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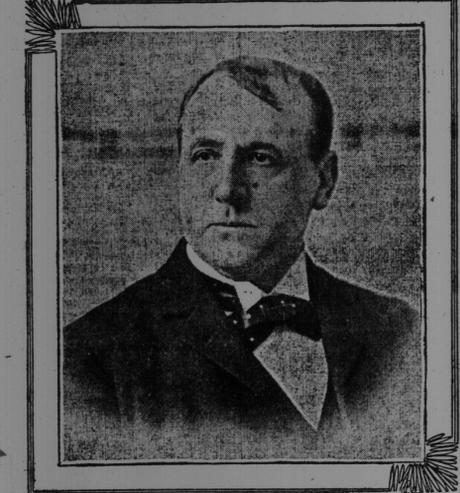
Dominion Company Will Supply Coal in Future at Market Rates

This Does Not Mean as Low a Price as New England Coke & Gas Company Are Paying—Steel Company Will Require 75,000 Tons Monthly After Jan. 1—Old Contract May Go to Courts or Arbitration for Decision.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Montreal, Nov. 15.—A settlement of the dispute between the Dominion Coal and the Steel companies was announced this afternoon. The Dominion Steel & Iron Company agreed to purchase from the Dominion Coal Company the supplies of coal it requires at the same figure as that charged to other purchasers. The validity of the contract between the two companies will be finally determined either by arbitration or in the courts. Following is the correspondence which passed between the companies.

Whitney's Company Excepted. "To Dominion Steel Company: "The Dominion Steel Company, Ltd., begs to acknowledge receipt of your letter of this date in which you say: "With the view to minimizing the damage to the shareholders of the Steel and Coal Companies and the hardships which will be sustained by the employees of both companies through the closing down or curtailment of the operations of the Steel Company, owing to the lack of coal, the Steel Company is willing without waiver of its rights under the provisions of the contract of October 20, 1903, to purchase coal suitable for its purposes at the price at which the Coal Company is at present supplying other large customers. If the Coal Company is prepared to sell to the Steel Company coal on the understanding that there will be ample time for the determination of the rights of both companies, avoiding the threatened disastrous results to the commercial and financial interests of the country. (Signed) "L. J. FORBET," Vice-President.

NEW LEADING COUNSEL FOR HARRY THAW



New York, Nov. 15.—Delphin Michael Delmas, one of the best known lawyers of San Francisco, has been retained to defend Harry Thaw when he is arraigned for the murder of Mr. Stanford White and will have the active part in the proceedings before the jury. Mr. Delmas will cooperate with Clifford W. Hartridge, already engaged as counsel for the prisoner, but he will be the active attorney in the conduct of the case, having received the authority of Mrs. William Thaw and Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, with whom he has been in consultation for several weeks. When seen at his office Mr. Delmas definitely stated that there would be no application for a commission in insanity, but that the case would go before a jury. Asked if the defense would be the theory of the "unwritten law," he declined to commit himself, but his intimation was that there would be no difficulty in procuring the release of the prisoner. Mr. Delmas is a lawyer of wide experience, and he had no idea of coming to New York until the San Francisco earthquake. Then, on account of the chaotic conditions in the western city, he was induced to travel east and to form a partnership with his old friend, Henry McKee, formerly United States attorney for the northern district of California. At the suggestion of Justice McKenna, of the supreme court of the United States, he was taken into the Thaw case, and in the meantime he was admitted to the bar of this county, former Judge Van Wyck being his sponsor. It was almost immediately upon his arrival home here that Mr. Delmas was brought into contact with Mr. Hartridge with a view to taking part in the Thaw case, and since then he has had many consultations with the wife and mother of the prisoner. The decision to carry him as the leading counsel in the case, however, was not reached until yesterday. This will be the first case tried by Mr. Delmas in New York, but by no means the first in his experience. His record in important cases is unusually conspicuous. For thirty years he has been practicing in San Francisco, and in that period he had charge of some of the biggest cases. He was counsel for Mrs. Graves in the Fair will contest; he defended J. J. Arnold, who shot Gramia after a street fight in San Francisco, and he was attorney counsel for Truxton Beale, formerly in the diplomatic service, who shot a woman who afterward became Beale's wife and who, incidentally, was a witness to the killing of Mr. White on the roof garden of Madison Square Garden. Incidentally, in the course of his professional career, Mr. Delmas has defended sixteen clients accused of homicide and in every case the defendant has been acquitted.

HETTY GREEN SEES TROUBLE FOR THE TRUSTS



Boston, Mass., Nov. 15.—Mrs. Hetty Green, the wealthiest woman in the United States, seldom permits herself to be interviewed about unusual attention has been attracted to her prophecy of coming serious trouble for the big trusts. Mrs. Green is just now in Roxbury, where her agents have failed to rent several houses owned by her as quickly as she expected and which she has undertaken to do herself. "There is going to be a revolution in this country," said Mrs. Green. "The people are going to revolt against the oppressions of the trusts. There will be a deluge, and these streets will run with blood when the people are aroused. The people are gradually finding out about the trusts, and when they realize you."

HALIFAX KEEPS MAIL SERVICE

C. P. R. Vainly Appeals at Ottawa for a Chance to Try St. John GOVERNMENT FIRM

Only Recognize the Allans in the Matter and Contract Must Be Carried Out—Will Mean a Delay in Forwarding Far East Mail.

Ottawa, Nov. 15.—The Express of Ireland sails from Liverpool tomorrow and will call at Halifax with the Canadian mails on her way to St. John. This decision was finally reached today by the C. P. R. Steamship Company. Chas. Drinkwater, on behalf of the C. P. R., had an interview with Dr. Coulier, deputy postmaster general, this forenoon, when the doctor said that the department had given out its decision yesterday, which was that the contract, as at present arranged, would have to be carried out. The C. P. R. was not included in the contract at all. They are merely subs for the Allans and the Allans were instructed to adhere to the contract. This meant that the C. P. R. could not get the mails without calling with them at Halifax. It was therefore up to the company to say that they would do so or not. Mr. Drinkwater said that the company would carry the mail service. They were afraid it would interfere with the carrying out of the overseas mail contract. It would mean the loss of a day in going to Halifax. However, the Express of Ireland has been notified and the mails will be brought direct to St. John. Montreal, Nov. 15.—(Special)—The Canadian Pacific will not make any test of the direct St. John route because there will not be an opportunity, it is explained at C. P. R. headquarters. To carry out the terms of the mail contract it will be necessary for the Express to call at Halifax each way. One of the Expresses will sail from St. John every second Friday on the arrival of the C. P. R. train leaving Montreal on Thursday evenings and they will sail on Friday every second Saturday on the arrival of the C. P. R. train leaving Montreal on Friday evenings. Tried Twice to Bribe STANDARD OIL JUROR Cleveland, O., Nov. 14.—A \$500 bribe for a disinterested juror in the Standard Oil Company of Ohio on charges of criminal conspiracy, was made in the basement of the court house itself, when some man, at present unidentified, showed the juror a big roll of bills and tendered them to him. Both offers were made by the same man and both were declined. The identity of the would-be briber has not been established. Myers says he does not know him. Prosecutor David and other officials are familiar with the attempt to corrupt the juror, but refuse to discuss the matter in any way.

NEGRO FRANCIS STILL ELUDING HIS PURSUERS

Bath Militia Called Out and Search in Vain; Other Clues to Dispatcher's Whereabouts Run Down.

Thomaston, Me., Nov. 15.—Many reports of the appearance in various localities of the negro desperado, Minot St. Clair Francis, who escaped from the Maine state prison here last Monday, continued to be received today by Warden Norton, but most of them proved, upon investigation, to be groundless. At the same time that Snow began to fall about 6 o'clock tonight and for a time there was a hope that its fall might be sufficient to help the officers in getting on the trail of the man, but the snow was not sufficient to enable them to locate the desperado by tracking him. Notices of the offer of \$200 reward for the capture of Francis and his description were sent out today. The following is the general description: "Age 28, but looks older; height 5 feet 10 3/4 inches; weight 208 pounds. Stout build, black hair, brown eyes, light mustache, complexion and smooth shaven. He has the letter 'F' and an indistinct anchor marked on the left forearm and an indistinct ring on the left middle finger. This man is a desperate and a dangerous character, has a long criminal record and has many times escaped from custody." A damp snow began falling this evening. The officers were hopeful that it might be sufficient to enable them to locate the desperado by tracking him.

CANADA'S IMPORTS LARGELY EXCEED HER EXPORTS

Ottawa, Nov. 15.—Canada's aggregate foreign trade for the four months ended Oct. 31, shows a gain of over thirteen and a quarter millions dollars compared with the same period of 1905, the figures being respectively \$109,814,777 and \$7,223,257. The exports of domestic products amounted to \$88,818,114, a gain of \$6,009,820. The imports for the four months ended Oct. 31, of the value of \$111,571,338, an increase of \$18,753,687. Not in all classes of exports did the gains take place as will be seen from the following statement:

Table with 2 columns: Increase, Decrease. Items include Fishery, Forest products, Agricultural, Manufactures.

WILL APOLOGIZE FOR INDIGNITY

Brazilian Ambassador Held Up for Not Answering Obnoxious Questions RAP FOR OFFICIALS Secretary Root Orders New York Collector to Make Amends for Wanting to Know if Representative Was an Anarchist, Polygamist, Had Ever Been in Prison or Asylum.

New York, Nov. 15.—Whether or not the ambassador of a friendly nation on arriving at New York to take up his duties in Washington must be compelled to inform the immigration inspectors whether he has ever been in prison or supported by charity or whether he is a polygamist or an anarchist, may be referred to the state department at Washington as a result of the refusal of Joaquim Nabuco, Brazilian ambassador, to answer the questions when he arrived here today from Liverpool. The immigration law requires anyone arriving at this port shall answer those and other questions. The purser of the Republic reported to the immigration inspectors that his inquiries as to the questions through Mr. Chermant, the secretary of the Brazilian embassy, who accompanied Mr. Nabuco. Mr. Nabuco again refused to answer certain questions. Secretary Root promptly gave the desired information when they arrived. What caused it is unknown, but the immigration inspectors secured answers to the questions. Concerning the incident Mr. Nabuco said: "I answered every question which I believed would add to the necessary statistical information, but when it comes to asking questions regarding my beliefs and opinions, it is different. I am not a visitor to this country in the implied sense of the word. I am here as a representative of another power, as such, I am to a certain extent the guest of this nation. This is the ground I take and for this reason alone I refused to answer certain questions. There is no friction over the affair, and I would like that nothing be said regarding it." Apology Ordered. Washington, Nov. 15.—Upon being officially informed of the circumstances attending the landing of the Brazilian ambassador, Senator Nabuco, in New York harbor brought about by his refusal to answer certain questions, Secretary Root promptly communicated with the department of commerce and labor and requested that the necessary instructions be telegraphed to the collector at New York to immediately extend the courtesies of the port to the ambassador and his secretary. It is probable an apology also will be offered to the ambassador and a severe admonition given to the immigration officials responsible for the indignity.

OHIO OFFICIALS HOT AFTER STANDARD OIL MAGNATES

Fredley, O., Nov. 15.—Criminal prosecution of the highest officials of the Standard Oil Co. will be the next move by Prosecutor David, according to a statement made by him this afternoon. Mr. David says he believes he has sufficient evidence to warrant him in bringing all of the officers and directors of the controlling corporation, the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey, before the court. John D. Archbold, Henry H. Rogers and Wm. A. Rockefeller are among those mentioned by the prosecutor in connection with his latest move.

MOVE TO BREAK UP STANDARD OIL CO.

United States Government Begins Suit to Dissolve Combination

Charges Taken Up 194 Printed Pages and Show the Prices of Kerosene in Every State of the Union and the Methods Pursued to Crush Rivals—Both Rockefellers Named Among Defendants—Criminal Prosecution May Follow.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 15.—The United States government today made the initial move to dissolve the Standard Oil Company's alleged monopoly by filing in the United States Circuit Court a petition in equity against the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, and its seventy constituent corporations and partnerships, and seven defendants, including John D. Rockefeller and William Rockefeller, asking that the combination be declared unlawful and in the future enjoined from entering into any contract or combination in restraint of trade. The suit was brought under the Sherman anti-trust act, which the Standard Oil Company and its constituent companies and the seven individual defendants are charged with violating. In a formal statement Attorney General Moody says that criminal prosecution is reserved for future consideration. The government's petition in the suit is signed by William H. Moody, United States Attorney General; Milton B. Parry, assistant to the attorney general; showing the retail price of oil in every state and territory of the union. The investigation into methods pursued by the Standard Oil Company began early in 1905, and the results were laid before Congress last May by President Roosevelt, who accompanied the report by a special message denouncing the apparent methods pursued. The president asserted that suits would be instituted in the United States courts to abolish the combination and the filing of the suit today marks the initial step. The defendants are entitled to one month in which to enter their appearance and sixty days in which to file answer to the allegations in the petition. They also have the option of filing a demurrer to the bill.



JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER EXHORTING A SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

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STANDARD OIL HAS SHRUNK \$138,000,000

New York, Nov. 14.—Standard Oil stock declined today to a new low level for the year on the news of the government's action in St. Louis, where the bill of complaint in the suit to dissolve the corporation was filed at 12 o'clock. It closed slightly higher, at 66, showing a net decline for the day of ten points. Standard Oil sold at \$70 a share in January of this year. There has been a decline, therefore, in the present year of \$38 a share. The stock sold in 1902 at \$80 a share, the highest price in its history. At the capital stock of the Standard corporation is \$100,000,000. It closed recently at \$66, representing a shrinkage of \$138,000,000 in its market value. The company has paid dividends so far this year amounting to \$3,000,000.

Prominent Stratford Man Dead

Stratford, Ont., Nov. 15.—(Special)—John Corrie, a prominent citizen, died this morning at the age of 75 years, after three days illness from congestion of the lungs. He has been a resident of the city for more than fifty years. For several years he was a promoter of the Stratford Gas and Electric Light Company, and president of the Water Works Company. He was also a director of the Perth Mutual Fire Insurance Company. He was a Conservative and an Episcopalian.

DISASTROUS FLOODS CAUSE ENORMOUS DAMAGE IN OREGON

Portland, Ore., Nov. 15.—Portland tonight is out off by floods from Seattle, Tacoma, Bellingham, Spokane and every point north and west of Kelso (Wash.). The mainstem that swept over the Northwest Pacific coast last night has created a condition under which railroads are at a standstill or greatly interrupted. Flooded rivers have washed out bridges and wagon roads are impassable. A despatch from Kelso (Wash.) says a raging torrent is rushing through the lowlands in that vicinity, carrying thousands of dollars worth of property in a mad rush to the sea. The Cowitz river, which began to rise rapidly yesterday, jumped to twenty feet above low water mark this morning, and the big 800-foot drawbridge that spans the stream between Kelso and Cullin, unable to withstand the terrific strain, broke from its fastenings early today with a crash that was heard for blocks and joined the huge mass of debris floating down the swollen river. The Willamette river in Oregon, at Points above Portland, rose rapidly yesterday and today. It is expected that the stream will cover the lower docks along the Portland waterfront before the floods subside. At Kent, the southern end of the town two miles wide, was under several feet of water. In the heart of the town the White River has spread out until it is almost three miles in width. The business quarter of Auburn is intact, but under water. The residence portion is flooded and many persons have fled to the hills. Several empty farm houses have floated down the Green and the White rivers. Huge bonfires lit up the hills in the farming country, and about them are huddled scores of families, while others are fighting desperately to save their possessions. Benton is under water and the Cedar River is running through the city, taking water in out-buildings and small barns. Most of the bridges near North Bend have gone out, and the town is isolated. All the land across the Northern Pacific track from North Bend is under water, and a heavy current is flowing along next to the track. The railroad bridge is still intact. Snoqualmie river is out of its banks and the town of Snohomish is partly under water, while farmers have been driven back to the hills.

FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

CHATHAM.

Chatham, Nov. 11—While returning from school Friday afternoon Wilnot Eddy was struck over the eye by a stone thrown by one of his companions, the wound being quite serious.

Miss Nellie Cripps is home from Examinations on a visit.

Steamboat Alexandria will make her last trip of the season to Exmouth on Wednesday, the 16th inst.

A. E. Reed, of Liverpool (Eng.), one of the owners of the Dominion pulp mill, is in town.

Harvard has returned from a trip to Fredericton.

Miss Ida Lynch has gone to Exmouth to take charge of the school at that place.

The Miramichi Lumber Company's saw mill casual operations for the season last night.

Mrs. A. G. Gamble and family left yesterday for their future home in Springfield (Mass.).

Harry Oassey, while out shooting a few days ago, had the misfortune to shoot himself in the thumb.

Dr. W. Stuart Loggie presided at the Y. M. C. A. meeting this afternoon.

The address was given by Rev. Mr. Sellar and the solo, Rev. Y. C. Israel, was heartily rendered by Mrs. Roscoe H. Wing.

There was a large attendance.

A number of young people from Chatham and Loggieville, were here last evening, Friday, when a very pleasant evening was spent.

Chatham, Nov. 12.—The stone work of the new Roman Catholic cathedral spire is finished all but about one foot. The upper part, which will be of wood, is to be one hundred feet high and will be completed this fall if the weather is favorable.

The contractor, L. J. Bouteau, has gone to Montreal on a business trip.

W. B. Snowball has invested in a handsome new automobile. The machine is of American manufacture and cost in the vicinity of \$2,000.

Miss Adèle Johnson left yesterday on a visit to relatives in Boston.

Game Warden Wyse, who has charge of the eastern section of this county, has, up to date, secured 109 loon licenses, \$2 each and five foreign ones at \$50 each, total, \$545.

The hunters have exceptionally good luck this season. Two more fine moose heads were brought to town yesterday, one by Bernard Cook, which had a spread of fifty-four inches, and a smaller one by Malcolm Waring.

Thirteen of Dr. Brisson's many friends are sorry to learn he is suffering from an attack of paralysis.

The J. B. Snowball Co. have built between two and three million feet of logs up river. They will fill the booms at Allison's Cove and expect to save the remainder of the season.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Luke's church are preparing to hold a mystery tea at the church hall on the evening of Dec. 15th.

It was resolved at a meeting of the Miramichi Steam Navigation Co. that the secretary record in the minutes of the annual meeting held in the town of Miramichi, the death of M. S. Hocken, one of the directors, and his appreciation of the assistance he so willingly gave the officers of the company and the sorrow and regret which all of them feel at the loss of such an honest and upright citizen.

Extensive preparations are being made for smelt fishing.

The anniversary of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of St. Luke's church will be held in the basement of the church on Thursday evening, the 22nd inst. The report will be read by Mrs. Laid, of Newcastle, and an address of the branch president, Mrs. Chipman, by Mrs. W. B. Snowball. There will also be a musical programme and refreshments will be served.

LOWER MILLSTREAM

Lower Millstream, Nov. 12—A man named Thompson, an employe of Jones Bros., at Apohaqui, met with a serious accident on his daily labor, as he was working at dragging the logs out of the water, by some means got his arm caught in the chain and before he could release himself, the arm was severely crushed and the doctors hold out small hope of being able to save it. Much sympathy is being for the victim, particularly on his daily labor. A subscription was at once started in Apohaqui, and more than \$50 given.

Three miles are now at work cutting the logs which have been held up in the river all summer.

Mrs. Freeze and Miss McLeod, of Paroboscip, were the guests on Sunday of Geo. McLeod.

Mrs. Weyman returned Saturday from Fredericton; also Mrs. Musgrave from St. John.

Miss Manchester, of Apohaqui, will leave on Wednesday for Winnipeg.

Miss Beulah Johnson, of Midland, spent Sunday at the residence of W. D. Fenwick.

MONCTON

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 13—Provincial Government Engineer A. R. Wetmore arrived here this afternoon from Fredericton and inspected Hall's Creek bridge abutment which was under construction towards the creek Saturday night. He says the abutment cannot be saved and will have to be entirely rebuilt. Whether the work of rebuilding will be commenced is still in doubt.

A. H. Champion, second vice-president of the International Association of Machinists, arrived yesterday from Toronto and will spend a month on the I. C. R. system looking into some grievances with a view to adjusting the same. The wage schedule will probably have consideration. The I. A. M. officials went to Halifax today and will visit the different sections of the road, probably spending the greater part of the time in Moncton. He reports the I. A. M. in Canada in a flourishing condition, being stronger on the government road than ever in its history.

Archie Jessup, manager of the Windsor Hotel, was this afternoon convicted of

As midday detours more rapidly under certain climatic conditions, such as with cancer in the human body. There are certain conditions that favor its development, and when these conditions are present the cancer gradually develops. Six cents (stamp) to St. John, N. B., or to Montreal, Ont. If you are troubled with

CANCER

SCOUT ACT VIOLATION

Scout act violation and sentenced to one month in jail. The proprietor of the American Hotel was convicted of the same offence and was fined \$50.

The management here made to hold a conference between representatives of the U. N. B. Telephone Company and a committee of the city council and board of trade here next Monday afternoon.

Moncton, Nov. 14—The general committee of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers is in session here today. A number of the committee states that they are preparing to hold the annual meeting of the committee and there is no special business to be transacted.

The people of Fox Creek and vicinity having received an intimation from Chief Commissioner LaBrosse that Halls Creek bridge will not be ready this winter and the department cannot afford to erect a temporary wooden crossing, have set about collecting subscriptions with a view to building a temporary bridge for the winter months. Already \$1,000 is said to be subscribed.

Rather Legere, of St. Paul, Kent county, in the city today, states the small-pox epidemic in Kent appears to be proving. From what he can learn the quarantine is being more rigidly maintained and contagion is on the decrease. He thinks if vigilance is exercised the disease will soon be stamped out without further spreading.

I. C. R. detective Lingley's statement to the Telegraph to the effect that there have been no thefts of liquor from the O. R. cars causes some surprise here. Only a few days ago liquor in transit was reported missing and the matter has been diligently investigated by officers of the C. R. detective and St. John work reported cars broken open.

The National Transcontinental Railway Commission, in an official car, passed through the city this morning from Montreal. The commission will go to Truro and from there to St. John tomorrow.

The north-bound day express was on Monday obliged to stop when near Flat Lake, owing to the presence on the track of a herd of caribou. There were seven animals in the herd, which was feeding alongside the track when a train came in sight and they stood on the path until a locomotive was almost upon them. Brakes had to be put on to avoid collision.

With the season not yet ended, Surveyor General Sweeney reports a great increase in game license revenue this season. Twenty-seven thousand dollars have already been taken in, \$3,000 more than the total of last year.

HARCOURT

Harcourt, Nov. 13—The funeral of the late Peter V. Chrystal, only son of Mr. and Mrs. James Chrystal, of this place, took place at South Branch yesterday.

Miss Annie Price, remaining from the town, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Spurgeon Amos, at Lower Derby, and arrived home yesterday.

Miss Jessie Peley returned from Moncton yesterday.

Miss Jessie P. Dunn returned on Saturday night from a several days' stay in Moncton.

Miss Jessie Saunders, of Millerton, has come to spend a few weeks with her cousin, Mrs. W. W. Cummings.

Miss M. Ethel Call entertained a number of her friends on the 10th.

Woodville N. Ingram is home from Montreal.

Leander Buckley returned to Moncton yesterday after a few days' vacation at his home in Rosgenville.

The Bass River Sewing Circle have set themselves to raise money to fund the Presbyterian cemetery. A donation of \$10 has been received from a former Bass River man, Dr. Neil McKendrick, of Pileatica (N.B.).

Frank Price, who was supplying for Everett Vye, telegrapher at Chatham Junction, has returned home.

Miss John J. Thompson, of Bass River, is seriously ill.

Miss Bessie Roberts, Mrs. J. A. McDougall and Miss Margaret Flanagan, all of Guilford (Me.), are visiting at Bass River.

Peter Gallant, of Rosgenville, is erecting a fine new dwelling, and Mr. Dumonde a potato warehouse.

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, Nov. 13—Rev. E. J. Grant, of Pettitville, returned to the Baptist church here on Sunday afternoon. His parishioners have not yet secured a pastor.

Geo. M. Russell, who spent the last week in the hospital, returned to his home here last week. He was successful in his recovery from internal trouble by Dr. Burnett.

GRAND FALLS

Grand Falls, Nov. 13—The young ladies of the Catholic congregation will hold a supper at the Casino Hotel on Tuesday evening, Nov. 27 inst. for the purpose of raising funds to purchase a new church bell.

It has snowed continuously for the past twenty-four hours and it is still snowing. Already nearly a foot of snow has fallen, making excellent sleighing.

A dramatic club is being organized for the purpose of giving a series of entertainments during the winter, the proceeds to be devoted to the rebuilding of the Catholic church.

Dr. C. A. Kirkpatrick has obtained the names of over forty young men who are desirous of forming a civilian rifle club, and the militia department is now making arrangements for the purchase of a suitable rifle range.

Work on the power plant and dam at Arnotook falls is approaching completion and will be in full operation before the end of the year.

ROTHESAY

Rothesay, Nov. 13—Some sleighs will be seen on the roads this morning, as a result of the sleet and snow storm last evening. Some six inches of sleet covered everything.

The meeting of the debating society which took place on the 11th inst. at the Grand Hotel, met for the first time in the Grand Hotel Friday evening, was a pronounced success. The attendance was large and the interest keen. Miss De Milo, as leader of one side, and Miss Daisy Harrison, opposing with her assistants, debated the question whether it is more preferable to travel by land than by water. The advocates of "boat passage" won the day. Friday week the interesting question, should marriage be for love or money, will be treated and debated. Miss Harrison's assistants, Miss Daisy Harrison and Miss Daisy Harrison, will stand up for love.

Mr. Anderson Saunders is confined to his bed as a result of a serious but somewhat serious accident on Friday last. Her husband was away to the woods for the day and some time in the afternoon she heard a racket. The animal had become entangled in a fence and Mrs. Saunders, in his effort

TO ILLUSTRATE IT, WHICH WERE FINALLY SUCCESSFUL, BECAUSE STANGED IN THE TEACHER CHAIR. SEVEN CHILDREN WERE BOUND THE NIGHT BEFORE LAST AND WHEN MR. SAUNDERS CAME HOME HE FOUND A BADLY FRIGHTENED WOMAN MUCH ALONE WITH THE BIG RAIN STANDING OVER HER.

One of the piers of the long wooden bridge at Perry's Point has been removed and piers driven to support the structure while another pier is being built. The work is not yet done, the new abutment is about up to the level of the old one. Contractor Thomas Gilliland has charge of the work.

Rothsay collegiate boys did not bring victory in the football game, but they were cheerful in spite of their defeat. The boys practiced and played the football game with the enthusiasm they seem to put into all their games.

Mr. Daniel and his daughter, Joan, of the rectory, will leave this afternoon for Truro to visit relatives. The friends of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel will sympathize with them because of the serious illness of Miss Joan, who many friends hope her western trip will be of much benefit to her.

Thomas Leonard preached yesterday morning and last evening in the Baptist church. The engineers are going over the line again between the two towns, taking measurements necessary for the abutment. There was some hope that the I. C. R. authorities would look into the advantages of the original route, but the engineers are going to build the new line, because of the eastern shore of the Kennebec and because of the present main track. The old settlers have blamed the influence of an eminent jurist for the change. The new line is being built on the old route, but all the signs show that the new line is the one that will be built and the hills dug out, tantalizing reminders to the property owners.

GAGETOWN

Gagetown, Nov. 13—A basket race was held in the Temperance Hall here on the 10th, at which about \$45 was raised. The proceeds to be devoted to procuring a fence to enclose the Roman Catholic church and cemetery at "The Mill".

An at-home by the Epworth League at the Methodist parsonage Tuesday evening, was a very enjoyable affair. After an hour spent in social intercourse and bright games a short programme of interestingly written papers by members of the league with recitations and music interspersed added much to the interest and helpfulness of the gathering. The occasion was the opening of the league's reading circle, which is to meet during the winter.

Rev. J. Spencer, pastor of St. John's church, spent a few days at Grand Lake last week, doing much pastoral work there.

Charles Ebbett and his son, Judge Ebbett, have gone to Hodgdon (Me.), called there by the illness of Mrs. Charles Ebbett, who has been very low with pneumonia. The last report of the patient's condition was more hopeful of her recovery. Mrs. Ebbett had gone to Hodgdon to spend a few weeks with her son, Dr. Ebbett.

Hilzon Cooper has gone to St. John to take a course at business college.

Four inches of snow fell yesterday, but is melting under the bright sun and milder weather.

Large quantities of farm produce have been shipped from here this fall and there is considerable to go yet.

FREDERICTON

Fredricton, N. B., Nov. 13—(Special)—The case of Stevens vs. Tompkins, the last on the docket, was disposed of in the supreme court this morning. Mr. Lawson supported the plaintiff and Mr. Victoria county court, T. J. Carter contra. The appeal was dismissed with costs. Court will deliver judgments on Friday morning.

Mrs. Miles McMillan passed away at her home at Boistown this morning from paralysis, aged eighty-seven years. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. J. Phillips, Fredericton; Mrs. T. Phillips, Milwaukie; Mrs. James A. Rundle, Newcastle; and five sons, Alex. of Boistown, Herbert of Fredericton, and three of St. Andrew's society, at a meeting last evening, adopted a resolution thanking the sister societies which assisted in carrying out the Burns Memorial project, and a resolution thanking John J. McKane for his subscription of five hundred dollars was also adopted.

The condition of Rev. H. E. Dibbles, rector of Ormoco, is slightly improved today.

John Armstrong, of Marysville, who had arrested a dog charged with committing an indecent assault upon Mrs. MacKey, a deaf mute, was discharged from custody this morning, the complainant not desiring to prosecute.

Fredricton, Nov. 14—The following provincial appointments are gazetted: Mr. W. E. Colburn, of Moncton, to be commissioner for taking affidavits for use in the course of New Brunswick.

Westmorland—Madam Oette Palmer to be member of the board of school trustees for Sackville in place of Madam R. Legere, resigned.

Kings—Andrew P. Sherwood, of Norton, to be justice of the peace.

Northumberland—James Arthur Whitehouse to be justice of the peace.

PALE FACED GIRLS

Thousands Using Successful Cure for Paleless and Anemia

The pallid girl always lacks appetite. What little she eats is badly digested. At night she tosses, she dozes, but doesn't sleep. Her nerves are all wrong. Vital forces must be increased, new blood must be supplied, and a general rebuilding take place before she will feel like her old self.

Dr. Hamilton had invaluable experience in these cases and found nothing so prompt in building up the young women as his vegetable pills, Maudsley and Batters.

Dr. Hamilton's pills begin by cleansing the system and purifying the blood; they build up the system and render food ready for absorption. Additional nourishment is quickly supplied and the patient is strengthened and invigorated.

Formerly I felt tired and nervous, the girl that assists the system by Dr. Hamilton's pills.

The following recent letters from Miss Etta M. Ebbett, of Moncton, speaks for itself.

"In using Dr. Hamilton's Pills I find my system is wonderfully built up. It is making me more healthy and strong in every way. I have now a good appetite, sleep undisturbed and awakened in the morning feeling quite refreshed."

Formerly I felt tired and nervous, I looked as if a severe illness was hanging over my head.

Nothing could give quicker results than Dr. Hamilton's Pills, and I strongly advise every young woman to use them.

All dealers sell Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c per box or five boxes for \$1, by mail from N. G. Popham & Co., Hartwood, Conn., U. S. A., and Kingston, Ont.

Bowel Troubles of Childhood

It is impossible to exaggerate the value of FRUIT-A-TIVES as a medicine for children. They contain no alcohol—no morphine or cocaine—no dangerous drugs of any kind.

Fruit-a-tives are fruit juices—concentrated and imbued with the most valuable tonic and antiseptic known to medicine.

Fruit-a-tives are free of calomel, opium, and other drugs, and are the most reliable medicine for children's ailments.

Fruit-a-tives are made from fruit and tonic and are pleasant to take. They are the only medicine that never grieves or pains.

During the summer, when children are so apt to get improperly dressed, they should have a box of Fruit-a-tives always on hand.

At the first sign of Diarrhoea, Indigestion, Headaches, Biliousness, Peevishness, Vomiting, give Fruit-a-tives. They will cure the ailment and strengthen the whole system, so that the little ones can quickly throw off the temporary ailment.

Get a box now—today. See a box or 6 for 50c. Sent on receipt of price, if your druggist does not handle them.

FRUIT-A-TIVES LIMITED, OTTAWA.

Gloucester—George Gilbert to be a member and chairman of the board of liquor license commissioners, vice A. H. J. Stewart, whose term of office has expired.

The following companies have been granted charters:

To Willard Kitchen, of Kingsclear; Hamilton G. Kitchen, P. E. LeBlond, J. E. Barry, of Montague Bridge (P.E.I.); J. H. Barry and T. Wesley Kitchen, of Fredericton, as the Willard Kitchen Company, Ltd., with a capital stock of \$50,000.

To Harry R. McLaughlin, D. C. Clinch, R. W. W. Frink, Thomas A. Linton and H. J. McLeod, as the Atlantic Eastern Cable Company, Ltd., with a capital stock of \$100,000.

T. H. R. McLaughlin, J. Verner McLaughlin, Amos McLaughlin, Frank B. McLaughlin and Ida K. Harding, of St. John, as the H. R. McLaughlin Company, Ltd., with a capital stock of \$30,000.

Letters patent have been issued to the Dalhousie Curling Club with a total capital of \$3,000 divided into 600 shares. The object is to erect a building for curling and skating purposes. The applicants include about fifty of the residents of the town of Dalhousie.

William Ames, Samuel J. Brown, Jas. W. McPhail, C. L. Olindeau and G. E. Armand, all of the parish of Perth, seek incorporation as "The Perth Electric Company," to carry on the business of electric lighting in the parish.

The like application for incorporation is made by the Messrs. A. E. Ferguson, W. Ferguson, M. A. Ferguson, P. J. Ferguson, all of Newcastle, under the name of John Ferguson & Sons, to take over the business now carried on by John Ferguson, with a capital stock of \$100,000.

Since August last the city treasurer has disposed of no less than \$125,000 worth of city bonds, \$85,000 worth being sold in one lot. Of the total amount \$80,000 of the bonds were sewerage bonds, while the remaining \$45,000 were water bonds. The bonds were sold from forty to forty years and bear interest at a 4 per cent per annum. When the sale of sewerage bonds was commenced in August last, the water bonds were sold in small lots, one party taking about \$10,000 and a few days ago the Royal Securities Co. purchased the remaining \$45,000 worth of water bonds. The bonds sold to the local people in small lots were disposed of at par, while the Royal Securities Company secured the \$85,000 lot at par minus a selling commission.

Leut. Col. White, D. O. C., has addressed a letter to the officers commanding the regiment on this military district. The D. O. C. states that the question is being considered of tendering a complimentary dinner from the officers of the district to the minister of militia and defence at the Union Club, St. John, at some date towards the latter end of this month, when convenient for the minister. The proposed dinner would be purely a military one and the guests would be local officers who will attend.

Miss Eliza Kilburn, of Kingsclear, has been appointed matron of the Carleton County Hospital, and will report for duty about December 15th. Miss Kilburn is a graduate of the Victoria hospital in this city, and of the Polytechnic Hospital at Boston.

DIGBY

Digby, N. S., Nov. 13—A chapter of accident has occurred here within the past twenty-four hours. Last night Walter Wright, an employe in the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company's shipping department at the government pier, slipped and fell on a cable guard while walking towards his home near the railway track and broke his leg below the knee. He was unable to move until help came.

Fred, the nine-year-old son of Capt. and Mrs. Amos Snow, at the Esplanade, had his left wrist badly broken during recess at the Digby Academy this morning.

This morning, Captain Fred A. Robinson, owner and master of the power boat Roto, was taken suddenly ill while the boat was at Clements point to tow out a vessel. The Roto proceeded at once for the hospital and a physician was summoned.

A number of schooners are anchored off Digby tonight waiting for the weather to clear before going out to sea.

The steamer Granville, from Annapolis for St. John, is harbored here.

Several boats are quite plentiful along the Bay of Fundy shore, and at Brier and Long Island, getting the fishermen an opportunity to set better prices for their fish.

Labor Official Convicted of Theft

Toronto, Nov. 14—(Special)—Samuel Jackson, the former treasurer of the local Iron Moulders' Union, was convicted before Judge Winchester this morning on the theft of \$280 from the Moulders' Union. The theft occurred in 1901. Jackson was committed to central prison for six months.

HER MILLIONS ONLY A NUISANCE

Mrs. Russell Sage Will Give Them Away to Prevent Annoyance

NO ENDOWMENTS

Doubts Advisability of Giving to Churches, as It Makes Congregations Indifferent—Will Commence Distribution Soon to Worthy Persons.

New York, Nov. 13—Reports that the widow of Russell Sage meant to use her many millions of dollars to endow a home for aged teachers and in a fund to educate young men for the church have drawn Mrs. Sage's first definite statement of her wishes and purposes.

She announced that the thousands who have besieged her in important questions—thousands who stretch from college presidents to ordinary street beggars—have wasted their time. She will have none of them. Further, she is loath to endow church or institution, feeling that the absence of need brings lack of activity for good.

Mrs. Sage means to distribute and within a short time, evidently, the bulk of her fortune will be given to worthy persons, as far as possible, to individuals, avoiding institutions, and to those who she believes to be the most worthy.

"I do not as a rule believe in endowments," said Mrs. Sage. "I look on churches and other endowed institutions as absolutely dead. They are endowments put them beyond the necessity for work, thus making them indifferent and negligent along the lines where Christian interest should do the most good."

"I mean to give to those whom I believe worthy and deserving of aid the bulk of the fortune left me by my husband, and I mean to give it to them as comfortably. Then perhaps I may no longer be annoyed as I now am."

SOUNDS WARNING TO HOUSE OF LORDS

Augustine Birrell Intimates They Better Reconsider Their Action Over Education Bill.

Bristol, Eng., Nov. 13—In a speech delivered here tonight, Augustine Birrell, president of the board of education, said the education bill, as reconstructed in the house of lords, was a serious impossibility. As he announced that the bill was common to it was undenominational, but the lords had fostered and bolstered up denominationalism.

Birrell said he hoped the lords would recognize, during the committee stage of the bill, that they had gone too far and that a Liberal government could not be carried on by the government and sincerity if measures prepared in accordance with its pledges were mutilated and destroyed by an unrepresentative assembly.

London, Nov. 14—The Liberal papers this morning comment upon the speech of Augustine Birrell, president of the Board of Education, at Bristol last night as an intimation on behalf of the government to the House of Lords. The Tribune declares the education bill is the last effort that will be made to reconcile popular control with religious education, and avers that if the present bill is destroyed, it will be to substitute not a denominational but a secular system of religious education.

CLARENCE SPEARS HELD FOR MURDER OF EDGAR WAY

Liverpool, N. S., Nov. 13—Clarence Spears was remanded for trial at the Supreme Court next June for the murder of Edgar Way. A number of people were with religious education, and avers that if the present bill is destroyed, it will be to substitute not a denominational but a secular system of religious education.

Dr. Kedd's gave evidence as to the wounds—cut behind the ear, bruise under the chin and a bullet wound in the temple, coming out the jaw bone.

Mr. Macdonald, K. C., counsel for the defendant, put Police Constable Power through a searching cross-examination, as he did all the witnesses.

Justice Chamberlain didn't remember a pistol saying to Power that he never fired a pistol.

Nathaniel Dunlap said he was at Lewis Harlow's store when the train went by and went right home. On enquiry his daughter had told him it was a quarter to nine, and that Spears came in right after him.

Miss Eva Dunlap said that it was a quarter to nine when Spears came in, that he had a lunch and went to bed at about 10.30. She said Spears didn't appear when he was called for.

Spears had said he had heard a noise while walking and that it had made him skitter. The evidence of the Dunlaps was much in Spears' favor, and Crown Prosecutor Mack was unable to weaken it.

If Harburn's evidence of seeing a man at the shack lighting his pipe at 9 o'clock is true, Spears could be held murdered.

Way and be at Dunlap's at 8.45. This was thought to be a very strong point favoring Spears. By consent of counsel Spears wrote a statement that he had borrowed a revolver, but had returned it last March to its owner.

After the evidence was in Mr. McLean reviewed the case and said there was nothing against the prisoner. Mr. Mack replied by stating the points against the prisoner.

As the court will not sit until June, Mr. McLean will likely apply for a special session.

Sore Throat

and hoarseness with their attendant dangers may be speedily averted and remedied by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. It is ten times better than any mustard plaster and more convenient for the outside, and readily allows inflammation to subside. It is ten times better than any mustard plaster and more convenient for the outside, and readily allows inflammation to subside. It is ten times better than any mustard plaster and more convenient for the outside, and readily allows inflammation to subside.

CALIFORNIA SNORTS AT FEDERAL INTERFERENCE

OVER A MILLION STOLEN OF 'FRISCO RELIEF MONEY

Thousands of Earthquake Sufferers Never Received Remittances Sent Them

Roosevelt Has Had Secret Service Men at Work on the Matter, and the Authorities are Anxious for Mayor Schmitz's Return from European Trip—United States in Cuba to Stay—Peace Only on the Surface and Disorders Likely to Break Out at Any Time.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) New York, Nov. 14.—If rumors that have been current for a long time and which have now come to a head of definite published charges be true, San Francisco can present the example of the nearest official malfeasance on record. When San Francisco was destroyed by earthquake and fire last spring the whole civilized world rushed to the aid of the sufferers in the stricken city. Now it is positively charged that more than \$1,000,000 donated in charity has been deliberately stolen by the city officials.

Over \$1,000,000 Stolen. The Chronicle alleges that when the attention of President Roosevelt was called to the existing state of affairs and he began to realize that thousands of dollars contributed by sympathetic citizens from all parts of the world had been diverted from the sufferers into the pockets of the grafters, he decided to take a hand in the matter, especially as much of the grafting was done through the instrumentality of the post office and the express companies amenable to the rules of the interstate Commerce Commission.

Peace Only on the Surface. The peace that exists in Cuba today only on the surface, and even there it is a peace of the most precarious kind. The feeling between the moderate and the radical is bitter to a degree. Recent cable dispatches report harsh discussions in the Liberal party. The Cuban political leaders that the Liberal party has begun already to quarrel over the division of office, a belief has developed here that the wisest policy would be to hold an election of uncertainty. It is not improbable that this will prevail, and that the last day of December will be chosen as the election day.

Thousands Never Got Money Sent Them. For several days following San Francisco's disastrous fire, money orders for the relief of her distressed citizens were sent into the city in small amounts ranging from fifty cents to hundreds of dollars. Many of the donors received acknowledgments of their money, but others never received receipts. Since the investigation started thousands of persons have sent to the federal authorities the numbers of their money orders or express receipts and asked them to look into the matter and see whether or not the money was ever received.

WIFE OF REV. MR. SAVERY HAS PASSED AWAY

Was Dying Woman When Husband Sought to Be Married to Another in Hampton.

Mrs. Harrison L. Savery, wife of the man who caused a sensation some weeks ago while ministering to a St. Martin's congregation, by eloping with a St. John girl and attempting to have a marriage ceremony with her performed in Hampton, is dead in Boston.

Standard Oil Magnate Indicted by Ohio Grand Jury for Conspiracy. Findlay, O., Nov. 14.—The grand jury today found indictments against John D. Rockefeller and four other persons in connection with the Standard Oil inquiry, which was reopened upon the reconvening of that body in adjourned session yesterday. What the indictments allege or who the four other defendants in the case are in addition to Mr. Rockefeller, are not given out by Prosecutor David, who, however, admitted the indictments had been returned. The bench warrants based upon the indictments were placed in the hands of Sheriff Groves, who this afternoon took them and went to Cleveland where it is supposed they are to be served.

Train Load of Cotton Burned. Houston, Tex., Nov. 14.—An entire freight train consisting of 17 cars, 15 of which were loaded with cotton, was destroyed by fire last night on the Santa Fe railroad, four miles south of Brenham, Texas. The damage is estimated at \$100,000.

INSURANCE MEN THROW DOWN GLOVES THE TARIFF BARS REFORMS

J. J. Hill Demands Reciprocity Between Canada and United States

NEW ENGLAND CLAMORING Dominion's Tariff Wall Not Half as High as Her Neighbor's—Difference Causing Comment and Suggesting Reprisals—Days When Canada Will Consider Free Interchange of Products Are Passing Fast.

(Toronto Globe). Chicago, Ill., Nov. 10.—Speaking on the subject of Chicago's interest in reciprocity with Canada, James J. Hill at the Merchants' Club banquet at the Auditorium hotel tonight, pleaded, not for political unity, but for the dropping of the tariff bars between the two countries. Given freedom of commercial intercourse, he averred that the line between the United States and Canada would mean no more than the lines between different states.

STRICTER INSPECTION Proposal That Government Make Three Examinations Per Year and Look Out for Juggling in Yearly Statements—Wider Scope for Investment Suggested.

Ottawa, Nov. 13.—When the insurance commission met this forenoon William Robins, of Walkerville, vice-president, and William Christie, secretary of the Policyholders' Association, appeared. Mr. Robins put forward a number of suggestions. He held that the policyholders should be represented on the management of the company so far as the investment of funds were concerned. His view was that the government should appoint representatives of the policyholders to sit on every life insurance company board of directors.

A Neighbor Worth Knowing. It has achieved this growth without outside aid, exactly as the United States has grown by virtue of its inheritance of fertile land, rich in minerals, and the stock and wool industry and integrity of its people. And it is only at the beginning of its development.

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Good Uses for Increased Subsidy. Reminding them of his promises last election respecting increased subsidies and the refund from the Dominion, Mr. Pugsley said that the Dominion Government had been promised by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and with this money they will be able to deal more generously with situation, roads, bridges, and hospitals.

No More Railway Subsidies. Development of the northern part of the province by the building of the International Railway was freely gone into and the announcement was made that after the completion of this road, which was expected next summer, no more railway subsidies would likely be paid by the New Brunswick government. That was the policy of the administration which would be announced in a short time.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT TO DORCHESTER MAN. Dorchester, N. B., Nov. 13.—(Special)—Couch Chapman, son of S. Leslie Chapman, of this town, met with a very serious accident at Fort Lawrence this forenoon. A large piece of timber fell from the sling in a steam winch, striking the victim on the instep of the left foot. The great toe was completely severed from the foot and the bones were badly crushed. Dr. J. P. Teed is in attendance. The wounded man was brought to Dorchester for treatment.

MARRIED IN SEPTEMBER; ANNOUNCEMENT NOW. On Sept. 4th, John H. Bastin, son of William H. Bastin of this city, and Miss Gertrude L. Kitchen, daughter of Coles Kitchen of Fredericton, were quietly married here at the parsonage of the German street Baptist church by Rev. W. McMaster.

FISHING AND POULTRY. Write on the back of this card and send to the publisher of this paper, 1000 St. John Street, St. John, N. B. We will send you a copy of our new book on fishing and poultry.

Of 1907. This year's crop of fish was the best since 1894, and was the result of the heavy rain during the summer months of the year. The fish were of a fine quality and were much appreciated by the public.

What is the first practical step? No one can go into this matter, dismissing bias and self-interest, without believing that the consummation most to be wished for is the wiping out of customs houses and the establishment of a free trade. If the time be not ripe for that, the least that it demands is a policy of amicable reciprocity.

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A BATTLE ROYAL

Somewhat significant language was employed by Mr. Augustine Birrell, President of the Board of Education, in his speech on the education bill at Bristol Tuesday.

It has been suggested that the government may resort to tactics which would emphasize in an unusual degree the unpopular and improper attitude of the upper chamber.

WHAT ARE THE BOYS DOING? The boy problem is a many-sided one. In addition to the moral and educational features of the question, which command increasing attention, leading business men in St. John today are giving serious thought to the scarcity of bright, reliable lads from whose ranks the clerks, managers and heads of departments must be recruited.

GOLDWIN SMITH'S HOBBY Interviewed in his Toronto home by the representative of a Philadelphia newspaper, the other day, Goldwin Smith revived the annexation spectre. The following portion of his remarks is now causing considerable newspaper discussion in Canada and the United States:

THE LADIES There is a record in the best of books about a woman whose petition was granted not because of the justice of her case, but because of the fuss she made.

forted with anything short of them. After they invaded Parliament some days ago and several of their leaders had been removed to jail, one of the latter asserted that "the women are persuaded that unless they make themselves a nuisance to the House of Commons they will get nothing, and so they have decided to make themselves a nuisance with a vengeance."

It is alleged in the petition that John D. Rockefeller and his associates, formed a conspiracy to monopolize the commerce in oil and its products at a very early date—about the year 1870—and that since then they have controlled the oil business during all these years, in all its forms, and now control it.

MR. HILL'S RECIPROCITY SPEECH Mr. James J. Hill's Chicago address on reciprocity elicits a flood of comment, both commendatory and critical, from the American newspapers.

The Journal of Commerce, which strongly favors real reciprocity, is awake to the difficulties confronting those who now seek it. After reciting the short-sighted policy of the Americans with respect to Canada, and Canada's successful efforts to find markets outside this continent, the Journal says:

THE BUSINESS OF AN ALDERMAN Some time ago the aldermen, finding that the city was paying an excessive rate for public lighting, secured an expert estimate of the cost of a municipal plant. The St. John Railway Company, about that time, decided that it could afford to make a bargain more favorable to the city, and one was arranged.

THE MONEY SENT FROM ST. JOHN THROUGH THE TELEGRAPH AND THE TIMES WENT DIRECT TO THE RELIEF COMMITTEE AND WAS DULY ACKNOWLEDGED.

Customer—Give me something that'll cure my corns. Pharmacist—We've got something that will just suit you. Customer—Is it effective? Pharmacist—It should say so. Why, one of our customers has been using it with success for the last seven years.—Vie Parisienne.

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W. H. THORNE & CO., Limited Market Square, St. John, N. B. SHORT OF FOOD AFTER RESCUE ST. JOHN TO HAVE ALLAN STEAMERS

Quebec, Nov. 13—The Gaspesian arrived shortly after noon today with most of the 100 shipwrecked passengers of the steamer Kensington aboard, who were landed at the immigration sheds immediately astern of the Empress of Britain.

Several of the passengers and some of the stewards of the Kensington, as well as Capt. Bouchard, of the Gaspesian, were interviewed and their stories agree on almost every point. The passengers who arrived here brought no heavy baggage with them only what they could carry, as the Kensington was already overcrowded.

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ST. JOHN TO HAVE ALLAN STEAMERS Montreal, Nov. 13—Despite the denial at C. P. R. headquarters, Hugh Allan, of the Allan line, says that the winter port arrangements have been completed for the mail steamers. Barring the first vessel, the Virginian, which sailed on Friday last from Liverpool (omitting the Movie call), the Allan liners will land mails at Halifax and camp at St. John.

C. P. R. REPORT ONLY ONE DEAD AND ELEVEN HURT IN KAMLOOPS WRECK (C. P. R. Press.) Montreal, Nov. 14—The report from Vancouver that seven marines were killed near Kamloops by a rear end collision on the C. P. R. is greatly exaggerated, only one fatality occurring, and that to one of the train crew. The facts are: The second section of 96, the east-bound Pacific express, collided with the first section at Tranquille, eight miles west of Kamloops, at 2.45 Tuesday morning. One man was killed, two men seriously injured and nine slight. The train was derailed at Kamloops hospital, and reported to be doing well.

Bible Texts for the Righteous (From Life.) Andrew Carnegie: But when thou dost aim, let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth.—Matt. vi.—3. John D. Rockefeller: But the very hair of your head is all numbered.—Matt. x.—30. Thomas W. Lawson: As sounding brass or a tinkling cymbal.—I Cor. xiii.—1. William J. Bryan: Hope to the end.—1 Peter i.—13. Brother Constable: Unto the pure all things are pure.—Titus ii.—13. William R. Hearst: Study to be quiet.—1 Thes. i.—11. Dr. Parkhurst: Be not righteous overmuch.—Eccles. vii.—16. Presidents of all the blue law enforcement associations: The Sabbath is made for man, and not man for the Sabbath.—Mark ii.—27. Carrie Nation: Wine that maketh glad the heart of man.—Ps. ciii.—15.

Night (Boston Transcript.) The evening bell is heard afar, and calls the heart to prayer; Now one in all, God's work tonight shall mine be tender care. The twilight slips into the dark; The moon doth higher creep; He gives his peace to all the earth, And his beloved sleep.—Ellis C. Barnard.

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PURSE GIVEN TO RETIRING PASTOR

Presentation to Rev. D. Long in Victoria Street Church--Addresses by Brother Clergy-men.

Rev. David Long, retiring pastor of Victoria street Baptist church, was tendered a farewell Tuesday night the church being crowded to the doors. Two presentations were the order of the evening, one from the congregation--a purse of more than \$100, and another from the choir, who gave Mr. Long a group picture, in a handsome frame.

The following city clergymen occupied seats on the platform: Rev. Neil McLaughlin, Portland Methodist; Rev. A. H. Foster, Douglas avenue Presbyterian; Rev. A. B. Colton, Brussels street Baptist; Rev. P. J. Stackhouse, Tabernacle, Haymarket square; Rev. Dr. McIntyre, Rev. Dr. Warden, of Jesus, and Rev. J. C. B. Appel, Douglas avenue Christian church. G. B. Cromwell occupied the chair.

After the singing of a hymn, Rev. Dr. Warden read portions of scripture; prayer was then offered by Rev. Dr. McIntyre. This was followed by the hymn "Jesus Lover of My Soul." Addresses telling of the great worth of Rev. Mr. Long and of the very high esteem in which he was held by all were delivered by the clergymen present, after which Rev. Dr. McIntyre, on behalf of the congregation, made the presentation of the purse. In doing so he referred to the great loss Victoria street church had sustained in the retirement of Rev. Mr. Long and wished for him Godspeed in his new field.

In accepting the purse the retiring pastor made a feeling reply. He thanked all from the bottom of his heart. He had spent nine of the best years of his life in the pastorate of Victoria street church and had ever worked for their welfare. He was proud of the fact that he was leaving the church in a flourishing condition in every way. He counseled the congregation to give to his successor the same loyal and hearty support that had been accorded him. They were to keep their new pastor always in mind, remembering himself only in their prayers.

The choir then sang an anthem and Rev. Perry J. Stackhouse then handed to Mr. Long the framed picture of the choir. In accepting this and thanking the choir, Rev. Mr. Long said that they had always done excellent work. He urged them to continue to do so and hoped they must expect some criticism they were to remember that they were not only singing for the congregation but for a higher purpose, the glorification of God.

The proceedings were brought to a close by the singing of the hymn "Blest Be The Tie That Binds, after which those present bade good-bye to Rev. Mr. Long. There was hardly a dry eye among the large assemblage.

ANALYSIS OF STAINS OF AXE ORDERED

Attorney-General Places Matter in Hands of Dr. G. A. B. Addy.

Attorney-General Pugsley has instructed Dr. G. A. B. Addy, government bacteriologist and analyst, to make analysis of the stains on the axe which Detective Killen found in Father McAuley's barn at New Ireland and which it is believed was used in the murder of Miss Mary Ann McAuley, the priest's cousin and house-keeper.

There are marks on the blade and on the handle as well. The attorney-general examined it Tuesday but would not speak of the conditions found. He would only say that he had given Dr. Addy instructions as noted and also to make analysis of stains on more of Collins' clothing. The axe was returned to the keeping of Detective Killen and by him will be taken to Dr. Addy.

FOUR CARS OFF

Accident on the N. B. Southern Line No One Injured.

The N. B. Southern line regular train which left St. John bound for St. Stephen Tuesday morning met with an accident while nearing St. Andrews crossing. Four cars left the rails--two passenger and two freight cars. The passengers escaped, but one injury. The accident was caused by a broken spring hanger on a C. P. R. car. It took seven hours to have the cars jacked up and replaced again on the rails and the train crew worked hard until the train was again ready to start. No special wreck down to the scene of the wreck.

Albert Enkie, a brakeman for several years on the N. B. Southern line, sent in his resignation on Monday and Brakeman Bayles replaced him and started in with an exciting experience.

C. P. R. Antwerp Sailings.

The following is the schedule of sailings of the C. P. R. steamships from Antwerp direct to St. John, N. B., during the coming season. The first steamer will sail yesterday: Montserrat, Wed. 14th, November. Mount Temple, Wed. 29th, November. Lake Michigan, Wed. 12th December. Montreal, Wed. 26th December. Montserrat, Wed. 9th January. Mount Temple, Wed. 23rd January. Lake Michigan, Wed. 6th February. Montreal, Wed. 29th February. Montserrat, Wed. 6th March. Mount Temple, Wed. 20th March. Lake Michigan, Wed. 3rd April. Montreal, Wed. 17th April.

Born in the Philippines.

A cablegram was received yesterday from the Philippines announcing the birth of a son to Mrs. W. J. Hamilton. The message came to George W. Gray, her brother, manager of Jas. V. Russell's branch shoe store, and simply stated that Mrs. Hamilton had given birth to a son and that both were doing well. Mrs. Hamilton was formerly Miss Louise Gray of the north end, but Hamilton is a native of St. John but has lived in the Philippines for the past fourteen years. He is a son of James Hamilton, spokesman of Paradise

KINGSTON DOUBLE WEDDING SPOILED

One Groom-Elect Failed to Appear, So Only One Happy Couple Were United--Accident to Missing Man Said to Be Responsible.

Kingston, Nov. 13--There is an old saying that no luck attends a double family wedding, and while no doubt hundreds of sisters have dared the saying to prove itself, the old ladies in this district are busy just now proving the saying by what happened at what promised to be a joyful occasion in the cosy residence of one of the farmers of Kingston Creek.

He has two daughters, fair to look upon, amiable and attractive, so much so in fact that one young man from Oak Point succumbed to the charms of the younger of these Kingston maidens and pleaded for the right to take her to adorn his home on the other side of the St. John. The older sister was no less to be resisted and a Mikish stalwart, one of a name distinguished for shyness in the process, was successful in winning her favor and consent to a marriage upon the same day evening as the Oak Point suitor was made happy.

All went merry as a marriage bell. The coming event was the talk of the place and the historic old shiretown began to sit up and take notice of what was doing on the shores of the creek or more properly the entrance to Bellisle Bay. The guests came from all the points of the compass. They were both numerous and generous. It was a difficult matter to find room for the gifts that loving friends and acquaintances sent to remind the brides and grooms in their new homes that they were the links of remembrance of their girlhood days.

The hour for the ceremony approached, the venerable rector appeared upon the scene, a passing glimpse had been caught of the man from Oak Point, and then a few moments of suspense before the appearance of the couple passed rapidly. Still there was no appearance. There the whisper went round that one of the grooms had failed to show up. It was true, and when this was learned for a certainty, sympathy that could not be well expressed went out to the weeping, disappointed bride. One must copped the climax by fainting, and there was a suspicion, by the way most of the women crowded about their neighbor, that they were glad of a chance to do something.

But the man from Greenwick was not to be disappointed. His bride was expected at Oak Point, and if his hoped-for brother-in-law had failed in his duty he was ready. So was his girl and they were married, and when shortly afterward a message came from the absent groom that he had met with an accident and was in the hospital, or should be there, joy reigned supreme. Gloom went outdoors and was quickly chased by the ardent disciples of the charivari.

Annapolis News.

Annapolis, Nov. 15--A very pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Maling, Centre-ville, on Wednesday evening, when their daughter, Miss Evangeline, was united in marriage to Wallace Clark Perkins, by Rev. C. E. Farrell, of Clements-ville. The bride looked very pretty in a dress of white satin veiling trimmed with silk and lace, and carried a bouquet of carnations. After the ceremony a sumptuous collation was served. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Porter, the sister of the bride, at Virginia, on Wednesday evening, when Miss Leola Trimmer was united in wedlock to Albert Wambolt by Rev. C. E. Farrell.

The death of Mr. Charles Branton occurred at Port Lorne on Sunday the 11th inst., at the age of seventy-eight years. The funeral took place on Tuesday and was largely attended.

There passed away at Bentville on Monday afternoon after a protracted illness of consumption, Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Hazley Chipman, aged sixty-nine years. The funeral took place at Round Hill on Thursday.

An aged and highly respected lady, Mrs. Margaret Bent, relict of Edward Bent, passed away at Port Wade on Sunday afternoon at the advanced age of seventy-seven years, leaving two sisters--Mrs. Riordan and Mrs. Levant, and a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

The body of George, son of Obadiah Young, of Lake Paul, Dalhousie, who was killed in Worcester (Mass.), has been brought to St. John for burial.

Oatham News.

Chatham, Nov. 14--Miss Leona, daughter of David Murdoch, of Loggieville, and Edward Nolan, of Beauséjour, were united in marriage in the Presbyterian here this morning, nuptial mass being celebrated by Rev. Father O'Keefe. The bride wore a beautiful gown of blue broadcloth, and hat of same shade and Miss Gussie Kelly, who was bridesmaid, was attired in a gray cloth suit and gray hat. William Nolan, supporter of the groom. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Nolan drove to the home of the bride's parents where breakfast was served.

CONNOLLY SUES JOHN CONNOR FOR \$75,000

Ottawa, Nov. 14--The old time dispute between Michael Connolly and John Connor was before the master in chancery today and a mass of evidence taken concerning it. Connolly sues for \$75,000, Connor denies owing.

Oscar H. Ewing, who was recently elected to the Massachusetts house of representatives from Ipswich, was born in the North End 30 years ago. He has two sisters and a cousin in this city. His sisters are Mrs. Albert E. Coates, of 118 Wright street, and Mrs. Frank Lang, of 122 St. Patrick street. Mrs. McCracken, of White street, is a cousin.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Margaret Mercer.

Mrs. R. C. Weyman received Tuesday from Malden (Mass.), word of the death from influenza of her daughter, Margaret Mercer, widow of William B. Mercer, which occurred after a brief illness. She was a native of Kings county, but left twenty-nine years ago and had not been in St. John since until two months ago, when she made a visit to her daughter. Besides Mrs. Weyman she leaves five daughters and four sons, all in the United States.

Patrick Rodgers.

Patrick Rodgers died at noon Tuesday at the home of his sister, Mrs. James O'Neil, in Havelock street. He was married and about fifty years of age.

Miss Helen Grant.

St. Stephen, N. B., Nov. 13--(Special)--Miss Helen Grant died this afternoon, after several weeks' illness. She was the only daughter of the late John F. Grant, the veteran cashier of St. Stephen's Bank, and was critically ill at the time of her father's death, remaining unconscious of his illness and demise.

Deceased was very popular in social circles, her genial disposition and pleasant and cheerful nature inspiring all. Her death is mourned by two brothers, Herbert C., of New York, and Walter L., accountant in St. Stephen's Bank, and as well by a large circle of friends.

Gain Bartlett Taylor.

Gain Bartlett Taylor, one of the oldest residents of Indiantown, and a man who held the high respect and esteem of all who knew him, died at five o'clock Wednesday morning at the residence of Mrs. J. S. Brown, 34 Adelaide street.

Mr. Taylor was for over sixty years a resident of Indiantown and no man in that section was more widely known. He was one of the Taylors of Burton, Sunbury county, a well-known old Loyalist family. He was born in Burton in 1819, but removed to Indiantown over sixty years ago. Although 87 years of age, he was a man of wonderful vitality.

A few days before his death, he was afflicted with all his faculties, even being able to read or work without the aid of spectacles. His illness was of short duration. A few days before his death, pneumonia developed and culminated in his death.

Mr. Taylor's business was that of a lumberman, but he was also a well-known lumber dealer and a master of wood craft. He was endowed with a retentive memory and many interesting tales could be told of trips through the unsettled portions of this province and Quebec taken many years ago.

He leaves three sons and three daughters. His sons are Messrs. Albert and Walter Taylor, and his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Irvine.

William Collins.

William Collins, aged 65 years, died Wednesday morning at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Durnell, Chesley street. Three daughters and one son survive. Requiem high mass will be sung in St. Peter's church, Friday morning, at 9 o'clock.

Richard P. Farren.

His many friends in St. John will learn with regret of the death of Richard P. Farren, who was especially well known to the older theatre-goers. Mr. Farren, who died in New Jersey a few days ago, was the scenic artist in the old Andover and Port Arthur theatres, and he had since visited St. John on different occasions and had many friends here.

The news of his death was received by Fred W. Dorman in a letter from Mr. Farren's brother.

Florence Driscoll.

The death occurred Thursday at her home on the corner of Sydney and Sherbrooke streets, of Florence Driscoll, aged about 70.

She was a respected resident of this city, and was reported to have been an invalid in the baggage department of the I. C. R. for about fifteen years and had always been a favorite with her fellow workmen. She died suddenly, for she was at work in the depot Tuesday, but she took a weak turn as the result of heart failure, and had to leave work and go to her home. She gradually weakened and died yesterday.

The deceased is survived by one daughter, Miss Nellie, who has always resided with her father, and one son, who is a steam-fitter in New York.

Roy Freeman Wisdom.

The death of Roy Freeman Wisdom, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Wisdom, of this city, is reported from Port Arthur (Ont.) Death took place on Wednesday from an attack of typhoid fever. Mr. Wisdom had been working on a railway survey near Port Arthur and on becoming ill was taken to Port Arthur hospital. News of his illness was received here on Tuesday and his father left for Port Arthur that evening. At Montreal, however, he received word that his son had passed away.

Deceased was 24 years of age and showed great aptitude at his chosen profession of engineering. He is survived by his parents and three sisters. The remains will be brought here tomorrow, Rev. Dr. Fraser accompanying them from Montreal. On arrival the casket will be taken to St. Stephen's church, from which the funeral will be held Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ann Heenen.

Mrs. Ann Heenen died in the Mater Misericordiae Home early Friday morning after an extended illness. She was twenty-two years of age and the widow of Daniel Heenen. She leaves two children--Therese, of the Western Union staff, Frederic, and Miss Lizzie, of St. John.

WEDDINGS

Hopper-Cowan.

Miss Mabel E. Cowan and William E. Hopper were united in marriage Wednesday at 97 Spring street, the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. A. L. Cowan. Rev. A. B. Colton officiated and the immediate relatives of the couple were present. Luncheon was served. Rev. H. H. Warden, minister of the gospel, and George F. Baker, the bride was formerly chief stenographer in the office of the Cornwall and York Cotton Mill Company, and is very popular. Mr. Hopper is the son of the late Rev. Dr. J. S. Hopper and fills a responsible position on the staff of the Evening Times. He is connected with a newspaper man of much promise. The bride was the recipient of a number of beautiful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Hopper will reside at 137 Leinster street, on their return from their honeymoon.

Gibbon-Harrington.

A pretty wedding took place at the residence of C. D. Harrington, Millingville, Wednesday, when his eldest daughter, Lottie, was united in marriage to Geo. P. Gibbon, of the west side. Rev. H. D. Warden, minister of the gospel, performed the ceremony. The bride was the recipient of a number of handsome presents. Luncheon followed the wedding and the happy couple left for Montreal, where they will reside in Canadian cities. They will reside in the West End.

Ferguson-Slipp.

Miss Jessie H. Slipp, daughter of W. O. Slipp, accountant of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, was married to Rev. W. P. Ferguson, former pastor of the Charlotte street Baptist church, Carleton, at the residence of the bride's father, Duke street, at 5:45 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Rev. H. H. Ferguson performed the ceremony and only relatives and intimate friends were present. The bride received many valuable gifts. She was escorted to the altar by her father with her mother. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson left on the Maritime express for a trip to Upper Canada.

The congregation and choir of Charlotte street Baptist church, where Miss Slipp was organist for some time, presented a handsome silver tea service.

Jarvis Wright.

Miss Bessie Belle Wright, a former St. John girl, was married to Mr. Jarvis, of Alberta, on Nov. 7, to Andrew M. Jarvis, a brother of manager Jarvis of the St. John Hide Company. Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis will reside in Edmonton (Ont.).

De Vaux-Flaveling.

The marriage of two well-known young people took place Wednesday night, when Miss De Vaux, of the Union Club, and Miss Ida Flaveling were married at 15 Brooks street, at the residence of Mrs. William Hayes, by Rev. C. B. Appel. The bride was Miss Upton, and Mr. McQueen supported the groom. The bride received a number of costly gifts. A large number of friends were present at the ceremony, and later sat down to a delightful luncheon. The happy couple will reside at 15 Brooks street.

King-Croze.

Annapolis, Nov. 14--St. Andrew's Presbyterian church here was today the scene of a very interesting wedding, the bride being the daughter of Mrs. Jeanie Blanche Crowe, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Crowe, of this town, to Arthur H. King, son of Mr. C. B. Appel. The bride was Miss Upton, and Mr. McQueen supported the groom. The bride received a number of costly gifts. A large number of friends were present at the ceremony, and later sat down to a delightful luncheon. The happy couple will reside at 15 Brooks street.

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Antoinette W. A. Potts at Chubb's Corner Tuesday, sold the Abel lot of land, on Sandy Point Road, containing three and one-half acres, to Dr. Frank for \$85. The property was sold for taxes.

Detective Tingley, of the I. C. R. service, who was in St. John Tuesday, referring to a Montreal dispatch reporting stealing of whisky from I. C. R. cars at Moncton, said the report was not correct and there was no stealing.

In a reply to a delegation of post office clerks who waited upon the postmaster-general last Wednesday and asked for increased wages, Hon. Mr. Lemieux made a statement of his intention to act. "I intend to do something during the coming session."

It is announced that R. J. Lawson, H. F. Black, James A. Morrison and Donald McDonald, of Amherst (N. S.), have become associated with Knapp Bros. & Co. of the same place, to supply the trade. The company will be continued under the same name and style as heretofore.

Hazen & Raymond, solicitors for the people who are opposing the street railway line through Queen square, Carleton, have secured on the city and the railway company a formal notice of protest against the proposed line and notified them that unless it is abandoned proceedings by injunction will be taken.

Among the industrial conditions which St. John contractors will be called on to face in the spring of 1907 will be a demand on the part of the carpenters for higher pay. It is understood that the local union is in a very straitened condition financially, and otherwise is simply waiting for permission from the general executive before they formulate their demands.

The customs officials at the frontier ports of Montreal, Toronto, St. John, Charlottetown and Hamilton are taking steps to have their duties paid in advance on Nov. 7, to Andrew M. Jarvis, a brother of manager Jarvis of the St. John Hide Company. Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis will reside in Edmonton (Ont.).

While working in the C. P. R. yards at Bay Shore Wednesday George Hill, of Fairville, had the top of his left forefinger severed by a jagged spike. He employed near the big plough unloading ballast when his hand was caught in the cog attached to the winding gear. He was taken to a hospital in Fairville where the top joint of the finger had been taken right off.

Three children, two girls and a boy, aged 11, 7 and 5, respectively, came in on the Boston train Thursday, and in reply to questions said they were going through to New Brunswick. Needham had put them on board the right train. He said they had left Boston with only a few dollars, but their parents, when they reached here did not have a cent left, having paid out the little they had for food. The children would have to remain some hours in Boston.

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CHURCH WORK AND WORKERS

The London Sunday School Chronicle and other publications are vigorously discussing a volume recently published by an English clergyman, entitled "Should Christians Make Fortunes?" Such men as the millionaire George Cadbury, and the eminent non-conformist leader, Dr. John Clifford, have taken part in the discussion. A clear definition of terms is essential to any satisfactory argument and this is particularly necessary in the question referred to. What is a "fortune"? Is it not largely a relative term? What would seem a fortune to one accustomed to "the simple life," would be "straightened circumstances" to another. I should imagine that the "fortunes" under dispute mean more than a comfortable competency--mean such affairs as are enjoyed by those who are able to command the luxuries of life to the full extent of their desires.

By "Christians" I assume are meant those who are aiming at the Christian's ideal; recognize the moral limitations of human nature; and the need of supernatural help to the right performance of duty. What relation to such persons hold to wealth that is not shared by others?

Our problem must therefore read, Are the making of a fortune and the maintenance of the high spiritual ideals of the Christian, inconsistent with one another?

To this we answer, They are not only consistent but the former ought to be a powerful influence in moulding character along Christian lines. All life is discipline. We are accustomed to think of trials, reverses, bereavements and the hard things of life as alone meriting the term. But, looked at in a broader light, the severest tests of essential moral worth and manliness are the successes and reverses that inflame with pride and self-complacency, take away the occasion for the exercise of spiritual virtues, and surround with temptations to self-indulgence and disregard of the claims of others. "How hardly shall they that have riches enter into the kingdom of heaven," yes, but in the harness of it lies the meaning of riches. The Christian who recognizes his responsibility and, by the help of divine grace, resists the temptations of wealth, will experience a development of all the finer and nobler traits of character and enjoy the exercise of a God-given power for good. I have known such men. They were the large-hearted, broad-minded Christians men admired, not in spite of, but by means of the wealth they had accumulated. Charge them that are rich "that they do good, that they be rich in good works," that they may lay hold on the life which is life indeed." (1 Tim., vi, 17-19.)

The Presbyterian ministers have invited Messrs Seers to address them on The Public Relation to Civic Affairs, at their regular meeting on Monday morning, in St. Andrew's church, at 10 o'clock. I would have liked to see the meeting thrown open to the public, but we may be sure no one who desires to be present will be turned away. As a rule the public can deal only with general principles, but there are times when particular men and proposed courses of action contravene the "law of Christ" and then manly-mouthed diplomacy is cowardice. The public stands for the conscience of the community and is bound to give voice to its censure, or approval.

Rev. Dr. Canon Gore is a bold man in his attack on the aristocratic and upper middle atmosphere of the Established

Church, as uttered in a sermon to the effect that it should represent the chief test of the vitality of a church of Christ was that it should represent the poor, and give a "prophetic position" to those who work with their hands. In order to remedy the present evil condition of things, he proposed two lines of action--(1) To dissociate the administration of charitable relief from the ministry of the Word and the sacraments, and to re-associate it with the state; for the administration of charity by the church among those who owe allegiance to the state, to make them feel at home in rural areas meetings, in decent assemblies, and the houses of laymen. In addition to this, the clergy should give voice to the spirit of Christian brotherhood, and become organs for the expression of social justice, and the uttering of Divine wrath upon all that degrades and crushes the weak, the ignorant, and the poor.

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