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Need for steamers for the transportation of refugees. The minister that efforts should now be directed toward the sending of a great quantity of wood and other building material for the construction of huts for the Sicilian and Calabrian.

A REMARKABLE CASE. SSINA, Jan. 6.—A curious case of sympathy has occurred to a sailor and the Italian battleship Regina. He was granted leave to go for a girl in Messina with whom he was engaged to be married. Having sought for her during days, he returned to the ship deck and fell into a deep sleep, which he dreamed of his fiancée to him: "I am alive. Come."

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## HAZEN'S HIGHWAY ACT ASSERTS CHARGE HAS EVIDENTLY THE LIMIT

Kent County Council Refuses to Consider It at All  
Carleton Doesn't Want It, and Says So—New Court House for Woodstock  
Council Asks Scott Act Inspector to Resign, but He Declines

RICHMOND, N. B., Jan. 13.—The Kent County council, by a vote of twelve to nine, refused to consider the request of the provincial government for suggestions pertaining to the amendment of the highway act. The opinion was expressed that the government should carry out their promise in this matter made to the people before the last provincial election.

A New Court House  
WOODSTOCK, N. B., Jan. 12.—The county council at its meeting today voted almost unanimously in favor of the erection of a new court house in the town of Woodstock. This has been a vexed question for many years. The present building is an antiquated structure situated at Upper Woodstock, two miles from town, and has been soundly condemned by judges and grand juries for many years. Never until today, however, has the council been favorably disposed to erect a new building. The council has passed a resolution authorizing the engineer to prepare plans and specifications for a new building, which are to be laid before a special meeting of the council in March. The idea is to have the court house erected before fall.

The Hazen's highway act received a body blow today, the council, after a long discussion, adopting without a dissent a resolution proposed by Coun. Raymond, Conservative, condemning the \$2 poll tax feature, and asking that the amount be reduced to \$1.50.

Caused Excitement  
The greatest excitement was caused over the Scott Act, a determined effort being made to oust Inspector Colpitts. The majority report was by Coun. Melville and J. Hay, who alleged incapacity on the ground of old age. They declared themselves in favor of a younger man, more active of mind. Fault was also found concerning the deficit of some \$800 in the year's operations, caused largely by the active prosecution of outside liquor shippers.

## RIFLES

WINCHESTER 22, 30, 303, 32, 33, 35, 38-55, 40-72, 405, 44, 45, 70, 45 90

AUTOMATIC, 32, 35, 351

MARLIN, 30, 38-55, 44-40, 45-70

SAVAGE, 303, 38-55

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## ASSERTS CHARGE HAS NOT BEEN SUSTAINED

Powell Contends Braithwaite Charge Arose Out of Malice  
Case Against Robinson Concluded—Grimmer Reserves Decision  
Attorney for Accused Says Braithwaite's License Should be Revoked  
But Gregory Maintains Guide Only Did His Duty

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 13.—The investigation into charges preferred by Henry Braithwaite against Arthur Robinson was concluded today and Surveyor Grimmer, who acted as commissioner, announced that he would reserve his decision until he had received typewritten copy of the evidence.

H. A. Powell in summing up for the defense, declared that a little of evidence had not been brought forward to support the charges laid, that the rumormongering information laid solely out of malice contained by Braithwaite towards Robinson in an effort to drive him out of the country, and that he (Braithwaite) had already been convicted of violation of the game law, the surveyor's jurisdiction over the condemnation upon him to the extent of taking away his license as guide.

Only Did His Duty  
Mr. Gregory, for Braithwaite, admitted the charges had not been proved, that there was no evidence against Robinson, and that his defense was completely satisfactory to all, yet he claimed as Braithwaite had seen some evidence evidently killed out of season and circumstances pointed towards Mr. Robinson as the guilty party, that Braithwaite had only done his duty as a guide in reporting the same and causing an investigation.

Resumed at 10 O'Clock  
The inquiry was resumed in Parliament building at ten o'clock this morning. Surveyor Grimmer conducted the investigation. H. A. Powell and R. A. Lawlor were present for Robinson, and A. J. Gregory and J. J. F. Winslow for Braithwaite.

Henry Braithwaite's cross-examination was conducted by Mr. Powell. A plan of the district in which the lakes were situated, was shown and Braithwaite traced the two trails from Holmes to Jack Lake and other lakes. The location of the various moose found by Braithwaite were approximately pointed out. The fifth moose near Logan Lake was about one-quarter to one-half mile from the lake and thirty yards off the trail. He found the cartridge casing lying by the bears. This case was for Purdy-Express cartridges.

To Mr. Powell witness would not swear that bears had tramped this down. A man might have done it. The slab of wood taken from a tree near the big dead water containing an insulting reference intended for Mrs. Arthur Robinson was admitted writing this. He felt no one but he had any right to that vicinity. He was there 24 years, and looked on Mr. Robinson as an interloper and thought he had no right there. He found a canoe on this occasion belonging to Mr. Robinson. He then wrote on a planked tree near "Take this canoe out of here as quick as Christ will let you. If you are looking for trouble you will get it. You are not entitled shooting cow moose in Jack Lake, you are coming here to repeat it." August 4. (Signed) H. B. Mr. Powell—You still maintain you had no hard feelings towards Mr. Robinson?

Witness—Yes.  
Mr. Powell—Serious feelings?  
Witness—Yes, on my part.  
Powell—I don't suppose you would countenance many more of these things I would not look for that.  
Witness—I defy you to prove that I killed moose illegally. There has been a lot of hot air about me.  
Powell—Then it's only proof we lack?  
Witness said he knew Mr. Robinson had nothing against him where he found the canoe.  
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## DUKE OF CONNAUGHT ARRIVES AT MESSINA



RUINS OF BAGNARA.  
MESSINA, Jan. 13.—The Duke of Connaught arrived here today on board the British cruiser Aboukir and visited the ruins wrought by the earthquake. He was deeply impressed with the immensity of the catastrophe, remarking that the reality far surpassed anything that the imagination might picture.

## GIRL'S CONFESSION LEADS TO DISCOVERY OF A MURDER

Farmer Shot Man Who Threatened Him, Then He and the Girl Cut Up the Body and Buried the Pieces in Different Places

YORK, Pa., Jan. 14.—Harry Keener, a York County farmer, today confessed that the story told by Lorena Tawser, an 18 year old girl of this city, that he had killed a man on his farm last July, is true. The identity of the victim is still a mystery.

The girl accused Keener while she was lying on what was believed to be her death bed, but the young farmer steadfastly maintained his innocence until this morning when mentally tortured by the awaiting process he was put through he broke down and told the police what he had done with the body.

Last summer Miss Tawser was employed on Keener's farm near Seven Valleys, a short distance from this city. The mother of the groom in this city and was taken seriously ill while listening to the testimony. Fearing she would die the girl gave a detailed account of the supposed crime which she attended at the murder trial in the killing of a man, she said that she had been sworn to secrecy by Keener and was afraid to divulge it. The local authorities were immediately notified and as a result Keener was taken into custody last Sunday.

The girl said that after Keener had killed the man, he buried the body in the orchard of the farm and that he had painted the places where blood had spilled. An immediate investigation was started for three days. Twenty-five men under the direction of the District Attorney searched the farm. The entire orchard was plowed up to a depth of three or four feet, but the body was not found.

Keener told the police that his victim was a stranger who came to his house in the night and without apparent provocation threatened to kill him. He said he shot through the glass in the door of his home and killed him. He then buried the body, he said, in the orchard, but the reason for the body caused him to take it up.

## KING SENTENCED TO A LONG TERM IN PRISON

Former Financier Gets from Ten to Fourteen Years  
King on the Stand Reviews the Story of His Life  
Blames Tom Lawson for Bringing About His Downfall

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—Cardozo Flavin, King, former financier and broker, occupying palatial offices in Boston and New York and for a short time publisher of a daily paper in Boston, was tonight sentenced by Judge Schofield in the superior criminal court to serve a term of not less than ten and not more than fourteen years at hard labor in the state prison at Charlestown, having been convicted in twenty-one counts on the charges of larceny, embezzlement and securing on false pretenses the sum of \$20,000 from his customers.

The sentence imposed upon the former well-known financier followed a most dramatic recital in which Mr. King, under oath, upon the stand, reviewed the story of his life, his flight from Boston and his travels in London, Paris and Ceylon, declaring that he was innocent of wrong intent in any of his acts and closing by accusing Thomas W. Lawson of secretly fighting him and bringing him to imprisonment. Mrs. King and her two sons sat beside the defendant in the prison.

The last move of Mr. King's attorney to secure a delay was a motion for a stay of execution by Attorney Jesse Gove, who sought to have the imposing sentence delayed until Saturday. Herbert Parker, also for the defense, argued on the motion that his client had not been found guilty of any specific crime by the jury. Judge Schofield declined to grant the motion and on motion of setting District Attorney Dwyer imposed a sentence of ten years. C. F. King began his financial operations in Boston late in 1904, when he opened extensive offices in the Journal building on Washington street.

Through extensive and unique advertising he attracted many investors to his office and as well did a big business by correspondence. Among other offers, he presented combinations of blocks of stocks of companies promoted by himself, such as the King-Crowther and Ehrmann properties, with listed stocks. His business increasing, he opened seven more lavishly-furnished offices in New York city and early in 1907 began the publication of the Boston Daily Tribune. The New York offices failed to pay and the paper was discontinued after it had run for several months, having cost its promoter, who was claimed, nearly half a million dollars.

Early in 1908 customers of Mr. King began making complaints that listed stocks for which they had sent the financial agent money were not forwarded to them. Suddenly on February 21, 1908, it was announced that Mr. King had placed all his property and affairs in the hands of S. A. Hopkins and H. D. Teaton as trustees. A meeting of creditors soon followed and King was declared a bankrupt and Lee M. Friedman appointed trustee by the creditors. An investigation showed liabilities of \$297,881.25 and assets of \$18,668.78.

Mr. King in the meantime had disappeared, and following an investigation by the authorities a warrant was issued for his arrest. It was learned that he had gone to New York and from there sailed to London. He was next heard from in Paris. From there he went to Colombia, Ceylon, where he sought the mountains in search of his health, as he claimed, and to forget his financial difficulties.

On June 1, 1908, he appeared at police headquarters and surrendered himself. He was placed under arrest but was later released, having secured bail in the sum of \$25,000. Various customers of King testified to failure to receive stocks for which they had sent money while not a few declared they had received the stocks or their equivalent in money since King's return.

FROZEN TO DEATH  
WATERBURY, Vt., Jan. 13.—William Evans, English born, aged 55, living two and a half miles west from here, left Waterbury Saturday morning for his work, and was not seen again. His foot steps were traced and the night was found lying frozen in Bluff, where he had climbed to die.

## WOULD LIKE TO SECURE GOV'T ROAD

Natural Outlet for Canadian Northern  
D. D. MANN TALKS  
Emmerson Says People of Maritime Provinces Oppose Transfer

TORONTO, Jan. 13.—In reference to a statement that the Intercolonial had fallen into the hands of MacKenzie and Mann, Vice-president D. D. Mann today said: "There is no truth in it." He denied that any negotiations had been entered into, but if the government were disposed to sell or lease it his company would make an attempt to secure it, as it would provide an outlet to the sea for the winter shipping of grain.

"Oh, you say forty millions is a fair figure for the Intercolonial?" Mann was asked.  
He hesitated a moment before he said, "Oh, I have not estimated what the road is worth. As I said, the road is a natural outlet for our 5,000 miles of railway. We handle one-third of the western grain crop and it would be to the advantage of the country if we had the road."

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 13.—In connection with the discussion which is now proceeding in the press relative to the sale or leasing of the government road, J. E. Walsh, transportation expert of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, waited on the Minister of Railways yesterday, and in the name of his association advised that the government should not part with the line on any account. Mr. Walsh thought it would be a serious mistake to sell the government railway or to lease it to anyone.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 13.—The marriage in St. Bernard's church last evening of Miss Mary Dalry and Rankins Smith, both of Ottawa, was the culmination of a pretty romance. Mr. Smith has been employed in Moncton for some time in the electrical department of the I. C. R. new shops. He and Miss Dalry had been very friendly in Ottawa, and a few days ago the young lady came to Moncton to visit her friends. Some differences had stood in the way of their wedding in Ottawa but after the young lady's arrival here, matters were arranged and a quiet wedding took place in St. Bernard's church last evening. Rev. Father Conway officiated. Parents of the bride and groom are yet ignorant of the wedding. The mother of the groom is at the present time on her way to southern California accompanied by Mrs. Fielding, wife of Hon. W. S. Fielding, the latter being an uncle of the groom. Smith is the son of an Ottawa Presbyterian clergyman.

## SENATOR KERR MADE SPEAKER

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—At this afternoon's meeting of the Cabinet council Senator J. K. Kerr, of Toronto, was appointed speaker of senate in the new parliament in succession to Speaker Danbur, and who had held office during the past four years. Another appointment made today was that Mr. Geo. Smith, ex-M.P. of Woodstock, be county judge of Essex in succession to Judge Mickie.

A man was lying on the grass between the porch and the cellar door. He said, "My God," twice and opened his eyes as I looked. "I'll finish him," said Keener and fired three times more I think four shots hit him in the head and one in the head.  
"Then Keener got the little wagon and loaded the body on it. As he was going out the garden gate to turn it into the orchard, the body rolled off, but Keener loaded it on again.  
She then told the body into a hole and throwing the body into it, and how he swore her to secrecy, threatening to kill her if she should ever reveal anything of what she had seen.

CHURCH NOTES FOR BUSY MEN

ROMAN CATHOLIC Who is to Blame?

The New Freeman, speaking of misconduct on the trains, makes the statement...

Another Convert

Facing ostracism by members of his family, declaring all his friends void and relinquishing his claim to high political honors...

The Pope's Donation

His Holiness has contributed a second donation of \$100,000, the relief of the sufferers by the recent earthquake in Italy...

THE ANGLICAN.

About Titles

England is divided into two great ecclesiastical provinces, north and south, of which Canterbury and York...

Had 17 Curates

When Vicar of Portsea, an immense parish in the borough of Portsmouth, Dr. Lang, the recently appointed archbishop of York...

Father Ignatius

Joseph Sylvester Lyons, who gave himself the above name, and who recently passed away, was a remarkable man...

THE PRESBYTERIAN

The Devil

Such is the suggestive title of a play which the Presbyterian, quoting from the Ottawa Free Press...

A Diamond Jubilee

The First Presbyterian Church in Chicago, of which Rev. J. A. Morrison, formerly of this city...

For Women

A missionary college for women is in course of erection in Edinburgh, Scotland...

THE BAPTISTS.

A Creditable Showing

The colored Baptist churches in the United States have a National Commission of their own...

membership in colored Baptist churches of 2,350,636, a net gain of \$4,387 over 1907...

Baptists in Mexico

A report of the Mexico Convention, held at Saltillo, in October, shows that Baptist work here is having a fair degree of prosperity...

Probably None Older

Mrs. Salome Sellers, of Sunset, Deer Isle, Maine, is probably the oldest member of the Baptist church in the city...

THE METHODISTS

A Truly Great Man

St. Robert Mark, Bart., G.C.M.G., is one of the men whom Methodists everywhere rejoice to claim as one of themselves...

Came from the Sunday School

A writer in the Guardian says: "With 1800 members of the Sunday School joining the Church last year and a total increase in the Church membership of only 6,000 the importance of this agency is forced upon us..."

Sunday School Rally

On New Year's Day over 7000 Sunday School children attended services in the churches, in Montreal, 3000 in St. James Methodist, 2500 in the Presbyterian (Brisbane) 800 in the Congregational and 800 in Olivet (Baptist) besides teachers, officers and friends...

SATURDAY SERMONETTE

NEW YEAR.

Welcome 1909. We welcome you gladly and yet our joy is mingled with forebodings. 1908 brought the most of us more sorrow than joy.

We cannot but think of the mothers who have grown older the last year than in ten before. The wrinkles have come and the hair has whitened watching for their sailor sons whose last voyage is ended.

Suppose we put them down in black and white to see how they would look. This is my New Year's resolution. I will by the devil's help be a worse man this year than I have ever been before.

How would it do for the man who has hardly ever been to church to resolve that he will not go at all this year?

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Do NOT WORSHIP THE RIGHT GOD Church Goes Astray, Declares Minister. Divine Declares That Man Must Place His Mind on Practical Things.

SPEAKER CALLS THEM MANY MARRIAGES BIBLE GERRYMANDERS LAST SIX MONTHS

Mr. Dowling's Criticism of Sermon. Declares Name of Rev. Mr. McCaskill's Church Should Be Changed.

In the Christadelphian Hall last evening B. J. Dowling in the 18th of his address referred to the published report of a recent sermon delivered in this city by Rev. J. J. McCaskill.

Mr. Dowling said in part: "The unfortunate thing is that Christ was nothing more than man in one of the bold assertions of the new theology and originates in a misconception of the character and person of God and a false theory concerning His purpose with regard to the earth and man upon it."

"The young Galilean, a vain dreamer, is brought before the angry, self-satisfied judge and asked to own his dreams, to explain the truth and faith and love and God and many other things of those things too."

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 15.—Tied to a small tree by his own belt buckled around his throat, the body of fifteen year old John Veslov was found today in a woods at Upper Darby, near here.

Surprise Soap advertisement featuring an illustration of a woman and a child.

30 NARROWLY ESCAPE DEATH PARENTS NEGLECT THEIR CHILDREN. Able Address by Judge Ritchie. EVERY DAY CLUB.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Jan. 10.—Thirty people in this neighborhood were very thankful that they escaped death in a collision that occurred yesterday afternoon between an electric car and a freight train on the Milltown branch of the C. P. R.

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\$85,000,000 SPENT; WORK ONLY STARTED. Interesting Evidence Heard by Canal Commission—Dam Will Be Successful.

PANAMA, Jan. 9.—The special committee of the United States Congress which has been investigating canal work here for the past week, has now examined the head of every department of the waterway construction.

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PRISONER IN WA LOCKUP MAKE ATTEMPTS

Craved with liquor and filled with a determination to take his own life, Patrick Carroll, Miss Lethbridge, was taken to a lockup Saturday evening between 6 and 7 o'clock.

Before being placed in a cell the prisoner was searched and his coat, necktie and muffler taken away. He had been threatening to take his life on the way to the lockup.

NEW BRUNSWICK

JEMESBO, Jan. 8.—On the 6th inst. Miss Ruth Atter, Miss Lethbridge, man and Miss Emma, a daughter of Queens Co., went to Wolfville to attend Acadia Seminary.

John McNamara and daughter left on Thursday morning for home after attending the session of the district lodge.

A Purdy is spending the week in the city, having gone there in company with his mother, Mrs. J. C. Purdy, and daughter of Whatcom, state of Washington.

Miss Gertrude Titus of Lower Jemese, who has for several months been visiting friends in New York, is returning as intending to return home again in the early spring.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. SMALL KIDNEY DISEASE. RHEUMATISM. BRIGHT'S DISEASE. NEURALGIA. MIGRAINE. HEADACHE. BRUISES. SWELLINGS. GRAVEL. GOUT. CALCULI. SANDS. STONES. URIC ACID. URIC ACID. URIC ACID.





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**DOWN  
 HIGHWAY ACT**

**Principal Council Passes  
 Strong Resolution  
 Against It**  
 Privatives as Well as  
 Grants Vote Against  
 Act

**First Municipal Council  
 to Deal With It—  
 Officers Will Follow**

ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 14.—The  
 council of St. John is again on Mr. Haza and  
 his act. Instead of bringing  
 the act into force, as intended,  
 the council a few days ago that  
 the act be referred to the municipal  
 council for its consideration.  
 The council has passed a resolution  
 to amend the act. The first  
 county to take up the refer-  
 ence of Sunbury, Mr. Haza's  
 attorney, and at its annual  
 meeting, which will be held  
 this week a resolution con-  
 sidering the act was passed with  
 only one voice among the four  
 members of the council, Conserva-  
 tive, Liberal, and  
 well known. The  
 Councilor Albery Green  
 of the majority of the coun-  
 Conservative.

**THE CHILDREN  
 CANNOT LEARN**

Students of French children  
 are studying school children  
 at the moment under the  
 impression that infantile phenom-  
 ena as the dunes. The exis-  
 tence of the dunes is frequently to  
 be seen, as if they were  
 a monument, and they have  
 a reputation for their  
 monument. Incidentally they  
 are a disposition for mathematics  
 as is no criterion whatever of  
 for originality. Vigorous  
 and that the ability to deal  
 with them is often observable in  
 the mind, says the New  
 York Times.  
 They say, it is often  
 said, the poor child may  
 be a weakness of sight, or in-  
 stead, and his teachers fail to  
 see it. Morbid shyness and  
 nervousness, often characteristic  
 of them, are as frequently as not  
 a result of the so-called dul-  
 lity to learn. All children  
 agree with the same alert-  
 ness and the same alert-  
 ness in years behind their age, in-  
 mentality, has been noted by  
 Mrs. Corvisart, Napoleon's  
 nurse, who said that these  
 children are the finest when they  
 are young, and that the fact of  
 their weakness is invariably a  
 ripe old age will be reached.

**RIDERS POUR  
 INTO HOUSES**

ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 14.—An  
 out-crowd on Flat River was  
 tonight by so-called "Night  
 Riders" who were seen  
 at the dwellings of several  
 persons in the vicinity of  
 Clayton county. The  
 "Night Riders," masked and  
 armed, approached a dwelling  
 and it is reported and with  
 a knife, poured a volley  
 of fire, then quickly disap-  
 peared. It is known no one  
 was hurt. Solicitor General  
 Stone Mountain circuit has  
 issued a warrant for the arrest  
 of the latest outbreak  
 and steps to stop the lawless

**WORKS  
 EQUALLY WELL  
 IN EITHER HOT  
 OR COLD WATER**  
 T. JOHN, N. B.

**WILL PRESERVE SCENIC  
 BEAUTIES OF THE FALLS**

Canada and United States  
 Reach Agreement With  
 Respect to Niagara

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—The govern-  
 ment of Canada and the United States  
 have come to an agreement in regard to  
 the restriction of power development en-  
 terprises at Niagara with a view of  
 preserving the scenic beauty of the  
 falls. The question of saving the falls  
 has engaged the attention of the au-  
 thorities of the two countries for sev-  
 eral years past. In view of the gen-  
 eral alarm that was felt over the pro-  
 posals of great industrial companies  
 for power development works and the  
 prospect that all the water of the Ni-  
 agara River might be converted into  
 falls to the turbines of electrical com-  
 panies, thus destroying the present  
 grandeur of the falls, Canada and the  
 United States appointed an interna-  
 tional commission in 1905 to deal with  
 the whole question. That commission  
 made a thorough study of the problem  
 and in 1906 reported that no more than  
 20,000 cubic feet of water per second  
 on the Canadian side and 18,500 feet  
 on the American side in addition to the  
 10,000 cubic feet taken by the Chi-  
 cago drainage canal could be  
 diverted for power purposes without  
 marred the present beauty of the  
 falls.

These were the quantities of water  
 which would be taken when the works  
 of the various companies then under  
 construction were completed and the  
 full quantity of water allowed by their  
 charters used. Since that time there  
 has been a slight increase of the power  
 taken on the American side but not  
 on the Canadian side.

As a result of negotiations between  
 the two governments during the past  
 year an agreement to limit the use of  
 Niagara water for power purposes has  
 now been reached. Hon. Wm. Pugsley,  
 minister of Public Works for Canada,  
 visited Washington last week and he  
 with British Ambassador Bryce and  
 United States Secretary of State Root,  
 embodied this agreement in a treaty  
 which has been signed on behalf of  
 the Canadian side and the American au-  
 thorities. It is understood that by the  
 treaty on the American side in ad-  
 dition to the ten thousand feet of  
 water taken by the Chicago Drainage  
 Canal Power Companies will be per-  
 mitted to take an additional 10,000  
 cubic feet of water per second. On  
 the Canadian side the diversion of  
 water for power purposes is limited to  
 20,000 cubic feet per second, the  
 surplus being allowed a development of  
 425,000 horse power. The total diversion  
 of water at Niagara Falls is therefore  
 restricted to 60,000 cubic feet per second  
 and the power which can be developed  
 from it is 661,000 horse power. This  
 treaty will run for a limited term of  
 years. "The period is understood to be  
 long enough to allow of a demonstra-  
 tion of the effect of the proposed  
 limitation. It is subject to the  
 approval of the American Senate and  
 the Canadian parliament, before which  
 it will be laid at the opening of the  
 session this month. If approved by the  
 senate and by parliament the two  
 countries will name a joint commission  
 to see that the terms of the treaty are  
 adhered to by the power companies of  
 both countries."

**OPERATING SENSATION  
 PROMISED IN DRESDEN**  
 Celebration of Strauss Week  
 Will be Opened on  
 January 25

BERLIN, Jan. 11.—Strauss week at  
 Dresden at the end of January, pro-  
 mises to be the operatic sensation of  
 the year in Germany. The celebra-  
 tion will be opened with the premiere of Elek-  
 tra on January 25, and will be con-  
 tinued with performances of Salome,  
 Faust, and other Strauss operas.  
 Berlin's musical world will send a  
 large representation to Dresden, in-  
 cluding a numerous American contin-  
 ent, who will have a special train and  
 will return to Berlin immediately after  
 each opera. The Dresden Opera House  
 has already been sold out for both per-  
 formances of Elektra.

This opera will be sung in Berlin on  
 February 8, so that King Edward,  
 whose visit is expected to fall about  
 the same date, will probably have an  
 opportunity of hearing it.  
 On Lincoln's centenary anniversary,  
 February 12, Felix Adler will deliver a  
 commemorative address at the Berlin  
 University. He will present the uni-  
 versity with a bronze bust of Lincoln,  
 which has been delivered to the Na-  
 tional Museum at Washington.

**TURKEY TO REPLY  
 TO AUSTRIA TODAY**

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 11.—The  
 reply of the Turkish government to the  
 Austro-Hungarian offer of \$10,000,000 as  
 indemnity for the annexation of the  
 provinces of Bosnia and Herzegovina  
 will probably be delivered tomorrow to  
 Marquis Pallavicini, the Austro-Hun-  
 garian ambassador. Although the  
 amount is generally thought by mem-  
 bers of the Turkish government to be  
 too small, it is believed that the nego-  
 tiations will lead ultimately to an  
 agreement.

**FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.**

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's  
 Vegetable Compound, made  
 from roots and herbs, has been the  
 standard remedy for female ills,  
 and has positively cured thousands of  
 women who have been troubled with  
 displacements, inflammation, ulcers,  
 fibroid tumors, irregularities,  
 periodic pains, backache, that beat-  
 ing-down feeling, flatulency, indiges-  
 tion, dizziness or nervous prostration.  
 Why don't you try it?  
 Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick  
 women to write her for advice.  
 She has guided thousands to  
 health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

**BOARD STRIKES  
 STRAIGHT FROM  
 THE SHOULDER**

Cancel New Express  
 Rates  
 New Classification Made  
 Under Misconception,  
 Says Mabce

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—The railway com-  
 mission took prompt and effective  
 measures this afternoon to protect the  
 public against the increases in express  
 rates all over Canada involved in the  
 new classification which went into ef-  
 fect on the first day of the year. Chief  
 Commissioner Mabce, after hearing to-  
 day further evidence from the com-  
 panies and from shippers, handed out  
 judgment summarily cancelling the  
 old rates in force prior to January 1st.  
 He explained that the board's order  
 approving the new classification had  
 been issued under a misconception as  
 to the real effect of the changes ap-  
 plied for by the companies. It had been  
 understood that the new classification  
 would be made in the rates pending the  
 result of the general inquiry into rates  
 now pending. But now it was made  
 evident that the new classification in-  
 volved serious changes and general in-  
 creases. The board's plain duty was to  
 recall the order of approval issued un-  
 der a misconception. The companies  
 are ordered to notify their agents at  
 once to restore the old rates. The ques-  
 tion of claims for rebates on over-  
 charges under the new rates from the  
 first of the year until now will be set-  
 tled according to individual cases.  
 A Council for the Canadian Northern  
 Express Company gave notice of ap-  
 peal to the Governor General in Coun-  
 cil from the ruling of the board.

**A CURIOUS SPANISH CUSTOM.**  
 Ellen Maury Slayden in the Century  
 in an account of her own and her hus-  
 band's lavish entertainment in a Span-  
 ish household says:  
 "No custom of the house was so ac-  
 countable as that of having people  
 come to see you eat. Enjoying a  
 square meal while our guests inhaled  
 cigarette smoke seemed so inhospita-  
 ble that I sometimes playfully in-  
 sisted upon their having something with us.  
 It was always laughingly declined, ex-  
 cept once when a particularly lively  
 youth took a piece of ham and ate it  
 with all sorts of self-conscious little  
 antics, as if he were acting a pantomime."

**PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT FIGURES.**  
 The estimates of the various Pro-  
 vincial Governments furnish one basis  
 of calculation when an effort is made  
 to ascertain the volume of grain pro-  
 duced. The final figures for the year  
 issued by the Government of Mani-  
 toba a few days ago show that the  
 total production of wheat was 49,252,540  
 bushels, of barley 18,135,737 bushels,  
 and of other grains 933,848 bushels,  
 making a total of 68,322,125 bushels,  
 as compared with 69,019,285 bushels in  
 1907. The final figures for Saskatchewan  
 have not yet been issued, but the  
 harvest estimate of the Provincial De-  
 partment of Agriculture issued at the  
 end of September gives the production  
 of wheat as 43,839,608 bushels, of oats  
 4,688,965 bushels, of barley 2,686,113  
 bushels, and of flax 1,570,000 bushels,  
 making a total of 52,684,696 bushels,  
 compared with 53,747,251 bushels in  
 1907. Final estimates for Alberta are  
 still to come as well, but an estimate  
 issued by the Provincial Department  
 of Agriculture late in November gives  
 the production of wheat as 5,242,176  
 bushels, of oats 12,058,597 bushels,  
 and of barley 1,442,065 bushels, and of flax  
 62,983 bushels, making a total of 18,745,821  
 bushels. Using these figures as a  
 basis, the total western production  
 may be placed at 88,034,324 bushels of  
 wheat, 98,412,706 of oats, 22,772,984 of  
 barley and 2,816,840 of flax. This  
 gives a grand total of 212,326 bushels  
 of all grains.

**RECORDS WERE BROKEN.**  
 It is admitted that the figures as  
 prepared by the various Provincial Gov-  
 ernments are conservative in their  
 calculation of both production and  
 acreage, although the acreage yield  
 per acre for each grain works out  
 at about the same figure. The crop  
 figures issued by the Dominion gov-  
 ernment, covering the three prairie  
 Provinces, show a variation in the es-  
 timates on all the grains, as compared  
 with those of the Provincial depart-  
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 dicated by their calculations. The  
 Northwest Grain Dealers' Association,  
 in its final estimate, places the  
 total yield of wheat at 106,000,  
 000 bushels and the Canadian Pacific  
 Railway calculated it at 106,653,252  
 bushels, other estimates made by men  
 who are in close touch with the grain  
 trade in the west, range from 95,000,000  
 to 110,000,000. A fair average would in-



**More proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's  
 Vegetable Compound cures  
 female ills.**  
 Mrs. John Scott, 489 Grand Trunk  
 St., Montreal, writes Mrs. Pinkham:  
 "I was very much run down in  
 health from a female trouble, was thin,  
 nervous, and very weak, and suffered  
 from bearing-down pains. Indeed I  
 did not care whether I lived or died, I  
 felt so badly sometimes.  
 Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-  
 pound completely cured me of all my  
 troubles. I gained in flesh, and am  
 free from backache, female trouble,  
 sick headaches, and nervousness.  
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First of September  
 Street, Messina

**TWELVE MILLION  
 ACRES IN CROP**

What the West May Have if the  
 Spring is Favorable.

Seven Million in Wheat—The Quality  
 of the Year's Crop Has Been  
 Gratifying.

The statistics covering the produc-  
 tion and distribution of grain in the  
 three prairie Provinces during 1908  
 show that the season was the most  
 successful in the history of the west.  
 The aggregate quantity was the lar-  
 gest ever secured there, while the  
 quantity was above the average. The  
 rapidity and ease with which the  
 bulk of the export surplus was moved  
 out established a record in transporta-  
 tion which is not likely to be sur-  
 passed for many years to come, and  
 which is little less than remarkable  
 when the facilities for grain move-  
 ment are analyzed. The farmer, as a  
 general rule, secured a high yield, and  
 received his returns at an earlier  
 period in the season than he has ever  
 done before. An early and favorable  
 seeding time, fairly good growing  
 weather, and excellent conditions for  
 marketing furnished a set of circum-  
 stances which gave an advantage to  
 the producer, and he had the best  
 reasons for feeling gratified at the  
 results of his year's operations.

**ESTIMATED YIELD.**  
 There is the usual variation in the  
 estimates of total yields, but it is  
 conceded that the aggregate of all  
 grains was the greatest ever known.  
 The principal crops issued at the  
 end of the season are as follows:  
 The cultivation of wheat, although  
 oats is becoming a more and more  
 important factor in the total output.  
 It is not yet a conspicuous item,  
 except in Manitoba, but it is a good  
 third. Flax ranks next in order, and  
 the other grains are minor considera-  
 tions.

**MUCH GRAIN STILL TO COME.**  
 The disposition of the balance of the  
 crop is a matter of greater concern  
 this season than ever before. The in-  
 crease in the area under cultivation  
 from year to year makes necessary  
 the reservation of a larger quantity,  
 not only for domestic consumption  
 during the twelve months. The in-  
 crease in the number of live stock  
 means that larger amounts of grain,  
 especially oats and barley, must be  
 set aside for domestic purposes. The  
 average return to the farmer may be  
 placed at not less than 25c. On  
 this basis the value of the oats in-  
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 by the inspection of wheat, oats and  
 barley, the leading grains is over \$50,  
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**OUTLOOK FOR COMING SEASON.**  
 The favorable features of the past  
 season are not all likely to continue in  
 the future, but it is expected that im-  
 provement in transportation facilities, which  
 was a characteristic of 1908, will be  
 maintained. More railways and more  
 efficient operation will go a long way  
 towards relieving the farmer of the bur-  
 den of transporting his grain to mar-  
 keting facilities. The weather can-  
 not be prognosticated in any degree,  
 and it would be unreasonable to sup-  
 pose that the atmospheric blessings of  
 the past twelve months will be re-  
 peated during the next twelve. A fa-  
 vorable seed-time will help to ensure  
 an early crop and, inferentially, a sat-  
 isfactory harvest, but if the sowing

**DAYS OF REVOLUTION  
 RECALLED IN FRANCE**

A Bloodthirsty Crowd Sur-  
 round the Guillotine at  
 Execution

BETHUNE, Pas De Calais, France,  
 Jan. 11.—The first indications of capital  
 punishment in France for a number of  
 years past were witnessed in this town  
 today when four murderers were ex-  
 ecuted by the guillotine. The execu-  
 tions were public and took place in the  
 presence of a large crowd.  
 The record of crime against the four  
 men was a long one. Working together  
 they formed a band which had terror-  
 ized Northern France and Southern  
 Belgium for several years, robbing, as-  
 sassinating and murdering at will.  
 As the condemned men were led out  
 of prison, cries of vengeance arose from  
 the assembled crowd, and as the knife  
 fell ten times in rapid succession, the  
 people present did not hesitate to evi-  
 dence their satisfaction.  
 The French Parliament recently pass-  
 ed a resolution in favor of the reten-  
 tion of the death penalty in France  
 and the Cabinet a fortnight ago decid-  
 ed to carry out Parliament's ruling. The  
 law permitting the infliction of capital  
 punishment had been practically a  
 dead letter, for it had been the custom  
 of the President of the Republic to  
 commute all death sentences to life  
 imprisonment. There remain today  
 eighteen persons in France under sen-  
 tence of death and the guillotine will  
 be used for these executions. The ex-  
 ecutions were carried out rather quickly,  
 yet the multitude from the town and  
 the surrounding country which gather-  
 ed early last night was most impatient  
 and upon the appearance of the con-  
 demned began yelling for instant  
 death. The effect upon the crowd was  
 the most horrible feature of the execu-  
 tions. As one of the condemned men  
 marched defiantly toward the steps of  
 the platform cries of rage broke from  
 the crowd which endeavored to break  
 through the lines of soldiers closely  
 formed around the guillotine. The  
 man brutally repulsed a priest who  
 sought to console him. Shouts of joy  
 burst from the crowd as the knife  
 dropped. The troops immediately after  
 the executions dispersed the crowd and  
 observers at a degrading spectacle and  
 as suggesting terrible scenes of the  
 mob's thirst for blood during the rev-  
 olution.

**GRAIN GRADES WELL.**  
 The quality of the various crops has  
 been a gratifying, if not a surpris-  
 ing feature of the year's agricultural  
 activity. During the four months which  
 elapsed since September 1, the begin-  
 ning of the crop year, the inspections  
 of wheat amounted to more than 50,000  
 cars, or 100,000,000 bushels. Of this  
 vast quantity 48 per cent. graded No. 2  
 or better and about 24 per cent. grad-  
 ed No. 3. For the whole of the crop of  
 1907 the proportion of wheat which  
 graded No. 2 or better was only 23 per  
 cent. More than 6,000 cars, or 10,000,000  
 bushels, of oats were inspected during  
 the four months, and of these about 55  
 per cent. graded No. 2 or better. Out  
 of 2,240 cars of barley inspected, about  
 62 per cent. graded No. 2 or better. In  
 the case of these coarse grains the  
 quality showed a decided improvement  
 over last year, and the gain in this  
 respect was even more marked than in  
 the wheat grades.

**PRICES ON HIGH LEVEL.**  
 The quality of the grains exercised  
 an important influence on the returns  
 to the producer, and the high gradings  
 was responsible for the maintenance  
 of good prices throughout the shipping  
 season. The average price for all  
 grades of wheat has been estimated  
 in one computation at 85c, and with  
 the price of No. 1 Northern hovering  
 around the dollar mark, as it has done  
 for about four months, this may seem  
 to be a fair basis. At such a figure the  
 price of the season's crop, already in-  
 spected may be said to be worth  
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**TO GET HER DIVORCE  
 AFTER 21-YEAR WAIT**  
 Husband Who Disappeared in  
 1888 is Said to Have  
 Remarried

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 11.—After  
 waiting twenty-one years, Mrs. Lida  
 L. Sapher, of Uniontown, is to have a  
 divorce. Recommendation that the di-  
 vorce be granted was filed at Uniontown  
 today. The action was instituted in  
 1888, when Sapher, a blacksmith, dis-  
 appeared.  
 The suit was delayed for one reason  
 and another, and it is said that Sapher  
 remarried in Texas. He went to see his  
 wife two years ago and offered her  
 \$2000 if she would not sue him for big-  
 amony.  
 Recently Mrs. Sapher pushed the di-  
 vorce suit, with the result that it will  
 now be given her.

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 FREE**  
 Here is the best Magic  
 Lantern you have ever seen. You  
 can get it all complete, including  
 one dozen slides of colored views,  
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 for only \$1.00. For the lowest price  
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 Write at once—post-  
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**Limmel  
 FELT FOOTWEAR**

Don't buy Felt Footwear that even the maker is ashamed  
 to put his name on.  
 Get the standard of style—the leader of quality—the  
 felt shoes and slippers that have the call all over Canada.  
 Get the famous "KIMMEL" FELTS—with the "Kimmel"  
 trademark on the sole.  
 For style, for durability, for all-the-time-you-wear-them comfort  
 and satisfaction, you can't reasonably ask for more than you get in  
 "Kimmel" Felts.  
 Dealers, who put Quality above Profit, handle and recommend Kimmel Felts.

**DESPERATELY IN  
 NEED OF FUNDS**

Federation of Labor  
 Bankrupt  
 GOMPERS TALKS

Declares Unless Money is  
 Raised Appeal Will Have  
 to be Abandoned

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 11.—Pres-  
 ident Gompers of the American Fed-  
 eration of Labor is in favor either of  
 making an appeal to labor and its  
 friends for necessary funds to be used  
 in prosecuting an appeal from the re-  
 cent decision of Judge Wright in the  
 contempt case, or of abandoning it al-  
 together.  
 "In view of the industrial depression  
 and the large number of men unem-  
 ployed, it is most improper for us to  
 levy assessments," said Mr. Gompers  
 today. "We should either make an ap-  
 peal to all labor and our friends for  
 such voluntary financial contributions  
 as they can make to the enormous ex-  
 penses of the legal defense of our case  
 or we should authorize the abandon-  
 ment of any attempt at defense and  
 appeal. Whichever course you may  
 determine is the wisest, or more prac-  
 tical or inevitable, is entirely agree-  
 able to me, and I shall willingly abide  
 by it."  
 This decision was made known by  
 the president of the federation in a  
 Mr. Gompers in the comprehensive re-  
 port which he read at the meeting  
 here of the executive council of the  
 American Federation of Labor, prac-  
 tically the entire day being given over  
 to a consideration of that subject. In  
 making the appeal, President Gompers  
 declared the federation has practically  
 exhausted all of its available funds;  
 that the money in the defense fund is  
 unavailable, and that only one of two  
 courses was open to them.  
 President Gompers said that counsel  
 for the Buck's Store and Range Com-  
 pany in an address before the Citi-  
 zen's Alliance, one of Van Cleave's or-  
 ganizations, some months ago boasted  
 of his achievement that the legal ex-  
 penses of the federation in this case  
 had already amounted to \$10,000 and  
 yet more to come.

**SHOULD NURSE LIE TO  
 SAVE A LIFE, SHE ASKS**  
 Woman Trying to Live as  
 Jesus Would, Wants  
 to Know

CLEVELAND, Jan. 11.—"Should I say  
 yes to an excited, nervous patient's  
 proposal of marriage, then change my  
 mind that I did not mean it except to  
 soothe him at the time, or shall I re-  
 fuse the proposal and perhaps have a  
 death on my soul?"  
 This is the query put to the leaders  
 of the movement by which 11,000



Friend, As down the Dusk of Things we tread...

URGES CO-OPERATION IN DIPHTHERIA FIGHT

Dr. Neff Wants Physicians and Clergymen to Exercise More Care

DEATH RATE HIGH

(Philadelphia North American) Because of the startling increase of deaths from diphtheria, forty per cent...

BRIDE IS LEFT WAITING AT CHURCH

Urgent Search by Wedding Party Fails to Locate Bridegroom

WENT WEST

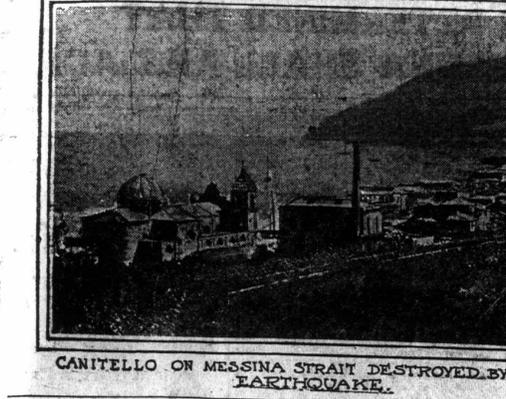
DRUNWALL Ont., Jan. 12.—Carr had a case of "waiting at the altar" yesterday morning.

CHETWYND DOESN'T OPPOSE WIFE'S SUIT

Chetwynd Granted Divorce Against Husband for Restitution of Rights

CHETWYND IN EGYPT

DON, Jan. 12.—Mrs. George Guy and, who is a daughter of the famous Secor, of New York, was in a decree in the divorce court...



CANTIELLO ON MESSINA STRAIT DESTROYED BY EARTHQUAKE.

PROVINCIAL NEWS

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 11.—The case against Station Agent Walker, of the I. C. R. for receiving and storing liquor at the railway shed in this city...

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Jan. 8.—The Victoria outplayed the Josephs five to two in the first match of the Island Hockey League series last night.

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Finished Yesterday

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Dependent upon the final ratification

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Certain Line of Principles

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A Real Lung Tonic

There are many preparations that will cure a cough... few that will cure it. The first class, containing such drugs as Opium and Morphine, simply deaden the irritation and stop the cough, but do little or no permanent good.



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does not contain a trace of these dangerous drugs, but is an absolutely safe and scientific preparation of Nature's own remedies—Herbs, Roots and Balsams.

It entirely removes the irritation that caused the cough, by cleaning out the mucus, stopping the inflammation and healing the delicate membrane of throat and lungs.

Moreover, it tones up and strengthens the whole system, particularly the lungs, and protects against future coughs and colds.

Trial size 25c. per bottle. Regular size 50c. At your dealer's.

Father Morrissey Medicine Co. Ltd., Chatham, N. B.

PROVINCIAL NEWS

REXTON, Jan. 7.—The death occurred at his home in Bass River on Friday night last of Frederick McDonald after a lingering illness of liver trouble. He was 54 years of age and is survived by a widow and family.

The death of Rae Lawson took place at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lawson, of Upper Rexton, on Christmas Day. Deceased, who was only 17 years of age, had been ill a long time with consumption, and is the third member of the family to have succumbed to the dreaded disease.

When at the middle of the bridge Mr. Fox deliberately leaped over the railing and into the swiftly running and icy cold water of the river, while the officer looked on in amazement. Fox was carried by the current to a pier in the center of the river used for drying purposes, onto which he managed to crawl, and from which he put forth a cry for help.

Rev. Father Richard of Rogersville was presented on Christmas by his parishioners with a handsome fur lined coat, fur cap and gloves. A very enjoyable time was spent at the carnival which was held in the skating rink on Tuesday night. A very large number was present and the entertainment parts of the county. The weather was favorable and good music was furnished by the Butouche band.

HILLSBORO, N. B., Jan. 7.—Wm. K. Gross, one of the oldest and most respected residents of Surrey, passed away at his home at 4 p.m. yesterday. His death was not unexpected, as he had been in declining health for some weeks. Deceased was seventy-five years of age.

The death of Elias, widow of the late Jacob Dawson, occurred very suddenly last evening. Deceased was in her usual health and was about to retire for the night when the summons came. She was seventy-three years of age. She was twice married; her first husband was Rev. Jas. Irving. Deceased was a very estimable person, a consistent and faithful member of the Baptist church. Three sons survive: Alexander Irving, farmer; George Irving, Butouche, and Frank Irving, Butouche, and five daughters: Mrs. Edward Stevens, Rosevale, and Mrs. Robert Dalving, both of Hillsboro; Mrs. Burns Bishop, Weldford; and Mrs. E. C. Bishop, New Jersey, and Mrs. Mrs. Fred Douthright are mourning the loss of their six months' old son, whose death occurred on Sunday after a short illness. Funeral took place on Tuesday. Rev. Z. L. Fash officiated.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Secretary of the treasury Coriellou, who will retire from the cabinet on March 11, next, refuses to either confirm or deny a report that he has been invited to become president of the Consolidated Gas Company of New York.

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The funeral of Mrs. Enoch Dawson was held at Rosevale on Saturday afternoon, a large number attending to pay their last tribute of respect to Rev. Z. L. Fash conducted the service. Interment took place at Baltimore. Mrs. W. E. Watson, on Saturday, on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Miss Kate Taylor, professional nurse in Salem Hospital, died at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday. She was 73 years of age. Mr. and Mrs. George Osborne are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter.

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Another remedy has been discovered, so much as to give a dainty luncheon was served, and after singing God Save the King the party repaired to their respective homes. Mrs. Harry McDonald of Shediac is visiting Mrs. Thomas Burns. Boston, Mass., Jan. 12.—Many old-timers attended the seventeenth annual convention of the New England States Veterans Firemen's League in this city today. Reports of officers and committees were received and approved amendments to the constitution were discussed.

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SCOTT ACT MATTERS OCCUPY THEIR TIME ALBERT COUNTY COUNCILLORS Argue Over the Case of a Drug Clerk ON AGAIN TODAY

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF ALBERT MEETS ONLY ONE CHANGE IN THE COMMITTEES—Financial Statement AUDITOR'S REPORT

GOODWIN SETTLES \$200,000 ON EDNA Actor's Bride Becomes the Possessor of Valuable Property GETS RAILROAD STOCK

HOPEWELL CAPE, N. B., Jan. 13.—The second day of the county council session saw some lively discussions, and many hours spent with apparently scant result. Scott Act matters occupied the chief subject of the debate.

HOPEWELL CAPE, Jan. 12.—The annual session of Albert municipal council opened in the court house at 2 p.m. today, Warden Stevens presiding. The councillors were all present as follows: Hillsboro—Jordan Stevens, H. J. Stevens; Hopewell—W. J. Carnwath, E. G. Prescott; Harvey—G. D. Prescott, David Barbour; Alma—J. A. Cleveland, Leonard Martin; Elgin—W. J. McKenzie, John Garland; Coverdale—S. S. Ryan, A. W. Leeman.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Nat. C. Goodwin has settled property worth \$200,000 upon Edna Goodrich, his wife, and the deed of trust, which was executed last August in England when he was "wooding" her, was put on record here last Saturday.

The case in point was that of a drug clerk in a Riverside pharmacy who had a fine registered prescription which, accepting a doctor's prescription, although it bore the physician's assertion that the liquor required was for the medicinal purposes of the patient, he had signed the name of the doctor. C. A. Peck, K. C. counsel for the defense addressed the council, stating that his client had accepted the certificate to vote, and with good intention, and asked the council to appoint a committee to investigate the matter and report at the July session. After much discussion the committee suggested was appointed on motion, number of councillors, however, voting against the motion and others declining to vote, finding that the council had no such jurisdiction, and that the peace, the council's legal adviser, the council to reconsider is to come up tomorrow, there being a strong opinion that it is not within the power of the council to do so.

The report of County Auditor E. C. Copp shows the following financial statement for the past year: Assessment for year 1908 \$15,415.82 Cost of collection 1,447.39 Total \$16,863.21

Receipts on del. road tax 353.04 Receipts on del. road tax 131.14 Income from other sources \$1,085.96 Bal. in Sec. Treas. hands Dec. 31, 1907. 492.47 \$1,578.43

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General statement of income for the year 1908: Receipts on parish account \$744.87 Receipts on del. parish acct. 118.28 Receipts on road tax 220.00 Receipts on del. road tax 68.69 \$1,151.74

Contingencies and salaries \$5,277.50 Poor account 2,465.94 Road account 2,946.84 Provincial hospital 163.75 Board of health 49.89 Scott Act 252.13 Juries fees 203.50 Criminal costs 256.55 Criminal costs re Thos. Collins 151.30 Do, do 44.35 Advertising non-residents, Coverdale 4.30 Smallpox 2,975.96 Refund 8.97 Overseers of poor, Coverdale 74.73 Consolidation of indexes registry office 300.00

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Balance due Bank of N. B. \$1,202.06 The parish balances, as shown by the detailed statement of the income and expenditure of the different parishes, as follows: Alma, cr. \$2,377; Coverdale, dr. \$324.91; Elgin, dr. \$2,314.72; Hopewell, dr. \$248.18; Harvey, dr. \$248.18; Hillsboro, dr. \$4,000; in 1910; \$4,000; in 1911; \$4,000; in 1912; \$4,000; in 1913; \$4,000; in 1914; \$4,000; in 1915; \$4,000; in 1916; \$4,000; in 1917; \$4,000; in 1918; \$4,000; in 1919; \$4,000; in 1920; \$4,000; in 1921; \$4,000; in 1922; \$4,000; in 1923; \$4,000; in 1924; \$4,000; in 1925; \$4,000; in 1926; \$4,000; in 1927; \$4,000; in 1928; \$4,000; in 1929; \$4,000; in 1930; \$4,000; in 1931; \$4,000; in 1932; \$4,000; in 1933; \$4,000; in 1934; \$4,000; in 1935; \$4,000; in 1936; \$4,000; in 1937; \$4,000; in 1938; \$4,000; in 1939; \$4,000; in 1940; \$4,000; in 1941; \$4,000; in 1942; \$4,000; in 1943; \$4,000; in 1944; \$4,000; in 1945; \$4,000; in 1946; \$4,000; in 1947; \$4,000; in 1948; \$4,000; in 1949; \$4,000; in 1950; 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THAT RISE AGAIN



her fruit for the Far East, was saluted like a hero, while the appearance of two cabs on the streets was considered an historic event.

GOODWIN SETTLES \$200,000 ON EDNA

Edna's Bride Becomes the Possessor of Valuable Property

SETS RAILROAD STOCK

AN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Nat. C. Goodwin has settled property worth \$200,000 upon Edna Goodrich, his wife, the deed of trust, which was executed last August in England when he was in London, was put on record last Saturday.

Receipts on road tax ... 353.04 Receipts on del. road tax ... 131.14

From other sources ... \$1,085.46 In Sec. Trans. hands Dec. 1907 ... 492.47

Total Income ... \$20,113.42

Expenses and salaries ... \$2,965.94

Net income ... \$17,147.48

Dividends ... \$1,500.00

Reserve fund ... \$15,647.48

Balance forward ... \$1,500.00

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Due Bank of N. B. ... \$1,202.04

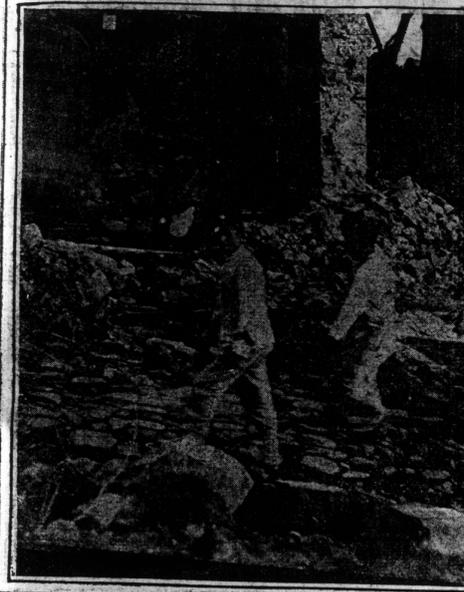
Parish balances, as shown by statement of the income

penditures of the different parishes as follows: Alma, \$7,883.47

St. John, \$3,841.11; St. Paul, \$1,100.00; St. Peter, \$1,100.00

St. James, \$1,100.00; St. George, \$1,100.00; St. Andrew, \$1,100.00

St. Nicholas, \$1,100.00; St. Basil, \$1,100.00; St. Constantine, \$1,100.00



SOLDIERS CAREING INURED AND KILLED FROM RUINS



SOLDIERS AND NATIVES AT WORK AMONG THE RUINS



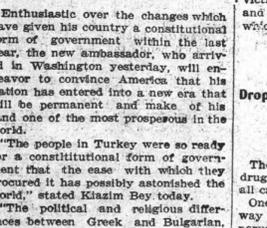
SEARCHING THE RUINS OF THEIR HOMES FOR VALUABLES

TO MEET GOV'T HERE ON 21st 10,000 Sign Petitions for Prohibition

J. Willard Smith Declares Council's Action Doesn't Discourage Them

SAYS A CONSTITUTION HAS REMADE TURKEY New Ambassador Declares Country Faces Prosperous Era

SULTAN IS CHANGED WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—"Work, peace and progress!" That is the motto of the new Turkey, according to the message that Hussein Kazim Bey, first Turkish ambassador to the United States and first envoy of a constitutional Ottoman empire to this country, brings to America.



HUSSEIN KAZIM BEY

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HIS REFINED TASTES. "I didn't know Junker was literary."

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MURDER MYSTERY. Man Arrested for Crime of Which It Was Believed He Was Victim.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—A remarkable case is reported from Saint Giron of a man who has been arrested as the author of a crime of which he had been the supposed victim.

GREAT U. S.-CANADA WATERWAY PLANNED New York Cities to Send Delegates to Conference in Ottawa

OTTAWA, Jan. 12.—New York interests will be represented in a deputation that will next week wait on Premier Laurier.

PACIFIC MILITARY BASE Morning Post Discusses Britain's Delay in Choosing.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—Lord Strathcona has written The Morning Post respecting his allegations regarding the Hongkong garrison and neglected state of Esquimaux, and has called attention to the answers to Mr. Ralph Smith's questions in the Dominion House of Commons on January 15, 1908.

THREE OF A KIND Dropped Coffee, Picked Up Postum and Health

The harmful action of caffeine—the drug in coffee and tea—is the same in all cases. It is only a matter of degree.

BISHOP IS GOING WEST FOR CHURCH The quarterly board meetings of the Anglican Church were held yesterday afternoon and evening in the Church of England Institute here.

TWO U. S. SENATORS RE-ELECTED SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 12.—Geo. C. Perkins was re-elected United States senator on the first ballot by a vote of 26 to 22 in the assembly and 22 to 8 in the senate.

REYBURN CHOSEN. BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 12.—United States senator Elder H. Reyburn was today re-elected by both branches of the legislature in separate sessions.

WOULDN'T MISS IT. Howell—What a brogue that man has!

WATCH FREE! This Silver Nickel guaranteed Stem Wind Man's

PHILANTHROPY. "No," said the bishop of Oklahoma, a wise and broad man who had seen much and suffered much.

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NEWSPAPER MAN

NOW A BENEDICT

Manager of the Union Advocate, Newcastle, Married Yesterday

NORTH SHORE NEWS

NEWCASTLE, Jan. 11.—The marriage of William J. MacNeil, manager of the Union Advocate, and Miss Annie A. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan of Newcastle, took place in St. Mary's church this morning.

COMING TO ST. JOHN TO SERVE PAPERS

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ANOTHER APPALING MINING CATASTROPHE

Over 100 Killed as Result of Explosion in Virginia Pit

Fifty Miners Killed in Same Mine Two Weeks Ago

Rescuing Party Starts Promptly to Enter Jaws of Smoking Pit

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., Jan. 12.—Again today there was a terrific explosion in the mines of the Lick Branch colliery, and more than one hundred lives were lost.

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OCCURS NEAR LEVIS

Cars Badly Damaged—Passengers Have Miraculous Escape

QUEBEC, Jan. 12.—Fifteen people were injured, some more or less seriously in a railway collision today on the Intercolonial Railway at St. Michel de Bellechasse, when a freight train dived into the local passenger train from Riviere du Loup as it was standing in the station yard.

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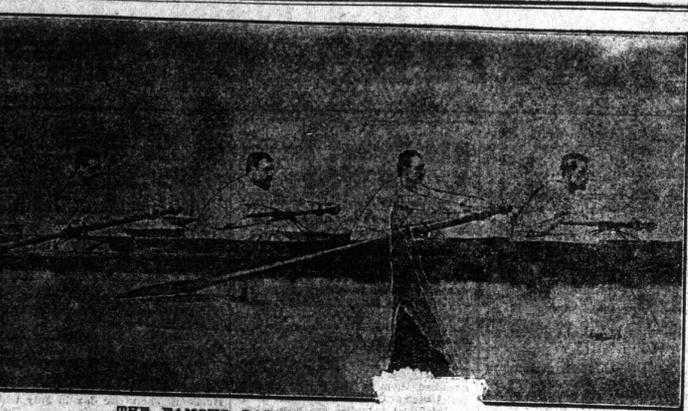
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LEMIEUX AND LAURIER HEAR LABOR LEADERS

Several Requests Made Yesterday

WANT LEGISLATION Government Will Consider All the Requests at Early Date

OTTAWA, Jan. 12.—The Prime Minister and Hon. Mr. Lemieux, Minister of Labor, this afternoon received in Sir Wilfrid's office a delegation representing the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, who presented the representatives of the government the requests for legislation passed at the annual meeting of the congress in Halifax last summer.

The first speaker was J. G. O'Donoghue, who asked for an amendment to the Lemieux act to prevent the introduction of strike breakers by an employer during the time a dispute is being investigated by a board of conciliation under the act.

On the question of doing away with assisted and banded immigration Mr. O'Donoghue particularly criticized the Salvation Army's immigration work, asserting that the Army officers misrepresented conditions in Canada. In respect to the prohibition of Asiatic immigration, he said he was informed that the Japanese were still arriving in large numbers.

He urged an amendment to the alien labor act to make the present law more effective by providing that an officer of the labor department with did not assist in Canada as an employer of government work, should be asked for the appointment of a fair-wage officer for the west and declared that the contractor on the Montreal post office was evading the fair-wage provision by engaging mechanics and carpenters as "handy men." He asked for the appointment of inspectors of loading and discharging gear for vessels at the principal Canadian seaports.

James Simpson made a strong plea for government encouragement of technical education. He also asked for an increase in the pay of letter carriers that election day be made a public holiday, and that the \$200 deposit should not be required from candidates.

Hon. Mr. Lemieux, in reply, stated that the requests for the amendment of the election act would be laid before the Minister of Justice. He promised further investigation into the condition of the letter carriers and into the old age pension plan, although pauperism did not exist in Canada as in England and other old world countries.

Mr. Lemieux declared that, no matter what the British Columbia unions might say, the Japanese were not coming to Canada now. Last year only 400 entered and this number included returned immigrants, students, clergymen and merchants, whom it was thought best not to exclude. "As a grievance to the labor interests, Japanese immigration does not exist," he declared.

As to assisted immigration, Mr. Lemieux said that he was convinced by an interview with Obed Smith in London, what he meant in Canada would receive only immigrants of a proper class.

Mr. Lemieux said that he saw difficulties in meeting the requests for amendments to the Lemieux act.

As to the technical education, Sir Wilfrid said that while the government would undertake to collect all the information required on the subject, that information would be handed over to the provincial legislatures for action upon it. "The Dominion," said Sir Wilfrid, "has nothing to do with education of any kind and will have nothing to do with it."

STRUCK ON LEG BY ROCK FROM BLAST

David Noddin Seriously, If Not Fatally, Injured at Nauwigewauk

HAMPTON, N. B., Jan. 12.—About five o'clock this afternoon David Noddin, a workman for Contractor J. W. Smith, standing on a bank at Nauwigewauk, was struck on the leg by a rock from a blast and knocked over, rolling down the bank some fifty feet to a ledge and from there another ten feet to the bottom. When picked up he was quite unconscious and has remained so up to the present.

Dr. Wetmore was sent for and leaving his team brought the man here by the suburban train and took him to his home at Hampton village, where he has a wife and family.

The man's head was very badly cut and battered and until he regains consciousness it will be impossible to learn the full extent of his injuries if indeed he recovers at all. Noddin was for a long time engaged with the G. G. Flewelling Company as one of their most trusted teamsters and everybody will hear of his accident with regret.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—"Whatever lives, lives to die in sorrow. We engage our hearts and grasp after the things of this world, only to undergo the pang of losing them."

With this bitter philosophy from Schiller's drama, The Robbers, fixed in her morbid mind by a night of reading Sappho, and Hamlet, a girl left her room in a tenement this morning and hurried to the home of her dearest friend, there to end, by attempted murder, a real drama of love and friendship, of socialism and anarchy, of sweatshop bondage and high aspirations of two women and one man.

Not the ordinary story of the love of two women for a man was this in which Anna Rabin, child of the Russian revolution and daughter of the ghetto, played the principal part. The pretty young woman shot her girl friend through jealousy over a man, through a determination that this girl, whom she loved, should never become

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"But surely," it adds, "the trade and progress of this country are the outcome of German hard work and industry and should be left alone, as they constitute a healthy competition between two countries. Must they now become the cause for the elimination of diplomacy and an appeal to arms take its place? The English have the illusion that Germany wishes to dominate all other countries. Such is not the case. She merely wishes to hold her own, while England with a series of alliances is trying to rule the world."

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DORCHESTER, N. B., Jan. 12.—The circuit court opened today, Mr. Justice White presiding, for the first time in his appointment. The grand jury by S. Edgar Wilson, foreman, presented an address to his honor and W. B. Chandler, K.C., spoke for the bar of Westmorland. Judge White was occupied in his reply.

There was no criminal business and but one civil case, Creighton and Opper against the New Brunswick Wire Fence, over a machine supplied which the defendant claims did not come up to agreement. Chandler, K.C., for the plaintiffs; Teed, K.C., and Welch, K.C., for the defendants.

the possession of another.

But in spite of her determination, in spite of the steady aim which sent a bullet through the breast of Bertha Yoblosky, Bertha will live. Then Anna shot herself; and when Anna expired, thinking that the man would never enjoy the love of the girl she had loved, he was at Bertha's bedside.

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