

SMASH HOUSE BUT FAIL TO GET REBELS

Residence Was Home of Mother of Sinn Feiner Executed in 1916.

BLACK AND TANS WERE PERPETRATORS

Hunting and Racing Forbidden by Order of the Cork Military Authorities.

Belfast, Jan. 30.—Cullinstown House in a Dublin suburb was wrecked Saturday night by the military. The house was owned by the aunt mother of Patrick Pearse, once "provisional president of Ireland," who was executed after the 1916 rebellion.

The military wrecked the house with pick axes and crow bars. It is said they were seeking Richard Mulcahy, a member of the Irish Free State and the reputed chief of staff of the "Republican Army." The superior of the building was outrageously demolished.

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Flames Had Swept Oil Tanker for Twenty-Four Hours When Blow Came.

THEN FUEL TANK WAS EXPLODED

Every Member of Crew Saved and Wrecked Vessel is Towed into U. S. Port.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 30.—The Italian steamer Nettuno en route from Port Arthur, Tex., to Brindisi, Italy, was towed into this port today by the coast guard cutter Yamacraw after being ashore at sea.

Captain Bersini on arriving here today attributed the saving of his ship to a miracle—the explosion of her fuel oil tanks, which literally smashed out the fire after it had raged unchecked for 20 hours. The blaze originated in the engine room from Port Arthur, where she cleared on January 21 with a cargo of gasoline and fuel oil. At that time, she was off the Florida coast in the vicinity of Bermuda.

Schooner Arrives With Crew of Three Only

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 30.—The schooner "Evolution," which sailed from Cape Verde islands, arrived here today with only the captain and two men aboard. After putting into Newport the schooner twice started across the Atlantic, only to put back on account of bad weather. All the crew, except the cook and one foremast hand, then deserted and Captain Perry abandoned the voyage.

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R-34 is Almost Cut In Two At Landing

Big Airship That Flew Across the Atlantic Reaches End of Her Career.

Howden, England, Jan. 30.—The dirigible R-34 which was damaged early Friday morning while making a landing and which after drifting out to sea was finally maneuvered back to her base here, suffered another mishap during Friday night, being badly damaged by a strong wind. Almost cut in two, it is announced that the airship's flying days are over and she will be dismantled.

On her arrival at Howden Friday night efforts to louse the damaged dirigible were unsuccessful. She was towed to a special anchorage some distance from the shore and thus was exposed to the wind.

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"We are pretty good neighbors to you," said Sir George. "We came over from Canada in 1919 and bought \$221,000,000 worth of stuff from you in the United States. This means that every man, woman and child in Canada spent on an average \$115 in purchasing from the United States last year. The United States by the same statistics, came into Canada and bought \$563,000,000 worth only, exactly five dollars for every man, woman and child in the United States. Let us be neighbors. Buy as much from us as we do from you and we come down here with our good will, security, Canadian dollars be above offering us 85 cents."

Embargo Bill Effect.

Disclaiming any desire to "meddle with public affairs in the United States," Sir George referred to the proposed embargo bill, which would place a moratorium on the export of wool, sheep and agricultural products in order that we may pay you.

"Well, there are but two things for us to do," continued the minister. "One is not to buy the extra \$400,000,000 worth from the people of the United States. That is my appeal to the commercial portion of the United States. It may be a good thing to think of these things before we legislate too far."

Irish Have Not A Real Grievance

So Declares Rev. Dr. Hanson of Montreal in Patriotic Address at Halifax.

Halifax, Jan. 30.—Pleading for the preservation of the Protestant principles which, he said, had given England her greatness, and predicting for the British Empire, decay and revolution, a radical and revolting as that of Russia, unless she held to the paths of righteousness and justice, Rev. D. Hanson, of Montreal, spoke before an audience which crowded the Orpheum Theatre, under the auspices of the British Empire Alliance here tonight.

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OVER \$15,000 IN BIG STANDARD PRIZES

Contestants Entering Race at the Present Time Have Excellent Opportunities.

In today's contest ad appear several announcements of unusual interest to every contestant and prospective contestant. There is a prize on winning one of the free prizes offered by The Standard.

Extra Prizes.

The Automobile and Motor Star Department wants 40 all every contestant in getting a good early start in the big prize competition, and as a consequence is offering free two magnificent prizes to the contestants who do the best work in the contest by midnight, Feb. 15th.

Extra Votes.

To aid the candidates in getting started, an extra vote ballot, good for 200,000 EXTRA votes, will be given for each and every \$18 worth of subscriptions turned in by Saturday night of this week. There is no limit to the number of extra vote ballots good for 200,000 votes each that contestants can secure this week—one of the extra ballots will be given with each \$18 worth of business turned in.

THE EXTRA VOTE OFFER OUTLINED ABOVE RUNS THROUGH THIS WEEK ONLY. The extra vote offer, given to aid the contestants in getting started and will not be given again or extended.

Not Too Late.

New contestants should enroll now—at the outset of these two splendid offers. With the announcement of these extra votes and prize offers, The Standard's big prize contest really starts.

All extra regular prizes—the big \$2,500 passenger Studebaker, the Gray-Dock, the Ford, the Motor Star Contracts and the other regular awards will be won by VOTES. The 200,000 EXTRA vote ballots will undoubtedly play an important part in the winning of the free automobiles and other prizes.

REMEMBER: The \$18 EXTRA CLUB VOTE OFFER IS FOR THIS WEEK ONLY. It ends Saturday night, Feb. 5th, at eight o'clock.

AT THE IMPERIAL TODAY—"The River's End."

AT THE UNIQUE TODAY—"The Sins of Mothers."

AT THE QUEEN'S SQUARE TODAY—Olive Thomas in "The Spite Bride."

Two of the prizes to be given away in The Standard's big prize contest are opportunities to become stars in the Movies with the Universal Film Company.

Boycott of Connaught Failure in India

Ruling Princes Receive Royal Guest at Calcutta With Great Style and Ceremonies.

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WORLD NEWS TODAY

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United States.

The British Isles.

Europe.

Germany.

France.

Italy.

Spain.

Portugal.

Belgium.

Netherlands.

Denmark.

Sweden.

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Finland.

Poland.

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Romania.

Greece.

Turkey.

Syria.

Lebanon.

Jordan.

Iraq.

Persia.

Afghanistan.

India.

China.

MORE DEAD IN IRELAND FROM LORRY AMBUSH

Two Constables Have Succumbed to Injuries Received in Gun Battle.

BOMB IS HURLED IN DUBLIN SUBURB

Three Assaults in Second Fight Seen to Fall—Five Sinn Feiners Are Captured.

Belfast, Jan. 30.—One of the members of the ambush party which was surprised by military forces Friday at Coachtown, County Cork, died in a hospital here today of wounds received in the engagement.

It appears the party had tramped the road running from Cork to Macroom. The members of the party who escaped carried off and concealed their slightly wounded comrades but were obliged to abandon the five seriously wounded.

Wounded Man Dies.

Constable Clarke, who was wounded recently at Stranorlar, County Monaghan, when his comrades were killed, also died in a hospital today.

Surprising an ambush party at Coachtown County Cork, Friday, the military killed one civilian and captured ten members of the party, five of them wounded, according to a despatch dated Dublin, January 29. Arms ammunition and other equipment were abandoned. There were no casualties among the soldiers.

Ambush a Lorry.

Belfast, Jan. 30.—An officer and one man were seriously wounded and five others slightly when a lorry in which the officer and two men of other ranks were riding, was ambushed last night in the vicinity of Tureenure, a quiet residential district on the south side of Dublin. A bomb was exploded and shots were fired at the lorry to which the soldiers replied vigorously.

The original intention of the ambush was to capture the lorry and its driver. A police patrol was fired on near Virginia, County Cavan, last night. The police returned the fire and three of the attacking party were seen to fall. There were no police casualties.

Railway Brotherhood Decision Deferred

Motion for Judgment Heard in Action of C.B.R.E. vs. Dominion Trades Congress.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—Argument by counsel in a motion for judgment brought by the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees against the executive council of the Dominion Trades Congress to restrain that body from putting into effect a resolution of the charter granted to the brotherhood by the congress was heard by Justice Rose in the high court of the supreme court of Ontario on Saturday. His Lordship delivering his decision, the Brotherhood to secure an interim injunction against the Trades Congress executive, but by consent of both parties, on the suggestion of Mr. Justice Rose, it was decided to change it to a motion for judgment, it being conceded that the examination for discovery a week ago of President Tom Moore for the trades congress, and President A. R. Mosher for the Brotherhood, had disclosed all the evidence necessary for a trial of the action in full.

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DRAYTON SAYS KING CHANGES TARIFF VIEWS

Free Trader in the West But Protectionist When He Reaches W. Peterboro.

TARIFF MAINTAINS LIVING STANDARD

Income Tax Fairest in the World is Statement by Finance Minister.

Peterboro, Ont., Jan. 30.—At a meeting held here last night in the interests of R. Ippene, Government candidate in West Peterboro, Sir Henry Drayton, minister of finance, referred to the tariff policy of Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Liberal leader.

Sir Henry quoted from some of Mr. King's speeches in the House, in which immediate tariff reductions were demanded. It was not a question of submitting it to a general election, said Sir Henry. Mr. King wanted the Government to revise the tariff then and there.

King's Changeable Policy.

"Now Mr. King comes into West Peterboro and tells the people that, if the Liberals got into power tomorrow, they would not make a single change in the tariff without first consulting it to the people." Out on the prairie, Mr. King is one of the most marvellous free-traders and tariff-men you could find anywhere.

Here in Peterboro he supports Mr. G. N. Gordon, the Liberal candidate, who puts a tariff on everything but food stuffs.

Tariff and Living.

The tariff is a method of raising money and protection for our industries. Our rate of taxation is about \$16.50 per capita. In England with the trade, it is about \$15 per capita. One of the best things we can do nationally is to raise everybody's standard of life. At a recent hour of the tariff commission it was stated that the unit rate of labor on one article manufactured in Canada was 25 cents, and in Japan the unit rate of labor on the same article was six cents. This represents a big difference in the standard of living.

Income Tax Fair.

Sir Henry Drayton said there should be an honest endeavor to arrange business so as to eliminate seasonal depression. Answering the charge that the rich do not pay as high an income tax in proportion as the poor, he said that in the lower registers the Canadian income tax is less severe than in any country in the world, and in the higher registers it was higher than any other country. The meeting was also addressed by Major H. M. Mowatt, M.P., Toronto; H. H. Stevens, Vancouver, and the candidate, R. Denne.

Mayor Did Not Pay Dr. Cossley-Batt Bills

Confusion Over Lecture Settled by Statement That Commissioner of Industries Paid.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 30.—The hotel expenses of Dr. Cossley-Batt, lecturer and journalist, during her stay in Halifax were paid by W. H. MacCoy, K. C., commissioner of industries and immigration, in return for her lectures to the Overseas Club and the Commercial Club, and that she did not accept the cheque sent her by Mayor John S. Parker is the substance of an article published by the Evening Mail explanatory of a story recently published by that paper headed "Why Should the Mayor Have Paid the Bill?" and which "may have given a wrong impression."

Towing Disabled Ship To Azores Islands

Boston, Jan. 30.—Disablement at sea of the United States Shipping Board steamer Johnson City, due to loss of propeller, and her rescue by the board's steamer Neshebo, were announced in radiograms received here yesterday. The Neshebo sent word to her agents that she was towing the disabled vessel to the Azores. No position was given. The Johnson City was bound from Bristol, Eng., for Charleston; the Neshebo from Portland, Me., for Hamburg.

Sidlaw Range Is Calling For Help

Queenstown, Jan. 30.—A wireless message, asking assistance, was received here today from the British steamer Sidlaw Range, which left Leith January 23 for New York. The steamer's propeller blades, which have been carried off and she is drifting northwest of Scotland, off the Atlantic steamer route, the message says.

O'Callaghan Is Ordered To Quit United States

Washington, Jan. 30.—Donald O'Callaghan, Lord Mayor of Cork has been ordered by Secretary Wilson of the Labor Department, to leave the United States by February 11. He is now in the country as a seaman awaiting an opportunity to re-ship.

Parliament Building Nearing Completion

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—The new parliament building and for all practical purposes completed, with the exception of the entrance hall and a portion of the floor of honor and the tower, Hon. F. B. McCurdy, minister of public works, stated this evening. Construction of the tower, which was stopped when cold weather set in, will be resumed in the spring. It contains 100,000 cubic feet of concrete and is up to the height of the first story. Its present state will not in any way interfere with the use of the building.

THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

Campbellton Does Well At Quebec

Scores a Victory Over Victories by Four Points in Splendid Curling.

Quebec, Jan. 30.—Results of the curling in the Quebec tournament in which New Brunswick teams participated follow:

AFTERNOON GAMES (Holt Memorial Cup)
Campbellton No. 1 Victoria No. 16 14 skip
A. McLaughlin A. Colby
Victoria No. 17 Campbellton No. 2 11 skip
R. K. Shives
Campbellton No. 3 Victoria No. 18 Chatham, N. B. No. 1 9 skip
W. W. Smith R. W. Snowball
Campbellton No. 4 Victoria No. 17 11 skip
A. McLaughlin H. McGreary
Campbellton No. 5 Victoria No. 18 13 skip
Campbellton won by four points.

Stanley Veno Is At Chatham Home

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 30.—Stanley (Shorty) Veno, whom Montreal despatches last night and today report to have "mysteriously disappeared" from that city last Tuesday, is at home at Chatham.

There cannot have been much "mystery" as to Veno's whereabouts since last Tuesday, as on Wednesday night he played for Chatham against Fredericton and his presence in the game started protests and counter protests which A. A. U. of C. officials as well as the officers of the New Brunswick Hockey League now have before them.

Old Country Soccer Results

London, Jan. 30.—Results of second round games for the English Cup tie were yesterday as follows:

Brighton 0; Cardiff 0.
Bradford 0; Huddersfield 1.
Grimby 1; Southampton 2.
South End 1; Blackpool 0.
Newcastle 1; Liverpool 0.
Swindon 0; Chelsea 2.
Leeds 0; Fulham 0.
South Shields 0; Luton 4.
Swansea 1; Plymouth 1.
Barnley 4; Queens Park Rangers 2.
Derby 1; Wolverhampton 1.
Beverly 1; Sheffield Wednesday 1.
Crystal Palace 0; Hull 2.
Tottenham Hotspurs 4; Bradford City 0.
Notts County 0; Aston Villa 0.
Preston North End 4; Walsley 1.
League Games.

Results of league games played yesterday follow:

First Division.
Arenal 1; Sunderland 2.
Middlesbrough 0; West Brom A. 1.
Second Division.
Barnsley 2; Rotherham C. 1.
Bristol City 1; Leicester City 0.
Bury 1; Port Vale 0.
Gillingham 1; West Ham U. 2.
Third Division.
Loughborough 1; Bristol R. 0.
Millwall 1; Reading 0.
Northampton 1; Exeter City 1.
Newport C. 1; Northampton 1.

Local Bowling

WON LADIES' HOCKEY.

Moncton, N. B., Jan. 30.—The New Glasgow ladies' hockey team won from Moncton ladies here, Friday night in a fast hockey match. The score standing 4-2. The game was witnessed by 600 fans. They play Halifax on Monday.

A CLOSE GAME

In a close game in which neither team could score the advantage over the other, a squad, captained by Miss Fraser, won from that captained by Miss Floyd by the very close score of 5 to 4 in the Y. M. C. I. Girls' Hockey League game at the Institute last Saturday afternoon.

A TIE GAME

One Friday night at Windsor, Mount Allison, and Kings finished with a tie score, 5 to 5. There was very little combination work, but some good individual runs.

KILLED WHILE DESERTING.

North, Va., Jan. 29.—One of the crew of a vessel off Lambert's Point was killed and four others were severely injured last night during an attempt to desert, according to a dispatch received here.

ST. JOHN SKATER MADE GOOD AT MONTREAL RACES SATURDAY

Charles Gorman, Representing Commercial Club, Won Three Seconds and One Third—With Garnett Both Are Expected to Win Laurels at Placid and Saranac This Week.

Montreal, Jan. 30.—Russell E. Wheeler, of the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association, won the Canadian amateur speed skating championship here Saturday afternoon winning three firsts, for a total of ninety points. Charles Gorman, of St. John, N. B., who with a total of 70 points, had a chance to win the championship in the last race, the two mile event, in case Wheeler did not place, fell on the last lap and lost his opportunity. Another make-up on the last turn also put Wheeler out of the race and allowed Charles Jewrow, of Lake Placid to win the race and finished second in the championships with a total of 80 points.

Mike Goodman, of Winnipeg, and Charles Gorman, of St. John, N. B., were tied for third with a total of 70 points each.

The United States entries did their best work in the long distance events, their men taking all the places in other mile races and two out of three in the two mile and half mile events.

Charles Jewrow, of Lake Placid, was the pick of the United States entries winning the mile and two mile events. The points for the races were: R. L. Wheeler, 90; Chas. Jewrow, Lake Placid, 80; Mike Goodman, Winnipeg, and Charles Gorman, St. John, N. B., 70 each; Al Leitch, Lake Placid, 60; E. C. Stephens, Toronto, 50; Joe McCreary, New York, 20; Wm. Murphy, New York, 10; Bobby Heam, New York, 10; Valentine Bialas, Saranac Lake, 10.

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League Games.

Thistles Won From St. Andrews

First Inter-Club Match, Sixteen Rinks a Side Played Saturday—Score 259 to 221

The Thistle Curling Club won from St. Andrew's Saturday by a total score of 259 to 221 in the first of the 1921 inter-club series. Sixteen rinks a side competed and the games were played on the ice of both clubs. During the course of the day there were a few games with very close scores. Dr. Langsdorf, of the Thistles, and C. H. McDonald, of St. Andrew's, tied in the evening on St. Andrew's ice, with 18 scores each. Frank Watson, of Thistles, lost to J. Willard, of St. Andrew's, 19 to 18. A. G. Barnes, of Thistles, defeated K. Haley with score of 14 to 15. A few other competing rinks only had a couple of scores difference. The ice at both clubs was in pretty good condition. The scores by rinks follow:

AFTERNOON
On Thistle Ice

Thistles	St. Andrew's
A. W. Estey	W. H. Legend
T. A. Linton	J. C. Dudge
J. A. Sinclair	E. A. Smith
Jas. Mitchell	Dr. J. M. Magee
Skip	13 Skip
J. McArthur	R. Kipley
A. Stubbs	G. S. Fisher
R. M. Fowler	P. McAvhey
D. R. Whist	S. A. Jones
Skip	19 Skip
Dr. W. Langsdorf	Dr. G. McDonald
H. D. Sullivan	A. L. Melrose
H. H. McAlpine	C. H. Peters
S. W. Palmer	W. A. Lockhart
Skip	29 Skip
On St. Andrew's Ice	
R. C. Gilmour	J. Pritchard
W. E. Demings	H. H. McLeslie
R. B. Crawford	Rev. Dowling
A. J. Macdonald	W. A. Stewart
Skip	16 Skip
G. B. Rivers	Harry McBeth
A. B. McMillan	F. Goodspeed
E. P. Howard	B. Allen
G. B. Bishop	H. Simmons

Fast Hockey

At Digby, N. S.

St. John Team Defeated Team at Digby by Score of Eight to Two.

Fast hockey, full of pep, was provided for the Digby fans on Friday night when the St. John Hockey team played the Digby A. A. team. The St. John team in the presence of seven hundred fans and over a perfect sheet of ice defeated the Digby Sixette by the score of eight to two. The showing of the St. John boys in all periods was good. The players worked hard and the pace set by them must have completely puzzled the Nova Scotia boys. During the first twenty minutes the visitors sagged the net for four scores. The line-up is as follows:

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Dupuis. Goal. B. Demham
J. MacGowan. G. Syda
B. Mooney. Hayden
V. Boudreau. C. Appley
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P. Mooney. P. Appley
J. Gilbert. Snow
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Scored Second Victory in Second Half—Held Edge All Through Game.

Montreal, Jan. 30.—Scoring their second victory in the second half of the National Hockey League schedule, which started last Wednesday, Canadiens defeated St. Patrick's, of Toronto, Saturday night by four to two. Canadiens held a noticeable edge all through the game, assumed an early lead and added to it in the second twenty minutes. In the last session Canadiens cased up and St. Patrick's outscored the local team by a goal.

Moncton Team Is Coming Here

C.N.R. Team from Railway Town Will Play Alerts Next Saturday Night.

Another team from Moncton has made up its mind to swoop down on St. John in quest of basketball laurels. This time the quintette hails from the C. N. R., and is the team that has represented the great railway system in all Moncton's basketball games this winter. They are booked to play the Alerts of the City Basketball League in the Y. M. C. I. "Gym" next Saturday night.

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N. B. Skating Championships

Y.M.C.I. Has Received Sanction—Events on East End Rink February 9.

The New Brunswick Skating Championships will be held under the auspices of the Y.M.C.I. on February 9th, on the East End Improvement League's open air rink.

Fast Hockey Game Held At Hamilton

Hamilton and Ottawa Battled for Hour—Senators Won by Score of Two to One.

Hamilton, Ont., Jan. 30.—Hamilton and Ottawa battled at top speed for sixty minutes last night in the fastest hockey game that was ever witnessed here, the Senators coming out victorious by a score of 2 to 1, after being on the defensive the greater part of the last period. There was not a dull moment throughout the game, and the Tigers made a much better showing than they have in any previous affair on their home ice.

Scotland Wins From Canadians

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With The Boxers

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Hockey Match Saturday Was Hard Fought Battle With Score of Six to Five.

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There are at the present time in New Brunswick, an estimated 500 delegates to attend the convention which will be held at the Hotel on York street.

Some of the business of the convention will be the election of a president and four vice-presidents, the opening address on Tuesday, the election of a secretary and four committees, resolutions, order of business, and the election of a delegate to the national convention.

At a recent conference of United Farmers and their executive committee, which was held at Moncton, for their guidance in the present while this is going on, the official record of the convention will be placed before the delegates at this juncture.

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A PAGE OF NEWS ABOUT THE MARITIME

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Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, Jan. 30.—The annual convention of United Farmers of New Brunswick, which will open in Fredericton next Tuesday morning and continue for three days, promises to reveal the position which the United Farmers expect to take in the provincial legislature, which will be held in the session which opens within a few weeks. There are at the present time 147 branches with 10,000 United Farmers in New Brunswick and C. Gordon Sharpe, the secretary, says he expects that between 400 and 500 accredited delegates to attend the sessions, which will be held at the G. W. V. A. Hall on York street.

Some of the Business.

Thomas W. Caldwell, M. P. of East-Florenceville, president of the United Farmers of New Brunswick, will give the opening address on Tuesday morning. Four committees—credentials, resolutions, order of business and legislative—will be appointed and reports will be made by the directors and organizing directors which will give statistics as to the growth of the organization as a result of the efforts that have been put forth. The reports of the secretary, treasurer, auditor and other officers will be made that afternoon and the first resolutions will be brought in.

Others to Come.

The chief item on Tuesday evening programme will be addresses by the fraternal delegates. These it is announced, will include representatives of the Fishermen's organization in Charlotte county and the delegates of the Independent Labor Party with headquarters at Moncton, in connection with whom farmer labor candidates were offered in the last provincial election.

On Wednesday morning nominations for president, first and second vice-presidents and other official positions will be received and then the platform of the United Farmers in provincial matters will be taken up.

The Platform.

At a recent conference at which United Farmers and labor members met gathered at Moncton a platform for their guidance in the legislature was suggested; copies were afterwards sent to each of the branches of the United Farmers in New Brunswick for submission to their members and their views on the proposed platform will be placed before the convention at this juncture and the elected United Farmers members will be present while this is going on. Rural credits and the official organ are the subjects for discussion on Wednesday afternoon, and that evening R. W. Burnaby, president of the United Farmers of Ontario, president of the U. F. O. Cooperative company and also the president of the Canadian council of Agriculture, will address the convention.

Thursday morning the election of officers and directors will take place. Organizer, Irvine will be the principal speaker that afternoon and proportional representation is one of the subjects for discussion at the final session of the convention on Thursday evening.

Can Bootleggers Be Deported From Canada?

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 30.—Is a bootlegger on a pocket peddler an undesirable and liable to deportation from Canada? The question has arisen at Woodstock, N. B., and the immigration authorities at Ottawa have been asked to give a ruling on the matter. The individual in the case is said to have beaten up a deputy sheriff at Houlton, Maine, when that official went to his cellar to search for liquor.

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Houlton is only twelve miles from Woodstock and the hearing on the incident the man in question quickly transferred his location to the town on the Canadian side of the border. At Woodstock he was arrested by Sheriff Porter yesterday and when Dominion immigration officials sought to deport him he engaged a lawyer and now an international legal battle has been commenced. Ottawa has been asked for a deportation order and it is being held.

Calais Residence Burned To Ground

Home of Willis R. Dressler Destroyed in Early Morning Outbreak.

Special to The Standard.

St. Stephen, N. B., Jan. 30.—Fire and water completely destroyed the residence of Willis R. Dressler, Main street, Calais, at an early hour this morning. It was discovered about two o'clock and at that time was only an air but quickly spread by the time the firemen from Calais and St. Stephen arrived on the scene the fire was all through the house, making it necessary to put on several streams of water. The place will be an almost complete loss as well as most of the furniture. The loss is estimated at between \$4,000 and \$5,000, partly covered by insurance.

Fractured Shoulder On Honeymoon Trip

Mr. A. S. Demers of Newcastle Injured in Montreal While on His Wedding Tour.

Newcastle, Jan. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Demers have returned from their honeymoon trip to Upper Canada. Mr. Demers' many friends regret that he met with an accident in Montreal, resulting in a fractured shoulder.

Mr. William McKinnon, of Doaktown, was a visitor in town this week. Mrs. James Rundle, Messrs. Clyde and John Rundle, of Halifax, were in town this week attending the funeral of their uncle, the late John T. Rundle. Rev. L. H. MacLean has returned from a trip to Boston, Mass. Mr. Albert Dickson has returned to Perth, N. B., after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Dickson. Mrs. D. R. Hogan and children left this week for a two months' visit to friends in St. Louis, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Malthy are visiting friends in Boston and New York.

Mrs. Thomas Howard and children are visiting Mrs. Howard's mother, Mrs. Louise Lawlor this week. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Culligan have returned from their wedding tour and taken up housekeeping in the McQuarrie house, Station road. Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Toerr were visitors in town this week. Mr. and Mrs. J. Sterling Jardine left this week for Fredericton where they will reside. Mr. William Hall, of Fredericton, was a visitor in town this week the guest of his father, Mr. Michael Hall. Messrs. J. P. Whalen, Harry Messias and Wilfred McManus, Bathurst, were visitors in town this week. Fishery overseers E. J. Wilson, Derby Junction; Theodore Bell, Chatham; Henry Cassidy, Bathurst; L. J. Landry, Grand Anse; J. E. Fornier, Campbellton; Dagnas Daigle, Richibucto; Henry Drenon, Buckouche, and George Prescott, Bellefleur, were in Newcastle this week on business in connection with the Fisheries Department.

Mr. Louis Gilbert, for some years manager of M. Schacter's Department store, Blackville, has resigned and left this week for Montreal where he has secured another appointment.

York-Sunbury Convention In Fredericton On Feb. 12

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 30.—A meeting of the executive of the York-Sunbury Liberal Conservative Association was held yesterday afternoon at the office of C. D. Richards, M.L.A., the secretary at which arrangements were made for a party convention in preparation for the by-election which is expected will soon be held as a result of the death of the late Colonel Harry F. McLeod, M.P. The convention will be held at the York county court house in Fredericton on Saturday, Feb. 12th. John D. Palmer, president of the York-Sunbury Liberal Conservative Association, presided at the meeting and a committee were named to prepare a suitable resolution to be forwarded to Col. McLeod's family expressing condolence.

FREDERICTON RENTS STEADY

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 30.—It is generally conceded by property owners and their agents in Fredericton that the peak of rents has been reached. This does not mean that there will not still be increases in rents for there are many dwellings and other properties which have not yet reached their full rental value, but high rents are not likely to go higher. On the other hand, there is little prospect of a reduction in rents, except properties which are not very desirable. The demand for suitable houses of good class continues steady, but it is not so keen as a few months ago.

SHOT BY HIS SON

Oxford, N. S., Jan. 30.—Abner Mayne, of East Hanford, was accidentally shot yesterday afternoon by his twelve year old son while hunting rabbits in the woods near his home. Mayne received a bullet in the lower abdomen and is in a serious condition.

HUSBAND IN THE WOODS DOES NOT KNOW WIFE DEAD

Mrs. John McLean Dies at Fredericton With Husband in the Tobique Forest.

AGED PRINTER IS ILL AT FARRALINE

Fredericton to Issue \$125,000 Debentures to Secure Cash for Street Building.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 30.—Mrs. Rachel McLean, wife of John McLean of this city, died at an early hour this morning at her home, Charlotte street, in the forty-seventh year of her age. She had been ill for some time. The husband is in the Tobique lumber woods and does not yet know of his wife's death. Besides the husband, surviving relatives are two daughters, Ada and Mary, and an adopted son, Leo. Mrs. Vaughan, of Fredericton, is a sister.

George A. Barrett of this city, one of the oldest ex-members of the printing trade in Canada, is ill here, and as he is upwards of ninety years of age, the disease will be severe. Mr. Barrett, for long service for the Crown as printer of the Royal Gazette of New Brunswick, was awarded the Imperial Service Order a number of years ago. He is to be admitted to the Farraline Home.

Died aged 92 Years.

Mrs. Jane Haines, an aged and well-known resident of Fredericton, passed away tonight at the age of ninety-two years. John Haines, of this city, is a son.

Preparations are being made at City Hall for floating \$125,000 of five per cent. serial city debentures, the proceeds of which will be used for the carrying out of the home last week about Fredericton, which has been mapped out for this year in Fredericton. Bond houses have been asked to tender for the debentures.

Appointed Assistant Matron

Mrs. Charles Whittaker, of this city has been appointed assistant matron at the Farraline Home for Aged, and has taken up her duties with Mrs. Alonzo Barker, the matron. Only one room is occupied as yet, but by Tuesday it is expected that eight people will be in the home. At the public inspection of the home last week about 120 people called and were shown through the building and \$118 was donated in cash contributions besides about \$50 worth of pantry goods.

Allan B. Anderson Buried At Douglstown

Victim of Influenza, Who Died at Dorchester, Mass., Well Known at Newcastle.

Special to The Standard.

Newcastle, N. B., Jan. 30.—The death occurred at Dorchester, Mass., on January 11th of Allan Bruce Anderson, a native of Douglstown, N. B., after an illness of about six weeks as a result of influenza. He had resided at Dorchester for many years. He leaves his father, aged 94 years, at Douglstown, two sisters, Mrs. John Alexander, Douglstown, Mrs. Edwin Cook, Dorchester, Mass., three brothers, Rev. George S. K. Anderson, Somerville, Mass., John Brockton, Mass., and P. J. of San Francisco, Cal. The body was brought to his funeral home in Douglstown and the funeral took place from there. Rev. Alexander Firth, rector of St. Mark's Presbyterian Church, conducted the funeral services, assisted by the choir, which rendered preparation for the funeral, which rendered "Shall we gather at the river," and "Aloep in Jesus," two favorite hymns of the deceased. Interment took place in St. Mark's cemetery. Among the many beautiful floral offerings were the following: Wreaths, Women Workers, Highland Congregational Church, Somerville, Mass., Mrs. J. Carswell, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kaulbach, The George Lawley and Son Co., Sponson, Mass., Sprays, Miss Annie and Allan Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cook, Mrs. Maggie Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Willis McKenzie, Mrs. Lord, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Truesdale, The Misses Dan of Riverside, Miss Walker.

GAME WARDEN HOME.

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 30.—L. A. Gagnon, chief game warden, has returned from the United States, where he attended the National Convention of the American Game Protection and Propagation Association, Chief Game Commissioner Belleisle of Quebec was the only other Canadian official in attendance.

FINE RESIDENCE BURNED.

Oxford, N. S., Jan. 30.—Fire destroyed the residence of Kenneth Macdonald at Riverside, Balfour. The house was built fifty years ago and was one of the finest of the vicinity. With the help of neighbors the greater part of the furnishings were saved, but the loss, only partially covered by insurance, will be heavy.

Fellowship To Honor Dalhousie Professor

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 30.—Formation of Dalhousie of a Fellowship in Physics in memory of Dr. James Gordon MacGregor, professor of Physics at Dalhousie from 1874 to 1900, and Professor of National Philosophy at Edinburgh University from 1901 until his death in 1910, by New Glasgow relatives of the late professor, was announced at a meeting yesterday of the executive of the Dalhousie board of governors.

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Yesterday morning, at Trinity Church, V. N. Purdy, B. D., spoke on the Maritime Home for Girls at Truro, telling of the splendid work accomplished and appealing to the congregation for support.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FOR YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1920.

Montreal, Jan. 25, 1921. The Honorable the Premier of the Province of New Brunswick, Fredericton, N. B.

Sir,—In accordance with your instructions we have examined the books and accounts recording the financial transactions of the government of the province of New Brunswick for the fiscal year ending Oct. 31, 1920, and certify that, in our opinion, the attached balance sheet exhibits a correct view of the financial position of the province as at Oct. 31, 1920, according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the province.

The additions made during the year

REVENUE.	
Annual subsidy	\$ 281,511.30
Allowance for government etc.	100,000.00
Allowance for export duty	150,000.00
Interest at 5 p. c. on deposit (\$529,399.39)	26,464.96
Territorial revenue:	
Stampage	\$1,292,843.15
Royalties	27,717.69
Wild land tax	55,590.12
Forest fee tax	31,527.26
Timber licenses	28,986.50
Game licenses, fines, etc.	58,867.61
Mining licenses	5,039.90
Miscellaneous	9,878.93
Fees, provincial secretary:	
Marriage licenses	\$ 11,704.00
Letters patent	11,395.00
Moving pictures	7,541.52
Commissions	563.75
Taxes, incorporated companies:	
Banks	\$ 24,992.97
Trust and loan companies	1,775.00
Fire insurance companies	41,992.56
Life insurance companies	38,651.06
Accident and guarantee companies	4,825.94
Express companies	2,170.00
Telephone companies	1,902.13
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Street railways, etc.	2,573.34
Extra provincial corporations	26,328.18
Taxes, amusement admission:	
Railway companies	\$ 72,248.70
Motor vehicle fees	57,197.90
Boys' Industrial Home	198,111.76
Prohibition referendum	12,071.35
Factory inspections	15,938.99
Jordan Memorial Hospital	1,266.50
Printing, King's printer	14,222.33
Private and local bills	3,175.77
Probate court fund	4,240.00
Suspense court fund	20,891.95
Provincial Hospital	2,154.23
Provincial prohibition	58,291.41
Public health	59,631.31
Railway earnings (Southampton Railway)	15,161.73
Reversing Falls bridge, rent	1,812.96
School books	3,000.00
Succession duties	19,544.14
Miscellaneous receipts:	90,540.13
Public works	\$ 45,619.11
Education	459.15
Education	2,711.75
Miscellaneous	101.05
\$ 3,100,548.52	

Surplus on current revenue account for the year ending Oct. 31, 1920, before charging interest on bonds and other indebtedness of the St. John & Quebec Railway, less province's share of net railway earnings

Deficit on current account for the year ending Oct. 31, 1920

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE, CURRENT ACCOUNT, YEAR ENDED OCTOBER 31, 1920

RECEIPTS.

Departmental cash receipts \$3,100,548.52
St. John & Quebec Railway earnings to September, 1919 24,873.05
N. B. settlement lands 1,706.90
Crown lands sold 10,910.64

Agriculture, Dominion subsidy 12,616.64
Classification crown lands 40,971.47
Canadian patriotic fund 4,971.54
Contractors deposits 40,567.50
Farm Settlement Board fund 45,897.45
Housing fund repayments 6,594.87
N. B. Power trackage rights, St. John 1,580.90
Deposit, damage to Morrissey bridge (Trust) 1,090.00
Private and local bills 4,240.00
Supreme court deposits 8,440.45
Temporary deposits 14,960.71
Official committee property lunatics 2,458.99
Municipal road tax 52,538.46
Advances to capital account, 1919, refunded 759,830.65
Balance (bank overdrafts) 1,500,925.51

EXPENDITURE.

Balance 31st October, 1919 \$1,058,494.43
Departmental cash expenditure 2,969,223.24
St. John & Quebec Railway interest 179,166.10
Classification crown lands 840,971.47
Advances for classification 28,088.96

Agriculture, Dominion subsidy 68,160.43
61,294.15
Canadian patriotic fund 30,610.75
Municipal road tax 74,295.70
Contractors deposit refunded 17,836.85
Farm settlement board fund 7,412.60
Probate court deposits refunded 995.22
Supreme court deposits refunded 4,165.17
Temporary deposits 12,635.97
Official committee property lunatics 4,819.74
Crown lands sales, invested in sinking fund 1,778.76
Loan to Farmers Co-operative Dairy, Ltd. 5,000.00
Loans to sub-district boards of health 10,222.06
Railway Passengers Assurance Co., deposit withdrawn 10,000.00
Independent Order Foresters, deposit withdrawn 20,000.00
St. John & Quebec Railway Co., on account Earnings to 31st October, 1919, see contra 34,572.93
Discount on \$2,282,000 5 1/2 per cent. bonds, 888,769.80 79,852.52
Loss 1 1/2 to interest 62,242.00
Discount on \$1,150,000 6 per cent. bonds, 669,167.80 6,594.87
Housing loan repayments, invested in sinking fund 1,024,996.29
Advances to capital account 55,740,448.42

Labor Will Make Tax For Legislation Bills

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 30.—A per capita tax to meet the cost of introducing legislation in the provincial legislature was decided upon at the closing session of the Independent Labor Party Convention. Steps were also taken

to affiliate all the labor locals throughout the province with the central organization. The question of a provincial labor press was deferred until the annual meeting in April.

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spect of interest accrued during the year on the balance of cash retained by the trustees for the bondholders of the St. John & Quebec Railway, which balance, we understand, may be subject to adjustment when a final settlement with the trustees is effected.

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Administration of justice \$ 29,534.77
Agriculture 53,242.76
Audit and control department 6,900.00
Annuities 2,943.34
Amusement tax expense 6,892.87
Boys' Industrial Home 24,243.04
Appeal New Brunswick Power Company 5,000.00
Campbellton relief 793.08
Colonization roads 8,094.45
Children's Protection Act 2,116.40
2,980.05
Workmen's compensation paid 39,955.05
Contingencies 14,100.00
Executive government 65,796.95
Education 318,697.02
Education—Vocational 25,885.21
Elections 19,244.38
Factory inspection 3,083.97
Forest service 175,247.41
Guarantee home government officials 719.55
Government officials, special grant 10,700.65
Immigration 9,081.70
Imperial press conference 5,000.00
Jordan Memorial Hospital 19,789.33
Legislative assembly 32,627.47
Labor bureau 590.47
Motor vehicle fund 1,527.91

Administration \$ 16,349.97
Interest on bonds 57,590.00
Bond redemption 16,000.00
Sinking fund (permanent roads) 53,020.00

Moving picture censors 2,100.00
Mining 998.00
New Brunswick Historical Society 125.00
Natural history societies 1,125.00
Probate fee fund 12,719.00
Printing 27,626.31
Provincial prohibition 59,346.51
Prohibition referendum 37,550.00
Pensions, school teachers 10,861.25
Provincial hospital 172,432.74

Public health: Salaries and expenses \$ 37,479.36
Hospitals 10,600.00 48,079.36

Public works: Roads, ordinary \$325,329.14
Bridges, ordinary 317,441.56
Public buildings 90,415.25
Other public works 68,624.72

Provincial committee, military hospital, commission 1,941.00
Revisors 4,808.81
School books 34,457.77
Surveyors, crown lands 10,992.54
Sinking funds 37,550.00
Tourist Associations 3,022.47
Tuberculosis hospitals 3,220.80
Unforeseen expenses 9,215.00
Uniforms of legislators 1,778.76
Wild lands tax expense 317.47
Water powers investigation 2,068.72

Interest other than interest payable in connection with the St. John & Quebec Railway: Bank, etc. 77,602.50
On bonds 534,011.47
On bonds guaranteed by province 6,600.00
On trust funds 1,778.76
On loans under Housing Act 27,928.06 648,040.81

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Municipal road tax 74,295.70
Contractors deposit refunded 17,836.85
Farm settlement board fund 7,412.60
Probate court deposits refunded 995.22
Supreme court deposits refunded 4,165.17
Temporary deposits 12,635.97
Official committee property lunatics 4,819.74
Crown lands sales, invested in sinking fund 1,778.76
Loan to Farmers Co-operative Dairy, Ltd. 5,000.00
Loans to sub-district boards of health 10,222.06
Railway Passengers Assurance Co., deposit withdrawn 10,000.00
Independent Order Foresters, deposit withdrawn 20,000.00
St. John & Quebec Railway Co., on account Earnings to 31st October, 1919, see contra 34,572.93
Discount on \$2,282,000 5 1/2 per cent. bonds, 888,769.80 79,852.52
Loss 1 1/2 to interest 62,242.00
Discount on \$1,150,000 6 per cent. bonds, 669,167.80 6,594.87
Housing loan repayments, invested in sinking fund 1,024,996.29
Advances to capital account 55,740,448.42

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GOVERNMENT ADMITS DEFICIT OF \$156,000

But for having to provide the money to defray the expenses of the civil government of the province, and also for the repair of the roads and bridges, Premier Foster and his friends would have had a surplus of \$2,100,000.

But for lack of courage to curb Mr. Veniot's extravagance, Dr. Robert's follies, Mr. Magoe's Vocational Training fund, and a few more altogether unnecessary expenditures, Premier Foster might have had a legitimate surplus of \$250,000 at least.

As it is, the annual statement of the finances shows, to quote the exact phrase used—"deficit on current account, \$156,000.31."

The attempt to show a surplus but for the expenditure on account of the St. John and Quebec Railway, is the heaviest fake imaginable. It is so utterly childish that one can only marvel that any reasonable mind ever contemplated making use of it.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE
Having raised the stampage since they came into office from \$1.50 to \$5; having created and imposed the Wild Land Tax and the Forest Fire Tax; having almost doubled the fees from moving pictures, and from all incorporated companies doing business in the province; having doubled the succession duties; having put on the amusement tax; having had the benefit of a ten fold increase in fees from motor vehicles; having made a legitimate profit (irrespective of campaign funds) from prohibition; and having taxed every other conceivable source of income that the ingenuity of the ex-Food Controller could suggest, the Foster Government has found itself in the enjoyment of a revenue greatly in excess of anything heretofore experienced in this province.

One of the apologists for the Government's action in not including the St. John and Quebec accounts in the ordinary account declares that "if such a budget, amounting to a quarter of a million dollars charge per annum (which is the result of the unfortunate policy of the late government) must be a charge upon the ordinary provincial receipts, then some special form of taxation must be imposed upon the people generally to meet such a serious obligation."

The Government estimated that the expenditure on Motor Vehicles Account would come to \$185,000. They must have known beforehand almost to a dollar what would be wanted, because almost the whole amount required is made up of fixed charges. Yet they only debit themselves with \$12,900. What item have they covered up or otherwise camouflaged? Here is a discrepancy of \$22,000, which saves the deficiency that much at least. Forest service cost \$30,000 more than was anticipated.

ECONOMY WANTED

The Globe which usually endorses everything that the Foster Government says and does, be it good, bad or indifferent, is evidently viewing with some alarm the prospect of a heavy falling off in the revenue for the current year, which will involve "drastic cuts in the public expenditures or the 'impost of new taxes if revenue and expenditure are to balance.'"

There are not many new sources of taxation left open to the government; about all these were to be found, short of a direct income tax, have been seized upon and are now paying almost to the limit. And the people won't stand another income tax. We all have been painfully reminded recently that we are already paying two income taxes, one to the Dominion Government, and one to the city, and the public is in no mood to pay a third one to the Provincial Government.

The three Government organs in this city have each seized upon the St. John and Quebec Railway as the scapegoat to bear the onus of a financial deficit, and they each condemn the late Government for constructing the road. Yet a road down the St. John Valley never had a more earnest or enthusiastic advocate than the Hon. William Pugsley.

WHAT OTHERS SAY
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Sub-Editor—"A correspondent wishes to know why they whitewash the inside of a henhouse."
Editor—"Told him it's to keep the hens from picking the green out of the wood."—Boston Transcript.

Benny's Note Book
BY LEE PAPE

Saturday afternoon my cousin Artie came around and me and him was arguing about what to do to have the most fun and ma came in saying, Boys, I'm going to take you to a concert this afternoon, Mrs. Hews' just stopped and left 3 tickets and there's no use wasting them.

Wares the curtain, how are they going to be funny without a curtain? sed Artie. With just then some lady in white came out with a violin and started to play it with a sick expression, and after a while sed, Aw heck, wait funny about her, and Artie sed, She ain't funny, she's jest funny looking.

Stands on Four Legs Anyway.
The class was all attention.
"Now, Johnny Smith, what is a quadruped?" asked the teacher.
"A quadruped is anything with four legs."
"Yes, now give me an example."
"An elephant."
"Now, can you tell me of any feathered quadruped?"
"Yes, sir, A feather bed."

WAR SECRET OUT
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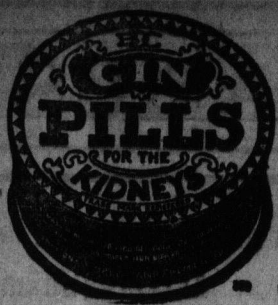
London, Jan. 29.—Winston Spender Churchill, secretary for war, will inherit the estate of Lord Herbert Vane Tempest, his cousin, who died from injuries received in a railroad collision near Abermule, Wales, Jan. 26, according to the Daily Mail.

CAPTAIN'S KIND HEART SAVED DOG

New York, Jan. 30.—A small black and white dog, voyaging the tides of the Hudson on an ice cake early today, delayed a Post Lee ferryboat for half an hour. The kindhearted captain judged his boat afloat in the ice floes until a sympathetic quartermaster could effect the rescue. Passengers crowded to the rails and as the quartermaster leaped from a ladder to grab the little dog, another cake of ice bumped the ladder and immersed the rescuer. He had a grip on the dog, however, and both were pulled in with a boat hook. Not a passenger complained at the delay.

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(Copyright, 1921, by Public Ledger.) Berlin, Jan. 30.—Cannons, rifles, ammunition and other war material to the value of 40,000,000 marks, captured by the Germans in the war from the Belgians, Russians and Japanese, were turned over yesterday by the inter-Allied commission to a German iron plant where they will be melted and converted into articles of trade. News of a selection of a German plant, the German Burgher Iron Works, in spite of keen foreign competition, was received with elation in industrial circles as Germany is badly in need of scrap iron which it cannot purchase in sufficient amounts in foreign countries on account of the depreciated value of the mark.

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City Assessment Has Been Reduced

Citizens Will be Asked for \$123,000 Less Than They Were Last Year.

On the basis of last year's valuation the tax bills received by the citizens this year should be quite a bit less than they were last year as the amount to be assessed for, despite the increase in the county assessment, is over \$124,000 less than it was for 1920, and this should mean a cut of at least twenty cents per hundred in the rate.

New Source of Revenue. It is understood the assessors have discovered some new sources of taxation on real estate, without in any way increasing the valuation now placed on that class of taxable property, will bring in a considerable amount of revenue and this should still further decrease the rate which will be struck this year.

Last year the amount asked for by the county from the city taxpayers was \$14,337.56, and the amount is increased this year by nearly \$45,000, the warrant handed to the board of assessors by the county secretary calling for \$59,004.36, or \$44,666.64 more than was asked for in 1920.

City Pruned Well. The City Council used the pruning knife to good effect and succeeded in reducing their requirements very materially. Last year the total payment by the Council was \$1,229,143.23, while this year's total is \$1,130,239.39, or \$168,242.21 less. From this amount must be deducted the amount of the increase in the county warrant, \$44,666.64.

The total warrant last year including the county was \$1,815,545.90, and this year it is \$1,859,702.99, a net decrease of \$124,242.21.

IN THE EDITOR'S MAIL

To the Editor of The Standard, Dear Sir.—Three points that have emerged through the recent discussion of Vocational Education in St. John are of more than local interest and affect the movement throughout the whole province. I would appreciate the privilege of making a brief statement regarding each, through your paper.

First, it has been alleged "that practically any one who so desires may claim to be a Vocational teacher." This is decidedly not the case. The teacher must have a thorough knowledge of the practice and theory of the subject, and in addition should have a knowledge of the art of teaching. At the beginning of the work in New Brunswick, as in other places, it is necessary to select expert workers from the various vocations and give them temporary permits to teach till they have time and opportunity to fully meet the professional qualification necessary for a permanent license. Nova Scotia and Ontario have been working this field for ten years and are still issuing temporary permits.

The policy of the New Brunswick Vocational Education Board, with reference to the important matter of teacher training, is to carry on a summer school each year for the professional improvement of the teacher; to offer evening professional courses in the larger communities; and to pay the travelling expenses and tuition of approved persons wishing to take advanced courses at standard training institutions outside the province with a view of becoming vocational teachers in New Brunswick. Already several are taking advantage of this offer, and 80 were in attendance at the 1920 summer school.

New Brunswick has agreed to join with the other provinces in establishing a central institution for training vocational teachers in Canada. It is hoped to have this school in operation next year. It will be located in Ontario or Quebec.

By the above means the Vocational Board will soon have a permanent force of thoroughly equipped teachers to man the day and evening vocational schools. Meanwhile, we are compelled to employ those who possess practical efficiency and who are willing to improve their professional skill as opportunity offers. But every teacher must be approved. Second—as to qualification of students. It has been said that all and sundry are accepted in an effort to get "anyone at all to fill up the classes."

The law says anyone may attend Evening Vocational classes who has reached the age of 16, and who is to profit by the instruction given. At present there is a waiting list in St. John city of over 300 applicants. At the time of registration each student is interviewed. A careful record is made of his educational history and experience. His aptitudes and opportunities are studied and every effort made to place him in a class that will be of real help to him in his vocation.

As the outset there are great difficulties. Those possessing no training appreciate the value of training most. Those in the greatest need are the slowest to join the classes. But the only solution is to begin with those who present themselves and expand the movement from this starting point till it embraces the elements of the community.

Third, Great confusion seems to exist in the public mind as to the constitution of "local vocational committees" charged with the administration of the work. In this connection, the N. B. Act is patently after the Ontario and the Western Provinces. The School Board appoints and controls the Vocational Committee, which is made up as follows: Four members from the School Board, and three others who represent labor, employers, and homemakers, respectively. The chairman and secretary of the School Board, hold by law the same offices in relation to the Vocational Committee, and the budget of the latter must be approved by the School Board in every case. Vocational training is, therefore, an integral part of our school system just as it is in Ontario and Saskatchewan.

Thanking you for your valuable space, I am,
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OBITUARY.

Harry Taylor.
The death of Harry Taylor took place yesterday morning in the General Public Hospital after an illness of three weeks following an operation. He was forty-two years of age, and was a native of England. He came to St. John eight years ago and had made many friends here, who will regret to hear of his death. He was the proprietor of the St. John Bakery, 19 Hammond street, and was one of the founders and charter members of the New Brunswick Lodge, Sons of England. Besides his wife, he leaves four sons, John, Albert, Arthur and Harry, and four daughters, Alice, Florence, Helen and Elizabeth, all of this city. A brother, Alfred of this city, also survives, besides several brothers and sisters in England. The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon from his late residence, 19 Hammond street.

James Howard McMaskin
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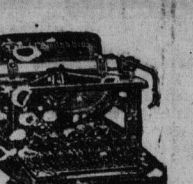
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ASSESSMENTS

Points Out Place Church Is Weak

Lack of Good Fellowship is Vital Error Declares the Rev. Dr. Hill.

"The weakness of the church is the lack of good fellowship." "The realization of fraternity will lead to a better world. We must make the interpretation of the teachings of Jesus dominant in social, economic and national life." It was with statements like these that Rev. A. M. Hill, Ph.D., Maritime Secretary of the Brotherhood Movement, brought his subject before the congregation of St. Andrew's church last evening. Dr. Hill preached a forceful sermon, giving many startling illustrations to emphasize his points.

Nations in Movement
There are twenty-two nations participating in the Brotherhood Movement. Men will say there are brotherhoods founded upon human systems but no secret society will exist for one year if the Word of God is taken from the locker room. A Socialist once spoke before a large meeting in Chicago, saying that the Golden Rule was all wrong. His words were contradicted, and to the satisfaction of a large audience it was proved that Socialism is founded upon sacrifice, and its only hope is in the Gospel of the lowly carpenter of Nazareth. Dr. Hill told of an instance when a brotherhood of 100 Toronto men gave practical help to one of their number. Earl Gray has pointed out that "church on Sunday and self on Monday" is not a doctrine which would save the world. It is when "each for all and Christ the Master" is the motto that problems will be solved.

Way to Brotherhood
The way to brotherhood is obedience to God—the bearing of one another's burdens and the teaching of the Brotherhood of God.

Dr. Hill asked why the churches should lack the spirit of good fellowship which is shown in Rotary Clubs, Canadian Clubs and Fraternities. He appealed to St. Andrew's church to form a brotherhood and link up with other Christian churches from Halifax to Vancouver.

The music included a well rendered solo, "Evening Prayer," by Harry Shaw.

WEDDINGS.

Carey-Stephens
In accordance with the Syrian custom, the celebration of the marriage ceremony, which occurred on Saturday morning, when Miss Fema, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carey, 18 Brunswick street, and Thomas Stephens, 257 Brunswick street, were united in marriage at the Cathedral by Rev. Father Drake, was continued until an early hour this morning. Previous to the wedding festivity had resided at the home of the bride for several days, and on Thursday evening her girl friends gave her a shower. Over 300 people were present last night at the Syrian Hall, 238 Brunswick street. Among them were a large number of out-of-town guests, including Rev. F. Lewis, Sydney; Samuel Nicholas, Anthony Amos, Miss Amelia Noah and Miss Emma Noah, of Yarmouth; Geo. Thompson, Thomas Thompson and Miss Thompson, Peter Dwyer, Abraham Street and Dominic Stevens, Fredericton, and Mrs. Fatoche, Sydney.

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REID—At Upham, on January 29, to Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Reid, a daughter.

DIED.

NOWLAN—Died in Minneapolis, U. S., on the 27th inst., Oscar L. Nowlan, formerly a resident of this city.

KNAFMAN—At her home, Public Landing, N. B., Eliza A., wife of David E. Knafman, aged 68 years, leaving one sister, Mrs. J. Simmet, Cairns, Me., three daughters, two sons and two grandchildren in mourning. Notice of funeral later.

McMACKIN—On Sunday, January 30, at his late residence, 29 High street, James Howard McMackin in the 77th year of his age. Funeral Wednesday at 2.30.

TAYLOR—At the General Public Hospital on January 29, 1921, Harry Taylor, of St. John Bakery, leaving besides his wife, four sons and four daughters to mourn. Funeral from his late residence, 19 Hammond street, this Monday afternoon.

McLENNAN—At General Public Hospital on January 31, George Arthur McLennan, leaving father and one brother to mourn.

HUN THINKS TERMS HARD

Berlin, Jan. 30.—The Treaty of Versailles deprives us of our sovereignty in military matters; we consider that equivalent to the imposition of an effective law and are under the belief that such restriction can be of short duration, said Herr Gessler, Minister of Defence, during the course of a debate in the Reichstag yesterday on the military budget. The minister said Germany would welcome world-wide disarmament.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR GIRL

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

Every man is a "Narcissus" when he is looking into a pretty woman's eyes.

If a blonde had only two more hours to live, she would spend one hour and fifty-nine minutes in doing her hair.

Half the world is asking, "What do you get out of marriage?"—and the other half, "How do you get out of it?"

A man is never quite as brilliant as a woman thinks he is, before marriage, nor quite as stupid as she thinks he is, after marriage.

There is something about a nice new check-book that always gives a woman a self-important feeling—even when she has just overdrawn her balance at the bank.

Ever offered Adam the apple—and, ever since, woman's punishment has been to have to supply a man with food, and then to suffer the consequences when it disagrees with him.

Snob. One who would rather be run over by the Vanderbilt's touring car, than to be seen riding in the O'Hooligan's flivver.

When sickness makes a girl pale, nowadays, it is because she is too sick to hit a lipstick.

A married man is always buster than a bachelor, because he has to spend half his time in explaining the things which he spends the other half in thinking up excuses for doing.

Things that can be stretched awfully far without breaking: The truth, the law—and a woman's forgiveness.

City Basketball Games Saturday

Y.M.C.A. Seniors Defeated Trojans by Score 44 to 37—Fairville Girls Win.

An exceptionally good series of games was staged in the City Basketball League last Saturday night before a large crowd that packed the Y.M.C.A. The Y.M.C.A. Seniors and the Trojans supplied the most exciting match of the evening. It was won by the Seniors by a score of 44 to 37 after two periods of hard, fast playing.

A game played between the Fairville Baptist Girls and the Y.M.C.A. Senior Girls went to the former by a score of 14 to 6.

The Y. M. C. A. Business Boys defeated the St. David's squad by a score of 28 to 9.

Senior Contest.
The Senior contest was described by many as the best game of the season, and the fastest and most evenly contested one that has been played here in years.

C. R. Mercereau refereed in his usual capable manner. The line-up follows:

Y.M.C.A. Seniors	Trojans
Smith	Forward
Willet	Centre
Evans	Malcolm
Nixon	Defence
Marshall	Kerr
	MacGowan
	Spare

The Girls' game was a very evenly matched contest in the first period, both sides checking and covering well. The half ended with the score 4 to 4.

In the second half the Baptists set a pace that proved too much for their opponents. After piling up a considerable lead, they took the game with a score of 14 to 5. Sandy Christie refereed.

The line-up of the two teams follows: Fairville Girls Y.M.C.A. Girls

Miss Simms	Miss Flood
Miss Stevens	Miss McCrossin
Centre	
Miss Fowler	Miss G. Cronin
Defence	
Miss Pinley	Miss Costley
Miss Cheeseman	Miss Floyd
Spare	
Miss Howard	Miss M. Cronin

In the intermediate game the Y.M.C.A. boys proved themselves decidedly superior to the St. David's team, and won in an easy manner by a score of 23 to 9. W. E. Sterling, referee.

Y.M.C.A. Intermediate's St. David's

Lozan	MacGowan
Peterson	Pearman
Centre	
Strain	Nelson
Defence	
Allison	Sterling
Walsh	Griffiths
Spare	
Sterling	

READY FOR NEXT WAR.
Constantinople, Jan. 30.—Secret instructions regarding the "next Russian Bolshevik offensive" have been given army leaders by Leon Trotsky, Soviet minister of war, at a conference just concluded at Moscow. It is asserted the Bolsheviks have fifty-two divisions of infantry and twenty divisions of cavalry along the Polish and Rumanian front.

FRENCH ARE DELIGHTED
Paris, Jan. 30.—Satisfaction with the decisions arrived at yesterday by the supreme council regarding German reparations was expressed unanimously by newspapermen here today. Many journals pressed Premier Briand for the measure in which he conducted the interests of France during the sessions of the council.

Provincial Chapter I.O.D.E. Annual

Celebrating 21st Anniversary—Afternoon and Evening Sessions.

Today's meeting of the Provincial Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, is of special interest, in that the Order is celebrating its twenty-first anniversary. Afternoon and evening sessions are to be held at the Gernall street Institute, and it is expected that a number of members from the province will attend, ten coming from Fredericton.

There are chapters in Fredericton, Rothesay, Woodstock, Port Elgin, Moncton, St. Andrews, Newcastle, Chatham, Sackville, Dorchester.

A history of the Order in the province will be one of the items on the programme and there are several matters of important business to be discussed. Mrs. Robert FitzRandolph, provincial president, will preside.

The visitors will be entertained at tea at the Clifton House.

Sensational Attempt To Arrest Bergdoll

United States' Officers Try to Get Millionaire Draft Evader in Berlin.

(Copyright, 1921, by Public Ledger.)
Berlin Jan. 30.—Grover Cleveland Tyler, a United States naval medical officer, was shot and instantly killed tonight by a sentry at the naval operating base when, it is alleged, he disregarded an order to halt.

He was set upon by an American sergeant and a detective, assisted by four unknown men, who had come by automobile from Speyer in occupied territory to capture the two fugitives and carry them across the Rhine. As the motor containing the Americans approached the one in which Bergdoll was sitting in front of the station, an armed man, who was seen to be a sentry, started his motor.

According to one report, Bergdoll thrust aside the detective's revolver and shot away amidst a fusillade of shots, one of which wounded a member of his party. His would-be captors immediately were attacked by a large crowd that gathered and prevented them from making a pursuit.

Mr. W. M. Northrup presided and announced the programme and at the door Mr. William Izard looked after the financial part. After the concert refreshments were served to the performers and several friends and a pleasant social time enjoyed. Miss Anne Delahunt was being extended.

Almost every number on the programme was encored and the proceeds which are for repairs on the buildings very satisfactory.

On Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Frink entertained at a bridge of five tables, the players being Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schofield, Dr. and Mrs. Day, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tilly, Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Royden Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Armstrong, Mr. Jack Fairweather, Mr. and Mrs. Frank.

The Community Club enjoyed a programme of moving pictures and music last week. Tonight Mrs. George F. Matthew of St. John, is to lecture and Miss Knight of St. John will sing.

Rothesay members of the Eclectic Club were in St. John last night attending the meeting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Powell, Queen Square.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McAllister of Fair Vale are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl on Wednesday.

Dinner guests of General H. H. McLean on Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Armstrong, Dr. and Mrs. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Robinson.

At the tea hour on Tuesday, Mrs. Blanchet entertained very pleasantly by Mrs. H. W. Schofield, Mrs. Carr, Mrs. Beverly Armstrong, Miss Stoddard, Miss Trueman, Mrs. W. E. Miles, Mrs. Hannell, Miss Purdy, Mrs. O. E. Peters, Mrs. Percy Fairweather and others.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Armstrong, entertained the Tuesday night bridge club last week.

The death of Mr. James P. Robertson was keenly felt in Rothesay, where for many years he has been a valued resident and interested friend to the community.

The Reading Club met on Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scott as collectors.

The pantry sale held last Friday afternoon by St. Paul's Branch Woman's Auxiliary was a very successful one. The proceeds which amounted to \$70 were given to the China Families Fund.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morton at Rothesay last week were Mrs. F. E. Holman, Mrs. A. F. Robinson on Tuesday, Mrs. George Dishart and her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Colwell on Wednesday. All of St. John, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Mortimer are enjoying a visit to Montreal.

The Misses Gilbert are for the present at the home of their brother, Mr. Henry Gilbert and Mrs. Gilbert.

That Mr. Isaac Dobbin is improving in health after a severe attack

"Just Because"

You have never used "Salada" is no reason why you should not enjoy its goodness the same as millions of other folks are doing.



Is truly a revelation in "Tea Goodness" TRY-IT-TO-DAY—Sealed Packets only

INCREASE CANADIAN PREFERENCE

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—The new tariff of the United States which gives Canada a preference of only 33.3 per cent. is to be amended increasing the Canadian preference to 50 per cent. according to information reaching the Department of Trade and Commerce.

DENY ELECTION RUMORS

London, Jan. 30.—Members of the Prime Minister's official family in Downing street today ridiculed a report that Mr. Lloyd George and warned the party whips to prepare for a general election in June.

SENTRY SHOT OFFICER.

New York, Jan. 30.—Lieutenant Tyler, a United States naval medical officer, was shot and instantly killed tonight by a sentry at the naval operating base when, it is alleged, he disregarded an order to halt.

Welcome the return to better baking by using better flour



More Bread and Better Bread Better Pastry

IMPERIAL

Heroism of the Canadian Northwest Mounted Police a Background for One of the Quickest Love Stories Ever Told.

Today and Tuesday! MARSHALL NEILAN PRESENTS

"THE RIVER'S END"

JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD

John Keith was impersonating Derwent Conniston. He had rehearsed thoroughly every detail of the English officer's life, but had not been warned that Conniston had a sister. And so, when he found her a slim, wonderfully pretty little thing who called him brother, he felt within him the impact of conflicting emotions, of contradictory impulses. He loved her instantly; he wanted to tell her the truth, yet he knew that if he did so, he a fugitive from justice, would be hanged. This is only part of the tale, by James Oliver Curwood.

Not a Wild West Story. It's a Classic! BURTON HOLMES AND TOPICS OF THE DAY —NO ADVANCE IN PRICES!

Queen Square Theatre

TODAY AND TUESDAY OLIVE THOMAS IN "THE SPITE BRIDE"

It's simply a knockout—the best thing the screen has seen in many moons. It has snap, dash and zest; a human picture of human people presented in a human way.

"ELMO, THE FEARLESS" SERIAL USUAL SMALL PRICES

OPERA HOUSE VAUDEVILLE

Matinee at 2.30 Evening 7.30 and 9

5 ACTS OF HIGH CLASS VAUDEVILLE and SERIAL PHOTO DRAMA

For sale by J. Benson Mahoney and E. Clifton Brown.

Extra Votes and Extra Prizes for The Standard's Prize Competitors

Two magnificent \$215 Starr Phonographs offered as special prizes to the contestants who turn in the greatest amount of subscription money by midnight, Saturday, Feb. 19th. Read details below.

200,000 EXTRA VOTES FOR EACH AND EVERY \$18.00 WORTH OF SUBSCRIPTIONS SECURED BY 8 P. M. SATURDAY NIGHT OF THIS WEEK

FULL DETAILS OF THE SPECIAL PHONOGRAPH OFFER

The automobile and Movie Star Department of The Standard wants to assist each contestant in getting a good, early start in the big \$15,000 Automobile and Movie Star Contest, and as a consequence, two magnificent \$215 Starr Phonographs are being offered as special prizes for the best work done in the contest by midnight, Saturday, February 19. The Starr Phonographs will be awarded, as follows:—

(1) To the contestant in District 1 (Greater St. John and suburbs) who turns in the greatest amount of subscription money by the above hour, we will give one of the \$215 Starr Phonographs.

(2) To the contestant who resides in District 2 (the territory outside of Greater St. John and suburbs) who turns in the greatest amount of subscription money collected by the above hour, we will give the other \$215 Starr Phonograph.

The Phonographs mentioned above are EXTRA prizes, and all votes and extra votes secured while working for them will count towards the regular prizes, which will be given away at the end of the contest, consisting of the big Studebaker, the Gray-Dort, the Ford, the Movie Star Contest, and the rest of the regular prizes.

The winners of the special prize Phonographs will not be disqualified from winning one of the regular prizes at the end of the contest. The winners of the Starr Phonographs will be announced in issues of The Standard on the Thursday after the close of the Phonograph offer, and the Phonographs will be given away on that date. Any subscription money turned in previous to the announcement of the Starr Phonograph offer will count towards the special Phonograph offer.

ONE OF THE SPECIAL STARR PHONOGRAPHS



This magnificent \$215 Starr Phonograph will be given to the contestant in the Greater St. John district, who collects the greatest amount of subscription money by midnight, February 19th. Winner will be given the choice of an Oak, Walnut or Mahogany finished cabinet.

See the special prize Starr Phonographs on exhibition at the Starr & Co. (Maritime Division) 171 Prince William street, from which firm they were purchased.

STANDINGS OF THE CANDIDATES

The standings of the contestants given below represent the votes counted for each up to noon Saturday, January 29th.

A.	Appleby, Mr. Irving	10,000	Larson, Carl	11,150
	Anderson, Miss Margara	10,100	Lardon, Miss Martha	10,950
	Armstrong, Miss Sarah	10,200	Merritt, Stanley	10,000
B.	Babin, R. G.	10,300	Malloy, Miss Agnes	10,950
	Berlin, Miss B.	10,000	Malloch, Miss Nealie M.	10,950
	Brundage, A. G.	10,250	Murtagh, Edward	10,950
	Brewer, Miss Minnie	10,000	May, Miss Annie	10,150
	Bowie, Capt.	10,800	Magnuson, Miss Elma	10,000
	Buchanan, Miss Annie	10,950	Merzetti, Herman	10,300
	Burton, Geo. E.	10,500	Northrup, Mrs. Alfred	10,100
	Boyd, Geo. H.	12,950	Macleod, Dany	10,550
	Blanchard, Miss Alice May	10,500	Milnead, Miss Flavie A.	10,000
	Buller, Mrs. Hayward	14,950	Mc.	
	Bell, F. A.	10,950	MacBeth, Mrs. F. E.	10,000
	Brown, Walter J.	10,950	McArthur, Albert	10,100
C.			McCabe, Guy	10,000
	Cham, Columbus	10,000	McCaulley, Geo.	10,000
	Callen, Charles	10,000	McGowan, Miss Helen	10,000
	Cripps, George	10,000	McNally, R. W.	10,450
	Crawford, Robert	10,000	N.	
	Crane, Mrs. J. J.	10,000	Nickerson, G.	10,550
	Cunningham, Hugh	24,350	Northrup, Miss Mary	10,000
	Cunningham, Wm.	10,000	Nase, Dr. H. B.	10,000
	Coeman, Miss Auline F.	17,550	O.	
	Coggins, J. B.	10,000	Olive, Mrs. Eirede S.	12,850
	Cook, Fred R.	10,500	P.	
	Chadwick, Harold	14,750	Poulson, Miss Margaret L.	10,000
	Chase, Wellington	10,100	Porter, Miss Myrtle A.	10,700
	Carr, Herschell	10,000	Phillips, Mrs. May	11,500
	Chappell, Montrose	11,800	R.	
			Rogers, Mr.	10,000
	Doherty, Arthur	10,000	Rosario, B. D.	10,050
	Dow, Cecil	13,100	Rosa, P.	10,000
	Dryden, Leonard	10,000	Roberts, Miss May	10,000
	Downey, Miss Beanie	10,000	Richardson, Miss Mary	10,700
	Davis, Willard	10,200	Rathburn, C. G.	10,950
			Rosborough, Geo. F.	10,950
	F.		Rennell, Miss Annie	10,000
	Foshay, S. S.	10,000	S.	
	Furlong, Mrs. Mary J.	10,550	Spodgrass, P. M.	10,000
	Filmore, R. L.	10,150	Stephenson, Miss L.	10,100
	Flawelling, Capt. O.	10,600	Smith, A. Rex	10,550
	Flawelling, Chas. W.	10,000	Saban, Miss Ruby	10,000
	Fawcett, Wm. R.	10,700	Stephenson, Miss Goldie	10,000
	Fearnly, T. W.	10,000	Stokoe, Myron V.	10,000
			Strickland, W. G.	10,500
	Gavia, Mrs. Chas. W.	10,050	T.	
	Geary, Wm.	10,150	Trentoway, Stewart	10,400
	Geisner, Mr.	10,000	Thorne, Miss Iva	10,000
	Gillman, Mrs. Victoria	10,250	Tompkins, Mrs. J. B.	10,750
	Green, Mrs. Harry C.	12,100	Trenth, L. W.	10,000
	Green, Miss Kathleen A.	10,650	Towers, Donald	12,300
	Gaskin, J. W.	10,000	U.	
	Gaylor, R. D.	12,150	Vall, Harry	10,050
	Green, Miss Margaret	11,300	W.	
	Gunnill, Ed.	10,100	White, E. D.	10,000
			Wilson, W. L.	10,000
	H.		White, G. S.	10,700
	Hayes, Harry	11,950	White, Mrs. Gertrude	10,000
	Harding, Edward	10,000	Williams, James	11,550
	Hayes, Miss Beatrice	10,000	Willis, Miss Theresa M.	14,050
			Webb, A.	10,450
	Johnstone, Miss Violet	11,050	Waters, Miss Grace	10,000
			Walek, Miss Laura	10,000
	Klayman, Louis	12,300	Woods, Miss A. Katherine	10,000
	Kierstead, Miss Maud B.	14,350	Wright, J. G.	11,950
			White, H. G.	10,000
	L.		Woods, Kathryn	10,000
	Land, Wm.	10,900	Whitson, Willis	10,000
	Lamb, Mrs. Susan	10,050		
	Lewis, Mrs. Chas. W.	10,000		

FULL DETAILS OF THE 200,000 EXTRA VOTE OFFER

To aid the contestants in getting an early start for the special Starr Phonograph offer, an unusual extra vote offer is being launched and will continue through this week ONLY. It is as follows:—

For each and every \$18 worth of subscriptions a candidate secures by 8 p.m. Saturday night, February 5, he or she will be given a vote ballot good for 200,000 EXTRA votes. This ballot will be given in addition to the ballot for the regular number of votes given for the subscriptions.

The \$18 Clubs of subscriptions may be composed of subscriptions to either the Morning or the Semi-Weekly Standard; from either new or renewal subscriptions; and the subscriptions may range in length from six months to five years.

It is not necessary for a contestant to bring in the entire \$18 worth of subscriptions at one time. The Cashier at the contest department keeps an accurate record of each contestant's records, and as soon as a total of \$18 worth of subscriptions has been turned in by a contestant, he or she will be given his or her extra vote ballot.

There is no limit to the number of EXTRA votes that a contestant can secure during this splendid vote offer this week. One of the EXTRA vote ballots will be given for each \$18 worth of business turned in. Thirty-six dollars worth of subscriptions would entitle the contestant to two of the 200,000 EXTRA vote ballots; \$54 worth of subscriptions, to three of the 200,000 EXTRA vote ballots; \$180 worth of subscriptions to 2,000,000 EXTRA votes, etc.

The offer given above is an exceptional offer and will not be given again or extended.

If any contestant has already turned in \$18 worth of subscriptions, he or she will be given his or her extra vote ballot the next time he or she makes a turn in of subscriptions.

If YOU have not turned in a sufficient amount to entitle you to one of the EXTRA vote ballots, HURRY! THE EXTRA VOTE OFFER IS FOR THIS WEEK ONLY. It ends Saturday night of this week, February 5, at 8 p.m.

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USE THIS BLANK TO ENROLL IN THE BIG PRIZE CONTEST. IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO ENTER

ENTRY BLANK

GOOD FOR 10,000 VOTES

Nominate Yourself or a Friend

PRIZE CONTEST DEPT. OF THE STANDARD
St. John, N. B.

Gentlemen:—

I hereby nominate as a candidate in your Automobile and Movie Star Contest.

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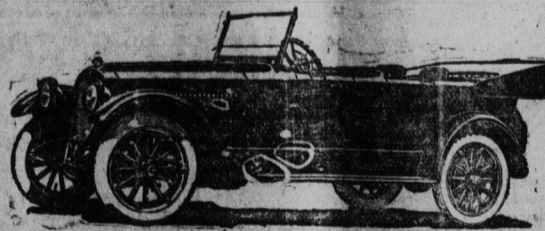
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Note—Only one entry blank will be accepted for any one candidate.

The Standings 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 ADDRESSING MACHINES, SUPPLIED BY A. C. L. TAPLEY, LOCAL AGENCY MANAGER.

FIRST CAPITAL PRIZE



This luxurious \$2,950.00 seven-passenger Studebaker is the first capital prize in The Standard's big \$15,000 Automobile and Movie Star Contest. It will be won by vote. The extra votes which are being given on \$18 clubs of subscriptions secured by 8 p.m. Saturday night of this week will undoubtedly be big factors in the winning of this handsome machine.

See the Studebaker on exhibition at J. Clark & Son, 17 Germain street. Mr. E. P. Dykeman, Local Manager, will be glad to explain the merits of The Studebaker to any contestants or their friends who call at the Studebaker agency.

HAVE YOUR FRIENDS SAVE THESE COUPONS FOR YOU. EVERY VOTE COUNTS. VOTES WILL WIN THE REGULAR PRIZES.

CUT OUT NEATLY

The Standard's Big Automobile and Movie Star Contest

Good for 50 Votes

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This Coupon, when neatly cut out and brought or mailed to the Contest Department of THE STANDARD will count for the person whose name is written thereon.

Void After Feb. 9. Cut Out Neatly.

THE EXTRA VOTE OFFER GIVEN ABOVE IS AN EXCEPTIONAL OFFER AND WILL NOT BE REPEATED OR EXTENDED. IT ENDS POSITIVELY THIS COMING SATURDAY NIGHT, FEBRUARY 5TH, AT 8 P. M.

With the Announcement of the Big Offers Given Above, The Standard's Contest Begins in Earnest--If You Have Not Already Enrolled do so at Once

THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

PRICE ADVANCES ON WALL STREET ARE RESTRICTED

Oils, Equipments, Motors and Chemicals Make Slight Gains.

FRENCH AND BELGIAN EXCHANGE IS BETTER

Strength Attributed to Report of Agreement Reached by the Supreme Council.

New York, Jan. 30.—Movements of selected issues, mainly upward, comprised the only divergent features of Saturday's dull and uncertain stock market. Oil, equipments, motors and chemicals were most conspicuous at gains of 1 to 4 points.

Investment calls failed to follow up their spirited advance of the preceding session, opening on profit-taking and standard industrial, including United States Steel, were sluggish. Oil, equipments, motors and chemicals were most conspicuous at gains of 1 to 4 points.

Individual features of strength emerged associated oil, Mexican Petroleum, Chicago Pneumatic Tool, Continental Can, Pressed Steel Car, Gulf States Steel, and United Fruit. There was further accumulation of New Orleans, Texas and Mexican at a substantial gain and Louisville and Nashville, Texas and Pacific and Denver and Rio Grande preferred were moderately strong. Sales amounted to 375,000 shares.

French and Belgian rate of exchange were active and materially higher, their advance being attributed to the reported agreement on the reparations Germany will have to pay to her former enemies. Dutch and Spanish rates also rose, but sterling bills were virtually unchanged.

The clearing house report showed a decrease of almost \$60,000,000 in actual loans and discounts, a decrease of about \$13,000,000 in reserves of members at the Federal Reserve Bank, a decrease of slightly over \$60,000,000 in net demand deposits and a moderate loss of excess reserves. The bond market was of the usual week-end character with moderate strength on rails. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$6,476,000.

Old United States Government bonds were unchanged on call for the week.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

	Open	High	Low	Close
Am Smelting	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2
Amazons	28 1/2	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
Am Tel	97 1/2	99 1/2	97 1/2	98 1/2
Am Can	32 1/2	33 1/2	32 1/2	33 1/2
Beth Steel	57 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
Bald Loco	90 1/2	91 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2
Crescent	94 1/2	95 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2
Can Pac	118 1/2	119 1/2	118 1/2	119 1/2
Gen Motors	14 1/2	15 1/2	14 1/2	15 1/2
Int Paper	61 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/2
North Pac	79 1/2	80 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2
Pennsylvania	41 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Pr Steel	95 1/2	96 1/2	95 1/2	96 1/2
Reading Com	84 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
Republic Stl	67 1/2	68 1/2	67 1/2	68 1/2
South Pac	98 1/2	99 1/2	98 1/2	99 1/2
Standard	56 1/2	57 1/2	56 1/2	57 1/2
Un Pac Com	120 1/2	121 1/2	120 1/2	121 1/2
U S Stl Com	83 1/2	84 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2

Insignificant Trade in Montreal Stocks in Half-Day Market

Converters and Wayagamac Showed the Best Gain—All Others Listless.

Montreal, Jan. 30.—The market on the local stock exchange Saturday was a mixed one a few issues being prominently strong, a few prominently weak and the bulk insignificant and quiet.

Good gains were shown by Converters, up two points to 65; Illinois preferred up two at 70 and Wayagamac which showed a three point advance at 84.

Domestic Canners the strong stock on Friday reacted 1 1/2 points to 41 with 40 1/2 bid.

Papers Are Lower

The papers except Wayagamac lost from 1/2 to 1 1/4 points. Abitibi at 54; Laurentide at 82; Rioridon at 158 lost a point each. Spanish preferred 1/2 point at 91 and the common and Drompton lost 1 1/2 and 1 1/2 points each.

National Breweries which with Drompton was the active stock of the day, closed a large fraction down at 64 1/2.

Bonds were much more active than on Friday but price changes were confined to small fractions only.

Total sales, listed, 6,985; bonds, \$339,950.

MONTREAL SALES

(McDougall & Cowans)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi	54	54 1/2
Brazilian L H and P	24	24 1/2
Brompton	64 1/2	65
Canada Cement	61 1/2	62
Canada Cement Pfd	62	63
Canada Cotton	76	77
Detroit United	90	91
Dom Bridge	90	91
Dom Canners	40 1/2	41
Dom Iron Com	45 1/2	46
Dom Tex Com	109 1/2	110
Laurentide Paper Co	82 1/2	83
MacDonald Com	24	25
MT L H and Power	88 1/2	89
Ogilvie	200	201
Pouman's Limited	108	109
Quebec Railway	26 1/2	27
Rioridon	157 1/2	158
Shaw W and P Co	107 1/2	108
Spanish River Com	81 1/2	82
Spanish River Pfd	91	92
Steel Co Can Com	63 1/2	64
Toronto Rails	68	69
Wayagamac	82	84

Unlisted Bond Market Stronger in Tone With A Much Wider Range

Rioridon New Common and Preferred Show Pronounced Gain in Week.

Special to The Standard.

Montreal, Jan. 30.—A number of improvements are recorded in the unlisted stock and bond market, which is daily growing wider and more active, says Banker, White & Co. Rioridon new common moved up to 23 1/2, a gain of two points for the week, and the preferred sold at 82—an improvement of 1 1/2 points. The preferred stock is very much in demand by investors. Whalen common has been rather dull, sales taking place at 16 and 17, and the preferred changing hands at 45, with a few odd lots at 40 1/2 and 43; Dryden Paper was quite dull, selling around 24. Great Eastern Paper common is offered at 25, with no bid in the market at the moment.

N. A. Pulp Less Active

North American Pulp was rather inactive, selling at 6 1/2 and 6. The view is expressed in quarters close to North American Pulp that a very considerable portion of the shareholders of that company will accept the option to exchange into shares of the Saguway Pulp & Paper. North American Pulp is really just a holding company, and derives its revenue from its holdings of approximately two-thirds Saguway Pulp & Paper stock. It is estimated that Saguway will show profits in excess of \$5,000,000, after making full allowance for bond interest and depreciation. The claim is made that the cost of producing mechanical pulp is lower in the case of this company than any other company in Canada.

Cuban-Canadian Sugar, common, is offered at 10 1/2 and the preferred moved up sharply to 35, where sales took place, and it is now 36 bid, offered at 41; Tram Power sold freely around 46, which is about last week's figure, and was quite active. Promont's Breweries, which closed weak 64 bid, moved up to 68 and sold, there, and is now 68 bid, offered at 70. Laurentide Power was offered at 50, Ontario Car 6 per cent notes again sold in large volume, all transactions taking place at 70.

Lewis Stocks.

Beiding Corticelli preferred sold at 107 1/2.

Rioridon—120 at 159, 75 at 163 1/2, 5 at 157 1/2.

Wayagamac—100 at 84.

B C Pfd—10 at 43.

Quebec Railway—35 at 35 1/2, 250 at 35 1/2, 115 at 35 1/2, 25 at 25, 15 at 25 1/2.

Canada Com—106 at 62.

Steel Canada Com—210 at 64.

Abitibi Pfd—20 at 89.

Dom Iron Com—25 at 45 1/2, 25 at 45 1/2, 55 at 54, 100 at 54 1/2, 25 at 54, 25 at 54 1/2.

Span River Com—340 at 82.

Span River Pfd—15 at 91 1/2, 405 at 91.

Brompton—50 at 66, 250 at 66 1/2, 50 at 64 1/2, 75 at 64 1/2, 50 at 63 1/2, 50 at 63 1/2.

Ogilvie Pfd—4 at 100.

Lake of Woods—15 at 155.

Howard Smith Pfd—3 at 92.

Laurentide Pfd—10 at 93, 50 at 92, 10 at 92 1/2, 25 at 92 1/2.

Smelting—25 at 19 1/2, 80 at 19 1/2.

Liquidation Pending Wheat Still Lower in Winnipeg Grain Pit

No Outside Support on the Market and the Short Sellers Had it All Own Way.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 30.—Continued liquidation again sent prices down Saturday on the local wheat market and the local May future traded 17 1/4 to 1 1/4, a four cent decline from yesterday. There was a little reaction from the low point, and the close showed a decline of 3 1/4 to 3 3/4. There was no outside support to the market, and the short sellers had it all through their own way, especially early in the session. The trade was small, with a very weak undertone.

There was not much change in the cash wheat market, with a good demand continuing.

Wheat, Close, May, 17 1/2; July, 16 1/2; No. 1, 15 1/2; No. 2, 14 1/2; No. 3, 13 1/2; No. 4, 12 1/2; No. 5, 11 1/2; No. 6, 10 1/2; No. 7, 9 1/2; No. 8, 8 1/2; No. 9, 7 1/2; No. 10, 6 1/2; No. 11, 5 1/2; No. 12, 4 1/2; No. 13, 3 1/2; No. 14, 2 1/2; No. 15, 1 1/2; No. 16, 1/2; No. 17, 1/4; No. 18, 1/8; No. 19, 1/16; No. 20, 1/32; No. 21, 1/64; No. 22, 1/128; No. 23, 1/256; No. 24, 1/512; No. 25, 1/1024; No. 26, 1/2048; No. 27, 1/4096; No. 28, 1/8192; No. 29, 1/16384; No. 30, 1/32768; No. 31, 1/65536; No. 32, 1/131072; No. 33, 1/262144; No. 34, 1/524288; No. 35, 1/1048576; No. 36, 1/2097152; No. 37, 1/4194304; No. 38, 1/8388608; No. 39, 1/16777216; No. 40, 1/33554432; No. 41, 1/67108864; No. 42, 1/134217728; No. 43, 1/268435456; No. 44, 1/536870912; No. 45, 1/1073741824; No. 46, 1/2147483648; No. 47, 1/4294967296; No. 48, 1/8589934592; No. 49, 1/17179869184; No. 50, 1/34359738368; No. 51, 1/68719476736; No. 52, 1/137438953472; No. 53, 1/274877906944; No. 54, 1/549755813888; No. 55, 1/1099511627776; 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Monday, January 31, 1921. Arrived Saturday. Coastwise—St. Simons, 612, McDonald, Digby. Cleared Saturday. C. P. O. S. Corcoran, London. Coastwise—St. Rochelaga, 1601, McDonald, Digby. BRITISH PORTS. Plover, Esq. Jan. 20—St. Turbot Court, Sydney, C. B. BRITISH PORTS. Plover, Esq. Jan. 20—St. Turbot Court, Sydney, C. B. Rio de Janeiro, Jan. 5—S.S. Mary F. Barrett, Richards, for Norfolk Va. Sailed to Philadelphia. The steamer Manchester Shipper sailed at four o'clock on Saturday afternoon for Philadelphia, with a general cargo. Furness, Withy & Co. are local agents.

C. P. O. S. Corcoran sailed on Saturday evening with 10 cabin and 200 steerage passengers. The latter include about 100 foreigners. Among the cabin passengers are Georges Pappin, the pugilist and family. Mr. Pappin is going to Paris to assist in training Georges Carpentier for his fight with Dempsey for the heavyweight championship. A special train took baggage and passengers for the Union Depot to the steamer at noon.

S. S. M. P. Chippewa, which left Bermuda on Friday, is due to arrive this afternoon, with passengers, freight and mail. William Thomson & Co. are St. John agents. Canadian Hunter en route to St. John from Liverpool, was reported 90 miles east of Cape Race at 9.30 p. m. on Wednesday. The Canadian Farmer left Barbados on Wednesday morning for Trinidad and Demerara. Passengers on Metagama. The C. P. O. S. liner Metagama, which is due here on February 3 from Liverpool and Havre has 1,109 passengers, comprising 94 steerage and 350 cabin. At Liverpool 321 cabin and 144 steerage passengers embarked and at Havre twenty-nine cabin and 730 steerage.

S. S. Manoa sailed on Saturday afternoon for St. John's, Newfoundland, with a general cargo. Neagle & Wigmore are agents at this port. To Arrive This Week. Two C. P. O. S. passenger ships will arrive here next week, the Metagama on February 3, and the Empress of Britain on February 5. Making West Indies Trip. S. S. Megantic, which sailed from New York on her first West Indies voyage on January 22 arrived at Havana, on Jan. 28. Furness Withy & Co. her local agents, report that her passengers were greatly pleased with the service and accommodations. This liner, which is the largest now making regular west coast cruises, is of 14,870 tons gross displacement about 20,000 tons. On her present voyage she carries 375 passengers for the entire cruise, besides 50 booked for passage between West Indian ports. She will make two trips this season, sailing from New York on February 21 and March 23. Besides Havana she calls at Kingston, Panama and other ports. Arrives at Liverpool. A cable was received last night stating that the steamer Empress of Britain arrived at Liverpool on this port on Friday last.

Awarded Salvage For Saving U. S. "Bassam". Halifax, N. S., Jan. 30.—The Newfoundland government, which brought salvage claims against the United States shipping board steamer, Bassam, to the extent of \$75,000, has been awarded \$1,000 by the Newfoundland courts, and an additional \$120 has been granted to cover damages to the government steamer Portia, which towed the Bassam to port, it was announced by Captain G. S. Nye, of the United States Shipping Board office here yesterday.

PADEREWSKI HAS RESIGNED. Warsaw, Jan. 29.—Imace Jan Paderewski, former premier of Poland, has resigned as Polish delegate to the League of Nations. He sent his resignation from Switzerland, and it was accepted by the government.

RESIGNS FROM COMMONS. Dublin, Jan. 30.—Roger N. Sweetman, whose resignation from the Irish republican parliament was announced on Thursday, has also given up his seat in the British House of Commons, he has declared in answer to a question printed in the Freeman's Journal.

The artist whose paintings show that angels are all women certainly did not know women.

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MAILED CONTRACT. SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 4th March, 1921, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years, twelve times per week each way, between St. John N. B., Post Office, and C. P. R. Station (N. B. Southern Division), on and from the Postmaster General's pleasure. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of St. John, N. B., Post Office Department, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, January 12th, 1921. G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent.

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THE WEATHER.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—The disturbance centered over Ontario Saturday morning is now centered over Virginia, while the pressure is high over most of the Dominion. Light snow precipitation has occurred today in Alberta, Ontario and the Maritime Provinces, elsewhere in the Dominion the weather is generally fair and colder.

Prince Rupert	34	42
Victoria	35	43
Calgary	37	45
Edmonton	38	46
Saskatoon	39	47
Winnipeg	40	48
White River	41	49
Parry Sound	42	50
Toronto	43	51
Ottawa	44	52
Montreal	45	53
Quebec	46	54
Halifax	47	55

—Below zero.

Forecast.

Maritime—Westerly to northerly winds increasing to moderate gales, cloudy with light snow, becoming colder.

Northern—New England—Cloudy and colder; probably snow Monday; Tuesday fair; strong north to east winds, probably gales.

AROUND THE CITY

TO REPAIR HULL.
The Canadian Importer, of the C. M. M. fleet, was pulled into market also yesterday to undergo repairs on her hull.

SPOKE AT HAMPTON.
Rev. F. S. Dowling, of St. Andrew's Church spoke yesterday at Hampton and Robson's churches making addresses upon foreign work.

CHILD DEAD.
Friends of Mr. and Mrs. George Ramsay, 190 City Road, will regret to hear of the death of their infant son, Harry, which took place Saturday. The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon from his parents' residence.

SOUTH END CARNIVAL.
The South End League will hold a carnival, free for all skaters, on Friday night, next, when prizes will be awarded for ladies and gentlemen. Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Phonograph Company 25 King Square.

SUNDAY IDEAL DAY.
Yesterday was an ideal day for promenaders. The weather being mild and inviting, many people taking advantage of it to enjoy long hikes, others taking to the ice fields for a skate, while some enjoyed the sleighing.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION.
Stanley C. Webb, A.M.E.I.C., manager of the Webb Electric Co. left Saturday for Toronto to attend the convention of the Engineering Institute of Canada. While there he will visit different manufacturing plants in that vicinity.

TEACHERS TO INTERCEDE.
The school teachers of the city will send a delegation to City Hall this morning to urge the members of the Council to vote the \$16,345 asked for the school board in addition to what they are legally allowed to assess for, in order that they may get the increase in salary promised them.

SOME LODGING HOUSES!
Five drunks were arrested by the police on Saturday and five protectionists received shelter. Sunday the drunks were reduced to one solitary specimen of the race, and twelve protectionists sought refuge at the city's two ostro-motels. Total for the week ends: Drunks, 6; protectionists, 17.

BOYS' CLUB OPENING.
The opening of the Boys' Club in 4th St. Y.M.C.A. building, took place last Thursday evening. A feature of the programme will be the presentation of the Spaulding cup to the Pirates, and pins to the members of the Atlantic, winners of the Junior League. A large attendance is expected.

SATURDAY'S MARKET.
In the city market Saturday morning the following prices were quoted: Beef, 30c to 35c; lamb, 18c to 20c; butter, 90c to 70c; eggs, 75c to 80c; potatoes, 65c; turnips, 35c; parsnips, 60c; carrots, 55c; beets, 65c; apples, 45c to 60c a peck; cherries, 35c to 50c; a pair; lettuce, 8c; cabbage, 7c; squash, 7c; a pound, and cranberries, 30c a quart.

VITAL STATISTICS.
There were nineteen deaths in the city last week from the following causes: Pneumonia, two; bronchitis, two; Burns, scalding, erysipelas, prematurity, convulsions, myocarditis, septicaemia, encephalitis, malnutrition, cancer of stomach, carcinoma of colon, arterio-sclerosis, pernicious anaemia, pulmonary tuberculosis, cardiac decompensation, one each.

Seven marriages were solemnized in the city during the last week. For the same period there were twenty-two births—twelve boys and ten girls.

MANY PROTECTIONISTS.
The twenty-five protectionists of varied nationalities who sought shelter in the police station Friday night were again given the freedom of the city on the opening of the police court Saturday morning.

Harold Simon, Arthur David and Albert H. Cairns, were before the police court Saturday morning charged with being slowpokes on board the S. S. Canadian Importer. They were remanded until the afternoon. One of the men said he came from Sackville, N. B., but when he was questioned he did not know anything about the town or any of the prominent citizens.

Two men charged with drunkenness landed quietly and were arraigned.

Shipwrecked Crew Reaches St. John

Six Sailors on Way Back to Newfoundland After Losing Schooner Near Azores.

A party of six shipwrecked men arrived at the St. John's Maritime Society from Boston. Their history is as follows: The Emma Bellandus of St. John's, Nfld., bound for Portland, foundered in a storm on November 24, two days west of the Azores. Captain, mate and five men got ashore on the island of Corta in their own boat. They were sent to St. Michael's and boarded the Dutch steamer, Briz, for Providence, R. I. From there they were transported to Boston by the British Vice-consul, and from Boston to this port. They leave for home today. They are Captain Moody, Mate Harvey and Seaman Green, Geo. Buck, Jay, Genest.

Two Alarm Fire Calls The Brigade

Starr's Coal Plant Scene of Serious Outbreak Late Saturday Night.

A two alarm fire, at 11:29 p.m. Saturday, called the firemen to the corner of Spry and Union streets for a well developed blaze in Starr's coal office. The fire started in the main office on the ground floor and quickly worked to a rear office on the same floor and to an unoccupied room on the second floor, directly over the main office of the Starr Coal Co. The flames in this room broke forth with an explosion that blew out the windows and caused the crowd that gathered to duck for safety, as the flames shot forth and a huge volume of dense smoke rolled out, blinding fire-fighters and others within range.

Dense Smoke
The smoke from the fire was exceptionally dense and proved a serious handicap to the firemen. A half dozen lines of hose were laid to drown out the blaze.

The fire was confined to the three rooms mentioned, the greater part of the damage being done by smoke and water.

Incendiary Origin
Mr. Frost, who occupied the third floor, where he conducted his hardware and distributing business, reports that fire did not reach his place, and what damage he suffered was very slight and caused mostly by smoke.

Mr. Frank Starr, when seen last night, said he believed the fire was of incendiary origin. He said that wires in the building, he says, are in conditio, and it was very improbable that the fire could start from defective wiring. It was impossible for him to form an estimate of the damage done until appraisers had gone over the building. The office fixtures, adding machines, typewriters, etc., were ruined, as well as the numerous files of invoices and other papers which were not in the safe.

The insurance, he said, was ample to cover all losses.

Trans-Continent Hiker in the City

Young Man Tramping from Halifax to Vancouver—Out to Establish Record.

Charles Burkman, who is on the coast to coast hike, leaving Halifax January 27, breezes into the city about four o'clock Saturday afternoon, head erect, chest out and going strong. His stroll on Saturday was from Hampton to this city, a distance of twenty-four miles which he covered in six hours. Mr. Burkman was not at all fatigued from his day's efforts. He proceeded to doll up, and became a prominent figure at the Strand in the evening, where he proved as fancy a stepper as he is a pedestrian.

After a Record
Mr. Burkman is on the hike from Halifax to Vancouver with the object of establishing a new record in a transcontinental hike. The record, established some years ago, was approximately twelve months. Mr. Burkman, however, he keeps up the present rate of travel, will be able to accomplish the feat slightly under six months. So far he has been able to negotiate on the average twenty-two miles a day, and these were taken easily, there being no forced walks on any day he has been out. A partner who started with him from Halifax dropped out at Pictou and now Burkman goes it alone and unimpeded.

For Good Sport
"There is no wager on this hike, nor is it being done by the young pedestrian with any hope of reward. It is being done purely for good sportsmanship. To defray the expenses of the trip he is selling a post card bearing his photograph and setting forth what he is out to accomplish."

He carried with him a letter of greetings from the mayor of Halifax to the mayor of Vancouver. In each town or city he enters he secures in a book carried for that purpose the signature of the mayor and also an impress of the municipal seal.

Leaves Here This Morning
Mr. Burkman will leave here this morning at 10 o'clock, starting from the Union depot, and plans to make Wolford for the night. Tuesday night he plans to be at Pictou, Wednesday night, and Thursday at Vancouver.

He is following the line of the C. P. R. rails, as he finds a better working trail, where the snowplows have made out a good, hard surface.

So far on his journey the young pedestrian has suffered no ill-effects from his journey, and his feet have not developed any tenderness. Mr. Burkman is a clean cut, athletic-looking man. Modest in demeanor and of a retiring nature, he impresses all who meet him here as being of the make-up that accomplishes what he goes after.

Eloquent Sermon In First Presbyterian

"Footprints of Pessimist in Philosophy, Literature, the Church and Political Life."

Speaking in the First Presbyterian Church yesterday morning, Rev. Dr. John Archibald Morrison delivered a most eloquent sermon on the subject, "The Footprints of the Pessimist in Philosophy, Literature, the Church and Political Life." In the course of his remarks which formed one of the finest sermons preached in the First Presbyterian Church, Dr. Morrison voiced a strong plea for religion as a cure of the world's ills.

In his definition of pessimism, the speaker drew the attention of the boys and the girls, of which there were many present, by tracing the word to its Latin derivation, and showed that the pessimist was one who regarded the present state of existence as essentially evil. After tracing the course of philosophic pessimism, and drawing attention to the marks of its presence in literature and politics, and at times even in the Church itself, Dr. Morrison went on to show that as a philosophy of life, whether for the individual or for the world, it was a gloomy failure; not did it dispel any message worth while for the world of today.

In this connection, Dr. Morrison made an arresting reference to a story that has been running recently recently entitled "My Son." It is the story of a young and popular minister, who although a great organizer and money getter for good causes and also an exceedingly popular preacher, yet omitted to preach these essentials of the Gospel of Our Lord which his father had been accustomed to proclaim in other days.

The war and after conditions of unrest in the world, however, taught him that the only Gospel that had power to save the world from its ills was that of the Gospel of Christ. To Dr. Morrison, it was evident that the Mr. Klesner of the story represented in his radicalism the best that modern pessimism could offer for the evils that affect the world today, and by this man's theories he opposed the Gospel of Him who declared "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life."

Y.W.C.A. Annual Membership Social

Three Hundred and Fifty Girls Present at Recreational Centre—Excellent Programme.

The deep interest taken in the Y.W.C.A. was evidenced by the large attendance at the annual membership social held at the Recreational Centre King street east on Saturday evening when three hundred and fifty girls were present. All arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Z. Cowan, convenor of the membership committee who received the guests. Great credit is due Mrs. Cowan for planning so delightful an evening.

Mrs. John A. McArthur, president, welcomed the guests and announced the numbers on the programme. Miss Tapscott, general secretary, gave a bright, interesting address on what the "Y" means to members and the benefits to be derived from the association. Miss Littlefield's class of senior business girls, thirty in number, gave an exhibition of gymnastics which was highly praised by the audience. Mr. Charlton, Montreal, showed a number of slides descriptive of Y.W.C.A. camp life.

The programme included: Piano solo, Mrs. Rayworth; piano duet, Misses Hunt and Poole; vocal solo, Master Victor Rezan; solo, Mrs. Blake Ferris; violin solo, Bruce Hold; vocal solo, Miss Stella McKay; Mrs. T. Milton Barnes; Mrs. A. O. Hines acted as accompanists. While the entire programme was an excellent one, special mention must be made of Mrs. Blake Ferris' solo, which was very beautiful.

Refreshments were served by the "Gym" girls in gym costume. Ladies assisting Mrs. Cowan were Mrs. Bertram Smith, Mrs. Prime, Mrs. F. B. Fisher, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. A. O. Barnham, Mrs. Trentowsky, Mrs. A. B. Fowler, Mrs. J. J. Gordon.

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