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THREE MEN IN COURT FOR ASSAULTING THEIR WIVES

Capt. Dixon Promises to be Good — Pugilistic Ryan Shows His Pluck by Abusing His Wife and Two Little Children.

There were no less than three halo and hearty men in the police court this morning charged with assaulting their wives. They were Capt. D. M. Dixon, Wm. Seabury and John Ryan. Two much of old John Barleycorn, coupled with quick tempers, was to blame in about all the cases. Capt. Dixon was arrested on a warrant sworn out by his wife who claims that William has been drunk and amused himself by assaulting her. Seabury was sent into jail and his case will be heard next week. Wm. Seabury, who has been in jail on the charge of assaulting Mrs. Walsh and annoying his wife, who had left him, and a couple of days later letters supposed to have been written in blood, was brought into court this morning. Having had a couple of days in jail he was very penitent and was willing to do anything asked of him. A gentleman was in court who hired Dixon to work at Turkey N. S. Dixon said that if given a chance to get out of town he would never return to the city. He was fined twenty dollars on or two months jail, which was allowed to stand against him with the understanding that if he did not immediately get out of town he was to be arrested and the fine would be collected. John Ryan, an expugilist, has been married a couple of years and is the father of two children. His success in the roped arena in St. John finished when Beth McLeary, his wife, was charged with abusing his young wife, breaking dishes and making life miserable in his home. This morning Mrs. Ryan called at the police court and swore out a warrant against her husband for assault. He was arrested about 10:30 o'clock and was very indignant. He conducted his own defense and when the prisoner did not strike her but threatened to Ryan said, "Ver, Honor, I have been arrested for assault and I have proved it. I don't know who the woman, I demand that I be acquitted right off the reel." The magistrate informed the prisoner that it was not necessary to strike, that a threat would be an assault and instead of being acquitted he would be remanded to jail. This morning Ryan quite cross and shaking his fist in his wife's face he said, "You go home, clean the house out and get every piece of furniture there. I go to jail." Ryan was so wild and profane that he had to be hustled into jail by the police. Mrs. Ryan was informed in the court that as her husband had told her he would not return to the house until she cleaned the house out and she was at perfect liberty to do so. She thanked the court and intimated that she would do as her enraged husband had hidden her. There is a chance that by the time Ryan gets out of jail he may return home only to find an empty house.

ARRANGED FOR SQUIRES TO MEET O'BRIEN

Australian Heavyweight Will Have a Fight Whether the Bout With Jeffries Comes off or Not.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The American Los Angeles correspondent says Bill Squires, the Australian heavyweight, probably will fight Jeffries in the Pacific Athletic Club of Los Angeles. A cablegram was received last night asking for further information in regard to the fight. Squires and Jeffries are both expected to arrive in Los Angeles on January 23. Manager McCarry of the Pacific A. C. said last night that if the fight is arranged for March or April in Los Angeles it will be a match of the year. Squires is a former world champion and O'Brien is a former world champion. The fight would be a rematch of the fight between Squires and O'Brien in London in 1903. Squires is a former world champion and O'Brien is a former world champion. The fight would be a rematch of the fight between Squires and O'Brien in London in 1903. Squires is a former world champion and O'Brien is a former world champion. The fight would be a rematch of the fight between Squires and O'Brien in London in 1903.

TWO U. S. FISHERMEN ARE PROBABLY LOST

Went Out Last Wednesday in a Motor Boat and Have Not Returned.  
PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Jan. 11.—All hope for the safe return of Captain Frederick Calhoun, 47 years ago, and Frank Bassett, aged 45, who left here Wednesday in a motor boat for the fishing grounds, has been abandoned. It is believed that the men were lost by the capsizing or swamping of their craft in the heavy seas which prevailed on Wednesday, particularly in the later part of the day. Two other motor boats which left Provincetown at the same time for the fishing grounds have returned with stories of a hard struggle against the sea and wind. One of the boats became unmanageable through the failure of its gasoline supply and the craft had to be towed to safety by a crew from Wood End Life Saving Station. The crew of the other motor boat anchored Wednesday night under the lee of Billingsgate Island, where a motor boat from the Wood End Life Saving Station assisted them. On account of the violence of the sea this boat remained at Wellfleet Thursday night and returned to Provincetown today. They brought no report regarding the missing craft containing Capt. Calhoun and his companion. Captain Calhoun has a wife and three daughters. Bassett's family consists of his wife and six children.

SAN FRANCISCO CHINESE IN A FATAL FIGHT

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12.—It is reported here that during a fight last night between members of the Pin Kong Tung and the Hop Sing Tong in Oakland, two Chinamen were killed and five wounded, about fifty shots were exchanged.

COAL DIRECTORS WILL MEET ON MONDAY

Ross Is Practically in Control of Affairs.  
But There Will be Strong Opposition to His Policy Though Nothing Startling Is Expected.

MONTREAL, Jan. 12.—A meeting of the Dominion Coal Company directors has been called for Monday at 10:30 a. m. and it is pretty well understood that the vacancies existing in the board by the resignations of Sir W. Van Horne and F. S. Pearson will be filled. The present directorate of the Dominion Coal Co. are: Messrs. James Ross, president; F. L. Wanklyn, vice-president; Lord Strathcona, R. B. Angus, Hon. George A. Cox, James Reid Wilson, H. F. Dimock, Hon. David McKean and W. B. Ross. There are 150,000 shares of common and 50,000 shares of preferred stock in the Dominion Coal Co., and it can be taken for granted that Mr. Jas. Ross and those who are working with him, have the situation well in hand. They have, in other words, absolute control of the majority of the stock. Mr. James Ross has 40,000 shares of common and a good block of preferred. He also possesses proxies for the holdings in New England amounting to perhaps over 10,000 shares. Lord Strathcona has about 10,000 shares and Mr. R. B. Angus about the same quantity or perhaps a little less. Mr. James Reid Wilson has 5,000 shares, H. F. Dimock 8,000, and Hon. Senator Cox 4,000. The "street" regards Cox, Dimock, and McKean as Mr. Ross' three opponents on the board, but this cannot be reasoned with any degree of certainty. It is said, in fact, that Mr. Dimock does not look very kindly upon the proposition to pay the steel company \$15,488,850 at one swoop and Senator Cox stated weeks ago that Ross should have money for his coal. It does not look, therefore, as if Monday's meeting would be a very stirring affair. It is likely that the proceedings will be of a conciliatory nature and that a good deal will be said about a settlement of the unpleasantness between the two companies.

TO DEVELOPE POWER AT DOG LAKE FALLS

Ganadian Pacific Will Build a Branch Line to Cobalt.  
TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 11.—A Port Arthur paper says the Grand Trunk Railway is an applicant for the right to develop power at Dog Lake Falls, which they would use for various purposes in shops and yards, and possibly on some short branch lines and sidings in the vicinity. Inquiry in provincial government circles elicited the information that the railway is only one of several applicants, but nothing has yet been done in the matter. It is reported that the Canadian Pacific railway will have a line into Cobalt within a comparatively short time. The extension of a branch of railway is to be extended as rapidly as possible from Temiskaming on the Quebec side of the boundary, 48 or 50 miles northwest to Port Temiskaming where a crossing will be made and a line run almost due west to Cobalt. At the Port Lake Temiskaming is so narrow as to run over no more than the usual difficulties in respect to bridge building. The C. P. R. is said to have surveyed three trial lines for a Cobalt branch and have definitely decided upon one.

THREW A YOUNG GIRL ON A RED HOT STOVE

Awful Cruelty of a Paris Student Who Was Living With the Child's Sister.  
PARIS, Jan. 12.—An alleged case of incredible cruelty to a seven-year-old girl on the part of medical student in Paris is reported. According to this account the student is twenty-four years of age and was sent to Paris by his father more to be out of the way than for the purpose of study. Given a regular allowance he found no better employment for it than in keeping a mistress who unfortunately had a little sister whom she retained with her. The child is persistently alleged to have been ill-treated. Inquiry in provincial time as he hated its presence and it is claimed that only a few nights ago he threw it on the red-hot stove. The medical student, however, claims that the child fell upon the stove. The child, at any rate, is horribly burned. The sister informed the police and the youth is under arrest.

ADDRESS THE JURY.

Judge—Prisoner, explain how the fight began.  
Prisoner—Like this, Excellency: Checo, who was drunk, suddenly sprang up, exclaiming, "You are all pigs, dirty pigs."  
Judge (interrupting)—Please address yourself to the jury.  
The Emperor of Britain docked at Halifax at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

WILL COMPLETE THE NORTH FACE OF THE NEW WHARF

MARLBOROUGH AGREE ON TERMS OF SEPARATION  
Money That the Duke Got From His Wife's Father is to be Set Aside for the Children.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The World's correspondent hears that under the separation agreement reached between the Marlboroughs the Duke settles on their children the \$100,000 settled on him by the Duchess father, W. K. Vanderbilt at the marriage. This will accumulate for them during their minority, less the cost of their living and education. The Duke after maintaining Blenheim which he determined to do as a matter of pride, in order to prove that its maintenance was not dependent on the Duchess fortune, will have about \$40,000 income left, and he is now looking for a good but not costly flat in Mayfair for a town residence. King Edward, through the Marquis of Lansdowne, when the Duchess visited the Lansdownes at Bowood before Christmas pressed the Duchess to avoid any open separation, but to follow the example of the Duke and Duchess of Sutherland and agree merely to live apart and divide the children's time between the parents. The Duke had already agreed and it was after the Duchess left Bowood that he and the Duchess met in Paris in the presence of her mother. The idea then was that in a few days the children were to join the Duchess in Paris and go with her to the Duke's yacht, but the Duchess returned immediately to London. Though she did not go to Blenheim to see the child, she received constant information of his condition. Sunderland House which she had dismasted before her departure has now been re-opened and the children will join her for a trip abroad. The youngest boy is convalescent. The Duchess has been seen about more since her return from Paris. It having been reported upon her that she was damaging her position by withdrawing from the public gaze. Her landlady is now seen in Bond street every day.

MARITIME EXPRESS RUSHING TO HALIFAX

Mrs. Milledge Steeves Died at Her Home in Albert Co. This Morning.  
MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 12.—The first section of the Maritime express carrying mails and a few passengers for the Express of British, passed through here at ten o'clock this morning, and will reach Halifax between 2 and 3 o'clock this afternoon, probably before the steamer's arrival at that port and about the same as the Overseas mail arrives at St. John. Thus the Express is likely to be delayed at Halifax until early Sunday morning, awaiting the belated transcontinental train which should have arrived in St. John last evening before the Express sailed. Mrs. Milledge Steeves, a respected resident of Bridgetown, Albert Co., died this morning aged seventy-seven years. She had been ill with heart trouble for two months.

LA PATRIE BRINGS AN ACTION FOR LIBEL

Against Another Quebec Paper for Certain Expressions Used.  
MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—L. J. Tarte, president of the "Patrie" Publishing Company, took out a warrant this afternoon for the arrest of Joseph Beign, director of the "Cruix" on the charge of libel. In its last issue the "Cruix" commenting on certain words alleged to have been spoken by Antonio Tarte, son of Hon. J. Israel Tarte, said, referring to the "Patrie": "In the office of that journal, even according to one of the sons of the ex-Minister of Public Works, people render themselves guilty of the most shameful offences in journalism. They sell themselves, they sell the church, they sell their compatriots, they sell the working classes, they sell their souls for a few miserable dollars." The article, which is signed by Beign, concluded as follows: "Compatriots, I leave it with you to put in the pillory that ignoble journal, with its proprietors and its director. They deserve that public opprobrium."

INDIAN CHIEF WAS MURDERED LAST NIGHT

Knocked Down With a War Club and His Body Cut to Pieces.  
LAIDERS, Wyo., Jan. 12.—George Terry, head of the Shoshone Indian Council, was murdered Thursday night as he came out of the council lodge on the Indian reservation. He was first knocked down with a war club and his body was then cut to pieces with knives. The murder is supposed to have resulted from a family feud. No arrests have been made, but suspicion points to several prominent Indians. Terry was a half-breed son of the famous Mormon Bishop Henry of Utah. He was a squaw man and had lived on the Shoshone reservation for 25 years. Terry's barn and horses were recently burned mysteriously. The proposed abandonment of Fort Washkile, will, it is believed, result in grave disturbances among the Indians who are in awe of the soldiers. The Shoshones and Arapahoes are sworn enemies and there are factions in both tribes ready to fight at any time.

GERMAN COUNCILLOR IS THE FOE OF LOVERS

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—Dr. Wm. Faber, general superintendent and chief councillor of the Prussian Consistory who fills among other responsible offices with on this side are absolutely powerless that of selector and sifter of literature.

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SPORTING MATTERS

CURLING. CHATHAM WINS CUP.

TRURO, N. S., Jan. 11.—The challenge for the recovery of the famous McLellan cup was successfully sustained by the visitors today. Both rinks won over their opponents and their recordings were great. The Chatham curlers arrived at two o'clock this morning after having been delayed twelve hours by the detention of the Maritime Express. Some disarrangement of the rinks agreed upon to play for Truro occurred because of the inability of several members to neglect their business engagements. The Chatham men were in the best of trim when they were called at the highest point of elation. The skips had strong voices and created much interest in the game by reason of their lively coaching and well and often humorously worded praises of their own, and sometimes of their opponents' good playing. One of Truro's rinks skipped by Sempie gave the rink opposed to them a lively taste of the greatest interest, the number of ends won being equal, though Snowball scored 14 points to Sempie's 13. Chatham rink skipped by McLellan was behind during the first few ends, and it looked like all day for the visitors. The tide turned, however, and for four ends McLellan made one point successfully, then he scored four points, giving him a lead of one over Cox; then two more singles were scored by McLellan by the narrow margin of a quarter inch each, followed by an end of three for Cox. This left them even. McLellan next scored three and then two, making five of a lead at the close of the eighth end, and this with Snowball's majority of 1 made a total of 10 to the good for Chatham. A great many people visited the rink during this keenly contested game. The McLellan cup will be taken home by the visitors and will doubtless be competed for by members of other clubs. New Glasgow is next to play for it. The day for their journey up the line is not yet set.

Following is the score: Rink 1, Chatham—Peter Archer, R. A. Lezie, Howard Kennedy, W. H. McLellan, skip 17. Rink 2—A. Crosby, F. M. Eddy, S. W. McDonald, R. A. Snowball, skip 14. Rink 1, Truro—G. W. Stewart, F. G. Matthews, J. Dover, C. F. Cox, skip 12.

THISTLES V. CARLETON. The annual match between the Thistle and the Carleton Curling Clubs will take place today. Four rinks will be played this afternoon, two in the Thistle rink and two in Carleton, and the last two rinks will be played in Carleton in the evening.

The Thistle lineup will be as follows: Thistle Rink, 2.30 p. m. J. S. Gregory, J. McM. Reid, N. G. Barnes, H. H. McMillan, J. P. Shaw, J. S. Macleoin, J. W. Holly, skip. J. C. Chesley, skip. Carleton—Afternoon. R. G. Currie, G. M. Smith, C. E. Bishop, C. J. Milligan, T. A. McAndrews, A. D. McLoison, J. Watson, skip. H. C. Olive, skip. Carleton—Evening. R. J. Seifridge, Dr. McAlpine, A. W. Sharp, H. G. McAlpine, W. J. Shaw, E. W. Palmer.

J. R. Thomson, C. H. McDonald, skip. The skips for the Carleton club will be: Harry Boyce, J. M. Boyce, W. D. Baskin, E. R. Taylor, W. O. Dunham, J. M. Wilson. They had not decided on their rinks last evening.

JONES CUP COMPETITION. Only one rink was played in the Jones cup match in St. Andrews rink last night. The result was as follows: C. Baillie, G. Murray, C. H. Easson, C. P. Robertson, John White, W. Humphrey, A. S. Hay, skip.....21 skip.....7

The first round will be completed to night, when the following rinks will play: Jas. Jack, W. B. Tennant, J. A. McKeivley, R. G. Halsey, F. S. White, A. Watson, T. H. Estabrooks, C. H. Ferguson, skip. H. N. Stetson, F. L. Peters, H. P. Iandene, J. F. Ferguson, R. A. Smith, G. A. Kimball, W. E. O. Jones, C. E. Nevins, skip.

HOCKEY. MARATHONS DEFEATED. MARYSVILLE, Jan. 11.—There were only two goals scored in the opening game of the N. B. A. H. L. at Marysville tonight, and they were both landed in the net by the Crescents to the joy of Marysville people, while the St. John Marathons were unable to break their goosie egg. The game ended two to nothing in favor of the home team, but the Marathons feel they did well considering the depleted team and lack of practice. However, had the Crescents displayed the old time ability to shoot hard and straight it is hard saying what the score would have been, as they missed many chances. A crowd of 700 watched the game, including a couple of hundred from Fredericton, many of whom cheered on the St. John team.

Goal Nixon was a regular stone wall for the Marathons and stopped lots of shots. Ed. Money was too closely watched to do anything much, but young Clawson's stick handling showed up strongly. After half time Manager Donald changed the team so that Money moved up from cover point to rover, Howard Kennedy to center while O'Neill went back to point and Gordon Brown moved up to cover point. Robinson of the Crescents was the only player ruled out during the game, being sent to the boards twice, once for slashing and again for holding. The game was slow and a poor exhibition of hockey. The players did not appear at home on their skates, and lack of ability to shoot lost lots of scoring chances, especially for the Crescents.

BURK ROBINSON scored the first goal for Marysville in the opening half from the mix-up, ten minutes after the commencement, while Denton added the other score in the second half on a long shot which Nixon tried to catch and failed.

BASKET BALL CITY LEAGUE OPENS. The Intersociety Basket Ball League was opened in the City Hall, Carleton, last night with a double header—the victorious teams being St. Paul's and Portland Y. M. A.

In the game between St. Paul's and the Queen Square teams the players were as follows: ST. PAUL'S, 21. QUEEN SQUARE, 7. Defense. Starkey..... C. S. Stewart Gandy..... C. S. Stewart

Centra. Stevens..... Dobson London..... Ritchie Knox..... Ferguson St. Paul's worked a number of good combinations, which aided materially in winning the game playfully against the second half St. Paul's had things pretty much their own way, showing the effects of practice. The game ended with the score 21 to 7 in favor of St. Paul's. The game between the Portland Y. M. A. and the Marathons was more interesting than the first, resulting in a score of 23 to 8 in favor of the Portland Y. M. A. This was the first appearance of the Marathon team, and with some team practice they should develop into a speedy quintette. There is some fine material on this team, but this was their first appearance on the floor together. It must be remembered that the game was played against what is probably the best team in the league, and notwithstanding the score put up a snappy game against the North Enders. The following was the line-up of the teams: Portland Y. M. A., 23. Marathons, 8. Defense. Birmingham Coram..... J. Ledingham Centre. Howard..... Stubbs Forwards. Wilson..... T. Ledingham Thorns..... Crawford

The Portlanders have a well balanced team, their combination work being good. Their forwards are good shots and took advantage of every opportunity offered. There should be more lights installed in the West End gymnasium, as the baskets were in semi-darkness last night, making it awkward for both spectators and players. On Monday night in St. Paul's schoolroom the Algonquins will play the St. Paul team, and the Marathons will meet the Queen Square five. These games should be good, as the Algonquins will make their first appearance, and the other two teams are about evenly matched.

Harry Hayward, the captain of the U. N. B. basketball team, has written to the Marathons requesting a game. It is most likely an all St. John team will be formed to play the collegians, who have a very speedy team. It is probable that the U. N. B. will play an all St. John team in Fredericton and give a return game in the city before starting on their trip through Maine. It is also said that the collegians will play McBeath, who graduated last year, in their exhibition games.

WORLD'S RECORDS. The world's records for the year in athletics were as follows: At New York, Feb. 3.—Four mile relay, indoor; J. P. Sullivan, George V. Bonham, Harvey W. Cohn, M. W. Sheppard, 19:10.5. At Philadelphia, April 23.—Four mile relay, outdoor; Michigan, 10:10 3-5. At London, August 1.—Five mile amateur walk; G. T. Leoman; 6:19 3-5. At Ann Arbor, Mich., May 28.—Interscholastic high jump; Patterson, Detroit, 5 ft. 10 in. At Spokane, Wash., June 23.—100 yard dash; Dan Kelly, Multnomah A. C.; 9 2-5. At Brookline, Mass., June 3.—16 pound shot, 37 ft 10 inches; hammer, 142 feet 10 inches; J. F. Kieley of Tipperary, Ireland. At Boston, July 5.—50-pound weight; Dennis Mahoney; 33 feet 9 1-2 inches. At New York, Aug. 1.—Standing broad jump; Ray G. Ewy; 11 feet 6 inches. At New York, Aug. 13.—Discus throw; Martin J. Sheridan; 135 feet 3 inches. At New York, Nov. 10.—100 yard hurdles; Harry Hillman, of the N. Y. A. C.; 24-25. At Tokio, Nov. 2.—Pole vaulting; Juili; 12 feet 9 inches.

THE FIGHTERS. The principal fights of the year were: At Colma, Ca., Jan. 12.—Willie Fitzgerald and Willie Lewis went 25 rounds to a draw. At San Francisco, Jan. 19.—Joe Gans knocked out Mike "Twin" Sullivan in 15 rounds. At Los Angeles, Jan. 26.—Al Kaufman defeated Dave Barry in fifteen rounds. At Los Angeles, Feb. 9.—Aurelio Herrera and "Kid" Herman went twenty rounds. At Los Angeles, March 17.—Joe Gans defeated Mike "Twin" Sullivan in 10 rounds. At Ogden, Utah, April 20.—Dick Hyland knocked out Young Corbett in five rounds. At New York, May 23.—Terry McGovern and Young Corbett fought ten rounds; no decision. At Los Angeles, Aug. 7.—Harry Bakker defeated Frankie Neil in twenty rounds.

Domestic Ports. HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 11.—Ard, str Pomeranian, from St John, NB; str Ophir, from New York. Sailed, str Fairan, Sorberg, for Baltimore.

British Ports. GLASGOW, Jan. 10.—Sid, str Mongolian, from St John, NB, Halifax and Philadelphia. LONDON, Jan. 11.—Sid, str London City, for Halifax and St. John, N. B. KINSALE, Jan. 11.—Passed, str Dahome, from Halifax and St. John, N. B., for Liverpool. GLASGOW, Jan. 11.—Ard, str Lakonia, from St John, NB, via Liverpool. LIVERPOOL, Jan. 11.—Sid, str Sagamore, from Boston. LONDON, Jan. 11.—Ard, str Iona, from Portland.

Foreign Ports. CALLAO, Jan. 11.—Ard, tug St Lawrence, from St John, N. B. Montevideo for Victoria, B. C., for coal. CHATHAM, Mass., Jan. 11.—Light southwest winds, partly cloudy at sunset. BUNDERSTOWN, RI, Jan 11.—Sid, str Laura M. Lunt, from Dalhousie, NB, for Washington. PORTLAND, Me., Jan 11.—Clid, str Canada, for Liverpool; Latona, for London. VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Jan 11.—Ard and sid, str Clayola, from Edgewater for St John.

BUENOS AYRES, Jan 6.—Ard, bark Hydrix, from Yarmouth, NS. BOSTON, Jan 11.—Ard, str Menominee, from Antwerp; Mystic, from Louisville, CB; A. W. Perry, from Halifax, NS (batter arrived last night); Boston, from Yarmouth, NS; schs Helen J. Seitz, from Baltimore; Ruth B. Merrill, from do; Gatherer, from Newburyport.

Old, str Canopic, for Azores and Naples; Mystic, for Louisburg; Sicilian, for Glasgow. Sid, str Lancelotian, for London; Boston, for Yarmouth, NS.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11.—Arrived Str Adventure from Philadelphia for St. John, N. B. and Sydney, C. B. (in distress). NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Cleared Strs. Etruria Liverpool; New York, Southampton. Schrs. Lavonia, St. John; H. R. Emmerson, St. John, N. B.; Theta, Tucker, N. S.

Sailed: Str. Canada Cape, Cape Breton, N. S. PORTLAND, N. Y., Jan. 11.—Bound south: Tug Gypsum King, Halifax, N. S.

Wireless Reports. HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 11.—Str. Cymric, Liverpool for Boston, in communication with Marconi station, 620 miles east of Boston, at 10:30 a. m. Had westerly gales, snow and fog. Will probably dock Sunday.

A THOUSAND INFANTS BURNED IN A STOVE Horrible Disclosures Made by Police of Paris—Midwife Burned Bodies by the Hundred.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—The particulars of the horrible crime which has just been discovered here recall the old time his-story too gross that devoured little children. It is affirmed that more than one thousand bodies of infants have been buried in a salmadrone stove by a criminal midwife. The alleged facts are as follows: A bank clerk named Leon de Ro was suspected a short time ago of having embezzled a sum of \$3,200. But before being arrested the young bank clerk had placed three children in a salmadrone stove. He had discovered that he went almost daily to a house in the Rue Tiquetonne to see a young girl who was enclente and whom he had placed there with a midwife, Mme. Veuve Chartier. When a few days later the girl returned to De Ro's rooms in criminal practices but the girl insisted and her assertions were corroborated by those of Mme. Chartier's maid-servant. The latter told an extraordinary story. According to this story more than 1000 infants had been burned in the salmadrone stove. The salmadrone stove was immediately placed under seals. While this case was being investigated several similar cases were reported to the authorities and the midwives of Paris at the present time.

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LOCAL NEWS

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The big mid-winter sale of clothing and furnishings started at J. N. Harvey's today. Read his ads, on pages 1 and 6 of today's issue. There are genuine snags for those who call tonight.

Oscar O'Leary, a brakeman on the C. P. R. fell off a box car at Sand Point on Wednesday evening. He hurt one of his hips quite badly and since that time he has been quite ill at his residence at Lancaster Heights.

The first stock taking sale will begin today at the Union Clothing Co., 25-28 Charlotte street, old Y. M. C. A. Bldg. Everything is in readiness and big crowds are expected. Their store will keep open tonight until 11 p. m. Union Clothing Co.

Rev. Herbert E. Thomas, of Moncton, will deliver an address to the male members of the Portland Methodist church in the long room of the Y. M. A. building, Sunday afternoon at 2.15 p. m.

Ernest Norris, an employe of the McLean & Holt Foundry on Brussels street was injured while at work there yesterday afternoon. He was driven to his home on Winslow street, West End, where he was reported to be resting comfortably last evening.

James Myles, the contractor, has purchased from E. W. Carr the property at Peters street. The price paid was \$2,400. Another transfer recorded is for a property on St. James street, and by the St. John Real Estate Co. to G. T. and C. W. Earle, the consideration being \$625.

F. W. Daniel and Co. announce their January sale and "whitewash show" The annual meeting of the Natural History Society of New Brunswick will be held on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock, at the rooms, 72 Union street, when reports of the different branches of work carried on by the society will be received, the president's address read, and the officers elected for the ensuing year. The ordinary business meeting of the society will be held before the annual meeting. There will be a meeting of council at 7.30 p. m.

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LARGE DEMAND FOR BUILDING LOTS In Saskatoon, East Side, Owing to Recent Railway Developments.

Since the definite announcement was made that the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway would erect their Depot and Shops in Section 21, Saskatoon, East, the demand for building lots has been large.

As already known, the holdings of the adjoining section 22, belong to the Northwestern Land & Investment Co., City, and as the railway construction will commence shortly, it is safe to assume that anyone purchasing now is assured of a safe, sound and extremely profitable investment.

SHAH'S SONS QUARREL OVER THEIR FATHERS BODY Dispute About the Succession Took Place in the Death Chamber.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—According to a dispatch received here from Teheran, Amir Bahadur Jang, chief of the late shah's bodyguard and keeper of the private purse, has been dismissed. He is one of the wealthiest of Persians and speculation is rife as to the reason for his being called to Teheran. A summons that would be most popular, however, would be the recall of Amin-Ed-Sultana, who resigned the premiership in 1903 and

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Big Eaters in the Best Condition to Withstand Disease and Privation, Says Prof. Haliburton.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Prof. Haliburton, lecturing at the Institute of Hygiene, said a high tribute to Clutton's experimental work.

YESTERDAY the magistrate of the Central District the appointment of a manager in their interest.

The armies consisted of a large force of police, who tried to expel another body of police and waiters who held the building.

The Fronto, which stands in the Plaza del Carmen, has for a long time been in dispute between the proprietor and creditors.

The meeting also resolved that the association would receive the building absolutely free from debt or lien of any kind and to that effect resolved that no more be borrowed on mortgage.

CONVICT'S WIFE, DYING, FORGIVES HER HUSBAND Gallay, the Notorious Bank Thief, Sent to Penal Settlement in Cago.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—The divorced wife of Gallay, the notorious bank thief, whose gigantic robberies at the Comptoir d'Escompte, and subsequent flight to South America in a steam yacht caused such a sensation a short time since, died in a hospital here last week.

CHARGED WITH SMUGGLING TWO RUSSIAN JEWS BOSTON, Jan. 11.—William Abbott, chief steward of the Warren line steamship Sachem, was arrested today by U. S. officers on complaint of Immigration Inspector Farwell, who charged Abbott with unlawfully and knowingly landing two Russian Hebrews at this port.

ASTONISHED THE DOCTOR MRS. EATON RECOVERING, ALTHOUGH HER PHYSICIAN SAID SHE MIGHT DIE AT ANY TIME.

"The doctor told me I had heart disease and was liable to drop on the street at any time," says Mrs. Robert Eaton of Dufferin, Ont.

FATHER STABS CHILD TO DEATH IN CONVENT While Family Were Enjoying His Visit He Suddenly Assaults Eldest Daughter.

ROME, Jan. 12.—Four little sisters, aged 6, 8, 10 and 14, respectively, yesterday morning went to receive their father's greeting in the parlor of the convent orphanage kept by the Daughters of Charity at Taranto.

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—It would seem as though "Circus" accidents were the order of the day here in Germany. The other evening a circus party from Rome, a charioter executed a so-called "death ride," in which a chariot and four horses were driven across a six-foot bridge.

Mark Down Sale! The great mark down sale of Ladies' and Misses' Wear will start tomorrow, Jan. 10th. This is a chance that every woman should take advantage of.

WILL GO AHEAD WITH BUILDING

Y.M.C.A. Reached Decision Last Night. Tenders Will be Called for Immediately—Exact Location to be Determined Today.

At a joint meeting of the boards of management and trustees of the St. John Y. M. C. A., held last evening in the offices of L. P. D. Tilley, it was definitely decided to call for tenders for the new building.

The following were present: L. P. D. Tilley, president; W. B. East, J. Somerville, E. L. Rising, Geo. E. Harbour, John Sealy, T. B. Blair, George A. Henderson, H. G. Tilley and J. N. Harvey of the trustee board; W. C. Cross, P. A. Dykeman, C. H. Flewelling, J. T. McGowan and W. L. K. Associations of the managing board; W. H. Thorne, Judge McLeod and D. B. Donald sent letters expressing regret at their inability to attend, but also expressed the opinion that the erection of the building should be undertaken at once.

After many objections to immediate action had been removed and all opposition silenced, the meeting passed the following resolution: "Resolved, That the plans already presented be completed by a special committee, that tenders for the erection of the building and a completion of the same be called for."

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IF YOU WANT male or female help or a better situation in St. John or Boston, try GRANT'S Employment Agency, 69 St. James street, West side. 11-1-1

WANTED—A man with good business experience, wants a partnership in an established manufacturing or wholesale business. Can furnish capital. Apply to "PARTNER," P. O. Box 17, Saint John, N. B. 3-11-1

WANTED—One Rabbit Hound, must be well bred and well trained. Apply 21 Water street, St. John. 3-1-1

WHOLESALE LIQUORS. WM. L. WILLIAMS, SUCCESSOR to M. A. FINE, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 PRINCE WM. ST. Established 1870. Write for family price list.

ROOMS TO LET. BOARD AND ROOM at 143 Union street. 19-1-1

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS. GEO. ATKINS, Piano and Organ tuner, 26 Germain street, Special attention paid to restoring Pianos and Organs to their original tones.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—FOR SALE—Small grocery business, Line of good conveniences, Address M. Star Office. 1-1-1

FOR SALE—Two single sleighs in good order. M. COWAN, 13 Cedar St. 8-12-1m.

FOR SALE—Framers 55c up; Hockey Skates 40c up; Acme Skates 50c up; Pocket Knives 5c up; Children's Snow Shovels, 15c; Men's 25c. Everything marked in plain figures at DUVAL'S, Waterloo St. 12-1-1m

FOR SALE—About twenty new and second-hand delivery Wagons, 2 coaches, and 2 horses, carriages, different styles, ready for use, glass front coach, new trimmings, well painted; a first class coach very cheap; also three outboard carriages; best place in the city for painting and greatest facilities for carriage repairing. A. G. EDGE-COMBE, 115 and 119 City Road.

GASOLINE ENGINES.—Stationary, Portable and Marine—Any H.P. engine for Dough Mixers, Concrete Mixers, Grain Grinding, Thrashing and other uses. See office pleasure and Fish-kill at the St. John Exhibition. TORONTO GAS AND GASOLINE ENGINE CO., LTD., 57 Water street, St. John, N. B.

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS. FRANK E. JONES, Electrical Engineer and Contractor. All branches of electrical work undertaken, including lighting plants, telephones, electric bells and annunciators. Office, Prince William St. Phone 644. Residence 140 Broad St.

SITUATIONS VACANT—MALE. WANTED—Three men and two boys to work around machine shop and foundry. Must be strictly temperate, and come well recommended. THOMPSON MFG. CO., Grand Bay, N. B. 12-1-3

WANTED—A ward maid. Apply at the Public Hospital. 11-1-1

WANTED—First class cook, man or woman. Apply AMHERST HOTEL, Amherst. 11-1-1

WANTED—Competent bookkeeper. Apply in applicant's own handwriting stating age, experience and references. \$15.00 to \$20.00 per week. Address R. H. STAR OFFICE. 9-1-1

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THE FUSS NEW YORK MAKES OVER FOOD.

In the American Magazine for January William Allen White calls New York "the eating place on this continent." Comparing New York with his home town, Emporia, Kansas, he says: "New York surely is the eating place on this continent. In no other American town do people spend so much time tussling around their food as they spend in New York. Here in Emporia the stores open at seven o'clock, and by eight o'clock all the merchants and professional people are at work. For although the banks do not open until nine, the bankers are down and at work by half-past eight, and Major Hood, who for years ran our leading bank, used to come down town at half-past seven and stay in his office until six o'clock in the evening. There are no nine o'clock jobs in Emporia, and every one, rich or poor, works nine hours, and many of us ten hours. Most of the clerks get an hour at noon, but the boss—as we call the head of a store or an office or a shop—rarely takes over half an hour. Most men go home for their noon meal, but a few hurry over to the lunch counter and spend fifteen or twenty cents, or at most a quarter, for roast beef and mashed potatoes, or stewed chicken and dumplings, or fried cat-fish and coffee, and a piece of pie. The meal has no social significance, as it has in New York. An Emporia man would as soon think of inviting his friends to take a bath with him as to take lunch with him; for groceries have not got so far along in Emporia society as dry goods."

HOULTON, Me., Jan. 11.—The stable of John Watson, hardware dealer, was burned tonight. The stable was located in the rear of the Opera House in the business section, and for a time other buildings were in danger. The firemen, favored by a good water pressure and snow on the roofs, succeeded in confining the fire to the stable. The horses, fourteen in number, and part of the stock were saved. The loss is \$5,000, insured.

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., JANUARY 12, 1907.

TWO CENTS PER MILE.

A pamphlet issued by the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Railways is being given wide circulation in an endeavor to create opposition to the two-cent per mile bill now before parliament. The publication presents in a concise form the strongest arguments which can be put forward on behalf of the railroads, and an attempt is also made to reply to some of the contentions of the promoter of the bill. This latter portion of the railway's side of the case is hardly as conclusive as would be required to convince disinterested investigators that the new bill is an injustice, but everything that can be found in favor of the railways is put up in no bold a manner that at first glance the statement appears to be a strong one. There are, however, several of the most important contentions to which the railroads do not reply, and doubtless the reason is that no good answer is possible.

By means of comparisons with certain United States railroads it is shown that in many respects Canadian lines are at a disadvantage. But there is one most important circumstance to which not the least attention is paid. It is this, that while United States railroads have received only small subsidies, and these in a limited number of cases, Canada has been so generous that she has granted in various forms bonuses sufficient not only to build every railroad in this country but to pay the owners ten thousand dollars per mile in addition. This being the case there is every reason to expect that rates would be made as low as possible.

The railroads argue that their business decreases during the winter, and that expenses increase, this being to such an extent that at times the cost of operating exceeds the receipts. This is equally true in many other lines of business, and is to be expected. Most men depend upon their summer profits to carry them through the winter but the railroads go a step farther and demand higher prices for what they have to sell during the winter months. Passenger rates are advanced on all lines but this fact was not thought worthy of mention in the pamphlet. It is asserted that the cost of passenger service has increased. So it has, but not to the extent intimated in the argument prepared by the railways. Wagons and fuel have gone up, cars, locomotives and rails are heavier and cost more. This is all very true, but the heavier cars and heavier locomotives can handle more business at lower cost than was possible with the lighter rolling stock. An eighty-ton locomotive is much cheaper to operate than two forty-ton ones, and can haul a heavier train. But to meet whatever increase there may be in the cost of rolling stock, there is the ever-growing traffic. Heavy cars and locomotives would not be needed were it not that travel is also heavy. Density of population is an essential factor in low passenger rates, and the proposed bill makes the two-cent rate apply only in the most thickly settled districts.

The assertion is made that the railroads charge only two cents per mile on business carried over Canadian lines which originates in the United States, while every Canadian, travelling in the same coaches must pay three or four cents. The railroads do not deny this but beat around the bush and prove that the average passenger rate charged is 1.80 cents per mile. This may be true, but if so it only goes to show that passengers from the United States are given an even lower rate than two cents, for the average is in this way kept down.

Mr. E. Tennyson Smith has gone to Fredericton. He will no doubt find in the course of his provincial campaign that there are many places worse than St. John in the matter of drunkenness. Moncton is badly in need of reform, and Moncton is a Scott Act town. Charlottetown is filled with innumerable respectable dives where liquor is sold, yet Charlottetown is a temperance town. St. John has issued a manifesto in connection with the coming London County Council elections. It gives a programme of amazing developments of municipal Socialism, and appeals for support for it. It may be roughly described as follows: It includes everything, and includes the endowment of the council with the control of the public supply of milk, electricity and coal, authorizing the council to buy coal mines and transportation, including all the metropolitan railways, whether surface or underground, tramways and omnibuses. It further empowers the council to build gardens in the suburbs around London, and to carry out itself all work now done by contractors. It provides also for the institution of 48 hours' labor weekly, all workmen to receive a minimum wage of 30 shillings.

THE CHARGE OF THE WRITERS. (President Roosevelt has asked James B. Connolly, the author, to enter the U. S. Navy and put the bluejacket into song and story.) Avast! Belay! We're on our way Across the deep blue sea The hole is full of writin' pads For yarns as is to be. Ham Mable's swabbin' down the bilge, Jack London's heavin' coal, Bliss Carman's haulin' hawvers' an' communnin' with his soul, While U. Sinclair is slushin' of the riggin' as we roll Across the reelin', rockin', rompin' ocean.

Ye ho! Ye ho! Away we go, Sou-wes'-nor'-e-by-sou, With Henry van Dyke tarrin' down 'The lowly' on the bow, With Henry James referin' to the for-ard weather rail As 'an obstruction metal mass formed fairly like a pale,' While Alfred Henry Lewis serves the rattles as we sail Across the dashin', smashin', crashin' ocean.

Abait the beam the searchlights gleam, An' cast their ghastly light On Howells, Bok, Anshelmier An' William Allen White Assatin' in the galley, or conversin' with the goat; There ain't no prose nor poetry aboard that won't be wrote Off watch by all this galaxy o' talent as we float.

WHEN WEALTH IS ODDIOUS.

Senator P. H. McCarran has never been regarded as an authority in either ethics or economics, and it is therefore rather refreshing to discover him discussing the question of the distribution of wealth, which is both an ethical and economic question. "The time is coming," he says, "when it will be odious to be wealthy."

"The Wall Street Journal begs to differ with Senator McCarran. Wealth will never be odious except— 1. When the rich man is criminal. 2. When he is miserly. 3. When he displays his wealth too ostentatiously and extravagantly. 4. When he uses his wealth to oppress others, to crush out competition and to bribe his way into political power. Riches will never be odious as long as the rich man conducts himself like a gentleman; using his wealth aright, with becoming hospitality, with intelligence and stewardship."

FILLING A LONG FELT WANT.

"Thinking clubs" are being organized in Springfield, Mass. It is a movement representing a wholesome reaction. There are altogether too many talking clubs and too few thinking clubs. In the Springfield club the thinkers think out loud, but their thoughts never get into the newspapers which we fear will make them unpopular with many persons of light and leading who do not go in for anything which doesn't lead to publicity. For them the old lie is true. "Thinking is but an idle waste of thought," and they do not wait much of it. There are a number of Massachusetts citizens and anti-imperialists who would look interesting playing a thinking part. A "thinking club" is just the place for them.

IN A GOOD PLACE.

She glided into the office and quietly approached the editor's desk. "I have a poem," she began. "Well," exclaimed the editor with a look and tone intended to annihilate her, but she calmly resumed: "I have written a poem on 'My Father's Barn,' and—"

"Oh!" interrupted the editor with extraordinary suavity, "you don't know how relieved I am to have written your father's barn, eh? I was afraid it was written on paper, and that you wanted me to pull it out."

"Ever happen to drive past your father's barn I'll stop and read the poem."

BAD WATER.

"I'm very sorry, madam," said the new boarder, "but I have arranged to leave at the end of the week."

"Indeed!" rejoined the landlady. "Are you going to leave the city?"

"Oh, no," replied the n. b. "I'm merely making a change on account of the water."

"Why, what's wrong with the water here?" queried the landlady.

"It's impure," answered the other. "I frequently detect a slight flavor of coffee in it."

SUFFICIENT PUNISHMENT.

Judge to lawyer: Mr. Sharp, are you defending the prisoner? Lawyer—I am, your Honor.

Judge—And how much is he charged with? Lawyer—Fifty dollars, your Honor.

Judge—Well, we'll let him go; he'll be punished enough anyhow.

Lawyer—What do you mean, your Honor?

Judge—Why, by the time you get the man out of the jail, he'll be sorry enough he ever was dishonest.

THE ONLY MISTAKE.

Father-in-law—Now, my dear son-in-law, tell me honestly whether you are satisfied with my palatial residence. Son-in-law—My dear Herr Schmidt, I have nothing at all to complain of—except, perhaps, that you didn't throw me out when I asked for her hand in marriage.

SATURDAY SERMONETTE

HAVING A GOOD TIME.

It would be funny if it were not so sad to see the way many people—especially young people—take, and the things they do, to have what they call a "good time."

Having a good time at the expense of some one who is having a very bad time shows the poorest quality of head and heart. "Goin' to have a good time," he says, and drinks himself into hilarity, brutality, insolubility. It is not so hilarious when he wakes up next morning with a splitting headache, trembling hands and an ache in the region where he once had a heart. A man who can have a good time when his wife and his mother and his sisters are having a very bad time to pay for his good time, is not much of a man.

We could wish him dead if we were not so sure he would have such a terrible bad time afterwards. If you want to see how the people who want a "good time" enjoy themselves, go down to the police court some morning when they have been "gathered" in. Here is a woman, (she was a woman), with a swollen face, and a broken eye. She wanted a "good time." Here is a man or what might have been a man, bearded, old before his time, dead to everything good. It is eight dollars or the "chain gang" for him. See how happy he is as he thinks of the good time he had last night, and the good time to which he goes—in the chain gang.

Let us make a night of it, let us have a good time. And they do make a night of it, a night that would bring their "fathers" grey hairs in sorrow to the graves, and break their mother's heart if they only knew what a good time their boys were having. They gambled, they lost their money, they drank, they told vile stories, and they tell each other with ghastly smiles next morning, what a "good time" they had.

"I am just going to have a good time and amuse myself," says the young man and he pays attention to a young girl, and then laughs and rides away leaving a blighted life behind him. He had a good time. What does it matter how many tears are shed, how "bad a time" another had?

If you want to have a good time, study your lessons, young man, don't shirk them. If you want to have a good time, keep clean, don't defile yourself, do your work, do your duty, resist the temptation. You cannot break a commandment and have a good time, you cannot have a good time at another's expense. If your good time gives another a bad time some day your time to have a sad time will come. There is only one way to have a good time and that is in doing right.

THADDEUS.

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—News has been received here of the death of Dr. Agnes Turnbull, missionary of Women's Presbyterian Missionary Society in Central India. She had been decorated with Kaiser-I-Hind medal for conspicuous bravery during the plague.

The ninth district meeting of the Baptist church will convene in quarterly session with the Latin Mountain Baptist church on Monday next. Foreign missions will chiefly occupy the attention of the district. Mr. Amos O'Brien is chairman and P. W. Emerson, clerk of the district.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Tehran says that the dead Shah's third son, Isfahar, has raised a force of 10,000 men in Luristan in the hope of capturing the throne, but he has no prospect of success, although the tribesmen are likely to cause trouble in the south if they don't even advance on Teheran. The new Shah's reputation for severity which received proof in recent executions, the first in ten years, is not far, however, to have its effect.

Shah Muzaffar-ed-Din, who recently died, wished to be buried at Kerbala, near the tomb of the martyr Hussein, which is distant forty days' march from the capital. It is doubtful if his wishes can be complied with owing to the hostility of the Turks in consequence of a frontier dispute. Meanwhile the body will be carried to the mosque of Shah Abdul Adim, a place of pilgrimage, where the late Shah's father is buried.

The coronation of Mohammed Ali Mirza will take place twenty-two days hence his Persian horoscope revealing no happy day for the ceremony during the current lunar month. Opinion regarding the new Shah's policy is divided. He is undoubtedly a man of strong intelligence. He showed great capacity during the regency in 1905. He is supposed to be under Russian influence.

It is believed in certain quarters that he will follow the example of the Czar and dismiss the parliament as soon as he is firmly seated on the throne. In such an event serious trouble is to be anticipated. As an act of politeness the banks have advanced the new monarchy a small sum of money.

THE DEATHBED SCENE. The correspondent of the Daily Mail graphically describes the death-room scene. The Shah died in a chair, and supported by a cushion, the action of his heart forbidding his lying in a recumbent position. The heir-apparent was summoned in the morning. He wept at the sight of his father's death. The Shah was conscious until noon. When, later, signs of animation ceased, a Moslem priest entered and read prayers from the Koran. The Crown Prince again wept. When the physicians realized that the dying monarch was beyond their skill they withdrew to an ante-room, leaving the family to mourn their loss. The women began to assemble and raise lamentations, which were checked temporarily lest they might hasten the end. Night fell and the chamber was lighted by myriads of electric lamps, reflected by millions of tiny mirrors, of which the wall and ceiling were composed. The dying Shah sat with his face turned toward Mecca. Around him were the women in every attitude of grief, with streaming hair, beating their breasts, and raising cries of lamentation that filled the chamber and echoed in the garden like the sighing of the wind. The end came without suffering. So passed from the gaze of men a sovereign, who, whatever weakness of character he may have displayed at the last, was distinguished by a kindly nature.

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DEATHS.

GIMBER—At residence of Chas. T. Pigeon, 251 City Line, St. John West, Jan. 11th, Frances Fraser Gimber, widow of the late Capt. John Gimber, of Woolwich, Eng. Funeral Sunday, Jan. 13th. Services at house at 3 p. m. Boston papers please copy.

BARLOW—In this city, on the tenth instant, Mary Elizabeth, widow of the late Thos. H. Barlow, in the seventieth year of her age, leaving two sons and two daughters to mourn their loss. Funeral from 26 Dorchester street on Sunday at 2.30 p. m. The funeral services will commence at two o'clock and the funeral at 2.30 o'clock.

So Long as Babies are Born Barefooted. There will be a demand for Infants' Shoes. That's the reason we always carry such a complete stock. Mothers, who want handsome Baby Shoes, will find the cutest and sweetest little footwear right here. Booties, Moccasins, Slippers and Shoes—Lace, Button, Straps—some fur trimmed, some satin quilted, etc., etc. We know that your baby requires something handsome in the way of SHOES. We've got it. Come, see. Baby Shoes from 35c. to 1.00. The Shoe money left with us will bring satisfaction to you.

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MME. de THEBES' PREDICTIONS FOR 1907 ARE MILD

REGENERATION OF AFRICA PROGRESS STEADILY

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The Bishop of Uganda in an interview this week discussing the work of the regeneration of Africa declares that the territory which comprises his diocese in 1894, there were only 200 Christians. Today there are 60,000 Christians and more than 2,000 churches. It had been the immoral custom of the country to slaughter 2,000 human beings when a king died. The last time that a king passed away in Uganda however not a single life was sacrificed and slavery is tolerated no longer.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—Mme. de Thebes of soothing fame has issued her predictions for the next year. At the end of every twelve month, from about the first to the fifteenth of January, the Parisians are looking out for the prophesies of Mme. de Thebes. They are an essential factor in the humor of the season. Her predictions for 1907 are not particularly gruesome. The woes of England will be reduced to a quarrel between the House of Lords and the House of Commons. In France, however, there will be a succession of political changes, plots, counter plots and all of the other protoschisms of fate to divert people's attention with out entirely absorbing it. This is nothing new. The diversions will be quite welcome to the average Frenchman. Whilst the eye of her fancy was rolling towards Austria Mme. de Thebes saw troubles brewing. Quite naturally so cynical declare for the reasons that troubles have been brewing there from time immemorial Germany, she thinks, is on the decline, which is no compliment to that enterprising nation. The United States will be ravaged by fire, she declares. Spain will be both ruled by anarchists—nothing really new however—and Italy will bid with a new renaissance. As regards Prussia her future is hidden in an impenetrable fog and Mme. de Thebes could see nothing clear. She is not the only one who happily. Latin nations it is declared will lead the world.

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SATURDAY

The Star

SUPPLEMENT

ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY JANUARY 12, 1907

LEAGUE OF HUSBANDS HAS BEEN FORMED IN ITALY

To Protect Women From Idle Young Men—Three Anarchists Murdered Because They Disobeyed the Command of the Society.

ROME, Jan. 12.—Roman society has been enriched with two novelties, viz., a Charitable War and a League of Husbands. The former originated in the fact that the best Italian comedy-writer dared to defy the Roman aristocracy by taking the charity bazaars in the Eternal City as his theme. The Roman ladies overlooked the affront, going to the opening night of the play and having their revenge in applauding the author. As a further revenge they have organized a charity fete under the patronage of the wife of the minister of foreign affairs. The invitation card is worded as follows: "A committee of ladies desiring to show the author of 'Charity in High Life' what the reality is invite you to assist at a fete where you may be convinced that by drinking a cup of tea you may do good to those who search for work and an honest living."

The other day cries of help were heard issuing from a closed carriage which was being driven along the Corso Venezia. Several people who rushed forward and stopped the vehicle found inside a woman whose face was streaming with blood. The woman explained that the man had scratched her face and the couple were taken to the police station for an explanation. While at the station the hair and beard of the man became displaced, and he was recognized as the missing Perini. The people of Milan have been apprehensive of the condition of Signor Marconi, but according to the latest accounts he has greatly improved in health and is nearly if not quite well. He was taken ill some days ago, but was finally able to leave the hotel and witness a successful experiment with the first new movable radio-telegraphic station consisting of a motor car

CHRISTMAS PHOTOGRAPH SENT OUT BY CZAR AND CZARINA OF RUSSIA



ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 11.—This photograph of the Czar, Czarina and their children was taken a short time ago, and a copy of it was sent with each of the imperial couple's Xmas presents to their relatives in England, Germany, Denmark, Norway and Greece. Both the Czar and Czarina are in excellent health.

MARRIAGE POSTPONED AS BRIDE HAD TRACHOMA.

American Girl, Returning From a Visit to Europe, Was Not Allowed to Land—Her Lover Followed Her Back to England.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—England, like the United States and the Transvaal, has its Chinese problem. Even in the East End of London a Chinese colony has taken root and is gradually extending its area. At present it is true the Chinatown of the East End is almost a microscopic affair chiefly confined to Limehouse Causeway, a narrow street running from West India Dock Road to Three Colt Lane. Altogether there are about a dozen cook shops, clothes shops, boarding houses and laundries kept by Chinamen who have married English wives. The resident Chinese population does not number more than one hundred, but there is a floating population of sailors, sailors' cooks, stewards and firemen, of whom two or three thousand pass through London in a year. Opium smoking and gambling largely occupy the time of many of the floating Chinese population. Out of an hundred Chinamen about thirty are addicted to the use of opium and there are several opium shops where smokers indulge in the fatal pipe. The colony does not as yet include Chinese women. The Chinamen seem to prefer English wives, and up to the present time their children have been

ter with me, but on my arrival at New York the immigration authorities after examining my eyes declared that I was suffering with trachoma. "Although I told them that I had been so long in America and was about to marry an American citizen they declined to permit me to land. I thereupon sent a telegram to my intended husband and he replied that he would join me and that we would be married in Europe if they would not permit us to be married in the United States. "The train of my lover was delayed and yet just as I caught sight of him on the wharf the boat sailed away. I waved my handkerchief and he saw me. Then he disappeared and we began to sail away I felt as though my heart would break. "Ten minutes afterwards a tug boat came after us and halted the ship, and then I again espied my intended. But all of his plans had been taken for nothing because the regulations would not allow him to be taken on the ship. "He shouted to me to cheer up and that he would join me just as soon as he could catch up with me. "One of the funniest things in connection with the affair was that some of the young men on board the steamer got an idea that I had been fitted and

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT AND HIS SON, WHO IS SOON TO BE MARRIED



LONDON, Jan. 11.—A recent portrait of the Duke of Connaught and his son, Prince Arthur, who outwitted King Edward and forced him to give his consent to his engagement to Lady Marjorie Manners, one of the most beautiful girls in the British aristocracy.

FRENCH COUNCIL SOLEMNLY DECIDES THAT CORSETS SHALL BE SOLD ON SUNDAY.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—It seems amusing but is nevertheless true, that the Paris municipal council has been devoting the best part of a sitting to a discussion on corsets. The subject was introduced in connection with a really serious question, that of the Sunday rest. Certain concessions have been made to tradesmen who deal in articles with which the public cannot easily dispense on the first day of the week, and it was objected on the part of sellers of corsets that they were to be fairly to be classed among the objects of necessity. Only imagine the predicament in which a member of the lovely sex would be placed if her corset broke down hopelessly one Saturday evening, and she could not procure another on the following morning to go, say to church, or to the races, always winding up with a dinner party. Only fancy what a void this would create in her circle of friends, and the alarm which her enforced absence might cause among them. This, it was argued, would never do and the municipal council, always gallant, took precisely the same view of the matter. After a lengthy discussion it was decided by forty votes to twenty-six in favor of the claims put forward on behalf of the corset so that discreet articles will be procurable on Sunday. This, by the way, is rather a smack for the well meaning people who have been waging war against the corset. After all the corset, like everything else, can be misused. But this is no argument for its extinction which certainly is not within sight, especially as it has now received official countenance and satisfaction.

The word phibetiste has been for more than thirty years a word of ill omen in France. One of the most widely circulated of French newspapers, the Petit Parisien, has, however, been rehabilitating the word during the past few weeks in a way to strike

ing to be ignored. It appealed to its readers over the country to vote on the question of the relative pre-eminence of the great Frenchmen of the last century. Fifteen million answers have been received and what gives striking demonstration is that the opinion of average France is recorded not that of a political coterie or of a cultivated elite. The world knows approximately what France thinks of her great men, and what her conception is of civic duty as well as of civil and moral distinction. It is the revelation to the foreigner of an idealism hitherto unsuspected. Only those observers who have had the privilege of studying the evolution of the French mind and feeling over an unbroken series of years on the spot were aware of the profound transformation which the Republican school system and stable Republican government in general have effected in the points of view of the present generation of Frenchmen.

The winner of the recent contest is Pasteur. Victor Hugo runs him close, having received 1,271,103 votes, against 1,233,425 for the world's renowned man of science. But it is characteristic that two men of peaceful pursuits should precede on the lists those great Frenchmen who might have appeared at first sight to have contributed to the military glory which the French are supposed to so much admire. Gambetta follows Victor Hugo with 1,155,672 votes. Then comes Napoleon I. and Thiers with 1,118,034 and 1,039,443 votes respectively. For the sixth place what foreigner would have suggested the name of Lazare Carnot. The order of the names which succeed Lazare Carnot's is interesting in the extreme. Curie, the inventor of radium; Alexandre Dumas, pere, who has charmed several generations, not only of Frenchmen but also of Englishmen; Dr. Roux, the inventor of diphtheritic

serum; Parmentier, the introducer of the potato into France; then Ampere, the father of dynamic electricity; Braza, the founder of the French West Africa; Zola, whose place here, the thirteenth on the list, shows conclusively what France now thinks of his courageous deed as author of "Le roman experimental"; Lamartine, a consoling selection for those who have always regarded the author of "The Lake" as the most seductive Frenchman of the nineteenth century; and Francois Arago, the astronomer and physicist. The sixteenth place is held gloriously by Mme. Sarah Bernhardt. But immediately afterwards comes M. Waldeck Rousseau, MacMahon, the hero of the famous "Fry suit, 'J'y restai', the chemist; and Chateaubriand, the most eloquently French of all the writers of the last century unless exception be made for Michelet, who figures 23rd on this list after de Lesseps. That is a victory which shows how short lived is French racism. Ten years ago no phibetiste in France could have given such a result, the stupendous energy of the creator of the Suez Canal having been forgotten amid the tempest of the Panama scandal. The next four names are Jacquard, the inventor of the weaving machine; Jules Verne, President Loubet and Denfert-Rochereau. The results constitute a lesson full of instruction, not only for the rulers of France, but for foreigners curious as to the temperament and the ideals of contemporary Frenchmen.

ELLSWORTH, Me., Jan. 10.—Mrs. John H. Marks, of Penobscot, is dead as the result of a burning accident at her home. While heating harness oil the fluid caught fire and ignited her clothing. She was 56 years of age.

OBELISK OF LABRADOR ROCK ERECTED OVER IBSEN'S GRAVE



CRISTIANIA, Jan. 11.—This obelisk of black Labrador rock was erected on the famous poet Henrik Ibsen's grave a few days ago. It cost over \$100,000. It bears a laurel wreath in copper, presented by the Italian author's club, and carved into the rock is the hammer of the old Norse god Thor.

allowed to go to the council schools like other little Londoners. The troubles which have perplexed San Francisco in the matter of schools for Orientals have not arisen here as yet.

I received quite a number of offers of marriage during the voyage.

Exposures regarding the viciousness of Liverpool's Chinatown have already caused widespread indignation. Official efforts have been made to gloss over the revelations, but they have failed in their object. Several public men who have travelled in America have declared emphatically that the Chinese populations of New York and San Francisco do not enjoy as great freedom in vice and debauchery as do the Chinese of Liverpool. The most outspoken of these critics is Councilor Sexton, who has asserted that the decoying of young English girls by the Chinamen of the city is as common as their gambling or opium smoking.

WON'T GIVE UP CLAIM TO THE THRONE OF HANOVER

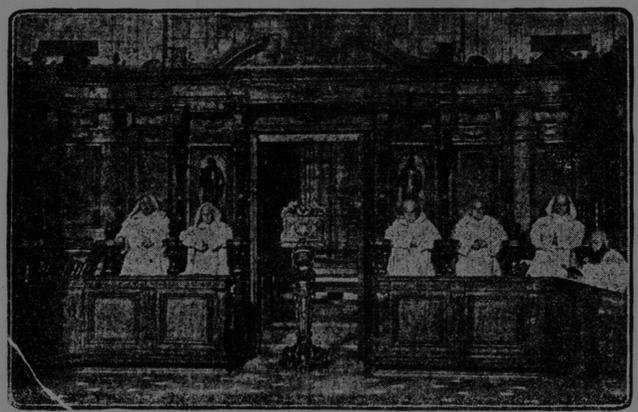
Miss Annie Person, the young and pretty Swede who has been the heroine of a tale of love and adventure, has an interesting story to tell in this connection. Miss Person sailed from Liverpool about a month ago to marry Mr. Paul B. Jordland, a wealthy timber merchant at Portland, Oregon, but although she had lived in Portland for fifteen years and had only been absent from America on a visit to her friends in Sweden before her marriage, she was not allowed to land in New York as she was declared to be suffering from trachoma.

Duke of Cumberland Will Not However Make Trouble for Anyone.

Mr. Jordland raved across the American continent from Portland to New York, but could not catch the steamer before the immigration authorities had banished Miss Person. He however followed his fiancée across the water and they are to be married at once. Miss Person's story of the incident is interesting: "It has been a great disappointment to me but now my future husband is here I do not mind it any more. I have always enjoyed the best of health, and was never told on leaving America or on returning from England that there was anything the mat-

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—The Duke of Cumberland has replied to the resolution of the Brunswick parliament giving him three months in which to declare definitely whether or not he and all his house would renounce all claim to the throne of Hanover. In the manifesto which is of a comprehensive nature he asserts that in view of precedents to be found in Germany his claim must be held to be quite consistent with the most unreserved recognition of the imperial constitution. He avers that he will never attempt the validity of his claim in any other than a constitutional manner. As a German prince he loves his fatherland devotedly and honestly and it would never be with his assent that hostile undertakings were set on foot against the king of Prussia or the Prussian state. Because the whole world must be able to trust in his word he cannot utter a renunciation of Hanover. He lays before the people of Brunswick the question whether it would benefit the duchy to be ruled by a prince who had been obliged to purchase his entry into the town of Henry the Lion by such a self-disavowal and self-humiliation, such a betrayal of fidelity and faith. He expresses his confidence that the Hanoverians will do nothing that might render the position of Prince Ernest Augustus in Brunswick more difficult. Following a precedent of recent date he will leave it to the imperial court of justice to decide whether Prince Ernest Augustus fulfills the legal conditions required for his succession to the throne of Brunswick.

FAMOUS CHOIR OF THE CHURCH OF SAN LORENZO, IN FLORENCE



ROME, Jan. 11.—The monks shown here form the famous choir of the Church of San Lorenzo, Florence, which is justly celebrated throughout Italy. American impresarios have repeatedly offered the monks enormous sums if they would go on a journey through the United States, but they have refused all offers. It was in the Church of San Lorenzo that Savonarola preached against the Medici, and here was also held the funeral services over Michael Angelo.

worked by a series of unpleasant facts. Some idle young men of the wealthy class began to annoy women on the open streets. One victim met her husband who gave the offender a prompt lesson in good manners with a stick, on which he was challenged to a duel. A large number of husbands have formed a league with the aim of assisting each other in similar cases by lynch law, such justice not coming within the Italian code of honor.

From which a telescope post arises. The new motor car will be sent to Rome, the King and the Government having expressed a wish to witness some experiments. Signor Marconi and his wife have gone to London, the signor's health having recovered enough to permit of his traveling northward.

Three brothers named De Luca, aged respectively twenty-three, twenty and nineteen were found lying in a pool of blood tightly locked in each other's arms in a street in Naples the other day. One of them was dead and the other two were dying at the time of their discovery. From what what the authorities have been able to learn up to the present time it is believed that they were Anarchists or members of a secret society, and that they had been attacked in consequence of having disobeyed the commands of the society.

There was no detonation or shocks of earthquake such as have preceded previous eruptions. A rain of ashes fell over Naples for twenty minutes so thick as to obscure all views of the mountain. There was some panic in the poorer quarters of the town, the women beginning to pray to the Madonna and to the saints not to inflict punishment upon them as they did just before Easter when the great eruption occurred.

Messrs. Usuell and Crespi, who recently crossed the Alps in their balloon beat the previous Italian record the other evening, rising to a height of 22,966 feet where they remained fifty minutes in a temperature of forty degrees Fahrenheit below zero or seventy-two degrees of frost. They established another record by returning to the ground in eighteen minutes.

Later in the evening the rain of ashes ceased entirely at Naples, but continued in the direction of Portici and Pompeii.

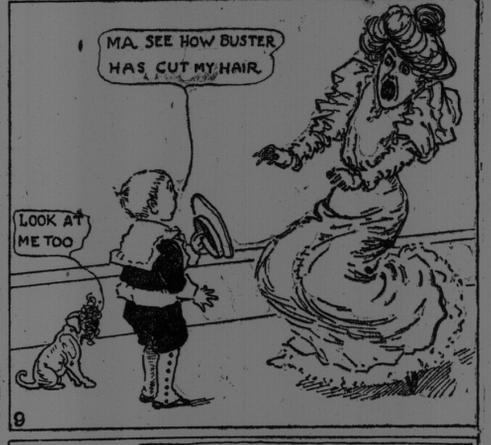
A man named Luigi Perrini who for many years has been wanted by the police for impersonating Count Alfredo Perrino, of the principality of Ulton, has been arrested under peculiar circumstances at Milan. Perrini succeeded in passing himself off as the Count, both in Rome and Milan, and obtained jewels, motor-cars and other things on credit and afterwards disappeared. He subsequently impersonated the Count in various other Italian towns and obtained large sums of money under false pretences.

GENUINE REMBRANDT BOUGHT FOR A DOLLAR

BRUSSELS, Jan. 12.—A clerk employed in the Belgian senate recently noticed in a shop at Leukin a dusty painting representing three cavaliers playing by a lighted lamp. He went in and having bought the picture for a dollar took it to a firm of experts for examination. It was there declared to be a fine example of Rembrandt. The clerk has since been offered \$60,000 for the painting.

THE ST. JOHN STAR

And Wasn't Bertie's Mamma Pleased!





THE ST. JOHN STAR



Sewing a Lenten Occupation

THE needle is surely a boon to the women who find time hangs heavy during Lent. When the distractions of the theatre, cards and dances are foregone for forty days by the really religious, or those who wish to pose as such, sewing becomes of paramount importance.

The unselfish sew for charity—gaining a little mild dissipation therewith by a chosen circle, which plies its philanthropic needles to the accompaniment of chatting and afternoon teas. The purely mundane seize the opportune lull in the social whirl to papoply themselves for fresh conquests after Easter.

Every woman, whether an observer of Lent or not, if she be wise takes these six weeks when nothing much is going on to make herself, or have made, all her lingerie blouses for the summer.

Whatever else may or may not be worn, it is safe to count on the thin muslin or linen waist taking a fresh lease of life as soon as warm weather makes heavy garments uncomfortable. The lingerie blouse has two many points in its favor ever to be discarded, croakers to the contrary notwithstanding.

The drawback to this early sewing with many women is the difficulty of getting advanced styles. Even for the pleasure of being forehanded, few of us care to face the possibility of the early bird catching a hopelessly passe model.

It is very consoling, therefore, to have styles straight from Paris, on which one may absolutely rely, to learn far in advance what new frills of fashion will transform an old friend into quite a different being.

The charming French lingerie blouses shown today may be easily copied, even by the girl who is only a sufficiently skilful needlewoman to make her own waists, and nothing else, in perfect confidence that she will be thoroughly up-to-date in them.

There are several little points that distinguish the blouse of 1907 from its predecessors. The fullness is held in very closely at the waist line, there being little, if any, droop. This can be easily regulated, of course, if the front is not sewed into a band, but is adjusted at will by tapes fastened across the back as far as the under-arm seams.

Another feature is quite elaborate trimming on the sleeves, as well as on the front and back. Hand embroidery and insertion, medallions of lace and lace edging, are all used in the sleeves, giving a new and very modish effect to the whole blouse.

Sheer handkerchief linen is the leading favorite, though, of course, fine Persian lawns and other transparent cotton materials are still used. The linen, however, gives much greater satisfaction, as far as endurance is concerned.

Cluny and Irish lace seem to be taking the place of valenciennes, which so long has held undisputed sway. Yoke effects are seen on almost all the French blouses. As for sleeves, they are still three-quarter or elbow length even on the very plain models; so the glove-makers may continue to rejoice and the girl with the scrawny or red arm to moan, or else turn her attention to developing exercises and whitening lotions.

The dainty blouse in the upper left-hand corner has a hand-embroidered yoke, sleeve-caps, cuffs and collar of handkerchief linen, with cluny lace used in a novel and effective way.

This model would be very lovely in pink or blue linen, with the embroidery done either in white or in several harmonizing shades of pink mercerized cotton.

The simplicity of the adjoining blouse is refreshing in this era of rather ornate trimming. It is of very sheer handkerchief linen, with groups of three tucks, run by hand or else hemstitched on the edge. A jabot and sleeve ruffles of the linen, hand embroidered on the edges, gives a new touch that is extremely good style.

Such a waist could easily be made with long sleeves, although the shorter lengths are much more in vogue.

Equally simple is the sheer linen blouse in the lower left-hand corner, with its box-pleated effect on front, back and sleeves. These pleats are an inch in width, and should be well stitched to avoid twisting when laundered. The frills are of linen, edged with a narrow valenciennes lace, while a stiff linen collar, hand embroidered, is worn with it.

This new model is a special favorite with Parisiennes.

Hand embroidery on yoke and sleeves, baby Irish insertion and pin tucks are fascinatingly combined in the central figure to make a very dressy blouse for more formal occasions. This waist would be equally effective and much cheaper if copied in valenciennes lace.

Very novel and extremely becoming is the last blouse, trimmed with bands of cluny lace insertion, used separately and to outline hand-embroidered shaped bands of the linen about three inches wide. Fine swiss insertion, rather open in design, could be substituted for the hand-work pieces.

Any or all of the models may be developed in colored linens or mulls, or in the white linen with color introduced in the embroidery.

Hand-Bag Notes

HAND BAGS grow more and more necessary to the comfort of womankind as the years roll by, and each season some improvement is made in the way of material, cut, clasp or furnishing.

Saffian leather, which is soft, smooth and shining, is one of this year's offerings, and every kind of vanity bag, motor bag or pocket-book can be made of it.

One attractive saffian bag is flat, yet capacious. It is made on a frame of German silver, boasts a flap pocket on one side and one of the new "two-stay" handles, adorned with tiny silver buckles.

A green saffian bag is shaped like a huge leather envelope. At first glance one has a notion that its holding powers are limited, but "appearances were ever deceiving." Bags this year have what is known among their makers as "bellows bottoms," and, being thus endowed, the woman who owns one may fill it as full as a small boy's pocket and still have room for something more.

Canteen bags of saffian leather are new and pretty. They have card cases, inside purses, compartments for mirrors, powder puffs and salts bottles, and boast the short, strong canteen handle. Some of these bags are also shown in Russian seal.

Silver gray bags are charming with the silver gray gowns. One in a fancy leather is embellished in a floral design and is lined with gray silk. This bag, like most of the new ones, is supplied with certain little aids to beauty.

Hand bags in Vienna leather come in a number of odd shapes and different colors. One is a combination of green and brown morocco, embellished in an antique design and studded with brass nails. Another is in soft calfskin, still another in gray, mounted in fine silk and studded on one side with imitation baroque pearls. The bags all have fine gilt chain handles.

My lady who goes motorizing must have a motor bag, of course, and the new ones are very complete. One saffian leather beauty is provided with tiny brushes for hair and clothes, with a comb, a mirror, powder puff, a purse and compartments for handkerchiefs, gloves, veil and goggles. It has a memorandum book, and even a tiny traveling clock, mounted in the same satiny green leather that is employed in the construction of the bag.

Other automobiling bags are shown in gray, in black walrus, in mottled alligator and in red-brown seal. All of these bags are fitted with the many little things that add so much to a woman's peace of mind when she takes a trip.

Two novelties in vanity bags will bring joy to the hearts of the women who are fortunate enough to own them. One is no larger than an ordinary purse, and has a leather handle, through which the fingers slip easily and upon which is fastened a tiny silver watch. This bag has the comfort of a "bell-bottom" and is fitted with an amazing number of pockets and compartments.

The other bag is much larger, is of fancy tan morocco and has in addition to the vanity bag proper a compartment for opera glasses and another for a fan.

Hand bags are very much used for afternoons and for the theatre. Some of the smaller bags are of black mocha with a lattice work in cut steel beads. A mocha bag that is large enough to carry opera glasses, handkerchief and purse has an attractive floral design in the cut steel beads.

An attractive head bag for a woman in mourning is of solid bead work in flat jet beads, through which runs a design in cut jet. These solid bead-work bags are very much liked, and come in a number of different colors. One in white with a floral design in all the natural colors—pink flowers and green leaves—is extremely attractive.

Velvet and silk bags partially covered with bead work are also very good. One rich dark green velvet bag is ornamented in an Oriental design, and looks well with a broadcloth costume of the same rich shade. A white satin bag ornamented in silver bead flour-de-lis is charming with a white gown.



Winter Hats

SMALL hats are very much in evidence, and though their shape is sometimes rakish, their pose is usually conservative.

Narrow turbans, draped beaver, felt, velvet or other soft materials are being worn a great deal. The trimming is usually evenly divided between the two sides of the hat. Sometimes the left side is elevated a little, but there is nothing radical about the elevation.

One type of small hat that is much liked has a round low crown and a narrow stiff brim, which turns up on one side. These hats are trimmed with wings, birds or plumes, combined with ribbon or velvet.

Another has a low, curved crown and narrow brim, which turns up squarely at its outer edge. It is trimmed with Paradise plumes, which are being used more and more as the season advances.

Dyers are exerting themselves, and feathers are shown in a greater variety of colors than ever before. The shaded ostrich plumes are very beautiful, and those in several tints of gray are among the most attractive of the winter's showings.

Paris



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Another lot of WHITE English Long Cloth, worth 12c. Yard. Sale Price, 10 Yds. \$1.00.

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CITY WILL PROBABLY RETURN TO THE WARD SYSTEM OF ELECTING ALDERMEN FORMERLY IN VOGUE

The members of the Common Council are likely to be elected again by the ward system. A bill will probably be introduced into the legislature at the coming session to bring this about.

A change in the form of city leases, and thus simplify the process of arbitration. They recommend a change in the hours for receiving ballots at civic elections, and favor a return to the former hours of 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

ST. STEPHEN WOMAN ENTERS ACTION AGAINST TOWN FOR \$2,000

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Jan. 11.—Through her attorney, M. MacDonagie, E. C. Mrs. Mary McKay, an aged resident of Calais, has brought action in the New Brunswick supreme court against the town of St. Stephen for damages placed at two thousand dollars, because of injuries sustained about three months ago on King street.

EVERYTHING GOING UP BUT WAGES

The police of the city will shortly petition the Council for an increase in wages. The matter has been talked of for some time, and the men will soon send in the petition.

SUSSEX MAN DIED OF PARALYSIS

SUSSEX, Jan. 11.—Clarke Teakles died at his home, Lowell street, this afternoon at 6 o'clock of paralysis, aged 70 years. Mr. Teakles was stricken with paralysis five weeks ago today.

Advertisement for Pen-Angle Underwear, featuring an illustration of a man in a suit and text describing the benefits of the garment.

WOULD ARRANGE FOR BETTER TRANSPORTATION OF FRESH FISH

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—The government is negotiating with the railways to arrange a system by which fresh fish could be transported inland from the Atlantic and Pacific coasts for domestic consumption.

RECENT WEDDINGS.

BROWNELL-MAXWELL

SACKVILLE, Jan. 11.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brownell, Bala Verie, was the scene of an interesting event on Wednesday afternoon, when their daughter, Janet, was united in marriage to John R. Maxwell of Glace Bay, Sydney.

NORTHROP-PICKEL

GRENFELL, Sask., Jan. 4.—A quiet wedding took place on Christmas eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Ira Northrup, when their only daughter, Miss Enza, was united in marriage to Weldon N. Pickel, late of the Grenfell public school staff.

CRAWFORD-MOWAT

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Mowat, St. Andrews, was the scene of a pretty home wedding on Wednesday, December 26th, when their daughter, Agnes McDougal, was united in marriage to Mr. Linus Sealey Crawford, of Sussex.

ANDERSON-JOHNSTON

Miss Alice Maud Anderson and William Johnston were united in marriage on Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson, Anderson settlement.

lain, was becomingly attired in white cashmere. George Mowat, brother of the bride was best man. After the ceremony a reception was held at which the happy couple received congratulations and many good wishes.

MURRAY-BAKER

At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Murray, Oak Bay, on New Year's day, Miss Gertrude Baker, of Elmville, and Alden Murray, of Oak Bay, were united in marriage by Rev. J. Frederic Estey. Only the relatives of the bride and groom were present.

MERCER-MITCHELL

A quiet wedding was celebrated at the Methodist parsonage, Sussex by the Rev. Dr. Rogers, on Monday, Dec. 10th, when Joseph H. Mercer, of Salspring, was united to Miss Maude E. Mitchell, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, Ratters Corner.

CHURCH UNION IN AUSTRALIA

Anglicans and Presbyterians Made Great Strides at Conference. LONDON, Jan. 11.—The Chronicle says the unity of the Australian churches is nearer than a year ago. A conference of Anglicans and Presbyterians arrived at a series of conclusions, which, while sidetracking the crucial difficulties, connected the historic episcopates.

DIED AT THE AGE OF 125

MADRID, Jan. 12.—María Josef Nieto has just died in the Provincial Hospital of Madrid, at the age of 125 years. He was twenty-seven years old when the Spanish War for independence broke out against Napoleon and he remembered many of the stirring events of that period—events which he witnessed and could describe with the accuracy of one telling a story first hand.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Jan. 10.—Work was resumed in the mines of the Goldfield region today, the 2,000 striking miners voting to accept the operators' schedule of wages and hours.

Scotch Coal, and Broad Cove Soft.

C. E. COLWELL has on hand a stock of Scotch Coal, and is expecting, daily, some Broad Cove Soft. Telephone West End, No 17, C. E. COLWELL, Old Port, West End.

RAILROADS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Western Express leaves Montreal daily 9:00 a. m. First and second class Coaches at Palace Sleepers through to Vancouver. Tourist Sleepers Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, Montreal to Vancouver.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

SPECIAL NOTICE

On and after TUESDAY, JANUARY 15th, 1907, Trains Nos. 85 and 6 will be discontinued between HALIFAX AND SNEY

Through dining and parlour cars will be attached to trains No. 1, leaving Halifax 7:50 a. m. for Sydney, No. 20, leaving Sydney 7:30 a. m. for Halifax.

SPECIAL TRAIN

With buffet sleeping car attached. Will leave Truro Saturday or after arrival of No. 34 (Maritime express) from Montreal for Sydney and Sydney Mines. 10-1-14.

EASTERN STEAMSHIP COMPANY INTERNATIONAL DIVISION

WINTER REDUCED RATE

Effective to M 1, 1907. St. John to Ireland \$3.00. St. John to Boston \$3.50. Commencing Tuesday, Nov. 13, steamers leave St. John, Tuesday and Friday at 6:30 p. m. for Lubec, Esbjerg, Portland and Boston.

RETURNING

From Boston at 9 a. m. Mondays & Thursdays, via Portland, Esport and Lubec. All cargo, except live stock, via steamers of this company, is insured against fire and marine risk.

W. G. LEE, Agent, St. John, N. B.

STRASSBURG, Germany, Jan. 11—

Twenty persons were killed today by the explosion of a vat of boiling celluloid in a bookbindery at Gaiselsheim owned by an English firm, Houdart & Co. The flaming liquid was thrown over rooms where many men and women were at work, and caused such instantaneous ignition of everything with which it came in contact that all the exits were cut off. Some of those who escaped from the burning rooms were terribly scalded.

Big Clothing Sale advertisement for J. N. HARVEY, featuring a list of men's overcoats, suits, and boys' suits with reduced prices, and a list of gentlemen's furnishings.

January 12, 1907

Our Great Stock Reduction Sale  
....Starts Today....

Today sees the beginning of our Great Stock reduction Sale. It is a vast merchandise movement, which shall bring you a harvest of extra values in exactly the things you want to buy.

ST. JOHN'S FOREMOST CLOTHING STORE is alive from sill to roof tree. In every department you'll find WONDERFUL BARGAINS.

What IS a Bargain?

An article which the buyer wants as much as usual and which the seller is a little more desirous to sell than usual. We are getting ready for stock-taking, and also busy in the making of clothes for Spring, so all Winter weights — though most of Winter is yet to come — are sharply reduced in price to hurry them out.

"Oak Hall" Clothing Reduced

That is what real bargains are—that means economy of the most substantial kind for you. Reductions from manufacturers' prices — that were always lower by 25 per cent than the prices of any other Clothing house where good Clothing is sold.

Come Today—Come Every Day If You Can.

GREATER OAK HALL,  
SCOVIL BROS., Ltd., St. John, N. B.  
Branch Store 695 Main Street, North End.

COLORED POPULATION THE STUMBLING  
BLOCK TO UNION OF WEST INDIES AND  
CANADA, SAYS HON. A. D. LOCKHART

Hon. A. D. Lockhart of Dominica, West Indies, who arrived here yesterday on the steamer Orinoco, spoke very interestingly to the Sun last night of conditions in his island home and its relations to Canada. Mr. Lockhart has one of the largest plantations in Dominica and exports large quantities of lime juice, cocoa and fruit. He is a member of the executive and legislative councils of the island. Accompanied by his family he is going to England on a visit, and his interest in Canada led him to come by way of St. John.

Speaking of the political union of the West Indies and Canada Mr. Lockhart said that he did not think this was likely to be brought about. The chief difficulty in the way is the unfavorable attitude of the colored people of the West Indies towards Canada. They regard as an insult the fact that in Canada even the best educated and most prominent members of their race are treated as inferiors by all white men, are even refused admittance to hotels and subjected to other indignities of a similar nature.

EMPERESS OF BRITAIN  
SAILED LAST NIGHT

Will Take on "Overseas" Rail and Passengers Coming by Mail Special at Halifax.

The C. P. R. steamship Empress of Britain sailed from this port last evening at half-past eight o'clock with about 400 passengers on board, 100 of whom were in the first cabin. The Empress did not wait for the "overseas" mails which were delayed in their trip across the continent, the mail being conveyed them having encountered severe snow storms on the central and Superior divisions of the road. The train arrived in Montreal last night at six o'clock. It was then rushed on its journey to Halifax, where the passengers and mails will be placed on board the Empress. The special will pass through this city about six o'clock this evening. There are thirty or thirty-five passengers on the mail special who will embark on the Empress at Halifax.

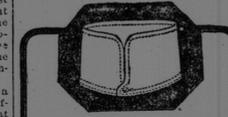
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL THINKS CORONER  
BERRYMAN HOLDS TOO MANY INQUESTS  
AND VIEWS, AND CUTS HIS BILLS DOWN

The finance committee of the Municipal Council, Councilor Baxter presiding, met yesterday afternoon in the office of the county secretary, holding their regular meeting before the Municipal Council meeting next Tuesday.

King, who met death in the recent Waterloo street fire, the affidavit states that the deceased was found burned to death, while it is known that death was due to suffocation. The inquest in this case was also criticised on the grounds that any investigation would under the statutes have come under the jurisdiction of the police magistrate. The drowning of young Milley, who fell through the Ballast wharf last summer, was also thought not to have justified an inquest. The committee also decided that the coroner had viewed the remains in some cases unnecessarily, particularly in the case of a number of deaths at the General Hospital.

ACCIDENTS AT AMHERST.

AMHERST, Jan. 11.—A chapter of accidents occurred here today. Henry James, a painter at Rhodes, Curry & Company fell from a step ladder and fractured his wrist. A son of Archibald Black cut his foot badly in the woods near Stanley. P. LeBlanc had his right arm fractured by a falling derrick in Rhodes, Curry & Co.'s saw works, and a man named McLere had his hand mangled by a saw at the Curran mills.



OTINA—Approved in fashion centres as the right collar for full dress and semi-formal occasions. Founded upon insure neck-comfort. Three widths: 2 inches, 2 1/2 and 3 inches at back.

STORMS CONTINUE TO RAGE  
THROUGHOUT THE WEST

Southern Alberta Has Never Experienced Such a Winter and Hopes of Cattlemen Are Blasted—Branch Railways Are Everywhere Blocked and in Some Cases There is No Coal Supply.

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—Despatches from the west continue the story of the most severe winter on record in Southern Alberta today is in the grip of the storm king and cattle are further from range grass than ever. The storm blasts the hope of cattlemen, who now admit that mortality on the snow-bound ranges will probably be heavy and costly. The day has been a dreary one, with a heavy snowfall and a strong wind from the west. The snow has piled up to a depth of several feet in many places, and the cattle are suffering from lack of food and shelter.

found he had more trouble on his hands. The yard engine had been sent to Hillcrest to do some work and got stuck in the snow. A freight engine was sent down to pull it out and what got stuck also, and both were dead. The situation of the railroad was in, as regards coal, is shown by the fact that a number of cars billed by the Canadian American Co. were found empty when they were opened. The snow had piled up to a depth of several feet in many places, and the cattle are suffering from lack of food and shelter.

TARIFF DISCUSSION AGAIN  
OCCUPIES ATTENTION OF HOUSE

Slow Progress Made and Seven Hundred Items Yet Remain to be Dealt With—Railway Pension Bill Introduced—Mr. Fisher's Cold Storage Bill Discussed.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 11.—The House spent most of the day in the tariff discussion. The tariff on agricultural products was the main subject of discussion. Mr. Fisher introduced a bill for the relief of the railway pensioners. Mr. Fisher's cold storage bill was also discussed.

for the merchant to dispose of a can of salmon after it was a year old. Mr. Lancaster thought there was no demand for this sort of legislation. The tariff on agricultural products was the main subject of discussion. Mr. Fisher introduced a bill for the relief of the railway pensioners. Mr. Fisher's cold storage bill was also discussed.

VAUDEVILLE.

"Fun Doctors With Prescriptions for the Blues" Next Week at Keith's.

Following a week of the mysterious and the psychic, lovers of the popular vaudeville are to be treated to a much lighter bill of fare next week. The Keith circuit, in up-to-date vaudeville quick change artists are always available, and the Ford Sisters are said to be ladies of considerable ability. Comedy in any and every form seldom fails to "catch on," and it frequently happens that it is most successfully presented in the form of a sketch, and this is said to be the case in the comedy sketch promised by Morgan and West. A "rube" wire act by Nevada and Howard is a combination of wire walking skill and comedy.

As usual there will be an entirely new series of animated pictures on the Bioscope, which will complete the bill nightly.

HAMPTON LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS.

HAMPTON, N. B., Jan. 11.—The officers of Corinthian Lodge, No. 13, A. F. and A. Masons, were installed into office this evening by Deputy Grand Master George Coggan, as follows: W. J. Brown, W. M.; R. H. Smith, I. P. M.; W. Frost, S. W.; T. C. Donald, J. W.; Archie Brittain, Treas.; J. M. Scovil, Sec.; S. C. March, S. D.; James Blair, J. D.; Guy Cormier, Director of Cereemonies; Frank Whitman, I. G. W. Jackson, Tyler. There were a number of visitors from Sussex, Colby and other places. One new member was initiated and new ones elected.

PROPOSE THREE  
YEAR TERM  
Annual Meeting of U. N. B. Alumni.

One or More Scholarships to be Established—Social Function to be Held Here in Near Future.

At the annual meeting of the Associated Alumni of the University of New Brunswick, held last evening in the equity court room, much important business was transacted. It was decided to hold a social function of some kind in St. John in the near future, in which the alumni resident in the city would take part. Another important matter decided upon was the desirability of the establishment of a scholarship of some sort. A resolution expressing a sense of the loss which had been incurred in the death of the late Chancellor Harrison was also passed, and a decision reached to have the names of alumni representatives in the university senate raised from two to four.

SEALING TENDERS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.  
SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, marked on the envelope "Tender for Construction of the Transcontinental Railway," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, Ottawa, until twelve o'clock noon on the 14th day of February, 1907, for the work required for the construction, in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications of the Commissioners, for the following sections of the Transcontinental Railway, viz.:  
(1) District "A."—From a point designated on the plan of the Commissioners, or near the city of Montreal, in the Province of New Brunswick, westerly for a distance of about 25 miles.  
(2) District "B."—From a point designated on the plan of the Commissioners, at or near the town of Grand Falls, in the Province of New Brunswick, westerly to the boundary between the Province of New Brunswick and Quebec, a distance of about 62 miles.  
(3) District "C."—From a point designated on the plan of the Commissioners, at or near the Quebec Bridge, easterly for a distance of about 150 miles.  
(4) District "D."—From a point designated on the plan of the Commissioners, about 100 miles west of the Quebec Bridge, westerly to the point known as the "Pointe à la Pêche," a distance of about 45 miles.  
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(10) District "J."—From a point designated on the plan of the Commissioners, at or near the Quebec Bridge, easterly for a distance of about 150 miles.  
Persons tendering are notified that tenders shall be sealed and specifications in duplicate, and on the printed form supplied by the Commissioners, and shall be accompanied by a deposit of \$100.00 in cash or in the form of a bank cheque payable to the order of the Receiver General of Canada, and shall be deposited with the Receiver General of Canada, Ottawa, on or before the 14th day of February, 1907, at 12 o'clock noon. The deposit shall be returned to the tenderer if the tender is not accepted, and shall be applied to the payment of the contract if the tender is accepted. The deposit shall be returned to the tenderer if the tender is not accepted, and shall be applied to the payment of the contract if the tender is accepted. The deposit shall be returned to the tenderer if the tender is not accepted, and shall be applied to the payment of the contract if the tender is accepted.

FIREMAN CHARGED WITH  
GOWARDICE AT ADAMS FIRE

Edward Evans of No. 3 engine house has been charged with cowardice in connection with the Adams fire, on North wharf, on the morning of New Year's. The charge has been placed against him recently by Edwin K. McKay of the E. W. McKay Co. general insurance agents, and an investigation was begun last night by Chief Kerr into the matter.

FILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

MONCTON LABORER MEETS WITH SEVERE ACCIDENT

MONCTON, Jan. 11.—Henry Price, a young man employed as a laborer in the I. C. R. shops had a log broken this afternoon. The log of an express locomotive driving wheel fell on the limb. The break is a bad one. Price is about 22 years old.

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ADVERTISING WITHOUT SYSTEM IS LIKE TRYING TO MANAGE AN ARMY WITHOUT DISCIPLINE.—Printers' Ink.

PATERSON'S

COUGH DROPS

THEY WILL CURE

EIGHT

THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B. SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 1907

A CUSTOMER'S REASONABLE WISH IS THIS STORE'S PLEASURE.

### A LOT OF Corduroy Velvets

To be Sold at 50c a Yard.

This material will give the best of service, and is in great demand for children's coats, suits and also for ladies' wear. This very low price makes these one of the most desirable offerings we have had for some time.

**Plaid Silks.**  
A new lot just arrived. They are only 50c a yard, are 21 inches wide. A good wearing and good looking silk. One of the most fashionable things we have.

A Large Lot of Ladies' Wrappers, in Small sizes to be Cleared Out at Less than Half their Regular Price. Any in the lot at 75c each.

The regular price is \$1.75. Be particular to note the big saving. The only reason of this very large reduction is, that there are only small sizes in the lot, running 22, 24 and a few 26. They are all colorings. Made in the best of styles and from good washing wrapperees. Body and sleeves lined. Skirts have a wide flounce with frill at bottom.

**F. A. DYKEMAN & Co.,**  
59 Charlotte St.

Valencia, Jamaica, California Navel, Florida, Saugerine.

## Oranges.

**WALTER GILBERT,**  
143 Charlotte Street, Cor. Princess.  
Telephone 812.

**SPECIAL OFFERING IN Ladies' Woollen Gloves.**  
Fine Makes and Low Prices.

**E. W. PATTERSON,**  
29 CITY ROAD.

**Given Away--Valuable Premiums**

A pair of High Grade Scissors with cash sales of \$3.00 or more.  
A 50c. Pocket Knife with cash sales of \$5.00 or more.

Save your receipts and claim these useful presents.

**C. B. PIDGEON,** Cor. Main and Bridge Sts., North End.

**REMEMBER**  
We sell Rankin's Soda only 7c. lb. Index Tobacco, 5c. plug; Best American Oil, 20c. gallon; Quart Bottle 30c. Pickles for 25c.; High Quality, Low Prices at—

—THE TIDY STORE—  
JAS. W. BROGAN, 10 BRUSSELS ST.

**ALTERATION SALE.**

As we intend to make extensive alterations in our store, and must reduce our stock, we are giving

**A Cash Discount,**  
ranging from 10 to 25 p. c. off sales until Jan. 15.

**E. G. NELSON & CO.**  
Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

**Fresh Eggs, Butter and Potatoes,**  
At Lowest Prices.

**MEGARITY & KELLEY**  
Hay Market Square,  
TELEPHONE 960.

**It's Worth**  
a good deal to have your prescription taken care of at stores like ours.

**GEO. E. PRICE,**  
Druggist,  
127 Queen Street,  
303 Union Street.

**COMBS—5 Doz. Combs.**

TRAVELLERS' SAMPLES.  
Horn Dressing Combs, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8c. each.  
Horn Fine Combs, 3, 4, 5c. each.  
Rubber Dressing Combs, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, to 25c. each.  
Rubber Fine Combs, 4, 5, 7, 10c. each.  
White Combs, 5, 7, 9, 12c. each.  
Pocket Combs, 2, 3, 5, 7, 10c. each.  
Samples Child's Mitts and Booties, 10 to 25c.

**ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE.**  
Phone 1765 88-85 Charlotte St.

**PATTERSON'S DAYLIGHT STORE**

## TURN BACK

TO Page 6 Tonight and read our White Wear Ad.

## GREAT SALE

—AT—

## LOW PRICES

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Sts.  
Store Open Evenings

**THE WEATHER**

Forecast—Easterly winds increasing to strong breezes and moderate gales, snow tonight turning to sleet and rain in some localities, clearing during Sunday and turning colder again. Storm signal No. 1 is displayed.

Synopsis.—Pressure movements are unusually rapid at present and unsettled weather is again indicated for the Maritime Provinces. Winds to Banks and American ports, becoming strong to a gale from the eastward. Sable Island, northwest, 26 miles, fair.

Highest temperature during last 24 hours, 38.

Lowest temperature during last 24 hours, 4.

Temperature at noon, 9.

**LOCAL NEWS.**

Three drunks were given the usual penalty in the police court this morning.

The Kindergarten committee expect to have an entertainment next Saturday. Further notice will be given later.

The Dunn Pork Packing plant was put up at public auction at Chubb's Corner today, and was withdrawn at a bid of \$5,900.

The Overseas mail train will arrive in the city this afternoon, one day late. The last word from the train stated that she would get here about 3:15 o'clock.

The building committee visited the site of the new Y. M. C. A. building this morning. They merely went over the ground in order that they might be posted for the next meeting when the plans and specifications will be shown.

Twelve burial permits were issued by the board of health this week. The deaths resulted from the following causes: Diphtheria, 2; senility, 1; asthma, 1; bronchitis, 1; consumption, 1; premature birth, 1; whooping cough, 1; dilation of heart, 1; carcinoma of stomach, 1; and sclerosis, 1.

The Donaldson liner Parthenia arrived in port this morning from Glasgow and will load general cargo for a return voyage. She docked at the McLeod wharf. The steamer GILLES arrived from Sydney last night and is docked at the McLeod wharf. She will load deals.

**FISHING VESSEL LOST; ONE MAN DROWNED**

GLoucester, Mass., Jan. 11.—The loss of the fishing schooner Richard Wainwright, at the Bay of St. George, Newfoundland, and the death by drowning of one member of the crew, was reported tonight in a telegram received from Newfoundland by Orlando Merchant, the owner of the vessel. The particulars of the wreck were not given, but it is believed that the schooner struck on a ledge while trying for shelter from the storm.

The Richard Wainwright was on her way home to Gloucester with a cargo of 300 barrels of frozen herring. Capt. Robert Wharton was in command. The schooner was built in this city in 1900. She registered 133 gross and 88 tons net.

**ADMIRALTY CASE WILL BE ENDED TODAY**

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Jan. 11.—The case in the Admiralty Court of the schooner Diana, of Gloucester, Mass., which began on January 2nd, will be concluded tomorrow. The schooner Diana collided with the schooner Sauria, twelve miles distant. The steamer claims that the schooner's lights were not burning and the night was dark. The schooner claims the steamer had no proper look out, was not properly handled, and that the steamer should pay \$4,000 being responsible for the collision.

**FIRE IN BOSTON.**

BOSTON, Jan. 11.—Three alarms were sounded for a threatening fire in a dangerous district tonight, but the blaze was extinguished before any great damage resulted.

The fire burned out the top floor of the five story brick building, 78-82 Sudbury street, opposite Hawkins street, occupied by Ingalls and Kendrick, manufacturers of radiators and furnace castings, the National Fitting Company and the cigar store of Charles Weerna. The loss will not exceed \$10,000.

**INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.**

Deputy Grand Master C. W. Segee and grand officers last evening installed the newly elected officers of pioneer Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., as follows:—H. V. McKinnon, N. G.; B. W. Graham, V. G.; C. H. Dolg, Rec. Sec.; J. L. Wilson, For. Sec.; D. B. Dolg, Treas.; C. N. Skinner, warden; A. D. Smith, conductor; D. A. Sinclair, R. S. N. G.; T. McEaster, L. S. N. G.; T. P. Wilson, R. S. S. G.; C. D. Fowler, L. S. S.; J. S. Gibbon, R. S. V. G.; Aaron Hastings, L. S. V. G.; W. D. Earle, I. G.; B. J. Lyons, O. G.; V. W. Dykeman, J. F. G.; Jeremiah Thompson, Chap.

**Remember . . .**

Hall's 33 1-3 Pre-Inventory Sale closes tonight. We are pleased to know our customers have so heartily responded to our efforts to serve them.

**GORDON NAIL WORKS, \$5,560, SLEETH & QUINLAN, \$3,150.**

The Valuator for West End Properties Made Their Award Today—A Big Difference Between What Was Asked and What is Given

The award made by the arbitrators on the Gordon Nail Works and Sleeth and Quinlan properties was handed to the city today. This report sets forth that the arbitrators have found that the Gordon Nail Works is entitled for damage to buildings and for improvements made in the land, to the sum of \$5,560. The Sleeth and Quinlan firm are awarded the sum of \$3,150. The award does not contain an itemized statement of the amounts for land and buildings separately.

A day or two ago when the valuator completed their report, their representative Mr. Hanington presented to the city a bill for \$460 for the services of the valuator. It is the custom in all such matters that these bills shall be paid before the award is made, but usually each side pays half the amount. It was suggested by the city that one copy of the award which had been prepared in duplicate should be handed to the board of works on payment of \$320, while the west side firms should be asked to pay the other half. This suggestion was not favorably considered, and the only way by which the city could get the report was by paying \$460 which was done under protest. An effort will be made to collect half this amount from the west side men.

**TO SAIL TO WEST INDIES IN A WOODBOAT**

Capt. Bartheaux, of Middleton, N. S., Will Attempt the Voyage.

Captain A. B. Bartheaux, of Middleton, N. S., left the city for his home today.

Captain Bartheaux had an interesting chat with several friends in the depot at night, and a Star representative was one of the number.

"I am soon going to start for the West Indies in a wooden boat, and if I get there I will be the first man who has ever covered 9,000 miles in such a vessel," said the captain.

He came to St. John to try and purchase a suitable boat, but he found that the wood boats here had iron fastenings, and he wanted copper, as the salt water eats the iron.

Captain Bartheaux has sailed to the West Indies for nearly forty years. He was once master of the three masted schooner "Wm. H. Baxter."

**FREderICTON ENTERS THE HOCKEY LEAGUE.**

FREderICTON, N. B., Jan. 12.—Fredericton has about decided to enter a team in the Hockey League. Satisfactory arrangements have been made with the Marysville rink. The team will likely be composed of Rowan, Malloy, Coleman, McMinnis, Gilhovey and others yet to be selected. The new organization will play an exhibition game with Marysville next Friday night.

**STATE OF MAINE MAKES MONEY FROM SKUNKS**

AUGUSTA, Maine, Jan. 12.—Official figures show that skunks annually bring this state between \$125,000 and \$150,000, double the revenue from the honey making industry. Nearly 25,000 gallons of skunk oil, which is still to have curative properties are produced annually in Maine. The wholesale price is \$5 a gallon. One skunk is supposed to produce a quart of oil. Skunk skins also are valuable. In New York and Pennsylvania there are skunk kept for breeding purposes and dark farms where light covered animals are killed for their fur.

**CHATHAM CURLERS WELCOMED HOME**

CHATHAM, N. B., Jan. 12.—The curlers returned last night on the maritime express bringing with them the McLellan cup. The train did not reach here until half-past one, but a large crowd was at the station. A large crowd was at the depot to welcome the champions. The champions consisted of Peter Archer, R. A. Loggie, Howard Kennedy, W. H. McLaughlin, Alfred Crosby, P. M. Eddy, Sam McDonald, R. A. Snowball, and Dr. Loggie. They repaired to the rink where speeches and songs were given. The cup is now on exhibition. New Glasgow will be the first club to play here for the cup.

**LOST.**—Parcel containing silk waist in Union Depot or on Mill street. Finder will be awarded by leaving at Star office. 12-1-11

**Ladies' Furs**  
At Prices That Will Move Them Quickly.

\$33 Mink Stoles at	\$26 00
40 " " "	28 50
50 " " "	35 00
45 Mink Pillow Muffs,	30 00
35 " " "	26 00
25 " " "	18 50
25 Black Marten Stoles at	18 00
14 " " "	8 99
Mink Marimott Furs from \$5.00 to 15 00	
Stone Marten " " 8.50 to 25 00	
Grey Squirrel " " 5.00 to 20 00	

We also have a large assortment of cheaper Furs from \$2. 0 up.

**WILCOX BROS.,**  
Dock Street and Market Square.

**WEDDING GIFTS!**

YOU WILL FIND the choicest selection of appropriate Wedding Gifts in Silver, Cut Glass and China at

**The Flood's Co., Ltd.,**  
31-33 King St.

**Pure Apple Cider**  
Guaranteed Sweet—A Most Delicious Drink.  
Order a gallon today.

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