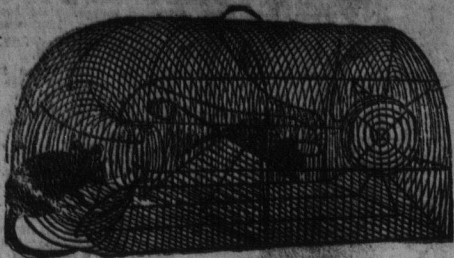


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RESTORES DEAD DOGS TO LIFE.

Cleveland Surgeon Announces Discovery of an Ellixir Which Re-animates Them.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 21.—An announcement by Dr. George W. Crile, professor of applied surgery at the Cleveland College of Physicians and Surgeons, of his discovery of means for restoring to life animals which had been dead as long as 15 minutes has aroused profound interest among Cleveland physicians. Dr. Crile briefly announced his discovery with a promise to report fully to the Cleveland Medical Society within a short time. The life giving fluid is called "adrenalin."

Dr. Crile, who is now in Boston on a professional visit, is considered the foremost surgeon in this city. He has been for several years an investigator along the lines of surgical shock and in 1897 he published an essay giving the result of his researches, for which he obtained the Cartwright prize. It was while experimenting upon dogs by vivisection that Dr. Crile made the important discovery just announced. He had previously used infusions of salt and cocaine, for the purpose of meeting surgical shock. Recently he resorted to "adrenalin," the product of glands above the kidneys of animals. "Adrenalin" possesses the property of introducing pressure to the blood.

In the experiment which resulted in this discovery he put a dog under the influence of anaesthetics and then cut off the animal's head. The dog was given an intravenous infusion of "adrenalin." This was supplemented by artificial respiration and rhythmic pressure over the thorax. By these means life was maintained in the body ten and a half hours. Another dog, also under the influence of anaesthetics, was put to death by suspension of respiration by means of a clamp upon the windpipe. After the expiration of 15 minutes the veins were opened, the infusion of adrenalin injected and the other means of resuscitation resorted to. Life returned to the dog, and within a short time it was running about. The animal is alive and as well as ever now.

In the absence of Dr. Crile and before he makes his report, other physicians will not discuss his discovery for publication, though all of them are willing to credit him with having established a scientific fact of great value.

Dr. W. B. Lower, who assisted Dr. Crile, says that he sees no reason why the same results which have attended the experiments with animals cannot be obtained with human subjects, especially in cases where death has been caused by surgical or electric shock or suffocation.

CROKER WILL BE IN POLITICS.

(Brooklyn Eagle.) There need be no misapprehension about Richard Croker. If he comes over here he will take part in politics. He may not intend to do so. He may be perfectly sincere in his intention and effort not to do so. But though he is a strong man events are stronger. Politics will recur to him and he will have to recur to politics. The law of association, habit and interest to which this fact will be due cannot be mistaken or resisted or evaded. From the moment Richard Croker arrives he will become a political center. He may or he may not derange existing conditions in Tammany Hall. If they do not meet his approval they will be changed. If they meet his approval their continuance will be due to his willingness that they should continue. Tammany will be in his hands and the effectations to the contrary will be one which he may encourage, but neither he nor any one else will be deceived by it.

LOCAL POLITICS.

(The Monitor.) There is considerable uneasiness among the Catholic supporters of the local government regarding candidates for the local house on the government ticket. It goes without saying, of course, that there will be a member of that denomination on the ticket; but many Catholic supporters think there should be a Catholic on both city and county tickets, and that one of them ought to carry a portfolio with it. As the "main-body," in its true sense, of the support of the local government in the St. John constituencies comes from the Catholic portion of the community, the claim is not unreasonable.

KILLED BY ACCIDENT.

Corporal Thomas Howell, of the Leinster regiment, stationed in Ireland, has been visiting his parents at Pine Ridge, Kent county. He came to Moncton on Saturday, enroute to St. John to take passage on the Lake Champlain. He had been drinking, and while in Moncton depot staggered through the open doorway leading to the basement and fell to the bottom. His skull was fractured and he died yesterday morning. Howell was 26 years old and enlisted in the Leinsters three years ago at Halifax.

CARLETON CO. MAN.

TORONTO, Jan. 25.—Dr. O'Reilly has received notice from Charles E. Griffith of Carleton county, N. B., that he claims to be a relative of the late Bill Hyman, the Jew beggar who died recently leaving a large estate.

NEITHER INTENDED IT,

But Two People Were Fatally Shot Just the Same.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 25.—Roger Johnston, aged 23, shot and fatally wounded Mrs. Russell Swaggerty last night. Mrs. Swaggerty intended to call on the boy's mother, who has been ill. The boy, who had been asleep, thought a burglar was trying to enter. Opening the door a few inches he fired a pistol and the bullet lodged in the woman's brain.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Miss Elsie Herron, 20 years old, shot and probably fatally wounded her cousin, Lester Carroll, 14 years old, last night while he was visiting the family. "I didn't know it was loaded," protested Miss Herron, when she was arrested. The girl took Lester upstairs to show him her father's new revolver. She pointed it at him in play. Just then the pistol went off and the bullet struck the boy in the chest.

POLICE COURT.

Robert French charged for Soap and Went to Jail.

Police court was interesting, enough this morning, but the attendance was not so large as usual.

Ned O'Brien was drunk and had been sweating. He also had cramps, but didn't say how many. Ned wanted to know what he would take for the cramps and was advised not to take less than fifteen cents, if they were good ones. He was fined sixteen dollars or two months in jail.

Cleanliness is next to godliness, but in Robert French's case it was next to jail. French had been putting in coal on Friday, but got a job with Adam Bell at the Turkish baths. He was given a free bath, two shirts, a dinner and lots of information. The dinner Robert described as "bum," although it really was pork, the information was too much, and the bath was a luxury. French could not stand prosperity, and left the baths on Saturday, accompanied by a shirt, a towel, and a piece of soap. He sent a friend up to take his job, and Mr. Bell sent for the cops. The soap scented itself and was worth about ten cents. The total value of the articles stolen was one dollar and French this morning was given some change from freedom to jail. Three months—and he came off the Lake Champlain, too.

Edward Riley was another drunk from the Champlain, but that old gag is so common an occurrence now that the crowd forgot to smile. In this they differed from Riley, who had smiled too much. The man was released to go back to his vessel.

Two other drunks were fined eight dollars each and a third forfeited his deposit.

On the charge of assaulting young Quinlan at the tank house in Carleton on the night of Dec. 22, Andrew O'Brien was fined twenty dollars.

H. H. McLean appeared in court to conduct the case on behalf of the C. F. R. against the tank house responsible for the injury to the tank house.

PROBATE COURT.

In the estate of the late John S. Nickerson, a petition was presented Saturday for passing the accounts, to the amount of \$15,000. A citation was granted, returnable March 2. Dr. A. O. Earle, K. C., proctor.

A petition was presented to prove the last will and testament of Elizabeth Harris in solemn form, by James P. Harris, the executor. A citation was granted, returnable March 9th. Macrae & Sinclair, proctors.

LAKE CHAMPLAIN'S CATTLE.

Fourteen cars of cattle for the Lake Champlain got in at five o'clock this morning and were immediately shunted down to the sheds on the Bellair wharf, and twenty-six more will arrive at five o'clock this afternoon, making 600 cattle in all.

For this shipment the big barge St. Lawrence will be brought into play for the first time. The drop, which the I. C. R. people are going to put in at the Bellair wharf to render possible the transfer of stock from the sheds to the barge at any time of tide has not yet been constructed, so the loading will have to be done at high water, probably tomorrow morning. The barge will be able to take the shipment across in two trips.

A RUNAWAY LOAD.

What might have resulted in a serious accident occurred this morning on Carmarthen street at the head of the old graveyard. A heavy double sledge loaded with ten large casks of lime, and drawn by two horses got started going down hill. The pole of the sledge broke and the horses were dragged down in spite of their attempts to secure a footing. The hind wheel of the sledge finally brought up against the fence at the lower side of the graveyard, smashing the boards off and punching a hole in the shoe shop which stands there. No one was hurt.

The Billing Hollops' Mission Band of the Carleton Methodist church will give an entertainment in the school-room tomorrow (Tuesday) evening, beginning at half-past seven o'clock. A good programme, consisting of Christmas carols, recitations, missionary exercises etc., have been prepared and a treat is in store for all who attend.

Since January 20th, Manitoba flour has advanced 25 cents per barrel and Ontario 10 to 15 cents. The market is very strong.

VENEZUELA.

Pres. Castro's Troops Defeated by the Revolutionists.

Will Raise the Blockade as Soon as Guarantees are Given.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—President Castro's troops have been defeated by the Venezuelan revolutionists in an important battle about forty miles west of Puerto Cabello, says a despatch to the Herald from Willemstadt, island of Curacao. Scattered bodies of the defeated government soldiers are arriving at Puerto Cabello. Their commanding general was captured by the revolutionists.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Persons in close touch with the blockading forces here, according to the Herald's Puerto Cabello, Venezuela, correspondent, that Fort San Carlos, which commands the entrance to Lake Maracaibo, has been captured by the Germans and been blown up. They also report that German gunboat Panther has been disabled and is being towed by the German cruiser Falke to Willemstadt, Curacao.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—A long conference between Minister Bowen and Sir Michael Herbert, the British ambassador, beginning at noon today, followed by shorter conferences between Sir Michael, Signor Major Des Blanches, the Italian ambassador, and Count Quadt, the German charge d'affaires, indicated diplomatic activity in Washington over the Venezuelan situation. All the negotiators decline to discuss the results of today's meetings, but a general statement by them that the situation tonight warrants hope of early relief, is significant of what has been accomplished in the last twenty-four hours.

By this time the London, Berlin and Rome foreign offices are in possession of Mr. Bowen's third proposal, stating in their declarations, the representatives of the European powers promised to consent to the immediate raising of the blockade as soon as an agreement is concluded between them and Mr. Bowen embodying the conditions laid down by the powers. These conditions chiefly relate to the guarantee to be furnished by Venezuela which has offered a portion of the customs revenue of Lagunaira and Porto Cabello.

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FOR AMERICAN READERS.

(Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The Anglo-German alliance becomes more unpopular every day, according to a despatch from London to the Tribune, daily or weekly, or the feeling is growing that the Berlin government is doing its best to involve England in a quarrel with America. It is difficult to say what will be the outcome of the San Carlos incident.

Henry Norman, who is one of the ablest foreign affairs in the house of commons, points out that although the Monroe doctrine has been formally recognized by Great Britain, it has not been recognized by Germany, and as nobody who follows German opinion closely doubts for a moment that a misunderstanding between this country and America would be very far from being a matter for sorrow in Germany, it was a master stroke of diplomacy for the Kaiser to inveigle the British government into this action for joint action within the sphere of the Monroe doctrine.

UNCLE TOM TONIGHT.

This evening at the York Theatre Ed. P. Davis's company will present their attractive play, "Uncle Tom's Cabin." It will be presented in a thoroughly commendable and highly spectacular manner. Herbert Church, a popular colored actor, will appear as the faithful and humble Uncle Tom; pretty Bessie Troy, a talented child artist, will be seen as Little Eva; and the remainder of the cast will be of unusual competency. The Brothers Rice and Miss Louise Ward, three nimble-heeled colored people, who are advertised as the greatest buck and wing dancers in the world, will appear in the plantation scene with a number of other colored people. This ensemble will be composed of plantation singers, dancers, and specialties of various sorts. The Cook Twin Sisters will render several songs in an artistic manner, of which they are undoubtedly capable, as both are known to have received an exceptionally thorough musical education, and the final transformation scene to be shown in the fifth act, is described as surpassing in elaborateness anything of its kind seen in recent years in performances of this play. In it nine entirely separate drop scenes are shown, and at the end is pictured Abraham Lincoln freeing the colored man.

TORE DOWN THE FLAG.

The London Times' Cork correspondent says: At a meeting of the board of governors of the lunacy asylum, a few days ago, County Council, O'Neill moved that the Union Jack be hauled down from the asylum flagstaff, as they could do business without the emblem of British rule, and they should not fly it while some of their best people were imprisoned. The resolution was passed and the flag hauled down.

FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

Two More St. John School Teachers Will go Next Month.

Within a month or so two more St. John school teachers will go to South Africa in response to a demand which the splendid work of their predecessors has created.

The action of the imperial government in summoning teachers from this, the oldest colony, to train in the way they should go the children of the youngest, has been more than justified by the unqualified success attending the work of the Canadian teachers who went out last year. All are holding good positions and with one or two exceptions are all are planning to stay the three-year term.

A short time ago Dr. Bridges was asked by the British government to furnish two more teachers qualified to take positions in the model school in Johannesburg, in connection with the normal school there. Those he has selected are Miss Amy Iddolls, who teaches grade one in Victoria school and Miss Iva Yerxa, formerly of Leinster street school, who recently returned from a two years' residence in the Canadian west. They have been allowed to take their own time for going and expect to leave for their new work along the last of March or the first of April.

BUBONIC PLAGUE.

DURBAN, Natal, Jan. 25.—Bubonic plague is spreading so seriously that the natives are panic stricken. Servants and laborers are leaving the town in large numbers. It is anticipated that the Zululand drifts will be closed so as to prevent the spread of the plague to that territory.

TRIED TO ESCAPE.

One of the immigrants detained at Sand Point by the American commissioners, and who was to be deported on the Lake Champlain, made a bold break for liberty last night. Between twelve and one o'clock, when nearly all Cape was asleep, the man quietly raised one of the windows in the immigration building, stole out, and with his bundle started in the direction of Oklahoma or some other place in that vicinity. He was caught by Officers Lee and Gosline and taken back to the building.

RAILWAY DISASTER.

WILLIAMSPORT, P. A., Jan. 25.—Two brakemen, Edward Darling and Thomas Swan, were killed and Harley Edwards, conductor, fatally injured today in a railway wreck on the Williamsport and North Branch R. R., near Hatterfield. The wreck was caused by an open switch.

BASE BALL.

TACOMA, Jan. 25.—John Kling, the star baseballer for the Chicago National League team, has been signed to play with Tacoma in the Pacific Northwest League.

DISTINGUISHED PASSENGERS.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—The White Star line steamer Oceanic, which is to sail from Liverpool for New York on Wednesday, will have among her passengers the Earl and Countess of Radnor, the Countess of Lathom, Count Frederick Moyes and Sir Charles Howard.

AMERICAN HONORED.

PARIS, Jan. 25.—The name of C. Laman Darnand, Paris correspondent of the New York Tribune, has been added to those previously announced as having received the rank of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor.

HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.

HONOLULU, Jan. 25.—Lorrin Andrews has been appointed attorney general of Hawaii by Governor Dole in succession to E. P. Dole, resigned. Mr. Andrews is a native of New York and a grandson of one of the earliest Hawaiian missionaries.

PANAMA CANAL.

KINGSTON, J. A., Jan. 25.—The Jamaica newspapers express delight at the signing of the treaty between the United States and Colombia, providing for the completion of the Panama canal. They look upon it as opening a much needed outlet for Jamaican laborers and artisans.

COL. LYCH.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—It is now generally conceded that, as "abled to the Associated Press" the day he was condemned to death, the sentence passed upon Col. Arthur Lynch, who was found guilty of high treason on Friday last, will be commuted to penal servitude for life, subject to further consideration after a term of years.

CUBAN RECIPROCIITY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Secretary Hay this morning sent for the Cuban minister, and with him signed a convention extending for a considerable period the time limit for the exchange of ratifications of the Cuban reciprocity treaty now pending in the senate, which under the original agreement expires Saturday, Jan. 31.

TWO CANADIANS HONORED.

(Ottawa Citizen.) Information was received here Thursday of the appointment of Rear-Admiral Charles Carter Drury, R. N., commander-in-chief of the East India squadron, to be a knight commander of the Star of India. According to Morgan, Sir Charles Drury is the son of late Baron Drury of St. John, New Brunswick, by his wife, Miss Payne of U. B. Loydell, descent, and was born at Fredericton, August 27, 1846. He was educated for the navy on the training ship Britannia and entered the service as a naval cadet in 1863; was promoted lieutenant 1868, commander 1870, and captain 1882. From 1882 to 1888 he commanded H. M. S. Bellerophon on this station. Not long since he attained admiral's rank and was given his present appointment. He is regarded as one of the most able and experienced officers afloat. He obtains his new honor in connection with the recent Durbar at Delhi.

Another Canadian honored, on the same occasion, is Captain Alain C. Joly de Lotbiniere, the second son of the respected lieutenant governor of British Columbia, who has been awarded the Kaiser-i-Hind medal for public service in India, of the first class. He is at present deputy chief engineer in Mysore.

Miss Bessie Goddard, of Alma, Albert county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fitzpatrick, of the West Side.

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RECENT DEATHS.

Conductor Daniel Hunter of the I. C. R. died at Moncton on Saturday night of pneumonia. He was a native of Windsor, N. S., and had been running on the northern division of the I. C. R. for nearly twenty years. Margaret Withers, a widow and a native of St. Andrews, died yesterday in Halifax. Wm. Cain of Marysville, died suddenly on Friday evening, aged seventy-two years.

HALIFAX HAS IT NOW.

The last arrest for drunkenness in Halifax, says Saturday's Echo, took place on the 14th at 1:00 a. m. and the prisoner was a woman, Police Sgt. Collins, on station duty, said on Saturday that in his twenty-two years as sergeant he did not remember a week in which there had not been arrests for drunkenness. The police are unable to explain the temperance wave but hope it will continue.

MISSIONARY WEDDED.

Rev. F. J. Bradshaw and Miss Martha Philip, M. D., were married at Middleton, N. S., last Wednesday. By Rev. A. C. Archibald and Rev. W. I. Archibald, nephews of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw left for Boston, and in three weeks will sail for Europe. After a three months' tour there they will go to Kiating, China, where Mr. Bradshaw will resume his work as missionary.

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Suits and Overcoats to measure for \$12.00. Pants to Measure \$3.00.

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WANTED—A girl for general housework. No washing. Apply to MISS E. A. PRINCE, 50 Sydney street.

WANTED—A housemaid. Apply to Mrs. VASSIE, 28 Mecklenburg Street.

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COUGH CURE—McGregor's Cough Remedy, and will cure a cough when the "best in the world" fails. Try it. Only 25 cents for a large bottle. Sold only at 121 Charlotte street.

SHOW-CASES—A bargain for some one. Best in the world. Call and see them at W. TREMAYNE GARD'S, Jeweler and Optician, 48 King street.

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LOST—Two Cats, one black with white breast and side of nose; the other an eight-month-old kitten, black and white stripes. Return to 35 Dorchester or 27 Cliff street.

STOLEN—From the owner, at 59 Sheriff street, a black bicycle, eleven years old, and a bicycle horn. The owner offers a reward for the same after this date will be prosecuted.

LOST—On Wednesday evening, between Chipman's Hill and Medford street, by way of King and Sydney, One Pair of Shirt Studs. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at the office of this paper.

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CHAMBERLAIN AND DELAREY.

Chamberlain and Delarey met at Matting on Saturday. A commando of Boops met Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain and Edson Powell and escorted them to the town. Mr. Chamberlain delivered an address, after which Delarey spoke, declaring his belief that the colonial secretary was the man to set things right in South Africa. Delarey accompanied the party when they left the town.

STRIKE AT PORT MORIEN.

GLACE BAY, Jan. 25.—The miners at Port Morien are out on strike at the orders of the P. W. A. and only a few non-union men are working about the pit. The manager, it is understood, refused to accede to the demands of the men for more pay for working four shifts per day.

MAY PURCHASE WOOLLEN MILLS

F. L. Hoop has secured an option on the property and plant of the Woollen Mills at Eureka, the price named being in the vicinity of \$50,000 and it is proposed to organize a company to take them over.

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MISS GRANT'S ERROR.

The Globe cannot conceal its ardent affection for the United States. Referring to the recent incident in congress it says:—

The young Canadian woman who called out from the gallery of the House of Representatives at Washington to the member on the floor who was speaking that he was a liar is being treated by the American newspapers as though she lacked in common sense, and perhaps she did. It certainly was a foolish thing to violate the courtesy which had been accorded her by a senseless demonstration.

Had Miss Grant, instead of resenting the impertinent annexation talk of the congressman, applauded him, the Globe would doubtless have considered the item worthy of large type, top of column, first page. But she was not an annexationist.

A TRIFLE TOO INTENSE.

It is interesting now, if somewhat amusing, to read over again some of the articles published by American periodicals during the early stages of the boer war. Equally interesting and no less amusing will the articles on the Venezuelan question now being published appear after the affair has passed into history. While there are some notable exceptions, the average American writer simply cannot hold the balance true between Europe and this continent. Nor can he think of the United States as other than the greatest and wisest nation on earth. This latter is patriotic, certainly; and in a sense commendable; but one grows a little tired of hearing about it. Something might safely be left for the intelligent reader to infer.

Referring to the Doukhobors, Nestorians and other crazy folk the government of Canada appears willing to have poured into this country the Ottawa Citizen rightly says:—"The trouble with these peoples seems to be that they are just as restive and discontented under British rule as under the alleged despotism from which they are so ready to escape whenever their migration is financed by impressionable philanthropists. Canada offers a home to all industrious, healthy and law-abiding people. But fanatics and faddists are not wanted, either singly or in droves."

Crude petroleum declined two cents per barrel last week, but as, at the same time, an advance of five cents per gallon in the price of cylinder lubricating oil was reported and in the prices of all other grades of mineral lubricating oil one cent a gallon, there is still reason to hope that young Mr. Rockefeller will not have to give up his Bible class on account of inability to purchase Sunday clothes.

The concealment of the fact that the plague existed in San Francisco, now that the truth has come out, gives the press of the rest of the country an excellent text from which to preach sermons to the Californians. It is rightly observed that "One of the greatest safeguards against the spread of disease is publicity as to its progress. The publication of facts enables city and state boards of health to take precautions and to be on their guard."

It is perhaps worth while to repeat what the Star stated last fall. If additional wharves are to be built birch timber will be required. The winter is the time to get out the timber. The winter is rapidly passing and nothing has been done.

Several southern congressmen went away from Pres. Roosevelt's reception one evening last week because some colored people were present. The race problem is evidently not any nearer a friendly solution than it was years ago.

In the present grave dilemma regarding the disposal of a prisoner, the Star commends to the attention of judges, mayors, attorneys general and others the story by Leo Tolstol, reprinted in this issue.

Hon. Messrs. Tweedie and Pugsley have gone to Ottawa. Let the bravest hold his breath for a while. There will be millions in the air presently, and every member of the opposition will be the foe of progress and the enemy of his country.

Three hundred and twenty-three new cases of typhoid fever were recorded in Philadelphia last week. There are now supposed to be nearly 1,500 cases of the disease, attributed to bad drinking water.

The city council of Lansing, Mich., forfeited the charter of a street railroad company because it did not give good service.

The fact that Richard Croker is coming back to New York excites a great deal of comment and much speculation on the subject of his attitude toward New York politics.

The friends of Messrs. Milligan and Crocker are strenuously endeavoring to keep them apart. These hot-blooded youngsters are a sore trial.

The beginning of another week finds the Rothessay forgers still at large.

NEW YEAR'S AFFAIRS.

The Zion Methodist Church Sunday School.

The annual report of Zion Methodist church Sunday school was read at the morning service yesterday, showing an enrolment of 153. The attendance during the past year was good, the average being 93. The sum of \$127 was raised during the year for Sunday school purposes, and the expenditure amounted to \$77.44, leaving a balance on hand of \$49.56. Of the \$124 raised for Sunday school purposes, \$36 was raised by the home department.

The names of the officers elected for the present year are: Frank Purdy, superintendent; John Paterson and J. J. Irvine, assistant superintendents; A. C. Powers, secretary; Miss Deap Irvine, assistant secretary; Fred McLean and Albert Linton, librarians; Mrs. Kethlin, supt. of home department; Miss W. R. Wilson, organist.

The pupils of the Sunday school attended the morning service and occupied the front seats. The hymns were taken from the Sunday school hymnal. Addresses were made by retiring superintendent John Paterson, supt. elect Frank Purdy, and the pastor, Rev. Dr. Wilson, whose theme was, Great Results from Small Causes, based upon the incident in the Bible of the man who drew a bow at a venture.

Last evening the pastor preached on the Ideal Teacher. The exercises closed by a brief song service.

ST. JOHN DISTRICT DIVISION, S. OF T.

St. John Co. District Division, Sons of Temperance, met in annual session in the Temperance Hall, Market Building, on Saturday evening. The session was largely attended by delegates from the various subordinate divisions, and great interest was manifested. The reports of the executive and the district scribe showed the order to have a large gain in membership during the year.

The matter of young people's work was taken up and discussed at some length. It was recognized that the Bands of Hope organized in various parts of the city.

After the regular business was transacted A. J. Armstrong, the grand scribe, took the chair and conducted the election of officers, which resulted as follows: S. P. McAvour, D. W. P.; H. W. Belding, D. W. A.; G. M. Wetmore, D. scribe; W. Cronk, D. treasurer; John Gowland, D. chap.; Ed. Cowan, D. con.; D. S. Thomas, D. S.; J. Sullivan, D. P. W. P. The officers were then installed by Grand scribe Armstrong, after which the session adjourned to meet at the call of the chair.

A. O. H. FAIR A GRAND SUCCESS.

The A. O. H. fair is being well patronized by the general public. Standing room was at a premium on Saturday evening, when the numerous games were in full swing and took well with the visitors. A person who takes keep interest in rifle shooting had a genuine success in the schaum pipe for the best shot at the end of the fair. A prize is given each evening to the one who makes the best score. There has been donated to the bowling alley an English S. B. D. pipe by Alderman McGoig, for which there are many competitors. David Anderson, a Tailors has many patrons who are anxiously competing for a handsome pipe and a pair of lady's fancy slippers. The Irishmen desire their friends to hand in the returns for tickets at once, as they wish to prepare for the drawing, which they hope to have take place at the end of the week.

SMALLPOX HOSPITAL BURNED.

The smallpox hospital at Bliddeford, N. B., burned early yesterday morning and the thirty patients were forced to escape in their night clothes. They were removed to the dwelling of Eugene LaBond, half a mile away, and later twenty-six of them were removed to the city's auxiliary smallpox building. The loss by the fire was \$4,000. One of the patients, seventy years of age, probably died from the results of exposure to the mercury was below zero when they were driven out of the burning building.

FOUND DEAD.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Jan. 25.—The woman whose body was found frozen to the ground in East Gloucester woods yesterday was positively identified by Frank Sanborn, of Lynn, and the unfortunate woman's sister, Mrs. Sanborn's wife, Mary, who left her husband's home in Lynn ten months ago, since which time nothing has been heard from her.

MARRIAGES.

PATTERSON-CHAPMAN.—At the home of the bride's parents, on Jan. 21st, 1908, by the Rev. D. B. Thompson, the marriage of Miss Mabel A. Chapman, of Mount Middleton, Kings county, N. B.

MURRAY-BELL.—At St. Andrew's Manse, Chatham, N. B., on Jan. 24th, by the Rev. D. Henderson, William J. Murray, of Brewer, Maine, to Miss Jane, daughter of Alexander Bell, Church Point, Northumberland Co., N. B.

DEATHS.

GOULD.—At Sunset, N. B., on Jan. 25th, aged 58 years, William M. Gould.

BURLEY.—In this city, January 25th, James H. Burley, aged 72 years, died of pneumonia. He leaves a father, three brothers and one sister to mourn their sad loss. Funeral from his late residence, Guilford street, west end, at 2:30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

TO HELP THE BOYS

The Order of the New Century Knight and its Pledges.

Sermon by Rev. J. R. Murray of Butte, Montana, on a Recent Sunday.

(Anaconda Standard.)

Rev. J. R. Murray of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church delivered a powerful sermon Sunday morning, Jan. 4, before his congregation upon the subjects of "Our Boys." Rev. Mr. Murray took his text from II. Samuel, xviii, 37: "Is the young man safe?" Among other things he said:

"After due deliberation and prayer I have determined to devote this New Year's service to a discussion of this subject. We admit in the very beginning the great difference that there is between our girls and boys. The strength of this comparison being in the girls' favor, this is a mystery to me. In all these lands we find women degraded. Only in Christian lands do we find her elevated to the throne in the home. But strange to note, as she has been lifted up and elevated her brother has by neglect been permitted to sink down in ignorance and vice till today, without surprise, we may find under the same parental roof the daughter refined and accomplished and the son a hoodlum and a tough. Today it is a common occurrence for a boy of tender years to be guilty of crimes that become a blot, a stain on the character which a subsequent life of fidelity cannot erase. This fearful state of affairs has a cause. It cannot truthfully be affirmed that boys are naturally bad, depraved and degraded below girls. With 20 years' experience in molding and directing child life I speak advisedly when I affirm that under like environments boys are as easily appealed to as girls. The fact that they come from the same home does not imply that environments are the same. Let me illustrate. My illustration is drawn from the southern home. I see a Christian home, a boy of nine and a girl of seven. The parents wish to make their children happy, and to that end buy them toys. Look at the little girl's playhouse. She has her dollie, a little stove, dishes, etc., and the little housekeeper in her play is being educated for her life work. What has been done for the boy? He was given a toy pistol and started out shooting people and playing the desperado; and he, too, grows up and goes right on in the way that he was started, or he must change the whole tenor of his life. Skip ten years. See the girl in school, a good student at the head of her class. She has not missed a day from school in two sessions nor scarcely been tardy. She will graduate next spring with honors. Her father and friends are proud of her. Where is the boy? It is springtime now. Last winter he attended school three months after the autumn work was done. He had all the chores to do before going, hence he was usually tardy. He is needed at home now to assist in spring work. He does not like to go to school, so he was stopped, and the parents can't understand why there is such a difference in Mary and Willie. Look at just one more picture. Go to Mary's room. There is a nice carpet on the floor, a beautiful furniture, a snowy white bed, beautiful pictures on an easy chair; there on the table the best of books, everything to make home pleasant—the dearest spot on earth. Go to the boy's room. Climb that flight of dark stairs, see the bare floor, look at the old discarded furniture. Yes, see the picture of a half-nude female, with a volume of smoke emitting from her mouth, an advertisement for a cigarette factory or of some brewery association. Have you not seen this picture in real life, have you played no part therein? It is even worse when we come to the city, for the boy is constantly brought in contact with evil of every form. Again there are many boys deprived of father's or mother's counsel; the orphan always appeals to our sympathy. But many boys are more unfortunate than the orphan. How many are being led astray by the evil example of parents? These are cold facts that confront us if we seek to deal with this question. Under these circumstances I ask, does he not deserve sympathy and help rather than censure and hard words? It is not a question of today, for the men of tomorrow must come from the boys of today. If we have good boys today we will have good men tomorrow and vice versa. Those of you who know me best know that I believe the world is growing better and wiser, and to my mind one of the best evidences of this fact is found in the attention that is being paid to our boys. Surely no other work is more useful or hopeful, or one that will result in more good in the next generation. In many of our cities men of master minds are giving their lives, and men of wealth their money in organizing and conducting clubs, shelters and rest houses for our boys.

"To win our children to the cause of right is to save the world from evil. 'What can I do?' Is that your question now? First firmly fix this grain of gold in your mind and heart. It is better to have tried to accomplish some noble work and failed than not to have tried at all. Then adopt as your motto the order simply requires the boy to sign the declaration of independence, which reads as follows: 'It is my purpose to be something, and to do something for the betterment of the world, and my determination never to use profanity, alcohol or tobacco in any form.' Within the last few months more than

IRISH DEFENCE FUND.

Treasurer of United League of America Received \$35,000.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—At a meeting of the National Executive Committee of the United Irish League of America, at the Hoffman House yesterday, it was announced by the national treasurer, T. E. Fitzpatrick, of Boston, that upwards of \$35,000 had been received by him as part of the defence fund of \$100,000 pledged at the recent convention of the league, held in Boston to be raised within six months.

LONDON, January 20.—The Times' Dublin correspondent says the treasurer of the Irish parliamentary fund have received from the United Irish League in America a second contribution of £2,000. This includes the receipts at some of the meetings recently addressed in the United States by John Redmond and other delegates.

WINNIPEG'S NEW BUILDINGS.

975 Erected in 1902. At a Cost of \$2,365,325.

(Mail and Empire.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 19.—The city building inspector today published his report for 1907. The total number of building permits issued was 849, representing 1,009 buildings, and alterations. Of these twenty-seven were not built, making a total of 822 permits, and 975 buildings, as follows:

598 frame dwellings \$22,700
21 brick dwellings 252,450
6 brick veneer dwellings 28,400
62 warehouses, storerooms 630,675
16 churches, academies, schools 247,600
85 workshops, stables, sheds 41,850
205 alterations, additions and improvements 209,650

Total, 973 buildings \$2,365,325

SUES EMPLOYERS FOR \$50,000.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—Because her employers, Trux Green & Co., insisted that she be vaccinated and because she alleges that she became ill from the effects, Miss Grace Voorhees has brought suit against her former employers for \$50,000 damages. Miss Voorhees claims she was able to earn \$100 a month in February, 1901, and that she submitted to the vaccination because she thought that it would be properly done and that she could not retain her position unless she did submit. She avers, however, that the vaccination was not well done, that from its effects she became ill and that she will never again regain her strength on account of the poison injected into her system.

COMING TO ST. JOHN.

QUEBEC, Jan. 25.—An important deputation, including some of the leading men of Quebec, leave here tomorrow for Halifax and St. John to address the local public bodies, boards of trade, etc., in the interests of the trans-Canadian railway, which proposes to utilize the ports of the Canadian maritime provinces instead of the United States winter port of the Grand Trunk system. Already this company has reason to hope that both Ontario and Quebec will give it a good land subsidy. It will help Manitoba by being able to carry its wheat to the Atlantic seaboard at a saving of one-third of the existing rates per bushel. It will be the shortest trans-continental line in North America, and the most advantageous route for the shipment of imperial troops to the Orient, being so far north as to be perfectly secure from interruption in the event of trouble with the United States. It will open up the enormous wheat growing lands in the Peace River valley.

The deputation to the maritime provinces will consist of J. G. Scott, manager of the Quebec and Lake St. John and Great Northern railways; A. E. Doucet, chief engineer of the trans-Canada; T. H. Gardiner of the trans-Canada railway; Hon. Jules Taschereau, ex-speaker of the Quebec legislature; Hon. Charles Langlois, sheriff of Quebec; Mr. Girard, M. P. for Lake St. John; Col. B. A. Scott and Lt. Col. Walter Ray.

WANTED—A case of Headache that KIMFORT POWDERS will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

Sale of Household Linens and Cottons.

Including FREE HEMMING of Sheets, Pillow Slips, Napkins, Table Cloths, Towels, Quilts. "Experienced hands only to execute the hemming of the above." Our range of Towels bought especially for this sale is very extensive and the prices very attractive.

- No. 40—Huck Towels, fringed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 50c.
No. 39—Huck Towels, fringed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 40c.
No. 38—Huck Towels, fringed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 60c.
No. 6—Huck Towels, hemstitched, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 75c.
No. 9—Huck Towels, fringed, red border, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 75c.
No. 10—Huck Towels, fringed, all white, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 75c.
No. 7—Crispe Towels, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 85c.
No. 11—Huck Towels, hemstitched, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 85c.
No. 13—Huck Towels, hemstitched, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 85c.
TRAY CLOTHS, BUREAU STRIPS, CARVER CLOTHS, D'OYLEYS, LAMEN, HEMSTITCHED SHEETS,
No. 19—Huck Towels, hemmed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 85c.
No. 14—Huck Towels, fringed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 90c.
No. 15—Huck Towels, fringed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for 90c.
No. 20—Huck Towels, hemmed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$1.10.
No. 22—Huck Towels, hemmed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$1.15.
No. 21—Huck Towels, hemstitched, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$1.25.
No. 3—Huck Towels, fringed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$1.25.
No. 45—Crispe Towels, fringed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$1.50.
No. 25—Huck Towels, hemstitched, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$1.50.
LINEN CLOTHS, FIVE O'CLOCK TEA CLOTHS,
No. 27—Damask Huck Towels, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$1.50.
No. 28—Huck Towels, hemstitched, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$1.75.
No. 46—Huck Towels, fringed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$1.90.
No. 31—Huck Towels, hemstitched, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$1.90.
No. 43—Huck Towels, damask border all round, hemstitched, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$1.90.
No. 42—Huck Towels, fringed, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$2.40.
No. 41—Huck Towels, hemstitched, size 12x24 inches. Half dozen for \$2.60.
HEMSTITCHED DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS, LINEN HAND EMBROIDERED BED SPREADS,
The LINEN ROOM is freshly and abundantly stocked with all that is required in the lines of Housekeeping Linens and Cottons. We were never so well prepared for increased business as we are at the present time.
NOTE—Last year we discontinued the sale in this department at an earlier date than formerly. This year we will pursue the same course, therefore it is advisable to PLACE ORDERS EARLY.

Manchester, Robertson, Allison

10,000 manly boys have signed this pledge, and I'm glad to find some of them in Butte. Surely no boy can object to signing it. Certainly every parent will be glad to have his boy become a knight. When a commandary has been organized it is for the members to determine their course. What better work could be done than to finish up the rooms of the basement of this church and consecrate it to the use of our boys? In the meantime we beg the co-operation of you all to help us lead our boy even this far."

MONSTER CARNIVAL

FIRST OF THE SEASON AT VICTORIA RINK. FRIDAY, JAN. 30th.

The St. John Trades and Labor Council will hold a MONSTER CARNIVAL, which promises to eclipse any Fancy Dress Carnival ever held in the Victoria. New Features, Novelty, New Combinations. \$60-SIXTY DOLLARS-\$60 in prizes as follows:
Combination, 10 or under—1st \$15.00
Combination, 10 or under—2nd 7.50
Tug-of-War, open to Union—1st 10.00
Tug-of-War, open to Union—2nd 5.00
Ladies' Most Fancy Dress 5.00
Gents' Most Fancy Dress 5.00
Ladies' Most Original Dress 5.00
Gents' Most Original Dress 5.00
Jugglers, boy or girl from Most Original Costume 1.00
A Handsome Silver Tea Service to holder of lucky ticket.
Doors open at 7 p. m. Music at 7.45. Tickets, 25 cents.

York Theatre

THREE NIGHTS, COMMENCING MONDAY, JANUARY 26th. WEDNESDAY MATINEE.

Edward F. Davis' Magnificent Etonia Production

Uncle Tom's Cabin!

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The Largest Company in the World. Travelling in our Magnificent Pullman Sleeping and Dining Cars.

SEE the Grand Canteen Walk. SEE Our First Class Spoil-thea. SEE Our Grand Street Parade. SEE the Best "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Show on Earth.

PRICES—10, 20 and 25 cts. MATINEE WEDNESDAY—10 and 20 cts. Seats on sale at Gray's, King street.

CARLETON NEWS.

Miss Bertha Holder of Watson street has returned to Boston, where she is taking a course in nursing at the Massachusetts general hospital.

The first game of the third series of the Magee cup games will take place tonight at the curling rink.

Miss Mabel Morrison, who has recently been visiting her father, the Rev. Daniel Morrison, of Watson street, has returned to Toledo, Ohio. Miss Morrison is owner and manager of a large private hospital in that city.

The young daughter of John B. Tall of Duke street has fully recovered from her recent illness.

Miss Ada Penna of Moncton is the guest of Mrs. I. O. Beatty of Prince street.

The event of the season will take place at the open air rink tonight, when the big "medal races" will come off. Among those who will take part are Hudson Breen, Percy Logan, Edward Dalton, Leonard Dakey and James Semple. The ice is in excellent condition, a band will be in attendance and a lively time is expected.

Mrs. Day of King street, who has been ill for the past few days, is rapidly improving.

The death occurred yesterday morning of James H. Burley, at his late residence, Guilford street. He leaves a father, James, three brothers, Thomas, William and George, and one sister, Ella May, to mourn their sad loss. The deceased was in the 24th year of his age and died of pneumonia. Three years ago he saved the life of Francis Nico. He was fishing in the bay with Nico, when the boat upset and both were thrown out. This occurred at 8 o'clock in the evening from that time till 10 o'clock, when they were picked up, the deceased held Nico, who was unable to swim, with one hand, while he with the other, being washed away from the boat several times. "A hero once, a hero always." Such was the late James H. Burley, and his loss will be greatly felt by all who knew him.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. The signature of Dr. J. C. Ayer.

It is settled that the Alaska boundary dispute is to be referred to arbitration. A treaty to that effect has been signed at Washington.

