

ALLIES CLAIM PEACE TREATY IS THREATENED

Enormous Crowds Cheer Lloyd George for His Firm Stand Against Germans.

TWO-HOUR SPEECH BEFORE DELEGATES

Former Enemy to Have Until Monday Next to Think Over the Situation.

London, March 3.—Premier Lloyd George's speech today to the German reparations delegation was translated into both German and French and occupied two hours in delivery. The Prime Minister started by saying that the statement of Dr. Simons, the German foreign minister and head of the delegation, was a definite challenge of the fundamental conditions of the treaty of Versailles. The streets were crowded long before the hour set for the meeting and Lloyd George got a great reception as he drove alone. "The Allies," he continued, "come to that conclusion not only from the character of the counter-proposal, but from the speeches Dr. Simons made in Germany."

Hold Germans Responsible.

"One of the most serious statements made by him," said Mr. Lloyd George, "was contained in his speech at Stuttgart when he repudiated German responsibility for the war. For the Allies, German responsibility for the war is fundamental. Therefore the Allies had taken into account the fact that the German government with the apparent support of the German people was charging the very foundation of the treaty," said the Prime Minister.

Want Continued Europe.

"The German people are under the impression that the demands of the Allies represent a desire for vengeance, designed to destroy their country and their people," said Mr. Lloyd George. "Let me say," he added, "we regard a free, prosperous and contented Germany as essential to civilization. We simply ask Germany to discharge the obligations she entered into to repair the injuries inflicted by the war which her government is responsible for providing."

Must Pay Damages.

"We are not asking for the cost of the war. The charges on the Allies were so enormous it would be impossible to ask a single country to bear them. We simply have insisted that Germany pay reparations with respect to the charges cast upon the respective countries by material damage and injuries inflicted upon the lives and limbs of their inhabitants." (Continued on Page 7)

Seeks Grant For Campbellton Bridge

Board of Trade and Town Council Have Application for Assistance Before Gov't

Special to The Standard. Campbellton, N. B., March 3.—The consideration of the highway bridge across the Restigouche river between Campbellton and Cross Point, Quebec, is being considered by Provincial Government today at Fredericton. As the County of Restigouche is without a representative since Judge Barry declared the election void, people here are relying on the Hon. P. J. Veniot to look after their interests and have an amount placed in the estimate sufficient to warrant the matter being taken up with the Federal Government and also with the Government of the Province of Quebec. The Campbellton Board of Trade through its bridge committee and public utility committee have been very active lately in this matter, and the town council has endorsed the action of those committees as strongly as possible.

Great Funeral For Champ Clark Planned

Washington, March 3.—The House of Representatives have completed arrangements today for funeral services in the house chamber Saturday morning for the late minority leader and former speaker, Champ Clark, who died here yesterday. The services will be a tribute of respect such as has been paid only a few times in the history of the United States congress. The body of the former speaker will lie in state in the capital rotunda before the services.

LENINE IS HOPEFUL

Riga, March 3.—The Moscow newspaper Pravda, a copy of which has been received here contains a speech delivered by Nikolai Lenine to a meeting of the Moscow Soviet, February 21, in which he attributed great significance to negotiations between the Moscow Soviet government and representatives from Angora. He declared that even in the absence of practical results the negotiations would bring about a rapprochement and help to paralyze the allied intrigues in Turkey.

Chicken Thief Is Killed By Farmers

Companion Captured Alive After He Had Exhausted His Supply of Ammunition.

Montreal, March 3.—After a running fight and a shooting duel, Alfred Daudin, of Montreal, a chicken thief, was shot dead at St. Bruno, Que., this afternoon by a posse of farmers. A companion of Daudin's was captured after he had exhausted his stock of ammunition. The two were found driving along the road to St. Bruno, with a sleigh load of chickens, turkeys and geese, the results of theft from barnyards in the vicinity.

HARDING WILL BE PRESIDENT AT NOON TODAY

Pres. Wilson Completes His Administrative Work and Receives His Successor.

CROWDS CHEER THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

Ceremonies to be the Simplest the Capital Has Witnessed in Many Years.

Washington, March 3.—After eight eventful years in authority the Democratic administration of Woodrow Wilson closed up its books today and rested to await the termination of its term at noon tomorrow. While the final balance was being struck by the outgoing officials, Warren G. Harding, Republican president-elect came to Washington, gave his approval to the simple inaugural ceremony that will attend his induction into office, completed formally his cabinet, and finished his part of the inaugural preliminaries by going to the White House for a call of courtesy on Mr. Wilson.

Flags and Bunting.

Meanwhile in striking contrast to the usual holiday turmoil of inauguration eve, the streets of the capital reflected only in a mild degree the complete rearrangement about to be made in the nation government. Flags and bunting were broken out, in recognition of the impending event and tonight the dome of the capital building was illuminated for the first time since the culmination of the armistice. But the small crowds which had cheered Harding in his movements about the city had almost deserted the streets by early evening.

Ceremonies Very Simple.

In accordance with the desire of the president-elect tomorrow's inaugural ceremonies will be the simplest of recent years. Four troops of cavalry will escort the president and president-elect to the capitol, but no parade will be permitted. Just what part President Wilson will play in the day's programme remained in doubt tonight. Although his broken health makes it difficult for him to move about he has prevailed upon his family and medical advisers to permit him to follow out the custom of riding down Pennsylvania avenue with his successor. He also hopes to witness the entire ceremony, but it seemed doubtful tonight whether he could do so.

Separate School Law Is Legal

Sydney, N. S., March 3.—That the separate school system existing in Sydney is perfectly legal and in accordance with the school laws of the Province of Nova Scotia was the advice tendered to the City Council tonight by city solicitor Finlay MacDonald, K. C., who had been ordered to make a report on the subject following a strong protest from the Rev. John Pringle, who recently notified the council that he would pay no further tax for the upkeep of Roman Catholic schools.

ST. LOUIS FUR SALES

St. Louis, Mo., March 3.—With the exception of hair seals, lamb and mountain lion, declines in prices, as compared with those of last May were shown in early sales at the winter auction of the International Fur Exchange. Total sales since the auction opened February 21 were announced as \$9,727,500. Nutria dropped forty per cent, ranging from 30 cents to \$1.00. One thousand, nine hundred hair seals went for \$1,500, and 64,800 lambs brought \$7,390.

CHING KING EXECUTION

Cebu, N. Y., March 3.—Guy Nicholas, of Trimble, Ohio, was put to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison tonight for the murder of Samuel Wolchock, a Brooklyn stationer, on November 3, 1919.

SATURDAY TO BRING END OF GREAT OFFER

300,000 Extra Votes Will be Given for Each and Every \$30 of Subscriptions.

FORD TOURING CAR FOR BEST WORK DONE

Three Week Period Ending March 19th An Eventful One—Count on Both Offers

Tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, promptly, the big EXTRA vote offer, whereby 300,000 EXTRA votes are being given for each \$30 worth of business secured, will COME TO AN END. One of the \$30,000 EXTRA vote ballots will be given with each \$30 worth of business turned in. If a contestant turns in \$60 worth of subscriptions this week, he or she will be given 600,000 EXTRA votes; \$90 worth of subscriptions will bring 900,000 EXTRA votes, etc.

The Special Prize.

To encourage contestants to do their utmost in the contest during the next three weeks, a five-passenger Ford Touring Car (latest model, fully equipped), purchased from The Universal Car Co., 85 Prince William street, will be given to the contestant who turns in the greatest amount of subscriptions during a three-week period ending March 19th.

Subscriptions turned in this week, not only count towards the 300,000 EXTRA vote offer, but towards the Special Fund offer as well.

For the closing rules of the big vote offer see today's contest ad.

AT THE IMPERIAL TODAY—Cullen Landis in "It's a Great Life" (a Mary Roberts Rhinehart story).

AT THE UNIQUE TODAY—Robert Sierley's, "The Law of the Yukon," with an all star cast.

AT THE QUEEN SQUARE TODAY—Wm. Russell in "The Man Who Dared."

AT THE OPERA HOUSE TODAY—High class vaudeville and feature pictures.

Two of the prizes to be given away in The Standard's big contest are opportunities to become Movie Stars with the Universal Film Company, Filmdom's largest and most progressive Moving Picture Company.

Nearly One Million Dollar Fire Loss

Big Outbreaks Are Thought to be of Incendiary Origin \$60,000 Loss Near Ottawa.

Barnesville, Ohio, March 3.—Fire broke out in the City Hall and Marvel Flour mill here late this afternoon following a \$750,000 blaze at the Keams-Gorschuch glass plant this morning. The three fires today entailed a loss estimated at \$600,000. Town officials to announce that they believe the fires are of incendiary origin.

Fire at Alexandria.

Ottawa, March 3.—Fire destroyed the hardware store of R. H. Cowans, Alexandria, and also the post office and custom building and damaged an adjoining store owned by J. Boyle. The loss is estimated at \$60,000, partly covered by insurance.

Quebec Liquor Law May Be Illegal

Government Said to Have Doubts About Some Clauses in Its Measure.

Quebec, Que., Mar. 3.—That the Quebec liquor bill which was enacted by the Provincial Government last week is unconstitutional, inasmuch as it infringes upon the rights of individuals, is the opinion given by W. J. Bowser, a member of the British Columbia Legislature, who has sent a telegram to Arthur Sauve, leader of the opposition in the Quebec Legislative Assembly. In this connection the Government does not seem to be altogether satisfied that the liquor bill put through will stand the test and is preparing a measure to supplement that which has already been passed.

CLAIM AGREEMENT DISOBLIV

Washington, March 3.—The agreement between the International Mercantile Marine Corporation and the British Admiralty requiring the corporation to operate its ships without injury to the British commerce is "inimicable" to the foreign commerce of the United States, the United States Shipping Board declared today in a report submitted to the Senate.

WORLD NEWS TODAY

CANADA

Division on the sub-amendment to the speech by the throne was expected at Ottawa about daylight today.

Chicken thief is pursued near Montreal by irate farmers and shot dead.

Parley Jajo, of Campbellton, N. B., is set upon on the road and dangerously beaten by three men.

UNITED STATES

Two United States submarines are calling for help of Atlantic coast.

President Wilson will quit office at noon today when Warren G. Harding will be sworn in.

President Wilson in last hours of his regime vetoes the Fordney Embargo Bill.

THE BRITISH ISLES

Lloyd George, in mercless arrangement of the Germans at the conference, declares they are not adhering to the peace treaty terms.

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J. A. Maharg Resents Premier's Statement That Agrarians Are Bolshevists.

Ottawa, Ont., March 3.—On impending division stimulating interest in the debate on the speech from the throne in the House of Commons today. Government supporters continued to rest a million cars, leaving the debate to be carried on by members of the Liberal Opposition and the Progressive Party.

The debate was resumed at the opening of the House by E. F. Pardner, member for West Lambton, who declared in a fighting speech that the Government lacked the courage to go to the country.

Hon. Mr. Fielding

That Canada would not go wrong under any of the respective leaders of three parties in the House, was the statement made by Hon. W. S. Fielding, who began to speak at a late hour. Mr. Fielding declared that the prime minister, the leader of the Opposition and the leader of the Progressives were all young men, full of energy and ability. He declared himself in favor of the League of Nations, and went on to show the high price Canada had paid for the world affairs and in the British Empire.

Farmers in Debate

F. L. Davis, of Neepawa, speaking from "No Man's Land," announced that he favored the platform of the National Progressive party in most particulars.

The Progressive party had for its first speaker today, J. A. Maharg, of Maple Creek, who presented certain resolutions said to have been made by the prime minister on the party to which he belonged.

Demands An Election

J. P. Molloy, of Provencar, said his constituency had been wanting an election for the past year.

R. H. Halbert, another Progressive member, pointed out that the Ontario electorate should show that the Government had lost its hold. Even "Tory Ontario" had turned again.

S. W. Jacobs (George-Etienne-Carter) criticized the Government on ships which, he said, had been intended for war service, and remarked that the Department of Trade and Commerce had ceased to function. (Continued on page 2.)

America Has Big Bill Against Huns

Washington, March 3.—Claims for war damages fled against Germany by citizens of the United States were reported to the Senate today by President Wilson. The principal losses were \$60,000,000 for privately owned cargo lost by submarine warfare, \$85,084,613 as losses to insurance companies, and the government's war risk bureau, and \$191,147,346 for properties of various descriptions in Germany. One oil company asked \$30,000,000 reparations for destruction of its properties in Rumania.

RED CROSS MEETS.

Toronto, March 3.—Hearty tributes were paid to His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General, at the annual meeting of the Canadian Red Cross Society here today, for his unflagging spirit during the war and his splendid service to the Red Cross Society. Among those who spoke were Lieut.-Colonel Noel Marshall, R. B. Bennett, and Lady Drummond. Members who were re-elected to the council included: Mrs. P. H. Fielding, Windsor, N.S.; J. L. Hetherington and P. E. Mahon, Halifax; Dr. E. R. Jenkins and Theodore Ross, Charlottetown; Col. T. G. Loggie, Fredericton.

START ACTION TO UNSEAT THE NEW SENATOR

Legal Case is Being Prepared in Ottawa Against Mr. J. A. McDonald.

QUESTION TO GO TO SENATE COMMITTEE

New Brunswick Residents May Have to Go to Ottawa to the Hearing.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, March 3.—Frontenac party leaders of Westmorland and Kent counties, who have taken objection to the appointment of Mr. J. A. McDonald, of Amherst, to the Senate of Canada as a representative of New Brunswick, have no intention of confining their protest to words. Legal advice in the matter has been obtained and is of a nature to encourage the belief that the unseating of Mr. McDonald is not only possible, but altogether probable. After consultation with eminent lawyers of this province the matter has been referred to Ottawa, where the case is now being prepared.

Present Case to Senate

It is expected that this protest in legal form will be presented to the Senate for a preliminary reference to the committee on privileges during the early part of next week. If all the evidence in the case can be put in shape by that time, the contention of those opposing the appointment is that it creates a precedent contrary to the letter and the spirit of the B. N. A. Act, and that such a departure from established practice should be left to the Senate itself for adjudication. It is altogether probable that a number of residents of this and adjoining counties will go to Ottawa soon as the date for the hearing has been fixed.

Two U. S. Submarines Are In Distress

One is Ashore and Other is Calling for Assistance—Coast Guard Cutter Near.

New York, March 3.—Two submarines, the O-7 and O-8, reported by wireless tonight that they were in need of assistance. The O-8 is ashore between Penikese and Gull Islands in Buzzards Bay, and the O-7 is in distress about three miles east of Race Rock, Wilderness Point in Long Island Sound. Her trouble is not known.

The O-8 had gone ashore about one mile from the Cuttyhunk coast guard station, the message said. A coast guard cutter was standing alongside, and she was expected to be aloft at midnight.

No Immediate Danger.

The message indicated that the submarine was in no immediate danger. A message from the O-7, which was picked up by amateur wireless operators here, read as follows: "How long will it take for assistance. We need help at once."

The message was addressed to the Navy yard here and was relayed to the destroyer Gresham, which anchored at Tompkinsville, Staten Island.

Seriously Beaten By Three Highwaymen

Perley Jajo is Victim of Dastardly Outrage on Road Near Campbellton.

Special to The Standard. Campbellton, March 3.—Perley Jajo, who lives about two miles west of Campbellton, when returning home this evening with a team was met on the highway by three men who beat him up seriously. Chief of Police Aders is out searching for the miscreants.

MEDAL FOR UNKNOWN DEAD

Washington, March 3.—The House adopted today a resolution authorizing that the Congressional medal of honor be conferred on an unidentified British and an unidentified French soldier buried respectively in Westminster Abbey, and at the foot of the Arch of Triumph in Paris.

WAR LAWS REPEALED.

Washington, March 3.—Signature by President Wilson of the resolution to repeal virtually all of the war laws was announced tonight at the White House. The war law repeal resolution, as approved by the President, repealed practically all of the laws enacted during the war as strictly emergency measures.

DISPATCHERS STRIKE.

Chicago, Ill., March 3.—For the first time in history, American Train Dispatchers' Association members have gone on strike, according to a statement issued today by J. G. Laehren, president.

Dispatchers have already withdrawn from service on Missouri and North Arkansas Railway, he said, where a wage cut recently went into effect.

First Division is Expected Very Soon

Vote on Hon. Mr. King's Amendment is Likely to be Delayed Several Months Yet.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, March 3.—A division is expected about four o'clock this morning, St. John time, on the sub-amendment to the speech from the Throne. This is the proposal of a Western member to transact only urgent national business, then adjourn until the census of the Dominion is taken, then hold a session of the Commons to re-arrange the representation of the country in the Commons and then hold a general election.

The amendment proposed by the Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King will be voted upon later, but it is expected that Premier Meighen will avail himself of the opportunity to reply to his House critics before that division comes.

COLLINS AND DE VALERA IN COMMUNICATION

Documents Seized in Raid Prove They Kept in Close Touch.

REPORT FROM U. S. GAVE COLD COMFORT

"Irish President" Says Things in America Will Right Themselves in Time.

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London, Mar. 3.—In the latest raid on the Dublin headquarters of the Irish republican army three interesting documents were found by the military authorities relating to Michael Collins, commander-in-chief of the Irish forces, which indicate that, despite recent reports, Collins as late as last week was still in Dublin. One of the papers was handwritten, a note by Collins reading:

"There will be no compromise and we shall have no negotiations with any British government except an authorized representative of the Irish government. So I said to Carl Ackerman."

Whether Collins was preparing a new statement on the attitude of the Irish republicans toward the present submerged peace discussions, no one knows.

Not Much Comfort Here.

Another paper found in Collins' desk was from O'Grattan Esmonde of the "diplomatic mission to the United States of the Irish republic," Washington, D. C., in which Esmonde informed Collins that the new members of Congress are unknown quantities and it will be a long time before we get recognition.

A third document was a letter from Eamon De Valera to Collins, written from New York after the publication of his interview with Collins last August, in which the president said:

"Your life is one of the most valuable the country has, if not the most valuable one. You are not doing the right thing by the country if you expose it unnecessarily."

Advices Against Worry.

As far as is publicly known, this is the first proof of contact between De Valera, who has been considered a moderate, and Collins, who is thought to be an extremist. De Valera also said:

"Do not worry about the situation due to Cochrane and Devoy's attitude. That will straighten itself out in time. The only pity is that honest friends of the cause spend their energies in fighting one another instead of the enemy. I only want you to know that there is no real trouble here except with a few. Those who have been received will discover their error before long and will not be too pleased with those who led them astray."

"LEVIATHAN" FOR SERVICE

Washington, March 3.—Recommendations for the reconditioning of the giant liner Leviathan for service in the trans-Atlantic trade will be submitted by the present shipping board to the new board to be appointed by President-elect Harding.

BIG FISH DECLINE

Boston, Mar. 3.—Recent withdrawals from service of the fifty steam trawlers of the Boston and Gloucester fishing fleets because of alleged excessive cost of operation at present fish prices probably will decrease by half a million pounds the weekly ground fish haul delivered at this port.

SLEEPING SICKNESS VICTIMS

New York, March 3.—Three deaths today from sleeping sickness, and seven new cases were reported by the health department. Four of the new cases were in Quebec.

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Vetoes the Measure Declaring It Was Not for Interests of the Nation.

RECALLS FATE OF HIGH TARIFF ACTS

Claims Canadian Wheat Not a Disturbing Factor in American Market.

Washington, March 3.—President Wilson today vetoed the Fordney Emergency bill. In a message he declared that "this is no time for the erection here of high trade barriers," and that the measure "would not furnish, in any substantial degree, the relief sought by the producers of most of the staple commodities which it covers."

Only Deceive Farmers

"There is no way out of existing conditions," he added, "and measures of this sort can only have the effect of deceiving the farmers and of raising false hopes among them. The farmer needs a better system of domestic marketing and credit," he said, "but especially larger foreign markets for his surplus products. Clearly, measures of this sort," he continued, "will conduce to an expansion of the foreign market."

Recalls Other Bills

The president said the measure "has only slight interest so far as prospective revenue is concerned, and declared that the rates established in the bill rather equal or exceed those established in the Payne-Aldrich Act, in which the principle of protection reaches its high-water mark, and the enactment of which was followed by an exhibition of protest of the part of majority of the American people."

"I do not believe," the president said, "that the sober judgment of the masses of the people of the nation, or even of the special class whose interests are immediately affected by this measure, will sanction a return, especially in view of conditions which have even less justification for such action to a policy of legislation for selfish interests which will foster monopoly and increase the disposition to look upon the government as an instrument for private gain instead of an instrument for the promotion of the general well-being." (Continued on page 2)

DEAR MEAT CRY TURNS ELECTION

Coalition Candidate in Dudley is Defeated by Canadian Cattle Embargo Bill.

London, March 3.—Sir Arthur Griffith-Boscawen, the newly appointed minister of agriculture, was defeated in the Dudley by-election, the result of which is announced today by J. Wilson, Labor candidate. The voting was: Labor, 10,254; Coalition Liberals, 9,800; Conservative, 276. The defeat of the Government minister of coalition is attributed to the controversy over the embargo of Canadian cattle, used as an argument by the Opposition, who ascribed to this cause the high cost of meat in Great Britain. Lord Beaverbrook took this position and flooded the constituency with copies of the Daily Express, owned by him, in which he stated that "every vote for the Government candidate was a vote for dear meat."

Berlin Worries Over Invasion Threat

Cabinet Sits Until Late at Night to Hear Latest from London.

Berlin, March 3.—The cabinet sat until nine o'clock tonight discussing the report sent by Foreign Minister Simons on the day's events at London. The ministers are reported to have expressed regret at the threat of penalties which they considered would find Germany defenceless, which, they believe, would constitute an infringement of the Versailles treaty.

PAYMENTS TO RAILROADS

Washington, March 3.—Two partial payments to railroads totalling \$4,657,190, the first under the Wilson Act permitting advances under the guaranty provision of the Transportation Act, were announced tonight by the Treasury. The Great Northern Railway received \$6,000,000, and the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway, \$4,657,190.

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Debate on Speech from Throne Drags on With Government Silent.

HON. W. S. FIELDING FAVORS THE LEAGUE

J. A. Maharg Resents Premier's Statement That Agrarians Are Bolsheviks.

(Continued from Page 1.) Parliament should be dissolved, Mr. Fielding asserted. The present course was contrary to the principles of the British constitution.

Premier in Dilemma.

The Prime Minister was on the verge of a dilemma. Either the government was supporting its old policy under a false name or had a new policy in which case an appeal to the country was imperative.

Only a Clerk.

Dealing with the proposed appointment of a Canadian ambassador to Washington, Mr. Fielding said such an appointment would be little better than a clerk in the office of the British ambassador.

The Imperial Conference to be held in London this summer was sharply criticized. Mr. Fielding declared the Canadian parliament should have one single problem to place before the conference.

Mr. Fielding declared that the government which claimed to have abolished patronage was now practicing it in the making of the census. The census officials were, he said, to be appointed on the nomination of members supporting the government.

F. F. Pardee

F. F. Pardee, West Lambton, resuming the debate, congratulated the premier on his attainment of the leadership of the Government. Mr. Pardee hoped, however, that Mr. Meighen would not long remain as Government leader.

Tariff Not Issue

The tariff was not the issue before the people today. The issue was one which by elections had been fought with their reluctant verdict against the Government. The Government was seeking to draw the "red herring" across the trail.

Fear An Election

It was quite apparent why the Government did not want to go out to the country. The minister of militia had stated as much. He had said that greater representation should be given to urban districts. The Government knew that its friends, the "big interests" were in the cities and it was chafing the Government wished to increase representation.

F. A. Davis

F. A. Davis, Neepawa, said that he was one of the constituents in the prime minister's riding when Mr. Meighen entered politics and in congratulating that gentleman upon his success, he said he could answer that Mr. Meighen was a true Conservative. Mr. Davis, who crossed the floor from Government benches, forty-eight ago, said that he had supported Union Government in all matters for which the Government was formed.

Favors the Farmers

Mr. Davis said that he was in favor of platforms of the National Progressive Party in most things. The recall, however, he objected to because it did not conform with the system of representative government. He also thought that progressive organizations should extend their work to all classes of the country to achieve its full usefulness.

Scared Young Lady Stole Father's Pants

Burglar Enters Montreal Home and Carries off Pair of Trousers.

Montreal, Mar. 3.—After entering the home of J. Piquette, of 1280 Chabot street, menacing his 19 year old daughter, and removing Piquette's trousers from his bedroom, a man so far unknown made away without doing any harm at 4.30 yesterday morning. Entrance to the home was made by means of a false key, and it was stated to the police by the girl that the man was apparently under the influence of liquor. When she awoke after the intruder had entered her bedroom, she thought that her brother had entered, and asked him what he wanted. The man pressed something cold against her forehead and said: "Do not talk or I will kill you."

Government Guilty Too.

"They were all either from the United States or Great Britain. 'What we do object to,' said Mr. Maharg, 'is to be accused of buying American-made goods and then to find that this great government here supplies us with articles in thousands, some of which are guaranteed to have been made by Canadian manufacturers.'"

The Grain Situation.

Mr. Maharg said that the Canada grain commission already had power to regulate the export of grain. The demand for such an enquiry would be to see an enquiry into a number of things. Sir George Foster had justified the commandeering of wheat by the British in the case of the Canadian wheat situation when it first came to Canada by saying that the commission must have the wheat in a hurry. Why had it been possible then for vast quantities of grain to remain in terminal elevators for months at a time?

Votes For Amendment.

Mr. Maharg said that the working of the King amendment did not suit him nor did it suit Western Canada. But the effect of the amendment if carried would be to guarantee to very nicely and certainly was nothing left for Mr. Maharg to do except to vote for it.

In the Senate

In the Senate today the Royal assent was given to the Ontario Referendum Elections Act. The Government's bill creating a Lake of the Woods control board was given a second reading. This bill would be charged with the responsibility of securing at all times the most dependable flow and the most advantageous and beneficial use of the waters of the Winnipeg River and the waters of the English River.

"Legislative"

"Legislative," the new word which came from Topeka about the time the present Legislature convened and looked onto the Kansas language so quickly and neatly, was coined by Mrs. Harry Parsons, of Topeka, so we learn from Toronto Keiley, who keeps accurate records of such events. Mrs. Parsons is "Poppy" correspondent for a string of out-of-the-State newspapers.

City Council Seeks More Room

Commissioners to Inspect Leinster Street Building to See What Can be Done.

The city council yesterday held two sessions to catch up with the business which had gathered during the absence of Mayor Schofield and Commissioner Baskin. In the morning two delegations were heard, one asking for consideration of applications for the installation of curb gasoline pumps, and the other from the Trades and Labor Council asking for repayment of the amount spent to secure a back to Montreal, who had come here to work in the Maritime Mill Works.

Afternoon Session.

A communication from S. J. Auld in reference to a shed on Protection street which was unoccupied and a menace to the community was referred to the commissioners of water works and harbors with power to act. Commissioner Thornton moved that the lease of W. H. Gorman and H. S. Black for lunch cart privilege on South Main street cease on May 1 next. Carried.

Commissioner Jones' Report.

Commissioner Jones then presented the following report on a proposition to make use of the city buildings on Leinster street to house some of the employees now housed at city hall. "Since assuming the duties of Commissioner of Water and Sewerage, it has become apparent to me that I should be in closer touch with the members of that working staff than it is possible for me to be under existing arrangements. It has been decided that at the present time the clerical staff and the office of the commissioner are located in City Hall, while the superintendent and his clerk have their offices in the brick building erected by the city many years ago on the corner of Carmarthen and Leinster streets.

Too Much Parking By Sparking Youths

New York, Mar. 3.—Among the leading educational problems of East Orange, N. J. are where to park all the automobiles in which the students drive to high school and how to reduce the shipment of costly flowers which pervading and money laden swarms of the school force upon the diligent and diligent girls students.

MOTHER!

"California Syrup of Figs" Child's Best Laxative

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love the fruity taste. Full directions on each bottle. You must say "California."

Crown Brand Syrup advertisement with illustration of a crown and text: "Give your children, or other loved ones, Crown Brand Syrup. It gives a rich, heavy-bodied syrup of just the right sweetness."

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RECALLS FATE OF HIGH TARIFF ACTS

Claims Canadian Wheat Not a Disturbing Factor in American Market.

(Continued from Page 1.) The effect of this measure on imports of Canadian wheat received especial attention in the president's message. "It is obvious that for the commodities, except sugar and wool, mentioned in the measure which make up the greater part of our agricultural imports at trade, the imports can have little or no effect on the prices of the domestic products," said Mr. Wilson.

IN MEMORIAM.

RATHBURN—In loving memory of Elnetha, beloved wife of Geo. J. Rathburn, who departed this life March 4th, 1917. Gone but not forgotten. GEO. J. RATHBURN.

Not Affecting Trade

"The domestic demand had been for

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May Raise Titanic From Ocean Floor

Italian Claims to Have Discovered Method to Bring Them up from Any Depth. Paris, Feb. 28.—The Lusitania and all other large ships sunk during the submarine warfare as well as the Titanic and other vessels considered lost forever will be raised and brought to a harbor, judging from the claims made for an invention patented by an Italian named Finetti. By means of the invention, it is declared, it is possible to raise sunken vessels from the most profound depths.

Illustration of a large ship being raised from the ocean floor by a crane and derrick system.

"His Master's Voice" DANCE HITS! Up-to-the-minute Jazz numbers, snappy one-steps, dandy fox trots, dreamy waltzes, Music that makes dancing doubly alluring. "His Master's Voice" Records. Na-Jo (Pronounced Na-Hoe)—Fox Trot Vanderbilt Hotel Orch. 216258. Blue Jeans—Fox Trot Vanderbilt Hotel Orchestra 216258. Swedish Waltz—Frane-Valse (of Hellstrom) Orkestern 216258. Swedish Waltz—Pa Loggotten (2) Sorunda-Valse Orkestern 216247. Toodles—One-Step Diamond Trio 216247. Pretty Miss Virginia—Waltz Van Eps Quartet 216253. I Never Knew (I Could Love Anybody Like I'm Loving You)—Vanderbilt Hotel Orchestra 216254. O-H-O (O-My-O)—One-Step Vanderbilt Hotel Orchestra 216254. Beautiful Anabel—Waltz Vanderbilt Hotel Orchestra 216255. Role (Make It Rosy for Me)—Fox Trot Vanderbilt Hotel Orch. 216255. Araba—One-Step Henri's Orchestra 216256. Good Times—One-Step Henri's Orchestra 216256. The Rye Waltz Henri's Orchestra 216256. S. R. Henry's Barn Dance All on 10-inch Double-sided 1.00

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FRASER COMP SELLS \$2,000,000 MORTGAGE BONDS. Issue Will be Made Public Soon at 9% Interest Charge. FIRST MORTGAGE ON ALL PROPERTIES. Purpose is to Reimburse Treasury for Large Outlays on Plants.

Mortgage on Plant. The issue will be a direct one on the Fraser Company's properties, subject only to first mortgage serial six bonds, underwritten and sold by Securities Corporation in America. The issue has enjoyed a market among both Canadian and American investors \$2,500,000 of outstanding, and maturing 600 each year from 1921 to which date the new 8 per cent. limited funds, and with mature Purpose of issue.

St. John Collier Is Free of Ice. "Hochelaga" Reached after Struggle with Ice. Sydney, N. S., March 3.—The cable from Cabot Strait are in ten years, according to reports brought to Lonsburg by ship who have succeeded in getting the packs within the past few days. Newfoundland is reported to be succeeded by a pack stretching from the Arctic to the Gulf and dotted with bergs, some of them over 100 feet high. This condition is expected to make the opening of Cape Breton ports much usual this spring.

AWARD SEVERAL CO. Fredericton, March 3.—The local Government completed its long and night and in members left for their morning. Premier Foster John. The Department of Public Works today announced the following tenders for bridge: Boone bridge, par. David's, Charlotte county, \$2,500. Robinson concrete and roadway embankment, St. David, Charlotte county, \$1,500. Union street, Price about \$2,700.

Weaning tin. Palatable easily digested the best baby food weaning tin. Borden's EAGLE BRAND Condensed Milk.

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FIRST MORTGAGE ON ALL PROPERTIES

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Montreal, March 3.—Announcement is made of the purchase by Royal Securities Corporation, Limited, and United Financial Corporation, Limited, of \$2,000,000 general mortgage bonds of Fraser Companies Limited, the extensive New Brunswick lumber operators and pulp manufacturers, in conformity with present corporation practice the bonds will bear a coupon rate of 8 per cent, payable in Canadian funds, and will mature in 1941.

Mortgage on Plant.
The issue will be a direct mortgage on the Fraser Company's plants and properties, subject only to the issue of first mortgage serial six per cent bonds, underwritten and sold by Royal Securities Corporation in April, 1919. The older issue has enjoyed a wide market among both Canadian and American investors \$2,250,000 remaining outstanding, and maturing \$250,000 each year from 1921 to 1929, after which date the new 8 per cent bonds become a first mortgage charge.

Purpose of Issue.
The purpose of the new issue is to reimburse the company's treasury for large capital expenditures during the past few years, made mostly out of earnings for the extension of plants and mills.
It is understood that when effect is given to the new financing, the working capital position of the company will be exceptionally strong, net liquid assets totalling practically 100 per cent of bonds outstanding.
It is understood that the two investment houses interested in the issue will make public offering early next week at 99 and interest to yield 8.10 per cent.

St. John Collier Is Free of Ice Floes

"Hochelega" Reaches Louisbourg After Strenuous Battle With Ice.

Sydney, N. S., March 3.—To conditions in Cabot Strait are the worst in ten years, according to news brought to Louisbourg by ship masters who have succeeded in getting through the packs within the past few days. Newfoundland is reported to be entirely surrounded by impenetrable floes stretching from the Arctic Circle to the Gulf and dotted with monster bergs, some of them over two hundred feet high. This condition is expected to make the opening of navigation in Cape Breton ports much later than usual this spring.
The collier "Hochelega," which was yesterday morning stuck in heavy ice fifty miles from Louisbourg, has released herself and is now at Louisbourg loading 7,000 tons of coal for St. John, N. B.

AWARD SEVERAL CONTRACTS

Fredericton, March 3.—The Provincial Government completed its meeting here last night and many of the members left for their homes this morning. Premier Foster left for St. John.
The Department of Public Works today announced the award of the following tenders for bridge construction: Boone bridge, parish of St. David's, Charlotte county, to Nash J. Lahood, Union street, St. John. Price about \$2,500. Gore bridge, parish of St. Stephen, Charlotte county, to Whitman Brewer, Devon. Price about \$11,500. Robinson concrete arch culvert and roadway embankment, parish of St. David, Charlotte county, to Nash J. Lahood, Union street, St. John. Price about \$2,700.

Weaning time

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Woodstock Business Leader Is Dead

Michael McManus Dead After Forty Years as Dry Goods Merchant There.

Special to The Standard
Woodstock, N. B., March 3.—Michael McManus, one of the best known business men in town, died this evening, aged 70 years. He had not been well for about a year, but was able to attend to business until a few weeks ago. In company with P. Bradley, he came here on January 15, 1879, from Sussex, his native town, and formed a partnership in a dry goods store, which lasted ten years. Since then he has conducted a dry goods store, part of the time in partnership with his brother, James S. McManus, but the greater part of the time he was alone. He is survived by a widow, formerly Miss Mahar, of the North End, St. John, James S. McManus, of Woodstock, is a brother. The funeral will be held on Saturday.

HUGE CROWDS AT FUNERAL OF LATE CAPTAIN PERRY

Murder Victim is Laid to Rest With Masonic Honors at Yarmouth.

APPLICATION TO CARRY A REVOLVER

Mansfield Ross, Living Now in Tragic Home, Has His Request Refused.

Yarmouth, N. S., March 3.—The funeral of the late Captain George Perry, victim of the murder tragedy, took place this afternoon and was held with Masonic honors. The cortege was very large, and hundreds of people also assembled in the church and along the route of the procession. The services were conducted by the Rev. S. A. MacDougall, pastor of the United Baptist Church, who was assisted by the Rev. H. L. Haslam, Rev. Mr. MacDougall paid a splendid tribute to the worth of the late Captain Perry as a church member.

Tribute to Captain.
He said that in the darkness of night Captain Perry was struck down and cruelly by the hand of the devilish fiend that lurked in the shadows, and today this vast assemblage has gathered to pay their last respects to one so tragically taken from them, and for whom all so deeply mourn.

Wants a Revolver.
Mansfield Ross, a close friend of Miss Eleanor Perry, has made application to the Superintendent J. P. Nelson for a permit to carry a revolver. Ross, who is staying at the Perry house with Miss Perry and the captain's widow, told Detective Kennedy this morning that he wanted to keep a revolver in the house. The magistrate refused Ross a permit to carry a gun, and the young man was closely questioned by Detective Kennedy and Chief of Police Bohin in connection with the application, after which he was paroled and instructed to report to the police here every day.

Aged Parson Found Dead in His Bed

Halifax, N. S., Mar. 3.—Rev. Beers B. Moore, retired Methodist minister and chaplain at the city home, was found dead in his bed at his daughter's residence here this morning, death being due to heart failure. Mr. Moore, who was eighty-one years of age, was born in Charlottetown, coming to Nova Scotia many years ago as a circuit preacher.

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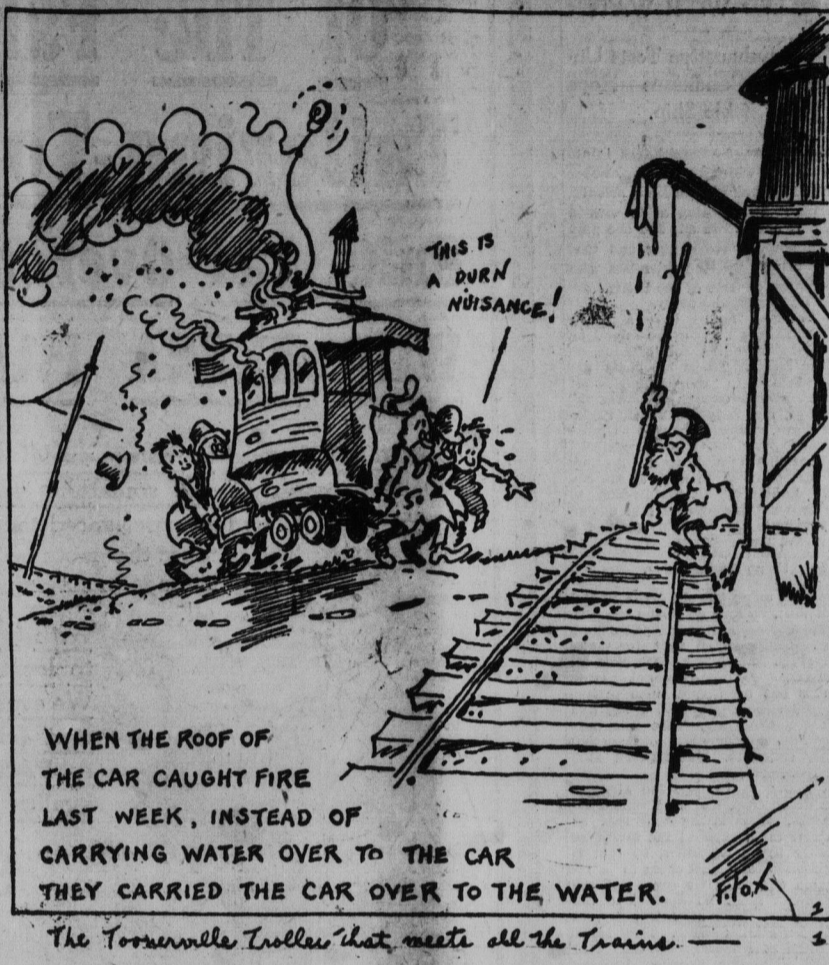
GEROW—in this city on the 3rd instant, Bridget Agnes, widow of James Gerow, leaving one son and one brother to mourn.
Funeral from her late residence, 46 Garden street, Saturday morning at 9.30 to the Cathedral for High Mass of Requiem. Friends invited.

FIND NEW COAL SEAM.

Sydney, N. S., March 3.—A four foot seam of bituminous coal was struck at a depth of 334 feet by a boring party of the Dominion Coal Company employees near Reservoir, yesterday afternoon.

OPEN MINE IN WEEK.

North Sydney, N. S., March 3.—The Little Bras d'Or mine will only be closed for a week while repairs are being made, officials of the company stated today. Previous reports were that the two hundred employees would be idle indefinitely.



Province Opens A Boston Land Office

New England Residents Making Inquiries About Farm Lands of New Brunswick.

Fredericton, N. B., Mar. 3.—So many enquiries have been received by Hon. D. W. Macdougall, Minister of Agriculture, from people located in the industrial centres of the New England States seeking opportunities to take up farm lands in New Brunswick that arrangements had been made for E. E. Sharp, superintendent of immigration, to go to Boston and remain there for some time for the purpose of supplying those who have been making enquiries with first-hand information. At the Department of Agriculture this morning the opinion was expressed that the opportunity was evidently at hand for the province to secure a large number of desirable settlers, people who had acquired sufficient wealth during the prosperous period of the war to buy their own farms.

New Brunswick Got \$600,000 For Houses

Federal Gov't Advanced \$11,750,000 to Provinces to Aid Building in Past Year.

Ottawa, March 3.—A total of almost \$11,750,000 was advanced by the Federal Government to provincial housing settlements during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1920. Of this amount Ontario received \$5,750,000; Manitoba, \$1,500,000; British Columbia \$750,000; New Brunswick \$600,000 and Quebec, \$60,000.

Pays High Tribute To St. John Banker

"In the annual report of the Bank of Nova Scotia, a particularly high compliment is paid to the present manager of the bank in St. John, N. B., by Mr. Manchester, one of the directors, who resides in St. John, says The Chronicle of New Glasgow, N. S. "We are glad to know that our good friend, J. H. Stevenson, has so early won the approval of St. John business men; in fact, it is what all his New Glasgow friends expected. We believe that his irresistible smile, coupled with his other excellent qualities of head and heart, will carry him much further than the St. John management."

Backache

tells of kidney trouble. The most prompt relief is obtained by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the well-known home-treatment. One pill a dose. 25c a box, all dealers.

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GRAND FALLS CITIZENS ARE GETTING HOT

Thoroughly Aroused Over Proposition to Extend Time Limit.

WANT DEVELOPMENT OF FALLS AT ONCE

Planning for Big Delegation to Go to Fredericton and Interview Government.

Special to The Standard.
Grand Falls, N. B., Mar. 3.—Measured by the enthusiasm displayed at a meeting of the Grand Falls Board of Trade held in their rooms at the Council Chamber on Monday evening, strong opposition to any further extension of the Grand Falls Power Co. for the development of the Falls will make itself manifest at the coming session of the Legislature. In addition to the members a large number of citizens were present and took occasion to express their sentiments against further extension. The advisability of having a delegation from Victoria County was discussed and it was decided that a grand mass meeting be held in McLarren's Hall on Wednesday evening, March 9th. On motion of A. M. Chamberlain, seconded by B. A. Rideout, an invitation will be extended to Geo. W. Pickett and Geo. W. Warnock, members for Victoria Co., to attend the meeting.

After Special Train.

The secretary of the Board of Trade, M. F. McCluskey, was instructed to write F. W. Robertson, assistant passenger agent, C. N. R., Moncton, and ascertain the cost of transportation of 300 people to Fredericton, or the cost of a special train. Mr. F. W. Perrie, president of the Board of Trade, and a member of the Town Council, assured the meeting that every effort would be made to have the Town Council vote sufficient money to defray a great portion of the expenses. Arrangements are to be made for the accommodation of the delegation at the hotels in Fredericton. Owing to the large number of applicants outside the town of Grand Falls for membership in the Board of Trade, and their desire to accompany the delegation to Fredericton, the constitution was amended so as to include all residents of Victoria County.

Want a Show Down.

As expressed at the meeting by several prominent citizens, the development of the Falls has been nothing but a political football for the last twenty years and the patience of the people of this community is exhausted. Such were the expressions of gentlemen of both sides of politics. "Now they want a show down."

CAMERON CASE POSTPONED.

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Edmundston Murder Trial Next Week

William St. Pierre to Face Trial for Death of Miss Minnie Stevens Last Oct.

Fredericton, N. B., Mar. 3.—Aaron Lawson, of Edmundston, clerk of the peace of Madawaska County, is here today conferring with Attorney General Byrne regarding the preparation of the Crown's case in the murder trial to be held at Edmundston next week, when Wm. St. Pierre, of that town, will face the charge of having murdered Miss Minnie Stevens, a telegraph operator, of Middleton, N. S., whose body was found in the Madawaska river on the morning of October 12th last.

Hon. Mr. Byrne, Dr. T. Carleton Allen, the Deputy Attorney General, and W. S. Lawson attended the conference this morning at the Government office, when steps were taken to secure the attendance of several of the Crown's witnesses who are outside the jurisdiction of the court. It was said that the Crown would call probably as many as 25 witnesses in all, and that the case is therefore expected to take several days. A. J. LeBlanc, ex-M. L. A. of Campbellton, and Max Cormier, of Edmundston, are the counsel for the defence.

Three Year Term For Willard Dow

Gordon Reade Found Not Guilty of Stealing from Moncton Post Office.

Dorchester, N. B., Mar. 3.—Willard Dow this afternoon pleaded guilty to a charge of theft from Moncton post office and was sentenced to three years in penitentiary. Gordon Reade, who was tried at Dorchester on a charge of theft from the Moncton post office, was today found not guilty. T. T. Goodwin was counsel for the prosecution, and the accused was represented by James Friel, K. C.

R. G. Averill, a prominent merchant of Old Town, Me., is in the city today.

T. V. Monahan, Fredericton, was doing business in the city yesterday.

Steeves' Dog's Heart Will Be Examined

Sent to Analyst at St. John for Medical Examination by Authorities.

Moncton, March 3.—The heart of the dog which, with the remains of Mrs. O. Galus Steeves and five children, was found in the ruins of the home of O. Galus Steeves at Niagara Road on February 15, when the house was destroyed by fire, will be forwarded to M. V. Paddock, provincial analyst, St. John, for analysis.

Provincial Constable Gilbert W. Dryden, who is working on the case for the attorney-general, handed the heart of the dog today to Dr. R. L. Botsford, who will forward it to St. John.

No Date Yet For York-Sunbury Vote

Premier Refuses to Say if Four By-Elections Will Come at the Same Time.

Ottawa, March 3.—Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, leader of the opposition, asked in the House today, if it was the intention of the government to issue writs for by-elections in the vacant constituencies of Yamaaska, and York, N. B., Medicine Hat and West York. Premier Meighen replied that writs would be issued in due course. Mr. King—"Will they all be issued at the same time?"
Premier Meighen—"That will appear when they are issued."

PREPARING NEW DIRECTORY.

Toronto, Mar. 3.—France is to have a new telephone directory this year to replace the present one, which is dated 1917. The fact that about half the names and numbers in the 1917 directory are no longer correct is a considerable handicap to French telephone users, and although there are supplements designed to bring it up to date, it requires a good deal of patience to look through the supplements as well as the book itself, before calling a number.

SYDNEY THEATRE BURNED

Sydney, N. S., March 3.—Sixteen thousand dollars is the estimated damage done by a fire which, early today, burned the interior of the front part of the Palace Theatre, Wambol and Peardon's tobacco store and warehouse held in their rooms at the Council Chamber on Monday evening, strong opposition to any further extension of the Grand Falls Power Co. for the development of the Falls will make itself manifest at the coming session of the Legislature. In addition to the members a large number of citizens were present and took occasion to express their sentiments against further extension. The advisability of having a delegation from Victoria County was discussed and it was decided that a grand mass meeting be held in McLarren's Hall on Wednesday evening, March 9th. On motion of A. M. Chamberlain, seconded by B. A. Rideout, an invitation will be extended to Geo. W. Pickett and Geo. W. Warnock, members for Victoria Co., to attend the meeting.

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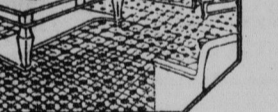
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THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

English Racing Season March 14

Turf Never So Prosperous as Today—Large Number of Horses Are in Training.

London, Mar. 3.—Bester falls early this year and as a consequence the racing season opens at Lincoln in the unusually early date of Monday, March 14 next.

Spring Handicaps In proof of this, reference need only be made to acceptances for the spring handicaps, which constitute a number of records.

The Lincolnshire, which is run over the straight mile, is the first of the spring handicaps, and cannot otherwise compare in importance with such races as the City of Suburban, run at Epsom on April 13, or the Jubilee, run at Kempton Park on May 7 next.

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The flat racing season, which formally opened at Lincoln, and followed by the important meeting at Liverpool, where the Spring Cup, run over a mile and three furlongs, is the opening feature, and by a number of other provincial meetings, is largely a matter of plates and handicaps until the meeting at Newbury on April 1, when the Greenham Stakes, which is run over the straight mile, is the first of the classic performers among the three-year-olds.

Customs change in the conduct of racing, about the middle of last century a feature of the sport at the beginning of the year was the performance of the three-year-olds in the Spring Handicap and this particular feature seems to have been the case in the long-distance races, where it might have been supposed the young animals were at a special disadvantage.

The Handicap The Lincolnshire Handicap has not been so marked, though the third time it was run a three-year-old won it, as did another two seasons later. Now, no three-year-old has won the Lincolnshire Handicap for nearly thirty years.

Mention has been made above to Sir Henry Bird's colt, Monarch, who won three points from the Mechanical Department. The scores follow:

Amherst Pitcher Goes To Red Sox

Hal Brownell Accepted Offer for Tryout With Boston American Baseball Team.

Amherst, N. S., March 3.—Hal Brownell, baseball pitcher of local and maritime fame, who last autumn received and accepted an offer from the Boston Red Sox management for try-out this spring, yesterday received a summons to report at Eoc Springs, N. S., where the Red Sox are going into training next week.

Brownell came into the notice of the Boston American management through the famous twelve-inning game played between Halifax and Amherst at Halifax last summer. He will be greatly missed in maritime baseball circles the coming season and naturally wishes on the Amherst team.

Local Bowling

Table with columns for bowler names and scores for G.W.V.A. Alleys, Commercial League, and City League.

Last night in the Commercial League on Black's Alleys the Emerson & Fisher team captured three points from the Atlantic Sugar Refiners. The scores follow:

Table with columns for bowler names and scores for Ramblers, Lions, and Mechanical Department.

On the Victoria Alleys last night in the Nashwaak League the Office Staff won three points from the Mechanical Department. The scores follow:

Handicap it will be an almost unprecedented thing in recent years for a colt of "classic" pretensions to be seen so early and in such company.

Sam Pranteau Gets Fourth Place

Indian Who Led Pace in Dog Derby Arrived at The Pas Yesterday.

The Pas, Man., March 3.—Sam Pranteau, the Indian, who, with Goyne, the American, led the pace on the outward leg of the 200 mile dog derby, was awarded fourth place upon his arrival today.

The judges issued a statement today that the drivers protected their dogs throughout the race and did not abuse them.

Montreal Loses N. E. Franchise

New York, March 3.—Montreal lost out this afternoon in the fight for the Akron franchise of the New International League. At the conclusion of the meeting at 10, it was picked up by the Akron interests were purchased for \$25,000.

Fireman Died As Result of Injury

William Johnson Fell Into Hold of Steamer Corsican—Died in Hospital.

William Johnson, aged 22, a fireman of the C. P. O. S. Corsican slipped and fell down No. 1 hatch yesterday afternoon at 10. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and after first aid had been rendered by the ship's doctor, he was rushed to the General Hospital where he died a few minutes after being admitted.

French Law Helps Faddist Advertise

Claimed Newspaper Misrepresented His Lecture and Invoked "Right to Reply."

That Belfast minister who talked against the British Government and went about with a revolver and ammunition will have due time for reflection.

Skating Champions Receive Prizes

Maritime Winners Given Cups at Y. M. C. I.—Fine Programme.

The Amateur Skating Champions of the Maritime Provinces were presented with the silver cups won by them in the recent skating championships held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. I. on East End Improvement League's rink some two weeks ago, at an enjoyable smoker given at the Y. M. C. I. last evening.

Thomas Nagle, president of the Y. M. C. I. was in the chair, and Mayor Schofield, Commissioners Frank Jones and Thomson, and representatives of different athletic associations were also in attendance, as well as an audience that numbered over four hundred.

Charles Gorman, world champion skater, and the winner of the majority of senior events was called upon a number of times to receive the handsome trophies he had won until Mayor Schofield jocularly remarked, he would if he kept on, need even a larger house than Hilton Belyes to house all his winnings.

The smoker was opened by an address by Thomas Nagle, president of the Y. M. C. I. After welcoming the guests of the institution, Mr. Nagle spoke of the successful manner in which the meet had been carried out, and the success met with in arousing public interest in skating.

Following the presentation, His Worship made a brief address, in which he complimented the Y. M. C. I. in their endeavors to promote skating and all other athletic pastimes in the city.

The first cup was awarded to the man making the most points in the meet was then presented by Mayor Schofield, who called upon Charles Gorman to come forward and accept the trophy.

Following the mayor's address, an adjournment was made to the gymnasium where a series of excellent boxing bouts were run off.

The first bout was a very clever exhibition by two byweights, Young Britt and Young Doyle. Prior to the lightweight bout which followed, the audience were entertained by an exhibition dog dance given by C. McFadden accompanied by Bobby Carr on the accordion.

The light weight bout between Morris McJunkin and Luke McFadden was a good example of the progress that is being made by the school of promising boxers that have been developed this winter.

Mt. Allison Girls Win From Acadia

Special to The Standard. Backville, N. B. March 3.—According to word received here from Wolfville tonight it took over time play to decide the basketball game between the young ladies team representing Mount Allison and Acadia Universities.

The game resulted in a victory for Mount Allison by the small score of 9-7. The game was played in the new college gymnasium at Wolfville and was particularly fast and close. The issue being at all time in doubt.

as it turned out, happened to also be his third.

Frank Garnet Remembered A surprise was then sprung on Frank Garnet, who was called forward and presented with a handsome leather club bag by his friends of the Y. M. C. I. in token of their appreciation of his services at home, and the able assistance he rendered Gorman, which assisted the latter to a large extent to win his way to world fame.

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Can't Stop Betting On Races In Ontario

Appellate Court Says the Law Makes It Forbidden Field.

Toronto, Ont., Mar. 3.—The Government lacks power to enact legislation to prohibit betting on the race tracks of Ontario. This decision was handed down today by the Second Division of the Appellate Court of Ontario in connection with a recent application relating to pari mutuels.

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Girls Plan To Row Vassar, Wellesley

New London, Conn., Mar. 3.—Many of the students and members of the physical department at Connecticut College for Women are planning for the formation of a college crew to compete with the crews from Vassar and Wellesley.

With Yale and Harvard crews here on the Thames River during the month of June preparing for their four mile race, the presence of the Connecticut College girls on the course should add considerable gaiety to the scene.

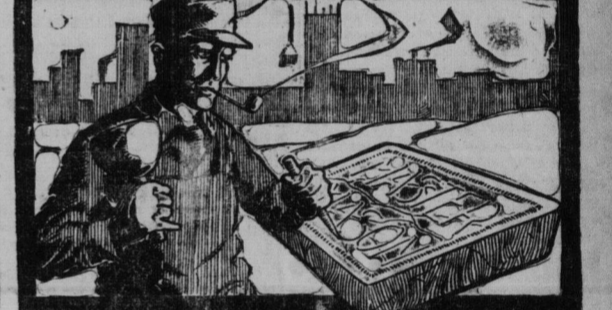
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RACING CREWS OUT.

Cambridge, Mass., March 3.—Three Crimson freshmen crews appeared on the Charles River today for the earliest out-of-door practice in the history of rowing at Harvard.

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EXIT WILSON

Today the man who eight years ago was inaugurated President of the United States lays down his office. Some of his admirers describe him as the greatest President the Republic has ever had, but there will probably be considerable difference of opinion on this point. He leaves the Presidential chair under circumstances which, however much some may differ with him in regard to the course he pursued while occupying it, must compel a certain amount of sympathy on account of his loss of physical vigor and political prestige. He may have been ungrateful in his views—a great many people think that he was, sadly mis-guided—but throughout, his whole policy was shaped in all sincerity and expressed what he really and truly believed in himself.

It has been said of him that he possessed a constructive mind, and in the view of some of his admirers his first term saw the passage of some of the greatest constructive legislation in any four years of the Republic's history. When the war broke out he fought firmly and consistently for the neutrality of his country and hoped that it might be able to act as mediator between the warring nations and bring the conflict to an early end. His course in this regard brought down upon him considerable adverse criticism not only among the Allied nations, but in influential circles among his own countrymen also. But when the die was cast, and the challenge came from Germany to America, Mr. Wilson became at once the most uncompromising advocate of the most stringent measures for conducting the war with the view of bringing Germany to the swiftest possible reckoning. He had a natural dislike for war, regarding it as an anomaly in modern civilization, which should long since have been cast aside in favor of more rational means of settling international controversies. Hence arose his plan for the rearrangement of the concert of nations on a basis which would secure permanent peace.

There are many who regard this plan of the ex-President's as altogether too Utopian to be of any real, practical value; certain it is that the League of Nations has not come up to the expectations he had for it. Whether it ever will do so, time alone can tell. Many people will agree with Premier Saunderson that the failure of the Peace Conference and of the Covenant of the League of Nations was not Wilson's but the failure of humanity. More than other statesmen of modern days did he put moral principle and Christian doctrine into practice.

A MONTREAL OPINION

Referring to the recent appointments to the Senate, the Montreal Standard finds that the selection of Mr. John Stanfield is generally regarded as eminently appropriate and satisfactory, and it continues:

"About Mr. John A. McDonald, the other new Senator from the Maritime Provinces, there is not the same acquiescence. As a matter of fact, the local newspapers are cutting up a piece of raw about it, the underlying danger of the quarrel being that Mr. McDonald, a Scotch Catholic from Nova Scotia has been appointed to an Irish Catholic vacancy from New Brunswick, while a strong Orange constituency, the late Colonel Harry McDonald's, is looking forward to a by-election. Such a complication of course sets everybody by the ears."

"Besides being named after the old Chief and being a cheerful operator at election times, Mr. McDonald has other claims to Government recognition. Born in Prince Edward Island carrying on a piano business in Nova Scotia, and having a summer cottage in New Brunswick, he more perfectly embodies the Maritime Province than any other candidate. Of all the aspirants to the office—and there were many—he alone came up to the Union specifications—three-in-one. Not so long ago Mr. McDonald nearly captured a seat in the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia—and this from a Liberal Government. So it seems they all look alike to him. Mr. McDonald, who is still in his forties, has already achieved the distinction of a nickname. He is known to his friends as 'Tiany,' not on account of the piano he manufactures now—which are excellent in tone—but on account of the tin whistle he used to blow at the dances when he was a braw ladie not so many years ago."

We notice that the foregoing describes Mr. McDonald as having been born in Prince Edward Island. Would the Amherst News put this down as "mendacity or ignorance?"

Consider cabbage. That much liked vegetable, we used to be told, was little else than water, and accordingly had no nourishing properties worth mentioning—it was useful only as "roughage." But now it appears that cabbage is strong in vitamins. Thus the instinctive judgment of mankind, which always favored cabbage, is proved to have been better than expert advice—which is not infrequently the case.

WHAT OTHERS SAY

"Economy" One View.
 "Economy" was heard a man say this day evening, as a way of spending money without getting any fun out of it—Boston Transcript.

Where Do They Go?
 When Lloyd George says she can pay, Briand says she must pay, and Germany says she won't pay, where do they go from there?—Dallas News.

Optimism.
 Optimism The provincial treasurer of Ontario reads criticism of this year's deficit of the ground that the province is likely to have a surplus next year.—Calgary Herald.

Exit Macadam Roads.
 Influential local bodies will petition the Ontario Government to re-surface the provincial highway between the city of Cornwall and the town of Frontenac with asphalt of concrete. It is reported that the change is required owing to heavy traffic on this section of the highway. If the highway be of the water-bound macadam variety, as so many of the highways of the present are, there is bound to be disintegration in a very short time. Swift-moving automobiles cause a section which spells speedy ruin to macadam roads, and unless protected by asphalt, tar or concrete, their day is a brief one. It is but throwing money away at the present time to build the untreated macadam road. They will not last; they cannot endure.—Smith's Falls Record-News.

The Wrongs of France.
 The Allied Agreement, or, rather, the fact that the Allies have agreed in their demand on Germany, has given great satisfaction here. It is difficult for our people to do complete justice to France. It may well seem that France has been asking too much, but those who think so have to be reminded of the havoc and destruction from which France has suffered. It is hard to realize the whole truth. In the past financial year France has spent on the devastated areas no less than 11 to 12 milliards of francs, and she realizes more and more every day what has to be done before the waste is repaired. The most extravagant demands of France from the practical point of view are perfectly just. But justice cannot be done completely, and France has been forced to make considerable modifications. With this we must in the meantime be satisfied. The compliance of the Allies is an end of the first importance, and everything that broke it would be for the advantage of Germany. The French have envisaged the prospect of a flourishing Germany and an impoverished France—though France was defeated, and Germany was beaten. Let us, then, be patient.—British Weekly.

A BIT OF VERSE

REST.
 "Silence sleeping on a waste of ocean,
 Sun down—westward trail both a red streak—
 One white sea-bird, poised with scarce
 Challenges the stillness with a shriek,
 Challenges the stillness, upward
 wheeling
 Where some rocky peak contains
 her rude nest;
 For the shadows 'er the waters they
 come stealing,
 And they whisper to the silence,
 'There is Rest.'"

"Down where the broad Zambesi River
 Glides away into some shadowy la-
 ken,
 Lies the antelope, and hears the
 leaflets quiver,
 Shaken by the sultry breath of
 noon;
 Hears the sluggish water ripple in its
 flowing;
 Feels the atmosphere, with fragrance
 all-impregnated,
 Dreams his dreams, and the sweetest
 is the knowing
 That above him, and around him,
 there is Rest."

"Centuries have faded into shadow;
 Earth is fertile with the dust of
 man's decay;
 Pilgrims all they were to some bright
 spot,
 But they wearied, and they fainting,
 by the way,
 Some were sick with the surfeit of
 pleasure,
 Some were bowed beneath a care-
 encumber'd breast;
 But they all trod in turn life's stately
 measure,
 And all passed betimes to wonder,
 'Is there Rest?'"

"Look, O man; to the limitless Here-
 after,
 When thy Sense shall be lifted from
 its dust,
 When thy Anguish shall be melted into
 laughter,
 When thy Love shall be severed from
 its Lust,
 Then thy Spirit shall be sanctified with
 seeing
 The Ultimate dim Thine of the Blessed,
 And the Passion-battered fever of thy
 being
 Shall be deflected in a University of
 Rest."—J. S. Payne.

THE LAUGH LINE

The Value.
 "Every man is good for something,"
 "Tell me what good Yassless is,"
 "Well, he counts one in every cen-
 sus, anyway."—Boston Transcript.

A Discrepancy Somewhere.
 Myrtle the waitress admits when the
 boss ain't looking that it don't look to
 her like the prices of eating material
 are following the markets any too
 close these days.—Providence Journal.

Full Steam Ahead.
 "Where is Samos?" asked the
 pretty, intelligent girl, passing over a
 dainty silk Samson flag from a cigar-
 site packet. "Oh, Pacific somewhere."
 Place where Stromboli died, you
 know. "Of course, how stupid of
 me; the man who invented steam,
 course. I remember all about him
 now."

Benny's Note Book

I couldn't find my cap anywhere today, and pop was smoking and thinking in the setting room and I thart maybe he was setting on it without wanting to ask him to get up and see on account of me always being supposed to know vore my things are, and after a while I ged, Hay pop do you think vore setting on my cap? and pop sed, im thinking mutch letter thartv that that, how do you suppose vore ever going to amount to anything in the world if you start in now by not being able to remember vore you put your cap?
 Well G pop, thats jest the trable, I sed, I remember putting it so meny places I forget which one it was.
 Very poor, very poor, sed pop. Meaning the loose, and I sed, Well G gosh pop, would you mind please getting up to see, im in a fears hurry.
 Wy didnt you think of that vore you put your cap away? sed pop.
 Well heck, pop, I wasent in a hurry then, I sed. With I wasent, and pop sed, Orderliness is one of the first rules of life, did you ever heer the expression, A place for everything and everything in its place?
 Yes sir, I sed, and pop sed, Then wy dont you apply it to your cap? and I sed, Well I do, pop, I got a regular place for it any I generally happen to put it some place else, G pop, I got so meny places for everything I cant remember them apart, im too orderly, pop, thats wats the matter with me.
 I surrender, I know a superior arguement wen I heer it, sed pop. And he got up to see if he was setting on my cap, which he was, not looking as mutch out of shape as wat it properly would of looked if it had mutch shape to look out of.

Bride Strangled In Kentucky Feud

Chicago, Mar. 3.—The hate bred by a Kentucky feud of long standing found its victim today in the slaying of a sixteen-year-old bride. The feud reached its climax last November when Miss Katherine Hurst was married to Toddy Sumenok against the wishes of her mountain homefolks. Today neighbors found Mrs. Sumenok strangled to death on the floor of her basement home in Chicago's populous South Side with a handkerchief tightly bound around her throat and another handkerchief tied over her mouth.
 When the girl's body was found the room in which she was slain was dimly lighted. It gave every indication of robbery. On account of the poor circumstances of the girl, however, police were inclined to scout the robbery theory. They sought some other motive. They found it when Mrs. Jeanette Wieser, a neighbor, told them of a confession the girl had made to her recently.
 "She told me she had come from a little mountain home in Kentucky," Mrs. Wieser said. "Her stepmother, she said, had wanted her to marry her stepbrother. But she loved Sumenok and she married him even though there had been a feud of long standing between the families."
 Sumenok has not been found. Police are searching for him in an effort to substantiate the feud theory as the motive for the murder. His place of employment is not known.
 "They found it when Mrs. Jeanette Wieser, a neighbor, were loitering about the house yesterday afternoon. Soon after noon today she saw two men who she believed to be the same pair, leave the basement apartment by the rear entrance."

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IN THE EDITOR'S MAIL

To the Editor of The Standard,
 St. John, N. B.

Sir:—I notice in an evening paper of February 28th, a letter from Mr. J. C. Chesley, agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, which purports to be a reply to my letter of the 25th ult. From the general tenor of Mr. Chesley's letter, it seems that it is the duty of ship masters navigating the Bay to keep the Department informed of any irregularities in their service and that this is the only means of guarding against such. My opinion, however, differs slightly from that of Mr. Chesley and I consider it is their duty to make public any inefficiency or slackness they may observe in the service of the department.

With reference to N. W. Ledger Buoy "landmen" may be interested to know that the buoy marking this ledge is, or should be, plainly visible to the keeper of Bear Island Light House and Signal Station, connected by wire with St. John. I consider information that such buoy is out of position should reach the department through this source. This would render unnecessary grave risks being taken by valuable ocean steamers, in the interest of the information bureau of the department.

Mr. Chesley states in his letter that a telegram was sent immediately to the keeper of Seal Island Light House re' Blonde Rock Buoy. This supports my contention that the servants of the department can and therefore should report irregularities and relieve the ship master of another burden being piled on his already over-loaded shoulders.

Mr. Chesley implies that I was some-

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GREAT FIRE IN OHIO

Barnesville, Ohio, Mar. 3.—A fire today broke out in a warehouse in Barnesville, Ohio, which destroyed the Barnesville Warehouse Co. building, a large structure, with a loss of \$700,000. The fire was caused by a spark from a stove. The fire was extinguished by the Barnesville Fire Department.

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HIT BY LIGHTNING.
Buffalo, Mar. 3.—During a thunderstorm here last night, lightning struck the roof of St. Louis' Church, Main and Edwards street, one of the largest Catholic churches in the city. Fire which followed caused damage of \$35,000.

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Street Car Bandits To Prison For Life

Jersey Judge Pronounces Sentence Within Sixty Hours After Arrest.

New York, March 3.—Go fast does Jersey justice move that Martin Sheehan and John and Charles Krebs confessed highwaymen, were on their way to State prison yesterday afternoon to serve terms of from fifty to seventy-five years each, less than sixty hours after they had been arrested in an attempt to hold up a trolley car at Hillside, N. J. The trio made statements Saturday night admitting participating in nine holdups, for five of which they received the maximum penalty. None of the robbers displayed any emotion when Judge Carlton B. Pierce of Elizabeth pronounced sentence. One of the bandits who had been wounded, was carried into the court room on a stretcher.

"You have gone back into history one hundred years to commit your crimes," Judge Pierce said. "The days of highwaymen have passed. In these times of quick communication early arrest is certain. The wonder is that you escaped so long. It was foolish if they fall to see it.

"The law denies citizens the right to carry firearms in self-defense. I think the maximum sentence should be imposed, at 'hard labor.'

Two of the holdups were of trolley cars between Springfield and Summit. The first occurred on December 17 and the second on January 25. On January 23 the bandits robbed six members of an automobile party in Clark township, and on February 6 they robbed seventeen persons in three automobiles who had attended a dinner party at the Baltusrol Golf Club, near Short Hills. Robert S. Huse, a lawyer, was shot through the arm in this holdup. The fifth robbery was of three motorists in East Rahway the night of February 15.

The rewards totaling \$1,500 probably will be divided between Deputy Sheriff Schmidlin and Police Chief Hopkins of Union county, who arrested the trio in a shack at Kensington to which they were traced after Schmidlin, a passenger in the trolley, had shot Krebs.

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ALLIES CLAIM PEACE TREATY IS THREATENED

Enormous Crowds Cheer Lloyd George for His Firm Stand Against Germans.

TWO-HOUR SPEECH BEFORE DELEGATES

Former Enemy to Have Until Monday Next to Think Over the Situation.

(Continued from Page 1.)

Mr. Lloyd George gave figures of the budgets of the Allied countries and asked:—"What there is comparable in the German budget to this?"

He said he believed that when the German people realized the extent of the devastation wrought their attitude would change. An incredible amount of damage had been done deliberately with the view of destroying the essential means of production of France and Belgium.

"Must Pay the Defeat in Victory.

Mr. Lloyd George declared, adding: "Therefore, unless reparation is made by Germany it means the victors will pay the price of defeat and the vanquished reap the fruits of victory."

The Prime Minister also referred to the deportation of Belgians, the destruction of mercantile shipping and the crippling of multitudes of young men. The casualties, he said, represented not merely a loss to the countries in strength and capacity for wealth production, but a heavy annual burden on the resources of the countries in pensions.

Cost of Wounded.

"France alone, Great Britain alone in this respect, each bears an annual burden, which is almost twice the amount of the whole payment now offered by Germany to meet our claim of reparation for damages of all kinds," Lloyd George declared. The loss of German lives and the devastation of East Prussia were trivial, he asserted, in comparison with that inflicted on France. What Germany offered was not one-fourth the sum required to repair the damage, the prime minister said, and that on condition that those who need it must find it out of their own pockets. It was here he said that if Germany came with a proposal which indicated a sincere desire to discharge its obligations it would be considered.

Proposals an Offense.

The Allies were prepared to make allowance for the difficulties under which Germany and the other countries labor as a result of the war, but, continued the prime minister, "these proposals frankly are an offense and an exasperation, and I deplore that they were put forward as they indicate a desire not to perform, but to evade, the obligations which Germany has incurred. Had the German government imposed taxation comparable to the taxation in the Allied countries, they would be in a better position to confront us at the conference."

Allies Always Merciful.

Mr. Lloyd George made a declaration in regard to the Allies charging the Germans with defaulting respecting some of the most important features of the Versailles and added that the Allies had displayed no sharp insistence upon the letter of their bond. "They have extended the time and modified the character of their demands," he declared, "but each time the German government has failed them."

Some Points Evaded.

The war criminals have not yet been tried, the prime minister asserted, and military organizations, some of them open and some of them clandestine have been allowed to spring throughout the country, equipped with arms which ought to have been surrendered.

The German counter-proposals, Mr. Lloyd George continued, have convinced the Allies that the German government "does not intend to carry out its treaty obligations or it has not the strength to resist and face the selfish short-sighted supposition upon the necessary sacrifices being made."

No Further Patterning.

If that is due to the fact that the German people permit it, that makes the situation more serious and makes it all the more necessary that the Allies should bring the leaders of public opinion into line to face the facts. The first essential fact for them to realize is that the Allies, while prepared to listen to every reasonable plea, arising out of Germany's difficulties, cannot allow any further patterning with the treaty."

Art students in Paris are being taught by means of the cinema. One afternoon each week they watch cinema films which are turned very slowly, and they make rough observation sketches of the film figures.

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IN THE EDITOR'S MAIL

To the Editor of The Standard.

Dear Sir:—Would you please give me space in your valuable paper to answer a misrepresentation that the gifted editor of the St. Croix Courier caused to be published in that paper?

I have no special desire to enter into a newspaper controversy, but in the last edition he made it appear that I was working against the interest of the Shipman Memorial Hospital. But the facts are these: A committee from that institution visited the County Council for the purpose of asking for an increase in the annual grant. I proposed that a part of the grant, or the increase in the grant to the hospital, should go to defray the expenses of those who were not able to do so themselves. It seems that the Editor of the Courier did not favor the grant or any part of it going to those who were unable to pay their full charges. But that it should go into the general fund of the hospital; hence the unreasonable misrepresentation and attack upon me. He knew that I favored an increase in the grant, as I had proposed such an increase last year. But he did not like the recommendation put in. My object was that the people of the county would look more favorably towards the hospital, and among the people of the coast and among the islands would contribute more readily to the funds of the hospital.

The chairman of the visiting committee extended the invitation to any one who wished to ask questions. I asked Mr. Whitlock if Chipman Memorial Hospital would take in a man without means. His reply was that they had done so, but did not want too many such. Again, I asked why not raise the charges to those able to pay, and use the grant, or part of it, for those who could not pay? Mr. Whitlock's evasive reply was, that there is no way by which they can tell by a man's appearance how much he can afford to pay.

Mr. J. W. Scovill, one of the committee, said that the hospital would always have to go to the people for support. That it was run purely for the benefit of suffering humanity. Perhaps the Editor of the Courier can explain to suffering humanity why it is that they do not want too many such at the hospital, even though the county council would pay their bill.

It is regrettable that the Editor of the Courier, the official reporter for County Council proceedings, should so forget himself as to misrepresent all through the report, one of the councillors, whose only object was to help the hospital and suffering humanity. And I am sure that not one of the councillors ever thought for a moment that I was trying to injure the hospital, or was working for their support to do so. I have found all of the facts, gentlemen, and I know that they regret and will resent the unreasonable attack made upon me by the official reporter of the County Council.

ST. JOHN BANK CLEARINGS.

Bank clearings for St. John for the past week are: \$2,996,422; for the week ending Feb. 27, they were \$3,635,349. Other cities report as follows: Montreal, \$128,723,821; Toronto, \$95,867,356; Hamilton, \$2,553,975; Montreal, \$1,115,309; Sherbrooke, \$1,244,231.

London reports that all the little new girls are being given the simplest names and not many of these either. The Duchess of Buccleuch is merely Clara Margaret, and Lady Kilmorrey's baby is to be just Nora.

A man finds it easy enough to get along after he once gets started down hill.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret E. Hayes took place yesterday morning from her residence, Marsh Road, to the Cathedral, where Rev. A. P. Allen celebrated Requiem High Mass. Rev. Simon Grant was deacon, Rev. Raymond McCurdy, sub-deacon, and Rev. W. M. Duke, master of ceremonies. His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc gave the final absolution. The four sons of deceased acted as pall-bearers. The funeral was very largely attended and the spiritual and floral offerings were numerous. Interment at the new Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Annie E. Smith took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from her residence, 124 Watson street, following service by Rev. L. B. Bray. Interment at Fernhill.

The body of Jeremiah Daley, who died on Saturday in Baltimore, was brought to the city yesterday on the Boston train, accompanied by his brother, James. Mr. Daley was an electrical engineer at the C. N. E. and held this afternoon from his late residence, 112 Charlotte street.

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SPECIAL SALE OF Odds and Ends

Left After Our Free Hemming Sale

Now that our free hemming sale has come to a conclusion, we find dozens of remnants left, as well as several soiled Table Cloths, Towels, etc. These we have gathered together and placed on sale at great reductions.

There are remnants of Towelling, Pillow Cottons, Sheetings, Shaker Sheetings, Damask Tabling and Soiled Towels and Table Cloths.

Soiled Table Cloths

45x45	.....	\$2.75 each
54x54	.....	3.50 each
63x63	.....	3.75 each
66x66	.....	4.25 each
72x72	.....	4.50 each
81x90	.....	5.00 each

Soiled Serviettes

20 in.	.....	\$5.50 doz.
22 in.	.....	6.00 doz.
25 in.	.....	7.00 doz.

Large Huck Towels, heavy quality, 22x38, \$1.70 pair
All Linen Towels, these are all hemmed, 18x36, \$1.30 pair

Remnants are all in good useful lengths, all are priced at great reductions until cleared.

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OBITUARY.

Dutch Fearful of Labor Invasion

Declare German Men and Women Are Taking Their Jobs Away from Them.

(Copyright 1921, By Public Ledger.)
Rotterdam, March 3.—Holland workmen are viewing with alarm an invasion of German labor that is the more serious in view of growing unemployment in the country. German laborers are undercutting the Dutch men remaining outside the unions.

Half of the laborers in some branches of industry in Holland are said to be German.

Women workers from Germany are also invading the Dutch labor market, often working for half the amount the Dutch women ask for the same kind of work.

late W. Watson Alton of this city was also a brother. Mrs. Stone will be buried in New York. Many St. John friends will read with regret of her death.

The Ford Power Plant

THE first model T Ford engine was made in 1903. It was the perfected development of Henry Ford's motor inventions dating back sixteen years to 1892 when he built his first little one-cylinder motor.

During that sixteen years Ford Cars were made in many models from little two-cylinder "chuggers" to big six-cylinder, high-priced cars.

But in 1908 the crystallized results of all those years of experience and study was the model T, the Ford power plant of today.

And since 1908, thirteen years of test under every condition of use in peace and war, in every nook and corner of the globe has shown not a single weakness nor a need of improvement, nor of additions to the power plant which drives half of all the cars on earth.

The wonderful durability and power of the Ford engine, its simplicity of operation and its economy in fuel and repairs, are reasons why the Ford car should be a good car for you to own.

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A MUSEMENTS

Exmouth St. Choir Tendered Banquet

Were Guests of Choir Committee at Bond's—Toasts and Music Enjoyed.

A complimentary banquet was given Wednesday evening by the choir committee of Exmouth Street Methodist Church to the choir at Bond's restaurant. About fifty were present and the affair was a truly delightful one. The tables were beautifully decorated with spring flowers, tulips and daffodils. The programme, in the form of a party, was most artistic.

The programme was as follows: Remarks by Chairman, Miss Crockett, Mr. Lanyon, Toast—The King, National Anthem, Toast—The Choir, A. W. Eithey, Response for Sopranos, Miss Macgoe, Altos, Miss Myles, Tenors, W. L. Beville, Basses, H. F. Hopkins, Duet, Miss E. Macgoe and H. C. Black, Toast—The Choir Leader, W. J. Macgoe, Responded to by E. E. Thomas, Toast—Our Organist, Mrs. Dawson, Responded to by Miss M. Sandhill, Toast—Our Guests, Mr. J. Johnston, Responded to by W. A. Adams, Bayard Skillwell and R. Macgoe.

The choir committee, who were hosts Wednesday evening, are as follows: Mrs. Dawson, Miss Nettie Myles, W. J. Macgoe, C. L. Bastin, John Johnston, A. W. Eithey and G. C. Coombs.

Tea Biscuits.

Mix two level cups of flour, four teaspoons of baking powder and one of salt, two tablespoons of butter and three-quarters of a cup of rich milk. Mix well, turn on to a floured board, roll out a half-inch thick. Cut the biscuits with a floured cutter, place in a greased pan, slightly separated, and bake 15 minutes in a hot oven.

Funds Needed To Carry On Work

Provincial Memorial Home for Children Greatly in Need of Assistance.

A meeting of a number of those interested in the Provincial Memorial Home for Children was held last evening in the Market building, Dr. James Manning, president, in the chair. It was announced by the treasurer, H. Usher Miller, that funds are urgently needed in order that the new wing of the institution may be completed. The Home has been under very heavy expense, and the need for enlargement is pressing as there are many hopeless and destitute children awaiting admittance.

Plans Presented.

A plan was proposed by Councillor Golding and adopted whereby subscriptions will be solicited from citizens, the collector to carry a list signed by the president and to make returns to the treasurer. Several members gave in suggestions by which interest might be aroused and funds received. Appealing to the churches, sending an organizer out through the province, interviewing all organized societies and raising money by means of fairs, pantry sales and entertainments were among the suggestions given.

Several ladies of the L.O.B.A. told of the work which is being done in their lodges to help pay for the upkeep of the Home. Many offers of help were received from those present.

After peeling artichokes and salting, to keep them white, place them in water containing a little salt and lemon juice.

Add a cupful of autumn raitus to the cottage pudding batter. They give it a holiday appearance.

Grilled meat is nicer and more nutritious than steamed meat, because juice inside the meat.

Duke of Rothesay Chapter Meeting

Will Present Beautiful Picture to Consolidated School on Empire Day.

Duke of Rothesay Chapter L. O. D. B. met in regular session yesterday afternoon at the residence of the regent, Miss Puddington, at Rothesay. Considerable routine business was transacted and plans were completed for a tea and pantry sale to be held on the 19th of this month to raise money for the L. O. D. B. War Memorial Fund.

It was decided to celebrate Empire Day by attending the Consolidated School and making a presentation of that beautiful picture, "Canada's Answer."

Mrs. George K. McLeod was nominated as a delegate to Toronto. Several names were received by the Chapter for membership.

SP' PHILIP'S CHURCH CHOIR ENTERTAINS

A very successful concert was given before a large audience in the South End Boys' Club last evening by the choir of St. Philip's Church. The programme consisted of a piano selection by Mrs. McCallan; solos by J. Sadler, Mrs. A. A. Richardson, Mrs. Frank Leslie, Frank McAleer, Miss Ritchie; readings by J. M. Berkeley, Miss H. Bushan, Mrs. McAleer; a quartet, Messrs. Berkeley, Stewart, Mitchell and Berkeley; choruses by the choir.

Rev. Mr. Stewart, pastor of St. Philip's, gave a short talk on St. Philip's, gave a short talk on St. Philip's, gave a short talk on St. Philip's.

A fitting dismissal to jaspers: "Out your capers!"

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR GIRL

By HELEN ROWLAND (Copyright, 1920, by The Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

An economical wife may make a man happy, but it takes a spender to make him hustle—and get rich.

The best combination for a woman is an old hand, a young heart, and a baby face.

When a woman can't fascinate a man, she is tormented to decide whether it's because she isn't good enough or because she isn't wicked enough; whereas it is usually because she isn't much of anything.

When a man starts out with the firm determination not to marry, he is sure to come to a sad but respectable end as a devoted husband; but, when he starts out with no intentions whatever, there is a chance that he'll die with bachelor's buttons on.

A man loves the woman who deceives him far better than the one who hangs around and keeps forever talking about it.

The older a woman gets, the more trusting she becomes; at twenty, she likes flattery only when it is highly diluted and delicately disguised; but at forty, she can swallow it straight, without a quiver.

To a man, a flirtation is merely a "thank-you-ma'am" in the path of life, which gives him a mildly sentimental job; to a woman, it is a hurdle race, in which the stakes are usually love, or marriage.

Some fancy the world has made no progress; but others can remember way back in the dark ages, when women kept their hats on in the theatre.

Love's Musical Progress: Irving Berlin (flirtation); Beethoven (love); Mendelssohn (marriage); Wagner (Bang!); Tosil (Goob-bye!).

Four-Act Comedy Was Presented

Large Audience at Central Baptist Delighted With Performance by Young People.

A very creditable presentation of the four-act comedy "June Time" was given last evening at Central Baptist Church School Rooms by a number of the young people of the church. All were amateurs but they made the most of their parts, delighting the very large audience with the excellence of their interpretation of the various characters. The play has a wholesome lesson and is bright and pretty. It will be repeated this evening. The proceeds are for Sunday School work.

The cast

The cast was as follows:—

Mrs. Susan Hopkins, boarding house mistress, Helen Bennett

Marion Hopkins, pampered daughter of Mrs. Hopkins, Lilian Wilson

June Rose, orphan niece of Mrs. Hopkins, Margaret Collier

Miss Banks, landlady in the department store, Ethel Miller

Tommy, colored servant at the boarding house, Olive Golding

Jen, a shop girl boarder, Alma Price

Millie, slangy shop girl boarder, Rita Akerley

Jim, well-read shop girl boarder, Jim Armstrong

Lillian Scalpen, department store, Ernest Alwood

Fred Benton, floorwalker in department store, Harvey Craft

Snooser, Mrs. Hopkins' ambitious boy, George Stammers

Abraham, colored porter at the department store, Wendell Belyea

Scenes laid in the apartments of Mrs. Hopkins' boarding house.

HEADACHES Make Life Miserable.

Headaches are one of the most aggravating troubles one can have, and it is hard to struggle along with a head that aches and pains all the time.

Headaches seem to be habitual with many people; some are seldom, if ever, free from them, suffering continually from the dull throbbings, the intense pains, sometimes in one part, sometimes in another, and then, again, over the whole head.

There is only one way to get relief from these persistent headaches, and that is by going direct to the seat of the trouble, for unless the cause is removed, the headaches will still continue to exist.

The fact that Burdock Blood Bitters keep the stomach, liver and bowels toned up is proof enough to show that it will eliminate the cause of the headaches.

Mrs. Harold Lannan, Owen Sound, Ont., writes:—"My system was run down and my blood out of order. I suffered a great deal from severe pains in my head, which made me feel very miserable. After having tried other remedies I purchased a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, and was very glad to notice a decided improvement in my health, so I took another and am glad to say that it has done me an enormous amount of good. I have recommended it to my friends, who were in a similar condition, and they all say it is a wonderful remedy."

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Profitable Meeting Of H. S. Alumnae

Reading Club Took up Subject of "Wales" Last Night—Interesting Papers Read.

The Reading Club meeting of the St. John High School Alumnae was held at the Art Club rooms last evening. The subject of the evening was "Wales."

A very interesting programme was carried out, thoroughly enjoyed by the large number in attendance.

The programme.

Mr. Paul Cross Paper—"Lloyd George"

Mr. Frank Ellis Solo

Miss Minnie Myles Solo—"Wales, History and Legend."

Miss Helen Corbett Solo

Charles Pidgeon Welsh Dance—in costume

Miss Ruth Carter and Miss Elmer Gifford.

Illustrated Lecture.

Mrs. Bertram Smith

OBITUARY

Mrs. Bridget Agnes Gerow. The bereaved friends of Mrs. Bridget Agnes Gerow, widow of James Gerow, who died at her home, 46 Garden street, St. John, N. B., on Monday, March 2nd, at the age of 78 years, are advised that the funeral will be held at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning at the Cathedral for High Mass of Requiem.

THE LATEST.

Frocks of lace have become simpler and even more charming than ever, and much crepe de chine is used in combination with lace.

Taffeta is the fabric most used in a noted London establishment collection, for afternoon and evening models, in routine, old green and in all the antique colors generally.

Tiny Teddy bears of close moss are the latest invention of the West end florist, and by immersing them twice a week in water they may be kept green and fresh for months, while China-blue eyes give them a most alluring expression.

DO YOU KNOW.

That spinach balls are delicious served on buttered toast, with cream sauce poured over the whole.

That excellent home-made belting can be made by folding a strip of muslin and stitching it firmly?

That a good starch for crockeries is made with 1-2 tablespoonfuls starch, one teaspoonful of wax, one teaspoonful of borax and a quart of water?

That if you wish your biscuits to have a brown gloss over them you can brush their surface with milk before baking?

That honey grits served with sausage are delicious, and they will cause the sausage to be more easily digested.

Vegetable Relish.

Carrots in Turnip Cups. Pare small, white-shaped white turnips. Cut slices from the stem end with a potato scoop. Scoop out the flesh, leaving a cup. Throw these into unsalted boiling water and let simmer for 20 minutes. Lift each one carefully with a skimmer and turn upside down to drain. While these are cooking, cut young carrots into rings, put these in a kettle of boiling water and cook below the boiling point for 20 minutes. Drain in a colander.

Arrange the turnip cups white hot on a heated chop dish. Add to the carrots a half teaspoonful of salt, a saltspoonful of pepper and a half cup of good thick cream. Shake over the fire until hot and fill in the turnip cups. Garnish the dish with parsley and send at once to the table.

British Picture Greatly Enjoyed

"Alf's Button" Was Screened at Imperial to Invited Guests—Last Evening.

"Alf's Button," the delightfully funny British picture, which was so greatly enjoyed by the invited guests at the Imperial Theatre after the last evening.

The picture is one of the Anglo-Canadian Picture Company's film and was viewed by a representative audience of invited guests, whose hearty laughter proved that it is a splendid comedy and filled with the most amusing situations.

Alf wonderfully played by Leslie Hennes, is a British Tommy who becomes possessed of an Arabian Bunting which, when rubbed, summons a gen. All Alf's biddings are carried out with some times almost disastrous consequences.

Before the picture was shown, Major Gregg, of the Anglo-Canadian Picture Plays, Ltd., was introduced by W. H. Galt, and told of the effort being made to introduce British pictures in to Canada and asked for support.

CENTENARY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONCERT

New Numbers Introduced Last Evening—Programme Enjoyed by Large Audience.

The concert given by Centenary Sunday School recently was last evening repeated before another good audience and was greatly enjoyed by those attending. A few new numbers were introduced on the programme as follows:

Dialogue with chorus, "The Three Jacks."

Horner—Dick Humphrey, Jack the Giant Killer—Townsend Gunn.

Jack and Jill—George Ebbett.

Pantomime—Lord Ullin's Daughter, Highland Chief—Stanley Goodwin, Boatman—Edwin Gunn.

Lord Ullin's Daughter—Gloria Logie, Lord Ullin—Ronald MacKinnon.

Horseshoes—Allan Sparling, Kenneth McAlpine.

Waves—Annie McAvour, Mary Seely, Margaret Hayward, Jennie McAlpine.

Reader—Miss Annie Tall.

MEETING POSTPONED

A meeting of the Vocational Committee which was to have been held yesterday afternoon was postponed because of lack of attendance.

DR. DOUGLAS TO RETURN

Dr. Ellen Douglas, who has been doing post-graduate work in New York and Baltimore for the last six weeks is expected in Winnipeg this week.

Apparently neither Ulster or the South of Ireland will accept any compromise home rule plan unless Britain will guarantee that it is absolutely unsatisfactory to the opposition.

Imperial Theatre

Lecture On Christian Science

By Willie F. Gross, C. S. B., member of the board of lecturership of the First Church of Christ Scientist, Boston.

Sunday, March 6 3 P.M.

Seats Free. No Collection

At-Home Held At St. David's

Sunday School Teachers and Officers Entertained Those of Presbyterian Schools.

The teachers and officers of St. David's Church Sunday School tendered an at home to the officers and teachers of all the other Presbyterian Schools of the city and Fairville last evening, with Robert Reid, convenor of the St. John Presbyterian Sunday School committee in the chair.

The meeting opened with a sprit shake down followed by a vocal solo by D. Allan and address was then delivered by L. G. Sinclair, of the Maritime Religious Educational Council. A piano duet by Mrs. J. M. Barnes and Miss Phyllis MacGowan was greatly enjoyed.

PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH

Tell How To Open Clogged Noses and End Head-Colds.

You feel fine in a few moments. Your cold in head or catarrh will be gone. Your clogged nostrils will open. The air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more dullness, headache, no hawking, snuffing, mucous discharges or dryness; no struggling for breath at night.

Tell your druggist you want a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, and relief comes instantly.

It is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer needs. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable.

IMPERIAL—Another Hit-Show

Mary Roberts Rinehart's SCREAMING FARCE

"It's a Great Life"

Did the pale but interesting Romeo get hurt in his brave rescue of the sweet-faced Lucille?

Or was he gravely wounded in a football match, just as he scored the winning goal?

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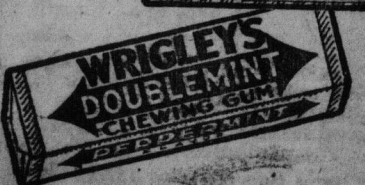
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5-Passenger Ford Touring Car will be given to the contestant who turns in the greatest amount of subscription money during a three-week period ending Saturday night, March 19th.

THE SPECIAL PRIZE FORD



The Contestant who turns in the greatest amount of subscription money between the dates of Monday, February 28th, and Saturday, March 19th (a 3-week period), will be given a five-passenger Ford Touring Car (Latest model, fully equipped with factory equipment). The Ford was purchased from and is on exhibition at The Universal Car Company, 85 Prince William street, dealers in Ford Automobiles and Ford parts.

New contestants may enroll and compete for the special prize Ford ONLY, if they wish. Every contestant starts out equally in the race for the Special Prize Ford—subscriptions turned in previously do not count on this special.

GET STARTED TODAY ON THE SPECIAL FORD OFFER, CANDIDATES. AN EARLY START IS HALF THE BATTLE IN THE RACE FOR THIS SPECIAL PRIZE.

EVERY VOTE COUNTS

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NOMINATED BY

ADDRESS

Note:—Only one entry blank will be accepted for any one candidate.

STANDINGS OF THE CONTESTANTS

The standing of the contestants given below represent the votes counted for each up to noon Thursday, March 3rd.—

A	
Appleby, Mr. Irving	84,500
Anderson, Miss Margaret	10,900
Armstrong, Miss Sarah	10,900
Alward, Miss Ousia	76,450
Anderson, Chas. W.	13,200
Anderson, W.	10,900
B	
Baekia, R. C.	330,800
Borden, Miss B.	77,000
Brandage, A. G.	132,950
Brewer, Miss Maudie	10,900
Buchanan, Miss Annie	77,500
Burton, Geo. E.	331,800
Boyd, Geo. H.	330,650
Butler, Mrs. Hayward	330,600
Brown, Walter J.	10,850
Barker, Mrs. Chas.	330,750
Bishop, George	10,950
Banks, Thos. H.	12,400
Brown, E. Susie	331,200
Bawn, W. J. P.	330,400
Barks, Miss Rita	330,800
Bondreau, J. E.	330,850
Beaton, J.	331,700
Buras, Harold	13,200
Bellantys, W. T.	10,900
C	
Cohen, Columbus	76,300
Callen, Charles	10,900
Cripps, George	59,550
Crawford, Robert	10,900
Cross, Mrs. J. J.	10,900

C	
Cunningham, Hugh	302,750
Duningham, Wm.	10,900
Cosman, Miss Aubree F.	330,650
Coggins, J. B.	331,750
Chadwick, Harold	10,750
Chase, Wellington	329,400
Carr, Herschel	98,500
Chappell, Montrose	330,700
Camero, Mrs. Irene	11,900
Corbin, Miss Ella	10,000
Cornley, Mrs. W. W.	329,800
Cranie, Thomas	10,900
Colby, J. N.	10,900
Cosman, J. Alphonse	10,500
Coteau, Rev. Father	10,700
Copp, Roy H.	76,900
Cosack, J.	10,100
Cosman, Roy W.	10,200
Crosley, Floyd	10,100
D	
Doherty, Arthur	10,900
Dow, Cecil	330,650
Dryden, Leonard	329,850
Downey, Miss Bonnie	331,700
Doucet, Fred D.	329,850
Davis, Wilard	67,400
Daly, Sadio	10,800
Dixon, Miss Marion	65,000
F	
Foslay, S. S.	331,850
Furberg, Mrs. Mary J.	284,850
Filmore, R. L.	330,100
Flewelling, Capt. O.	10,900
Flewelling, Chas. W.	10,550
Fawcett, Wm. R.	69,150
Fearney, T. W.	10,750
Ford, Miss Jessie	153,100
Fitz, Arnold	10,800
Flett, Andrew	10,900

G	
Gavia, Mrs. Chas. W.	10,950
Geary, Wm.	28,450
Gardner, Mr.	10,900
Gillman, Mrs. Victoria	10,250
Green, Mrs. Harry C.	17,700
Green, Miss Kathleen A.	11,450
Gaynor, R. D.	330,450
Gaskin, J. W.	10,900
Green, Miss Margaret	331,050
Guthrie, Ed.	30,100
Gross, R. M.	329,600
German, Geo. H.	330,900
Grant, Arthur	331,850
Gill, George	10,900
Goodell, C. D.	40,900
Golding, Mary	10,900
H	
Hayes, Harry	331,950
Harding, Edward	10,900
Hayes, Miss Beatrice	78,750
Hinton, Miss Florence	10,600
Harrigan, Miss Katie	10,900
J	
Johnson, Miss Violet	329,900
Jardine, J. C.	10,900
Jardine, Mrs. Ora	10,600
Johnston, Miss Dora	10,650
K	
Klayman, Louis	12,200
Kierstead, Miss Mead B.	42,850
Keith, Roy	10,900
L	
Lund, Wm.	10,900
Lamb, Mrs. Susan	10,950
Lewis, Mrs. Chas. W.	85,800
Larson, Carl	21,350
Lardon, Miss Martha	76,950

L	
Labuff, Robert	10,900
Lantz, Miss Cora	10,950
M	
Marritt, Stanley	10,900
Malloy, Miss Agnes	80,600
Malloch, Miss Nealie M.	87,800
Murtagh, Edward	69,550
May, Miss Annie	10,150
Magnuson, Miss Elma	330,200
Merzetti, Herman	10,300
Morehouse, Mrs. Alfred	77,100
Moscovocchie, Danny	331,850
Milnead, Miss Flavia A.	67,300
Morrison, Willie	67,100
Morrison, Willie	67,900
Miller, Miss Avis	10,900
Metz, Miss Martha	10,600
Margus, John	22,100
Morse, Osgood	10,900
Moore, Miss F. L.	10,900
Mc	
MacKee, Hazel L.	70,750
MacBeth, Mrs. P. E.	10,900
MacEachern, G. H.	10,900
McArthur, Albert	10,100
McCabe, Guy	76,200
McCauley, George	330,700
McGowan, Miss Helen	10,200
McLary, Ronald	10,900
McNally, R. W.	331,750
McDonald, W. H.	65,400
McKiel, Lee V.	10,950
MacLaughlin, Miss Emma	72,500
N	
Nickerson, G.	10,650
Northrup, Miss Mary	30,700
O	
Olva, Mrs. Elfreda S.	268,750
Osbome, Conrad	10,750

P	
Pike, Dossie J.	329,850
Porter, Miss Myrtle A.	330,750
Phillips, Mrs. May	332,950
Peck, L. A.	329,900
Poiras, Rena	84,400
Poulson, Miss Margaret L.	13,400
Papworth, Thomas	10,400
Parker, Miss Maudie	10,600
Pitt, Douglas B.	13,150
Petley, L. D.	19,000
Price, Doctor O. B.	10,900
R	
Rosario, B. D.	10,050
Rossa, P.	10,900
Robertson, Miss May	10,900
Richardson, Miss Mary	10,700
Rathbarn, C. G.	330,950
Ronnell, Miss Annie	10,900
Ryan, Miss Lenore	10,950
Richmond, Harold	10,900
S	
Sawyer, Bryce P.	329,700
Snodgrass, P. M.	10,900
Smith, A. Ren	293,700
Sabeau, Miss Ruby	10,900
Stephenson, Miss Goldie	10,900
Stokes, Myron V.	10,900
Strickland, W. G.	330,900
Stevens, Chas. E.	74,400
Stevens, Rena	78,000
Stratton, L. P.	10,100
Stevenson, F. R.	10,900
Stewart, Harold R.	10,900
Snow, Gerlie	10,900
Stewart, Mrs. N. E.	10,950
T	
Taylor, R.	10,900
Trentowsky, Stewart	65,600
Thorne, Miss Iva	10,900

U	
Tompkins, Mrs. J. B.	329,950
Towers, Donald	321,700
Titus, Mrs. Hugh	330,900
Totten, L. W.	10,900
Taylor, Mrs. H. H.	10,950
V	
Underhill, Mrs. W. D. J.	72,500
W	
White, E. D.	16,000
Wilson, W. L.	10,900
White, G. S.	10,700
White, Mrs. Gertrude	10,900
Willis, Miss Theresa M.	330,100
Wright, J. G.	322,100
Williamson, Mrs. E. M.	329,850
Webb, A.	10,450
Wetmore, Miss Grace	10,900
Walsh, Miss Laura	17,500
Woods, Miss A. Katherine	10,900
White, H. G.	240,000
Woods, Kathryn	10,900
Wasson, Willis	10,150
Williamson, J. S.	10,900
Waugh, Harry	10,100
White, Robert	10,900
Whyte, Percy E.	293,000
Y	
Young, Mrs. Earl M.	10,900

The Standing of the candidates will appear in Monday's Wednesday's and Friday's issues of The Standard. To insure accuracy for every candidate's vote totals all votes are counted on Burroughs adding machines, supplied by A. C. L. Tapley, Local Agency Manager.

300,000 EXTRA VOTES for each and every \$30 worth of subscriptions secured during the first week of the Ford offer, namely up to 8 p.m. Saturday night, March 5th.

CLOSING RULES OF THE BIG EXTRA VOTE OFFER WHICH ENDS TOMORROW NIGHT

- The Extra Vote Offer of The Standard's Big Prize Contest closes at 8 p.m. Saturday night, March 5th.
- All contestants can work up to the last minute of the offer.
- The office of the Automobile and Movie Star department will be open until 8 p.m. Saturday night for the convenience of city contestants.
- City contestants who are unable to bring in their returns by the above mentioned hour may mail their returns, but their letters

- must reach us on the first delivery of mail Monday morning, March 7th.
- Out of town contestants can work up to the last minute of the Extra Vote Offer with the city contestants, and immediately mail their returns to the Auto and Movie Star department of The Standard. The postmark of Saturday, March 5th, must be on all of their letters even though their letters do not reach us until the following Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday.
- Friends of contestants working in the out of town communities will be governed by

- the rules pertaining to out of town contestants. Friends of contestants working in St. John or suburbs will be governed by the rules set forth for city contestants.
- New contestants who have not time for receipt books to reach them before the close of the Extra Vote Offer may list out the names of the subscribers on a sheet of paper and send them in with sufficient cash to cover the subscriptions. Contestants already enrolled who run out of receipt books, may do likewise. Do not let anything cause you to lose out on the 300,000 extra vote ballots.

- All personal cheques sent in to cover a bunch of subscriptions must be marked "accepted" by the banks on which they are drawn.
- Kindly keep your receipt forms in numerical order and thus assist the contest department assistants.
- Contestants must have their middle receipt forms fully filled out before presenting them to the Contest Department Cashier on Saturday, otherwise they will lose their turns at being waited upon.

HEADACHES

Make Life Miserable.

Headaches are one of the most annoying troubles one can have, and are hard to struggle along with as they eat into the brain and pain all the nerves.

Headaches seem to be habitual with some people; some are seldom, if ever, in them, suffering continually with dull throbbings, the intense ones sometimes in one part, sometimes another, and then, again, over the head.

There is only one way to get relief from persistent headaches, and that is by going direct to the seat of the trouble, for unless the cause is removed, the headaches will still continue to exist.

It is that Burdock Blood-Bitters—the stomach, liver and bowels are put up in proof enough to show that it eliminates the cause of the headache.

Harold Lanain, Owen Sound, Ont., writes:—"My system was run down, my blood out of order, I had a great deal of trouble with my head, which made me feel very miserable. After having tried other remedies, I purchased a bottle of Burdock Blood-Bitters, and was very glad to find a decided improvement in my health, so I took another and am now feeling much better. I have recommended it to my friends, who are in similar condition, and they are all wonderful remedies."

It is put up only by The T. C. Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH

How To Open Clogged Noses and End Head-Colds.

Headache in a few moments, a head or catarrh will be cured. The nostrils will be free, and you can breathe freely. Headache, no hawking, mucous discharges or any other symptoms of a cold or struggling for breath at the throat.

What every cold and headache needs. Don't stay miserable.

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THE WEATHER

Toronto, March 3.—The disturbance which was north of the Ottawa Valley last night has moved eastward to the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and showers have occurred in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. The weather has turned colder in Ontario and has continued cold with light snow in Manitoba, while farther west it has been quite mild.

Forecast
Maritime—Showers in some districts, followed by increasing northwest winds and somewhat colder by night.

AROUND THE CITY

CITY COUNCIL TODAY
The city council will hold its weekly meeting this afternoon at three o'clock.

FERRY REVENUE SMALLER
The ferry revenue was smaller for the month of February, 1921, than for the same period last year, the figures being: 1921, \$4,076.46; 1920, \$4,140.05.

ACCIDENT AT SAND POINT
Robert McKee, a trucker employed on the west side, had his hand injured yesterday morning. He was treated at the Emergency Hospital.

NEW FIRE ALARM BOXES
Three new fire alarm boxes arrived in the city yesterday and will be placed in Sand Point at No. 32 and 12. The numbers given the new boxes will be 8-3 and 12.

CHILD DEAD
Friends will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. McKay, 23 Millidge avenue, in the death of their youngest daughter, Evelyn Marie, aged nearly four years, which occurred yesterday.

NEEDED WIAH WORK
City Engineer G. G. Hare has been making an inspection of the city wharves and finds that considerable work will be necessary on Wellington, Dunn's and South Boats, and planning will have to be done in the potato shed.

PLEASANT CONCERT
The inmates of the Municipal Home were given a pleasant entertainment last night, when the St. Mary's Band gave a delightful programme for their pleasure. The programme was enjoyed by all, delicious refreshments were served by the superintendent, Commissioner Walsh supplied fruit for all the inmates at last evening's affair.

REGULAR MEETING
The regular meeting of the Ladies' Association of the Protestant Orphan Asylum was held at the British street Home yesterday afternoon, Mrs. David McLeellan presiding. It was reported that the children had been entertained by the Junior Association of the National History Society. A number of donations were gratefully acknowledged.

FAIR VALE OUTING CLUB
The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Fair Vale Outing Club were entertained last evening at the residence of Mrs. William White, Douglas Avenue. A very delightful evening was spent. Several of these social reunions have been held and have proved very pleasant, last night's being one of the most enjoyable.

VISITED INSANE NURSE
At the request of the Provincial Red Cross Hospital Committee, Dr. Farrer, chief officer of the Insane Department of the D.S.C.E., yesterday visited a nurse at the Provincial Hospital who became insane while on duty with the Harvard Unit in France. Dr. Farrer will present her case at Ottawa and strongly recommend that she be cared for by the department.

CELEBRATE THEIR 88TH ANNIVERSARY
York L. O. L. No. 3 celebrated its 88th anniversary last night in Orange Hall. There was a very large attendance of Orangemen for the interesting historical event. Addresses were given by County Grand Master, J. Starr Tait, District Grand Master, Kenneth Stoen, Frank L. Potts, Rev. Mr. Stiller, and Mr. Conley, the oldest member of the lodge. The history of the lodge was read by Grand Secretary Sule.

HIKERS ARE ALL GOING STRONG
The hikers from Halifax to Vancouver are making excellent time. Tuesday night the DBIs had arrived at Megantic, Maine, doing 20 miles that day, were out 25 days and had walked 597 miles. The Bohans reached Ottawa, 576 miles, walked 37 miles Tuesday, and were out 25 days. Charles Burkan the first hiker to leave Halifax, was out 43 days, did 27 miles Tuesday and reached Hales, 563 miles from Halifax. All hikers report being in fine condition and going strong.

Investigate Death Of Thomas Mallory

All Persons Concerned Are Exonerated—Coroner Kennedy Will Hold Inquest.

After investigating the circumstances surrounding the death of Thomas Mallory which occurred in the general Public Hospital Wednesday noon, the police have exonerated all persons concerned. Mallory accompanied James Clancy on a fishing trip to Golden Grove Sunday and on the trip back fell out of the sleigh the two were in. He sustained a fractured skull as a result of the fall and lost consciousness, and later died from the effects of his injuries.

Farewell Banquet To F. H. Hewitson

District Manager of London Life and Wife Guests of Local Staff.

The local staff of the London Life Insurance Co. tendered a farewell banquet to F. H. Hewitson, the district manager, and Mrs. Hewitson at Bond's last evening. After a tasty luncheon had been disposed of the King was proposed and responded to with musical honors, "Our Guests" was responded to by Mr. Hewitson in a neat speech. The "St. John District," the next toast, was replied to by Mr. Phoeney. The "Older Agents and Associates," by Messrs. Sinclair and McCann.

W. C. Peters, the chairman, on behalf of the St. John office, then presented Mr. Hewitson with a pair of gold cuff links, symbolic, he said, of the link of affection and fellowship that had existed between the manager and his staff ever since the first time he took over his duties in the city. In bidding Mr. Hewitson farewell, he assured him that the good wishes of his former staff went with him. Mr. Hewitson made a feeling reply to the "Office Staff and Lady Agents" was then proposed and was responded to by Miss Lane and Miss Marshall. The toast was followed by the record of the evening, when Miss Lane on behalf of the staff presented Mrs. Hewitson with a handsome leather shopping bag and purse. The toast to the "Agents" elicited a response from Messrs. Mofford and Campbell and the "New Superintendent" from Messrs. O'Donnell and Linn.

Nashuaak Pulp and Paper To Close Down

Will Suspend Operations Saturday to Make Repairs and Overhaul Machines.

Notices have been posted at the Nashuaak Pulp and Paper Company's plant notifying the employees that work will be suspended there on Saturday for an indefinite time, according to information given the Standard last night. The company has recently completed a large contract, and with a dull market and falling prices, it is regarded as an opportune time to suspend operations for the purpose of making needed repairs to machinery and giving the plant a general overhauling. It is said several weeks will be required to do the repair work. The plant has been running to capacity night and day for many months and it was inconceivable to hold up long enough to make the repairs on the big machine that are from time to time necessary.

Save \$15.00 to \$20.00 On Your New Spring Suit.

The F. A. Dykeman Co. have just opened up and put on display a special shipment of Manufacturers' House Samples in the latest New York style tailored suits for this season's wear. Being samples they are, of course, perfectly finished down to the very last detail and marked at far less than regular prices. The materials are Gabardines, Tricotines Serges and Tweeds, all the new models for the season are included, being offered in the following colors, black, navy blue, and, plain blue and leather mixtures. No woman in need of a suit for this Spring should miss this sale which offers a chance to secure a New York style at such a big saving. A showing of some of the many blues can now be seen in their big show window.

Little Progress In Labor Disputes

Labor Leaders Encouraged Over Conference of Campbell & Fowler Co.

Officials of the Labor Council reported last evening that nothing in particular had been accomplished in the way of settling disputes between laborers, who are now out by reason of strike or lockouts, with their employers.

Maritime Nail Works.

The efforts made to bring the managers of the Maritime Nail Works and a committee of former employees into a conference looking to an adjustment of dispute between them, have availed of nothing. Applicants for work at the Maritime Nail works are given a job and preference is given to the application of former employees. The plant is in operation, but is not working up to capacity, as the former employees are holding out, and the company has not secured a full working force.

Campbell & Fowler Plant.

The employees of the Campbell & Fowler factory, it is said, have been in conference with the management seeking an adjustment of their troubles. While nothing is known or publicly given out, there is a hopeful spirit prevailing among the men on strike, and the opinion is expressed, by labor representative, that the trouble between employer and employee at the plant will be soon at an end. A give and take spirit, it is said, prevails on both sides and with this spirit in evidence there is every reason to believe a successful and satisfactory factory agreement will be reached.

Address On Boy Scout Movement

John A. Stiles Addressed Commissioners and Scout Masters Last Evening.

The commissioners of the Boy Scouts Association and the scout masters of the city troops were addressed at the Boy Scout headquarters in the Ritchie building last evening by John A. Stiles, assistant chief commissioner of the Boy Scouts of Canada. Mr. Stiles arrived in the city yesterday from Halifax where he gave a series of addresses to the different organizations assisting in a drive for \$10,000 which the Boy Scout Association of Halifax are putting on. Mr. Stiles informed his audience that the Boy Scout movement in Nova Scotia is in a very healthy condition and rapidly expanding in all parts of the province.

Attended Meeting Of Light Keepers

Mr. Day, Keeper of Partridge Island Light, Impressed by Gathering at Ottawa.

J. B. Day, keeper of the light on Partridge Island, returned home yesterday, from Ottawa, where he was in attendance at the second annual meeting of the Canadian Lightkeepers' Association. Mr. Day represented the New Brunswick Association, and he was accompanied by Amoro Publico, who represented the Nova Scotia Association.

Mr. Day, Keeper of Partridge Island Light, Impressed by Gathering at Ottawa.

Mr. Day was greatly pleased with the results of the gathering at Ottawa. He says through the good office of Hon. R. W. Wagner they were able to meet the Hon. C. C. Ballantyne and the commissioner of lights and place before them some suggestions for the bettering of working conditions. Mr. Day believes much good will result to the lightkeepers from the meeting at Ottawa.

Why Boys Need Scouting.

It develops them physically. It develops leadership. It fills their leisure moments with interest, and aids them in their mental growth. It diverts their gang instinct and helps them in habit formation. It gives them vocational guidance. It renews their youth, it gives them better health, through learning outdoor crafts, they too learn to "Be Prepared." The scout promise and scout motto, they learn to do their good turn too. It multiplies their influence for good and they discover latent powers of leadership hitherto unknown. They get a rare joy in seeing the boys whom they learn to love, make good. Mr. Stiles' address was listened to with much pleasure and interest by the local commissioners and scout masters who despite the inclement weather, were present in large numbers. A. C. Skelton, Provincial Commissioner, who presided, thanked Mr. Stiles on behalf of his associates at the close of his address.

Police Court.

Gilbert Peters pleaded guilty in the police court yesterday to assaulting his wife, Macy, in their home 5 George street. He was remanded for sentence. An assault case against Wallace Stephens was postponed till today. E. S. Hobbie for the defense. Three drunks pleaded guilty and were remanded. Two arrested in the morning were not in a fit condition to be brought into court.

New Members For Board of Trade

Fifteen Applications Received Yesterday—President on Chamber of Commerce.

Fifteen additional applications for membership in the Board of Trade were approved by the council yesterday and passed over to the next meeting of the board for acceptance.

President Burditt Named

A letter from the Toronto Board of Trade advised that President Burditt of the St. John board had been named a member of the Canadian committee of the International Chamber of Commerce. This international body was organized at Paris in June last year. Its purpose is "to facilitate the commercial intercourse of nations, to secure harmony of action on all international questions affecting commerce and industry, to encourage progress and to promote peace and cordial relations among countries and their citizens by the co-operation of business men and their organizations devoted to the development of commerce and industry." The board of directors of this body consists of three persons from each of the five foundation countries, viz.: Belgium, France, Great Britain, Italy and the United States. Among the other Canadians who are on this committee are: Lloyd Harris, Lt.-Col. W. W. Panton, Hon. F. Carvell, Lt.-Col. G. G. Gossabutt, Messrs. H. M. E. Evans, M. F. Christie and Charles Marriott. The honor of the placing of a representative of St. John on the committee was greatly appreciated by the council of the St. John board.

Was at Bathurst

The secretary reported that the second annual dinner of the Bathurst Board of Trade, which he presided over, had been a very pleasant function and that there was general appreciation of the fact that the St. John board has sent a representative. The secretary also reported that a substitute steamer for the Empress, when she lays up for repairs next month, is being sought by the freight department of the C. P. R.

Copy of Memorial

The Quebec Board of Trade forwarded a copy of memorial which had been sent to the railway commission with respect to a reduction in grain rates over the C. N. R. Transcontinental railway. Referred to transportation committee.

History of Movement.

He then gave a short account of the history of the Boy Scout movement. The scout master, he said, was the key to the movement, and that no more worthy task for any man could be conceived than to train young boys to be good Canadians.

Men's High Class Suits

New Merchandise at lower prices is arriving daily at Scovill's. This week the firm received a large shipment of Men's Suits, bought at a very low price in Montreal. Oak Hall will in turn, offer these Suits to their friends and customers this week end at such a price as will give purchasers the full benefit of the firm's close buying. 200 suits will be offered, Friday, Saturday and Monday. Smart Young Men's models, Suits for the Business man and Professional man. All will be sold at the one price, \$35.00. See Window display. An early call will give one an excellent choice.

Men's New Spring Hats Now On Display at Oak Hall.

Seldom has such a fine display of Men's Hats been shown here as is now on display at Scovill's. Now that Spring is here, every man is in need of one of these new Spring Hats. Smart Models for Young Men in the latest shapes and designs. By an early call you will have the benefit of the full assortment to choose from, and of course the price is much lower than in the past. See window display.

Victoria Rink Carnivals

Victoria Rink Carnivals are always a splendid and spectacular affair. Next Tuesday March the 5th will probably be the last Carnival this season. Show one to you?

FREE Trial for Three Days
Come to our store right away—select an Amberola phonograph and a dozen records—and we'll deliver them promptly to your home for 3 days' FREE trial which will not cost you a cent or place you under any obligation to buy. How can we afford to do this? Because
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is the world's greatest phonograph value and will meet any test, where "talking machines" and ordinary phonographs fail. If the Free Trial convinces you, we'll let you own the Amberola on practically your own terms. Hurry right down to our store for this Free Trial or you may have to wait your turn.
SEE OUR KING STREET WINDOW
W. H. THORNE & CO., LIMITED
Store Hours:—8.30, a. m., to 6, p. m., Close at 1 p. m., Saturdays of This Month.

WHY BE A WASHING MACHINE? BUY ONE!
We are offering our entire line of Washing Machines, which range in price in the ordinary way from \$13.25 to \$220.00, at a discount of 20%
This special price, which is offered for a limited time only, is a real opportunity for the housewife.
GET ONE—DON'T BE ONE.
EMERSON & FISHER, LTD.
25 GERMAIN STREET

STORES OPEN 9 A. M. CLOSE 6 P. M.
New Voile and Gingham Dresses For Girls
Specials in Whitewear Dept.
Special Sale of White Corsets at \$1.35 pair
This is a medium low bust corset with a fairly long hip. Don't miss this important sale.
Bungalow Aprons made of good washable print. Special 89c. each.
Skirt Aprons with or without frill. Special 55c.
Overall Aprons Dress style. Full size in dark and light colors. Special \$1.45 each.
Another Style of Overall Apron with elastic at the waist. Special \$1.55 each.
Ladies' House Dresses Special prices \$1.95 and \$2.39
Ladies' House Dresses, good Gingham and reliable Prints. Special price \$2.95 each.

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Things for Your Kitchen From This Furniture House
Modernized methods are fastly working their way into the home and the office or business world has given up its peculiarities in this direction.
This applies particularly to the kitchen—the work room of the home.
What with bread mixers (which we do not sell) and Kitchen Cabinets (which we do sell), the housewife's task is getting brighter as the days go by.
Possibly a careful study of your kitchen will suggest the need of another chair or two; a new table might be due you; and if you haven't a Kitchen Cabinet we can say you surely need one. Your friends who have one will endorse this strongly. May we show one to you?
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