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THE WEATHER. Northeast winds, cold, with local snow falls.

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INDIA DOES NOT REQUIRE HELP FROM AMERICA YET. This is Lord Minto's Reply to Christian Herald's Offer of American Assistance.

EACH NUMBER HAS A COLOR. Astonishing System By Which Greek Girl in London Does Arithmetic.

ACTRESS HAS A DOUBLE. Florence Rockwell Looking for the Girl Who Looks Like Her.

McLHENNY AND RITCHIE WERE VERY FORTUNATE. Arrested for Attempted Burglary Judge Landry Them to Go.

LEAVES FUND FOR GHOST HUNTING. Eccentric Citizen of Pittsburg Makes Peculiar Bequest in His Will.

DR. MCINERNEY WILL BE CHOICE. He Will Be Fourth Candidate on Opposition Ticket in St. John.

HEAVENLY BODIES. A convention of the delegates of the opposition party in St. John by whom the opposition ticket in this city was chosen some time ago will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Keith assembly rooms.

JAPAN WILL IMPOSE THE MOST SEVERE CONDITIONS ON WESTERN EMIGRATION. Viscount Hayashi Says That Regardless of Political Pressure Japan Will Keep It's Promise to Restrict Emigration to Canada, United States and Hawaii.

A LIVELY SCOTT ACT CRUSADE FOR FREDERICTON VERY SOON. Thorough Test Will Be Made to Procure Effective Enforcement --- Victoria Hospital Still Under Quarantine.

CANADA WILL BE BEST PART OF EMPIRE. So Earl Grey Declares in An Address to the Students of Toronto University.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA A VICTIM OF BURGLARS. Valuable Miniatures, Her Property Stolen From London Studio.

RAILWAY WAR ENDED. Gould and Harriman Interests Will Hereafter Work in Amity.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER. HIRAM IS IMPRESSED.

DEATHS OF THE WEEK. Eighteen deaths were reported at the office of the board of health for the week ending today as follows: From pneumonia, three; influenza, heart failure and chronic endocarditis, two each; croup, old age, aliphathia, tuberculosis, fracture of skull, cerebral hemorrhage, purpura, tetanus, and acute suppurative appendicitis, one each.

DIAMOND MAKER LEMOINE WAS MERELY A CONJURER. Diamonds Which He Professed to Make Were Really the Orthodox Article.

ANOTHER SENSATION IN THE DRUCE CASE. It is Now Asserted That Letters Important to the Case Cannot be Located.

BRITISH AMBASSADOR SPEAKS IN NEW YORK. Hon. James Bryce's Address Was Feature of New York State Bar Association.

CHINESE UNDERTAKE TO PREVENT PIRACY. Consequently the British Patrol Force on the West River, China, Has Been Withdrawn.

GOVERNMENT TO LEND MONEY TO THE FARMERS. The Sum of \$4,000,000 Will be Advanced to Western Farmers to Enable Them to Purchase Seed Grain.

RAILWAY MEN SEE GOOD TIMES AHEAD. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—The Executive committee of the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks and Enginemen and George J. Gould have ended their war over their rival interests in the Southern Pacific and Western Pacific railroads.

WATCH RETURNED. LAST-SATURDAY NIGHT, ON GERMANIA, Union, or Waterloo streets, Lady's Gold watch and Pin. Finder please leave at Times office.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Replying to the message by cable inquiring as to actual famine conditions in India and tendering help if desired Lord Minto, Governor General and Viceroy, has sent the following cable despatch to the Christian Herald of this city: CALCUTTA, Jan. 25.—(Most grateful for generous offer. Will distribute any help America sends, but distress not yet so acute as to appeal to her liberality. Letter following "VICEROY.")

TOKIO, Jan. 25.—The programme for today's session of the Diet, including the speech of Foreign Minister Viscount Hayashi, regarding the emigration question, was suddenly changed and the Viscount Hayashi will outline definitely the plans of the government for the restriction of emigration to the United States and Canada. It is understood that the postponement was due to the fact that a reply from the United States government to the last memorandum of Japan was expected to be handed to the foreign office this afternoon. Since the delivery of its last memorandum the Japanese government has issued stringent instructions to all governments and other officials concerning the regulation of future emigration along the lower of the future definite policy of restriction which includes the prevention of emigration of laborers to the United States and Canada under given conditions which will be satisfactory to the governments of both of these countries. No laborers are permitted to emigrate to Mexico. Evidence of the determination of the Japanese government is shown by an official order issued to emigration companies today wherein all emigration to the Hawaiian Islands is absolutely prohibited except in the case of relatives of Japanese already residing there. The order bearing on emigration to the Hawaiian Islands has created consternation among the emigration companies who expected to institute a violent attack upon the foreign office policy in this respect. Viscount Hayashi, however, is determined not to yield and says that the Japanese government having given a promise will not recede from it regardless of political pressure.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—The Druce case which has been so prolific of sensations today offered still another. The solicitor for George Hollamby Druce who claimed to be the son of the Duke of Portland in the latter's dual personality of Thomas Charles Druce, and as such heir to the title and estate, today made public the correspondence he has had with the public prosecutor in which he asks that official to assist him in locating letters offered him by Miss Mary Robinson of New York but which have fallen into the hands of a man purporting to be his representative. In a letter to George Hollamby Druce, Miss Robinson said she had a number of letters written by T. C. Druce to her mother in which Druce referred to himself as the Duke of Portland. George Hollamby Druce sent Miss Robinson money to come to England but according to her later letters a man representing himself as an agent of George Hollamby Druce's solicitor, called on her and got the letters. The solicitor is anxious now to find the letters, as he says they are necessary in the defence of Miss Robinson. Miss Mary Robinson is said to be an American woman, the daughter of a Southern planter. She recently testified during the process of the Druce case, that she knew Druce as the Duke of Portland, that Charles Dickens told her that Druce was the Duke of Portland, and that Druce himself afterwards confirmed the statement. Miss Robinson was arrested January 17 on a warrant charging her with perjury.



RECLINING GO-CARTS

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MOONEY CASE GOES OVER UNTIL FEBRUARY 11TH

The case of Mooney vs. the City of St. John in which the plaintiffs claim \$25,000 in connection with their contract for the dam at Robertson Lake was continued in the circuit court yesterday afternoon and now stands adjourned until Tuesday, February 11th.

In reply to further questions he said all the work was done in the extra estimate and a separate account of the progress work was kept.

The attention of the witness was called to article 20, which provided that if a contractor did any work other than that required in writing, he should have no claim except under the contract and that a statement of such work was to be filed by the 15th of each month.

Mr. Mooney said that was the reason he spoke to Mr. Barbour the day he was on the job.

Mr. Barbour said that he had no objection to the contract being made as to the dam and the location of the dam and the location of the dam and the location of the dam.

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TRY THIS SIMPLE REMEDY FOR SICK NERVOUS HEADACHE

AT TODAY THE NICKEL will present a programme of pictures and songs for the ladies and children that will hold the crowds in rapt attention from start to finish, as follows:

Picture—Jack and the Beanstalk. Picture—Superstitious Dinner Party. Song—Everyone Was Meant for Someone, by Miss Ella.

Items of Interest John White has just received his spring stock of go-carts; store open evenings.

At the Union Clothing Co.'s 35-28 Charlotte street, City Market, tonight you can get \$10.00 suits for \$4.50.

On Monday commencing at 2:30 p. m. J. M. Roche, No. 23 Charlotte street, will auction his stock of musical instruments and fancy goods.

We desire to call the attention of the people of St. John to a review of Pastor C. T. Russell's lecture, given two weeks ago in the opera hall on the subject of "Overthrow of Satan's Empire."

The programme for the Burns concert to be held in the Catholic school room on Tuesday next, Jan. 28th, will include selections from Mrs. Curran, Miss Seaton, Miss Hennessey, Miss MacLean, Miss MacLean and others.

Forty dollars in prizes will be given to the eaters in the fancy dress carnival to be held in the Victoria rink on Tuesday evening, Feb. 3rd.

THE SEMBRICH CONCERT

The Great Musical Event of Feb. 19th. Has Aroused Unprecedented Interest.—Subscription Sale Feb. 14th.



Few who have not followed the career of Madame Sembrich very carefully have an adequate idea of how great a singer and artist, is the famous contralto, who on the evening of Feb. 19th, will in company with Edouard Van Hoesen occupy the stage of the St. John opera house, and treat the music lovers of New Brunswick to the best obtainable in vocal music.

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING

Table with columns for ship names, destinations, and dates. Includes sections for Miniature Almanac, Vessels Bound For St. John, and Port of St. John.

When or when? A holy petitionary to rise in public mind, and declare in some strident way that the right thing is right.

No party lines in York (Fredericton Gleaser). There is considerable speculation here as to the date for the convention when the government ticket in York county will be officially decided.

Recent charters. British bark Melva, 538 tons (previously) to Port Madrya, Argentina Republic, with general cargo and lumber.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT. Steamers: Abasco, 2582, R. J. Thomsen & Co. Ontario, 2288, Wm. Thomson & Co. Manville, 2572, Wm. Thomson & Co.

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NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., gave the members of his Bible class what he considered good advice on money matters Sunday. It was the young millionaire's first appearance before the class for some months. He looked in better health than usual.

WINTER PORT Coal. It is proving to be such a good house coal for cooking-stoves, clean stoves and ranges, and also for grates, that people are greatly surprised and pleased to see it.

Opposition Convention. A convention for the selection of candidates for the Liberal Opposition in Kings County will be held at the Court House at Hampton on Thursday, 30th January, instant, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

THE EMPIRE ACCIDENT AND SURETY CO. Most Liberal Accident and Sickness Insurance also Guarantees Bonds. Agents wanted.

ESTATE SALE. TO BE SOLD at Public Auction at Chubb's Corner St. John, N. B. on SATURDAY, 1st FEBRUARY, at 12 O'CLOCK NOON, the following belonging to the Estate of Robert J. Armstrong.

TRY THIS SIMPLE REMEDY FOR SICK NERVOUS HEADACHE. Ever stop to think what caused your headaches? Probably not. Then look to the bowels and stomach as you'll find plenty of cases.

The Evening Times.

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THE ELECTIONS

A large number of young men will cast their first ballot in a provincial election on March 3rd.

They have first to decide between the merits of the two parties. It is in their power, if that power be rightly directed, to affect very materially the fortunes of the campaign.

On the one hand they see the attenuated remnant of a combination that has misgoverned the province for a score of years.

They know that New Brunswick should have made greater progress than she has done in these years, and if they think deeply enough they will discover that the government has been largely to blame.

It has lacked initiative because its leaders were more concerned about making deals to keep themselves in power than to advance the material interests of the province.

The present premier, as a young man, might have appealed with some force to young men had he chosen to cast off the trammels which prevented him from pursuing a bold and progressive policy in the interests of the province; but he has failed to adopt that course.

He has not strengthened his cabinet, which, as a whole, is weaker in executive ability than any provincial cabinet for these twenty years past.

Reviewing the whole situation, the young men will feel that their support should go to Mr. Hazen for the inauguration of a better policy, and a complete investigation of the financial condition of the province.

HOME INDUSTRY

A correspondent of a morning paper called attention yesterday to the fact that the tourist association, board of trade and some large business houses deemed it expedient to get printing done elsewhere that might as well be done in St. John.

The subject is worthy of some attention. Merchants complain, not without reason, when goods which they could as well and as cheaply provide are ordered from department stores in other cities.

There are printing establishments in St. John which employ many hands. The newspapers of the city do much for which they get no return, for the benefit of the city. There is an insistent demand for such action as would attract new industries to St. John.

Why not encourage existing industries by giving them something to do, especially when there is work to be done for which the public subscribe the money. Is it contended that St. John printing offices are inferior? If so, the statement is not borne out by facts.

A PORTABLE BUREAU

It is evident that in appointing Mr. Barnes as agent of the new Bureau of Colonization and Industries the government is not quite clear in its own mind as to the meaning of this high sounding phrase, or what Mr. Barnes is to do to earn his salary.

A place had to be made for him, and the details could be left until after the elections. The Sun says that no other official is to be appointed in connection with this bureau at present, but adds:

"It is likely, in the near future, when the re-organization of the other departments takes place, the colonization department will be organized on a more elaborate scale."

This is delightfully indefinite, and full of promise for the faithful party servant, who, in the "reorganization" may also get a job. As for Mr. Barnes, he will be attached to the crown lands department for a time, and later may be transferred with his bureau to the agricultural department.

All this could not be settled at once. Time is required. But meantime he will draw his pay. Mr. Barnes may also spend part of the year in England, no doubt taking his bureau along with him.

If anyone doubts that Mr. Barnes will do great things with his bureau, the government will immediately point to his brilliant record as a member of the cabinet, and, for that matter, of the house of assembly for years past.

THE WHITE PLAGUE

An Ottawa lady has offered to donate the site for a new hospital for incurable consumptives. A delegation from the Anti-Tuberculosis Association has asked the city council to guarantee the maintenance of the hospital. Speaking for this delegation, Sir Louis Davies stated that every doctor in the association gave the assurance that there was no possibility of dan-

ger to people living in the vicinity of the proposed institution. Rather, a number of plague spots all over the city would be removed. He alluded, says the Journal, to a case cited by Rev. Father Whelan at the association's meeting a few days ago where in a second class boarding house in Upper Town with a large number of boarders, there were two or three of the worst cases of consumption intermingling daily with those of the house. The association is prepared to build the hospital if the city will maintain it.

The general question of the effect of tuberculosis on the public health of England has been enquired into at the request of Rt. Hon. John Burns, president of the local government board. The results of the investigation are contained in a report prepared by Dr. Bulstrode. He states, according to a summary in the Toronto News, that the disease is yielding to the advance of sanitation and the knowledge of hygiene. The remarkable fall in the death rate from tuberculosis among the people who live under cleanly conditions is held to fully justify public expenditure on the demolition of slums, the substitution of hygienic dwellings and the provision of parks and breathing spaces in crowded centres. The conclusion of the report is that "the white plague is to be suppressed mainly by the more profitably on raising the standard of health conditions in the home, the workshop, the street, and in all places of public assembly than in building costly sanatoria."

This, of course, as the Toronto News properly points out, relates to conditions as they exist in the congested centres of "The Canada thus far," says the News, "or at least in Ontario, the emphasis has rather been placed on the utility of health sanatoria. By observing the rules of health and sanitation the general public can, to a great extent, protect themselves against the disease, but, when it is calculated that each consumptive at large every year infects one of his fellows, the need of hospitals is apparent. The sanitaria are invaluable both because they remove centres of infection from society, and because in a large percentage of cases the afflicted inmates themselves recover their health."

Mr. Hazen's platform includes honest provincial finances; ordinary expenditure governed by the revenue; and an independent audit of all provincial accounts; public works by tender; economy in the departments; repeal of the highway act; survey and valuation of crown lands; a better agricultural and immigration policy; cheaper and better school books; extension of local schools; better paid teachers; secret ballot and honest election laws.

Mr. Hazen should be given an opportunity to put this policy into effect.

Mr. W. L. Mackenzie King says that the immigration of contract laborers into British Columbia must be stopped. So must the immigration of contract laborers into New Brunswick, with false promises of free grants of land in "model settlements." The Times has exposed this system as practised by agents of the International Railway in England last spring. The province cannot afford to have such rascally work continued.

The Kings County opposition lost no time in summoning its convention. As soon as it was announced that the elections would precede a session of the date of the convention was fixed. This is an indication of vigorous preparation for a fight that should result in victory.

Secretary Hooper of the Liberal executive of York county declares that the Liberals as a party are not interested in the provincial elections. This is the answer to those, including Dr. Parsley, who seek to drag on all Liberals into the ranks of the local government party.

Now the St. John city convention of the government party must be called. There is still a great scarcity of candidates, but a sacrifice ticket must be secured for moral effect.

Mr. Barnes has retired from the cabinet. The other members will wait until March 3rd. They will not be very far behind.

SLEEPLESS BABIES ARE SICKLY BABIES

Well babies sleep soundly and wake up brightly. When little ones are restless, sleepless and cross it is the surest sign that they are not well. Probably the stomach or bowels is out of order, or it may be teething trouble. Give Baby's Own Tablets and see how quickly the child grows well and happy and sleeps soundly and naturally. Not the drugged sleep of "soothing" medicines, but the natural sleep of health. You have the guarantee of a government analyst that this medicine contains no poisonous opiate or narcotic, and you can give the Tablets just as safely to a new born babe as to the well grown child. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

PROMINENT HORSEMAN DEAD.

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—F. H. Foster, aged 60 years, in former years a leader of the turf, owning some of the best horses on the circuit, dropped dead in the Quincey House today. Mr. Foster was born in Richmond (Que.), and was a member of one of the leading families of that province. He is believed to have left a considerable fortune.

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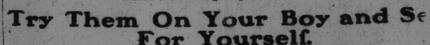
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The Rigors of This Climate Demand For It The Most Prompt Attention.

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is a sure, safe and absolutely Curative Syrup. It has the true bees' honey flavor and contains no opium or alcohol. It is a standby for family use and can be given to children without fear of injurious results.

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St. John, N. B.

**THE BORDEN CLUB HEARS  
SPLENDID ADDRESS BY  
THE LOCAL CANDIDATES**

Messrs. Maxwell, Wilson and Hatheway Spoke in Kelth's Assembly Rooms Last Night—Club Appoints Committee to Draw Up Resolution on Mr. McInerney's Death.

Robert Maxwell, M. P. P.; John E. Wilson and W. F. Hatheway, the local opposition candidates, addressed an enthusiastic meeting of the Borden Club last night. Norman McLeod, the president of the club, presided over the meeting. The club passed a resolution calling for a committee of three to draw up a resolution of condolence with Harry O. McInerney and his family on the death of his father, George V. McInerney, K. C. It was also decided that as the club has pledged itself to take an active part in the forthcoming election a committee be appointed to look into the matter of hiring rooms for headquarters.

John E. Wilson, the first speaker, was received with loud applause. He paid a brief but touching tribute to the memory of the late George V. McInerney, and then went on to state some of the reasons why he is in opposition to the government. The party in power, he asserted, has neglected not with an eye to the good of the province at large but for the benefit of its friends and supporters.

He had been told on good authority that the last local election in St. John cost the government \$30,000, and any intelligent man in the province who came from in the first place. The deal to buy and operate the Central railway was put through by the government in behalf of its friends. The government has also guaranteed the bonds of the International railway and rumor has it that some of the members of the house are interested to a great extent in that project.

After referring in strongly condemnatory terms to the highway act, Mr. Wilson introduced the school book question, and asked why the bookshellers of St. John must buy all their supplies from Messrs. Flood, while in Nova Scotia the bookshellers buy direct from the old country or the publishers in Toronto. He intimated that the reason was that the government wished to give their friends a job, but the children of St. John are kept out of school because the books are so dear their parents cannot afford to buy them. Mr. Wilson thought that no measure of contempt is too strong for a party of men who will throw any obstacle in the way of a child getting an education.

The speaker then touched on the financial affairs of the province, which he said are in a deplorable state. He congratulated the Borden Club on the stand they took for clean politics, and said that he knew of hundreds of Liberals who would be found willing to work with them in overturning the government.

He said he was proud the platform of the opposition and of the man who conceived it. There was no man in public life in Canada today who has a cleaner record or a better reputation than Mr. Hazen. In proof of Mr. Hazen's desire for honest government he reminded the club of his promise of legislation making the auditor-general perfectly independent of parliament.

W. F. Hatheway was received with a loud burst of applause. He opened with an eloquent tribute to the memory of the late Mr. McInerney, and said that he had the constitution of the Borden Club which, he said, stood for all that was broad and clean in politics. There were many things which could be urged against the present local government. They had claimed all along that there was no serious overdraft in the provincial finances, and yet last year the premier, Mr. Piquet, introduced an act to raise \$300,000, and in this act it was stated that \$100,000 was for an overdraft in the public works department, \$22,000 overdraft on the provincial hospital, and \$70,000 for accrued interest on the Central railway bonds.

Another point touched on by the speaker was the highway act, which the premier and his supporters were now endeavoring to declare last year to be a most desirable measure. Now the people were told the highway act is to be repealed. Mr. Hatheway said he could not understand how anyone could support the government after such a contest had been incompetently conducted. One other matter was the cold storage company which had a paid up capital of \$75,000 which the government had very recently voted to issue stock to the amount of \$150,000. Under the joint stock company act, Mr. Hatheway said, the company is liable only for the amount of its paid up capital.

Mr. Hatheway spoke of the value of British connection and the desirability of the provincial legislature had done nothing to have the line run down the St. John river valley to St. John, and he hoped very much that any great amount of traffic from that road would ever find its way here. Mr. Hatheway concluded with a review of European politics, with the object of showing that a closer bond with England was desirable and necessary to Canada.

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Of troubles originating in impure blood, scrofula, loss of appetite, catarrh, rheumatism, by Hood's Sarsaparilla than by all other so-called remedies combined. Somehow those cured by Hood's seem to stay cured, and they gladly tell the good news to others.

**Blood Purifier**—I have used Hood's Sarsaparilla and have found it the choicest blood purifier. It sends a strong steady stream of life throughout the weary body. There's life and strength in every drop of it. Hilda Sartre, 48 Walsley St., Toronto.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold everywhere. 100 Doses One Dollar. Prepared only by C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass., U. S. A. N. B. Do not take a substitute. Insist upon having Hood's.

**GEORGE WOODWORTH RECEIVES SAD NEWS**

Unconscious of the sad fact that his sister had succumbed to illness at her home in Halifax yesterday morning, George Woodworth, captain of the Mar- than hockey team, played the game of his life last evening, in the Glacier rink here, and for a time it seemed that his great efforts would bring victory to his wretched team. Soon after the game, as he was discussing its points with his supporters, a telegram was handed him, bringing the sad news of the death of his sister. The news was a great shock to him as he had not even heard of her being ill, and the telegram was the first intimation that anything serious had happened.

He at once made arrangements to leave by the I. C. R. train for Halifax and will attend the funeral this afternoon. Mr. Woodworth will have the sympathy of his many friends here. He did last evening that when he was at home at Christmas time he had left his sister strong and hearty, and that he had suspected nothing of what had taken place. He said that an effort would be made to postpone Monday night's game at Marville, as he did not care to return for a few days at least.

**Is Your Chest "Wheezy?"**

Tightness and wheezing means your trouble is deep-seated. To delay is dangerous. Inflammation must be taken out at once. Rub the throat and chest with Neroline, and put on a Neroline Porous Relief comes in an hour. The counter-irritant effect of the plaster relieves the tightness and strain, draws out the soreness, and the chest is enabled to get to the very core of the trouble, and you experience a feeling of warmth which relieves the chest. For weak chest, sore throat and tendency to colds, the Neroline Treatment beats all other, try it.

**CHARGES AGAINST BOWSER ARE DENIED**

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 24.—In the legislature today, Attorney-General Bowser drew attention to a despatch from Ottawa in which Duncaen Ross was reported as accusing him of drawing up a contract between Sauri Gotoh and the C. P. R. to bring Japanese into Canada for the latter corporation.

**BURN'S BIRTHDAY**

Clan MacKenzie celebrated the birthday of Robert Burns, by a successful dinner and entertainment in White's restaurant last evening. A large number attended and when the substantial bill of fare had been disposed of, the following programme of songs, speeches and songs was carried out—The King, with musical honors; The Immortal Memory of Robert Burns, by E. J. MacKenzie; oration by Geo. S. Shaw, Burns the man and poet; Sister Societies, proposed by Past Chief R. A. C. Brown, responded to by C. K. Cameron, president of St. Andrew's Society, and Alexander Weatherston, grand district deputy for Ontario; The Sons of Scotland; the pipes, played by H. S. Cruikshank; the ladies, proposed by Dr. H. S. Morrison and responded to by W. H. MacKay; Bonnie Scotland, proposed by E. N. Brodie, and responded to by William Murdoch; highland fling, E. B. MacDonald; speech by Mr. Weatherston, Sons of Scotland; song by J. S. Murdoch; speech by E. Codner; speech by Fred Fowler; recitation, The Cottar's Saturday Night, by R. E. Cameron; speech by Charles Strong, of the C. P. R.

**THE ELECTIONS**

Under the spreading chestnut tree The politician stands. He has a sweet and passive smile He wears a polished silver hat. He wears a polished silver hat. His form is somewhat stout, His voice is so delightful when He gives the chestnut out.

And here they come: "This noble land, The granary of the world," "The pipes upon the wind-swept slope," "The mist of yellow gold," "The hills of the old party stands." "How blessed is this Canada Compared to other lands."

Rev. Mr. Burgess, formerly of Carleton, and now of Broughty Ferry (Scott), was recently made the recipient of a pulpit robe, pulpit Bible, palmer and hymnal by his congregation. Mrs. Burgess received a silver salver and a purse of sovereigns.

**SALE OF RUBBERS**

400 pairs of WOMEN'S and MISSES RUBBERS, sizes 2, 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2, 7, 7 1/2 and 8, to be closed out at 34c. a pair. Come quickly and avoid disappointment. Hatty, Lahood & Hatty 282 BRUSSELS STREET

**FOR BARGAINS GO TO WILCOX BROS., Dock St. and Market Sq.**

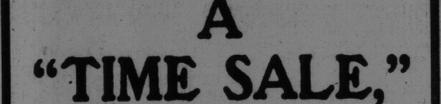
**Attend The Parisian Store Reduction Sale**  
of All Kinds of Ladies' and Gents' Clothing and General Dry Goods.

Here are some of the prices:  
Ladies' Long Coats from \$2 Up. Ladies' Skirts from \$1.48 Up.  
Watch for the right number.  
**47 BRUSSELS STREET.**

**COUNTY CONVENTIONS**  
The Northumberland opposition convention has been called for Feb. 3, at the Masonic hall at Chatham.  
The announcement of the date of the provincial general elections was received by the opposition party in Northumberland with joy. The party in this county is well organized and is ready for the fight and will put up a winning battle from the drop of the flag.  
The party will have a strong ticket in the field and there will be no difficulty whatever in the selection of a quartette of winners for the opposition in Northumberland. The Liberals of Queens county will meet in convention at Gagetown on Wednesday afternoon next to choose their candidates for the local legislature.  
Westmorland Liberals will convene at Moncton next Monday afternoon to select their candidates, and a public meeting is to be held there the same evening.  
The Liberal convention for Kings county is to be held at Hampton on Jan. 31.

**Tight Money Pinching Many**

Thousands more are being pinched by soaring corns which can be cured quickly with Putman's Corn Extractor. Being free from caustics, Putman's is painless. Used successfully for fifty years. Use no other.



**A "TIME SALE,"**  
Monday Morning,  
at 10 a. m. . . .

There is likely to be no little excitement in a dry goods way at the above time Monday. As a final to our Annual January Sale we are to have a "Time Sale" on the balance of Women's Made-up Garments, commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, and lasting one hour. It is expected to clear up in that time about one hundred and fifty garments of all kinds and all broken lines.

The goods will be assorted in four lots, and of course the remarkably low prices to clear will be the prominent feature.

- LOT I.—Ladies' and Misses' CHOICE OF Winter Coats, Misses' Raincoats, Ladies' Raincoats, Light-weight Tweed Coats, suitable for Spring. **\$3.90**
- LOT II.—Ladies' and Misses' CHOICE OF Dress Skirts and Tweed Coats, Children's Bearskin Coats. **\$2.90**
- LOT III.—Ladies' Stuff Shirt Waists, Cashmere, Lustre and Albatross, black and colors; value up to \$3.35. **\$1.39**
- LOT IV.—A few Ladies' Coats, in light and dark Tweeds, and one or two in black. **\$4.90**

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**A GREAT DOCTOR SPEAKS OF A GREAT REMEDY**

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Strongly Endorsed by One of the World's Greatest Doctors—Hope for the Sick.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People is the only advertised medicine in the world that has had the public endorsement of a doctor of world-wide reputation. Such an endorsement stamps this medicine as being worthy of the confidence of every person who is sick or ailing. A great doctor would not risk his reputation unless he was absolutely confident, through a personal knowledge, that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will do what is claimed for them. Dr. Giuseppe Lapponi, one of the greatest physicians of modern times, for years the trusted medical adviser of the Pope, writes the following strong letter in favor of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills: "I certify that I have tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in four cases of the simple anemia of development. After a few weeks of treatment, the result came fully up to my expectations. For that reason I shall not fail in the future to extend the use of this laudable preparation, not only in the treatment of other morbid forms of the anemia of development, but in the category of anemia or chlorosis, but also in cases of neurasthenia and the like." (Signed) DR. GIUSEPPE LAPPONI, Via dei Gracchi 332, Rome.

**DIED OF BURNS**

Jack Ross, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ross, of 187 Elliot row, was so badly burned yesterday morning that he died of his injuries during the afternoon. The lamentable accident took place about 10 o'clock. Mrs. Ross had gone to the yard to hang out clothes, when she was alarmed by an outcry from the kitchen. Hurrying to the house she was met by the little boy, who was evidently running to her for aid. His clothes were a mass of flames, his hair even then had been burned off, and he was in agony. Mrs. Ross tried to smother the flames with her dress, and in doing so was burned at somewhat about the arms and face. The little fellow's clothing was burned from his body.

Dr. H. G. Adley was hastily summoned and ordered the child's removal to the General Public Hospital. The burns were very serious, from the knees up the child being covered with burns. It was feared from the first that he could not recover, and he died during the afternoon. For the parents there will be general sympathy in their loss.

**CHILD, WHO IS ABOUT SIX YEARS OLD, HAD OPENED THE DOOR TO PUT IN A STICK OF WOOD, AND IT IS SUPPOSED THAT JACK'S DRESS CAME IN CONTACT WITH THE FLAME.**

Mr. Ross is a driver in the employ of the Sands Express Company. There are two other children, a boy and a girl.

A meeting of the board of directors of the St. John Exhibition Association was held in the board of trade rooms yesterday afternoon. Officers were elected as follows: A. O. Skinner, president; Richard O'Brien, first vice-president; R. B. Eastwood, second vice-president; Alexander Macaulay, treasurer; C. B. Allan, chairman of the finance committee. The following, with the officers, will form the executive: D. J. McLaughlin, T. H. Bates, W. F. Burditt, J. H. McAvity and R. R. Patchell.

A paragraph that appeared in an evening paper yesterday having reference to a choir position in St. John's Stone church is announced as being devoid of the slightest foundation. Mrs. F. G. Spencer will continue, as heretofore, as soprano leader and soloist.

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TESTIMONIAL TO COL. J. BUCHANAN: There was a good attendance at a benefit concert given last evening in St. Stephen's church Sunday school room.

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The programme of moving pictures at the Opera House yesterday afternoon and evening for today proved a very pleasing one.

Another interesting subject is the drama Kathleen Mavourneen, showing the evictor, the realistic fire scene, the rescue and all the comedy in the play.

Uncle Tom's Cabin Kathleen Mavourneen Plantation Melodies Gems From Erin

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THE BEWITCHED SON-IN-LAW--Young man quarrels with his mother-in-law. A witch appears before her and says "I will subdue him."

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HIS FIRST CIGAR--A comedy where a young dandy takes his father's cigars and gets sick and everything comes to him.

MR. HARRY NEWCOMB will sing a new popular ballad, entitled Sweet Innocence. Admission 5c.

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One of the features of this sale is that Everything in the Store is Reduced. The reductions range from 20 to 50 per cent, and no matter what your Dry Goods wants it can be supplied at this store, and you save the above discounts.

- 56 Inch Cloths--\$1.35 quality, Sale price 60 cents a yard.
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1000 YARDS OF 1908 PRINTS--36 inches wide, regular 16 cent quality, on sale at 10 cents a yard.

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YESTERDAY IN PARLIAMENT

Ottawa, Jan. 24--In the house today O. S. Crockett resumed the debate on the motion of Mr. Northrup, declaring the right of members of parliament to have access to public records and archives for the proper discharge of their duties.

"Then we remember," said Mr. Crockett, "the position they took with respect to the important doctrine of the independence of parliament. Their leaders held forth in all parts of the country in burning denunciation and condemnation of the Conservative government of that time, because, during eighteen years of office, it had appointed seventeen members of parliament to position in the public service.

"Another principle which this government has violated most seriously is that of ensuring the functions of parliament by order in council. I do not think that the history of the Dominion parliament shows any such failure of government as extension of this doctrine of government by order in council, as has been shown under this government.

"I have already given an example of this in their railway subsidies legislation. Hardly an important bill passes this house that does not contain a provision taking from parliament the powers of legislation in important matters and transferring it to the government.

DUNCANSON GETS A FAST TROTTER

Frederick Duncanson, of the parish of Lancaster, has purchased the beautiful bay mare Idle Moments from Albert H. Merrill, of Danvers, Mass. Idle Moments has no record and is yet green. She was born in the purple, and will, it is expected, be a coming trotter.

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RUNAWAY IN AMHERST

Amherst, N. S., Jan. 24--A serious runaway took place shortly after noon today, when Alex. Murray, superintendent of Christie's Bros. & Co. undertaking rooms received a telephone call.

Mr. Murray was driving a pair of horses attached to the hearse, from the I. C. R. station, when he had just taken the body of the late Miss Hingley, when his horses became frightened at a passing train.

Mr. Murray is moving for a copy of a resolution for an amendment for the bank act, to provide for government inspection and more stringent regulations generally.

In both the senate and the house of commons today the telegrams passed between Hon. R. W. Scott and Lieut. Governor Dunsmuir over the Natal bill, which the governor withheld after the last session of the legislature, was brought down.

Mr. Pringle has given notice of a resolution for an amendment for the bank act, to provide for government inspection and more stringent regulations generally.

In no case in future will the company be held responsible for expense incurred after first aid has been rendered to those injured.

After the debate we have had I think there cannot be in the mind of any impartial or unprejudiced member of this house the slightest doubt that that right exists. Sir, I have heard of 'bedding' and have seen some of it both outside and inside this house, but I am bound to say that I have never seen such bedding as that of the prime minister and the

World of Sport

MARATHONS AND FREDERICTON Local Team Defeated Last Night 5-2--Team Was Weak But Play Lively.

In a good, snappy game of hockey at the Glacier rink last evening the Fredericton Capitals defeated the Marathons by a score of 5 to 2. The Marathons were weakened by the loss of two of their regulars and had the line-up that faced Maryville last Wednesday been on the ice the result might have been different.

The first half the score was 2-2 and there was great excitement. In the second half, however, the Capitals pumped in three more tallies. The local team would have been stronger with Patterson in place of Mooney and Simpson in the net in place of Brown.

Play began at 8:40 o'clock and before the first minute had passed both teams had scored. The Capitals were in the lead by a score of 1-0. The Capitals were in the lead by a score of 1-0. The Capitals were in the lead by a score of 1-0.

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During the remainder of the half both sides rushed matters but neither was able to score. The Capitals were in the lead by a score of 1-0. The Capitals were in the lead by a score of 1-0.

In the second half, however, the Capitals worked harder than ever. They scored three times but the Marathons were in the lead by a score of 1-0. The Capitals were in the lead by a score of 1-0.

The ice was in great shape and play was fast and furious. The Capitals were in the lead by a score of 1-0. The Capitals were in the lead by a score of 1-0.

During the game Hanson and Black were the main attractions. Hanson was in the lead by a score of 1-0. The Capitals were in the lead by a score of 1-0.

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W. E. Raymond is confined to the house with a severe cold. The Capitals were in the lead by a score of 1-0. The Capitals were in the lead by a score of 1-0.

LOGAN WON TWO RACES Come in First in Trial Races at Montreal--Made Good Time

Montreal, Jan. 24--(Special)--The mile trial against time was the feature of the M. A. A. weekly handicap races on the association track at night, Fred Logan, the St. John (N. B.) skater, who this season will appear in the M. A. A. colors, winning out in 2:20. With the stiff east wind which the skaters had to face coming around the turn into the straight, the trial was considered good. Alrd, the local man, made a good showing, and was only second, or so behind Logan, while Finlayson took third place out of ten entries.

Logan won the 200 yard sprint with Finlayson second and Alrd third, in 20 3/4 seconds. Following are the results: 200 yards--F. Logan, first; W. T. Finlayson, second; W. Jackson, third; time, 20 3/4 seconds. 400 yards--(under 17), R. Logan, first; F. Stanley, second; D. Drew, third; time, 1:06 1/2. 800 yards--(backwards), R. Wheeler, first; A. Bunker, second; F. Mason, third; time, 1:45 1/2. Seven entries.

Race Today. In the Glacier rink this afternoon between the Carleton and Amherst curiers yesterday morning, the Carleton men winning by a majority of 22. The score was: Carleton, 10; Amherst, 2. E. R. Taylor, C. R. McLeod, A. A. Calhoun, J. H. Harvey, E. N. Rhodes, C. W. Jones, W. H. Fitzmaurice, J. J. Thomas, skip, 10-22. M. Curry, C. Winchester, W. O. Buchanan, R. Robinson, skip, 2-22.

The Amherst curiers were beaten twice yesterday by St. John clubs, going down before the Carleton curiers in the morning and the St. Andrew's in the afternoon. The St. Andrew's won two rinks out of three, leading by a majority of 22. The score was: Carleton, 10; Amherst, 2. E. R. Taylor, C. R. McLeod, A. A. Calhoun, J. H. Harvey, E. N. Rhodes, C. W. Jones, W. H. Fitzmaurice, J. J. Thomas, skip, 10-22. M. Curry, C. Winchester, W. O. Buchanan, R. Robinson, skip, 2-22.

In the second match in the Jones cup series led by the St. Andrew's rink last evening, W. C. MacNeill's rink defeated W. A. Lockhart's by six points. The next match will be played on Monday. The score was: Dr. T. D. Walker, C. W. deForest, E. R. Sewell, R. K. Jones, R. H. Tiltman, W. C. MacNeill, 14-6. W. A. Lockhart, 6-6. Thistles vs. St. Andrew's Today.

The second match of the annual series for the Raymond cup between the St. Andrew's and Thistle curling clubs will be played this afternoon and evening. The same clubs will play as were pitted against each other last Saturday. Carleton New-Comers Match.

In the Carleton rink last evening the first of a series of games between two rinks of new-comers was played. The score was: W. S. Jewett, J. Christopher, W. H. Estabrook, C. Beltes, R. H. Baxter, R. C. Allan, skip, 22-12. J. F. Smith, skip, 10-22.

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SMALLPOX IN ALBERT Hopewell Cape, Jan. 24--Dr. Murray, of Albert, and Dr. Carnwath, of Riverdale, have been very busy men today vaccinating many people in the two villages. The school vans collected many of the children from the rural districts and conveyed them to the consolidated school at Riverdale, where they were vaccinated. The schools will be formally closed for three weeks by order of the board of health.

The postal authorities have not yet arranged for fumigating the mails but it is thought that everything will be in readiness tomorrow. Dr. Carnwath, the resident member of the board of health at Riverdale, took charge of the mails from

THOUSANDS OF WOMEN TORTURED BY BLINDING HEADACHES Who Could Be Well, and Happy, and Free of Pain

Headaches simply mean poisoned blood. The human body is constantly decaying and being renewed. Dead matter is absorbed by the blood, and should be taken from the blood by the kidneys, bowels and skin and passed out of the system. If one of these organs does not act properly, the blood becomes impure--if two fail, death is certain.

When there are constant headaches, it is always found that the bowels are irregular, the kidneys weak, or the skin sluggish, pale or sallow. The tissue waste is left in the blood--carried to the brain--and irritates the nerves. To treat headaches with cocaine, morphine, phenacaine and the host of "headache powders" is useless. They relieve for the moment, but they clog the system and do harm. They never reach the seat of the trouble, they cannot purify the blood.

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the infected districts and had them fumigated and then forwarded through the post. It is feared that Hilleboro cannot escape the disease on account of a number of people from the infected places having attended the popular Price Webber concert there last week. Three concerts were given in the Opera House and the building was packed.

About forty of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Hayter gathered with them at their home, 80 Portland street, last evening to celebrate the twentieth anniversary of the marriage of this popular couple. It being the "china" wedding, the gifts were of this nature and there were 100 pieces in all, donated. The evening passed with the usual games and amusements.

People don't eat bread simply because it is fashionable. They eat it to live, and good bread is a very essential factor to life. But all breads have not the good principles of life that

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For Coughs It would be very interesting to know how many years your family physician has prescribed Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs, colds, and all forms of lung troubles. Ask him the next time you see him. We know physicians who have used it for over half a century. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

MONCTON ELECTIONS TO BE HELD TUESDAY. Moncton, N. B., Jan. 24--Civic nominations closed this evening. There will be contests for the mayoralty, aldermen-at-large, and in ward 2, wards 1 and 3 being by acclamation. For mayor the candidates are George B. Willett and Dr. C. T. Purdy. Aldermen-at-large--A. H. Jones, E. A. Reilly and Joseph Gardner. In ward 2 there are four candidates for aldermen--Murdoch D. McLeod and P. N. Crandall, J. M. Ross and J. A. McAnn. Crandall and Ross are running on a ticket. In ward 1 J. T. Forbes and Jadduce Boudreau by acclamation. In ward 3 W. D. Martin and John H. Crandall by acclamation. Police will take place next Tuesday.

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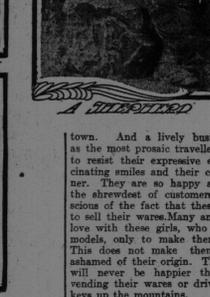
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## BEAUTY AND CORROW OF NAPLES

BY DELIA  
AUSTRALIAN



If Dante had wanted a real city as the setting for his Divine Comedy, he could not have found a more fitting place than Naples, for in no other city can be seen more beauty and sorrow.

The country about Naples is very fertile. There are splendid farms in the valleys, rich in wheat, Indian corn, lettuce, artichokes and beans. On these same farms are growing quantities of oranges and lemons, with great vines of mulberries are trained artistically about these trees. Though many of these farms are well cared for, they are chiefly cultivated by the women and children. They are seen, even to the tiny tots, digging potatoes, cutting and binding the grain. It is not unusual to see mothers carrying heavy loads and holding infants in their arms.

The Neapolitan peasant, though she is bourgeois in figure, is remarkably pretty, she has rich olive complexion, large dark eyes and jet black hair. She is healthy and happy. Life in the open air gives strength to her body and color to her complexion. She takes her hard work as naturally as the meals she eats.

The monotony of her life does not worry her. She finds plenty of recreation when her husband takes her and the children into the village on Sunday, where they dine at a cheap tavern. There they pass the day gossiping with friends. Hard as life is on these farms, for many of these places are heavily mortgaged, most of the people are light-hearted.

The women make nearly all the clothes for the family. Their fare is limited to bread, macaroni, cheese and coarse wine. They consider a piece of meat a luxury to be enjoyed only on Sundays and holidays. There is such a heavy tax on salt in Italy that these poor peasants find a pinch of salt a luxury. They find their life easy compared with the trials and hardships known to the people of Naples. For there is hardly a city in Europe where taxes are higher and wages are less. The average laborer in Naples does not earn more than from 40 to 70 cents a day. In spite of this small wage rate is comparatively high.

The Neapolitan suffers a tax on everything he eats, be it bread, fruit, wine; nearly all his personal possessions, even so the number of windows by means of which he gets light and air. The Italian wars of the past are largely responsible for these hardships; the large standing army has been another great drain on the Italian people.

The women beside raising large families contribute their part to the family income

ing sea is gay with splendid yachts waving Italian, English and American flags. For miles one sees beautiful gardens gay with orange and lemon trees, and rose bushes heavily laden with roses. Partly hidden by trees and shrubs are the spacious white villas, with their green slanting roofs. The panorama changes in places to high peaks scattered here and there, topped by old worn castles now in ruins, once the homes of Italian counts and marauders.

Nowhere are the Neapolitans more attractive, gay and lighthearted. The men and women laugh and sing as they work out in the fields and strip the vines. The gardeners take equal pride as they toil in their small vegetable gardens and tie up the great quantities of red and white roses seen everywhere.

The fishermen as they sail along the coast are as proud of the sea and coast as of their haul. They say, with pride, that there is no finer coast anywhere. The artists believe this, too; they come here from all parts of Europe and America to paint Neapolitan girls and to make sketches of this romantic scenery.

Above in the village of Anti-Capri are low and Anti-Capri crowning the summit. A wonderful spiral carriage road goes to the top. The tourist has the choice of an open victoria or a donkey, driven by one of the many pretty girls found at Capri.

Above in the village of Anti-Capri are seen plenty of pretty dark Italian women and coquettish girls, with bright scarfs and happy smiles, tempting tourists with Roman scarfs, purses and views of the

town. And a lively business they do, as the most prosaic traveller finds it hard to resist their expressive eyes, their fascinating smiles and their coquettish manner. They are so happy and naive that the shrewdest of customers are not conscious of the fact that these girls are out to sell their wares. Many an artist falls in love with these girls, who serve as their models, only to make them their wives. This does not make them haughty or ashamed of their origin. They know they will never be happier than they are vending their wares or driving their donkeys up the mountains.

### Tells How to Prevent Throat Weakness, Bronchitis

How many thousands are there who would gladly pay any sum to be cured of bronchitis or consumption. Many could be cured—cured today—cured if they would just use common sense in selecting their remedy.

Bronchitis of course is an inflammation of the bronchial tubes.

These tubes were made for the passage of air alone, and neither the mucus of an atomizer nor the liquid of a cough syrup can get where the trouble really is.

The diseased parts can only be reached by a remedy that can force its way through all the breathing organs.

Doctors who have used "Catarhose" say it is the only rational cure for bronchitis.

It cures by inhalation.

You breathe in its healing balsams,

### THEY TORTURE NATIVES TO DEATH FOR JOY IN CRUELTY

#### Portuguese and Boers Kill Many of Their Slaves for Pleasure of Watching Their Sufferings.

(New York World)

Francois Joubert Piens, who fought under Paul Kruger in the Boer war, has arrived in this country from England with the object of exposing the system of slavery which, he alleges, exists in the Portuguese colony of Angola, on the west coast of Africa. His assertions corroborate statements by H. W. Nevinson in his book, "Modern Slavery."

Gen. Piensar settled in Angola on land which he purchased from the Lisbon government. His discovery of conditions of slavery and barbarous cruelty led him into conflict with the authorities and resulted in his being compelled to abandon his property and escape. Here are some instances of cruelty of which the General was an eyewitness, presented in his own words as he gave them to a World reporter:

"I stayed immediately after my arrival in the country in 1894 in a hotel which was the property of a Portuguese woman, the wife of an official in the customs service. She owned many slaves, one of whom was a boy of eleven, used to clean my room each morning. I have seen that woman, who is powerfully built, strip the boy to the waist, tie him to a pillar of the veranda, take a chicotte in one hand, and supporting herself by holding another pillar with the other, lash his naked back with all the force she was capable of till she was compelled to change hands for fatigue, while the boy screamed with agony and his blood streamed upon the stoop.

**BOER HANGED BOY TO DEATH.**

"No notice is taken by the authorities of such acts of cruelty. The Boers, since 1872, have adopted the methods of the Portuguese. One old Boer whom I knew well invented a fiendish form of torture, to which he subjected a slave boy. After thrashing him until he could not stand, with a sjambok, he forced him to drink a cup of oiaco juice which he had simmering on the fire for this purpose and then tied a rope around the boy's legs

### DOING HIS DUTY

"Prisoner," said the judge, as a middle-aged man was arraigned on a charge of disturbing the peace, "you seem to be a working man, and I am sorry to see you here."

"But I was only doing my duty sir," was the reply.

"Yesterday you announced on the street that all the busted banks in New York and Chicago had resumed business and got a crowd cheering and swinging their hats."

"I did, Judge."

"You also claimed that all the workmen discharged on account of hard times were to be taken back at once, and there was a hurrah and a rush for the nearest saloons."

"It happened that way, Judge."

"Then you announced that the savings banks had abolished the 60-day notice, and the excitement blocked the street cars for half an hour."

"It was a beautiful block, Your Honor, — a beautiful block."

"And you claimed that a brother of yours out West had written to you that a drift could now be driven on New York with a certainty that it would be paid. The police had to stop the cheering and whooping."

"Yes, it was lively, Judge."

"And you wound up by saying that the country was never so prosperous and that the President going bear hunting had nothing whatever to do with the financial stringency. What sort of a game were you playing?"

"Your Honor, I was simply reading extracts from the newspapers and doing my duty as a patriot. There is no stringency. There are no hard times. It's all imagination. Just as soon as we have confidence every man will have 810 in his pockets, and silver mines and oil wells will be as

### TO SUFFER FROM HEADACHES MAKES LIFE MISERABLE.

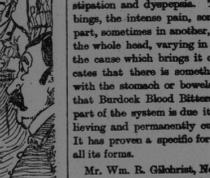
It takes a person that has had and is subject to headaches to describe the suffering which attends them.

The majority of cases are caused by constipation and dyspepsia. The dull throbbings, the intense pain, sometimes in one part, sometimes in another, and then over the whole head, varying in its severity by the cause which brings it on, purely indicates that there is something the matter with the stomach or bowels. To the fact that Burdock Blood Bitters reaches every part of the system is due its success in relieving and permanently curing headaches. It has proven a specific for the maddening ailment.

Mr. Wm. R. Gilchrist, New Mills, N.B., writes: "I was troubled for years with constipation and headaches, but after using four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters I am completely cured."

Mr. John T. Kildner, Red Deer, Alberta, writes: "I was troubled for several years with headache. I tried a number of remedies but they did me no good. I tried a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters and it cured me completely."

For sale at all Druggists and Dealers.



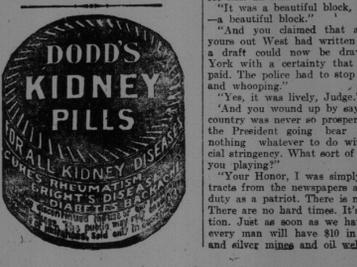
**SENTENCE SERMONS.**

The only way to have a friend is to be one.—Emerson.

"The pebbles in the path weary us, and make us footsore, more than the rocks."

He fixed thee 'mid this dance  
Of plastic circumstance  
This Present, thou, forsooth, wouldst fain arrest:  
Machinery just meant  
To give thy soul its bent,  
Try thee and turn thee forth, sufficiently impressed.

—Browning.



DOWLING BROS., The largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Jackets and Blouses in the Maritime Provinces.

Table Linens- Extra Value

Table listing various table damask and towel items with prices per yard or pair.

DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street.

AN IDEAL BOOT For Men

Customers Are Enthusiastic Over Our CURLING BOOTS. Called Curling from the fact that many people use them for that purpose.

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WARM UNDERWEAR For Men, Women and Children.

Table listing various underwear items like men's shirts, drawers, and women's vests with prices.

S. W. McMackin 335 Main Street. Phone Main 600.

DID YOU HEAR? WELL LISTEN!

We have the following left over and will clear them at extraordinary low prices: ONE LADY'S COAT, BLACK COVERING, HAMSTER LINED, ALASKA SABLE COLLAR AND REVERS, former price \$80, now \$68.50.

ANDERSON & CO., Manufacturing Furrier, 55 Charlotte Street.

WATCHES! The Boston Dental Parlors 527 Main Street

See us before you buy a watch. We can sell you a perfect time piece and save money. Call and let's talk it over.

DAVIS BROS., JEWELERS, 84 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club. Picture plays, picture songs and travelogue, at the Nickel.

LATE LOCALS

Donaldson line steamship Lakonia sailed from Glasgow this morning for this port direct.

The second match in the series between the Thibault and St. Andrew's curlers is being played this afternoon.

Last night's snowstorm was sufficient for sleighing and runners were in evidence on the streets today.

Schooner Harry W. Lewis, Captain Pettie cleared today for Port Breville with 500 packages of merchandise.

A very successful concert was held in Centenary church school room last evening in aid of the Sunday school fund.

The quarterly meeting of the King's Daughters, will be held at the Guild on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Jack Olive left by C. P. R. train this morning for Houston, Me., where he will skate a roller race with Nixon as mate.

Willie Baker and Edgar Bennett, who were arrested several weeks ago on a charge of breaking and entering into Ma-ger's shop, German street, pleaded guilty today to the charge of theft, and were allowed to go under suspended sentence.

The Elder Dempster steamship Benbow, Captain Wilson, which arrived at Liverpool yesterday is coming to this port and will take the place of the Canada Cape. The Benbow is scheduled to leave here for South Africa February 20th. J. H. Scammell & Co. are the agents.

Missionary meetings will be held in Carmarthen street Methodist church tomorrow morning and evening. Rev. Mr. Ross, of Hampton, will preach at the morning service and Revs. Ross and Campbell will address the evening meeting. There will be special music.

A most enjoyable surprise party was taken to Mr. and Mrs. Lydon's, at 276 German street, last evening, and a pleasant time was spent. After supper a table-top was presented with a parlor lamp. It was a genuine surprise, as a birthday party had been in progress during the afternoon for their little daughter.

Would you like to secure a cottage lot on the St. John river for an investment of 25c? The plan of The Prince's Beach Company is to give away this month, six large lots valued at \$400. Read the ad. today on page 8. Study the January Limerick and see if you cannot supply a line that will win a prize. You also have a chance to win a house and three lots valued at \$2,500.—The Prince's Beach Company.

A report has reached here from England to the effect that a British regiment or detachment, possibly the Cameron's, is to be transferred from China or Japan to England via the Canadian route, to make an actual test of the time of transportation of a large body of troops by this route. It is not stated where the corps will detain and embark on board steamer, at St. John or Halifax. The information received is not official.—Halifax Chronicle, Jan. 24.

THE STEAMER MONTROSE

She Should Arrive Tonight or Tomorrow --- No Cause for Anxiety About Her.

The steamer Montrose has not yet arrived. She is now out 14 days from Queenstown and has on board the passengers of the C. P. R. steamer Mount Royal. As all the steamships are having hard weather coming across the Atlantic to American ports the Montrose should turn up tonight or tomorrow. She is a staunch vessel, and her commander Captain Moore is a thorough navigator so no doubt the steamer is coming along safely.

AUCTIONS

At Chubb's corner today Auctioneer Lantulum sold at auction the following properties: The late Jacob R. Pidgeon's property, situated on Kennedy street, north end, to J. F. Owens, for \$1,460.

WANTS OPINIONS ON TARIFF REDUCTIONS

Representative of Chicago Examiner Asks Information From St. John Merchants.

The following letter has been received by the board of trade from the Chicago Examiner:— 146 Franklin St. Chicago, Ill. January, 17, 1908.

Any information which you may care to favor me along this line will not be for publication but merely to consider whether or not a reduction of the tariff would be of value to your merchants doing business with this country, upon which may depend the exploiting of your interests in a number of special articles devoted to this subject. Yours very truly, H. O. MCGILL, Special Writer.

Any merchants or others who may care to express their views are requested by the board to mail them direct to the Examiner.

POLICE COURT

Man Arrested for Theft Discharged for Lack of Evidence—Several Drunks Dealt With.

In the police court this morning Gustave Pipen, aged 19, of Montreal, who was arrested on a telegram from E. A. Williams, of the I. C. B., at Moncton, on suspicion of robbing a passenger No. 10 train, between St. John and Moncton, was discharged for want of sufficient evidence against him.

William Sullivan, charged with drunkenness, was fined \$8 or thirty days in jail. Sullivan, who came from Moncton, is a stranger, and as this offence is said to have been his first, he was allowed to go on payment of \$4.

Joseph Pike, also charged with drunkenness, was fined \$8 or twenty days in jail. William Daley and Thomas Short, who were reported by I. C. B. Policeman Scott Smith for violating the regulations governing hackmen by going beyond the allotted place to solicit passengers at the Union Depot, were fined \$2 each. A third hackman, charged with a similar offence, did not appear.

The case against Dennis McCarthy for stealing coal from the I. C. R. cars at the Ballast wharf was allowed to stand.

SIX HUNDRED MILES UP THE RIVER NILE

Excellent Address by W. Frank Hatheway in the Every Day Club Last Evening.

W. Frank Hatheway held the close attention of a large audience of men in the Every Day Club hall last evening, while he described a trip up the River Nile and talked of the life of the people, the changes of the centuries, and the wonders of ancient Thebes and Karnak, the modern Cairo, the desert, and all that makes a beautiful area of such fascinating interest. There was also a good musical programme. This evening the orchestra will meet for practice at 8 o'clock.

ALL SHOULD ATTEND

President of N. B. Fish Game and Forest Protection Association to Address Meeting Here.

F. B. Ellis, president of the N. B. Tourist Association, has received word that Fraser Winslow, secretary of the New Brunswick Fish, Forest and Game Protective Association, with Thomas F. Allen, of Andover, will come to St. John on Monday, and will on that evening address all who may be interested in the work of the association at a meeting in the board of trade rooms. In other parts of the province sportsmen, lumbermen and citizens generally display great interest, and it is hoped there will be a large attendance at Monday evening's meeting.

MME. HARRISON'S CONCERT

Mme. Yulisse Harrison, at Tuesday's concert will sing a number of specially requested pieces, among them such favorites as "The Ivory Gate and Golden," "Home, Sweet Home," and the floral and beautiful aria "Lo, here the Gentle Lark," with flute obligato.

Mme. Harrison has derived great benefit from her rest in St. John, but is now leaving for New York to resume her professional work.

A NEW LIMERICK

The novel limerick contest to be conducted by The Prince's Beach Company offers opportunity to secure a desirable lot for a summer home on the St. John river. The lots are at Harding's and Sand Point, two of the most beautiful spots on the river, and the prizes offered are unusually attractive. Everyone should read the advertisement in today's issue and then investigate the offer.

THE EVERY DAY CLUB

It is hoped to secure Rev. Dr. Chown as the speaker at the Every Day Club tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. If not, another good speaker will be heard, and their will be special music. At 8:30 in the evening there will be a musical programme in which Mrs. C. S. E. Robertson, Prof. Bowden, Miss Warden, an instrumental trio and others will take part, and Rev. A. B. Cohee will deliver a short address on temperance.

THE POLICE SPORTS

What will probably be the greatest night of sport ever held in this city will take place on Wednesday next at Victoria Rink. The police, who always have the best, are working night and day and are already beginning to wonder if the rink (large as it is), will hold the crowd.

PRINCE'S BEACH LIMERICK. LOOK IN MACAULAY BROS' WINDOW AND SEE Two of the Aggregate Prizes. The RED SPOTS on the Plan of Property show the lots to be given away in January. Only Ten Days more to secure your coupons for January competition. PRINCE'S BEACH LIMERICK, 41 Princess, Street, St. John, N. B.

Our Annual Clearance Sale. SPECIAL OFFERING OF MEN'S SUITS, \$4.95. A great clearance of over 150 splendid suits. All marked, irrespective of former prices, at \$4.95 each. This is by far the best lot of suits we have ever offered at or near this price. We invite you to come in and judge for yourself. American Clothing House 11--15 Charlotte Street, St. John.

Every Year our goods are more beautiful. So it is with our LADIES' WHITEWEAR this season. For novelty of design, and daintiness, and this year's line of WHITE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR more attractive than ever. usual low prices of our January sale make this year's line of WHITE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR more attractive than ever. Gowns, - From 65c. to \$3.50. Drawers, - From 25c. to \$1.50. Skirts, - From 75c. to 5.25. Combinations or Marguerites, \$1.75 to 3.00. Corset Covers, From 25c. to 1.50. Dressing Jackets, - From 1.10 to 2.00. All now on sale in our Showroom on the Second Floor.

ROBERT STRAIN & CO., 27-29 Charlotte St. Great Clearance Sale of Dinner Sets.... Just 5 Sets Left. Will Clear at Much Below Cost. 1 set 100 pieces Crown Derby decoration, \$10.00. Reduced from \$20.00. 1 set 80 pieces Green and Gold, \$0.00. Reduced from \$15.00. 1 set 100 pieces Peacock Blue and Gold, \$8.50. Reduced from \$12.00. 1 complete set 97 pieces Dark Cobalt Blue, \$5.75. Reduced from \$7.50. 1 complete set 97 pieces Dark Green and Gold, \$5.50. Reduced from \$7.50. W. H. HAYWARD CO. LIMITED, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93 Princess St. W. H. Thorne & Co. (LIMITED), Market Square. St. John, N. B.

NOVELTY WASH GOODS For Spring and Summer 1908. New Ginghams, in Stripes, Checks and Plain Colors, 10c, 12c a yard. Novelty Ginghams, - - - - - at 14c, 18c, 20c, 22c and 25c a yard. Novelty Voiles, - - - - - From 15c to 43c a yard. Novelty French Organdies, - - - - - From 17c to 40c a yard. Novelty Mercerized Lawns and Batistes, - From 25c to 33c a yard. Novelty Printed Sateens. Colored Linen Suitings. Silk Ginghams in self colors. Novelty Printed Dimities. White Organdies. Persian Lawns. White Dimities. White Batistes. WHITE LINEN HAND EMBROIDERED ROBES .....Now Ready To Show..... (GROUND FLOOR) MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, Ltd