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MYSTERIOUS MURDER SENSATION IN LYNN

Body of Wealthy Shoe Manufacturer Found On Road Embankment

BADLY LACERATED

Police at a Loss to Find Motive of Shooting - Believe Crime Was Committed While Victim Was Riding in Automobile.

Lynn, Mass., April 12.—George E. Marsh, the wealthy president of the George E. Marsh Soap Manufacturing Company, whose body, lacerated by five steel pointed bullets was found lying on the rocky embankment of the Point of Pines boulevard today, was murdered while riding in an automobile, according to the theory adopted by the police tonight. Beyond the expression of that belief Chief of Police Thomas M. Burckes had little to say regarding the investigation. He admitted that the mystery presents many baffling features and that there is little if any prospect of an immediate arrest.

Mr. Marsh was 71 years old and in feeble health. He is known to have been in the business section of the city yesterday afternoon and was seen to board an electric car bound towards his home. The police say that he was lacerated from the chest at the corner of Essex and Chatham streets, in the vicinity of his residence and that he was last seen, so far as is known, on Chatham street about 5:30 p. m. Chief Burckes is of the opinion that when the pistol shots were fired in some kind of a vehicle, supposedly an automobile, and that the tragedy occurred between 9 and 10 o'clock last night. After the shooting the body was taken in an automobile, it is believed, to Sea street extension, which is the state highway between Lynn and Revere and was thrown over the fence landing where it was found this morning.

All theories as to the motive of the crime have failed to develop satisfactorily. A sum of money and a gold watch were found on the body indicating that robbery was not the motive. Mr. Marsh is not known to have had any enemies. He had not owned an automobile or a horse and buggy for several years. Mr. Marsh lived with his sister, Miss Hannah Marsh and two servants. He was twice married but his two wives are dead. His son, James M., and the latter's wife have been staying in California for the last two months and it is understood that Mr. Marsh was making preparations to join them there.

OPPOSING TICKETS IN THE CHATHAM TOWN COUNCIL ELECTION

Two Organizations Fighting for Votes - Nomination Day Proceedings Pass Off Quietly - Rush to Pay Taxes.

Special to The Standard. Chatham, April 12.—Nomination for the Chatham town council took place today and proceedings passed off quietly. Two full tickets are in the field, and the election is likely to be very keenly contested. Taxes may be paid up to midnight tonight, and now that the contest is sure dozens of dollars are being paid in to secure the right to vote.

The majority of the old council, headed by Mayor Byrne, together with three new candidates form one ticket while Ald. Cassidy now opposes Mayor Byrne for the mayoralty and Ald. Williams and Ald. Benson have joined themselves to the new ticket which was formed today. The Byrne ticket is as follows:—For mayor, Dr. Byrne; for aldermen, Ald. Carroll, Ald. Hays, Ald. Kerr, Ald. McLennan, Ald. Stewart and P. M. Tweedie, M. Morris and John A. Bondeson. The new ticket is:—For mayor, Ald. Cassidy; for aldermen, R. A. Snowball, Ald. Williams, Ald. Benson, T. E. Young, W. A. Grant, S. P. Hickey, John B. Ryan, E. B. Walsh.

A BROTHER AND SISTER WEDDED THEN DIVORCED

Disclosure of Blood Relationship Occasioned the Annulment.

Grew Up Together Believing Girl was Adopted, After Marriage the True Facts Came to Light.

Cincinnati, O., April 12.—A strange story which resulted in John P. Ruch, Jr., aged 22 years, being divorced from his half sister, Helen Hoffman Ruch, 24, was related in the matrimonial court here today. The brother and sister were married October 25, 1910, neither at the time knowing of the blood relationship between them. The discovery of the relationship was disclosed a few weeks ago and the action for a divorce followed.

It was explained to the court that the mistake had been possible because of the fact that the mother, for a private reason, had hidden from the children the fact that they were brother and sister, allowing them to believe that the girl was only an adopted child. The petition for divorce filed by the husband was upon the formal ground of neglect. The divorce was granted upon that ground for the purpose of protecting the young couple, so far as possible, in the record. The father and mother of the young couple were not in court when the hearing was held.

The relationship of the Ruch was first discovered by Judge William Lueders, of the Probate Court, a few weeks ago in the presence of their mother, Mrs. John P. Ruch.

Neighbors of the Ruch family informed Judge Lueders that they believed the "couple were half-brother and half-sister. He learned after investigation that the two had grown up together under the belief that the girl was only an adopted daughter of Mr. Ruch.

The youngest of their children is only a few weeks old.

GASKIN SOLD RAILWAY JUNK

Investigation Brings New Light to Bear on Charges Against Forman of I. C. R. Electrical Department.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, April 12.—S. L. Shannon, controller and treasurer of the Intercolonial was the principal witness in the investigation today of charges against John W. Gaskin, foreman of the electrical department at the Moncton shops. Mr. Shannon testified that Gaskin had been suspended in 1908 as a result of an investigation into the sale of railway junk.

Over three thousand dollars worth of scrap copper, brass and zinc had been sold to the Maritime Metal Company of St. John in the name of Harry Gaskin, but railway authorities learned that John W. Gaskin was the real shipper and that the metal company had paid for a larger quantity than had been accounted for to the railway. As a consequence a demand was made upon John W. Gaskin for \$200, which he refused to pay.

Finally in November a few weeks after the general election in 1908, the amount of the claim against Gaskin was paid by E. B. Ryan, who formerly represented Albert county in the New Brunswick legislature. Witness did not know what interest Ryan had in the matter, or why he settled the claim against Gaskin. The enquiry will be continued tomorrow.

ATWOOD PLANS FLIGHT BOSTON TO ST. JOHN

Boston, Mass., April 12.—Harry Atwood, the aviator, hopes to persuade the navy department to send a scout cruiser or torpedo boat to accompany him on his proposed 1900 mile flight across the Atlantic ocean next summer. He was in Washington Wednesday to place his request before President Taft, Rear Admiral Peary, and Secretary of the Navy Meyer. Atwood proposed to fly from Boston to St. John, N. B., and thence across the ocean to British guil.

RECKLESS MISMANAGEMENT UNDER FLEMING

Hon. Dr. Landry and Premier Fleming Shatter Arguments of Opposition and Compare Achievements of Past and Present Administration

Prove Conclusively in Able Speeches That Methodical Conduct of Affairs Has Accomplished Unparalleled Results—Ordinary Expenditures Charged to Permanent Account Under Old Regime—Labillois Makes No Effort to Refute Statements of Commissioner of Agriculture.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, April 12.—The session of the House today was characterized by two of the most eloquent and forcible addresses that have ever been delivered in the assembly chamber, when Hon. Dr. Landry and Premier Fleming were heard on the budget debate. Both addresses were masterly ones, and showed conclusively the magnificent results from the active policies under the present regime, marked contrast to the deplorable conditions prevalent under the old government.

Hon. Dr. Landry resumed the debate this afternoon, and in forceful manner showed up the inconsistencies of the old government. Time after time he pointed out the fact that they were contradicting his charges that money was recklessly wasted on bridges, and that the ordinary bridge expenditures were charged to the permanent account, but the ex-chief commissioner and his colleagues remained dumb as oysters. This evening the Commissioner for Agriculture answered the contentions of the opposition that the agricultural department was being recklessly managed, and presented positive proof to show that methodical management was being achieved. Altogether his speech was an admirable one, and was a death blow to the policy of Mr. Cope and his followers.

Hon. Mr. Fleming followed Dr. Landry and delivered one of the ablest speeches of his political career, and that is saying a great deal indeed. With striking eloquence the Premier proved beyond the shadow of a doubt that his government was giving the province honest and progressive administration. He showed up the ludicrous position of the opposition, and his own friends that they endeavored to take issue with him only to be shown by the clear and lucid statements of the Premier.

No more remarkable scene has been witnessed in the House than the display of temper by the members of St. John city and county who entirely lost their heads in endeavoring to answer the Premier's charges, but all attempts of the opposition to bring the Premier's position were unavailing. Premier Fleming certainly had Mr. Bentley's goat and the members of the opposition side were forced into laughing at the deep water that the member for St. John had gotten himself into. Mr. Bentley had more serious charges against the Bay Shore Lumber Company which had been totally disproved. The political speeches of a few weeks ago (Mr. Byrne) was also hauled with out gloves by the Premier.

Altogether today's proceedings were a complete triumph for the government and placed the small opposition coterie in the most unenviable light. Premier Fleming honestly toyed with the opposition members and he doubt they will in future appreciate his great strength and will not endeavor to contradict assertions, the substance of which they cannot be questioned. The House met at 3 o'clock.

Hon. Dr. Landry presented the report on horticulture for 1911. Mr. Upham gave notice of inquiry regarding the bridges in Carleton county.

Mr. Cyr presented a petition in favor of the bill relating to the town of Edmundston.

Hon. Mr. Grimmer introduced a bill to amend the county courts act, 1908. He explained that the bill proposed to change the date of sitting of the county court in Charlotte, Carleton, Victoria and Madawaska counties.

Mr. Burgess presented a petition in favor of a bill relating to the town of Grand Falls.

Hon. Mr. Grimmer introduced a bill for the protection of hospitals and to legalize certain proceedings of the Albert county council.

Hon. Dr. Landry on the order of the day being called, resumed the budget debate. He said that in the congratulatory address that had been extended to the mover and second of the address, the mover and second in which they had discharged a very difficult and arduous task. They had given expression to the sentiments of loyalty and patriotism to which members on both sides could give assent. It was a happy moment for every citizen of New Brunswick to see the respect of nationality or religion when their Majesties had returned from their perilous voyage to India. He might also refer to the appointment of the new lieutenant governor and he felt that his reputation for honesty was unimpaired, and presented him to this House.

He was somewhat surprised at the attitude of the members of the opposition when he stated that, one after another, down their own party. He had heard the leader of the opposition say he was not responsible for acts of the old administration, while his hon. friend from St. John had given expression to the same sentiments. Why and his hon. friends disown their party? Was it not because they were ashamed of the past? Had they not opened the gate so that such scandalous conditions as had been revealed by his hon. friend, the chief commissioner, last night might prevail? They must endeavor to put up a kind of defence so far as their management of the Central Railway was concerned, but the people of the province irrespective of party were unanimous in condemning the transaction of the Central Railway. Again the hon. gentlemen know what took place from 1900 to 1907 when hundreds of thousands of dollars were expended without vouchers. Pace after pace of the auditor general's reports for these years might be perused and it was shown that there were no vouchers for the permanent bridge expenditures. The hon. gentlemen were told in this House by the leader of the opposition, the ex-chiefs and other hon. gentlemen opposite that the debt was increasing in an enormous way. The old administration had left a horde of hungry children at the doors. Some were legitimate and others were not so from a provincial standpoint. When one looked at the great increase of the debt to the extent of \$25,781 for expenditure prior to Nov. 1, 1907, so that this administration had inherited a debt of \$25,781, the over-expenditures of the old government, he would find one of the children that had been left on our doorstep. Another of their expensive children was the New Brunswick Coal and Railway, upon which they had placed a valuation greater than the amount which the coal and railway government came into power they placed a proper valuation upon the property, and the amount of \$115,568. Another child of theirs which this government had to provide for in 1908 was the permanent bridge expenditure of \$172,591. There was the International Railway subsidy and the New Brunswick Coal and Railway, \$28,180, and on wharves and grain elevators, \$2,500, to which might be added the shortage of the late Deputy Surveyor General of \$13,388. Here was a total of \$494,016 which was added to the debt in 1908, every dollar of which the old government were responsible for.

As against that there were sinking funds of some other revenues of \$85,138, or a net increase of \$408,877. Turning to the year 1909 a similar condition of affairs was found. The total expenditure on permanent bridges that year the old government was responsible for \$170,422. The International Railway subsidy and \$75,000 New Brunswick Coal and Railway repairs \$26,583, uncollected stampage notes \$3,531, and other smaller items, making a total increase of \$276,750. That year \$26,583 was credited to the New Brunswick Coal and Railway as an asset. The sinking fund investment, total \$30,326 and other smaller credits brought the total up to \$75,250, or a net increase of \$190,491, and for all of which the old government was responsible with the exception of \$15,873 for permanent bridge expenditure chargeable to the present government.

A similar analysis of the net increase of the debt in 1910 of \$85,238 was responsible for far the greater part of such increase. \$90,551 was spent on permanent bridges due to their legislation, and the International Railway subsidy took \$43,700. Coming down to the last years the net increase in the debt was \$246,260, of which \$12,641 on permanent was of their legislation. The subsidy to the International Railway of \$56,300, New Brunswick Coal and Railway capital account, \$102,763, wharves and grain elevator \$2,500 and claims new in which they had discharged \$15,350 were all chargeable transactions of the old administration and should be deducted from the amount added to the debt of last year, if a fair comparison is desired to be made of the amount by which the net administration had increased the debt.

The leader of the opposition had presented to the House a astounding array of figures. He was a very clever man, and could get out the accounts almost anything he desired to find, but he questioned if this

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RECOGNIZED NESBITT IN RESTAURANT

Waiter Claims Credit for Arrest of Former Toronto Banker.

Police Searching for Woman Said to Have Accompanied Accused Man to Meals - Held Awaiting Extradition.

Chicago, April 12.—Late in the afternoon Dr. Nesbitt, the former Toronto banker, arrested here today in connection with the Farmer's Bank case, was taken before United States Commissioner Foote, his case was continued to April 26, and he was ordered held without bail pending the arrival of the necessary papers from Canada to warrant his extradition. Nesbitt's attorney conferred with him in the office of the United States Marshall, while he was waiting to be taken to the county jail.

A waiter took the credit for the arrest of Dr. Nesbitt. Joseph Sadece, employed in a restaurant at No. 540 East Sixty-third street, declares he recognized the physician-banker when he came there to eat and then notified the police of Toronto.

During the day the police searched the city for a pretty blonde woman with whom the banker had been in the habit of taking his meals. Sadece told the physician was arrested was also

"I knew Nesbitt in Toronto where I worked as a waiter at the Albany Club for four years," said Sadece in telling of his part in the capture. "I used to get his Scotch and soda for his daily. In those days he did not wear a beard."

"Two weeks ago I was in the restaurant which my brother keeps, when I saw him. I knew him at once in spite of his beard. He came in again several times and I was positive. Then I wrote to the police in Toronto."

OLIVE OIL MUST BE OLIVE OIL IN CANADA AFTER THIS

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, April 12.—Olive oil that has no olive oil in it is the subject of an order in council just passed fixing the standard of quality of edible vegetable oils under the Adulteration Act. Olive oil is declared to be entirely a product of the olive tree, and cotton seed oil "is the oil obtained from the seeds of cotton plants," etc. The order-in-council states that either of the above may be sold as salad oil, but when cottonseed oil is offered as salad oil, the fact that it is not cottonseed oil must be declared on the label. Mixtures of cottonseed oil with olive oil must be so declared on the label.

WANT DESIGN FOR EDWARD MEMORIAL

Ottawa, April 12.—The government is asking for competitive sculptural designs for the King Edward memorial to be erected in Ottawa. The competition being thrown open to artists who are British subjects the world over. The memorial is to cost \$35,000. Designs are required to be in the hands of the curator of the Victoria Memorial Museum by Oct. 1. The author of the best design will be given the commission for the work and the author of the second best, a bonus of \$1000.

CANADIAN FARMS NOT AS FRUITFUL AS THEY MIGHT BE

Ottawa, April 12.—The conservation commission has selected six farms in different parts of Canada for the purpose of giving lessons in up-to-date farming. The commission is in possession of maps indicating that Canadian farms are not as fruitful as they might be, and it is intended to engage in illustrative farming to demonstrate just what can be done.

The commission has collected reports showing that Canada's water-powers are now being utilized up to 400 million horsepower, with Ontario considerably in the lead. Further statistical details are being obtained.

AMERICAN FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE DEAD

OBJECT TO FEEDING BY FORCE

Suffragettes Will Mark Indignation by Demonstration Today.

London, April 12.—By resorting to a hunger strike and impairing their health to such an extent that the jail officials feared fatal consequences, Dr. Frances Ede and four other suffragettes, who recently were sentenced to imprisonment for window smashing, obtained their release from Aylesbury jail today before their term had expired.

Dr. Ede says that 25 of 28 suffragettes imprisoned in the Aylesbury jail started the hunger strike April 5, and that it was not discovered by the jail officials until April 9, when a system of forcibly feeding the women was instituted. "Far more terrible than my personal sufferings," said Dr. Ede, "was hearing the agonizing cries from other cells as the prisoners in turn were subjected to the painful treatment."

A demonstration will be held in Hyde Park tomorrow to protest against the forcible feeding of the suffragettes.

COMMITTEE IS STILL AT WORK

Philadelphia, April 12.—The sub-committee of miners and operators which is endeavoring to agree upon a new working arrangement between the anthracite mine workers and coal companies, held two long sessions today and when it adjourned to meet tomorrow morning, the committee reported that good progress had been made. Nothing occurred at the meeting today to indicate that a peaceful and early settlement will not be reached. The committee gave out nothing officially and will not have anything to say until a report is made to the full committee of miners and operators.

Today's discussion, it was learned, had largely to do with the demand for an 8 hour day for all men in and about the mines, the wage question, some of the phases of the demand for recognition of the union and modifications of the methods of the conciliation board. Good feeling prevailed throughout the sessions.

WILL IMPROVE THE WATER SYSTEM IN TOWN OF WINDSOR

Ratepayers Empower Council to Raise \$32,000 for Purpose - Grant to Rebuild Apple Evaporator.

Special to The Standard. Windsor, April 12.—At a large and representative meeting of the ratepayers of this town held last evening, presided over by Mayor Sangster, a resolution was passed empowering the town council to borrow \$32,000 for improving the town water and sewerage systems. City Engineer Doane was present and gave all the information desired by the citizens. It is proposed to erect a new dam and improve the pipe at a cost of \$12,000 and to spend \$20,000 on improving the sewerage.

CANADA WILL GET WHEAT TRADE OF UNITED STATES

Chicago, Ill., April 13.—Proposed preferential duties between Canada and the British West Indies on flour, caused the board of directors of the millers' national federation in session here today to appoint a committee which will make an appeal to the state department at Washington to take action seeking to prevent the approval of the agreement.

A. L. Goetzmann, secretary of the federation, read a report setting forth that the preferential duty would materially decrease the export sales of United States flour in the West Indies.

MEXICANS CARRY ARMS PURCHASED IN UNITED STATES

Washington, April 12.—President Madero is arming his navy as well as his army with munitions of war purchased in the United States under exception to the proclamation forbidding the exportation of war material to Mexico. President Taft today authorized the Mexican government to export from this country a large box of miscellaneous fittings for the guns of his ships. The president also permitted the exportation of 2,000 boxes of dynamite for industrial concerns.

VETERANS WILL RECEIVE AWARD

Ottawa, April 12.—The cabinet has passed an order in council releasing the money appropriated as a reward to the veterans of 1867-70. They will now be entitled to \$100 each on making proof of service.

Miss Clara Barton Dies at Age of Ninety Years.

ILL FOR SOME TIME

Washington, D. C., April 13.—Miss Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross Society, died at her home in Glen Echo, Monday, at 9 o'clock. The cause of her death was chronic pneumonia with which she was stricken about a year ago. Her brother, Stephen Barton, of Boston, was with her when she died.

Miss Barton had been confined to her home, "Red Cross" at Glen Echo, since last fall, when she returned from a visit to New England. It was thought her trip was beneficial but soon afterward she was taken seriously ill.

She celebrated her 90th birthday anniversary Dec. 25, and received many messages of congratulations from all parts of the world.

Clara Barton might properly be called the Florence Nightingale of America. Like her British prototype her works of mercy were not confined to her native land, but were carried even into the eastern hemisphere.

She will be written down in history as the founder of the Red Cross in America, but was powerful personality also made an indelible impression upon the international organization itself through her active participation in the periodical conferences.

Miss Barton was forty years of age when she first turned her attention to the great work of humanity, which has made her name famous. Her experience as a school teacher and the organizer of public school systems in New Jersey taught her methodical habits and gave her the experience and power of personality which made her a commanding figure in the direction of Red Cross affairs.

That organization was established in America in 1881 and Miss Barton was its president from that date until 1904.

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City of Mexico, April 12.—From the tropical to the frigid zone in 120 minutes! This will soon be made possible in Mexico.

As a preliminary step the syndicate has purchased the volcano the consideration being \$5,000,000 gold. Several years ago Gen. Sanchez Ochoa, who owned the volcano, sold it to a syndicate of American heads of the contract, the property reverted to Gen. Ochoa.

In order to make the property available for the purposes for which it is intended, the new owners will construct an electric railway line up the mountain to the very rim of the crater.

The building of this line alone will be a great feat. Preliminary surveys have been made and the reports of the engineers to Dr. Pearson show that it is feasible, although it will cost an enormous sum.

Hotel on the Summit. This railroad will make it possible to change from a temperature of 60 degrees to one of 10 to 20 degrees below zero in the space of 120 minutes.

While much importance is attached to the electric railway as a commercial proposition, the purchase of Popocatepetl is the mining of sulphur. It is claimed that this sulphur deposit is the largest in the world.

The sulphur of Popocatepetl's crater was first mined by the Spaniards under Cortez 400 years ago. In his campaign against the Aztecs he ran short of powder and several of his men were sent to the summit of the mountain to procure sulphur.

The most primitive method of extracting this mineral substance are in operation. Peas are raised to the rim of the crater by ropes and then transported down the mountain on the backs of men.

It is estimated by experts that at that time there was approximately 148,000,000 tons of sulphur in the crater. The sulphur deposit extends to a depth of about 700 feet—more than enough to supply the whole world.

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THE STOCK MARKETS--FINANCIAL NEWS--ST. JOHN

How the Great Strike of Coal Miners in Great Britain Is Benefiting Hewson Pure Wool Textiles, Limited.

At first glance this would seem altogether unlikely; however, it is a fact that this much to be regretted strike is proving of considerable benefit to this well-known Amherst industry. It is another instance of "ill blown the wind that profiteth nobody." It comes about in this way:

Owing to the shortage of coal all mills which manufacture tweeds and worsteds in the Old Country are closed down. This means that Canadian clothing manufacturers and wholesalers who import British cloths will receive their supply late. Now, in order to overcome this inconvenience, they are ordering Canadian made cloths in much larger quantities than usual, and owing to the comparatively small

number of such mills in Canada, and the favorable regard in which the lines of the Hewson Pure Wool Textiles are held, these mills are receiving a large share of such business. While this business cannot be expected to so large an extent in future years, still it affords the Company an opportunity of showing just what it can do, and will add a still further impetus to the very largely increasing volume of sales being experienced.

Investors can participate in the prosperity of this company by purchasing the 7 p. c. Preferred Stock with a substantial bonus of Common Stock, offered for sale by F. B. McCurdy & Co., 105 Prince William St., St. John, N. B.

CURRENT PRICES OF NEW YORK MARKET

By direct private wire to J. C. Mackintosh and Co.

	Previous	High	Low	Close
Am Cop.	81 1/2	82	80 1/2	80 1/2
Am Bet Sug.	64 1/2	64 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Am C and F.	60 1/2	60 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
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REAL ESTATE THE BEST INVESTMENT IN CANADA

Citizens' Candidates' Thanks!



To the Electors:—

We, the members of the Citizens' Ticket, feel deeply thankful for the magnificent support accorded us in the primary election on Tuesday last.

We now respectfully ask you to support our whole ticket in the final election on the 23rd inst., believing, as we have claimed many times, that this is the best way to make the Civic Government by Commission a success.

Sincerely yours,

H. B. SCHOFIELD.
M. E. AGAR.
C. B. ALLAN.
W. W. ALLINGHAM.

TO THE ELECTORS OF ST. JOHN

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Permit me to extend to you my sincere thanks for the magnificent support tendered me by you in the primary contest. May I respectfully solicit the continuance of this support in the final contest on Tuesday, April 23rd.

Thanking you in anticipation,

Yours sincerely,

T. H. BULLOCK.

A VOTE FOR WIGMORE IS A VOTE FOR GOOD GOVERNMENT

The very flattering vote which I received in the preliminary elections for commissioner is evidence that the independent citizens of St. John will not turn down a man who has given honest capable service at City Hall for any so-called "Citizens' Ticket." If the friends who supported me on Tuesday last will continue their support on April 23rd, they will have the satisfaction of knowing that they have helped to place in City Hall a man who will do his duty to the whole city and every citizen irrespective of organizations or cliques. IT WILL NOT BE NECESSARY TO HAVE A BOARD OF TRADE MEMBERSHIP CARD TO GET A SQUARE DEAL AT CITY HALL WHEN I AM A COMMISSIONER.

RUPERT W. WIGMORE

ELECTORS OF ST. JOHN

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I tender to you my sincere thanks for the generous support given me in the primary election, and trust that I may continue to merit your support in the final election of April 23rd.

H. R. McLellan

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REACTION AGAIN DOMINANT NOTE

New York, April 12.—The forces of reaction were again conspicuous in today's operations on the stock exchange. Prices yielded from one to over two points in almost all the active issues, and for many of these the lowest prices of the week were registered. Politics as suggested by tomorrow's primaries in Pennsylvania and labor unrest as demonstrated in the decisive "strike" vote of the Locomotive Engineers were among the potent influences of the day. To these were added the severe criticisms directed against the United States Steel Corporation and the same corporation by the Stanley committee. To counteract these discouraging conditions there were such developments as a further rise in prices of certain steel and iron finished products, impending large orders for steel rails and other equipment, and sales of copper metal at a fraction above 16 cents. Respecting the technical position of the stock market, surface conditions earlier in the week pointed to the prospects of a setback, if for no other reason than that speculation had gone from the more standard stocks into those which derived much of their impetus from the operations of pools. It was evident, also, that there had been very extensive liquidation for profits, and that manipulations made caution advisable, if not necessary.

The opening here was irregular with another spectacular rise in Canadian Pacific, its 2 point advance being in response to a similar gain in London. New York Central was another active and strong stock in the initial dealings, as were also American Can Common and Preferred. These were more than offset, however, by pressure against steel and Union Pacific, which continue to hold their places as market barometers. The movement throughout the early session was uncertain and not until after midday did the selling make more than a slight impression.

In the meantime New York Central had risen to its best price of the present movement, while Can Common established its very best quotation, with considerable accumulation of the Preferred. In the last hour after another spasm of sporadic advances and declines, the market went to its lowest level, with the selling of steel and Union Pacific. The heaviness of the Harrimans' was accompanied by reports of new financing which were later officially denied. The closing was weak with little support at concessions. Out of a total of approximately \$50,000,000, steel supplied almost 25 per cent., with Reading and Union Pacific the next most active stocks. There was more demand for call money, which again loaned at 4 per cent., although the bulk of the offerings was made at lower rates.

Forecasts of the week's cash movements indicate a gain by local banks of \$4,000,000 to \$5,000,000 which would seem to neutralize the outflow of the early week. The rates were easier. London bought and sold upwards of 20,000 shares here, with a small balance of sales, chiefly Union Pacific Amalgamated, Copper and Steel. There was a better tone for money in London with a resultant stiffening of discounts. Domestic bank clearings gained over 9 per cent. over the corresponding week of last year, but were practically the same as in the same week of 1910. The gains are due chiefly to operations of local financial institutions in connection with stock market activity.

Movements in the bond market were mixed, some of the prominent issues declining in sympathy with stocks. Total sales, par value, \$2,412,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

PRIZES OF GOLD IN DIARY CONTEST

Awards Amounting to Over \$200 Sent Out for the Best Diaries Kept in Dr. Chase's Almanac.

From the Pacific Coast in the far west to Newfoundland on the east, almanacs have been sent in for entry in this competition. The work of reading over these stacks of almanacs has been enormous, and now thousands of people are watching for this announcement, each one hoping that he may be successful in winning a prize.

Some are necessarily doomed to disappointment this year, but may profit by experience and get in the winning row near the top next time. One thing sure the time taken in keeping a diary is not wasted, for the year's record of events often proves worth its weight in gold for future reference.

The task of selecting the best diaries and awarding the prizes was entrusted to a committee of prominent newspaper men, composed of Mr. Fred Diver of the Central Postal Agency, Mr. Geo. E. Scroggie of The Mail and Empire, and Mr. Somerville of The World, and the following awards have been made:—

- \$50.00 in gold—Miss Edith M. Russell, Dartmouth, N. S.
- \$25.00 in gold—Miss Sarah J. Berry, 623 Water-look street, London, Ont.
- \$25.00 in gold—Mrs. Alex. Mills, Ormstown, Que.
- \$25.00 in gold—Mr. H. P. Stokes, Tilson, Man.
- \$15.00 in gold—Mrs. M. H. Pearce, Fort Essington, B. C.
- \$10.00 in gold—Mr. Robert Seales, Woodstock.
- \$10.00 in gold—

CARD OF THANKS

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Please accept my thanks for your splendid support in the preliminary contest, and trusting to receive your further support on April the 23rd, along with others who may be relieved from promises.

I am, yours respectfully,

F. L. POTTS

OUR JUDGMENT SUSTAINED

BY NORTON GRIFFITHS

We told you when we put Bay View lots on the market, that we selected this situation at Courtenay Bay on account of its close proximity to the Dry Dock and Ship Repair Plant, costing \$5,000,000. The government plans have arrived at Mayor Frink's office and show the Dry Dock situated as we told you, just in front of our property. Again the Norton Griffiths Co. have purchased the Thomas Dean property adjoining Bay View on the one side and the Peter Dean property adjoining it on the other side. Could you ask for any better endorsement of Bay View lots?

They will be right in the midst of all the activity as soon as construction work starts.

All other Courtenay Bay lots have recently advanced in price. We are still selling ours from \$150 per lot and up. Easiest possible payments, 10% down and balance divided in 23 equal monthly instalments.

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Our Sub-Agents, Lockhart & Ritchie, 114 Prince Wm. St., will keep their offices open every night this week for the convenience of buyers.

Sub-Agents: W. G. Jones, Moncton, N. B.; Peter M. Shannon, Campbellton, N. B.; F. G. Rainnie, Sackville, N. B.; A. D. McKinnon, Chatham, N. B.; William Balmain, Woodstock, N. B.

of stock today. Traders do not care to carry lines over two days when they are of opinion that they will get them back as cheap on Monday. Banks have lost money in their sub-treasury operations, but this may be overcome by receipts from the interior. The bank statement should reflect the liquidation that has taken place lately. The loan item should show a decrease and on the whole a favorable statement may be looked for.

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THE BOSTON CURB.
By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co.

	Bid.	Asked.
Zinc	26 1/2	27
East Butte	14 1/2	15
North Butte	22 1/2	23
Lake Copper	46	47
Franklin	14 1/2	15
1st Nat. Copper	3 1/2	3 3/4
U. S. Mining	39	40
Davis	13	14
Granby	55 1/2	56
Sevada	15 1/2	16
Ile Royale	27 1/2	28
Quebec	15 1/2	16
Tamarack	14 1/2	15
Osceola	29 1/2	30
Mayflower	14 1/2	15
Old Colony	9	10

SITE CHOSEN FOR NEW ELEVATOR

The site for the new grain elevator has been decided upon and the railway company will commence work on the structure as soon as sufficient protection can be afforded by the erection of a sea wall. The latter project will be undertaken immediately.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER.

By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

New York, N. Y., April 12.—The market movements today somewhat reflected operations for the different interests that seemed to view the situation in proper shape to liquidate stocks over the weekend.

It is believed by some that the large speculative interests have closed out long lines and await further developments to strengthen the situation. This must be taken for what it is worth, as it is natural that if large and supporting interests are unloading stocks, the chances are that they are going into weaker hands. It is true, the buying has not been so aggressive and the selling has had a shadow of the best of it, even London was found to be a seller on balance. The engineers have practically voted to strike although a few more preliminaries are necessary to make it official. The anthracite conference has been resumed and the political situation regarding Penna. primary elections tomorrow have all been means to cause selling and election of officers.

Have You Stopped to Consider the Wonderful Future of St. John's New Adjunct?

TISDALE PLACE WILL BE OUR LIVLIEST SECTION

A GOOD MANY PEOPLE DO NOT FULLY REALIZE THE VAST IMPORTANCE OF THE EAST ST. JOHN DEVELOPMENT. They think of it mainly as a shipping matter, an outlet for trans-Atlantic freight. But it is to be a thriving passenger traffic centre—transcontinental, local and trans-oceanic. The great Dry Dock will mean much employment, the Ship Repair plant will be a hive of industry; the proposed Smelting Works (like Sydney's) will be a bigger thing still. Then comes the railway and steamship employees—a small army in themselves. Add to this the many industries that inevitably follow in the wake of transportation lines. Street Railway and other utilities will weld this new community into a city in itself. Tisdale Place is THE VERY CENTRE OF ALL THIS. GET SOME OF THE lots now.

ARMSTRONG & BRUCE, Agts. WILLIAM ST.

Our Auto Will Convey You to the Property.

MANY ARE PREPARING TO BUILD AT

Courtenay Bay Heights

The Montreal Syndicate are assisting their buyers by laying out wide streets and in a few days will have a plank sidewalk on Park Avenue, the central boulevard.

Prices	Terms	
\$150	\$3.15	20 per cent. discount off price of lot to builder of house of approved design completed by Nov. 1st.
175	a	
200	month	
and up	and up	

Street cars and electric lights next. Take the hint, St. John people, and buy now in this progressive high class sub-division.

O. A. BURNHAM, 96 Prince Wm. St.
or G. W. BADGLEY, 124 St. Peter Street, Montreal.

THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA

ESTABLISHED IN 1836 Incorporated by Royal Charter in 1840

SEVENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT AND BALANCE SHEET

Report of the Directors of the Bank of British North America, Presented to the Proprietors at their Seventy-Sixth Yearly Meeting, on Tuesday, March 5th, 1912.

The Court of Directors submits the accompanying Balance Sheet to the Proprietors... The Court of Directors has decided to pay the present and future Dividends and Bonuses "res Income Tax" instead of "free of Income Tax" as formerly.

Proceedings of the Seventy-Sixth Yearly General Meeting, on Tuesday, March 5th, 1912. The Secretary (Mr. A. G. Wallis) having read the notice convening the meeting... The Chairman (Mr. E. A. Hoare) said: Gentlemen, before I make any reference to the report and balance sheet which is in your hands today...

BALANCE SHEET, 30th DECEMBER, 1911

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes items like Capital, Reserves, Loans, and various funds.

We have examined the above Balance Sheet with the Books in London and the Certified Returns from the Branches, and find it to present a true statement of the Bank's affairs as shown by the books and returns.

that later on we shall be obliged to do more, but I wish to make it quite clear that this provision is not in respect of any depreciation in value for the property owned by the Bank... The Court of Directors has decided to pay the present and future Dividends and Bonuses "res Income Tax" instead of "free of Income Tax" as formerly.

By Cash and Specific Bankers and in Hand... By Cash at Call and Short Notice... By Investments... By Bills Receivable, Loans on Security, and other Accounts... By Bank Premises, etc. in London and at Branches... By Deposit with Dominion Government required by Act of Parliament for Security of general Bank Bank Note Circulation...

question. It is most important that investors should examine and criticize for themselves, and if they have not the local knowledge which enables them to form a correct opinion that they should not invest... The Chairman: I now invite any reporter who has any remarks to make respecting the accounts or the report.

Mr. G. D. Whatman seconded the motion. The Chairman: I now invite any reporter who has any remarks to make respecting the accounts or the report. Mr. T. E. Williams: It seems a pity, sir, that this meeting should be held without a remark of any kind from this side of the table, but I am sure from your experience you feel that it is such a satisfactory report that the shareholders have no criticisms to make.

TRINITY CONCERT A MUSICAL TREAT

Excellent Programme Delighted Large Audience in Trinity School Room-Entertainment Given by Church Y.M.A.

The concert held in the Trinity Church schoolroom last evening under the auspices of the Y. M. C. of the church was attended by a large number of music lovers, all of whom are agreed that the concert was one of the best conducted in the city for some time. Among those who took part were the Misses Knight, who were heard to advantage in several difficult numbers. Other soloists were J. A. Kelly, Taras Bailey and Robert J. A. Kelly, who rendered their songs in their usual pleasing manner.

KING'S DAUGHTERS WORK AMONG THE IMMIGRANTS

They Plan to Welcome and Aid Immigrant Girls Coming to St. John - The Girls' Club.

The King's Daughters Guild held their regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon. The meeting opened with Mrs. Bullock, the president, in the chair and the following business came under discussion with the immigration committee.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

H. M. Parette, Montreal; W. H. McAdam, Washington; M. J. Powers, Grand Falls; R. D. Wertz, New York; A. H. Howell, Halifax; Edmond J. Sullivan, Montreal; George W. Kramer, New York; Helen M. Pickup, Granville; H. M. Sturway, Montreal; J. Tumpson, New York; R. H. Ryan, R. S. Edmond; Geo. Ryan, Sussex; R. H. Ramsay, Montreal; S. G. Westner, Amherst; Sol Greenfarb, Toronto; J. P. Avard, Montreal; Mrs. G. A. Martin, Lawrenceville; J. W. Davidson, Rothesay; John DeCoursey, Sydney; John LeGallias, Truro; C. H. McGee, St. George.

NOW Is The Best Time To Enter!

FREE—\$6,000 IN PRIZES

WILL BE GIVEN AWAY BY

THE SAINT JOHN STANDARD

To the Residents of the Province of New Brunswick

The First Thing to Do

Cut out this nomination blank which will be found on this page. Fill in the blank with your name and address, etc., if you wish to nominate yourself, or with the name and address of any one whom you may wish to nominate. Be very careful to write plainly, so that there may be no possibility of an error being made. We also wish to impress upon candidates the importance of securing the correct name and address of all new subscribers, so there may be no unnecessary delay in starting the papers.

The Second Thing to Do

Send or bring the nomination blank to the Contest Manager, Standard Office, and you will be credited with 1,000 votes toward winning one of the 6 prizes, and will be given a receipt book to be used in securing subscriptions to this paper. If you cannot call, phone or write, and a representative will call and explain the plan of the contest in detail, and will render you every assistance possible. It is better to ask questions than to have to correct mistakes later.

A Square Deal to All

That's the motto of the contest. Every candidate will receive equal treatment, and there will be no favorites. That each candidate in the contest may be assured of a square deal, a committee of well-known business men will be selected to act as judges, to count the votes and award the prizes at the close of the contest.

The Object of This Great VOTING CONTEST

Primarily the object of this great prize-giving contest, is to secure paid-in-advance subscriptions; also to collect back accounts to The Standard, while doing this to ascertain who are the most ambitious, energetic and popular men and women of this section. Resourcefulness, patience and get-there-quickly are the qualities developed in men and women every day by live competition. Competition is the life of success, and it also makes achievement worth while. This contest means that the winners will be the kind of people who appreciate these things. It is a business proposition for men and women who love the excitement and attainments of business. Built on business principles, it is for business people.

There are many who do not receive as a six months' or a whole year's salary as much as the Grand Prizes to be awarded in the contests amounts to. And the best part of it is that the competition which will bring such success in this big contest is only a good use of spare moments. It will be a campaign of votes by the candidates among the people with whom they come face to face—those whom they can reach by telephone and by writing letters; through the assistance of personal friends and the interest aroused in the public. In a word, it costs nothing to participate in this contest.

The \$6,000.00 in prizes to be distributed under the terms of the contest is by far the most liberal offer ever made by a newspaper in Canada.

Nominate Yourself Today

The Third Thing to Do

As soon as you are nominated, see your friends; get them to subscribe in your favor to The Standard (the vote scale will be found on this page.) Send or bring all subscriptions to the Contest Department of The Standard, together with the proper remittance, and upon receipt of same votes will be issued. Once started, do not grow discouraged. Pay no attention to how many votes some one else may tell you they have to their credit; look after your own candidacy and thereby set a good example to the other candidates.

The Fourth Thing to Do

As soon as you have secured one subscription go after another in your spare time. This contest business need not interfere with your regular work. However, if you were to spend your time for the next few weeks doing nothing but securing subscriptions to The Standard, the reward for your efforts would quite suffice to pay you many times over. Think what a wonderful profit will be yours should you win one of the Ford Touring Car.

How to Enter

By sending in the nomination blank printed below, properly filled out, you will at once become a candidate in the greatest prize voting contest ever given in Canada. You can win one of the valuable prizes which will be given away in a few short weeks. A little effort, combined with perseverance and tact, is all that is needed to win the one you want. The paramount question NOW is to enter your name in this competition. Immediately upon receipt of the nomination blank bearing your name the necessary books and instructions will be sent you.

INFORMATION BLANK

Contest Manager,
The Standard, St. John, N. B.

Please send me detailed information concerning THE STANDARD GREAT PRIZE CONTEST and the method to be pursued to win one of the many valuable prizes.

Name

Address

Phone

CUT OUT AND SEND TO THE STANDARD, ST. JOHN, N. B.

HOW THE PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED

1. The contestant who secures the largest number of votes in the City of St. John, (Districts 1, 2 and 3) will be presented with a Ford 1912 Model T Five Passenger Touring Car.

2. The contestant who secures the largest number of votes in Districts 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 will be presented with a Ford 1912 Model T Five Passenger Touring Car.

3. After the automobiles have been awarded the contestants securing the largest number of votes in each of the eight districts will be presented with a \$400 Willis (Montreal) piano.

4. The contestant securing the second largest number of votes in each of the eight districts, after the automobiles have been awarded, will be presented with a diamond ring.

5. The contestant securing the third largest number of votes in each of the eight districts, after the automobiles have been awarded, will be presented with a handsome gold watch.

Voting Power of Subscriptions and Price List of the St. John Standard

	Price By Carrier	Price By Mail	Votes Allowed
Three Months	\$ 1.25		200
Six Months	2.50	\$1.50	500
One Year	5.00	3.00	1,200
Two Years	10.00	6.00	3,000

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NOMINATION BLANK—GOOD FOR 1,000 VOTES.

THE ST. JOHN STANDARD'S GREAT PRIZE CONTEST.

I Nominate

Address

Phone

Signed

Address

ONLY THE FIRST NOMINATION BLANK CAST FOR EACH CANDIDATE WILL COUNT AS 1,000 VOTES.

Division of Districts

DISTRICT NO. 1—Includes all of the City of St. John north of Union Street.

DISTRICT NO. 2—Includes all the City of St. John south of Union Street.

DISTRICT NO. 3—Includes Carleton, Fairville and the Parish of Lancaster.

DISTRICT NO. 4—Includes all Carleton, Victoria, Madawaska Gloucester, and Restigouche Counties.

DISTRICT NO. 5—Includes all of Kings County.

DISTRICT NO. 6—Includes all of Westmorland, Albert and Kent Counties.

DISTRICT NO. 7—Includes all Charlotte and St. John Counties excepting the City of St. John and the Parish of Lancaster.

DISTRICT NO. 8—Includes all of York, Sunbury, Queens and Northumberland Counties.

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To Be Given Away Saturday, June 8, 1912

BY THE

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Any Man, Woman or Child Residing in the Province of New Brunswick Can Compete

Two Ford 1912 Model T, Fore-Door Touring Cars

PURCHASED FROM J. A. PUGSLEY & CO., ST. JOHN, N. B.



The first grand or capital prizes are two Ford 1912 Model T Five Passenger Touring Cars. The Ford Car is a beautiful machine of superb mechanical qualities, and excites the greatest interest in every quarter where the joy of automobiling is known. No human pleasure surpasses in temporary fascination the excitement of speeding over country roads in a swift flying machine like the Ford, which is offered to the residents of the Province of New Brunswick. And never before was automobiling so popular as a means of transportation as it is today. The desire is intense in every wideawake person to win a beautiful car like the Ford, which means so much of personal joy for the entertainment of the family and friends. The Standard takes the greatest satisfaction in being able to place



such a machine in the hands of some energetic resident of the Province, as a reward for industrious effort and wholly without cost to the contestant.

The Ford Car is universal in its usefulness; universal in its reliability; it fully meets the desire in capacity, comfort, ease of operation, simplicity in mechanism, and absolute strength in construction. It brings to its owner all the essentials of a practical automobile. Here are the specifications of the Ford Model T. Touring Car:

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| Four Cylinders, 5 Passengers. | Two 6-inch Gas Lamps. Generator. |
| Completely equipped as follows: | Three Oil Lamps. |
| Extension Top. Speedometer. | Horn and Tools. |
| Automatic Brass Windshield. | Ford Magneto built into the motor. |

Eight \$400 Willis Pianos

PURCHASED FROM THE WILLIS PIANO CO., MONTREAL, CANADA



The Willis Piano is so well known to the music loving public that they need no introduction here. The strength of these pianos lies in their artistic merits—merits which have been recognized by the greatest musicians. The Willis Pianos offered in this contest are valued at \$400 each. They were purchased from the Willis Piano Co., Montreal, Canada.

In buying a piano—or winning one—you don't want a poor one. We knew you didn't, and so we chose the Willis for you. Perhaps you are not interested in an auto at all, but a piano is just the thing you want. If so, we will make you happy. The contestant securing the largest number of votes in each of the eight districts, after the two automobiles have been awarded, will be presented with a \$400 Willis Piano.



Eight Diamond Rings

Eight Handsome Gold Watches

10 PER CENT CASH COMMISSION PAID IF YOU DO NOT WIN A PRIZE



Contest Closes Saturday, June 8, 1912, at 8 p. m.

Address All Communications to Manager Contest Department, The Standard, St. John, N. B.

LOCAL ADVERTISING.

Hereafter the following charges will be made on reading notices inserted in The Standard:

Church Notices, Sunday Services, 5c. per line of six words.

Church Concerts, Church Festivals, Lodge Concerts and Notices, and all other notices of meetings, 10c. per line of six words. Double rates for back page.

NO MORE FREE LOCALS.

AROUND THE CITY

Horse Injured.

A horse owned by Lilley and Sons fell on Water street yesterday afternoon and was slightly injured.

Renforth Outing Association.

A meeting of the Renforth Outing Association was called for last evening, but a quorum failed to turn up and the meeting was adjourned to a later date.

A Defunct Felonie.

Policeman O'Leary reports that there is a dead cat lying on St. James street between Charlotte and Sydney streets. Intention will take place this morning.

Police Find Brooch.

Policeman Sullivan found a lady's silver brooch on Mill street yesterday afternoon and the owner can receive the same on application at the central police station.

Vicious Dogs.

James Barry and Lawrence Donovan, of Rockland Road were reported by Policeman Semples yesterday for allowing ferocious dogs to run at large. David McMaster will be retained as witness.

Where is He?

Deputy Chief of Police Jenkins received a letter yesterday from Truro addressed to J. T. Bullock. The chief requests Mr. Bullock to call for the letter or would be pleased to learn where to forward the letter if he is out of the city.

Broke Her Hip.

Mrs. Tingley, of 178 St. James street, member of George W. Tingley, barber of Charlotte street, met with a painful accident on Thursday night in her home by falling downstairs. Mrs. Tingley, who is 84 years of age, had the misfortune to break a hip in the fall. Dr. G. A. B. Addy was summoned and rendered the necessary surgical assistance.

Fall in Glass.

About 11 o'clock last night one of the hall windows on the upper floor of the Dufferin Hotel fell to the sill and a large pane of glass was broken. The glass fell with a crash to the sidewalk and fortunately there was no person on that part of the walk at the time or serious injury might have resulted. The crash caused quite a crowd of people to gather on the scene.

Girl Guides' Concert.

The girl guides of St. James' church held a sacred Easter concert last evening in aid of their uniform fund and the affair was a great success, there being a large and appreciative audience present. The programme consisted of songs, recitations, choruses and drills. Mrs. Alfred Carsons, who is captain of the guides, was in charge and much credit is due her for the success of the entertainment. Miss Duffell presided at the piano.

Higher Wages Being Paid.

One of the results of the boom has been an increase in the wages of a few trades, a result very gratifying to those affected. The stationary engineers who formed a union some time ago have secured an advance in wages of about 25 per cent. without any trouble, and the plumbers' union has obtained a substantial increase for the majority of its members. A number of other trades which have been organized during the past year are also making preparations to move for higher wages.

Oddfellows' Anniversary.

The 53rd anniversary of the Odd Fellows will be observed by the members of the order by attending a dinner to be held in Bond's restaurant on Friday evening the 26th. The dinner will take the form of a banquet to the Hon. J. V. Ellis, who is the only survivor of the charter members of Pioneer Lodge and therefore one of the originators of the order in this district. A committee from all the lodges with E. J. Neve as chairman and Joseph Murdoch as secretary, have been appointed to arrange the details of the celebration.

Teachers Met.

The St. John Teachers' Association held the closing meeting of the year last evening. Rex Corrier, the president of the association, presided. The meeting was held in the new hall of the association, Coburg street. Rev. Dr. O'Reilly delivered an interesting address during the evening, his subject being Shakespeare. Solos were rendered by Miss Heales and Miss Prodam. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. The association will meet again until after the reopening of the schools in September.

Trio of Drunks.

Yesterday evening three well known characters in police circles, Mary Ann Reed, Mary Deane and Emma Lester paid a visit to a house in the well known locality of "Barrington's Alley." The three women were intoxicated and as their presence was not desired, they were ejected from one of the houses and soon made their way staggering to Brunswick street. Sergeant Campbell with Patrolmen McCollom and Briggs, put in an appearance and rounded up the trio and as the women were dragged through the streets to the central police station about 5.30 o'clock, a large crowd of people followed them. The three women are charged with being drunk.

Cut Flowers and Potted Plants.

We will have a great sale of cut flowers and potted plants, such as carnations, roses, tulips, geraniums, etc., today at half price. Come early and get your choice. W. & K. Pedersen, 29 Charlotte street.

TOURIST BUSINESS WILL BE LARGER THIS SEASON

Numerous Applications for Information Received From Prospective Visitors to Province — Increased Interest is Annually Shown.

Although it is a little early to gauge the tourist travel of this summer, there are already indications that New Brunswick will share largely in the rush of travel out of the United States for the summer season.

The secretary of the New Brunswick Tourist Association, Miss Tingley, has already received numerous inquiries from prospective tourists. While many of the inquiries are for the sporting season, several communications have been received requesting information relative to the tourist period. While many of those who have written may not come, a large number have indicated their desire to visit New Brunswick during the summer.

A pleasing feature, the secretary says, is the increased interest in this province, which is more marked each year. Those who have not personally visited New Brunswick have heard much of the advantages which the province offers as a tourist centre, and are desirous of coming this way for a few weeks. The interest is very keen, and all of the letters refer to the glowing accounts given by those who have been here. The large information bureaux in a number of American cities have been distributing New Brunswick literature furnished by the Tourist Association. One of these agencies has found the demand for the literature so great that a second supply was asked. One regrettable fact in the matter of literature, however, the secretary states, is the lack

DARING THEFT ON PRINCESS STREET

Lady is Robbed of Satchel by Thief Who Makes Good His Escape with Spoil — Police at Work on Case.

There was a most daring robbery on Princess street Thursday evening and so far the thief has not been captured. A lady was walking along Princess street between Sydney and Carleton streets when suddenly a thief walked up quietly behind her and without any warning snatched the satchel out of her hand and ran away with it.

The woman was greatly startled at the hold theft and cried out, but there was no person about at the time to capture the thief. Hagan along Carleton street and down Orange street and was soon lost to view.

The robbery was reported at police headquarters and all day yesterday Detective Killen was working on the case and he visited many of the yards off Orange street in an attempt to locate the stolen satchel.

The robbery happened so quickly and the woman was so startled by it, that she could not give a very good description of the robber.

A WEST SIDE SMOKER FOR CITIZENS TICKET

Large Number Attended Function in Prentice Boys Hall, West End, Last Night — Entertainment and Speeches.

A smoker in the interests of the citizens' committee ticket was held in the Prentice Boys' Hall, west side, last evening. The hall was crowded and the meeting was one of the most successful held since the opening of the election campaign.

W. D. Baskin presided and addresses were delivered by M. E. Agar, H. E. Schaffer, C. B. Allan and Walter Allingham, the candidates, and by L. P. D. Tilley, the general organizer of the citizens' campaign. The speakers expressed their satisfaction with the result of the primary election and spoke in optimistic terms of the prospects of victory at the final election. They urged their hearers to rally to the support of W. W. Allingham, and to vote the whole ticket. They discussed the necessity of an energetic government to handle the affairs of the city, and emphasized the importance of the commission movement, and would work in harmony to make the new form of administration a success.

During the evening there was an interesting programme of musical and vocal selections, provided by D. Arnold Fox, S. Mathews, Messrs. Punter and Wilson, Culpman Rowe and others. Pipes and tobacco were provided and the audience and there was a great smoko-feast.

The High Cost of Living.

This is the cry today. The two great items are food and clothing. Both are expensive in cost, but the latter expense can be reduced nearly half if you have your old garments dry cleaned or dyed instead of buying new ones. This is a fact, but if you want to be further convinced TRY UNOAR'S, 28 Waterloo street, St. John.

White-wear Sale.

Another Big Lot of White-wear is on sale at F. A. Bryman & Co.'s at a saving of almost half. Corset Covers, Gowns and Drawers are the three principal items. Over 700 Corset Covers to be sold at 29 and 39 cents. Some in the latter price are those that usually sell at \$1.00. The gowns represent the best of a clearing line from a manufacturer. They are made from the finest of materials and in the latest shapes. Prices from 99 cents to \$1.39. The Drawers are all one price, 29 cents.

FREE TRIP TO NEW YORK

Consider that you now use or should use a tooth paste.

Consider that there is no better one on the market than Dr. Maher's Ribbon Tooth Paste.

Consider that in addition to getting your money's worth you likewise get a chance for the above trip.

Try our paste next time you need one. It will be of reciprocal advantage to yourself, your dentist and to us.

For general conditions of the month or for a soothing and healing remedy after the extracting of a tooth use "Dr. Maher Sweet Wash." Handsomely put up in diamond shaped bottles. A free ticket for trip with this also.

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There's rightness, fitness, goodness and fashion in every pair of our \$3.50 Low Shoes.

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Do not put it off. Have your eyes attended to at once. We can relieve your eye trouble and stop those headaches. If you need this help, this relief, why suffer a single unnecessary day?

Come here, and for your own good come as soon as convenient.

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Jewelers and Opticians.
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There is nothing so neat and dainty in footwear as a properly fitted low shoe, oxford or pump, whichever you like best. We can fit you with either so that your whole foot is properly fitted. No slipping at the heel or gaping at the ankle or side, but a perfect shoe properly fitted. All the popular leathers in the newest shapes.

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Wears longest because it is made of the best materials. It has the best appearance because it is ground very fine, spreads evenly, and the colors are clear and strong. It affords greatest economy because its extra fine grinding makes it cover most surface, and it wears longest and the need of repainting is put off.

Use It and You'll Get Satisfaction

EMERSON & FISHER, Ltd., 25 Germain St.

A Sale of Ribbons At One Special Price

Commencing This Morning

This is a clearance lot of desirable ribbons including Wide Fancy Ribbons, suitable for trimming Spring and Summer Hats, hair and sash ribbons, fancy work, etc.

Wide Black Taffeta, with colored fringe edges.

Wide Black Taffeta, with gilt edges.

Shot and Ombre Taffeta.

Fancy Stripes, in black and white, and all desirable shades.

Wide Plaids and Dresdens. Wide Stripe and Shot Velvets. A full range of Taffeta and Mousseline, all colors.

Special price, per yard - - 25c



The Annual Spring Sale of Whitewear Again This Morning



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The New Summer Style Book

Two thousand illustrations

32 full page fashion pictures

A pattern free with each book

At the pattern counter

Millinery for Today's Shoppers

Untrimmed Hats, roll, flare, side turn, turban shapes, etc., neapolitan, tape, tagal, chip and coarse braid straw in black, tuscan, brown, blue and white. Priced from 75c. to \$5.60.

Sailor Hats, roll, straight brim and derby shapes in black, white, tuscan, tan, blue; assorted bands. Prices 95c., \$1.30, \$1.65, \$1.95, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.25, \$5.85.

Ready-to-Wear Hats, a special collection of delightful new creations, all different and featured for Saturday at \$5.00 each.

Also a great assortment of other handsome hats from \$3.00 up.

MILLINERY SALON.

Visit the Furnished Room Section at the Market Square Store for the Newest Suggestions in Furniture Pieces for Your Spring Needs.

Manchester Robertson Allison, Ltd.

SAINT JOHN, CANADA, SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 1912.

MONKEYED WITH HELL NOW IN JAIL

German Prophet Who Tried Con. Game on Widow Will Probably Do Time — General Raid on Satan.

Berlin, April 12.—A man named Bury and venerated in Upper Silesia as a prophet and saint, was arrested on a charge of a long succession of frauds. He is a person of humble origin with a disinclination to work, who managed to persuade the country people that he was endowed with supernatural powers, and, moreover, could foretell the future.

From all parts of Silesia pilgrims came for his aid and advice and he received them in a room adorned with religious pictures and fragrant with incense burning in dimly lit lamps such as are hung before altars in churches. In this mystic atmosphere he predicted coming events in the lives of his dupes.

Sometimes a hundred persons visited him in a single day, and many made voluntary offerings, but apparently they were not too generous a scale as during the last year he had a fixed price for consultations.

His fees and gratuities brought him an annual income of \$7500 and he might still have been in the receipt of this agreeable competency had it not been for the outcry made by a poor widow, from whom he had tried to extort \$60 for which he guaranteed to rescue her late husband from the sufferings he was supposed to be enduring in the other world.

The woman made a great effort to raise the money and the story came

WOMEN ADMITTED IN OWN HAIR ONLY

Dramatic Critic Advises Men to Scalp Feathered Heads in Theatre—Worse than Big Rats.

Paris, April 12.—The headresses of the women of the audience are again causing trouble in the Paris theatres. No hats are worn by women now in the stalls or the dress circle, but the craze for gaudy and the abundance of added hair worn by fashionable women in the evening now are making it as difficult for the audience to see the stage as it was when hats were worn.

At the dress rehearsal of Mm. Capus and Veber's new play, On Guard, at the Renaissance, the other night, numbers of protests against women's headgear were heard. One prominent dramatic critic caused much amusement by rising in the stalls after the first act and calling on the masculine members of the audience to "scalp the feathered heads which obstructed their view."

"There was nothing in the nature of a riot. Everybody knows everybody else at these dress rehearsals, and the matter was treated as a joke. But the alert and high headress question is becoming serious in Paris, and before long perhaps, a daring manager will put up a notice, 'Women admitted in their own hair only.'"

TUBERCULOSIS CONGRESS OPENS.

Rome, April 12.—The international conference on tuberculosis opened here today and is to be followed on Sunday by an international congress on tuberculosis under the auspices of the rulers of 33 countries.

When Women Worked in Mines-- Awful Conditions in 1843

Six-Year-Old Children and Half Naked Women Dragged Coal on All Fours Through Narrow Burrows — A Noble Lord's "Humanity Mania."

(From The London Daily Chronicle.)

While miners are demanding the acceptance of a schedule of district wage rates as minimum payments, and coalowners are either resolutely opposing the principle or attempting to prove that the figures would impose too heavy a burden on an already burdened industry, it may be found interesting to lift the veil which shrouds the past and glance back to a time when working conditions in our coal mines were very much worse than they are now—a period when women and children were employed in mines.

Women Still Employed.

Even now women are employed at the pitbottoms (it was only the other day that a deputation of them came up to London and went to the Houses of Parliament to protest against proposed legislation affecting them), but none now labor, as they did years ago, underground.

The women and children did not move heavy loads of coal or else carrying the fuel in wooden vessels strapped to their shoulders. As most of the coal had to be dragged through passages, less than two feet in height, the women had to go on all fours. Many of these roads were very steep, others inches deep in slush or water, and the condition of the unfortunate creatures at the end of a day's work was pitiable.

Terrible Reading.

That this condition of things was

work, and frequently maimed the women.

No wonder that the Commissioner, commenting on this, remarks: "It is almost incredible that human beings can submit to such employment—more difficult than dragging the same weights through our lowest common sewers."

The method of dragging the loaded corves from the shaft (often naked) and attach to this a chain from the corve. This effort passed between the legs or over the back. In some districts the work was done by pushing with the head and hands from behind, while sometimes the two methods were combined.

In North Lancashire these corves had often to be dragged 2,000 yards. Often the women and children worked from four in the morning till four in the afternoon—just as they were wanted," as the commissioners put it. They would get home dead tired and "throw themselves on the ground like dogs and go to sleep."

From the point of view of morals, a condition of things such as the following must have been disastrous:

Worked Naked to the Waist.

"In this district (the west riding of Yorkshire) the girls employed are of all ages from seven to 21; they commonly work quite naked down to the waist. The boys of similar age who work with them are also naked down to the waist, and all (for the garment is pretty much the same for both sexes) are dressed, as far as they are dressed at all, in a loose pair of trousers, seldom whole. In many of the collieries the adult colliers, whom the girls serve, work perfectly naked."

Child Slaves.

When the seams of coal were nearly vertical, "dipping," as it is called, at an inclination of one in three to one in six feet, it often happened that the coal could not be dragged in tubs or corves, it had to be carried. In the case of Scotland nearly all the people employed in this work are

LUNACY EPIDEMIC VISITS PORTUGAL

Lisbon, April 12.—While the religious ceremonies of Holy Week were in progress at Braga two churches were seriously damaged by dynamite bombs.

The government is taking urgent measures to establish more lunatic asylums. The newspaper the Republic states that madness in Portugal has recently greatly increased, and official statistics show that of a total of 12,000 insane only 1,200 at present are in asylums. Of these 700 are in Lisbon and 550 at Oporto, the remainder being at large.

With the report the commissioners sent a number of sketches. The then Lord Londonderry declared that they were offensive. He also issued a pamphlet in which he had a tilt at Lord Ashley in a peculiar way. The Marquis of Clarfcarde, referring to a letter from Hedworth Lambton, having said that "the question ought to be viewed as a question of humanity," Londonderry retorted that Mr. Lambton was only a member for the county of Durham.

"He was no coalowner nor had anything to say as to the direction of the Durham coal property and he (Lord Londonderry) could only regret from the noble marquis' statement that Mr. Lambton seemed to be bitten with the same humanity mania as the noble lord who introduced the measure."

We hold this truth to be self-evident—every child has the inherent right to have a grandfather whose front represents all the sliding advantages of a cellar door.

THESE TWO GIRLS BORN FACE TO FACE

Remarkable Siamese Twin Case Reported from South Africa—Babies Strong and Healthy.

Capetown, S. A., April 12.—From Hellbronn, in the Orange River Colony comes the story of an amazing freak of nature. In the native location twins have been born which recall the celebrated Siamese couple, but in this strange manner that the babies are joined face to face.

The father and mother are crossed-bred Bushmen, small of stature, sturdily and symmetrically built for their size. Those who have seen them say the twins are joined together by a thick, fleshy ligament.

Two faces all but touch each other, their heads move at times in contrary ways, and the four hands and feet, which are full of vigor. The two bodies appear to be strong and healthy, but whether they will continue so remains to be seen. When they come to walk—if ever they do—the curious spectacle will be seen of one moving forward and her twin sister backwards. And they will always be looking into each other's eyes.

There is probably more trashy stuff sold in the baking powder line than in any other line. Most of it contains large quantities of alum. To avoid the use of this dangerous acid, see that all ingredients are plainly stated in English on the package. The words "No Alum" on the package or in an A.D. is not sufficient.



GOOD-HEALTH WEEK!

"Sunkist" Oranges on Special Sale

Special Sale "Sunkist" Oranges At All Dealers Begins Monday

Special Low Prices on Most Healthful of All Fruit

Next Monday morning "Good-Health Week" begins. The most wholesome fruit in the world—"Sunkist" Oranges—will be sold at special prices in all grocery and fruit stores. A trainload has just arrived from California and will be disposed of by special sales.

Economical housewives will buy this luscious golden fruit like they do apples—by the dozen, half-box or box. "Sunkist" Oranges are much cheaper than good table apples. Good health for the entire family! A delicious and economical treat prescribed by physicians.

Buy "Sunkist" in Quantities at Pleasing Prices

"Sunkist" keep well and they will sell at such reasonable prices next week that you can buy them by the box or half-box at special prices. The wrappers from this most healthful of all fruit, along with a few stamps to pay charges, packing, etc., will provide you with several pieces of luxurious silverware.

Choose From These Fourteen "Sunkist" Silver Premiums

Get This Orange Spoon

At right is shown new "Sunkist" Orange Spoon, actual size. Genuine Rogers and of the latest style. Sent you on receipt of 12 "Sunkist" wrappers and 12c to help pay charges, packing, etc. For each additional spoon send 12 "Sunkist" wrappers and 12c.

Read carefully directions at right.

Send for full description, number of wrappers and amount of cash necessary to secure each article.

"Sunkist" Premiums

- Table Knife
- Table Fork
- Dessert Spoon
- Child's Knife
- Bouillon Spoon
- Coffee Spoon
- Salad Fork
- Oyster Fork
- Child's Fork
- Orange Spoon
- Fruit Knife
- Teaspoon
- Tablespoon
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Who first imported Sunkist Oranges from California, is receiving one or two carloads each week. All counts. Direct shipment. Freshest stock in the market. Wholesale only.

Health for Every Woman No More Headaches

From Weakness and Despair Thousands Have Been Restored to Robust Good Health by Dr. Hamilton's Pills.



That sick women are made well by Dr. Hamilton's Pills is proved in the following letter:

"For years I was thin and delicate. I lost color and was easily tired, a yellow pallor, pimples and blotches on my face were not only mortifying to me but also a source of worry. I tried various remedies, pills, tonics and tablets. I tried without permanent benefit. A visit to my sister put into my hands a box of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. She placed reliance upon them, and now that they have made me a well woman I would not be without them whenever they might cost. I found Dr. Hamilton's Pills by their mild yet searching action very suitable to the delicate character of a woman's nature. They never once gripped me, yet they established regularity. My appetite grew—my blood red and pure—my heavy rings under my eyes disappeared, and today my skin is as clear and unwrinkled as when I was a girl. Dr. Hamilton's Pills did it all.

The above straightforward letter from Mrs. J. Y. Todd, wife of a well-known citizen in Rogersville, is proof sufficient that Dr. Hamilton's Pills are a wonderful woman's medicine. Use no other pill but Dr. Hamilton's. 50c per box. All dealers or of the Cataract Co., Kingston, Ontario.

WELLS AND M'FARLAND MATCHED

New York, N. Y., April 12.—George MacDonald, manager for Matt Wells, the English lightweight, announced this afternoon that rangers had been signed for a bout with Packer McFarland at Madison Square Garden on the night of April 16. McFarland will receive \$10,000 for his share of the receipts while Wells has agreed to accept 50 per cent. of the gross gate money and 50 per cent. of the moving picture receipts. They will weigh in at 135 pounds at 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the bout. The referee is to be selected three days before the contest.

WORLD'S BOWLING MARK.

Lindsay of New Haven broke a world's bowling record at Paterson, N. J., Wednesday when he made the sensational score of 231 for nine games. This is a average of 25.67. Lindsay's record beat the previous high score, 196, made by Thomas Haley of Detroit, in 1910 at Detroit. As well as the National Bowling Association record of 196 made by John J. Voorheis in Atlantic City in 1907.

MONTREAL HORSE SHOW.

Montreal, April 12.—The thirteenth annual Montreal Horse Show, which will start in the Arena on May 7, will be a hummer in regard to prizes offered for the varied classes. The prize list has been issued and contains a total of over \$5,000 in money and a score of cups. Hunters and jumpers are the favorites and get a total of \$775.

CRICKET PRACTICE TODAY.

The members of the St. John Cricket Club will attend an indoor practice to be held in the Queens rink this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. The members of the club anticipate that the coming season will be the best in the history of the club.

BALL GAMES WON AND LOST YESTERDAY

American League. At Cleveland—Score—Cleveland, 6; Detroit, 4. Baskette and Easterly; Willet and Stange. At Chicago—Score—Chicago, 2; St. Louis, 1. Scott and Black; Powell and Kriebell. At Philadelphia—Score—Washington, 1; Philadelphia, 2. Walker and Williams; Morgan and Thomas. At New York—Score—Boston, 5; New York, 2. O'Brien and Carrigan; Ford, Warhops and Street.

Table with columns: American League Standing, National League Standing, and individual game results for Cleveland, Chicago, Philadelphia, Washington, New York, Boston, Cincinnati, and St. Louis.

Table with columns: National League Standing, and individual game results for Cincinnati, Philadelphia, Boston, Brooklyn, and Pittsburgh.

EXHIBITION GAMES. At Roanoke, Va.—Montreal (International) 4; Lynchburg 1. At Lynchburg—Montreal Yonkers (International) 4; Lynchburg 1. At Richmond, Va.—Rochester (International) 1; Richmond 5.

SHAMROCKS IN FIGHT. Montreal, April 12.—The Shamrocks are heard from at last in the battle for lacrosse supremacy. Aid. O'Connell states that they have signed their leins and that the committee of warfare composed of Messrs. Paddy Brennan, Coohey and Gus Dillon are now trying to obtain lawful possession of Mackenzie, Greene, Yeaman and George Kalls. All these are Toronto people. Bouillane of the Nationals is also one of the men upon whom the Shamrocks raiders have set their eyes.

Nationals, on the other hand claim they have Bouillane solid, as well as Dulude, Sazarin, Decarie, Pitre and Duckett. George Kennedy claims that he has Brennan for goalkeeper and Albert Dade as instructor and coach.

ELEVEN INDOOR STAKES. Windsor, Ont., April 12.—Eleven stakes to be run during the summer and autumn meetings of the Windsor Racing Association were announced today. The aggregate value of the stakes is \$15,000, which with the overnight purse distributions at the two meetings in Windsor this year will amount to nearly \$60,000.

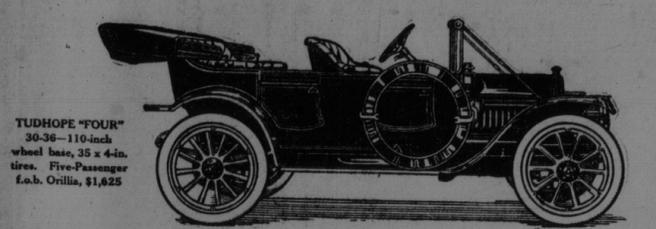
The stakes named to which entries close May 1, are: The Frontier handicap in D. and W. Perry Handicap, world, Detroit, D. B. and W. Perry Handicap, Windsor St. Croix handicap, Essex handicap, Canadian handicap and Walkerville handicap steeplechase over the 2 1/2 mile course. The Frontier and the D. B. and W. Perry Handicap have been increased in value \$500, giving the former a value of \$3,000 and the latter \$2,000 this year. The Windsor racing dates are July 12 to July 20 and August 26 to Sept. 2.

MONEY FOR AVIATORS' KIN. A million dollar fund, the income to be used for the benefit of widows and orphans of aviators and for men injured while flying, is being raised by J. C. Marx, better known as "Bud" in order to awaken interest in the movement in Boston "Bud" Marx spent the day here yesterday in talking the matter over with a number of prominent business men.

The former Curtiss aviator, arrived in town early in the morning and spent a number of hours in going over his plans with Bostonians. He left for New York on the 1 o'clock train, but will return to Boston in about a week to push the campaign here.

LANGFORD AFTER JOHNSON. Sydney, N.S.W., April 12.—Sam Langford says that now he has turned the tables on McVey he is anxious to arrange a contest with Jack Johnson for the championship.

The Tudhope "The Car Ahead"



Why the Tudhope "Four" Sells for \$1,625

IMPORTING at a high rate of duty has placed a false value on automobiles sold in Canada. An imported car which sells for \$1,100 in the United States is classed as a \$1,500 or \$1,600 car in Canada, because that is the price it has always commanded. It is an \$1,100 car just the same. An imported car which is really worth \$1,625 must be sold in Canada for \$2,200 or more. The natural result is that it is classed as a \$2,200 car.

The Tudhope "Four" could not be sold for \$1,625 if it were not wholly manufactured in Canada. Tudhope Cars are made in Canada in a thoroughly modern factory. The parts of the motor, the gears, the axles, in fact every essential part of the car is made from the raw material in the Tudhope Factory at Orillia.

This plant is not surpassed by any American Factory, either for its efficiency of equipment or its organization. The cost of manufacturing cars in the Tudhope plant is as low as is possible in any American plant. AND WE DO NOT ADD DUTY TO OUR SELLING PRICE. Tudhope Cars are sold at their true value. To the Canadian buyer this means that the value of the Tudhope is far beyond what the price would lead one to expect. The Tudhope "Fours" at \$1,625 have the appointments of imported cars selling in Canada for \$2,200 or \$2,300. They have the same high-grade features, the same superior equipment.

Examine Tudhope Cars: The powerful, long-stroke motors have cylinders cast in bloc. They are equipped with the Bosch Dual High-Tension Ignition system, giving two independent and complete currents. The cars are strongly built, the material used in the transmission gears and rear axle is Chrome nickel steel, and these together with the differential are enclosed in a dust-proof housing. The strong frame is made with a double-drop to lower the weight-centre without reducing the road-clearance. This lessens swaying and the possibilities of upsetting or skidding. Large springs and shock-absorbers prevent jolting or bouncing. The long wheel base and high wheels add to the riding comfort and the large tires lessen tire wear.

CONTINENTAL DEMOUNTABLE RIMS allow a change of tires to be made in a few minutes. The bodies are gracefully formed and are finished in dark blue. The seats are wide and are handsomely upholstered in buff-leather. All metal trimmings are heavily nickel-plated.

The Tudhope Booklet contains information of interest to every Automobile buyer. Write for it.

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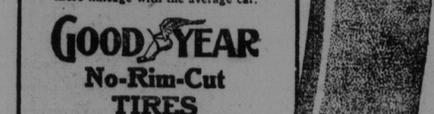
Get Rid of your Two Tire Troubles

Rim-Cutting Overloading 25% of tire trouble is due to Rim-Cutting.

A careful inquiry among thousands of motorists shows that nearly one in four old-style tires are ruined by rim-cutting. The reason is that the book-shaped ring which holds them in place cuts into the fabric of the tire.

No-Rim-Cut Tires are built on a new idea. The round surface of the side ring comes next to the tire. No-Rim-Cut Tires have been sold and not one has been wrecked by rim-cutting.

AND they are made 10% oversize—have 10% more carrying capacity than the ordinary tires—enough to provide for heavy extras and overloading. That gives them 25% more mileage with the average car.



Our Tire Book is full of information for Motorists. Yours for the asking. The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. of Canada, Limited. HEAD OFFICE - TORONTO Factory - Bowmansville

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GRIPSACK SI STARTS TO BE AN UMPIRE AND GOES SWIMMING INSTEAD



Advertisement for 'The Service Coat that Keeps Out All the Rain' by Fish Brand Quality. It describes a waterproof garment and lists various agents and locations where it is sold.

Vertical text on the far left edge of the page, partially cut off, mentioning 'The Original and Only Genuine' and 'Merits of'.

GREAT RISKS OF BURIAL WHILE ALIVE IN PARIS

General Was Buried Under Snow, Though He Was Not Dead—Learned Doctor De-livers Lecture.

Paris, April 12.—Alarming if instructive, is the lecture by Dr. Thainot, which has been delivered at the Sorbonne on the risk of being buried alive. Dr. Thainot has devoted considerable study to this melancholy subject. This is a question which particularly affects the Parisians, as burials in this city almost invariably take place only two days after death.

Dr. Thainot began by pointing out that in the middle of the 18th century French people were so anxious about the matter that the king ordered his physician to publish a reassuring letter. Then he went on to give examples of strange mistakes that have been committed.

Among other weird cases, he cited that of General D'Ornano in the retreat from Moscow. He had been wounded by a shot, and was believed to be dead. The order was issued that he should be buried in the snow and this had actually been done, when Captain de la Berge, the General's aide-de-camp, expressed the wish to take the corpse back to France.

The body was accordingly brought out of the snow and laid on a car. When, to the amazement of all the beholders, the General recovered consciousness, and on his return to France he even attended the funeral of Major Fasher, who had carried out the order for his burial.

Years afterwards, in 1866, Cardinal Donnet, in a speech at the Senate, gave an account of another strange error which had been committed forty years before.

A young priest was preaching in a crowded cathedral when he suddenly became incoherent, and the doctor who examined him declared that he was dead and signed the certificate authorizing his burial on the following day. The bishop had recited prayers at his bedside, and the undertaker had called to make arrangements for the coffin, and all while the poor man could follow what was going on.

Presently he heard the voice of a companion of his childhood, and it led him to make a superhuman effort, which brought about a marvelous result. On the next day, at the very hour when he was to have been buried, he was once more in the pulpit.

The impression produced on the Senators by this narrative was greatly intensified when the Cardinal added, "He is today among you, begging you to ask the authorities not only to watch over the strict observance of the regulations, but to draw up fresh ones, in order to prevent tragedies, which are, unhappily, of too frequent occurrence."

NEEDLE GIRLS ARE PRAISED BY HISTORIAN

Paris, April 12.—Some symbolism must have been suggested to any person with imagination by the grand annual meeting of the "Needle" society in the huge hall of the Procureurs. In the chair was the grave historian, M. Thureau-Dangin, "Perpetual Secretary" of the French Academy, and by his side was Count Albert de Mun, leading spokesman of the Royal Catholic party in parliament and one of the best speakers in France.

Around them or below them in the hall were women of fashion in wonderful dresses, side by side with the girls who had made the dresses.

"L'Aiguille" is a society for bringing together "Capital and Labor" in the dressmaking trade, and employers and employed alike belong to it. This was the coming of age of the society, being its twenty-first annual meeting. After the report was read, savings bank books were distributed among deserving sewing girls.

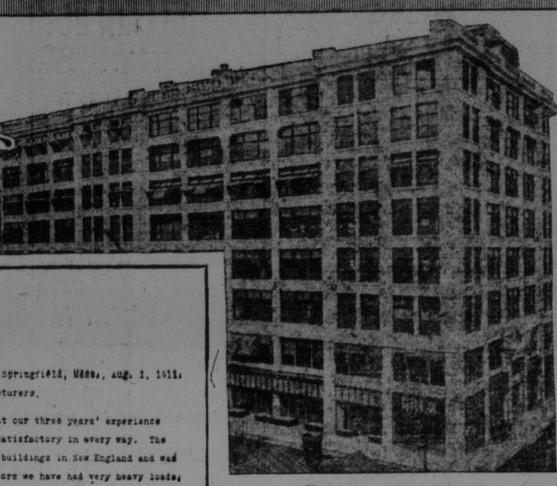
Then the grave historian, M. Thureau-Dangin, got up and spoke in praise of the midinette. A learned and severe, perhaps rather a dry-as-dust scholar, delivering an academic eulogy of the girls who eat their lunch from street barrows in the intervals of dressmaking between noon and one o'clock, and thus earn the charming name of midinette.

Academically eloquent, M. Thureau-Dangin, spent as much of his academic eloquence upon praising the midinette as if he had been in the academy on some great forensic occasion, and the midinettes, who did not stand half his long words, applauded him furiously, taking that delight in well-turned rhetoric which is instinctive in the simplest French breast.

What he said was, as a matter of fact, true, though he said it rather grandiloquently. He spoke of the honesty, the purity, the courage, the charity, the endurance, and the hard work of the midinette, "that fairy with the nimble fingers," he exclaimed.

There is probably more hard work done and quicker intelligence employed by the midinette, other things being equal, than by any other manual worker in the world. After they had applauded their academic panegyrist, Count de Mun, unfortunately, not being induced to speak, the midinettes exercised the right of suffrage and elected their officers and committee for the year.

The Building they built



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Association of American Portland Cement Manufacturers, Philadelphia, Pa.

We take great pleasure in stating that our three years' experience with concrete construction has been extremely satisfactory in every way. The Kyrick Building is one of the largest concrete buildings in New England and was erected in the year 1907-8. On some of the floors we have had very heavy loads, but not the slightest trouble was experienced on that account.

Yours very truly,
THE PEPPER PUBLISHING COMPANY,
J. Frank Pepper,
Secretary.

and the Letter they wrote.

YOUR business—it's growing, isn't it? Crowding its present quarters a bit? Probably you're already thinking about a big new factory, where there'll be plenty of room for everything and everybody; and no need to swell the payroll with overtime or to pile boxes against the warehouse windows.

Not ready just yet? Not to build, perhaps—but ready to plan a little, aren't you? In that case you will welcome information having a vital bearing on such plans; more especially if the information comes to you direct from other men whose growing businesses demanded larger quarters.

"Factories and Warehouses of Concrete"

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It is the only book of the kind ever published and its cost would have been prohibitive had not the entire Association of North American Cement Manufacturers "clubbed together" to share the expense.

You will find it interesting and valuable, whether you intend to build in five months or in five years. It will suggest new ideas and provide a better "working basis" for your building plans.

The book goes further than simply to explain the advantages of reinforced concrete construction. It gives the comparative cost of concrete and other materials, describes the interior arrangement, and photographs show the exteriors of buildings for every conceivable industry. Full data on insurance, floor loads, window area—in fact everything you could possibly want to know about a building. The book contains 225 pages, is printed on heavy coated paper, and is attractively and permanently bound.

This book was compiled for business men—to provide them with accurate information on modern fireproof construction, in non-technical form.



"Factories and Warehouses of Concrete" will be sent to any business man who will write for it, enclosing 12 cents in stamps to pay postage. It will only take a half-minute to dictate a note to your stenographer, requesting a copy of this book—and another minute for your stenographer to write it. Why not write today?

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MYSTERY OF LIGHT REMAINS UNSOLVED

New York, April 12.—What is light? Whether it be the dim flicker produced by decaying wood, the mystical gleam of a firefly or a slowmover in the shadowy forest, the "Will o' the Wisp" that flits hither and thither over a marsh, the flash from a meteor flying swiftly across the sky, the tremendous quiver from out of the vast abyss of star depths, the emphasized pathway of a bolt of lightning, or whether it be the illumination produced by a pine knot, a candle, a gas jet, an incandescent mantle or filament, light is one of nature's mysteries—a problem set for man to solve.

And man has learned in the ages that have lapsed since he was created that by far the greatest part of the mystery lies with himself. The perception of light, heat and sound and possibly of other forms of energy to which he cannot as yet give even a name depends almost entirely on the chemical and physical changes that take place within his own body—especially in the brain and its faithful outpost in the nervous system. In our consideration of the wonderful properties of light we shall not dwell at length upon the psychological phase of the subject, but shall attempt to make clear some of the simpler physical phenomena with which everyone is more or less familiar, but which are nevertheless not generally understood. We shall regard light as a form of energy, a definite thing that gives us the power to distinguish green from red, the thing that hammers away at the emulsion on a photographic plate, causing the chemicals therein contained to deposit a thin film of metallic silver, that we may utilize in making a picture of a landscape, a comet or the face of some dear friend.

THIS BABY TRAVELS MANY LONG MILES

New York, N. Y., April 12.—The United States army can now probably boast the world's juvenile travelling record by virtue of the globe trotting of Miss Julia D. Kitts, daughter of Capt. William P. Kitts.

Incidentally her record sheds a strong light upon the mutations of the army officer and the frequent recurrence of "moving days" in the Army and Navy Journal.

The child was born at Fort Lincoln, N. D., April 20, 1904, and was the first baby born at that post. Within three weeks she had travelled 452 miles; within two months 1250, and within six months 3750 miles and within one year, 13,200 miles.

In this short time the baby had travelled from North Dakota to Minnesota, to the Atlantic coast, to San Francisco and thence across the Pacific to the Philippines.

It took her only two years more to add 17,000 miles to her record, making the total distance covered in three years 30,200 miles or an average of over 10,000 miles a year. She has kept on going and at present has more than 46,000 miles to her credit.

EIGHT READY TO THRASH HUSBAND

Seattle, Wash., April 12.—The following advertisement appeared in the "Help Wanted" column of an afternoon paper yesterday:

"Wanted—A man to thrash a wife-beater. Ten dollars reward. Easy work. Mrs. R. B. Gillies, 116 Nob Hill avenue."

Eight men applied for the position soon after the paper was on the street. The second, a big, husky youth, said it would be a pleasure to do the work for \$5. Mrs. Gillies engaged him at once, and gave him instructions. Her husband must not be permanently disabled, but must be slapped, choked, knocked down and rolled on the floor. When Robert Beat Gillies, formerly a waterfront broker, returned home late in the afternoon Mrs. Gillies and her "beaters" were waiting for him.

Mrs. Gillies, telling the story today, said her man's work was so excellent that she compelled him to take the full \$10 fee. Gillies could not be seen today. He is 63 years old, and his wife's age is the same. They have been married ten years. Both are old residents of Seattle. Before advertising Mrs. Gillies had complained to the mayor, chief of police and prosecuting attorney, without satisfactory results, she says.

He's Popular.

A Kansas preacher writes his sermons in shorthand. And delivers 'em ditto.

COULD NOT SWEEP FLOOR

Was So Terribly Afflicted With Lame Back.

It is hard to do housework with a weak and aching back, and no woman can be strong and healthy unless the kidneys are well.

The weak, lame and aching back comes from sick kidneys and should be attended to immediately so as to avoid years of terrible suffering from kidney trouble. Mrs. Harvey W. Brownell, Northport, N.S., writes:—"I now take pleasure in writing you, stating the benefit I received by using Doan's Kidney Pills. About a year ago I was terribly afflicted with lame back, and was so bad at times I could not sweep my own floor. While looking through your B.B.R. Almanac I saw Doan's Kidney Pills were a great remedy, so thought I would try a box or two. After using five boxes I was completely cured, and I am very thankful to have found so speedy a cure."

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.50, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Millers Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont. In ordering direct specify "Doan's."

THIS GALLANT COP ACTS AS FERRYBOAT

Policeman Carries Girls in His Arms Over Water Covered Streets, but Refuses to be a Truck.

Santa Barbara, Cal., April 12.—The slight of Policeman Randolph acting as official life saver, was one of the features of a storm here. The stalwart young man, garbed in a heavy raincoat and high rubber boots, did not fear the heavy flood which swept down State street. Not so a number of young women, all anxious to reach the place where they were employed and who were held up at De la Guerra and State streets by the water.

"Oh, we have to get across some way. I wish I had your boots," said one young woman to the policeman.

"Well, I'll be boots for you. Come on," replied Randolph, and picking the young woman up in his arms he carried her safely across the street. Again and again he made the trip until all were safely landed on the other side.

When he had finished he walked back to the place from which he had started and was thunderstruck to see

NEW ROLLING STOCK IS OBTAINED FOR INTERCOLONIAL

Government Spends Million and a Quarter on Equipment—Ocean Limited Service Gets Four New Trains.

Ottawa, April 12.—Rolling stock to the value of \$1,250,000 has been obtained by the government for the I. C. R. It includes 9 freight locomotives from the Canadian Locomotive Works, Kingston; 500 steel box cars from the Nova Scotia Car Company; two sleepers and two diners from the Canada Foundry Company; and six first class coaches from the Preston Car Company. Four new \$150,000 trains will be placed on the Ocean Limited service which commences June 2.

An exceedingly large man with arms outstretched.

"Take me, too," he said. "I haven't any boots."

"Not on your life. I'm not a truck horse," replied the disgusted Randolph, as he beat a retreat.

THOUGHT HIS BOY SOME DETECTIVE

But the Police Commissioner Pressed the Button and Poor Father was Removed to an Asylum.

Paris, April 12.—Attired from head to foot in black and leading a bright little boy of seven by one hand, while he carried a bag in the other, a gentleman presented himself at the police office in this city, and, producing a card, asked to be introduced to the commissary. As he is a medical man, the magistrate thought that he had called on professional business, and his attendance may be imagined when, after the usual salutations, the visitor thus addressed him:

"Everybody is aware that the Paris police is badly organized. The criminal detective department has not a single clever officer. This being the case, you will not doubt be pleased to hear that I have discovered the detective for whom all respectable people are longing. Will you present him in my name to the prefecture?"

"Where is he?" the bewildered commissary inquired.

"Why, here," was the proud reply. "It is my son, a marvelously clever boy. Just see how he can be made to depose, and suing the action to the

BARON WORKED FOR 60 CENTS PER DAY

Having Nothing to Give Children He Forged Entry in Savings Bank Book—Was Acquitted

Vienna, April 12.—A Vienna jury has just acquitted Baron Joseph von Beckhina, in spite of his confession of embezzlement. The trial gave a sad insight into the penny existing in the lower ranks of the civil service.

The baron, who belongs to an old but decayed family, entered the postal service, and married when receiving only 60 cents a day. His pay ultimately rose to \$15 a week, but the greater part of it was pledged in paying off debts he had been forced to incur earlier in order to keep his wife and family.

He confessed in court how one day when he had nothing to give his four children to eat he forged an entry in a savings bank book, and once having given away to temptation, repeated this till he had embezzled \$100, always hoping that relatives would help him to repay.

The doctor opened his bag, and pulling out a wig and a false beard, put them on the little lad, whose delight knew no bounds.

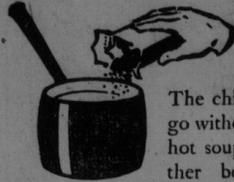
ROOSEVELT TAKES BRIEF PAUSE IN HIS CAMPAIGNING

Spends Night at Oyster Bay Prior to Setting Out on Next Tour—Is Well Received Everywhere.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., April 12.—His week of campaigning through west Virginia, Kentucky, Illinois and Pennsylvania at an end, Col. Roosevelt returned to Oyster Bay late today for a night's rest at home before leaving on his next trip. The colonel said he was greatly pleased with the result of his trip, especially by what he had seen in Illinois and Pennsylvania.

Col. Roosevelt spent the day in eastern Pennsylvania, speaking at Reading, Allentown and Easton, with brief pauses from his train at a number of small places. He was met everywhere by large crowds such as greeted him yesterday on the way across the state. At Reading thousands of persons thronged Penn. Square, Students from Lafayette College, dressed in grotesque costumes made things lively at Easton, where there was so much noise that the colonel did not attempt to make much of a speech.

It's ready for the saucepan



The children need never go without a bowl of good hot soup this chilly weather because "mother's busy." No matter how busy she is, she can always find time to make Edwards' Soup. All that's nice and nourishing in "mother's home-made soup" is in Edwards' Soup; all that's a trouble for her to do is ready done.

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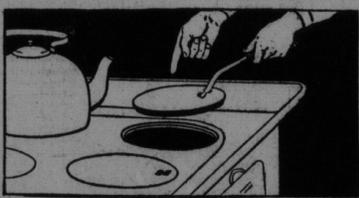


Edwards' Soup is prepared from specially selected beef and fresh garden-grown vegetables. Its manufacturers are soup-makers and nothing else. By specializing for over 25 years they have been able to produce an assortment of soups of the highest merit at a price within the reach of all.

Edwards' desiccated Soup is made in three varieties—Brown, Tomato, White. The Brown variety is a thick, nourishing soup, prepared from best beef and fresh vegetables. The other two are purely vegetable soups.

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and stay flat—no bulging in the centre, no warping, no cracking; because they are extra heavy and made from the finest metal. Your kettles and pots will always set level and get every particle of heat all over the bottoms. Not for a little while, but for years. And every detail of construction is of equal goodness from end to end of a

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HOW PANAMA HAS BEEN GLENDED UP INSIDE NEWS OF THE TURKISH-TURBO WAR

Brief Description of the Great Ditch—Boats Will Be Towed Through Locks by Electric Motors. Tripoli Has for Years Been the Scene of Persecution by the Turks—Deplorable Incidents.

New York, April 12.—A Boston traveler gives the following untechnical description of the Panama canal. The canal is forty miles in length, from shore to shore and fifty miles from deep water to deep water. Entering at Limon bay on the Atlantic side, it is sea level for a distance of seven miles to Gatun, where is the enormous dam, a mile and a half long by half a mile wide at base. This impounds the water shed of the Chagres river and other streams, covering a basin of 1,330 square miles, making a lake which with the nearly nine miles of Culebra cut to Pedro Miguel would be about thirty-five miles long, containing 164 square miles, which would be somewhat larger than Lake Ontario, the largest body of water in New York state.

From the sea level up to lake above is a lift of eighty-five feet, divided into three steps or locks, each 1,000 feet long by 110 feet wide. For economy of water each lock is subdivided by gates into chambers of 400 and 600 feet each. These three locks are an exact twin or alike series, so that traffic may be accomplished in either direction at the same time. Boats will be towed through the locks by electric locomotives running on cog rails laid on the tops of the lock walls.

This Gatun lake will cover fully one-third of the canal zone, 448 square miles and about two-thirds in length of the canal proper. While in the lake vessels may steam at either speed for a distance of twenty-four miles, and it will require about ten hours in transit from ocean to ocean and three of these passing through the locks.

Double Locks in Pairs.

There will be six double locks, three pairs on the Atlantic side at Gatun, with a combined lift of 85 feet and three pairs on the Pacific side, one pair at Pedro-Miguel, with a lift of 30-13 feet, and two pairs at Miraflores with a combined lift of 53 feet. The dimensions of all the locks are same, a length of 1,000 feet and a width of 110 feet. The water surface of the lake during the wet season will be maintained at 87 feet and at 81 feet during the dry season. The minimum channel depth in the canal is 47 feet, and as 41 feet is all that is required for navigation, there will be stored in the canal zone, three months, a surplus of five months, and over, which will supply the electric power necessary in the operation of the gates and turbines of the spillway through the locks. This power will be generated at the spillway, which is situated nearly midway of the dam. The spillway is 1,200 feet long by 200 feet wide. This is fitted with gates and machinery for regulating the water level of the lake.

During the rainy season the maximum runoff from the above watershed of 1,320 square miles will be about the lake one and one-half times, thus furnishing during the rainy season an immense amount of water, which can be used in developing enormous power. I was in the canal zone in the summer of 1888, before much was known of sanitation, and when Colon of America wall, as it was first called, consisted of Front street and Bottle alley, with a fringe of native huts, a little way out. Stagnant miasmatic waters were everywhere, breeding myriads of mosquitoes and the wonder was not that they had Chagas and yellow fever, but that the place was ever free from it. Doubtless it never was completely at that time. On my trip this month I neither saw nor felt the pestiferous insect. I was much impressed with De Leeuw's work. He had altered his plans from a sea level to a lock canal, and confidently expected to have the canal in operation inside of eight years. The year following (1889) he failed.

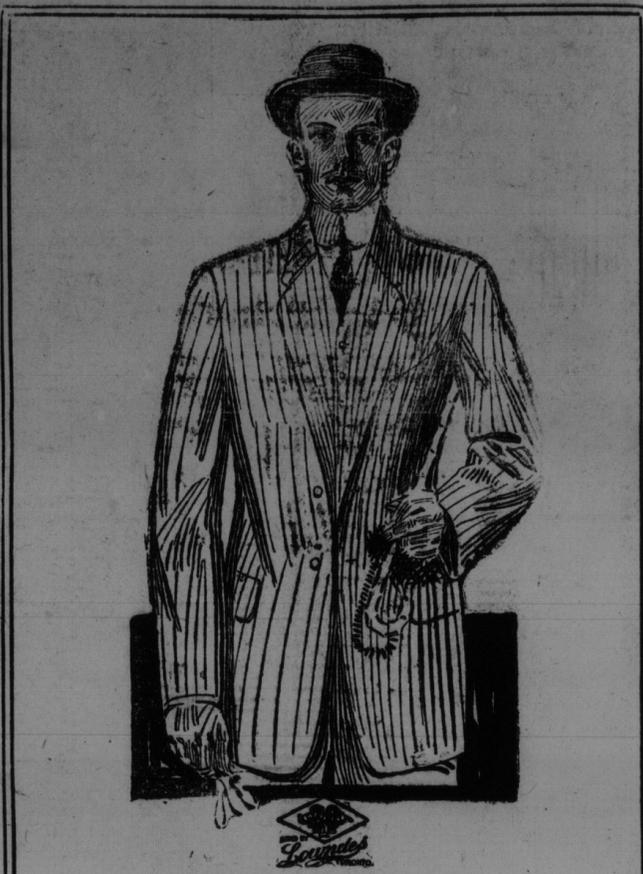
A NOVEL CATARRH REMEDY CURES WITHOUT DRUGS

THE HEALING VAPOR OF CATARRHZONE LOOSENS THE COUGH, STOPS ALL DISCHARGES, PREVENTS SNEEZING

The real danger of Catarrh lies in putting off treatment. You may have Catarrh yourself, but you may not know it. Before the disease spreads from your nose to the stomach, lungs, or bronchial tubes, root it out—cure it with "Catarrhzone." Look over the following symptoms—then examine yourself: Bad Breath, Stuffy Nostrils, Frequent Sneezing, Ears Buzzing, Watery Eyes, Hacking Cough, Bad Taste, Droppings, Raising Phlegm, Difficult Breathing. Don't continue to burden your system for another day when the germ of such a filthy, loathsome disease as Catarrh of the Catarrhzone to-day, inhale its soothing vapor. All your breathing organs with its balsamic essence, and traces of Catarrh will forever depart. Read what Elwood S. Lee, of Sydenham, Ont., says of his cure with Catarrhzone: "I was a chronic sufferer from continuous colds in the throat and nose, and for many years have constantly had Catarrh. I was recommended to try Catarrhzone, and find that by using the inhaler on the first touch of cold or a gripe I am able to stay it in a few hours. I have been able to breathe through my nose freely since using Catarrhzone. In fact, I am completely cured." Signed, ELWOOD S. LEE.

Once you try Catarrhzone you'll realize how indispensable it is. The large dollar size contains an indestructible hard rubber inhaler and sufficient medication to last two months. Beware of the substituter and imitators of Catarrhzone—use the genuine and you'll get cured. By Mammoth Spring, Arkansas, is the largest in the world.

How will we answer on that day? When God cut off Eternity, Shall turn his wrath on man and say: "Ye did this awful thing to Me." Mammoth Spring, Arkansas, is the largest in the world.



Distinctive— The three-button model here illustrated exemplifies in the highest degree the distinctively new style features that good dressers are demanding this Spring. Note the natural shoulders, the soft roll lapel, the new collar, the shapely waist and the high cut vest. This and fifteen other exclusive 20th Century Brand styles now being shown by agents in every city and town in Canada. A. GILMOUR, 68 King Street Sole Agent.

WINS DEATH FIGHT WITH BALD EAGLE

Glenn Falls, N. Y., April 12.—Millon Steives, of this city, was nearly killed in a fight Tuesday with a bald eagle near North Creek lumber camp, it became known today. He was rescued badly wounded by a fellow lumberman.

Steives was returning from the woods to his cabin when he came upon two eagles perched upon the carcass of a calf. He shot one of the birds, before he had time to reload his gun the other eagle attacked him. He shouted for aid, at the same time striking the eagle with his rifle butt. The eagle, although one of its wings was broken by the first blow, was getting the best of the battle when Steives' companion killed the feathered fighter with a club.

SEES BATTLE OF OCEAN MONSTERS

Vancouver, April 12.—Not many days out from St. Vincent, says a writer in the Wide World magazine, there occurred what was perhaps the most remarkable incident of the voyage. The weather was fine, the sea almost dead calm. Captain Napier happened to be leaning over the side of the vessel, looking into the water, when suddenly he saw, passing silently underneath, a huge shape. The exact outlines he could not perceive, but he caught a glimpse of a long protuberance from the head and recognized the creature as a large swordfish.

Now, it is the pleasant habit of the swordfish to form an alliance with a species of shark known as the thrasher for the purpose of hunting the whales upon which these two creatures mutually prey. The victim having been found, the swordfish attacks from below, plunging his cruel sword into the belly of the whale, while the thrasher delivers an attack from above, leaping out of the sea and descending upon the whale's back to administer a fearful blow with its paddle-like tail. Such an encounter the crew of the Brighton were presently to witness. Suddenly out of the still sea, only about a quarter of a mile away, there rose an immense whale. High in the air the same moment leaped two thrasher sharks, dousing their enemies' fearful blows as they dropped upon his back.

The murderous thrusts of the swordfish could not of course be seen. For some little time the battle raged, the men on board the idle Brighton watching spellbound. At one point it looked to involve them in its own doom, for presently, heaving itself high above the surface, it rushed straight toward the ship. Not a chance would there have been of surviving the impact with the wounded monster had the latter struck the vessel, but fortunately, when only some hundred yards away, the whale stayed its headlong rush, reared itself almost clear of the water, and fell back dead.

MRS. STEVENS RECOVERS

After Years of Suffering. Tells How Her Health Was Regained.

Watrous, Okla.—"I had female troubles for seven years, was all run down, and so nervous I could not do anything. The doctors treated me for different things but did me no good. I got so bad that I could not sleep day or night. While in this condition I read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and began its use and wrote to you for special advice. In a short time I had regained my health and am now strong and well." —Mrs. SALLIE STEVENS, R.F.D., No. 2, Comanche, Okla.

Another Woman Recovers.

Newton, N.H.—"For five years I suffered from female weakness and dragging down pains. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored my health and the pains are gone." —Mrs. F. A. FRASLER, R.F.D., Box 88.

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