It is Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill.

THE CHILD QUESTION. To the Editor of the Star: Sir-Now that people are house-hunting, the "child question" comes up once more and various are the opinions of those who profess to be qualified to speak on it.

The regular fortnightly meeting of Fraternal Temple, No. 8, was held last night in Orange Hall, German street. The feature of the occasion was the fraternal visit of Alexandria Temple, north end, the officers of which assisted in the initiation of several members. During the evening M. W. G. Dr. W. F. Roberts, deputy M. W. G. and several past grands made speeches, in which they spoke of the discouragement and the demoralization of the work. A vigorous campaign for the securing of new members and the awakening of a keener interest in temperance work is to be prosecuted. Dr. Walter P. Bonnell will, early in the spring, commence the erection of a residence on the south side of Queen square, corner of Sydney street. It is understood that Harry A. Mott is the architect.

The steamers Stanley and Minto did not move from their wharves at Summit and Pictou yesterday. On the previous day the Minto said that there was no use in attempting to make the passage and the boats will probably remain in port for some time. Philips Bros. of the north end have decided to retire from business and will remove to the United States. J. Russell has purchased the business, stock and trade. For twenty-seven years the Messrs. Philips have carried on business in the city. Dr. Bryce, chief medical officer of the department of the interior, arrived in the city yesterday morning from Halifax, and during the day paid a visit to the detention buildings at Sand Point. Dr. Bryce left last evening on his return to Ottawa. Participating in the advance that has recently been made to the inspectors of hulls and boilers in other places, Isaac J. Olive, inspector of hulls, and Charles E. Dalton, inspector of boilers, will be one of the witnesses at a trial. Dr. Barclay is a son of Rev. Dr. Barclay, the famous Montreal preacher. Frank White of White's restaurant is on a business trip to Boston. It is understood that Mr. White has practically closed arrangements for the purchase of a portion of the Bruckhoff building for the purpose of developing his business, which has grown so extensively that more room is required. Mr. White will return to St. John in a few days. Peter Richards, well known as a former proprietor of the Loch Lomond House, is a patient at the hospital suffering from an injury to one of his eyes. The injury was received while Mr. Richards was at work on Partridge Island, where he has lately been employed. It is feared that the sight may be affected by the wound.

OLD KID. FOR ANY PAIN. From the stomach, around the heart, a coated tongue, foul breath, or sick headache. All these things are alike to catch. It aches in a ache, a pain in a pain wherever located, in the head, around the heart or in the back. Hush is the proper medicine. Take one and the hurting stops. Don't be afraid of using it, because it is Nature's remedy. Nature makes the ingredients for exactly this purpose, and Nature has never made a mistake since the beginning of time. Hush is for your stomach. It cures to stay cured. It's a doctor for 10 cents. A big bottle with 200 for \$1.00. Woodward Chemical Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

TIMING BANANAS. It is generally known that bananas are shipped while yet green and unripe, but few persons are aware of the careful and elaborate time calculations required in setting out the plants and cutting off the fruit in order to insure the arrival of the bananas in proper condition at their destination. When a plantation is begun the young plants are set out at certain intervals, so that they will produce at regular prefixed times during the year. A certain number of days before the arrival of a steamer the green fruit is cut, and a close calculation of the time that will be consumed in the voyage must always be made, else the bananas will be spoiled. Fruit steamers carry steam heating apparatus to insure a uniform temperature throughout the voyage. The ripening is calculated to occur only after the fruit has reached the retail dealer.

TORTURED A DEER-FINED \$100. LYNN, Mass., Feb. 15.-Russell Furbush, David Furbush and Herbert Noyes, who choked a stray deer to death with a rope in Glenora, Saturday, were fined \$100 each by Judge Berry Wednesday forenoon, complaint being pressed by Game Warden Thomas L. Burney.

MARRIAGES. ROGERS-BARTON-In St. John the Baptist church, Broad street, on February 14th, by Rev. W. F. Chapman, Bartholomew Rogers, pilot, and Lillian Barton of No. 9 Thorp Road, Great Crosby, England. WHITE-WEXMAN-At Montreal, Saturday, Feb. 4, by Rev. Mr. Tait, Alice Maude Wexman to Frederick E. White, both of St. John, N. B.

DEATHS. FRASER-In this city, Thursday morning, at 130, Minnie C., beloved wife of Eben E. Fraser. Funeral from her late residence 227 King street, corner Crown, Saturday, the 18th inst., at 3 o'clock. Service at 2.30.

UNDERTAKING In all its details with thorough knowledge of its requirements. N. W. BRENNAN, 715 Main Street. Telephone: Day, 222 A. Nights, 222 B.

DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 KING STREET.

Free! Free! The Sale Goes on and The Special Offer Holds Good And You Get Something for Nothing.

Owing to the great success that has attended our wonderful offer of Making-up Stylish Dress Skirts Free of Charge we have decided to extend it for another ten days.

DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street

D. A. KENNEDY, (Successor to WALTER SCOTT.) 32-36 King Square, St. John, N. B. "Wonderful Bargains in Dry Goods." It will Save You Many Dollars if You Attend This Sale.

LOCAL NEWS.

YOURSELF on a good footing with the world. Get some snap in your walk--some style on your feet. Our special Box Galf Blucher cut shoe does it for you. Price, \$2.50 Pair. None better. Few as good.

A Large Stock of Children's Shoes priced from 50c. up. SANBORN'S SHOE STORE, 339 Main St.

READ THIS: ONE TO FIVE YARDS MILL ENDS OF Factory Cotton Selling for 2c. yard. Just the thing for Quilt Linings. CARLETON'S.

CHOICE PACKED BUTTER, 22c. per pound, 5 lbs. for \$1.05, 10 lbs. for \$2.00. 10 LB. PAUL PURE LARD FOR \$1.00, 5 lb. pail 55c, 3 lb. pail 35c. EGGS (good for cooking) 22c. 17 LBS. GRANULATED SUGAR \$1.00. ROBERTSON & CO., 562 and 564 MAIN STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. TELEPHONE 775 A.

An Old-Fashioned Whisky. Lawson's Liqueur Whisky is a Dundee product with all the integrity that comes from old-fashioned processes.

\$1.00 per bottle, for sale by all retailers. WE ARE SOLE AGENTS. R. SULLIVAN & CO., DOCK ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.

BREAK UP LA CRIPPE OR A COLD WITH Pendleton's Panacea. Directions: 1-4 Teaspoonful Panacea, 1-4 Teaspoonful Sugar, 1-4 Cup Milk, 1-2 Cup Hot Water. Mix well and sip frequently.



Our Stock when you want to buy anything in Furniture. You will find a great many things so helpfully priced that they are a treat to the pocket book. Remember one thing in buying--if you pay less than our prices elsewhere you get less for your money. N. A. HORN BROOK & CO., O'Regan's New Building, 15 MILL STREET.

February Sale Specials. Ready for Service Overcoats and Trousers

The number who supply their clothing wants during our clean-up sale is truly surprising. Many have bought these overcoats we are selling at the phenomenally low price of \$5.75 - broken lots of \$10, \$12 and \$13.50 overcoats - and have sent or brought in their friends, too.

TROUSERS so near custom made as these of ours, indeed better than a great many that are custom made, are surely priced very low at \$3 a pair - Regular prices are \$3 to \$5.

We have particularly good values in large sizes up to 46 waist - mostly \$4.50 a pair, but now \$3.

A. GILMOUR, FINE TAILORING AND CLOTHING 68 King Street.

CLOSE AT SIX O'CLOCK; SATURDAY AT TEN O'CLOCK. SUPERIOR SAUSAGE. Our Sausage pleases the most fastidious. It is not overloaded with herbs and spices. Made fresh every day. For sale at nearly all Grocers and Meat Dealers. SAUSAGE MEAT. After all there is nothing nicer than our fresh made highly seasoned Sausage Meat. You will find our home made HEAD CHEESE tastes well, too. SLIPP & FLEWELLING, 240 MAIN STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

Sporting News. BOWLING. Eastport v. St. John. Play was resumed last night, the first match being with candle pins. Following is a list of the respective teams and their scores:

Eastport	Total	Av.
P. Boyd	76	45
R. Chapman	85	85
W. Merereau	88	80
R. Lurchin	82	86
D. McCurdy	73	92
Grand total	404	122

SACKVILLE AND MONCTON. Tomorrow evening's benefit programme will be a gala night for hockey. The two star teams of the provincial league will be seen at Queen's rink. Sackville will play the Neptunes and Moncton will be arrayed against the Mohawks. The rink was crowded on the occasion of the last appearance of Sackville, and doubtless will again tomorrow evening.

GRAND TOTALS. Total Av. A. McBurnt 77 87 80 244 81 1-2. R. Atchison 85 82 79 242 80 2-3. A. Miles 74 84 80 238 79 1-3. H. Wilson 78 80 86 258 88 1-4. B. Bower 80 82 83 245 81 1-4.

HOKEY AT SUSSEX. SUSSEX, Feb. 15.—The two games of hockey advertised to come off last evening were watched with much interest, especially by the school teachers. There is quite a rivalry existing between the teams, the High School having won the first match of the season. The Trojans of Moncton will play the Sussex team in Sussex, Thursday evening, 16th.

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS. DON'T send your surplus furniture to an auction sale; but dispose of it privately, through a For Sale advertisement in the "Star," and realize twice as much money for it. Rate: Half a cent a word—six insertions for the price of four.

FLATS TO LET. TO LET—A lower flat No. 48 Summer street, containing 7 rooms, double parlors, 3 bedrooms, dining room and kitchen, with modern improvements. Can be seen Wednesday afternoon. Apply to MISS C. E. MAGEE, 56 Summer street.

HOUSES TO LET. TO LET—From 1st May flat of house 611 Main street, containing Parlor, sitting room, dining room, two bedrooms, kitchen, clothes room, patent closet etc. Rent \$115.00. Apply to MRS. McAFEE, 119 Paradise Row.

SITUATIONS VACANT—MALE. "No treachery, but want of men." 1 HENRY VI; 1-1. BOY WANTED—Apply to PATTERSON & CO., German street.

February Furniture Sale. PRICES AVERAGE FROM 1-4 TO 1-3 LESS THAN USUAL.

1—Stocks are larger and better than ever before. 2—Assortments are far greater. 3—Everything is absolutely reliable. 4—Every price is a positive revelation. All the new Furniture will be offered at wonderfully attractive prices—in many instances practically at cost. All the regular stocks on hand will be offered at strikingly reduced prices.

GEO. E. SMITH, 18 King St.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE. "I Want Work" HENRY IV; 1-2. WANTED—By a sober, steady man, a situation looking after furnace or taking care of horses, will go to country if required. Address J. E. Star office.

LOST. LOST—On Tuesday afternoon, on German or Princess street, a Gold Watch Chain and "K. T. H." charm. Finder please leave at R. H. GREEN & SON, German street.

TO LET—A comfortable house, containing nine rooms, with bath room, hot and cold water, gas, for 17 years occupied by one party. Can be seen Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from 2 to 5. Apply to 147 Orange street.

TO LET—A store at 38 Water street, also flat above. Apply to W. H. STEHLING, 51 Sydney street.

TO LET—From first May next, the self-contained house, 40 Paddock street, has all modern improvements. Can be seen on Tuesday and Friday afternoons. Inquire J. M. F. WHITING, 38 Paddock street.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in small family, 84 Sydney street.

WANTED—A small family in the country want a reliable woman to do light general work. Hot and cold water in the house. Apply to MISS HANSON, Women's Exchange, 193 Charlotte street.

WANTED—A cook at the Cumberland Hotel. Good wages.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. References required. Apply to MRS. R. T. LEAVITT, 53 Queen street.

FOR SALE—Horse and sleigh. Horse weighs 1200 lbs. Sleight in good condition. For sale cheap. Apply to W. L. McELWAIN, 40 Sydney street.

FOR SALE—Bay Horse, weighs about 1200 lbs. Apply to 2 BARKERS, 100 Princess street.

FOR SALE—Portable Billiard and Pool Table, 6 1/2 x 11 1/2 feet. Mahogany finish. Brand new month ago. Balls, cues, rest, snuggles for 25 different games. Excellent for club room or private residence. Terms reasonable. For particulars address Mrs. J. C. COLE, 42; will sell for \$25. Address "BILLIARDS," Star Office.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—A few commercial travellers' trunks. Address MERCHANT, P. O. Box 28, St. John.

HOTEL ARRIVALS. VICTORIA HOTEL, Feb 15—F. S. McLaughlin, Grand Manan; J. H. Smith, Brantford; D. H. Peters, Fredericton; F. E. Ebbitt, Gasqueton; F. W. Ball, E. Sullivan, Moncton; J. S. Chisholm, Halifax.

ROYAL HOTEL, Feb 15—S. Lynch, Fredericton; L. W. Cox, F. Baxter, H. V. Higelow, H. A. Duke, W. H. Smythe, J. R. Fisher, H. A. Murphy, J. A. Christie, J. S. Doren, G. H. Leaman, F. B. Schurman, J. K. Fraser, Truro; J. A. Henders, Halifax; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ward and Mrs. Ward, Halifax; H. A. West, Annapolis; W. F. Creighton, Moncton; J. D. Adams, M. Connolly, Moncton; E. R. Bush, Toronto; I. C. Stewart, Halifax; C. T. Gillespie, John H. Robertson, Moncton.

BOARDING. LADIES OR GENTLEMEN, FROM \$2.50. Hot and Cold water. 165 Union street.

BOARDING—Double and single rooms with board. Terms moderate. MRS. SHANKS, 156 King street, corner Carmarthen.

DAILY DURING. The Winter, Short's "Cherry-Chalk," Short's "Cold and Grip Cure Tablets," Short's "Head Cold Cure" (an Antiseptic and Healing Salve), and Short's "Skin Cure Lotion," will be found of the greatest value in the household. Accept no substitutes.

curiers defeated Fredericton by twelve points last night as follows:

Fredericton	Truro
Dover	20
Leaman	17
Semple	14
Fowler	13
Total	51

The Truro team leaves for St. John in the morning, where they play the Thistles tomorrow afternoon.

MADE THEM JUMP. Gunner—Harker has an original way of making progress through the crowds in the shopping district. Guyer—What is it? Gunner—Why, he carries an automobile horn under his coat and when he toots it every one jumps out of his way for ten feet ahead.

A LINE OF ACTION. "You see," said the young lawyer, "my client is accused of bigamy, and he's guilty; so I hardly know how to defend him." "Why, that's easy," said the old lawyer. "Defend him on the ground of insanity and get a few heaped-up hands on the jury."—Puck.

Read Today's Situations Vacant Ads.

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ST. JOHN STAR, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1905.

Met Horrible Death Under Shore Line Train.

Ernest Jansson, Employed in Clearing the Line, Slipped on Snowbank and Fell Under the Cars--Leaves Wife and Three Young Children.

An accident which was attended with fatal consequences occurred late yesterday afternoon on the Shore Line railway near Duck Cove. Ernest Jansson, a section man on the railroad, was dragged one hundred yards by a swiftly moving train, and received such severe injuries that death resulted last night about eleven o'clock.

Ernest Jansson is said to have been a sober, hard working man and the accident is a particularly sad one. He leaves a wife and three small children, all girls. He was a Swede by nationality, but came out to this country about nine years ago, having married but two years previous to his emigration. For some time he was employed as a seaman, having been cook on various coasting vessels.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

Domestic Ports. HALIFAX, Feb 15--Ard, str Bet, from Jamaica, Turks Island and Bermuda; Evansville, from St John; Louisburg, from Louisburg, NB. Sid, str Pro Patria, La Fourcade, for St Pierre, Mir; Cacouns, Holmes, for Louisburg. Chd, str Arthur H Wright, for LaHave. HALIFAX, Feb 15--Sid, str Baker, Schwindt, for Boston. British Ports. QUEENSTOWN, Feb 15--Ard, str Teston, from New York for Liverpool (and proceeded). MOVILLE, Feb 15--Ard, str Ionian, from St John and Halifax for Liverpool.

LONDON, Feb 15--Ard, str St John City, from St John and Halifax. LONDON, Feb 15--The British bark Edith Mary, Captain Hughes, from Ascension, Sept 12, for St Johns, NB, has been posted at Lloyds as missing. LIVERPOOL, Feb 15--Ard, str Cornishman, from Portland; Ionian, from St John and Halifax via Moville. Foreign Ports. BREMEN, Feb 15--Ard, str Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, from New York via Plymouth and Cherbourg. BALTIMORE, Feb 15--Ard, str T Charlton Henry, from Boston. COVE POINT, Md, Feb 15--Passed up, str Gardner G Deering, from Boston for Baltimore. NEW YORK, Feb 15--Ard, str Kron Prinz Wilhelm, from Bremen.

SUSSEX COUNCIL. Important Meeting at Which Officers Were Elected and Estimates Passed.

SUSSEX, Feb. 15.--The Sussex Town Council met in the Council chamber last evening, those present being Mayor McKay, Aldermen Langstroth, Miller, McAllister and Mills. Aid. Mills brought in a request for a town marshal, and on motion of Aid. McAllister, seconded by Aid. Langstroth, William McLeod was appointed same. Aid. Langstroth reported that for the water and sewerage committee that the reservoir was not full, and that the hydrants and main pipes were nearly all thawed out, which would be completed in one day more. The election of officers was the next business, the following being elected: William McLeod, town marshal; William McLeod, C. Edwin Hazen, constables; Wm. McLeod, James Gregory, sr, Geo. Barnes, pound-keepers; Arthur Keith, James Gregory, Jr., C. Edwin Hazen, Jesse McKenzie, hog reeves and field drivers. Next the following amounts were voted to be assessed on the town: Contingent \$1,000 Water, sewerage and maintenance 2,000 Street, maintenance 1,000 Lighting 1,000 Fire 225 Police 100 Interest account 1,240 Sinking funds 500 Total \$6,565

DROPPED DEAD.

Ex-Sheriff Died at Son's Residence in Sydney.

HALIFAX, Feb. 15.--William Buchanan, ex-sheriff of the county of Cape Breton, dropped dead at his son's residence, Sydney, this afternoon, where he had called after returning from a funeral. He was 78 years old, was born in Scotland, coming to this country when quite young. In 1882 he successfully contested Cape Breton for the local assembly. He was made high sheriff for Cape Breton, which office he held until last year. Deceased was married four times, his last wife dying suddenly about four months ago. Two of his sons are in Winnipeg.

ROGERS-BARTON.

St. John the Baptist church was last evening the scene of a pretty wedding, when Bartholomew Rogers, pilot, was united in marriage to Miss Lillian Barton of Great Crossley, England. The ceremony, which took place at six o'clock, was performed by Rev. W. F. Chapman, in the presence of a large number of friends of the parties. Miss Barton was attended by Miss Teresa McPartland and William J. Mahony supported the groom. Miss Barton was the recipient of many pretty gifts.

AT BISLEY. Lt. Col. W. P. Anderson Gives His Report.

How the London Scottish Made Them-selves Practically Invisible in Advance.

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.--Lieut. Col. W. P. Anderson has handed to the government his report of the visit of the Canadian team of marksmen to Bisley. Of it the following relates particularly to Ottawa: "While at Bisley I was invited by Col. Eustace Balfour, V. C., to witness a competition for a prize offered by him, which proved so interesting and instructive that although not connected with the National Rifle meeting, I consider it well worthy of mention. The competition to which I refer took place on the Pibroch Common between teams of five men under the command of a non-commissioned officer, from the several companies of Col. Balfour's old regiment, the London Scottish. It was called an 'invisibility competition,' and the prize went to the team which succeeded in advancing about half a mile over the common with least exposure to the sight of the umpires. "The ground selected for the competition was almost level and practically bare, being covered with only the short heath common to the locality and a few scattered tufts of bushes and grass, yet the men advanced in rushes to within 100 yards of where we were stationed, and succeeded between the rushes in absolutely concealing themselves from our sight, even when aided by field glasses. "I believe that a similar competition organized at Rockcliffe would show commanding officers and the militia authorities how much can be done to instruct corps in taking cover while skirmishing, and would also test the relative value of different types of uniform to meet service conditions. The warm grey uniforms of the London Scottish seemed to melt into the absolutely unsheltered offered nothing to aim at so long as they remained motionless."

MR. WHITNEY'S SECRETARY.

Horace Wallis, of Mail and Empire Staff Receives Appointment.

TORONTO, Feb. 15.--Horace Wallis of The Mail and Empire staff, has been appointed private secretary to Hon. J. P. Whitney, Mr. Wallis joins The Mail staff nearly a quarter of a century ago, and subsequently was appointed in the early nineties Ottawa correspondent. He held that position until 1888, when he became editor of the Quebec Chronicle. Three years later Mr. Wallis rejoined The Mail and Empire as one of its editorial writers, and has filled that position ever since. He has a wide acquaintance among the public men of Canada. VISIT POSTPONED. TORONTO, Feb. 15.--Lieut. Governor Clarke announced tonight that the visit of their excellencies Lord and Lady Grey, to have taken place next week, has been postponed owing to the indisposition of Lady Grey and the illness of one of their children with measles. The postponement of their excellencies' visit caused much disappointment as great preparations and many social functions, including the Royal Canadian Yacht Club ball, had been planned for their reception.

SHORT IN HIS ACCOUNTS.

HALIFAX, Feb. 15.--An examination of the books of the Havelock Mineral Spring Co., Sydney, today revealed the fact that the secretary-treasurer of the company, Edward Curran, was short in his accounts nearly two thousand dollars. Curran is believed to have gone to the United States. He was in the employ of the company for upwards of three years and was a trusted official. He had a salary of two thousand dollars a year.

CONSERVATIVE CAUCUS Held Yesterday--Whips Appointed--Trade Figures for Past Seven Months.

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.--The first caucus of conservative members of this parliament under Mr. Borden's leadership was held this morning. Mr. Bergeron presided, and a valuable two hours was devoted to discussion of the proposed organization of party on the lines laid down by Mr. Borden as one of the conditions under which he accepted the leadership. Whips were appointed as follows: Chief whip, George Taylor; for Ontario, Mr. Lancaster of Lincoln and Mr. Ingram of East Elgin; for Quebec, Dr. Worthington of Sherbrooke and Mr. Leonard of Laval; for the maritime provinces, Mr. Ganong of Charlotte and Mr. Letourgey of Prince Edward Island; for Manitoba and the west, Dr. Roche of Marquette. The trade figures for the past seven months were given out by the customs department today. The total imports for consumption were \$147,816,422, an increase of \$5,768,902 for the same time last year. The imports for January were \$18,068,671, as against \$17,472,289 for January, 1904. The exports of domestic goods for the seven months were \$12,246,463, a decrease of over \$10,000,000 compared with the same time last year. For the month of January the decrease was \$363,147. There was a gain of \$343,381 in the exports of manufactures last month. The fisheries and animals and their produce show an increase, while lumber and agricultural products show a decrease.

CARLETON'S NEW CHURCH.

Pretty Brick Structure Will Replace Banned Church of the Assumption.

The contract for the new stone church at Carleton which is to replace the Church of the Assumption, has been given to John Flood and Edward Bards. Work will be begun on the new building in a short time. The plans for the new church were made by J. T. C. McKean. The style of architecture will be Byzantine, which is being much used for sacred edifices in European countries. The contract price of the church is \$40,000. It will be of limestone with freestone trimmings, and will occupy the site of the old church. The total length of the new building will be 146 feet, with a width of 76 feet across the transepts and 84 feet across the main building. The tower will be 113 feet in height. The main floor of the church will be 100 feet long, with a nave, two side aisles and a sanctuary. The nave will be divided from the aisles by four pillars with semi-circular arches and carved caps. Over the main entrance of the church will be a gallery for the organ and choir. There will be a large window of four bays, at the end of each transept, and over the main entrance will be a large rose window. The main entrance will be a semi-circular arch with carved moldings. The church will have seating accommodation for about 600 persons. The interior furnishings, including pews, will probably cost \$10,000 additional. No man has more trouble in finding the right kind of patrons than the man who has money to loan. There are men to whom a loan is an inviolate obligation; with whom your money would be as safe as in a bank, and return a greater rate of interest. These kind of clients are worth advertising for.

They Have No Power to Investigate Jail.

Municipal Committee Met Yesterday and Will by Roundabout Way Ask Grand Jury to Do the Job.

The committee appointed by the Municipal Council to consider the internal management of the jail and also the quality of supplies used in that institution, met yesterday afternoon and in a very short time the members found out that they had no power to act. They soon adjourned. It will be remembered that at the last meeting of the Municipal Council, held on the third Tuesday in January, Coun. Bullock made some statements regarding the management of the jail, which, in the opinion of a number of the councillors, demanded further enquiry. Coun. Bullock stated that prisoners confined in the jail were in the habit of smoking and playing cards, and that the regulations of the institution were being violated by youthful prisoners being confined with older offenders. He declared that young boys were kept with more hardened criminals instead of being placed in cells by themselves, and that at the same time there was a large part of the new wing of the jail unoccupied. During the discussion at the meeting it was pointed out that the expense of running the jail during the past year was greater than in the previous year, in spite of the fact that there were fewer persons in custody. In this connection the cost of supplies was brought up, and the whole talk resulted in a motion that a committee be appointed to investigate. The committee named consisted of Warden Macrae and Couns. White, Bullock, Christie, Lowell, Maxwell and Lee. Coun. White was chairman. At yesterday's meeting, which was held in County Secretary Vincent's office, Couns. Christie, Lowell and Maxwell were absent. Sheriff Ritchie was in attendance. It was shown in a very few moments that the committee had no power to proceed with an investigation, the sheriff, who is in control of the jail, being an appointee of the government. Sheriff Ritchie intimated his willingness for the fullest investigation into the management of the jail, in fact he desired that such should be held, but he insisted that it be undertaken by the proper parties, and he did not see that the committee appointed by the Municipal Council were the proper parties. It was his intention to request that the grand jury at the next session of the county court enquire into the management of the jail. It was decided to ask the attorney general to request the judge at the next session of the county court to ask the grand jury to enquire into the internal management and quality of supplies used in the jail. The meeting adjourned.

A GREAT STORY "Courier of the Czar," BY JULES VERNE Starting This Month in the Saint John Star.

TO KEEP DR. THOMPSON OUT OF PARLIAMENT. Looks Like Plot to Prevent Yukon Member from Taking His Seat in the House This Year--The Correspondence.

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—Some correspondence produced in parliament today with reference to the delay in the return of the conservative elected in the Yukon indicates that a plot is on foot to keep Dr. Thompson out of parliament this year. Yesterday Mr. Borden asked why, though this man had been elected in December, he had not yet been declared an MP. Today Laurier produced the following telegrams in answer to a query sent a couple of weeks ago by the government in response to a protest made by the opposition. Pierre Leduc, returning officer, wired from Dawson City under date Feb. 9: "Alfred Thompson was declared elected yesterday by a majority of 418. My report with writ will be sent in a couple of days."

On Monday the following remarkable telegram was received from the same officer: "Was served today with writ of subpoena in a case of conspiracy, ordering me to produce on March 1st the writ of election, the voters' lists, the poll books and all other election papers. Shall I obey the order of the court or not? Dr. Thompson leaving for Ottawa on the 15th."

"PIERRE LEDUC."
To this the government returned the following answer: "If there has not been any demand for a recount under section 50, Dominion Elections Act, then your duty is to return the candidates elected and conform to all requirements of section 55 of the act."

Mr. Borden again protested against a law which gave the returning officer such arbitrary powers, and demanded an explanation why Mr. Thompson had not been declared elected until two months after polling day. In answer to Mr. Martin's question, Mulock said Henry C. Lawson had been dismissed from the postmaster-ship at Stanhope, F. E. I., for acting as a political partisan during the recent election. Mr. Lawson had not been dismissed with reasons for his dismissal. Mulock refused to say who made the complaints.

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COURT SITTINGS.

Application For Incorporation of Mr. Stephen Firm.

Hon. Messrs. Labllois and Farris Are Appointed to Board of Governors of St. John Boys Industrial Home.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 15.—This week's Gazette contains the following: Hon. Messrs. Labllois and Farris are appointed members of the board of governors of the St. John Boys Industrial Home.

Notice of application for letters patent is given by E. G. Vroom, G. W. Ganong, J. D. Chipman, Charles C. Grant, F. M. Murchie and James Vroom, all of St. John, for incorporation as the "Vroom Brothers, Ltd." to carry on a general business in manufacturing and selling furniture, carpets, musical instruments, etc.; capital \$24,000 subscribed.

THE OUTLOOK FOR SOFT COAL AND COKE IN 1905.
One of the object lessons is the growing demand for soft coal and coke. Soft coal is no longer the football of the consumer; there are places—in the market east and west—where the best grades are scarce and there is a firm belief in quotations that is acceptable to the producer.

VALUABLE FACTS.
1.—The pressure of the atmosphere upon each square inch at the level of the sea is 14.7 pounds. This is usually spoken of as 15 pounds.

WINTER DREAMS.
Deep lies the snow on wood and field; Grey stretches overhead the sky; The streams, their lips of laughter sealed, In silence wander slowly by.

TIMELY ADVICE.
Canadians who are honored with the brevet rank of "LL.D." should avoid vain-glory, and pattern themselves on the simple dignity of the one scholar in Toronto who has earned more scholastic degrees and is entitled to more scholastic degrees than any other man in Canada, and still claims no other distinction than that which goes with the unadorned name of Goldwin Smith.

UNITED STATES SENATE.

Swayne Impeachment Trial Up Again.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—The Swayne impeachment trial held the attention of the senate for two hours. Everard Mead Wilson, Martin D. Merritt and Henry F. Webb, conductors on the Louisville and Nashville railroad, testified that Judge Swayne is in the habit of riding on that road on passes, but Wilson said, however, when the congressional committee was in Florida investigating the Swayne case, and Judge Swayne was travelling with them, he paid his fare.

DENIES CHARGES.
General Stoessel Says Garrison Never Amounted to 25,000.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—The correspondent at Port Said of the Standard gives an interview with General Stoessel, chief denying the charges made by the British correspondent of the Times concerning the surrender of Port Arthur and its defensive condition. General Stoessel attributed the Japanese success to great measure to the superiority of their drilling tools as compared with those of the Russians, which latter quickly deteriorated when used against hard rock.

IMMENSE CAVE FOUND.
Cavern in British Columbia Thought to Exceed the Kentucky Marvel.

A despatch from Revelstoke, British Columbia, of Feb. 12, states that a wonderful subterranean excavation, believed to rival the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, has been discovered in the Canadian Northwest, and it is believed to be the largest cave yet found in the world.

BOARD OF HEALTH WARNING.
The following notice is being sent by the board of health to all proprietors of public conveyances:

Facial Massage!
LOGAN & GIBBS, 23 1/2 Waterloo Street.

LAST MAN KILLED.

Russians Wiped Out Japanese Cavalry, Which Had Destroyed Railway Between Mukden and Harbin—Refused Quarter.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 15, 4.30 a. m.—The departure of Admiral Nebotoff's division of four battleships, one of which was the auxiliary cruiser from Lbaou yesterday to reinforce Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky's squadron in the far east is a source of gratification to the admiralty in view of the difficulties caused by the strike. The point of rendezvous with Rojstevsky is not stated, but it is understood that it is beyond the Indian Ocean, Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky being under instructions not to delay into the monsoon period the resumption of his cruise.

THE H. M. S. P. CLUB
Great Game of Push Ball, Polymorphian Club vs. Victoria A. & S. Club

ANNUAL CARNIVAL,
Friday, Feb. 17
Victoria Rink, Feb. 17

Opera House.
COMMENCING
Thursday Evening, Feb. 23rd,
Fiske Stock Co.,
BAND AND ORCHESTRA, Presenting
Grace Hamilton
AND A COMPANY OF
30-- PEOPLE -- 30
IN A LIST OF NEW PLAYS.

Queen's Rink.
PRICE vs. LOGAN,
Thursday Evening, February 16th,
220 YARDS. 440 YARDS.
1-2 MILE.
Gents, 25 cents; Ladies, 15 cents.

Facial Massage!
LOGAN & GIBBS,
23 1/2 Waterloo Street.

Facial Massage!
J. H. BURLEY,
MASON AND BUILDER,
Jobbing Promptly Attended to.
72 LEINSTER ST.
Phone 1,581

MIND-READING BY PROXY.

Perhaps the young woman to whom you gave your seat in the car the other day is the best stenographer in the city—would be worth more in your office than any other young woman in the city—could be able to intelligently do the things which have long been a burden to you, but which you have not been able to delegate to anyone else; but—

Not being a mind-reader you didn't know all this—nor that the young lady is "looking for a better situation;" and as you don't know who she is, you must look for her by proxy—through a STAR want ad.

To ONE man in this city—perhaps the man who stepped on your corn two weeks ago—that whose you want to sell is worth at least a hundred dollars more than it is worth to any other man. So that it is worth at least a hundred dollars to you to find the man and to talk business to him; but—

You are not a mind-reader, and you remember little of him except that he weighs at least two hundred pounds and wears shoes that are like iron—so that this little "hundred dollar errand" of finding him must be entrusted to a STAR want ad.

The man who has idle money enough to furnish you that needed new capital walked past your store twice yesterday; the servant who would be worth to your wife twice as much as her present one, leaves her place in the house three blocks from yours next week; the tenant who never broke a lease, and to whom your apartment would be sure to appeal strongly is now looking about for a place like it; the man who would buy that horse and carriage of yours without an hour's parley was "next" to you at your barber's yesterday; but—

You can't read minds, and you go bumping into people all the time who could be useful and helpful to you, so, if these people are worth finding you must give the job to a want advertisement, assured that

IF THEY CAN BE FOUND—A STAR WANT ADVERTISEMENT WILL FIND THEM.

Facial Massage!
J. H. BURLEY,
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Oh! Isn't it Lovely.



If you'll stand at our silk counter for a short time while these new white brocade Japanese silks are on display you will hear this remark from every customer that comes in the store.

These silks are all silk, pure white, with dainty spots and figures, 23 inches wide, good washing quality, 50cts. yard, 4 yards for a waist.

"HERCA"—An untearable taffeta silk. "Herca" is a new silk, it has all the characteristics of the finest taffeta. It has the lustre, touch and rustle, but it hasn't the bad wear. It will not cut, split, break, tear or wear into holes. A year's wear will not show a weakness in it. 22 inches wide, 75cts. yard.

As yet we have it in black only, but all colors are on the way and are due here in two weeks.

WHITE JAP SILK, 27 inches wide, 3 yards make a waist, 48cts. yard.

SHATUNG SILK, very stylish, natural shade, 27 inches wide, 63cts. yard; 36 inches wide, 75cts. yard.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.,

59 CHARLOTTE STREET.

COLORED SHIRTS FOR SPRING AND SUMMER.

We have just received the best range of shirts ever shown in the North End. Beautiful patterns, at bargain prices—48c., 58c., 68c., 78c., 88c., \$1.18 and \$1.25. Starched, soft and pleated fronts.

C. B. PIDGEON, Corner Main and Bridge Sts.

Meats, Fish, Vegetables, Etc.

Having for years catered to the trade in this section and with a carefully selected stock, I respectfully solicit your patronage. Every order will receive my personal attention.

IRA B. KEIRSTEAD, 240 Paradise Row. Phone 1670.

PRICES TALK!

Buy your dinner where you will SAVE THE PRICE FOR YOUR NEXT ONE. California Lunch Ham, 10c.; Beef Steak, 10c.; Roast Beef, from 6c. to 10c.; OTHER PRICES IN PROPORTION AT

CARPENTER'S, 131 and 133 MILL STREET.

COD, SALMON, BLOATERS, HADDOCK, HERRING, KIPPERS, HALIBUT, SMELT, CLAMS, HADDIES, SALT FISH.

RALPH E. WHITE, Cor. Wall St. and Paradise Row. Tel. 571

PROTESTANT ORPHAN ASYLUM.

DEFEAT IN U. S. WARSHIP.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—The Examiner says:

A serious defect has been found in the forward turret of the new battleship Ohio. The Ohio left here on Feb. 6 for the Santa Barbara channel, and there for the first time her big guns were fired. A return was made to this port and then it was found that the discharge of the guns had uncovered defects in the forward turret. It will require four or five weeks to put the vessel's turret in the proper condition.

TO-MORROW'S BIG CARNIVAL

TO-MORROW NIGHT'S CARNIVAL will be an event that will long be remembered by the skating enthusiasts of this city. The Haymarket Square Polymorphians always do things up in style and promise that their latest effort will surpass all others. The prizes are large and many elaborate designs are being carried out. Music will be furnished by the Victoria's own band.

F. R. PATTERSON & CO.

THE DAYLIGHT STORE.

Tooke's Shirts.

They fit every time—lots of style about them. Our new line of Stripe and Fancy Patterns are now ready for the spring trade. Best make, separate cuffs.

\$1.00 each.

Open Back and Front.

See them in our Men's store

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Streets. Store Open Evenings.

E. Clinton Brown, Druggist, Corner Union and Waterloo Sts. THE PLAZON BUILDING.

LOCAL NEWS.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

All changes of Ads Must be in Store Office Not Later than 9 o'clock in the Morning, to insure insertion Same Evening.

The young man who figured in the police court yesterday was not John MacMullin of 271 Germain street.

Miss Estella Gleason left on the street car for the conservatory at Boston.

Over half of February is gone, but there is time for a lot more winter weather before the robins nest again.

A quantity of cents can be had at the office of the Sun Printing Company.

One commercial man who visits Maine always signs his name on the hotel registers as "14." As his name is Gross the mysterious signature is not such a mystery after all.

There is a water famine in several places in Yarmouth and farmers are melting snow for their cattle supply.

The Halifax Board of Trade increased in membership in 1904 by 131 and at the end of the year had a surplus of \$72.

The president and members of the Club entertained their wives and lady friends last evening at the club house on Fokioke heights.

Dr. Berryman has decided to hold an inquest to inquire into the death of the late Ernest Jansson. He has not yet fixed the date.

Robert S. Callander and Mrs. Alex. MacMurray are desirous to thank their many friends for all their kindness and sympathy in their sad bereavement.

A concert will be given on Friday evening of this week, in the school room of St. Andrew's church, by the mission band of the church. A good programme of readings, music and a military drill will be provided.

On Wednesday of this week Representative Terriault of Presque Isle introduced in the Maine legislature a resolution appropriating \$20,000 to aid in bridging the St. John river at Van Buren.

Cecil D. Holder, the North End banjoist, has mastered the art of recording selections in the Edison phonograph. The section was started, but wonderful machines in town are possessors of solos by a local player, which reproduce quite nicely.

Alexander Section of the Temple of Honor, a juvenile organization, is giving promise of big things, at least numerically. The section was started a few days ago and already there are about fifty members. Walter Roberts, Charles Gallup and others are interesting themselves in the new work.

Portland, Maine, papers have given much space to the controversy between the city and the steamship companies as to whose duty it is to cut channels through the ice between the open water and some of the most important wharves. And all this winter ocean liners have been waiting in an out of St. John harbor as free from obstruction as if it were midsummer.

A story of fascinating interest, "A Courier of the Ozar," by Jules Verne, will start this month. Watch for it in the ST. JOHN STAR.

TO-NIGHT'S RACES.

The first of the series of three races to be skated in Queen's rink this evening between Logan and Price will be called off between the second and third bands and the final one in the vicinity of nine thirty. Logan feels confident of winning at least two of the events, and they are all sure to be closely contested. The regular band night prices of admission will apply, and tickets held by the skating enthusiasts of this city are all sure to be presented in their tickets. Hugh McCormick, the former world's champion will be seen on his skates this evening for the first time in several years.

LOVING CUP FROM BORDEN.

Hon. R. L. Borden has given another example of his whole-heartedness by conferring upon Robert Laird Borden Bisset, a baby of the city, a handsome silver loving cup. The child he never saw, but incidentally heard some months ago that the child's parents had named it after him. He made a note of the fact and as soon as he arrived at Ottawa went about to surprise the parents of the little one. Mr. Bisset has sent his hearty acknowledgments to the leader of the opposition.

TODAY'S FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Helen M. Crawford took place this morning at 10 o'clock from her grandfather's residence, 43 Riverview street. Rev. David Long conducted the service. Interment was at Fernhill.

The funeral of the late James H. Irwin took place this afternoon from his late residence, 188 Paradise row. The Rev. Dr. Wilson conducted the service. Interment was at Cedar Hill.

HOME FROM CALIFORNIA.

Fred Flewelling, formerly of North End, and who spent some time in that vicinity, will return to St. John with his family some time in April. Through his son, the Main street haberdasher, he has purchased the D. A. Morrison house on Douglas Ave., near the park. This is near to his former home, the building at present owned by Dr. J. D. Maher. Mr. Flewelling and family will be welcomed from California by their many friends.

THIS EVENING.

Musical evening at Gurney Division, No. 5, S. of T. Market Building. Lecture by Rev. G. M. Campbell in Casmarthen street Methodist church.

I. C. R. TRAINS HAVE BEEN CANCELLED.

A General Tie Up Over the Line

Halifax in the Throes of a Blizzard—Streets Blocked With Snow and all Traffic Suspended.

The express from Halifax, Campbellton and Point du Chene, due here at 5:40 p. m., is cancelled. The express from Halifax, due here at 6:40 p. m., is cancelled. The C. P. R. express for Halifax, due to leave at 12:15, is cancelled. The Halifax train, due at 6:25 a. m., arrived at 8:30. The Boston, due at 11:35 a. m., arrived at 12:25. The Montreal, due at 11:55, arrived at 1:20 p. m. The Sussex express, with three cars and two engines, arrived a few minutes late. The N. B. Southern is snowed under.

The above tells the story of the trains for today. The I. C. R. between Moncton and Halifax is blocked by another severe storm, which swept over Nova Scotia last night. Before the present storm the snow was so high on both sides of the track in the Coburg Mountain region that even the smoke stack of an engine cannot be seen. A slight wind with but little light snow fills the road up and blocks the trains.

The I. C. R. people do not expect to get any train through today. The passengers who came on the Boston and Montreal trains for the east were greatly disappointed on learning that their train had been cancelled.

The N. B. Southern thought their snow trains would meet yesterday from opposite ends of the road. They were five miles from each other last night and today the snow is drifting in as fast as they clear it out. No trains are moving as yet.

A telegram from Halifax this morning says that Halifax is in the throes of a blizzard such as they have not experienced for many years. All business is practically suspended, the electric street car is snowed under and the streets practically impassable.

CHEAP GAS.

St. John to Have the Benefit of a New System.

St. John people will soon be offered illuminating gas at the rate of \$1 per thousand feet as against \$1.85 per thousand feet, which the present company asks.

A number of St. John business men are organizing themselves into a company for the purpose of supplying oil gas to consumers. They, of course, cannot place pipes along the streets, and run from these service conduits, as to do so would be to infringe on the franchise which the present company enjoys. They have, therefore, engaged the services of the Equitable Meter Company, of Pittsburgh, Penn., which manufactures private oil-gas plants, and will get the company to supply the necessary machinery.

The object is to divide the city into sections and erect a gas-generating plant in each section. In the case of large concerns, like Manchester, Ross, and Allison, Limited, they will install a plant which will afford the best light at a minimum cost.

Representatives of the company are already in the city and have demonstrated the efficiency of the St. John men the efficiency of their gas-generating machinery. They claim to be able to manufacture the gas at 30 cents a thousand feet. This will enable the St. John company that takes up the proposition to sell the gas at a profit.

SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE.

The manager of the Seamen's Institute desires to thank the following kind friends for their donations since February last:

Mrs. Watson, Turner Howard, Mrs. W. Leonard, Mrs. W. F. Noble, Mrs. G. Horton, Mrs. G. L. Austin, Mrs. Seely, Mrs. A. D. Monroe, Mrs. G. McAvity, Mrs. R. Hunter, Mrs. C. F. Kinneer, Mrs. T. Stevens, Mrs. W. R. Marshall, Miss B. Irvine and Rev. Chas. Comben, all magazines and papers. Fernside Gard, handsome clock; Allan Lins, S. S. Co., picture of S. S. Tunisian; Canadian Pacific Railway S. S. Co., handsome picture; Donaldson Line S. S. Co., picture.

THEY HAD A GOOD TIME.

Last night Sergt. Campbell and Officer Totten arrested Edward Riley and John T. Nelson street. Both men were drunk. Two companions ran when the officers showed up and so escaped. When searched at the Water street lock-up Riley was relieved of two bottles of ale, a quart and a pint.

Ben is employed in Labatts' agency on Nelson street and as the bottles found in Riley's pocket had Labatts' label on them the officers are of the opinion that the quartette had been having a blow-out in the store.

Both men were before the court this morning but were remanded.

SEND SNOWSHOES TO BOSTON.

The Boston Evening Record of the 11th instant in an article referring to the winter sport of snowshoeing there says:

"The best shoes come from Fredericton, N. B., and are made by the Indians, who spend months working on them. The largest shipments come from Quebec and sections of New Brunswick, also from New York state."

LOSSES BY THE RECENT FIRE.

The damage done to the building owned by the Peters estate has been fixed at \$5,000. The insurance is held by the Norwich Union. This morning the adjustors finished their appraisal of E. U. Abbott's furniture that was stored in the building with the result that it was declared a total loss. Mr. Abbott had \$300 insurance, \$125 in the Queen and \$175 in the Western Assurance Co.

The adjustors will go to work on Meers. Turf's stock tomorrow.

PERSONALS.

George S. Polly and John J. Bradley of St. John, spent Sunday in Pugwash, the guest of P. A. Woodlock.

H. P. Robinson, of Sussex, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Esie O. White, of this city, has passed her examinations at the Worcester City Hospital and has received her diploma.

John Vaughan, the King street shoe dealer, is ill at his home in Leinster street.

A. H. Chipman left last evening for a business trip to West Virginia. Capt. Cory, of the Dublin Fusiliers, has left Toronto for Boston to sail in the Saxonia for Ireland, where his regiment is stationed.

Messrs. Alex. Laird, assistant general manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and W. C. Brown, inspector, Toronto, were in town Tuesday and returned to Montreal. While here they paid a visit to the bank's new building in King street.

Fred Green returned from St. Stephen yesterday.

Rev. J. A. Richardson came home yesterday from Woodstock.

H. E. Sturdee, of St. John, is among the guests at the Queen—Fredericton Hotel.

Major W. C. Good and bride, of Woodstock, arrived in the city last night on their wedding tour and are at the Duferin.

I. C. Stewart, of the Maritime Merchant, Halifax, is registered at the Royal.

T. J. Durick left last evening on a business trip to Dalhousie.

Geo. A. Knodell is confined to the house through illness, but hopes to be out in a few days.

Miss Olive Harvey leaves tomorrow for St. John, N. B., where she will visit Mrs. George Coster—Ottawa Citizen.

Miss Domville of New Brunswick, is visiting the Misses Leclair in Montreal.

John Campbell, I. C. R. engineman of Campbellton, N. B., accompanied by his wife and daughter, are in town. They were called here by the death of Mr. Cameron's sister, Miss Bessie Cameron—Sunny Record.

Miss Leslie Smith of St. John, N. B., is visiting Mrs. Sheraton of Wycliffe College.

\$5.00.

Teeth Extracted Without Pain, 15c.

We make the best \$5.00 gold crown in this city.

Gold filling from \$1.00; Silver and other filling from 50c.; plates repaired, from 50c.

Boston Dental Parlors, 527 Main Street, DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor.

Office Hours—9 a. m. until 9 p. m. Telephone—Office, 683; Residence, 735.

SHIRT SALE!

Soft Front Shirts for Men, only 48c.

Silk Front Shirts for Men, only 68c.

Regatta Shirts only 65c.

WILCOX BROS

Market Sq. and Dock St.

Rubber Talk.

I have succeeded in purchasing a small quantity (37 cases) of rubber goods of this winter's make at a bargain. While they last the prices will be as follows:

Men's Light Weight Rubber Boots for \$3.25 worth \$4.00
Men's Jersey Overshoes, for 1.50 worth 1.90
Men's Best Quality Rubbers 75c. worth 1.00
Boys' Rubbers, size 3, 4, and 5 60c. worth 70c.
Youths' Rubbers, size 11, 12, and 13 50c. worth 60c.
Women's Rubbers, all sizes 50c. worth 60c.
Women's Rubber Boots, all sizes \$2.00 worth \$2.50
Child's Rubbers, 3 to 10 35c. worth 45c.
Child's Rubbers, 6 to 10 30c. worth 40c.

In addition to these my regular stock of rubber footwear is complete.

Most of the above will be on sale at the Brussels street store.

Reverdy Steeves,

44 Brussels St. and 457 Main St.

Potatoes. Fish.

Snowflakes, \$2.15 per bbl. Salt Herring, 23c. per doz.
Beauty of Hebron, Early Rose, Red Bloaters, 24c. per doz.
Rocks and Delaware, \$1.65 per bbl. Kip Herring, 20c. per doz.
Digby Chickens, 10c. per box.

GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS.

R. H. COTHER, 24 Waterloo Street. Telephone 1194. Prompt Delivery.

THE GOOD KIND, To Beat The Band

BOYS DO WEAR OUT SHOES TO BEAT THE BAND, and it seems hard to find a kind that will look decent, hold together, and that don't cost too much. We believe we have solved the problem and now say to you that WE HAVE THE RIGHT KIND, and they are the best shoes to be had anywhere for the price. They wear so long that you get tired of seeing them. BOYS' CALF LACE SHOES AT \$2.00. They have extension soles—and are made by hand-sewed process. BOYS' ENAMEL LEATHER SHOES, \$2.00, extension sole, all sizes. Don't get discouraged trying to keep the boy in shoes until you try a pair of ours.

D. MONAHAN, 162 Union St

ADVERTISE IN THE STAR.

QUIET FEBRUARY MADE BUSY WITH Stirring Price-Reductions ON GOODS WE ALL REQUIRE.

Brand New Regatta Shirts, for men, are the Furnishings Sale feature until next Wednesday. Only 90c. All spring patterns.

A Fine Lot of Umbrellas, commencing at 65c. is another sale offering for this week. No unsaleable goods, but reliable stock.

Clothing for Men and Boys at quotations much below the standard is attracting many mothers, fathers and children.

Linen Sale Odds and Ends are being cleared out. Towels, Napkins, Remnants, etc. Prices reduced to a minimum. Call early.

Bargain Tapestry Squares are being shown in the Carpet Department. Sizes from 9x9 up. Prices start at \$5.50.

A Repeat Order of Golfers is to hand, so those who have been asking for these jackets can have them. Three colors, \$2.

Our New Walking Skirts present a very stylish appearance. All the fashionable colors and cloths. From \$2.35 up.

Don't Forget the Cushion Tops which are on special sale in the Art Dept. Over 200 patterns. From 25c. up. (Samples.)

ALL ON SALE TOMORROW AND SATURDAY.

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