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ROUMANIAN SITUATION

Agitation is Rampant in Mountainous Regions

MANY VILLAGES RAZED
Hundreds of Peasants Reported to Have Been Killed or Wounded—Metropolitan of Bucharest to Take Steps to Stop the Trouble.

BUCHAREST, April 2.—The Metropolitan of Bucharest will issue shortly a pastoral letter, releasing the peasantry from the oath which they took on enrolment in the insurgent forces.

HE LEFT GAS TURNED ON
McGill Student May Die As a Result of Partial Asphyxiation

MONTREAL, April 1 (Special)—Hans Hartman, a second year student in the architectural school of the faculty of applied sciences at McGill, and a son of Dr. Hans Hartman, until he was a teacher in the McGill conservatory of music, was found unconscious in his room at 88 Union avenue this morning and taken to the general hospital in a serious condition, as a result of partial asphyxiation by gas.

COLLEGE SOCIETIES BARRED
MERIDEN, Conn., April 1.—No student of the Meriden High School may hereafter become a member of any high school secret fraternity or society, so-called without immediately forfeiting his membership in said school.

FIRST SNOW, THEN RAIN, THEN SLUSH, THEN SWIM

The snow storm which started yesterday morning and has continued almost without intermission since then has resulted in a fall of about five and a half inches of the heaviest snow. According to reports the storm appears to have been general all over the maritime provinces.

THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CASE

Bill in Equity Asking for Accounting of Mrs. Eddy's Property, was Returnable Today

CONCORD, N. H., April 2.—The bill in equity filed last February by George W. Glover of Leeds, and others, on behalf of Glover's motion against a number of Christian Science officers to compel an accounting of the property of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, was returnable here today.

DEATH IS BUSY ON P. E. ISLAND

Unusual Mortality is Reported Among Aged Residents—Three Deaths in Charlottetown.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., April 2.—(Special)—The unusual mortality among the aged people of the province continues. Yesterday three died in Charlottetown.

WOMEN FIGHT DUEL OVER MAN'S LOVE

One, With Throat, Cheek and Back Cut, Accuses Other of Stealing Him.

NEW YORK, April 2.—Armed with penknives, two women fought a duel in a saloon at No. 79 Lorimer street, Manhattan, when it was over one was arrested on a charge of felonious assault, while the other was taken to her home in an ambulance.

THE CHAMPLAIN FUND

Editor Times: Sir,—I would suggest a series of literary and musical entertainments (in the city proper and in the north and west ends) by volunteer local talent.

LONDON, April 2.—American houses today secured about two-thirds of the gold available in the market.

SIR WILFRID LAURIER ACCEPTS RESIGNATION OF HON. MR. EMMERSON

OTTAWA, Ont., April 2 (Special)—When the house meets this afternoon Sir Wilfrid Laurier will announce that Hon. H. R. Emmerson has tendered his resignation and that the premier has accepted His Excellency to accept the same.

Mr. Emmerson will follow the premier by giving a flat and emphatic denial to the story which first appeared in the Frederickton Gleaner, of which Geo. W. Fowler, M. P., is president, and for which a prominent conservative member acts as Ottawa correspondent.

There is a great deal of sympathy expressed for Mr. Emmerson, as he is a hard-working minister, popular on both sides of the house, and has brought the Intercolonial railway into a high state of efficiency, and at the same time left a surplus in the treasury.

MAYOR SEARS FEELS THAT THE GOVERNMENT SHOULD ACT AT ONCE

The mayor this morning received a letter from Hon. H. R. Emmerson, in reply to his recent communication, urging that some action be taken immediately to have the necessary dredging done on the west side. The letter reads as follows:—

Dear Mr. Mayor—I have your letter of the 28th instant, and I note what you say, let me assure you that the department making every possible effort to secure a dredge.

ST. LOUIS MILLIONAIRE TO WIELD COAL SHOVEL
Big Strike May Close Every Brewery During Hot Season.

ST. LOUIS, April 2.—August A. Busch, millionaire vice-president of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association states that he will don overalls and act as fireman for his great brewery.

WILL OPPOSE THE ALDERMEN
More Talk About a Public Meeting and a Possible Citizens Ticket.

Despite the apparent apathy in regard to the approaching civic elections, it is reported to nearly all the present aldermen it is stated that a public meeting will be held some evening this week, probably on Thursday and that a complete aldermanic ticket will be put in the field.

THE GOVERNMENT WILL FOSTER ART

MONTREAL, April 2 (Special)—An announcement was made at the opening of the twenty-eighth annual exhibition of the Royal Canadian Academy of Arts at the art gallery, which, it is thought, will have an important effect on art matters throughout the dominion.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

THE STORM EXPLAINED
There is a gracious benignity in Nature which appeals to the heart of the citizen.

SOCIETY IN WOODSTOCK

Successful Ball Given By the 67th Regiment Band Last Night.

WOODSTOCK, April 2.—(Special)—The best attended and most successful ball ever held in Woodstock was given last night by the 67th Regt. band in the assembly room.

STREET RAILWAY BILL IS AMENDED

Corporations Committee Recommends it With Some Amendments.

FREDERICTON, April 2.—(Special)—The corporations committee met this morning and decided to recommend the bill to authorize the Miramichi Lumber Co. to build and maintain a dam on that river.

MINISTERS-TO-BE SMOKE, FIGHT, FLEE

Three Young Men Defy Anti-Tobacco Law of New Jersey Seminary and Run Away.

PENNINGTON, N. J., April 2.—Three students of the Pennington Theological Seminary, expelled for smoking, have disappeared.

A SERIOUS JOKE

KENT, Ohio, April 1.—Because everyone in the village regarded an alarm of fire turned in as only an April fool joke, the Sperry house, a local hostelry, was destroyed early today.

GOING TO SASKATOON

William J. Raymond to Mould Public Opinion in the New Town.

NEWS OF THE WORLD AS TOLD IN SHORT METRE

The Chinese government has ordered from a German firm at Ten Tsa two thousand rifles, of a uniform pattern.

TO RESUME TOMORROW

Jury in Thaw Case has Been Summoned for Thursday

LUNACY COMMISSION Will Probably Report to Judge Fitzgerald Tomorrow, and if They Decide Thaw is Now Sane, the Trial Will Go on.

CHICAGO ELECTIONS

Both Sides Confident of Victory in Today's Mayorality Campaign

CHICAGO, April 2.—Not in many years has there been held in Chicago a municipal election so important and far-reaching in its effect as that which began at 6 o'clock, at 1,236 voting precincts in this city.

MAY CONTEST DUFFERIN

Michael Coholan Mentioned as an Aldermanic Candidate in That Ward.

There is a possibility of Dufferin ward having two more candidates in the civic elections. Those named are Michael Coholan, tailor, on Mill street, and David Corkery, the latter, however, will in all probability retire.

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The Viper of Milan.

A ROMANCE OF LOMBARDY. BY MARJORIE BOWEN.

(Continued.) She wore a dress of flame-colored satin, and her hair was elaborately dressed with rubies and pearls. She made no movement at her brother's entrance. The air was heavy with incense and the perfume of some white roses that faded before the altar steps. "We wait for thee, Valentine," said Visconti. A couple of her women moved forward from the shadows, and whispered to the Duke they could do nothing with her. He motioned to them to withdraw. "Valentine, come! Think of the splendid life that opens before thee to-morrow!" Visconti's tone had the gentleness of one who has gained his point. "What may be the Queen of France?" But Valentine Visconti had too much of her brother's spirit, too much of the ungovernable pride of will, not to hate this yielding to the force of power. She hated her brother's tyranny. She hated his marriage. What would life be for her, with an indifferent husband in an idle, impoverished court, among foreigners, strangers, far from her own land? She would not be forced to it. She rose to her feet, desperate. Visconti watched her keenly, standing waiting. "Come," he repeated. "The Duke of Orleans waits. The feast is ready." For one moment a mad hate of him overmastered her, a wild desire to refuse to stir, to cling to the altar, dash herself against the floor, anything rather than obey. She knew his paroxysm was not the end. She would not obey. Words of defiance were on her lips, but glancing at his face, the words died away, and a sense of the useless folly of refusal, since the useless humiliation of refusal, surged over her. She was in his power. When she spoke, it was humbly, in a faltering voice, with tears. "Gian," she whispered. "Gian—I have never asked anything of thee before. Gian—this marriage is hateful to me. She paused, then stepped forward with appealing eyes. "Gian—have consideration—have mercy!" "The Duke of Orleans waits," smiled Visconti. "Will you not let me lead you to him?" Valentine drew back and steadied herself against the wall. She thought of Conrad with bitterness and shame, of his vows of devotion, how he had sworn she should never wed the French Prince—and he was free—had been so for many days, and never a word of a sign. Visconti flung wide the chapel door, and in the adjoining room he summoned to her side his sister's page. Valentine's eyes fell on him, and she noted how the blood rushed to his face as he sprang to obey. He was a fair-haired boy with eager eyes, who worshipped her with a romantic devotion at which she had often smiled; but now— He lifted her train, and Visconti held out his hand. Outside her door soldiers kept their motionless guard, and beyond the gay crowd swept to and fro. Silently Valentine moved to the altar, but her heart was burning with rebellious hate. "I will still try once more for freedom," was the thought she held to her mind, as they traversed the great corridor and her eyes fell as had her brother's, on

WOMANLY TROUBLES Should Not Be Allowed to Undermine Health. It is impossible to go into details on this subject but the experience of many a poor woman who is crippled for life, just because she didn't use a good remedy in time, should be a warning to others. When the first stages of womanhood appear in a young girl, a great deal depends in getting her over this critical stage, so that in years to come she will not develop gross sickness or consumption. When she complains of flushed face, headache bearing down on her, and a course of Ferrerozine which will carry her past the crisis. In the adult woman if any irregularities of remarkable potency and power. Ferrerozine is the ideal regulator and causes all organs of the body to perform their work properly. It purifies the blood, tones up the nerves and vital energies. The stomach is strengthened, and digestive and assimilative processes are improved by the good work of Ferrerozine. It regulates the bowels, cures constipation and piles, and relieves rheumatism and decay by health and strength. There is nothing better for the common dark circles from under the eyes, removes and cures all manner of skin eruptions, gives brightness and brilliancy to the eyes, gives firmness to the cheeks, and whitens the teeth and develops a well rounded, plump and handsome form. Ferrerozine is the ladies' favorite, and should find a place in every household. It is prepared in the form of a chocolate coated tablet, convenient and pleasant to take. Price per box, 95c. or three boxes for \$1.25. Sold by all druggists.

Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



MOIRAI THE MATERIAL OF THIS EVENING WRAP.

Moirai has long since taken its place among the modish costume materials, appearing each season in new patterns and designs, which but add prestige and favor to its vogue. Now another and altogether new use is being made of it. Coats for dressy wear, afternoon and evening, are being made of moirai in the most delicate shades of light colors, and by the best makers abroad, too. So, we on this side of the water need not be slow in following this modish tendency, for the moirai garment combines within it an element of serviceability not to be found in that of any other material. The new weaves are soft and lustrous, and that they that of any other material. The new weaves are soft and lustrous, and that they that of any other material. The new weaves are soft and lustrous, and that they that of any other material.

Brescia—at dawn today Della Scala whirled down on us, flushed with victory—and in two hours the town fell. "And Visconti thinks him idle at the Duke's court!" broke out Giannotto. And the crowd filled the chamber with the whisper of dimmy and horror, but from the banquet room still came the song and the laughter—Visconti was in blissful ignorance of evil. Who would tell him? Who would dare? Well Giannotto knew the fall of Brescia could only be the last of a series of incredible disasters; so swift as to seem miraculous. Victory after victory must have fallen to Della Scala before he could have marched on and taken a place so near Milan, victorious following too fast on one another to have reached Visconti before their culmination. The news indeed was terrible! "The Duke gazes deathly weapons," he spoke the curtains were pulled aside for a moment as one of the serving men stepped out, and Giannotto, bending eagerly forward, caught a glimpse of two faces at the far end of the brilliant table. Visconti's laughing, triumphant, insolently handsome, and Valentine's, set and white, with dangerous eyes. The curtains fell to again, but Giannotto had a chance to see the Duke. "Leave it to me, good friends," he said, and passed into the hall. The Lady Valentine shall give the party. "The Duke dare not touch her, and it will be a pleasure to her that she may reward. And the crowd, gathering in the banquet room, waited, bewildered and terrified to hear the blow had fallen. "They will stop their song and just," said the man from Brescia, "let the Duke once know." The entry of another, panting and torn, interrupted him. (To be continued.)

THE CHAMPLAIN FUND Dominion Government \$5,000 N. B. Government 1,500 St. John City Council 1,000 Daily Telegraph 250 Evening Times 250 Individual subscriptions 1,760 Wm. Hawker 5 Balance Needed 235

It will be seen that the Champaign necessary to secure the Champlain monument for St. John is beginning to be cut down. Mr. Hawker is the first to reduce it and it is expected that today will see other subscriptions come in.

The Ball's Lake Fishing Club yesterday met in annual session with Thomas McAvity in the chair. The following officers were elected: George McAvity, president; Frank Rankine, vice-president; W. A. Ewing, secretary; D. C. Dawson, treasurer; W. A. Lockhart, Stewart Fairweather, George Murray, James V. Russell and Harry Rankine managing committee. Last year was reported as a very successful one and a good season's fishing in 1907 is looked forward to.

"You Will Suffer all Your Life." SAID ALL THE DOCTORS Half a dozen of the best physicians had Mr. Baker. He had chronic Rheumatism and would have it as long as he lived. One day Mr. Baker read in a paper of a man who had spent years with Rheumatism and who had been cured by two boxes of GIN PILLS. He is proclaiming their virtues from the "household." The two cases were so much alike that Mr. Baker decided he would invest \$10 in a box of GIN PILLS and give them a trial. It was the best investment he ever made. Before the first box was taken, he felt better all over, so he got another. He took that and bought a third, getting better all the time. Hisville, May 8, 1906. I have been benefited by your GIN PILLS, and all who have used them in this neighborhood speak very highly of them. One of my neighbors, Mr. who suffered for years with Rheumatism and who has spent hundreds of dollars with specialists without receiving the slightest benefit, was entirely cured by two boxes of GIN PILLS. He is proclaiming their virtues from the "household." Yours truly, D. L. BAKER. We don't even ask you to buy GIN PILLS—that to try them at our expense. Write us, mentioning this paper, and we will gladly send you a free sample of these wonderful Kidney Pills that cure Rheumatism. The Bole Drug Co., Winnipeg, Man. Sold by all dealers—50c. a box, or 6 boxes for \$2.50—or sent on receipt of price.

AN AGREEMENT REACHED CAMBRIY, Alberta, April 1—(Special)—After three days strenuous discussion marked by several disagreements and at times almost irreconcilable differences, the Western Coal Operators' Association and the United Mine Workers of America succeeded on Saturday in making an agreement good for one year. The miners receive a 5 per cent. increase on the outside wage scale, and on these terms will work for one year, when a new agreement must be called for.

The Jewish feast of the Passover commenced on Saturday at sunset and will continue until Saturday next at sunset. During this time special services are being held in the synagogues each morning and the rule as to the eating of unleavened bread is being followed.

HIS PALACE WAS BURNED

Residence of American Ambassador, in Rome, Damaged by Fire Yesterday.

ROME, April 1—While Lloyd C. Griscom, the American ambassador, and Mrs. Griscom were returning yesterday from the Easter services at the American church, Mr. Griscom saw smoke rising from the roof of his home, the Palazzo Del Drago. Leaving Mrs. Griscom to follow him he hurriedly entered the building. The servants were following their respective duties, unconscious of the fact that the palace was on fire. The ambassador gave the alarm and led the way to the attic where, on opening the door he was confronted by a burst of flame which burned off his fingers and singed his eyebrows. The firemen were quickly on the scene but not before the beams, which were put in place a couple of years ago, were burning briskly. The roof of the attic collapsed, causing the center portion of the ceiling of the magnificent ballroom to fall. The furniture and paintings were quickly removed, but not before the double shoulder of the notably one of President Roosevelt, which was dedicated last May, were damaged. After working two hours the firemen succeeded in checking the blaze. The loss is estimated at \$10,000 and is covered by insurance. The origin of the fire has not been definitely established. The fusing of an electric light wire and spontaneous combustion are mentioned as probable causes.

ANOTHER MONCTON POLICE SHUFFLE

George Rideout, of Fredericton, is Chosen as the New Chief—Chief Munn to be Scott Act Inspector.

Moncton, N. B., April 1—Another shift in connection with the sentence imposed by Police Magistrate Kay upon Scott act violators is to be carried to the higher court. This afternoon Henri Cormier was convicted of violating the Canada Temperance act and sentenced to serve 30 days in jail without the option of paying a fine. J. C. Sherron, acting for Cormier, applied for a copy of proceedings with a view of appealing the imprisonment point. The matter will be carried to the Supreme Court of Canada. Mr. Sherron states, if necessary, in order to establish the validity of the clause empowering a magistrate to send to jail without giving the option of paying a fine. Having won on the point of \$200 being an excessive fine the liquor dealers then decided to test the next point which is causing them so much trouble at present in Moncton. The city has awakened to the fact it costs something to have smallpox. In December and January last two or three comparatively mild cases were treated in the isolation hospital and the bills submitted to the city council by the board of health in connection with the same amount to \$1824.10. The finance committee of the city council had the bills under consideration today and were astonished at the expenses. By cutting the doctors bills \$104 they decided to recommend the council to pay \$1700. At a meeting of the police committee radical changes were proposed in connection with the police force. The chairman of police announced there was dissatisfaction with the chief of police paying so much attention to Scott act enforcement and neglecting other matters. He proposed to appoint a man specially for

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NOTICE

THERE WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC Auction at Club's Corner (so called) in the City of Saint John at the hour of twelve o'clock (NOON) on Tuesday the thirtieth day of April A. D. 1907 all and singular all the right title interest and estate of John McCabe in that lot of land situate in the City of Saint John described as follows:—All that piece and parcel of land fronting Street and extending back southerly presently the same breadth one hundred feet and lying on the south side of the office of the Common Clerk by the number 121 together with the buildings and improvements thereon. The foregoing sale will be made under and by virtue of the Act 58th Victoria Chapter 49 for the purpose of realizing the several amounts of money hereinafter stated namely—\$21.85; \$18.55; \$10.75; \$10.00; \$12.34; \$11.97 and \$12.35 said amounts being respectively for eight respective assessments from and including the year 1898 to and including the year 1906 respectively assessed against the said John McCabe on said land for ordinary City taxes in the City of Saint John no part of which has been paid. Dated the 27th day of March A. D. 1907.

WHERE DOES CONSUMPTION BEGIN

That first little tickle becomes a cough the cough grows worse, is neglected and travels down the lungs. Treat throat trouble before it becomes severe. Catarrhs of the throat, larynx, pharynx, epiglottis, trachea and bronchus trouble quickly. A marvellous worker is Catarrhoxone because it prevents thousands of catarrh victims from contracting consumption. Recommended by doctors, proved by time to be unailing. Catarrhoxone is just what you need. 25c. and \$1.00; sold everywhere.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

The automatic whistling buoy anchored off POINT LEPREAUX has been reported adrift. It will be replaced as soon as practicable. F. J. HARDING, Agent, Dept. Marine and Fisheries, St. John, N. B.

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ON GUARD



NEW YORK POLICE AND POLITICIANS IN LEAGUE WITH THE CRIMINAL ELEMENT. The debate was marked by some lively passages. M. Dzhaparidze, leader of the social democrats, charged the government and the Union of Trust Russians with causing all the sorrows of the country. At this stage of the discussion M. Purshkevich heatedly intervened, saying: "As vice president of that union I will not permit such calumnies!" M. Dzhaparidze thereupon retorted: "You have killed Dr. Jollos!" The president of the house, M. Golovin, called M. Dzhaparidze to order, and the latter, continuing his speech, declared that the salvation of Russia lay in the spread of the revolution, and on being again admonished by the president, Mr. Dzhaparidze left the tribune, exclaiming to the houses: "I call upon you to seize the executive power!"

THE TENDERLOIN. The president again called M. Dzhaparidze to order and said the house should always confer itself to legislative work and never become an executive institution. The incident caused temporary excitement. -N. Y. HERALD.

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Notice to Depositors.

After the FIRST OF APRIL, 1907, interest on deposits with this Corporation will be paid or added to the Account and compounded quarterly, on 30th June, 30th September, 31st December and 31st March.

Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation, 4-2-61. ST. JOHN, N. B.

Financial and Commercial

THE GREAT RUSH FOR NEW SECURITIES

A Change That Has Come Over Wall Street in Recent Months.

NEW YORK, April 1.—A remarkable change has come over Wall Street's view of rights. When it was announced that the Minnesota courts had prohibited the Great Northern Railway Company from issuing \$60,000,000 new stocks, the market hailed the decision as a bullish development and the stock advanced. Not many days ago the stock was again marked up on a story that should the legal decision go against the company notes would be issued. Last week the final decision came that the company is entitled to issue the new securities, and this also was twisted into a favorable factor! It was noticeable, however, that the rights collapsed on the curb. Unless the Great Northern takes immediate action on less than \$24,000,000 of the new stock will have to be subscribed for by April 9, and it is morally certain that many holders of Hill securities are in no position to respond to such an onerous demand. It is scarcely conceivable that the company will insist upon such a large percentage being paid at once, especially as the money market is at a crucial point and stands in need of relief being in materially better shape before the end of April.

The slump in Great Northern rights revived memories of similar movements. Until a year or so ago an announcement of a new stock issue by a large corporation was heralded as a strongly bullish feature, and there was generally a rush to buy stock in order to participate in the prospective valuable rights. Financial writers dwell at length upon the increased earnings that would accrue from the new expenditures and usually agreed that the company was branching out prosperously. During 1905, however, 1.34 billions of new securities were thrown on the market, and this reversed sentiment. Instead of a new issue helping a company, it was invariably followed by a decline in the company's securities. "Melons" were transferred by the street to another species of fruit, and the privilege to inscribe invariably lost in value as the period of subscription arrived. A man who has a penchant for statistics said yesterday that he had taken the trouble to analyze the market for rights during the last 25 years, and in only two or three instances would it have proved unprofitable to sell the rights the moment they were announced. Certainly this rule has held good during the last six months; severe losses have been sustained in all every new flotation, and the Great Northern rights are proving no exception to the rule. Yesterday they melted away to 9.

MUCH DAMAGE TO EARLY FRUIT CROP

Advices from California indicate a Shortage as Result of the Heavy Rains.

(New York, April 1.) Letters from the coast confirm recent telegraphic reports of damage done to the early fruit crop by continuing heavy rains during the blossoming season. The Napa Fruit Company, of Napa, writes under date of March 19: "We have just had a very heavy storm, in fact, a flood, for the past two days, and all this is not going to be of benefit to the coming crops. Peaches are out in full bloom and are just coming out. It remains to be seen whether the rain will have the same effect upon them as it has on apricots and almonds. These last two varieties will be a very light crop in this section this season."

The Phoenix Packing Company, writing from San Jose on the 18th, says: "It has been raining almost steadily since Saturday morning, and coming after a long series of storms the effect on the crops has been serious. Reports from all parts of the valley indicate that during the present storm from 2 to 3 inches of rain have fallen, and the normal rainfall for the entire season has been already passed. Reports to the effect on fruit receipts from Mayfield, Snyvale, Los Gatos and Saratoga vary. There is a general unanimity of opinion that the apricot crop has been destroyed almost entirely, and that the peaches have been injured to some extent. The effect upon the prune crop is in doubt, although it is not likely that great damage has been done. The storm is by all odds the worst for several years in its effects upon the crops. The extent of the damage cannot be estimated until the weather clears. We are still having heavy rains, which may continue for some time yet."

STEEL SHIPBUILDING IN NEW GLASGOW

A most important announcement is that the firm of I. Matheson & Co. will this summer build for the firm of J. W. Carmichael & Co., a large three-masted steel schooner 140 feet in length and 400 tons burden. Several of the gentlemen concerned were interested in wooden shipbuilding, an art in which they excelled, and there is every reason to believe they will be equally successful in steel shipbuilding. The builders had had considerable practice along this line. They built the steamer Milgrave and one or two smaller tug boats and more recently they completed for the Dominion government three large steel screwers for dredging purposes. The

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WHEN OUR BUYER WAS IN TORONTO A FEW WEEKS ago, he attended a trade sale and secured about three thousand yards of excellent, stylish dress goods at such figures as will enable us to sell the goods at a fraction of their original wholesale price. The goods consist of Mohairs, Cashmeres, Tweeds, Plain Cloths, Habit Cloths, Venetians and Serges. There are all colors to be found in the lot. All double width goods, and the prices will range from 10c. a yard up to 75c.

AT 20c. will be found a large assortment of different materials in different colors. Goods worth from 40c. to 50c. AT 25c.—There is a large variety included in this lot, such as Fancy Mohairs, Tweeds, Chevots and Serges. Many of them worth 55c. and 60c. a yard. AT 29c.—A large lot of English Tweed Dress Materials that are suitable for spring suits, children's dresses or separate skirts or coats—worth much more than this price ordinarily. AT 37c.—English Light Grey Tweed Materials worth 60c. a yard. AT 43c.—The largest lot is at this price. They are fine, rich materials, and are worth ordinarily \$1.25. 50 inches wide, and come in a large assortment of colors. AT 45c.—Plain Cloths in Navy Blue and Black, 54 inches wide, regular price 75c. These are already shrunken and are fast color. The other goods on sale are mentioned above and range from 45c. to 75c., but as there is only one or two pieces of a kind, we cannot enumerate them here. This is the best opportunity you will have to buy your spring suit at a great saving. Samples sent to out-of-town customers, but none can be given to those visiting the store.

CUSTOMS REVENUE

Showing for Nine Months is \$130,047.07 Heavier Than Last Year.

The following is a comparative statement of the customs revenue collected at the port of St. John for March 1906 and 1907: 1906. 1907. Customs... \$119,973.72 \$133,752.33 Sick Mariners fund... 1,002.32 1,288.22 Total... \$120,976.04 \$135,040.55 Increase for March... \$14,083.31 Customs receipts for nine months ending March 31st, 1906 and 1907: 1906. 1907. Customs... \$1,206,288.87 \$1,232,282.74 Increase for nine months for 1907, \$130,047.07. The return is made on account of the fiscal year being changed from June 30 to March 31. The returns were compiled by James W. Mason, cashier of customs. The showing is a large gain over any previous years.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Table with columns: Yesterday's Closing, Opening, Noon, and various stock symbols like Amalgamated, Anaconda, Am Sugar, etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Table with columns: Yesterday's Closing, Opening, Noon, and various commodity prices like Dominion Coal, Dom Iron and Steel, etc.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, April 2.—Early quotation from London today showed a disinclination in that centre to follow fully the rise in prices which has occurred here since London's operations stopped on last Thursday. Opening quotations here in consequence showed a sharp drop. Canadian Pacific fell 6 1/2 to last night.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Ungar method of laundering has been found to be the most careful and reliable. Have you tried it? French military opening tomorrow at J. & J. Manion's, 51 Charlotte street. There will be a rummage sale of things new and old at 231 Brunswick street Friday and Saturday, April 5th and 6th. Opening Friday at 10:30 a. m. An announcement of interest to the ladies of St. John is made by F. A. Dykeman & Co. in today's papers. They have secured at a trade sale a very large quantity of dress goods which go on sale on Wednesday morning. This sale is of much importance, coming as it does, just at a new spring suit, it should bring crowds to their store on Wednesday morning.

A SPECIAL SERVICE

A special illustrated service, entitled "A Mother's Prayer Answered," will be held in the Fairview Salvation Army barracks tomorrow (Wednesday) evening.

Capt. Brace

returns tomorrow (Wednesday) evening. Capt. Brace and other officers will take part.

EASTER SALE AND CONCERT

The Easter sale and entertainment to be given in Zion church school, room this afternoon and evening bids fair to rank among the most interesting events of the kind held this season and should be liberally patronized. For a long time the ladies of the church have been making preparations and as a result, a large and varied stock of fancy and useful articles will be displayed for sale. A feature of the evening will be an excellent musical and literary programme which includes some of the best local talent. The various departments will be in charge of the following ladies: Fancy Table—Mrs. Fred Young, Mrs. Laurie Belyea and Mrs. Keilblin. Children's Table—Miss Gladys Carr. The evening programme will include solos by Rev. L. A. McLean and Miss Marie Turner, also readings by Miss Grace Law and A. E. McKinley. The ladies have worked hard to bring the affair to a high standard of excellence and their efforts should meet with success.

WANTED—RELIABLE GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK

Must be good cook. Reference required. Good wages paid. Enquire MISS ARLAND, 124 Waterloo street. Ring left hand bell.

THAT COUGH

that troubles you during sleeping nights can be cured in a short time with Dr. White's Honey Balm! Pleasant, soothing and healing, warms up the throat and lungs and in a little while the cough is gone. Dr. Scott's White Liniment Co., LIMITED, Proprietors of Warner's Dyspepsia Cure.

SHIPPING

Table with columns: 1907, 1906, Rise, Fall, High, Low and various ship names like Amalgamated, Anaconda, etc.

VERSES BOUND FOR ST. JOHN

Steamers: Bengore Head, Port of Call, March 23. Casanovia, Glasgow, March 23. Lake Champlain, Liverpool March 27. Manchester Importer, Manchester, Mar 18. Manchester Trader, Manchester, March 20. Montserrat, Liverpool, March 24. Montserrat, Antwerp, March 26. Pomeranian, London, March 23. Pomeranian, Glasgow, March 25. St. John City, London, March 14.

PORT OF ST. JOHN

Arrived Today: Simr Parisian, 2,285, Johnston, Liverpool via Halifax, Wm Thomson & Co, mtds and pass. Coastwise: Schr E Mayfield, 74, Merrim, St Martins. Schr Ethel Wilson, Grand Harbor. Schr Sam Slick, 50, Burgess, St Andrews. Cleared Today: Simr Cocoonia, 331, Holmes, for Louisville. Schr Vinita, Philadelphia, for Halifax. Schr Generative, 124, Butler, for New Haven, Conn. Cleared Yesterday: Simr Aurora, Ingersoll, Campbellton. Schr Ethel Wilson, Grand Harbor. Schr E Mayfield, Merrim, St Martins. Cleared Yesterday: Schr W E & W L Tuck, 236, Haley, for Philadelphia, J A Gregory, mails. Sailed Yesterday: Simr Lake Manitoba, 674, Evans, for Liverpool. Schr Three Sisters (Am), Price, Liverpool. Schr Golden Ball (Am), Shanklin, New York, A Cushing & Co.

DOMINION PORTS

Liverpool, N. S., March 30—Cir, schr New Bedford, Mass. March 31—3id, schr Little Beard, eastern port; Andrew Neiberg, do. City Island, N. Y. March 31—Bound south, schr Phoenix, St. John, N. B.; Henrietta A Whitney, Newport.

BRITISH PORTS

Port Natal, March 26—Ardr str Canada Cape, Symonds, from St. John via Cape Town. New Bedford, Mass. March 31—3id, schr Little Beard, eastern port; Andrew Neiberg, do. City Island, N. Y. March 31—Bound south, schr Phoenix, St. John, N. B.; Henrietta A Whitney, Newport. Vinward Haven, April 1—Ardr, brig Lady Napier, Elizabethport for St. John; schr Wm Porter, Eastport; Perry C, Elizabethport for St. John; Calabria, New York for do; Frank & Ira, New Bedford for do. City Island, April 1—Bound south, schr Navigator, Halifax; schr Carl Richards, Halifax; Oryson, Empress, Bridgeport. Delaware Breakwater, April 1—in harbor, schr Anna, St. John via New York for Philadelphia; Henry D May, Calais for Wilmington; Annie H Lewis, Boston for Norfolk.

RECENT CHARTERS

The steamer Micmac, 1,600 tons, from West Bay to W Britain or E Ireland with deck, 37 1/2 d. April. British ship Brynhydd, 1,400 tons, from Boston to Buenos Ayres, lumber; 20 British bark Nora Wiggin, 470 tons, hence to Montevideo or Buenos Ayres, lumber; 20 British bark Nora Wiggin, 470 tons, from Brigwater (N S) to Buenos Ayres, lumber; 40 or about 50; British bark John S Bennett, 220 tons, from San Domingo to New York, with sugar, 2 1/2; British schooner Wanoia, 272 tons (corrected) from Trinidad or Baracoa to New York or Philadelphia with coconuts, at or about \$1.20.

REPORTS, DISASTERS, ETC.

Boston, March 29—Captain of sch Maple Leaf (Br), from Nassau, sd, reports last Sunday, 30 miles south of Nantucket shoals lightship, the schooner was struck by monster wave which stove in forward part of forward house, demolished small box, smashed dock fittings and caused a leak. Pumps were manned and the inflow was easily controlled. Jacksonville, Fla. March 29—Sch Laconia (Br), recently damaged by fire at this port.

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J. A. PUGSLEY, Agent GARAGE CHIPMAN HILL Phone 386 Main) A call would be appreciated, when we would take pleasure in explaining the good points of the cars.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too late for classification.) WANTED: A young man or boy to take care of Automobiles. Apply to J. A. Pugsley, 17 Chipman Hill, City.

EXPORTS

For London and Havre ex simr Sardinian: Canadian goods for London—41,651 ft hardwood planks, 18 ft hardwood scantling, 468 ft spruce deals, 4 spruce boards, 4 spruce effects, 397 bushels wheat, 4991 ft birch plank, 536 ft birch ends. For Havre—3000 bushels wheat, 600 bags asbestos, 900 bags fibre. Value \$7,265.

THAT ROBBERY CASE

The taking of evidence in the case of The King vs. William Golding and Joseph London, on the occupant of Mrs. Ada Wood, began yesterday afternoon. In her testimony Mrs. Wood stated the circumstances of the robbery, as have already been announced. She identified Golding as the young man who had snatched her satchel from her. She knew him by the expression of his eyes and side-face. She stated that she would be more positive if she heard him speak but Mr. Millin would not permit the prisoner to say a word. Mrs. Wood said that she was of the impression that her satchel was taller than Golding is. The witness said that the caps produced in court were not those worn by the prisoner the night of the robbery. Mrs. Wood said that London answered to the build of Golding's companion on Friday night.

DEATHS

FERGUSON—At Lorneville, April 1st, Laura May, wife of John Ferguson, aged 75 years, leaving a husband and three children to mourn their loss. Notice of funeral hereafter.

WESTERN ASSURANCE CO.

Assets, \$3,300,000 Losses paid since organization Over \$40,000,000. R. W. W. FRINK, Manager, Branch St. John, N. B.



**Men's Spring Caps.**  
 We are showing some of the naggiest Tweed Gols it has ever been our pleasure to show and that is saying a lot.  
 The largest and most varied stock in the city  
**Prices, 35, 50, 75c., \$1.**  
 See our special Boys' Caps at 50 cents.

**F. S. THOMAS,** Dufferin Block,  
 539 Main Street, N. E.

**HATS FOR SPRING AND SUMMER.**  
 Hats from \$1.00 to \$3.00—all from factory to us.  
 Our well known grades.

It is good business to make a customer feel satisfied. It is better to make him feel delighted. There's where our "High grade Hats," of good form, proper, absolutely correct styles and quality make it easy for you and easy for us—everybody pleased. **DERBIES AND SOFT HATS?** Yes—and Hat Boxes, too; if you travel. Caps and children's Headwear.

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sell new and used Furniture, Stoves, Carpets and General House Furnishings Goods and that all these used Furniture is put in thorough repair before selling. No broken or defaced goods, but all bright and fresh, like new.  
 We also buy household goods from a kitchen table to the entire contents of a house.

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For Choice Fresh Butter, 25c. per pound. Henny Eggs. Also Large Assortment of Fresh and Smoked Fish. Groceries of All Kinds.

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 Assets, \$27,000,000.00  
 LOWEST CURRENT RATES.  
**MACHUM & FOSTER,** Agents  
 20 Canterbury St. Phone 28.

**HON. MR. EMMERSON TO GET AFTER ACCUSERS**

He Has Instituted Suits Against the Fredericton Gleaner, Halifax Herald, and Toronto World—Offers to Resign Until He is Vindicated.

Ottawa, April 1—Hon. H. R. Emerson has telegraphed to Fredericton (N. B.) and Toronto to counsel to take legal proceedings against the Fredericton Gleaner and Toronto World for publishing what he declares to be libellous and defamatory statements affecting his character. The same course will be taken against the Halifax Herald and all newspapers which have published the alleged libel, which the minister declares to be devoid of truth. When the house meets tomorrow Mr. Emerson will take the first opportunity

**BIG STRIKE THREATENED IN NOVA SCOTIA COAL MINES**

P. W. A. Miners Carry Out With Demand for Closed Shop—Dominion Coal Company Will Fight to the Finish.

Halifax, N. S., April 1—There is a strong possibility if not probability of trouble between the Dominion Coal Company and the P. W. A., the union in which the organized workmen are banded together. For several weeks the P. W. A. in Cape Breton, particularly, have been very active in soliciting membership for their lodges. They have carried their propaganda as far as practically to declare a strike by refusing to work in the mines with non-union men. The declaration of the men in both cases has been that they would not return to work until the non-union men joined the association. They are now out at Dominion No. 1.

When the men were ready to work after enrolling the non-unionists the company would not take them back because they claimed they had repair work to do in the mine. It is the intention of the P. W. A. to apply their policy of closed shop to all the collieries of the Dominion Coal Company.

A pronouncement made by the Dominion Coal Company today throws down the gauntlet to the P. W. A. and practically invites a strike. General Manager Duggan says the company not only will resist the closed shop policy but will not tolerate interference with free labor in any shape whatever. The present attitude on the part of the company gives the P. W. A. the alternative of desisting from their present campaign or declaring a strike and the company would seem to welcome either position.

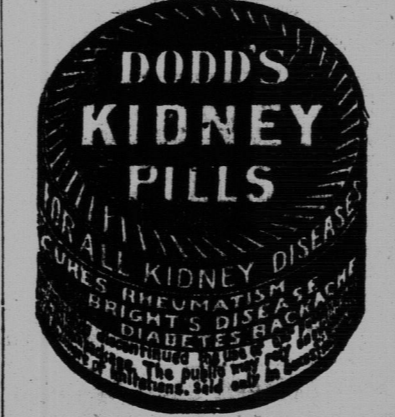
Under the new labor law for the prevention of strikes, a strike is defined as "cessing work." The P. W. A. leaders claim there is no strike, and in suspending work at the collieries and injuring the business of the company they claim

that it is a quarrel with non-unionists and not with the company.

The non-unionists consider the action of the P. W. A. as tyrannical and many of them have already left for the United States and elsewhere. The movement to compel all workmen to join the union has caused the stoppage of work at Westville, Springhill, Sydney Mines and Dominion No. 1. In each case the P. W. A. succeeded.

The only difference between these places and collieries of the coal company, is that the big coal company collects the lodge dues from its pay roll. If it refuses to continue to do so, the result will be serious to the P. W. A. and the situation is viewed with alarm among many of the workmen.

The bitulous man who sees double must be a duce of a fellow.



**YORKTON FARMERS MAY LOSE HEAVILY**

1,000,000 Bushels of Grain Unmarketed and Poorly Protected from the Weather.

(Winnipeg Free Press.)

J. A. McGee, a prominent real estate man of Yorkton, Sask., and W. R. Parsons, barrister, of the same town, are in the city on business. Speaking to a Free Press representative last night Mr. McGee said that the car shortage question was very acute in his town. The seven elevators were full to the roof, and still in the care of the farmers of the district were something like 1,000,000 bushels of grain. Of this great amount of grain a considerable percentage was oats, for the production of which the district is famous. Mr. McGee said further that the grain in the farmers' hands was, to a large extent, lying in the fields in the finest of temporary bins. He thinks if the weather turns wet that enormous losses will be sustained by the farmers of the district. Messrs. McGee and Parsons, in talking of their district, referred to the olden days when Yorkton was the greatest cattle exporting centre in the west. In 1868 there were shipped from the town 6,000 head of cattle, the record-making epoch in the industry. Now the shipments do not exceed 1,500 head, but the amount of grain grown for export last year totalled up to about 2,000,000 bushels.

**NORTH END BAZAAR**

It Was Successfully Opened Last Night.

A bazaar being held in Union Hall under the auspices of Lodges 18 and 38. L. O. B. A. and Lodge 246, Sons of England, was opened last evening and proved a great success. The booths were tastefully trimmed and the goods temptingly arranged, and if fine weather prevails a large attendance is assured for the remaining nights of the fair which will continue through the week.

Those in charge are: Centre booth—Miss Lillian Kirkpatrick, Miss Leatham and Miss Brown. Guesing contest—Mrs. Parke, Mrs. Brown.

Ice cream—Miss Wilson, Miss Brown. Aprons—Miss Whittier. Fancy table—Miss Andrews, Miss Sprule, Miss Wood, Mrs. Maboe, Mrs. Parlee. Soft drinks—A. Morrissey. Gentlemen's air gun—George Brown. Ladies' air gun—C. Olney. Roulette wheel—C. Hartin. Mayor Sears opened the bazaar with an appropriate address and J. King Kelley, County Orange Lodge master, also gave an address. St. Clair McKelvie won the door prize. 2 lbs. of tea, last evening. H. Kilpatrick won the men's air gun contest, making 29 out of a possible 30. Miss Brown carried off the honors in the ladies' rifle shooting. The guesing contest will be continued throughout the fair. The rewards given are subscriptions to the city papers.

**NOTICE.**

Our Alteration Sale will be extended for ten days.  
 For extra special inducements see big ad tomorrow.

**WILCOX BROS.**  
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**SKINNER'S**  
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JUST OPENED, 'SPRING STOCK OF AXMINSTER CARPETS, AXMINSTER SQUARES, OMDURMAN SQUARES

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25¢ **That Cough** which ordinary remedies have not reached, will quickly yield to **GRAY'S SYRUP OF RED SPRUCE GUM**  
 It cures those heavy, deep-seated coughs—takes away the mucus—breaks the phlegm—strengthens the lungs. Hence the low effective because it is pleasant to take. Just try one bottle and see how quickly you get rid of that cough. At your druggist. 25¢ bottle.

Times Classified Ads Pay

**AMLAND BROTHERS.**  
**Spring Opening of New Carpets!**  
 THE opening of our Spring Carpets and Squares will appeal to every good, economical housekeeper in this city. We have just received a beautiful line of **English Velvets, Brussels and Tapestry Carpets**, besides **Velvets, Brussels and Tapestry Squares** in a large assortment, direct from the English manufacturers. You cannot afford to miss taking this opportunity of securing rare snaps on 1907 Carpets. Select your Carpets now, and have them made up before the rush.

<p><b>ENGLISH TAPESTRY CARPETS</b>          A BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF ENGLISH TAPESTRY CARPETS, IN ALL THE LATEST COLORINGS AND DESIGNS. SEE OUR \$1.10, \$1.95, 95c., 92c., 85c., 80c., 75c.</p> <p><b>THE CARPET FOR YOU</b>          YOU DON'T BUY A CARPET EVERY DAY, HENCE YOU SHOULD EXERCISE A CARE TO SEE THAT YOU GET SOMETHING THAT IS GOING TO BE PLEASING AS WELL AS DURABLE.          BUY NOW AND HAVE THEM MADE UP BEFORE THE RUSH.</p> <p><b>BRUSSELS CARPETS</b>          HANDSOME BRUSSELS IN PRETTY DESIGNS AT \$1.20, \$1.25, \$1.30, \$1.35, \$1.40.</p>	<p><b>WOOL AND UNION CARPETS</b>          WOOL AND UNION CARPETS, IN HIGH DESIGNS TO SELECT FROM.</p> <p><b>HEMP CARPETS</b>          HEMP CARPETS AT ALL PRICES.</p> <p><b>THE BEST CARPETS</b>          ARE THOSE THAT ARE MADE OF THE BEST MATERIALS. AN IMPORTANT POINT IS THE DYE-STUFF USED. IF IT IS OF THE RIGHT QUALITY IT WILL PRODUCE BEAUTIFUL, PERMANENT COLORINGS AND WILL NOT ROT THE FABRIC. BUY HERE.</p> <p><b>CHINA AND JAPANESE MATTING</b>          OUR CHINA AND JAPANESE MATTING IS JUST WHAT YOU WANT. PRICES FROM 12c. PER YARD UP.</p>	<p><b>TAPESTRY SQUARES</b></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>3 x 3 1-2 Tapestry Squares,</td><td>Now \$10.50</td></tr> <tr><td>3 x 4 " " " "</td><td>" 14.00</td></tr> <tr><td>3 1-2 x 4 " " " "</td><td>" 14.50</td></tr> <tr><td>4 x 4 " " " "</td><td>" 19.50</td></tr> </table> <p>A big variety to select from.</p> <p><b>BRUSSELS SQUARES</b></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>3 x 3 1-2 Brussels Squares,</td><td>Now \$23.00</td></tr> <tr><td>3 x 4 " " " "</td><td>" 28.50</td></tr> <tr><td>3 3-4 x 4 " " " "</td><td>" 35.00</td></tr> </table> <p>These are rich patterns to select from.</p> <p><b>VELVET SQUARES</b></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>3 x 3 1-2 Velvet Squares,</td><td>Now \$22.00</td></tr> <tr><td>3 x 4 " " " "</td><td>" 24.50</td></tr> <tr><td>3 x 3 1-2 " " " "</td><td>" 29.00</td></tr> <tr><td>3 1-2 x 4 " " " "</td><td>" 38.00</td></tr> </table> <p>A magnificent assortment to select from.</p> <p><b>RUGS from 25cts. up to \$11.00.</b>  <b>DOOR MATS at all prices.</b>  <b>ENGLISH LINOLEUMS in four yards width.</b></p>	3 x 3 1-2 Tapestry Squares,	Now \$10.50	3 x 4 " " " "	" 14.00	3 1-2 x 4 " " " "	" 14.50	4 x 4 " " " "	" 19.50	3 x 3 1-2 Brussels Squares,	Now \$23.00	3 x 4 " " " "	" 28.50	3 3-4 x 4 " " " "	" 35.00	3 x 3 1-2 Velvet Squares,	Now \$22.00	3 x 4 " " " "	" 24.50	3 x 3 1-2 " " " "	" 29.00	3 1-2 x 4 " " " "	" 38.00	<p><b>ENGLISH LINOLEUMS</b>          PRETTY PATTERNS OF ENGLISH LINOLEUMS AT 45c. AND 50c. PER YARD.          LINOLEUMS IN 4 YARD WIDTHS AT 50c. PER YARD.</p> <p><b>HOMES FURNISHED OUT COMPLETE</b>          WE FURNISH HOMES OUT IN THE LATEST STYLES. YOU CAN SAVE MONEY BY DOING YOUR SHOPPING HERE.</p> <p><b>PRETTY FURNITURE</b>          HIGH-CLASS BUFFETS, LEATHER SEAT DINING CHAIRS, CHINA CLOSETS, ODD DRESSERS, PRINCESS DRESSERS, LADIES' DRESSERS, ETC.</p> <p><b>READY for the FLOOR</b>          IS THE FLOOR READY FOR THE CARPET? WE'RE READY TO MAKE IT AND LAY IT. WE'LL HAVE THE CARPETS THERE BY THE TIME THE FLOOR IS READY.          SELECT YOUR CARPETS AND LEAVE THE REST TO US.</p> <p><b>NOTICE</b>          WE WILL SEND OUR MEN AND MEASURE YOUR ROOMS, HALLS, ETC. FREE OF CHARGE.</p>
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EASTER MONDAY ELECTIONS

Anglican Churches Hold Their Annual Easter Meetings-- Good Showing Made by All.

The annual meetings of the Episcopal churches were held Monday evening. Reports of a number are here given: St. John's. At the annual meeting in St. John's (St. John's) church, Rev. G. A. Kibring presided...

St. Paul's. The annual meeting in St. Paul's (Valley) church was held Monday evening. Rev. E. B. Hooper, the rector, presided. The election resulted as follows: Warden--John K. Schofield, Frank P. Egan...

St. Luke's. Rev. R. P. McKim is rector. Warden--Henry Hilyard and W. H. Smith. The hearty thanks of the meeting were expressed to J. N. Rogers, choir leader...

St. George's. There was a largely attended meeting in St. George's church, Carleton Place. The election resulted as follows: Warden--H. Mosher, Martin Peterson...

St. Mary's. Rev. Dr. W. O. Raymond is rector. Warden--R. I. Carleton, Wm. Williams. The hearty thanks of the meeting were expressed to J. N. Rogers, choir leader...

St. James'. The annual meeting in St. James' church was held Monday evening. Rev. E. B. Hooper, the rector, presided. The election resulted as follows: Warden--John K. Schofield, Frank P. Egan...

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PLAYS AND PLAYERS

A GOOD COMPANY

Something About the Lyceum Stock Company Which Will Open Here Next Week. N. L. Jelinko and the members of the Lyceum Stock Company arrived here on Saturday...

GOOD VAUDEVILLE

New Bill at Vaudeville Theatre This Week is a Tip Top One. Keith's new bill drew a large audience last night in spite of unfavorable conditions...

OPERA HOUSE

Miss Golding the Hit of the Uncle Josh Sprucey Co. Pretty Pearl Golding, the dainty little courtesan of the Uncle Josh Sprucey Company...

REPORT MISS ANGLIN

IN TIF WITH MILLER Mansfield Ill; GIVES UP TOUR. Richard Mansfield, who was unable to fill an engagement in 'Peter Gyp' at Scranton, Pa., is seriously ill...

PICTURE SHOW COMING

The English Cinegraph Company will open a three night's engagement at the Opera House on Thursday next presenting moving pictures and illustrated songs...

MANTEL COMING

Manager Anderson of the Opera House completed arrangements yesterday where by Robert B. Mantell and his splendid company will appear in St. John in September next for a week's engagement of Shakespearean repertoire.

POLICE GET MORE MONEY

Council Grants Increase to Date From May 1st. At the monthly meeting of the common council the assessments for the year involving an increased expenditure of \$22,874, were agreed to.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one cured case of Catarrh of the Bladder. The only positive cure now known to the medical profession is Catarrh Cure, a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional cure, acting directly upon the system, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work.

THE INCREASED ASSESSMENT

The Tax Rate This Year is \$2 --How It is Made Up. It was announced at the meeting of the common council yesterday that the net increased assessment for the coming year as far as the city was concerned would be \$22,874.50.

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total Art Range No. 4 5 holes, high shelf, and water front. . . . \$18.00. total Art Range No. 3 6 holes, high shelf, full nickel plate. . . . \$20.00.

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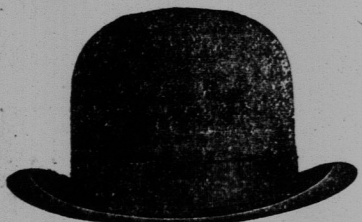
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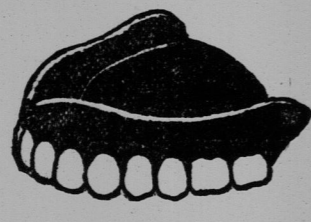
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SOME MATTERS TAKEN UP BY CITY COUNCIL

Director Wisely's Annual Report Submitted at Yesterday's Meeting, and Referred to Board of Safety--The Slaughter House Commissioners.

At the meeting of the common council yesterday afternoon the annual report of Robert Wisely, director of public safety, was received and referred to the safety board.

The slaughter house commissioners submitted their annual report. A number of communications were received and left to the various boards to deal with.

SLAUGHTER HOUSES. The commissioners of public slaughter houses for the city and county of St. John submitted the following report:

Financial Statement. Dr. Jan. 2, '06 To cash on hand Bank N. B. \$671.29 License fees for year 140.00 \$811.29 Cr.

Salary Inspector 480.00 Expenses, secretary, visit, rent etc 173.45 Cash bal Bank N. B. Jan 1 '07. 157.84 \$811.29

The commissioners have visited slaughter houses for the parish of Simonds and Lancaster frequently during the year. They have been well maintained and kept in as good condition as the circumstances and location of these buildings will allow.

Number of animals slaughtered: Cattle 5314, Sheep 5222, Calves 12, Swine 12, Total 11,515

PUBLIC SAFETY REPORT.

Director Wisely submitted his report for the year ending 31st December, 1906. It dealt with the various matters connected with the department of public safety.

The repairs made to the various fire stations during the year are enumerated and it is stated that the only work necessary now is some painting for No. 1 station and slight repairs to the floors of No. 1 and 4 stations.

In dealing with the apparatus he states that pump valves will be necessary for No. 1, 6 and the reserve engine. He re-

THE WEATHER

Forecast--Strong northeasterly wind, snow in Cape Breton, clearing in west, Wednesday, fresh northwesterly winds, fair and a little mild.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON. Tuesday, April 2. Highest temperature during last 24 hours 22. Lowest temperature during last 24 hours 12. Temperature at noon 22. Humidity at noon 86. Barometer, readings at noon (sea level and 42 degrees Falt) 30.00.

THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club meets as usual. Uncle Josh Sprucey at the Opera House. Variety at Keith's Theatre. Easter sale and entertainment in Zion church school room.

LATE LOCALS

The tug Joseph has been taken through the falls for repairs.

There was one protectionist at police headquarters last night.

C. P. R. steamship, Lake Manitoba, sailed last night for London and Havre with a large general cargo.

The annual meeting of the Orange Grand Lodge of the province will open tomorrow at Newcastle. Among the representatives will be Neil J. Morrison, of St. John.

The annual meeting of the United Women's Missionary Societies of the various denominations of the city will be held tomorrow, Wednesday afternoon, at three o'clock in the vestry of the Main street United Baptist church.

At the regular monthly meeting of the board of trade to be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock, H. B. Schofield, the representative of the local board on the recent delegation to the West Indies, will submit a detailed report of the work accomplished by the delegation.

While working on board the steamer Victoria, Saturday, William Barton, chief engineer, of the Star Line S. S. Co., fell and broke two of his ribs. At the time he felt no ill effects and it was not until this morning that he knew of his injuries.

Today he was taken suddenly ill on the steamer and had, to be conveyed in a coach to his home, where his medical attendant found that a couple of his ribs had been broken by the fall of Saturday.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Loyalist Division Sons of Temperance met last evening in their hall, Simond St. and elected the following officers for the next term: Robert C. Carson, W. P. Miss Violet Hastings, W. A.; Bennett Wilson, R. S.; Fred Thompson, A. R. S. Miss Annie at 4 o'clock; Mrs. Wm. Cronk, Treas.; John Crowland, Chap.; Miss Ella Tucker, Com.; Miss Fannie Brookings, A. Con.; Bernice Ferris, I. S.; Chas. L. Hamilton, O. S.; Miss Annie Cronk, S. Y. P. W.; Fred Hastings, P. W.P.

The above officers were installed by Chas. Hamilton, D. W. P. and Walter S. Daley, F.W. P.

Comments that hose sleds be provided next year for hose companies Nos. 1, 3 and 4.

The purchase of several suitable horses for the department is recommended. Reference is made to recent changes in the fire alarm system, and a recommendation made to have competent fitters always available to repair breaks in the system.

In connection with the market building, the report says--"Slight repairs have been made to the roof and asphalt walks. Sanitary arrangements attended to and lavatories provided."

In dealing with the police building and City Hall, mention is made of repairs made during the year.

Referring to the public lands, the report says that the city now owns 33 houses in Lancaster, and it is recommended that the city regain possession of them as the leases expire, as a greater revenue could be derived, as in the case of the Murphy property recently regained possession of.

Repairs were made to the exhibition buildings, and mention is made of the fact that unused fire apparatus is stored therein, the director commenting that it is an out of the way place and the department is hampered for room to store unused apparatus.

In dealing with the lamp department the report tells of the new contract made with the St. John Railway Co. for lighting and the sale by the city of the north end plant, which realized the sum of \$912.24.

OTHER MATTERS.

Stephen B. Bustin wrote briefly as follows--"The cutting of a gutter in front of my residence, 158 St. James street, will prevent my cellar from being flooded."

Mrs. Catherine Mount advised that she be paid \$4,000 for her half interest in the property at Misep held by her and the city in common. She states that the amount suggested to her solicitors, Earle, Belyea & Campbell, \$2,500, does not represent a fair valuation.

Residents of Havelthorn avenue and the Sandy Point Road petitioned for a light in that vicinity.

Recorder Skinner submitted a bill for services at Fredericton in the matter of proposed legislation concerning the N. B. Telephone Company for \$148.

T. McAvilly & Sons offered to supply Com. hydrants if the city decides to purchase. West side residents again ask that rock on Lancaster street be blasted.

STMR. PARISIAN ARRIVED TODAY

She Reached Port at 12.30 and Docked at the I. C. R. Pier.

The Allan liner Parisian, Captain Johnson, arrived in port at 12.30 today from Liverpool via Halifax. The steamer had on board when she reached Halifax 340 second cabin and 402 steerage passengers, 210 second cabin and 140 steerage passengers came aboard to this port and landed here.

The steamer has on board a very large cargo for this city and the west, including a quantity of oranges and onions. The passage across the Atlantic to Halifax was rather a stormy one, although the weather was fine the first five days out from Liverpool. On March 25th a very heavy gale with high seas prevailed and the ship only logged 146 miles in twenty-four hours. Her daily runs were 321, 318, 290, 146, 250, 310, 288 and 334. The trip around from Halifax was made in yesterday's snow storm under slow steam. The Parisian is berthed at the I. C. R. wharf.

AGED MAN HURT

William Duffy, of Brookville, Struck by the Pacific Express.

William Duffy, an aged resident of Brookville, was struck by the Pacific express, while walking the track from Colebrook to Brookville yesterday afternoon, and his right arm and shoulder were badly injured. Had it not been for the fact that he was walking on the ends of the sleepers outside the rails he would doubtless have been killed.

Mr. Duffy is seventy-five years old, and as his hearing is not very keen, did not hear the whistle of the locomotive. Everything possible was done to bring the train to a standstill in time to prevent an accident, but without avail.

Mr. Duffy was placed aboard the train around from Halifax was made in yesterday's snow storm under slow steam. The Parisian is berthed at the I. C. R. wharf.

POLICE COURT

Six inebriates and a case of indecency composed this morning's police court docket, which was disposed of in rather less than half an hour.

Bernard Barry figured prominently among the drunks, owing to other circumstances leading to his arrest. The police say that Barry was beginning to make matters lively in Hawker's drug store, Prince William street, and tried conclusions also with Adjutant Bowring of the Salvation Army, who had charge of the shelter, part of yesterday evening. Going into the bank room of the adjutant found Barry, who was evidently getting ready for a scrap, and to use his own narrative, thought he "would rather be on trial" and marked his game accordingly, for Barry was soon on his knees.

John Mullin, arrested for indecent conduct in the east side ferry house, is another of those over-confident Englishmen who are under the impression that they come out to Canada and do as they like. Mullin was sent to jail for thirty days in default of payment of a fine of eight dollars.

Chas. McAlhuff, Alfred Corbett, Andrew O'Brien and Andrew Doherty, common drunks, were fined \$4 or ten days each.

Yesterday, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock, Car No. 29, while going at a rapid speed, on Winter street, near St. Paul, struck an express wagon belonging to Guy Olive, who was driving the horse. The car hit the wagon, breaking the wheels and shaft. Olive was knocked off his wagon by the force of the blow, and was nearly run over.

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Venetian Cloth Skirts, in black, navy, brown and green, at \$5.75. Fine Pleated Mohair Skirts, very light weight, in brown, blues and black.

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Satin Cloth Skirts, in black only, at \$7.00.

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