



THE ST. JOHN EVENING TIMES, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18 1906.

THE STORY OF A GREAT SECRET. Millions of Mischief.

By HEADON HILL. Author of "By a Hair's Breadth," "The Duke Decides," "A Race with Ruth," etc., etc. "And some that smile, have in their hearts, I fear, millions of mischief."

Occasionally this lurch to the cable was followed by the clefter of crotchety and by the... The Irishman sang a couple of atrocious ditties that sent my fingers to my tingling ears, and then the... For some time I heard the pick-pad of Antonio's feet as he hurried about collecting bottles and glasses and... I knew that there was a clear field for my attempt to learn my fate if I

could summon up courage to venture forth. Acting on the principle that suspense is often worse than the reality, I only waited long enough to be sure that the steward was not going to return, and then I softly opened my cabin door. The swing lamp in the caddy shone on just such a scene as I had anticipated and hoped for. Belcher lay upon the floor breathing heavily, his purple face upturned to the ceiling, while the mate's head had fallen forward on to the table and rested on his grimy hands. Both men were sleeping the sound slumber of intoxication, and I slid forward into the reeking air of the caddy.

I think, too, that he was apprehensive, now that he had slept off the effects of his detour, of what Sir Gideon Marske's emissary might have to say to any premature illness of me, for he seldom addressed me as he lounged about the deck, and then only in curt monosyllables such as "Pine day," or "Fresh breeze." But the glasses which I sometimes surprised cast by him in my direction made me tremble for what terms, and I was handed over to him to act "as he pleased, provided I was never heard of again."

in turn, would call in the aid of that nice boy Ralph Cardin, the alliance might prove too strong for the enemy. I knew that Murel and Ralph had a secret understanding, and that the honest young soldier would have been my friend's accepted lover long ago but for Lord Alphington's blind prejudice in favour of the son of his colleague, Sir Gideon.

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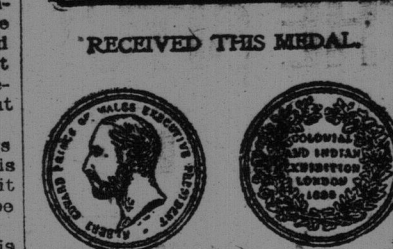
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TRADE WITH THE STATES

will be observed in the statement in today's Times of the value of Maine lumber cut in 1905 and shipped to the United States. It was more than half a million dollars in value.

THE GLOBE'S CONVERT

St. John Globe, which appears to be a convert to the cause of the poor, has found an ally in Winnipeg. The Globe recently published an article based on tonnage statistics of the returns were made for the amounts annually paid to the city for the maintenance of the sidewalks.

TORONTO'S SYMPATHY

The Times yesterday published a article of the Toronto suffering among the poor in London this winter. In Toronto the publication of the facts prompted a benevolent citizen to send \$25 to the Globe, asking that paper to call for further subscriptions.

A CO-OPERATIVE STORE

Toronto Butchers will Establish One on Large Scale. Toronto, Jan. 18.—(Special)—Plans have been completed by the Butchers' workmen's union for the launching of a co-operative meat and provision store to be owned and operated by the Toronto unions.

THINKS IT IS A DODGE

Lord Tonyham Says Decision of Imperial Government to Stop Co-Importation is Defensive Move.

London, Jan. 18.—Coincident with rumors that the government intends to dissolve parliament early in the coming session comes another report that it is intended to stop further importation of coals into South Africa. Lord Tonyham, presiding at a meeting of a Big Hand company yesterday, publicly announced his fear that such was the case, and that the government was doing so to protect its own interests.

KILLED IN BOSTON

Woodman Whelpley, a King's County Man, Meets Accidental Death. Word has been received that Woodman Whelpley, of Cheyney's Settlement, was accidentally killed in Boston.

TELEPHONS TO AID DISPATCHING TRAINS

Baltimore & Ohio Perfects System Said to Shorten Blocks and Facilitate Traffic—Composite Method Used. The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad has introduced the use of telephones to aid in the dispatching of trains.

A WOMAN'S NAME

The custom which makes it proper for the wife to assume the name of her husband at marriage is involved in much obscurity. A recent author has advanced the opinion that it originated from a Roman custom and became common after the Roman occupation of England.

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SCHOOL AND THE TEACHER

Rev. Hugh Pedley Speaks of Conditions in Quebec.

The second sermon in the series "The City and Forces that Shape Our Lives" was preached by Rev. Hugh Pedley in Emmanuel Church Sunday night, his subject being "The School and the Teacher." Mr. Pedley first discussed "The Ideal School," in which he recognized two prime requisites—the idea of what education is, and a high order of education.

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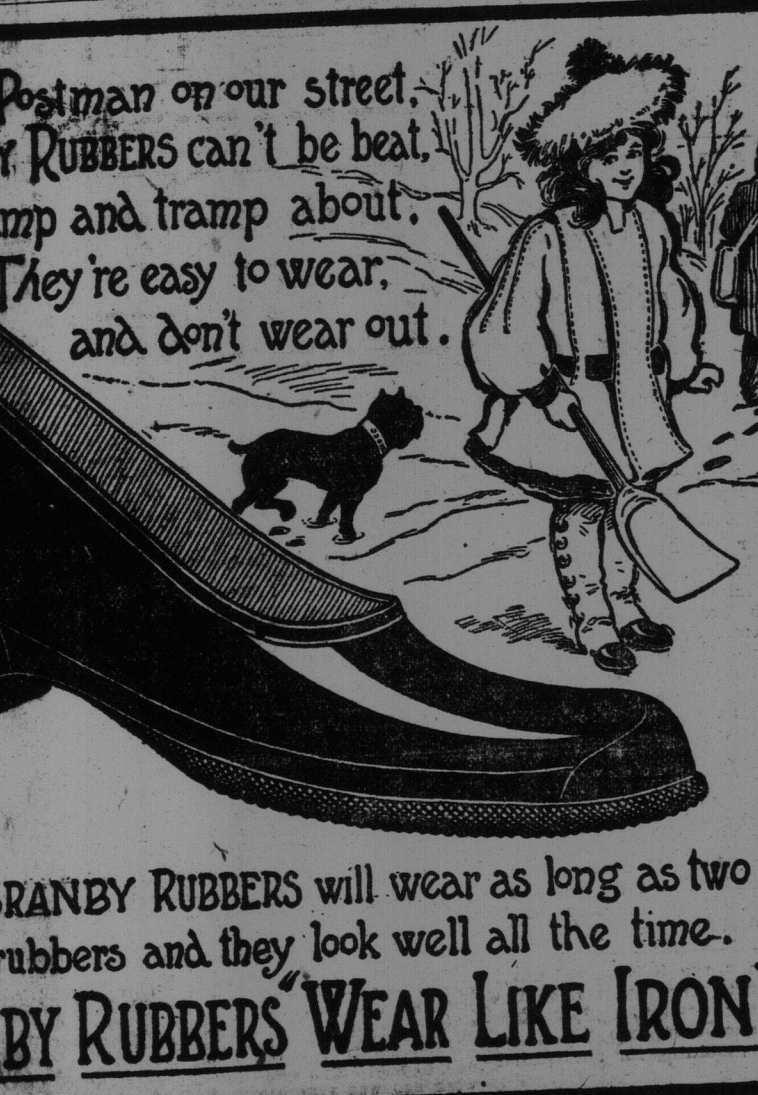
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CONDITIONS IN THE JAIL.

County Council Appoints Committee to Investigate --- Coun. Christie Has a Fling at Clergymen.

At the quarterly meeting of the municipal council held yesterday, jail conditions were sharply criticized by Coun. Bullock. An investigating committee was appointed.

In place of the proposed automobile bill to apply to St. John city and county it was decided to ask the government to pass one to apply to the province as a whole.

Councillors Maxwell and Lowell, who remove into the broader field of provincial politics, bade farewell to their fellow councillors.

The question of coroners' fees was discussed and it was ordered that all bills be paid.

The finance committee's report was received and adopted. Coun. Lewis made a comparative statement of the conditions in the jail.

In November, 1903, there were 50 inmates; in June, 1904, the number was 35, while today there are only 21.

Of these a number ought to be in the poor house. Only nine were able-bodied and of these only one was a St. John man.

The work of the prisoners had been satisfactory and he thought Victoria street would be in a condition next season to take the heavy hauling of Main street.

Coun. Christie was much interested in the improvement of the prisoners' condition under the council's benign care, but wished to hear how it was that the expenses were now nearly doubled when so many less men were in the jail.

Coun. Lewis said the bills had been carefully handled and it might be the fault of the finance committee.

Coun. Christie made comparisons in the price of beef as supplied to the jail and the hospital and thought there was much money wasted. The subject then dropped.

Coun. Lowell referred by way of personal explanation to a bill for \$20 for taxes which he had paid on behalf of Mr. Moran during his absence in New York.

The auditor had said he did not believe it had been paid, and he wished to mention that he was prepared to produce the receipt.

Coun. Kelly moved that a bill be prepared that all men of 60 years of age be exempted from the county poll tax.

Coun. Fowles supported the motion. Coun. Christie regarded this as unimportant; he thought a man of 60 had just as much right to pay as anyone else.

Coun. Lowell and Lee opposed it and on being put to a vote only four councillors were in favor of the motion and it was lost.

James Mills was appointed officer for the new polling division, Lancaster No. 8.

Coun. Bullock made a complaint as to the prisoners in the jail as well as huddled together, the first offenders with the more hardened criminals and the matter was most serious.

He wanted to know who looked after these things and thought an advisory board would be an advantage. He was not after anyone's scalp but there was good ground for complaint. There was in the jail today a case of a lad of twelve who could neither read nor write, being placed with two or three others when the newer portion of the jail was empty.

Another matter was the ceasing to hold religious services in the institution. Such a thing was not right. He made no suggestion as to which denomination should give the matter attention, but possibly the work of the Salvation Army, would meet the case. He also had evidence of loud talking in the cells and smoking and card playing. He moved that a special committee be appointed to look into the conditions of the jail and report at the next meeting.

The warden referred to the matter as constituting grave charges against the sheriff.

Coun. Bullock said he was prepared to substantiate them. Coun. Kelly thought as the council paid the bills they should have a voice in regulating the institution.

Coun. Christie agreed and was of the opinion the jail should be handled by a committee. The practice of having a one man commission was never satisfactory, whereas when there were several members they were liable to fall out among themselves and the facts come out better.

As regards religious services, he was of opinion that clergymen would be better employed than going up there to preach to those men.

After further discussion the warden appointed Councillors White, Bullock, Maxwell, Lowell, Lee, Christie and the warden a committee to look into the matter.

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MISHAPS IN KINGS COUNTY.

Paralyzed and Frozen-- Badly Cut--Torn by a Saw--A Revival.

Sussex, Jan. 18--Mathew Mace of Smith's Creek was found in his yard at 11.30 o'clock yesterday morning, suffering from a paralytic stroke. It is not known how long he was lying there, but judging from the severe frost bites on his right hand and foot, he must have been there for some hours.

Dr. McAllister was summoned and thinks amputation of the right hand and foot will be necessary. Mr. Mace is about 70 years of age and lives alone. He was found by his brother, George, who called to see him the next morning. He had beaten a large place in the snow trying to get up. He was brought to Sussex today and is at the home of Oldfield Mace.

John Caldwell of Berwick, while chopping in the woods Saturday afternoon, was almost fatally injured. A large limb fell from a tree striking him on the temple causing a severe wound and at the same time tearing the eye so that the fluid escaped, the lower lid being completely torn off.

Dr. McAllister, assisted by Dr. Brundage of Beswick, removed the eye. Mr. Caldwell is the father of a large helpless family and depends upon his day's work for a livelihood.

John Byrne's of Mooschoon received injuries yesterday while edging in King McFarlane's mill, situated at Saddle Back. The saw caught the coat sleeve of his right arm near the elbow, making a severe wound from the elbow to within four inches of the wrist, and cutting off one of the bones of the forearm, had the bone gone a sixteenth of an inch farther the large blood vessel would have been cut, perhaps causing death before medical aid could have been secured.

Dr. McAllister looked after the wounds of the unfortunate man and reports favorably today.

Rev. B. H. Nobles, pastor of the Baptist church, is holding a series of meetings this week, a series of meetings this week, the Rev. Mr. Batty, evangelist, is assisting him. The meetings are well attended and with good results, many new converts coming to the front. Last evening there were two sessions.

From 7 to 8 Rev. Mr. Shearer, secretary of the "Lord's Day alliance" occupied the time in speaking and appointing the officers for the present year. The balance of the evening was a general revival meeting.

Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Brown have returned from St. John. Arthur Dickson, proprietor of the Intercolonial hotel, Sackville, is in town today.

Miss Emma Grass of Penobscis is at the Depot house. Rev. Mr. Shearer left for Halifax this morning.

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CANADIAN PARLIAMENT.

Sir Wilfrid on Mr. Blair's Resignation --- W. S. Calvert Reappointed Chief Whip With Hance Logan as Assistant.

Ottawa, Jan. 18.--There was a short session of the house of commons yesterday. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that in the first week of February the position of chairman of the railway commission was to be offered to one of the judges of the supreme court. This is no doubt Justice Killam.

Replying to W. V. Malcolm, East York, as to the resignation of Mr. Blair, Sir Wilfrid said he had not been consulted.

Sir Wilfrid said he intended bringing down the estimates to-day. The house then adjourned.

In the senate yesterday the clerk reported that Rufus Curry, of Nova Scotia, who was appointed two years ago, never attended, and therefore his case will be referred to the privileges and elections committee and declared vacant.

The first ministerial caucus was held this morning, when the following whips were chosen: W. S. Calvert, chief whip, reappointed; H. J. Logan, assistant chief whip; Geo. D. Grant, Ontario whip; Louis Laverge and Dan Gallery, Quebec whips; Alex. Johnson, maritime provinces whip; Robert McPherson, British Columbia whip; J. G. Turfill, whip for Manitoba and the Territories. The changes are that Johnson succeeds Logan, promoted; Grant succeeds Col. Thompson, defeated, and Turfill succeeds T. O. Davis, appointed to the senate.

ST. JOHN PRESBYTERY.

The St. John Presbytery yesterday nominated Rev. F. B. Beattie, D. D., of Louisville (Ky.), for the chair of apologetics in the Montreal College. Other nominations were--Rev. G. H. Smith for the chair of practical theology in the same college, and Rev. Clarence McKinnon of Sydney, for the chair of New Testament theology in Knox College, Toronto.

John Stirling of Buctouche was appointed catechet at Buctouche. Waterford asked a grant of \$150 toward the manse debt, and this was referred back.

The report of the committee appointed to endeavor to secure the previous reduced rates for clergymen's railway travel was read. The committee had been unable to make any arrangement with the C. P. R. A new committee of Revs. A. H. Foster, J. W. A. Nicholson and James Ross was appointed.

The moderator welcomed to the presbytery, Revs. E. A. Wicher, A. A. Graham, Gordon Dickie and H. R. Read.

Rev. Mr. Anderson of Florenceville brought up the matter of sending Miss Kinney of Florenceville to Korea as a missionary. He was advised to correspond with the congress to ascertain if a sufficient guarantee could be secured.

The treasurer, O. E. Warwick, thanked the following receipt of the following: Grace L. Fairweather, \$2; McPherson Bros., \$5; Mrs. G. E. S. Keator, \$1; A. Friend, \$20; Cash M. \$5; Miss Eaton, \$2; David Brown, \$3; Mrs. McDonald, \$1; G. & E. Blake (repair bill), \$3.75; Sash, E. T. \$1; William Bruchoff, \$5; Charles H. Peters, \$10; Geo. L. Barbour, \$2; Robert Maxwell (repair bill) \$15.75; Emmetson & Fisher \$15; T. H. E. Estabrooks, \$25.

Ex-Alderman J. U. Vincent of Ottawa has notified the Toronto Globe that he intends entering action against it for \$25,000 damages, alleged slander. He has already written against Hon. F. R. Letchford for the same amount. His action arises out of a report of Hon. F. R. Letchford's speech at Dublin (Ont.) published in the Globe.

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News of Sport.

HOCKEY AND CURLING ARE DIVIDING THE HONORS NOW.

The All St. John Hockey Team to Play the Klondikers Will Be Selected Tonight--The Intermediate League--Lady Curlers Meet Defeat--Other Games.

CURLING.

Ladies, 42, Gentlemen 48. The fair sex appeared in large numbers yesterday afternoon at the St. Andrew's rink to witness the first game of curling between the ladies and gentlemen curlers of the St. Andrew's club. The game was splendidly played by the ladies. The play of Miss H. S. Smith and Mrs. J. Pope Barnes especially, was excellent. Both of these skips defeated the men curlers, as will be seen by the following score--

Table with 2 columns: Ladies, Gentlemen. Lists names and scores for various curling matches.

For the Bauer Trophy. In the Carleton curling rink last evening the members finished the first round for the Bauer trophy. This is a fancy centre piece presented by Archibald Bauer of Ferguson & Page's staff. The second round will be played next week.

Moncton Defeats Chatham. Moncton, Jan. 17.--Moncton defeated four rinks of Chatham curlers yesterday by six points. Score: Moncton 9, Chatham 16. Skip Cook, 9; Skip Lawler, 16. Skip Given, 13; Skip Hickbert, 11. Skip Newman, 21; Skip McKendrick, 13. Skip Clark, 18.

Skips for Saturday's Games. At a meeting of the Thistle Curling Club last night the following skips were chosen to play against St. Andrew's club next Saturday afternoon and evening: W. L. Shaw, J. P. Shaw.

A Return Match. The return match of the married vs. singles will be played next Tuesday morning in the Thistle Curling rink, by the lady members of the club.

HOCKEY.

The N. S. League. Two games in the Nova Scotia hockey league were played last night. At Truro the home team defeated New Glasgow 14 to 0, and at Halifax the Crescent defeated the Wanderers 4 to 0. An attendance of 1,500 was present at each.

A Rich Hockey Player. We don't include many millionaires among our local hockey players and they probably are somewhat rare in other places, but the Yukon hockey aggregation which will be seen here the first of the month includes a member who can be placed in this much to be envied class. Joe Boyle, the manager of the Dawson team, recently sold one of his mining properties in the Yukon for \$750,000 cash. The Vancouver World is authority for this statement in a column article referring to the successful gold digger and hockey enthusiast.

The Senior Teams. Between 9 and 10 o'clock tonight the Mohawks will meet for practice, and from 10 to 11 the Neptunes will use the ice. The committee which is to select the all St. John hockey team, which will play the Klondikers, will be on hand tonight, and it is probable that they will decide on some of the players. The committee is composed of Jas. Harrison, Harry Dunn and Ed. Moore, and they can be depended on to make their selection in an impartial manner, without regard as to who is who.

Intermediate League. In Queen's rink tonight the St. James and Neptunes will meet in the fourth game of the intermediate league. This should prove a good swift game, as both these teams are determined to win.

THE SEASON'S EVENT. In provincial hockey circles the season's event will be the meeting of the two local senior teams and the crack septettes from Moncton and Sackville. The boys are going in to win these games if it is within their powers to do it, and which ever seven wins, in either match, is sure to have played one of the hardest games of their lives. The Mohawks are making several changes in their lineup and expect to place a much stronger team on the ice than in either of the matches played this season. It will be a good old time crowd that will cheer the Mohawks and Neptunes to victory Friday evening.

With the Juniors. Halifax, Jan. 17.--(Special)--Halifax Junior Curlees today defeated the New Glasgow juniors by 28 points in a match played here. Three home rinks scored 62 points against New Glasgow.

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POOL.

De Oro Won. St. Louis Jan. 18.--The third and final game in the Six Hundred point Pool Championship contest between Alfred De Oro and Grant Eby resulted last night in De Oro defeating Eby by the total score of 600 to 490. Last night's score resulted: De Oro 196 high run 30 Eby 221 h, high run 41.

BASEBALL.

Brethren in Unity. New York, Jan. 18.--According to President Harry Pulliam, of the National League, who returned to his office in the city, yesterday, after a month's absence, harmony will prevail between the National and American Leagues the coming season, says the World.

"All our conference in Cincinnati," said Pulliam, yesterday "President Johnson of the American League, came to a perfect understanding on the schedule question. The season will open April 14, and close October 8. All the holiday dates have been divided on an equitable basis, without any friction. Bunker Hill and Past Day, the great holidays in Boston, were included in this. Johnson and I will meet later in this month."

PROGRESS OF THE NEGRO

In a recent lecture Booker T. Washington said that one-twenty-sixth of the soil of Virginia was owned by Negroes, according to the official records. The Negro race has developed more rapidly in the 30 years of its freedom than the Latin race had in 1,000 years of freedom. About 65 per cent of Italians, 85 per cent of Spaniards, 70 per cent of Russians and 80 per cent of South Americans were illiterate, but after 30 years of freedom only 54 per cent of the Negro race were illiterate.

"In Georgia," Mr. Washington said, \$16,700,000 is the taxable value of the Negroes' property. Probably the colored man has learned the lesson of hiding his real value from his white brother; the figures ought to be over \$30,000,000."

RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS.

Dr. G. R. Parkin Laughs at the Idea They Will Revolutionize Oxford.

In a recent issue of the 'Cornhill Magazine,' one of the Rhodes scholars at Oxford writes to the effect that instead of Oxford influencing the Rhodes students, the latter are likely to influence Oxford, which is given over to athleticism, and which seriously needs to be taught the value of study.

Dr. George Parkin, who has recently returned from England, and who was seen this week at the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, by a Witness reporter, laughed quietly at the idea of the Rhodes students changing the character of Oxford.

"I have the article itself in the 'Cornhill' to which you refer," he said. "Well, what is the use of giving it any attention? It is an article written by a boy. It is a boy's opinion. It reminds one of the fly which thought it moved the coach. Why, Oxford is the greatest institution in the world. The idea of the Rhodes students revolutionizing it is perfectly absurd. Of course, you will hear a lot of nonsense of that kind."

"Then Oxford is in no danger of losing its character?" "Not the least bit in the world. I have recently seen the Rhodes students, and I attended a dinner with the American students gave recently. They are a fine lot of fellows--forty of them. So are the Canadians and the Australians. They are all likely to do well."

"And is it true that Oxford is given over to athleticism?" Dr. Parkin shrugged his shoulders indignantly. "Oxford means what it always meant--the greatest seat of learning in the world. The boys are getting into the Oxford life. You will hear in the connection, many expressions of opinion, but I am not afraid," said Dr. Parkin, with gentle irony, "that Oxford will be seriously hurt in connection with these scholarships, the carrying out of which, by the way, will be mutually beneficial."

"Robbed by footpads, were you? It must have made you feel like thirty cents."

"Yes, and I'll bet I looked like 12 o'clock."

"How do you mean?" "Hands up."

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The Disease Causes 150,000 Deaths and Costs \$240,000,000 Every Year.

Tuberculosis causes annually more than 150,000 deaths in the United States at the average age of 35 years. At this age the normal after-life expectancy is about 32 years, so that the real loss of life covered, measured in time, is represented by 4,800,000 years per annum. If we assume that the net value of a year of human life after the age of 35 years is at least \$50, the real loss to the Nation resulting from the disease (a large proportion of which is known to be needless) may be estimated at \$240,000,000 per annum. These astounding and almost incomprehensible figures are far from being an exaggeration, but let us assume that only one-half of this mortality is preventable, and we have a net possible saving to the nation of \$120,000,000 per annum. This estimate does not take into account the social and sentimental value of at least 100,000 lives, which, under different conditions, might reasonably hope to continue for many years. The mortality from tuberculosis is, therefore a problem compared with which all other social problems of a medicinal character sink into insignificance, and it is safe to say that the possible prevention of a large portion of the mortality from this disease is justly deserving of the solicitude, the active personal interest and liberal pecuniary support of all who have the real welfare of the people of this Nation at heart.

Biggs estimates that New York City contains an annual economic loss of \$28,000,000, and that the Nation at large must sustain an annual loss of \$330,000,000 because of tuberculosis. There are yearly 10,000 deaths from consumption in New York City. Seven thousand persons died in Illinois in 1903, half of them between the ages of 20 and 60 years, while the estimated loss to that state alone, because of this disease, was \$30,000,000, and the medical authorities of that state have found that consumption is responsible for more deaths than typhoid fever, scarlet fever, diphtheria, all forms of bronchitis, influenza, measles and smallpox combined.--New York Medical Journal.

STUDY IN NAMES.

Now that Americans' touring cars are thick as bees in English lanes, and their patronage of the quaint and comfortable inns that are found along the roads is more or less constant, it may interest them to know the origin of some of the inn signs.

For instance, "The Bag o' Nails," incomprehensible as it seems, is simply a corruption of the word "Bacchanals." The strange-sounding sign which was entitled to precedence down to "The Goat and Colognes Mouth," alluding to a naval battle that took place in Boulogne harbor. In the well known sign, "The Beetle and Wedge," the beetle is the instrument used by paviors for hammering in the paving stones.

Some signs make a ponderous attempt to be humorous, as, for instance, "The Lord of Mischief," which is represented by a man with a woman on his back. "The Pig and Whistle" is a corruption of "The Peg and Wassail," alluding to the old wassail bowl, in which were inserted to mark the pin which was entitled to precedence down to "The Goat and Colognes Mouth," alluding to a naval battle that took place in Boulogne harbor. In the well known sign, "The Beetle and Wedge," the beetle is a wild supervision of the known sign, "The Chequers."



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TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS. Dr. Paglia, hypnotist, at York Theatre...

Local News.

The common council will meet on Friday afternoon to appoint assessors for the current year.

SUDDEN DEATH OF DAVID BROWN.

Well Known St. John Citizen Passed Quickly Away in the Queen Hotel, Fredericton.

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

The Telegraph and Times Publishing Companies take pleasure in announcing the signing of a contract with the Goss Printing Press...

MACAULAY BROS. & CO. LADIES' and MISSES' White Underwear. WINTER SALE NOW ON.

THE WATER SUPPLY THUS FAR IS GOOD.

Superintendent Murdoch, of the St. John water works, was called upon by a Times reporter this morning and sufficiently to let the summit...

Custom Tailoring At Bargain Prices. During this month we will give a discount of 20 p. c. in our Custom Tailoring Department.

PAULINE AT THE YORK.

Last Evening He Astonished His Audience by Some Wonderful Demonstrations.

SERGT. MAJ. SCHOOF.

Tells of an Indian with Four Wives—A Strapping Maiden.

POLICE REPORTS.

The police found open and secured the door of Kelly's carriage factory last night.

January Sale of Satisfactory Overcoats. Quite a number of men imagine still that they cannot obtain satisfactory overcoats unless they have them made to measure.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

At the Royal—J. A. Chico, Montreal; W. Ogilvie, Halifax; P. H. Moore and wife, Boston; Leman W. Cox, Truro; B. Rucker, Boston; E. W. Smith, New York; Charles Robinson, Chatham; J. Belcher, New York; E. L. Shubert, Hartford; Willard Ritchie, Fredericton; Geo. E. Forsyth, London; A. H. Webb, Halifax; Geo. W. Stewart, Boston; Geo. C. Cook and wife, Halifax; I. Norris, Montreal; Victor Syden, Toronto; Victor N. Lyon, Toronto; W. D. Mackay, Montreal; N. S. Smith and wife, Halifax.

AN ART EXHIBITION.

The exhibition of Arts and Handicrafts to be opened, Tuesday in the studio of the Woman's Art association...

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

The condition of Philip Palmer, remains unchanged today. Miss Gertrude Boyles, of Carleton, is visiting friends in Fredericton.

Overcoats now priced \$6.90, \$7.90, \$8.90, that sold at \$10 to \$15; Other Overcoats are priced \$9.90, \$12, \$13.50, some of which sold up to \$18.

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