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NEWS OF THE OLD WORLD

Desperate Fight During a Police Raid in St. Petersburg

W. T. STEAD'S PLAN

He Proposes a Pilgrimage of Peace From the United States to the Hague--Hungarian Notables May Meet In a Duel.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 12--Desperate fighting between police and workmen occurred in the Obits quarter of this city last night, during a domiciliary search. Three workmen who were in the building extinguished all the lights and opened fire on the police. The latter responded and the fusillade was continued for some time in total darkness. The workmen finally retreated, after killing two district inspectors and two policemen and wounding three policemen. Fire arms were discovered in the house.

BUDAPEST, Jan. 12--Minister of Justice Polony has sent his seconds, Secretary of State Bolgar and Baron Kaas, the author, to Herr Halmos, ambassador of Budapest, to demand explanation of the charges published by Halmos, that Polony had abused his position in order to obtain advantages for a personal friend. The minister considers himself to have been insulted by the accusation and therefore demands a retraction and an apology. Should Halmos refuse to give the minister satisfaction, the latter's seconds are instructed to make arrangements with Halmos's seconds to meet at Rome, Jan. 12--William T. Stead, in his international peace propaganda proposes an international pilgrimage of peace, in which notably all over the world would take part to start from the United States for the Hague in 1907.

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FAST SPECIAL FOR HALIFAX

The special train which left Montreal at 3.30 o'clock this morning with the "Overland mail" and a number of passengers for the steamer Empress of Britain, is expected to arrive here about three o'clock, and will be rushed through to Halifax to catch the steamer. The special consists of a sleeper, first class coach, diner and a combined mail and baggage car.

WILL VISIT EARL GREY

NEW YORK, Jan. 12--A despatch from London says that the Washington correspondent of the Times says although the fact is not generally known, Secretary of State Root, with his wife and daughter, will visit Earl Grey, governor general of Canada, at Ottawa, on Monday. Mr. Root told the correspondent that his visit would be social, not official, but the correspondent thinks that the visit will assist to the settlement of the various questions outstanding between the United States and Canada.

THE EVERY DAY CLUB

The following letter speaks for itself and is full of encouragement for the executive committee of the Every Day Club: St. John, N. B., Jan. 12, 1907. A. M. Bell, Esq., chairman managing committee "Every Day Club": Dear Sir--Please accept the enclosed check for ten dollars as a donation to the club. I wish the club, by evening, and was much struck with the success which has attended the efforts of those in charge. The success was very large, and there was an air of freedom and lack of restraint about it--but perfectly orderly and well-attended. The program was good and well carried out. Good clean healthy entertainment of this character are bound to be much enjoyed, and an inspiring theme.

Wishing the club continued success, I am yours sincerely, ALEX. WILSON.

The grounds committee of the Y. M. C. A. in company with Architect George E. Fairweather, visited the proposed site of the new building this morning and spent some time in carefully looking over the ground in order to determine the exact location of the new structure. No definite decision was arrived at and the matter will be further considered at a meeting of the committee.

The funeral of the late Lillian M. Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, 126 Pond street, took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from her parents' residence. Rev. Mr. Crisp read the burial service, and interment was made in Fernhill.

MONTREAL, Jan. 12--(Special)--The market was steady today, a rally in Canadian Pacific from yesterday's break being the feature. After touching 188 1/2 yesterday the price was back to 191 1/4. Other features were Don Iron 24 1/4; Rio 47 5/8; Mont. Street Ry, 27 3/4; Mac Kay, 73 1/4; Detroit, 82 1/2; Mexican Bonds, 84; Dom. Textile Bonds, 92.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12--The recovery in the stock market which set in late yesterday was extended to the opening dealing this morning. Gains were generally narrow and transactions on a moderate scale. Canadian Pacific and St. Paul rose 1/4 to 1 point.

JOHN RYAN WAS ANGRY

Prisoner Charged With Assault Creates a Scene

IN POLICE COURT

Said He was Not Guilty and Demanded Immediate Acquittal, But He Was Remanded to Jail--His Wife Swore Out the Warrant.

"I'm charged with assault, and I demand an acquittal right off the reel!" With this mandate John Ryan made the court room ring, when he was brought before Judge Ritchie this morning on a warrant sworn to by his wife charging him with assault. Ryan waxed warm during the latter part of the hearing, and his honor found it necessary to remand him.

Mrs. Ryan may sell out the household effects and live apart from her husband. She appeared in the police court about ten o'clock this morning and complained of her husband's actions. Acting on advice she received she took out the warrant and Police Sergeant Baxter and Policeman Bolyas were but a short time bringing Ryan to central.

Mrs. Ryan was sworn and testified that she lived at 143 1/2 Brussels street. She stated further that her husband had asked badly this morning. He was sleeping in a room apart from her and when he came into her apartment his behaviour was such that she remarked to him that he was acting silly. He said he would strike her and said to wit will he get the axe. He then locked the door and she and her sister, becoming alarmed, hastily left the house.

At this point Ryan jumped to his feet and coming forward laid the warrant on the corner of the police desk and tapping it with his finger proclaimed that he was charged with assault. Then, turning to his wife, who was still on the stand, he asked if she would swear to the charge. "Did I strike you?" "Yes," said his honor. "Did I strike you?" repeated the prisoner.

"Then I'm charged with assault, and I demand an acquittal right off the reel. I didn't do it!"

Sergeant Baxter testified that when he went to Ryan's home this morning he found him holding one of the children. He added that he had been summoned there before when Ryan was talking roughly to his wife, and breaking the dishes. Witness declared that what Ryan said in court today was much worse than what he said with that occasion. He stated further that Mrs. Ryan was well spoken of by the neighbors.

The prisoner said he was at home trying to pacify the baby, while his wife was in court swearing against him, when he had committed no assault. He thought he was more to be pitied than censured, as it was enough to aggravate anyone.

He insisted that he was innocent of assault and talked so loudly that his honor told him that he could not do that there. "If your poor weak wife can stand it we are not going to. You're remanded till you can do better."

Ryan declared he would leave his wife before he would strike her, and as she was leaving the court said to her "Now you go down and sell out every thing. I'm remanded to jail for assault. I didn't do it, and this won't be the end of it." He indulged in profane language before he reached the guard room.

Mrs. Ryan was told that her husband had given her full permission to sell out, and will probably do it.

CAPT. W. R. DIXON TO LEAVE TOWN

Capt. W. R. Dixon, who was before Judge Ritchie last Thursday charged with assaulting Miss Lizzie Welsh, was again in court this morning and sent out on a suspended sentence of 20 or two months, provided he leave town tonight.

He denied having written any letter in which he made threats against Mrs. Welsh, but was informed that the letters were in the possession of the court. He asked for the letters but the request was refused.

One of his friends appeared for him and promised to get him to Nova Scotia by Monday morning. Dixon asked if he could go to Penobscot tonight and return to the city in time to leave for across the bay on Monday. He was told he could do so and went his way.

William Seabury, charged with assaulting his wife, was remanded. John and Richard Keith charged with drunkenness were also in court. The former was fined \$8 or thirty days and the latter \$2.

They were severely lectured by his honor and sent to jail. George Barry, of the Empress of Britain, was fined \$4 or ten days for drunkenness.

THE LOCAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN ASK CITY FOR A PLAYGROUND GRANT

They Ask That \$500 Be Granted to Provide Public Playgrounds for the Children Next Summer--What is Being Done in Other Cities.

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To the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of St. John, N. B. Gentlemen--Inasmuch as the summer playground conducted by the Local Council of Women in St. John in July and August was an unqualified success, approved by parents, citizens, superintendents of schools, the clergy and the press, and gave instruction and recreation to many little ones; and

Inasmuch as organized play is now recognized by philanthropists, educators and civic bodies as a necessary factor in the development of all in the child that tends to good citizenship, and

Inasmuch as the financial support of the work was met by private subscription and was necessarily limited. Therefore the Playground Committee of the Local Council of Women respectfully requests your Honorable Body to appropriate the sum of \$500 to assist in the continuance and extension of the playground work. Very respectfully,

MABEL PETERS, Convener of Committee, Detroit, Mich., Jan. 11, 1907. The above communication has been received by Mayor Seavey, and will be placed before the city council.

Miss Peters has sent to the Times a copy of the Detroit Free Press of Jan. 12, which gives the following very instructive account of what has been done in the public playground movement in other cities:

WHAT HAS BEEN DONE. While the organization of the playground association is the first attempt at

a general movement made in the United States for free playgrounds, recent American history is not without encouraging examples of how individual municipalities have been endeavoring to rise to the occasion.

In New York city, for instance, there are more than \$14,000,000 invested in recreation centres; Chicago has spent \$10,000,000 in this phase of social redemption; in Boston a state appropriation of \$600,000 has been used for playgrounds, in addition to large sums derived from private sources. Boston spent \$20,000 for ball fields alone.

In Philadelphia a single play ground and playhouse--a private benefaction--cost \$50,000.

Boston claims the honor of having been the pioneer in this modern movement, although as far back as the Elizabethan age in England--and probably longer ago--it was customary for the lord of a manor to set aside a common for the purpose of games.

In this country, history records that just before the revolutionary war, the schoolboys of Boston protested to General Gage against being prevented by his soldiers from playing on the Boston common.

So the playground idea isn't so modern as it might at first seem. Even in its infancy it has been a popular provision. In Philadelphia a single play ground and playhouse--a private benefaction--cost \$50,000.

When, in 1888, news drifted across from Berlin that there were great heaps of sand in the German city where children were allowed to dig as at the seashore, some Boston people immediately profited by the suggestion. In 1890 there were twenty-three such piles, toward the maintenance of which the Boston school committee contributed \$3,000 and public-spirited citizens \$1,300. Each day in summer about 4,000 Boston children are in this way kept out of mischief and benefited in health.

Besides, there are in each sand garden some shade trees and a kindergarten. Every kind of game is carried on, even baseball in some of the larger yards. There is sewing on doll's dresses and on perforated cards, making scrapbooks and other educational diversions.

Other cities which began ten years or so behind Boston have caught up; but all may turn at times to that city for guidance. One of her most popular provisions for children is a skating pond, where the attendance has run as high as 100,000 in a season; and she has two free gymnasiums for boys and girls.

In 1898 a law was passed by the Massachusetts legislature providing for the expenditure of \$200,000 for public playgrounds in Boston, and the result is twenty-two playgrounds--170 acres in all.

CHICAGO'S SYSTEM. Thirty-seven years ago a small system of playgrounds was established in Chicago, and there the matter stagnated until 1900, when there was a sudden reawakening. Plans were made to use the proceeds of \$500,000 of bonds authorized by the general assembly in the establishment of

PLANS WILL BE CHANGED

Public Works Deals With Proposed New Berth ON THE WEST SIDE

ON THE WEST SIDE

Provision Will be Made for the Building of a 200 Foot Close Faced Wharf on Northern Side of New Structure--Today's Meeting.

At a meeting of the board of public works this morning, it was decided to make a change in the plans and specifications of the proposed new wharf on the west side to provide for the building of a close-faced wharf on the northern side of the structure 200 feet in length. The necessary changes will be made and tenders called for to close on the 24th inst.

The director and consulting engineer were directed to prepare the plans for the necessary dredging so that all information would be in the possession of the delegation that is to be sent to meet the government.

There were present: Ald. Bullock (chairman), Holder, Tilley, Lewis, Hamm, Rowan, Baxter, Sprad, the mayor, Harbor Master Farris, Director Gubins, Engineer Peters and the common clerk.

The chairman on opening the meeting said they had been called to consider some changes that it appeared were necessary in the plans for the new wharf on the west side.

The director said he had been instructed on Wednesday to prepare the plans of the wharf, but on looking over the sketches with the consulting engineer, it had been found impossible to build as they had then decided. They would have to put a pier in on the northern side in order to provide for future extensions.

Ald. Rowan thought, after looking over the plans that there was no necessity of building a close-faced wharf, an open face one would do as well. A crib of 250 feet, he thought, should be placed on the northern side.

The consulting engineer said an open-faced wharf was entirely out of the question, in his opinion. Timbers could work above a steam crib, but an open face one would do as well. A crib of 250 feet, he thought, should be placed on the northern side.

Ald. Tilley thought there should be a close-faced wharf where the steamer berth at the harbor end on the northern side was to be built. He did not think it made any difference about the above end of the northern side of the proposed berth on that side, as it would only be available for ferry boats and such things.

Ald. Rowan said that the entire northern side was not to be available for steamers in the future, but he opposed extending any further.

Ald. Baxter was of the opinion that for some time in the northern face of the wharf would be available for the ferries, but after hearing the consulting engineer he was inclined to favor the close-faced wharf. He said that the wharf would not be built on the 400 foot space on the northern side.

The director said a small warehouse might be built. The consulting engineer saw no reason why the 400 foot berth working on the wharf at Halifax should be a steam wharf for small steamers in the future.

The director reported that the difference in cost between an open-faced and a close-faced wharf would be about \$2,000.

Ald. Baxter moved that the plans and specifications be altered, to construct a wharf on the northern side, 200 feet in length. Carried.

Ald. Baxter then made a motion that the new wharf be a close-faced structure. Carried.

Ald. Baxter said the board should have sectional plans prepared showing the amount of dredging necessary so that when the delegation went to Ottawa there would be no hitch, but that all information would be before the committee. He moved that the director be instructed in conjunction with the consulting engineer to prepare plans for all the dredging necessary for the building of the southern and northern sides of the proposed wharf. This was adopted.

The director brought up the matter of a letter received from Mr. Halifax on the west side asking for \$30 for the use made of his property by the city, teams having been driven over it. The director reported that a very small portion of his property was used by teams driving over it and that city employees had inadvertently left some tools on the property also. He had been informed that \$20 would be accepted. On motion it was decided to settle for this amount.

The meeting then adjourned.

RICH MORSEL FOR GOSSIPS

About Marlborough and His American Wife

SEPARATION

American Press Gushes Over the Dear Duchess Consuelo--But She Still Has Her Landolet and Rides on Bond Street.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12--The World correspondent hears that under the separation agreement reached between the Marlboroughs, when the Duchess visited the \$104,000 settled on him by the duchess' father, W. K. Vanderbilt, at the marriage. This will accumulate for them during their minority, less the cost of their living and education. The duke after maintaining Blenheim, which he determined to do as a matter of pride in order to prove that its maintenance was not dependent on the duchess' fortune, will have about \$40,000 income left and he is now looking for a good but not costly flat in Mayfair for a town residence.

King Edward, through the Marquis of Lansdowne, when the Duchess visited the Lansdownes at Bowood, before Christmas, pressed the duchess to avoid any open separation, but to follow the example of the Duke and Duchess of Sutherland and agree merely to live apart and divide the children's time between the parents. The Duke had already agreed and it was after the Duchess left Bowood that he and the Duchess met in Paris in the presence of her mother. The idea then was that in a few days the children were to join the Duchess in Paris and go cruising with her in her father's yacht, but the Duke informed her that Lord Ivor, their youngest son, was ill with measles and influenza at Blenheim, whereupon she returned to the Duke's house, though she did not go to Blenheim to see the child, she received constant information of his condition. "Superior" house, which she had dismantled on her departure, has now been re-opened and the children will join her for a trip abroad. The rumor is convalescent. "The Duchess has been seen about more since her return from Paris, it having been impressed upon her that she was damaging her position by withdrawing from the public gaze. Her husband is now seen in Bond street every day.

S. A. OFFICER TALKS OF WORK

Major Phillips and wife, accompanied by Mrs. Turner, left this morning for Moncton. Talking with the Times major said that Commissioner Combs will be in the city on Monday, Feb. 4, on the evening of that date a moving picture show will be given in the Opera House. The commissioner will be at Halifax on Sunday, Feb. 3, and will be accompanied to this city by Col. Pamphile and Adjutant Morris.

General Booth will go next month to Japan on an inspection trip, and before leaving for the land of the rising sun will visit Toronto, Montreal, Ottawa, Vancouver and Winnipeg. At Ottawa he will interview the government on immigration matters.

The first of the immigration steamers, Major Phillips said, was expected here about February 1st, and will probably bring about 1,400 immigrants will arrive. The second steamer will arrive about the last of February.

The Salvation Army have six chartered steamers, four of which will go to Quebec. The Lake Champlain will probably be the steamer that will bring the immigrants to this port.

DIFFERENCES ARE ARRANGED

ROME, Jan. 12--It is semi-officially stated that the differences between France and Germany over the Moroccan question have been settled through the assistance of Vienna, St. Petersburg and Rome on the basis that any Franco-Spanish demonstration at Tangier shall be merely to induce the Moroccan foreign office to re-establish order. The fleet will not be allowed to land men except with the consent of the Diplomatic Corps at Tangier, but the chief admiral will be allowed to send men ashore of his own responsibility in case there is imminent danger to Europeans.

POLICE WANT HIGHER PAY

On the basis of increased cost of living and taxes, the police will petition the common council for an advance in wages to the extent of 25 cents per day.

At the present time the deputy chief gets \$22.5 a day; the detective and sergeants get \$2 a day; and the patrolmen get \$17.5 a day. There are forty-one in the force at the present time, so that the increase, if granted, would mean an increase of \$10.25 a day in the city's expenditures.

The petition will be sent in before the estimates for the year are decided upon.

At a meeting of New Brunswick Lodge Free Masons last Thursday night, David Deems was presented with a beautiful Past Master's gold jewel. The following inscription is engraved on it:--Presented to Brother David Deems, by his Masonic Brethren as a token of fraternal affection, A. D. 1907.

WINTER PORT BUSINESS

To Date 41 Steamers Have Arrived--A Statement of Cargoes and Values.

Table listing steamers and their cargoes with values. Includes columns for Steamer, Value, and Cargoes.

RECAPITULATION

Summary table of cargo values: Value of Canadian goods, Value of American goods, Grand total to date.

GIRLS CHARGED WITH FORGERY

Two Ontario Girls Face Toronto Magistrate on a Serious Charge--A Conspiracy Case.

TORONTO, Jan. 12--(Special)--Gertrude Harris, alias Grace Cameron and Margaret Harris alias Ruth Wilson, young women from Newmarket, arrested Friday on charges of forgery, were today appeared in the police court yesterday and asked the magistrate to dispose of their case immediately. Gertrude Harris' elder sister pleaded guilty to four charges of forging the names of Dr. F. Winnett, Dr. P. E. Doltze, W. H. Knowlton and C. W. Osceola to checks for \$15 and Margaret Harris pleaded not guilty to the charge of attempting to obtain \$15 from John Harris, a Halifax merchant, by forging a check for \$15 on the name of W. E. Murray. Gertrude Harris was committed to Mercer Reformatory for six months and her sister was remanded until Wednesday.

Thomas W. Holloway, the Victoria street real estate agent who was recently acquitted on a charge of conspiracy was this morning sent up for trial on two charges of obtaining money by false pretence from the University of Toronto in connection with the sale of lands at the Old Upper Canada College grounds.

A "WOMAN'S" LETTER

An Anonymous Correspondent Writes to Liquor License Inspector John B. Jones.

A correspondent who signed her note "A woman," calls Inspector Jones' attention to alleged infraction of the liquor law in the vicinity of King Square, especially on Saturday nights. The writer of the note is willing to appear personally before the inspector to formally lodge her complaint, but fearing publicity through the press, she asks the inspector to do so, but expresses the hope that the inspector, now that he has had his attention directed to the alleged abuse will take steps to stop it.

The inspector says it is very difficult to trace the trouble from this indefinite statement.

It now looks as though the common council would be called upon to give another grant to St. Luke's club, for the lands on the face looking towards the city refuse to move. The clock, however, recognizes the service rendered to it by him for his conduct when a boy. Therefore he will purchase a stone-crusher. He doesn't know that it would be any cheaper than get a new one. He has had some remote idea of its duty to the citizens, but it seems to be the only available remedy.

ANOTHER HANDSOME GIFT

Our esteemed fellow-citizen Mr. Jamesy Jones, who has announced exclusively in this paper, has decided to present the city with a sand bank, and also erect mountains of sand in certain locations for the use of citizens in slippery weather next winter.

has today decided to present to the street department a stone crusher for immediate use. Your falls, six bumps, a sprained wrist and three bottles of liniment moved Jamesy to this act of beneficence. He got them this morning on his way down town. Every time he stepped on a stone he fell, and he walked around or stepped over 947 stones, by actual count.

Jamesy says that when he was a boy in the country he used to pick stones off

HALIFAX SCORES

ANOTHER POINT

OTTAWA, Jan. 12--(Special)--The agitation as to the carrying of the British mails and the landing of them at Halifax is still going on. It is understood that the post office department now interprets the contract with the Allans to mean that the steamers must draw alongside the wharf at Halifax and deliver the mails. The C. P. R. Express steamers have been in the habit of entering outside and sending the mail ashore by tender. If the new order is promulgated it means that the C. P. R. steamers will have to land at the wharf.

At Chubb's Corner today Auctioneer Lantaulm offered the F. B. Dunn Packing Company property situated at Fairville, Ontario. It was withdrawn at \$5,900.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12--Western New York, snow and colder, and Sunday high winds and snow. Northern New York, rain in the afternoon and evening. Southern New York, clearing and colder, high south winds shifting to northwest.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

the potato field and now in his mature years it is something of a hardship to have it thrown up to him in this way by the street department, which seems to be in league with the stones to get even with him for his conduct when a boy. Therefore he will purchase a stone-crusher. He doesn't know that it would be any cheaper than get a new one. He has had some remote idea of its duty to the citizens, but it seems to be the only available remedy.

A SWAN-SONG. The Car of Russia has sent the Times reporter the following pathetic lines: Alas! And yet--but no--I feel I do! I do! And yet my heart Messens doth miss the traitor's neck! This erst was twisted at my back I am the Car! Oh me! Oh my! This night I may be blown sky high!

Hostilities have been resumed between



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St. John, N. B.
ALEX. CORBET, Mgr.

We Are Ready For the Big Crowds

This is the FIRST DAY of our FIRST STOCK-TAKING SALE. There is one special item of our sale that we are proud to inform the keenest buyers,—that is, **all our stock is thoroughly fresh and up-to-date in every respect.** We have no old stock that has been laying in our store from year to year. The reason why? Well, this is our first half year in business, which has been more than successful in every way. Just for proof you

Compare Our Prices and Quality

with other stores and you will find out for yourself that our statement is correct. Let us see all our old patrons and friends and many new ones at this sale, which simply means money in your pocket.

Sale Begins at 8 a. m. Today and Continues All Next Week

UNION CLOTHING COMPANY

...That...
Preposterous
...Will..

BY L. G. MOBERLY.

(Continued.)

"I have been making every inquiry," Mr. Bray said after a pause, "and I am quite satisfied that you are beyond a doubt the Miranda Hume named in the will of Mr. Godfrey Haines, your godfather. The communication I have to make to you respecting his will may be a very great surprise to you; possibly even a shock. I gather that Mr. Haines knew both your father and mother from their earliest childhood in the village of Simley to the time of their marriage and your birth, when he became your godfather. Your parents shortly afterwards left Simley, and it appears that Mr. Haines lost sight of them and of you until a few months ago, shortly before his death in fact, when he made inquiries as to your whereabouts and called upon you in the present situation. Two days later he made the will by which, with the exception of a few legacies, he leaves his whole fortune to you under certain conditions."

The girl's face flushed vividly; with an impulsive gesture she reached back her hand from her forehead and leant forward eagerly.

"Would it be a lot of money?"

"It is a very large sum of money, more perhaps than you can quite comprehend," Mr. Bray said more kindly than he had yet spoken, and using the simplest language at his command, "the capital sum accruing to you will amount to about a hundred thousand pounds and there is also the house at Simley." A curious gleam shot into her eyes, and she caught her breath suddenly.

"A house in the country? Well, I never!" she exclaimed, evidently more impressed by this than by the great sum named. "Well, I ain't never dreamt of that, and me as always wanted to go into the country too," and the smile on her face disappeared.

"You will be able to go into the country as much as you like now," the lawyer answered, smiling in spite of himself in response to the eager smile that flashed over the freckled face; "you will be able to stay there as long as you please, and enjoy life very much indeed. Stanley Manor is a charming house."

"Would it be a sight roomed one like the manse was?" she said, her eyes growing round and sweetest, "with a parlor and dining-room all separate?"

Mr. Bray's smile grew every moment more kind, more fatherly, and daughters of his own in his suburban home, and a flash of imagination illuminating his unimaginative soul gave him a momentary understanding of what a girl's feelings might be in such a crisis of her existence. That question of Miranda concerning the size of the house that was to

be hers quickened the lawyer's comprehension of the girl that lay between her view of life and his. She had never yet in the course of her seventeen years penetrated inside what she called a "lady's house," the sumptuous dwelling of her dreams in which she aspired to enter as housekeeper in some dim and distant future. Her present range of vision was confined itself to the two rooms which had been home to her whilst her parents lived, and the eight roomed house of Mrs. Manning, where for the past four years she had labored unceasingly. To possess such a mansion for her own, her very own, seemed a height of unattainable bliss far beyond her climbing powers.

"Stanley Manor has many more than eight rooms," Mr. Bray answered gently. "It is a very big house, and you will be a very rich woman."

"Ain't that a rum start?" she said with a soft laugh; "why, I ain't got no threepence now in me pocket, and me missus she give me 'bus fare, scem' as me wages ain't due for fortnight."

"There will be no difficulty about bus fares any more," the lawyer said, attracted by the girl's soft laugh, which had in it no harsh or grating note, and which by her simplicity and straightforwardness. Something in the glance of her brown eyes made him think of a dog's faithful eyes, and he liked the prim way in which her lips closed when she had finished speaking. There was none of the helpless half closing of the mouth, sometimes so irritatingly shown by girls of her class. "You will be able to have carriages now," Mr. Bray said briefly.

"Me in a kerriage? My goodness! I never did. Won't everybody stare? and the bare thought made her throw back her head and laugh, that soft laugh that was so low pitched and pleasant as her voice, despite its cockney accent.

"I ought to mention that there are some conditions attached to the will," the lawyer went on, "and I should like you to try clearly to understand these conditions."

"Right y' are," she answered briskly. "Tell me about 'em, and I'll try to understand 'em. I ain't a stupid thing, ain't had the education I should like."

Her first awe of Mr. Bray had entirely worn away. He was not a particularly inspiring individual at any time, and Miranda did not suffer from the curse of shyness. She now addressed Mr. Bray with the same easy nonchalance she was accustomed to bestow upon the baker and the milkman.

"The first place I ought to tell you that the money left to you was originally willed to Mr. Alan Dayrell, another godchild of Mr. Haines, and it is only within the last three months that Mr. Haines has disinherited him in your favor."

"Ain't that a bit 'ard on the pore young fellow?"

"From Mr. Dayrell's point of view it is very hard, though possibly Mr. Haines had some good reason for his change of mind, some reason we do not know. But although on the surface of it Mr. Dayrell does appear to have been hardly treated, there is still a loophole whereby he may obtain at least some of the fortune beyond his own small legacy. The money is yours on condition that you either remain unmarried for three years or that you marry Mr. Dayrell. Should you within the next three years marry any one other than Mr. Dayrell, you will forfeit your fortune and it will go to Mr. Dayrell instead. Do you follow me?"

"Oh, I follers yer right enough; but ain't that a queer will, and I guess Mr. Dayrell 'ud be pleased if I was to marry pretty quick, wouldn't he? But I ain't got no 'do to do," she ended quickly, and much to Mr. Bray's astonishment and amusement; "if the old gentleman left me no money, I reckon 'e meant me to have the money. And I'll just tell you what,—I means to climb up same 'as 'e said."

"A very estimable sentiment," murmured Mr. Bray, his interest in his new client increasing by leaps and bounds; "and perhaps you would like to see Mr. Dayrell, and possibly come to some arrangement with him?"

"I don't mind a scin' of 'im," she answered calmly; "I dare say 'e ain't best pleased with the will and me and all the bloom' lot, pore chap, and no wonder. It ain't very nice to be expectin' a lot o' 'im and get it took away from you. But I don't know about arrangin' nothin' with 'im. He wouldn't be so mighty ready to marry a girl like me, if 'e's neter ladies."

ARE YOU SUBJECT TO HEADACHE?

If you are, and have never tried Burdock Blood Bitters it will pay you to profit by the experience of others and give it a trial. A healthy stomach, right acting liver and bowels that properly perform their important duties, will remove anyone free from headache. If these organs are not in perfect condition, headache must follow. The proper course is obvious—restore the stomach, liver and bowels, to health, and headache cannot exist. For this purpose no medicine equals

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It removes the cause of the headache by its splendid cleansing, strengthening and purifying properties, whereby the entire system is brought into healthy action. Miss Oelina Debel, Ipswich, Mass., writes: "I suffered for fifteen years from sick headache. To the advice of a friend I owe my complete cure, and it is with great pleasure that I testify to you that I have not suffered since using your wonderful remedy, Burdock Blood Bitters. I can recommend it as an efficacious remedy for sick headache, which caused me so much misery."

Price \$1.00 per bottle or 6 bottles for \$5.00 in all dealers.

Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers



One cannot help but wonder when the last limit of extravagance and beauty will be reached in those dainty little bits of nothing at all that go under the title of French blouses. The airiest and flimsiest of fabrics are employed as a foundation; and upon this are lavished exquisite hand embroideries, and these then are framed in real lace. Such is the method followed in the dainty example pictured. White chiffon cloth is used for the foundation,

THE LATE DR. LAPONNI

Death Has Removed a Distinguished Physician and a Man of Rare Courage

In the death of Dr. Laponni, physician to the Pope, a personage has been removed from life's scene who was scarcely less known throughout the world than the pontiff whom he ministered unto. He was a wonderful man as well as a distinguished physician.—Ottawa Free Press.

It may be added that Dr. Laponni was of that bugbear known as professional etiquette. When he found something good in a medicine he did not hesitate to say so to the world. He proved this when he wrote the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co. strongly endorsing their celebrated Pink Pills for Pale People as a cure for anemia (bloodlessness) and certain nervous disorders. In the interests of the thousands who suffer from anemia, nervous disorders and kindred troubles, it is worth while republishing Dr. Laponni's endorsement of the Pink Pills in four cases of the simple anemia of development. After a few weeks of treatment, the result came fully up to his expectations. For that reason I shall not fail in the future to extend the use of this valuable preparation not only in the treatment of other morbid forms of the category of anemia or chlorosis, but also in cases of neurasthenia and the like.

(Signed) Dr. Giuseppe Laponni, Via dei Grecchi 323, Rome.

The simple anemia of development, referred to by Dr. Laponni is of course that tired, languid condition of young girls whose development to womanhood is tardy, and whose health, at the period of that development, is so often imperiled. His opinion of the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at that time is of the highest scientific authority, and it confirms the many published cases in which anemia and other diseases of the blood, as well as nervous diseases, have been cured by these pills, which it need hardly be mentioned, owe their efficacy to their power of making new blood, and thus acting directly on the digestive and nervous system. In all cases of anemia, indigestion, and troubles due to bad blood, and all affections of the nerves, as St. Vitus' dance, paralysis and locomotor ataxia, they are commended to the public with all the greater confidence because they had the strong endorsement of the great physician who has so recently passed away.

OBITUARY

A telegram was received yesterday announcing the death of Walter S. Curvey, a former resident of this city, at Shrivort (La.). No particulars were received beyond the statement that the deceased received serious injuries in a railway accident two days previous, resulting in his death.

Mr. Curvey was prominently identified with the business interests of Shrivort, where he had resided for the past twenty years. He was for many years a partner in the large manufacturing firm of Allen, Curvey & Company. Three sisters had been residing here—Mrs. S. McDiarmid, Mrs. Hazen J. Dick, and Mrs. Leland S. Curvey. Another sister, Mrs. A. C. Reynolds, lives at Tipton, Iowa. Much sympathy is felt by relatives and friends here for his widow and two little daughters. Mr. Curvey, with his wife and eldest daughter, visited this city about five years ago and spent the greater part of the summer. He was a most kind, fine and gentle disposition, and warmly attached to his family and friends.

A mistake which caused serious complications was made by a resident of Carleton an evening or two ago as he was making a tour of the steamer Empress of Britain. It was rather late and people on board had retired. The young man, however, had business in one particular room and made a determined effort to get in. It seems he made a bad mistake, for it was the room of a lady into which he at length succeeded in entering and great excitement followed. Someone aroused members of the crew, who came to find the intruder very much embarrassed and endeavoring to explain his mistake.

Harry Leonard, son of Alfred Leonard, of the I. C. R. freight department, will leave for Calgary on Monday next. For the last two years he has been employed with Cassidy & Belliveau, Moncton.



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SUICIDE HID A ROMANCE

Mabel Conger Stanley Shot Herself Dead Because of an Unhappy Marriage.

DENVER, Jan. 12.—Behind the suicide of Mabel Conger Stanley, who shot herself dead after quarrelling with her sweetheart, R. A. Stephenson, lies a story of tragedy and romance. Mrs. Stanley, who was 29 years old, was a first cousin of Edward H. Conger, former United States Minister to China.

Once before, on July 13, 1904, she had tried to end her life by drinking laudanum. Mabel Stanley's life has been one of sorrow. During the last few years she tried to forget all. Friday she told a man she was tired of the life she was leading and begged that a pass be obtained for her so that she could go to her sister's home in Missouri, near Kansas City. She showed a telegram received the night before, which read as follows:

"Can't you come and see me for just a little while? I want to have a long chat with you. I love you just the same."

"I'm tired of testimony," she said. "When told that it would be impossible to get a pass for her, she burst into tears and said:

"Well then, give me a revolver."

Mrs. Stanley was a beautiful woman and cultured. Reared with every luxury surrounding her that wealth could afford, she was the belle of Waco, Texas, her home. Adjoining the Colonial mansion of the Congers was the home of Colonel Henry Fullerton, an officer prominent in the civil war. His son John, and Mabel Conger were sweethearts from childhood. They were engaged to be married, and at the outbreak of the Spanish-American war the youth enlisted and went to the war.

A carnival came to Waco while the war was on, and Mabel Conger met Stanley. After a short courtship he married her despite opposition of her family. For a short time the couple seemed happy and lived at the Conger home.

The young woman was thrown from a cart in which she was driving and was hurried to a New York hospital, where operations were performed, but without permanent success. Stanley then mysteriously dropped out of sight. After that the young woman tried to forget her sorrow.



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IN ONE NIGHT

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FOR NEXT SUMMER

The Local Council of Women, through the convenience of their playground committee, Miss Mabel Peters, who is herself spending the winter in Detroit, have appealed to the city council for a grant in aid of the public playground movement in this city, for next summer's use.

The letter signed "Teacher," in today's Times, shows that this particular teacher worked in a school in this city for \$200 per year, and then for a time at \$250, while the highest possible salary is very small compared with what is paid in business houses for competent employees.

Onlooker in the New Freeman observes: "In this city at the present time are a number of merchants and professional men who would add greatly to the efficiency of the local legislature."

Strange things come from time to time to the editor's desk. This morning came three large stones, picked from the sand scattered on Colburn street hill by the street department.

It is good news that work is soon to begin on a modern Y. M. C. A. building for St. John. The gentlemen who have worked so hard, and those who have contributed so handsomely to accomplish this benefit upon the city.

The announcement that Mrs. Russell Sage has sent \$25 to the Associated Charities of Toronto across the same thrill of joy that would be stirred into being if the St. John Ice Co. presented a boy with a permit to go and drown himself in Lily Lake.

Lord Strathcona has shown that he has failed to appreciate the situation regarding the best mail port in these provinces, and Mr. Arthur Piers intimates that the fast line across Ireland is a dream.

RETURN TO THE WARD SYSTEM

Civic Authorities Will Submit Bill to Legislature Dealing With Proposed Change.

At a meeting of the bills and by-laws committee yesterday a number of bills for the legislature were prepared and will be submitted to the council.

THE COLORED VOTE WOULD OPPOSE IT

Hon. A. D. Lockhart Says Colored Population of West Indies Would Defeat Union With Canada.

The unfavorable attitude of the colored population of the West Indies forms a stumbling block to its political union with Canada.

THE SILVER THAW

It was good to be alive yesterday morning and go out to see the transformation wrought in the night by the Builders of the Air.

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IN LIGHTER VEIN COMPROMISE. Mrs. Kawler—Do you allow your husband to smoke in the house?

THE EGOTISM OF ART. "Very few literary men are rich."

OBSTACLES. What kept those loving twain From kissing, as they sat? The maid exclaimed: "My goodness!"

ALWAYS SOMETHING WRONG. Optimist—There are lots of charming people in the world, anyway.

HIS ONLY CHANCE. "Your husband speaks a great deal in the House, I understand," said the visitor to the M. P.'s wife.

CAUSE FOR CHANGE. A medical man was wandering through an asylum's wards one day.

THOSE LIQUOR CASES. To Editor of Evening Times: Sir—The following extract is taken from a letter received by me today with the recollection that I make it public:

WEEK OF PRAYER. Services in connection with the week of prayer programme for this evening will be held as follows:

Clark Teakles. SUSSEX, N. B., Jan. 11—Clark Teakles, who was stricken with paralysis on Dec. 1, and during most of that time has been in an unconscious state, died this evening at 5 o'clock, aged seventy years.

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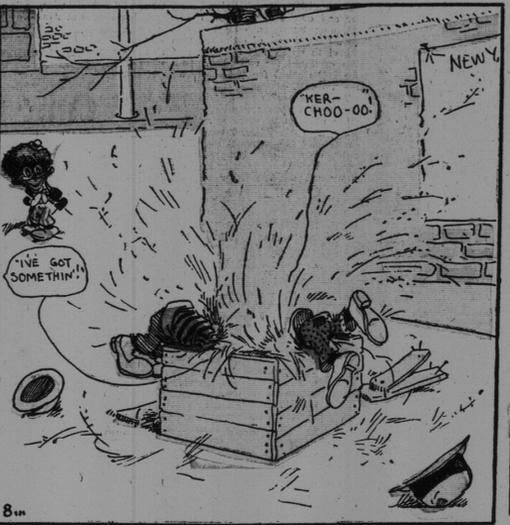
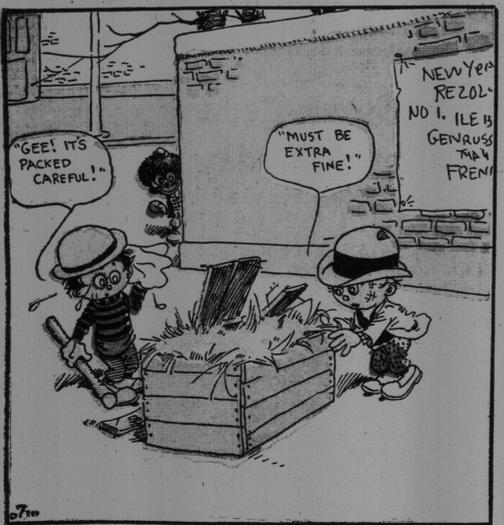
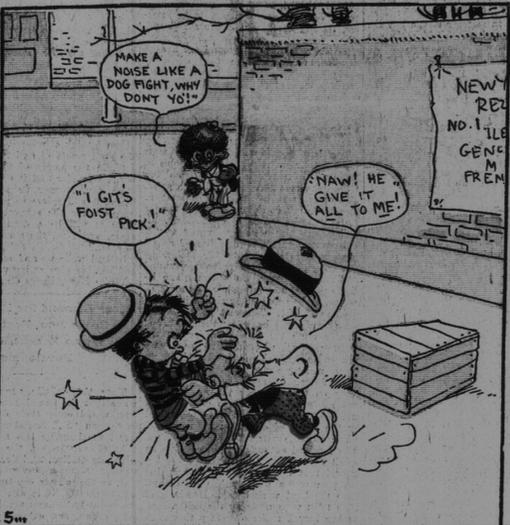
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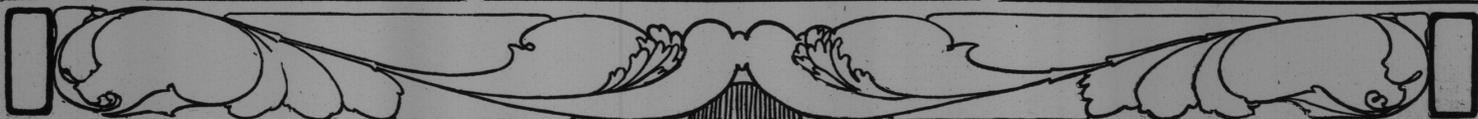
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FORGET THE GOWN AND GET THE GOWN



A FETCHING AFTERNOON GOWN. THE DIRECTOIRE AND THE TURK. STYLE BY TODD.

Outdoor Life Leads the Fashions--Charming Things in Shirtwaist Suits--Lingerie Gowns in Exquisite Handwork--The Collarless Blouse Prevails--Elaborate Evening Gowns.

Dwellers in the North may shiver as they pass the shop windows, all lit up and displaying the airiest and finest of summer fabrics...

But in the smart dressmaking work-rooms one might well imagine that the sunny days of May have arrived, for there is but little to be seen but the most charming of batistes, summery silks, organdies, handkerchief linens, dotted swisses, handkerchief and the like.

Our American Riviera, as the East Coast of Florida has come to be known, begins to awaken to life and amusements about the middle of January, and the huge hotels that are dotted along the coast from Jacksonville down to Miami are thronged with tourists of all nations to escape from the dreary northern winter, and perhaps rest and recuperate from the strenuousness of a social campaign.

Although the sun shines brightly and the days are fairly warm at those favored spots, it must be remembered that once the sun sets there comes up a chill wind that makes a wrap indispensable. Indeed, the frosts of Florida have become famous, and a drop of 30 degrees in the temperature within a few hours is not an unknown experience by any means.

To be so clad as to meet such extremes--albeit they are on the regular program--is the aim of the experienced tourist traveler. To combine smart gowns, comfort and the minimum of baggage is the aim, and although the trunk-makers do all in their power to increase the number of trunks carried, unless one has an unusually competent and careful courier maid it were well to leave most of those behind.

The extreme of one's wardrobe will prove none too much for a Southern season. From the plain tailor-made of the morning, with its accompanying plain tailored shirt up to the most elaborate ball gown, and including all the possessions between, must be packed.

Outdoor life leads the fashions, and in the northern part of Florida the golf links and the tennis courts are the centre of morning attraction. Here the short skirts, waists and the collarless and short-sleeved blouse is the correct accompaniment. Plain, but well tailored is the recipe for morning wear.

A dip in the big swimming pool or a swim in the surf--which, incidentally, is seldom very high on the Florida Coast--is for many the pleasantest part of the day, and the new bathing suits are distinctly "built for business," as one smart maker declared the other day when a client objected to the scantiness of cut. Here a firm weave of black or navy blue satin is preferred, and the next choicest taffetas. Occasionally one sees a brown swimming suit, as they are most often called, but the gayer colors are altogether tabooed by smart society. For the girl who takes to surf swimming the suit is built with waist and skirt in one piece, joined by the belt, and woven tight to the place of the bulky bloomers. The waist part is low in the throat, and sleeve is merely a cap over the arm, and the skirt is of circular cut, setting closely at the hips and flaring prettily at the knee. All needless bulk of material is eliminated, so that the swimmer does not have to drag pounds and pounds of

superfluous weight of water with her on her course. For luncheon and afternoon wear there is a delightful latitude allowed. One may don a sheer lingerie blouse--it goes well, without saying that this item must be hand-made--and a smart skirt, this latter en traine, of course. Or any of the sheer lingerie frocks or the newer flounced models that are fashioned from flower-strewn fabrics and lavishly trimmed with lace will make an effective appearance.

Frilly and fluffy is the watchword where afternoon appearances are concerned. There are all sorts of fascinating things in little hand-made gowns that, while the elegant Parisienne offerings for morning wear have, nevertheless, reached such a stage of elaboration in both design and trimming that their use for afternoon as well is already a foregone conclusion.

The bridge jacket, a London invention, by the way, is already a firmly established favorite in smart society. In preparation for the Southern season, where card parties fill in a large part of the time when outdoor life begins to pall or becomes impossible because of the vagaries of the weather, the bridge jacket is presented in a bewildering variety of models. Everything from a short-waisted effect in an Empire bozo developed in filmy and fragile lace up to a gorgeous garment of Pompadour or Du Barry brocade, whose skirts come almost to the hem of the flounced lace or velvet trimmed jupe.

But they, one and all, have a single point in common; and that is the short sleeve of elbow length, made usually with an upturned cuff, and minus any pendant, frill or trimming of any kind, sort or description. With this arm covering the sweeping of the card of the table is avoided, and comfort for all the players is assured.

Many of those fetching jackets are made with a slight décolletage, usually a square or heart-shaped opening below the throat. Separate chemisettes are provided should it not be desired to display this décolletage but for dinner wear the low throat is wondrously effective and becoming, and lends an air of festive formality to even a separate coat and skirt affair. No wonder that the smart English women who are making quite a fad to come over for the Palm Beach season invariably include several of these dainty little jackets in their huge trunks, for full well do they know the possibilities in and out of the season.

Just at this time, too, the best shops are getting rid of many remnants of high-priced fabrics left over from the winter season; and it is often possible to pick up a four or five yard length of velvet, moire, brocade--and this last is a trifle the never--and some good lace where it would have cost a month or two ago. And, incidentally, the very best bargains are invariably to be found at the most expensive shops, since such concerns carry usually but limited stock and will reduce an odd length to next to nothing in order to clear their counters. Goods that have had their run among the exclusives of the fashionable set.

And apropos of décolleté gowns, it is to be noted that their vogue is increasing wonderfully. For home dinners even the least fashionable matron manages to omit the chemisette or plastron from her afternoon gown and to keep in touch with the latest trend of fashion. For southern resort hotels a high-necked gown will find herself rather lonesome around dinner time, for her neighbors will one and all display some attempt at décolletage, even if it be no more than the extreme of the collarless neck that decks the latest fancy blouse.

Being Some Helpful Hints for the Home Sewer. Be She Amateur or Professional.

The collar is a far more important point in these separate blouses than the average maker calculated for. In the ready-to-wear productions, even in the most costly, many women of long and graceful necks find the collars provided totally inadequate, both from the point of size and fit. Make very sure that your pattern provides for a very little scoop taken out of the centre back at the neck; the design that presents a straight line at this point will make for an ill-fitting back.

In fitting the shoulder seams make sure that the part of the seam next the collar is pulled as tight as well may be without producing wrinkles or discomfort. If the blouse be loose at this point, not "all the king's horses, nor all the king's men" can make the collar set as it ought to do.

The underarm seam must, if it is to follow the newest mode, slope well towards the front instead of toward the back, as most of the ready-made do. The back piece, too, must display quite a semi-circle in outline where it joins to the front piece. Do not be afraid to pull this in as closely to the figure as it will stand, for the tucked-down tucks and plaits provided in the centre front will afford sufficient fullness.

In busting in the sleeve for trying on, tuck it with the front arm seam about two or two and a half inches forward from the underarm seam. Then try it on, swing the arm freely around and lift the hands up to the head. Any fault in adjustment will thus declare itself and may be remedied instantly.



THE DIRECTOIRE MODE.

At the Needle's Point.

Once upon a time The Woman Who Sewed received a gown from her dressmaker in which the skirt pleats fell sadly awry. The skirt made many visits and return visits to the dressmaking establishment without appreciable betterment, and at the end the last state of those misplaced pleats was worse than the first.

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THE SOUTHERN TRAVELLER.

Charming and Effective Novelties from Paris --Smart Gowns for Afternoon and Evening Wear.

In models recently received from Paris, where the so-called dull season oftentimes produces the most charming and effective novelties there exist a strong tendency to return to the two-piece skirt and the tunic styles. Good news this for the tall and slender woman, but for her petite sister who wishes to make the most of her inches the tunic mode will not prove welcome.

In the gown that is pictured the grape design is done in four natural green shades that identify the Malaga grape, the fruit being fashioned from chiffon well padded to resemble the natural grape, while a green and white striped fabric is used for the vine and leaves. The bodice is plain, the sleeves are long and fitted, and the skirt is fitted with dart-shapes that constitute so large a part of its charm. The bodice is composed of alternate grouped tucks and lace insertions, this running together to make an air of slender lines appear. Over this is draped a soft tulle, the sheer goods being folded and edged with pleated ruffles of narrow Valenciennes.

The full-length open cloak has completely banished those short little affairs that ruled some seasons ago. Wondrous brocades, sheer chiffon veils, satin-faced cloths and garments of regal furs all seem equally popular with the elderly matrons. For the younger generation, however, long capes, usually with little bellies, or coats, seem the accepted wrap.

So many of the smart separate bodices partake of the nature of a jacket that the possession of at least one example of the mode will commend itself to every woman. It goes without saying that these are exquisite pieces that a silken lining is far and away the best. There is a good orkedo (ailette) that can be purchased somewhere in the neighborhood of 50 cents the yard which yields excellent results. There is scarcely any town so small but what it boasts a dressmaking school, and here the home sewer can have a good lining cut for a dollar or two, and even have the featherbones machined in for a trifle more. Then with the waist lining already seamed and boned, the laying of the other material is but a small matter.

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THIS CLOCK WAKES YOU

THEN HEATS THE HOUSE. Connecticut Man Will Apply for a Patent for a Joyful Invention.

WINSTED, Conn., Jan. 12 - W. H. Bradford, a local genius, has rigged up a contrivance in his home for the man who likes to sleep as late as possible on winter mornings and at the same time have his house warm when he dresses.

Before retiring he winds and sets a small alarm clock, and places it in a box in his chamber. The alarm key is left in a horizontal position, and a latch is so adjusted to a hinge on the back of the box that when the alarm goes off it releases a trap that drops fuel into the furnace, thus allowing the fire to start up. Bradford will apply for a patent.

"How's Your Stomach"

is the way people in China say "Good Morning." The greeting of almost every nation is an inquiry after health. The Chinese have the root of the matter. A strong stomach is the foundation. Look after this organ and the general health cares for itself. Man is so constituted it cannot be otherwise. It is the mission of

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AT KEITH'S THEATRE

Following the general scheme of the Keith amusement circuit, there will be a complete change of programme at St. John's vaudeville house commencing Monday, the 14th inst. This change will, perhaps, be the most noticeable next week, the attractions advertised being of the lighter or comedy order - in other words, the change is from the mysterious and the psychic to good comedy, acrobatic work and refreshing music and dancing.

Have One Doctor

No sense in running from one doctor to another. Select the best one, then stand by him. Do not delay, but consult him in time when you are sick. Ask his opinion of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and colds. Then use it or not, just as he says.

WORK WILL BE STARTED AT

ONCE ON NEW Y.M.C.A. BUILDING. Joint Meeting of Trustees and Board of Management Decides Upon This Plan - Architect Authorized to Call for Tenders

Work will be commenced, as soon as the weather will permit, on the handsome new home for the Young Men's Christian Association in Hazen avenue. A large and representative joint meeting of the boards of management and trustees of the organization in St. John's last Friday night arrived at this decision, and George E. Fairweather, architect, was authorized to prepare specifications and call for tenders.

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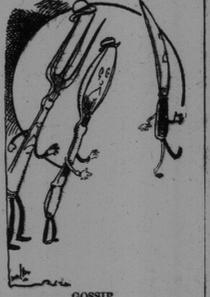
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FOUND - ON RED HEAD ROAD, ON Wednesday evening, a buffalo robe, or may have been calling it a rug. If you have property and paying for this advertisement.

Laugh and Be Merry.

By RYAN WALKER.



GOSSIP. The Fork - The new carving knife looks like a bright chap. The Spoon - Get out! I heard the boss say he was dull.



THE SALESMAN (applicant for position) - I'll take the place in the candy department. Manager of Department Store - But it pays a dollar less than the position in the ribbon department. The SALESMAN - I know, but it's worth the difference.



STRANDED. Teacher of Dramatic Art - The very first thing is to give the scholar a graceful bearing - to teach him how to walk. Student - Well, er - I don't expect to join that kind of a company.



THE BEST WAY. The Stout Party - The real secret of success is to find out what the public wants. The Thin Party - And give it to it? The Stout Party - No, corner it.



HIS WAY OUT OF IT. The Preacher - Deacon, I was surprised to see a beer wagon standing before your door today. The Deacon - Well - er - you see, parson, my neighbors pose as temperance people, and they don't like to have the beer wagon stop in front of their houses when its delivering beer to them.



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THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 1907.

OUR POPULAR MUSIC

The Coming Out Party

Musical score for 'The Coming Out Party' featuring piano, violin, and cello parts with various musical notations and dynamics.

THE HOME CIRCLE

High-Necked Evening Gowns

The illustrations show two charming models for dressy gowns, the design of which would be practical for either light-colored broadcloth, silk or velvet. The models of both of these gowns, however, were in silk materials, the one with the deep square yoke shown among the sketches being made of light hydrangea blue mesaline.



"Hanging Furniture" and Furnishings

The artistic possibilities of having furniture of certain kinds suspended from the ceiling or side wall is little appreciated, as for interior decoration the idea is rather a new one; but in certain apartments the effect is really charming if the pieces are properly placed and appropriately used.



Homemade Lamp Shades

In the finer house-decorating establishments the majority of the fine lamp shades seen are either of glass or some silk or cotton fabric, mounted on a wire foundation. The prices of almost any of these shades is almost prohibitive to most householders, but it is quite possible to make at home some of these tapestry-covered shades at very small cost.

By Beatrice Carey

Toothsome Breakfast Dishes

BY SARAH GRANFORD. Fruit is of course, the first course of a well-prepared breakfast, as it is very refreshing after sleeping. It may be difficult to have much variety in this course in some parts of the country, as oranges and bananas alone seem available. But there are still good apples, thanks to cold storage, and the apple is a fruit of which one never tires.

Miscellaneous Recipes

Quails Roasted—Truss the quails with the legs standing upwards in other respects the same as a chicken. Lard the breast and draw two lardoons into each leg. Cover the legs and feet, when these are retained, with salt pork and bake fifteen or twenty minutes, basting very often.



In the World of Labor.

Leadville, Colo., newboys will form a union.

Salem, Mass., has formed a union of engineers.

Allenstown, Pa., street car employes are organizing.

Sterling, Ill., labor congress has started a fund for a city hospital.

Los Angeles, Cal., trades unionists contemplate starting a bank.

Richmond, Va., unions are planning to elect a \$100,000 labor temple.

A new union of inside metal workers has been organized in Cleveland.

Goldfield, Nev., miners are on strike. Many business houses are closing their doors.

New York employes are complaining of the new child labor law. They threaten to have it repealed.

Site of the largest cotton mills have been closed and 30,000 men have been discharged in Lodi, Poland.

The South Australia Premier, Tom Price, who is a stone-mason by trade, marched with his union in the recent Adelaide Eight-Hour procession.

Since the Arbitration act came into operation in 1888 the number of factories in New Zealand has increased by 5,772, and

the factory workers by 40,524.

The Utah State Federation of Labor has resolved to circulate a petition to congress asking the creation of postal savings banks.

Because their pay checks did not arrive on time, 400 men quit work at the shops of the Northern Pacific in South Tacoma, Wash., recently.

Two thousand machinists employed in Denver shops received an advance in wages on January 1, ranging from 5 to 15 per cent.

The German Miners' Union are urging the organized miners in Great Britain to assist them during their probable strike for a 15 per cent increase in wages.

One London firm of electroplate makers has in its service eighteen men and women who have been working for it from 50 to 70 years.

A "passive-resistance" strike, involving all the postoffice of Australia and 25,000 employes, men and women, began recently as a protest against the conditions under which they are compelled to labor.

In its budget of April, 1905, the French Government allocated a sum of \$4,400 for the purpose of subsidizing the funds of societies which provide assistance for their members during unemployment.

The eighteenth annual convention of the United Mine Workers of America will be

held in Tomlinson Hall, Indianapolis, Ind., commencing at 10 a. m. Tuesday, Jan. 15, 1907.

The Amoskang Manufacturing Company, of Manchester, N. H., announced an increase of 5 per cent in wages, which went into effect on Jan. 1. About 18,000 employes will be benefited.

The Victorian (Australian) Cabinet has decided to grant gratuities to the widows of thirty deceased railway employes, at the rate of one month's pay for every year of service, \$5,000 being the amount required.

Officers of the Lowell Textile Council have been informed in a communication from the Lowell Manufacturers' Association that the request for an increase of 5 per cent, beyond that already granted, could not be given.

The officers of the United Mine Workers of Indiana are asking members-elect of the legislature to pledge themselves to vote for a bill creating a commission before which all applicants for a mine must take an examination.

On the plea of urgency, the Sobranje has passed certain bills prohibiting the emigration of Bulgarian citizens to the United States and the acquisition of land in Bulgaria by foreigners. The latter measure is specially directed against Russian Jews.

It is reported that all the non-minionists at fourteen collieries in Wales have joined

the British Miners' Federation, and out of 2,200 nonunionists in seventeen other collieries all but 440 have become unionists.

Chicago's policemen are to be unionized and affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. A high Chicago official of the Federation says the organization will be completed soon. The benevolent order maintained for years by the police force is to be discarded. The firemen and school teachers have already organized and affiliated with the Federation.

Following the recent sailors' strike on the Pacific coast comes a disagreement between the officers of the vessels which promises to result in one of the greatest labor troubles in connection with Pacific coast shipping of recent years. This is a strike of all the officers of the coastwise masters. The trouble hinges on the demand of the officers for overtime and an increase in salary of \$10 a month.

The painters have just cause for feeling elated over their record in the United States during the year 1906. Here is the record: Charters issued, 178; surrendered, 106; gain in membership, 5,418; number of strikes, 10; won, 90; compromised, 51; lost, 10. Advantages gained without strike: Increased wages and shorter hours in 100 localities; no reduction in wages in 100 localities; wages advanced one-third, and hours reduced 15 per cent. are among the improvements accomplished in the past year. Death benefits, \$84,477.50; death benefits, members wives, \$11,500. Donations to other unions, \$67,000.

THE EMPRESS STEAMSHIPS

Lead All Others in Trans-Atlantic Passenger Business This Winter.

(Montreal Gazette)

The weekly passenger returns of the various steamship lines, both Canadian and American, show that the Canadian Pacific steamships, the Empress of Britain and the Empress of Ireland, are leading the continent in the number of passengers carried. Especially was this noticeable during the Christmas sailings. The Empress of Britain, sailing from St. John December 14, carried 123 first, 325 second and 844 third class passengers. The sailings from New York that week included the steamship New York, with 44 first, 98 second and 477 third. The Eurypia of the same week, also left behind the Empress, with 28 first, 171 second and 639 third. The Kron Prinz Wilhelm came nearest to the Empress of Britain's record, with 246 first, 521 second and 771 third class, a total of 1,538, compared with 1,202 for all classes of the Empress of Britain. The Kron Prinz Wilhelm sailed to Bremen, and had a large number of continental passengers, who intended to spend the holiday season in their native countries. The Baltic, which sailed on the 19th, had 124 first, 125 second and 342 third.

Again in the latest sailing of the Empress of Ireland, the C. P. E. J. vessels showed a clean pair of heels to their New York rivals. The Ireland had 63 first, 92 second and 197 third class. The Philadelphia from New York on the following day, had 51 first, 101 second and 188 third, while the Umbria and Pennsylvania had 40 first, 43 second and 129 third, and 37 first, 46 second and 180 third respectively.

Speaking of the steamship business of the C. P. E. and the prospects of the coming season, G. McL. Brown, general passenger agent of the Atlantic steaming line, stated yesterday that the showing made by the Empresses was very encouraging. Mr. Brown stated that enquiries and requests for reservations for the coming St. Lawrence season were already coming from the Western States. "One great feature of business just now," stated Mr. Brown, "is that Americans make their advance, who, as a rule, leave it until the last minute. Of course, in this way the American gets the pick of the ship so far as accommodations are concerned."

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MR. HARRIMAN'S ENEMIES
(New York World)

Mr. Harriman's treatment of the influential men who have opposed his financial plans is beginning to react on his interests. The Interstate Commerce Commission is being furnished with a great mass of facts which will be of much assistance to them in getting all the information they need as to Mr. Harriman's methods, now under investigation. "The higher world" in which, according to William Nelson Cromwell, Mr. Harriman moves, is now being ruthlessly invaded by those who represent the laws of the country, and Wall Street believes that even the privilege of this superior sphere will not grant immunity from the penalties of those statutes if it is proven that the railroad combinations which he has formed are subversive of the public interest. The tendency of Wall Street, is likely to prove one of the worst blunders of the Harriman has made during a long succession of arrogant and arbitrary acts toward those who have opposed his will.

FINISHED.

"Really," said the travelling agent, "you should subscribe to this paper."

"No," interrupted Alkali Ike, "ain't got no use for papers; they git too personal. I did subscribe for one octet, but I stopped it."

"May I ask what paper it is you mean?"

"You mean what paper it 'was.' Don't I tell ye I stopped it? Done it with one shot, too."—Philadelphia Press.

"BIFF" ELLISON BACK IN NEW YORK

Not a Policeman Recognized Him, Although They Are Hunting for Him.

(New York World)

"Biff" Ellison, a member of the Paul Kelley Association, for whom the private force of District-Attorney Jerome has been looking for a year, in connection with the assassination of William Harrington, in the "Little Naples" saloon in Great Jones street, in November, 1905, walked through Fourteenth street, from Third to Fourth avenues, last night, unrecognized by any of the patrolmen on the post. He was wearing an expensive overcoat, a suit of dark worsted, and a new derby hat. Every policeman in New York has been instructed to arrest him on sight. He visited three or four saloons and greeted half a dozen acquaintances, some of them former convicts, but the bluecoats who passed him by did not know he was a man "wanted."

William Harrington was shot to death in the Great Jones street saloon because he was in possession of a secret of a notorious racketeer in the Sullivan district, which had it revealed, would have brought disaster to the heeler who employed him to do their work. The allegation was made that he was an innocent victim of a conspiracy which had for its purpose the killing of Paul Kelley, the leader of the notorious "Paul Kelley gang," but it has been proven to the satisfaction of the District Attorney's office that the murder was deliberate and premeditated, and was due to the fact that Harrington had demanded payment for the service he had performed in registering illegally seven times and voting five times.

Harrington possessed more intelligence than those with whom he associated, and when he became insistent in his demands it was deemed wise that the old adage of dead men telling no tales should be put into actual practice. So they killed him and kicked his body into a closet.

Paul Kelley, whose real name is Cucco, fled from the place. So did James Kelley, an Italian who had Americanized his name. He was a fugitive until Dec. 21 last, when he surrendered, after having been indicted for murder in the first degree, and was discharged on his own recognizance by Justice Newburger at the instance of an Assistant District Attorney, who was not possessed of sufficient evidence on which to go to trial.

Ellison familiarly known as "Fourth-tenth Street Biff," was in Great Jones street on the night of the shooting. He is an ex-convict. He enjoys a political pull almost equal to that of Paul Kelley, but his position was so perilous that he was forced to flee from New York and remain in hiding until the law and cry blew over.

REV. DR. CRAPSEY ON "THE CRISIS"

He Says the Churches Have Jurisdiction Over Nobody But Clergymen.

Dr. Crapsey began the first of a series of six lectures Monday night on "The Crisis in the Churches." The lecture took place in the Lyceum Theatre, Rochester, in the presence of a large audience. He said the time had passed when the church has any authority over human thought, and unless it is prepared to accept discoveries of modern science it must lose its hold. Men are now applying the scientific method in all historic documents. The day has come when the church organizations can no longer enforce their decrees upon any except the clergymen. They have today no jurisdiction over any body of men except the second order of its priesthood. The clergyman can never be sure that what the people say is his own real thought. He is not saying what he thinks, but he is saying what he thinks he ought to say. He is concealing his own best thought, for fear that the expression of that thought may bring him into trouble. That is the condition that threatens the entire influence of the ministry, and until the church organizations are ready to permit the intellectual freedom that now prevails in the outside world, the church organizations must be content to be without intellectual or spiritual influence, to have not the first, but the last, place in the great work of bringing man into the Kingdom of Truth.

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(Deliberator)

The anarchist proclaims that he is free that he acknowledges no ruler, feels no obligation to obey any law. But he is, as soon as recognized, driven from one court to another, imprisoned, hanged, thought of everywhere as a menace to society.

The man who respects the country rulers and obeys the laws of his country goes about freely and unafraid, protected by the power that allows him to dictate and dominate and demand—the freedom that chooses to be bound to arrogance and selfishness rather than by gentleness and generosity.

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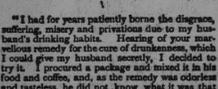
SHE PATIENTLY BORE DISGRACE

A Sad letter from a lady whose Husband was Disgraced.

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"I had for years patiently borne the disgrace, suffering, misery and privations due to my husband's drinking habits. Hearing of your marvelous remedy for the cure of 'drunk' men, I procured a package and mixed it in his food and coffee, and, as the remedy was odorless and tasteless, he did not know what it was that so quickly relieved his craving for liquor. He soon began to pick up flesh, his appetite for solid food returned, he stuck to his work regularly, and the more he ate and drank, the more he enjoyed it. I told him what I had done, when he admitted that he had been drinking, as he had not the resolution to break off of his own accord. I heartily advise all women afflicted as I was to give remedy a trial."

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FORECASTS OF DANGER

All is Not Hopeful in the Wall Street Outlook.

(New York Evening Post)

Whatever may be said of professional Wall Street, the forecasts of financial and economic experts, which are singularly lacking in encouragement. Not to mention the warning which expert prediction in high quarters is coupled—typical of the pessimism of the moment—by the Financial Supplement of last Saturday, that "the situation is such that there is an unexpected change in the whole complexion of affairs." The forecast is that there will be a break of speculation now would greatly hasten it, and one at least, Streetwise Fish, asserted that "in point of time a great financial crisis is due, and there are many indications of its being imminent."

These are the sort of predictions which give some weight to the despondency of the day on the stock exchange; the more so that a new outbreak of speculation, such as yesterday's movement in the "proper" count, seemed to promise, served really to confirm now doubly to the terms of the prediction. All of them left the final question open, "Where do we stand today in the 'years of adversity'?" In December, 1906, Mr. Hill declared that we were "on the top of the crest," and that we were a little way down on the other side. But we had the traditional "twenty-year interval" before us after the panic of 1892, and if 1906 was really the "little panic" which, like those of 1886 and 1891, came midway the cycle, then the great explosion is not normally due until 1912.

MARYSVILLE NEWS

MARYSVILLE, Jan. 9.—The Christmas season has once more passed by and it has proved a busy and very successful time for the merchants of this place. The stock shown by the diminished stock on hand.

Rev. D. H. Simpson will occupy the pulpit in St. Paul's Baptist church next Sabbath afternoon.

The many friends of Mrs. Thomas Grant will regret to hear that she is confined to her home from the effects of a bad cold.

Miss Aida Minne, daughter of Architect Minne, of Gibson, is visiting friends at this place.

John Perry, who spent the past year in California recently arrived home.

SUFFERED EIGHT YEARS FROM KIDNEYS

Doctor's said Female Trouble.

Mrs. Charles Lewis, Collingwood, Ont., writes: "For eight years I suffered from Kidney Complaint, and until twelve months ago doctors said I was suffering from 'Female Trouble.' Last November (1906), I was seriously ill, resulting I believe from Kidney troubles. Finding doctor's medicine doing me no good, I persuaded my husband to purchase me a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, after having read of a case somewhat resembling mine. I commenced taking them according to directions (not taking the doctor's medicine), and on second day a swelling commenced in my feet, legs and body. The following day I was so changed and swollen my husband, in alarm, hastened to Mr. Johnson's drug store, who told him to tell me he thought the pills were drawing something out of the blood, and to keep on taking them. I did so and after taking them a week, the swelling disappeared leaving me with a complexion free from pimples, clear, rosy feeling good, constipation from which I suffered for years, gone, pain in the back, gone, and a general feeling of joy and light-heartedness. I have not felt since a child, look place in me.

My sister-in-law (Mrs. Bryan), seeing the action of Doan's Kidney Pills, and the change for good they accomplished in me, sent for a box and they completely cured her. When there is an opportunity of telling people what Doan's Kidney Pills did for us, we always take advantage of it, and tell them to give them a fair trial."

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THE NERVE OF HIM!

"Mr. Sloopy, I understood you have been and law breaker, and is treated as a valued part of his home nation.

We are all tragically familiar with men of all ages who decline to give up their freedom to drink when and what they please. Our prisons and insane asylums swarm with them. Their boasted liberty is the direct bondage which holds them from success.

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FROZEN TROUT SWIM MERRILY

A Rare Sportsman's Tale that Comes from The State of Maine.

CARIBOU, Me., Jan. 10.—That trout remain alive for a considerable time after being frozen in the ice is declared by some choppers here, who say that they have proved the fact to their own satisfaction.

Two men were encamped eight miles south of here on the shore of a small pond abounding in trout when they ran out of provisions. It was their only recourse to eat alive. The trout, which did not eat alive, but were frozen in the ice, were taken out at this time of the year, they hesitated before fishing for them through the ice, but hunger overcame their scruples.

The fish bit work, and as they did not wish to keep an overtupe on hand where the game warden might discover them, they were obliged to eat the trout as they were needed.

One night the temperature dropped suddenly and in the morning the spring, as well as the trout, was frozen solid. Provisions had arrived the night before and no attempt was made to start the spring until the following day, when one of the men went there with an axe and chopped out enough fish for breakfast.

The trout, stiff and hard were placed in a pan of cold water to thaw out, and a little later the cook was startled to see them open their mouths, wriggle their tails and move about. The smallest one showed signs of activity first, but within the hour all were swimming as naturally as though they were swimming in the bottom of the pond. Three out of ten died before noon, but the rest lived until the cook needed them for supper.

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EMILE ZOLA TIMES DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE. Includes a portrait of Emile Zola and a puzzle.

U. S. FEARS A TARIFF WAR WITH GERMANY

Administration Believes That Concessions Should be Made to Berlin. WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Concern about tariff relations with Germany again is being manifested in administration circles.

CORONER'S BILLS WERE THROWN OUT

Municipal Finance Committee Holds up Bills on Recent Inquests. The finance committee of the municipal council at the quarterly meeting yesterday...

WILL NEVER MATERIALIZE

Arthur Piers, Manager of C.P.R. S.S. Lines is Not Impressed With Proposed Irish Fast Project.

HARVEY LASKIE

Word of the death of Harvey Laskie, formerly of Richmond (N.B.), who was accidentally killed on New Year's day near Butte, Montana, has been received.

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IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

CURLING. Thistles vs. Carleton Today. The Thistles and Carleton will play today, using the ice of both rinks. The arrangement of skips is:

HOCKEY

Fredericton, Jan. 11.—(Special)—St. John's team played in a boxing bout with the Fredericton team in the first match of the provincial hockey tournament.

BASKETBALL

There was a double headed game of basketball in the Carleton city hall last night. The St. John's team from the Queen Square team...

THE RING

New York, Jan. 11.—Just as he received a knockout blow in a boxing bout with a local pugilist named Bill Smith, for the first time in his life Squires pulled on the gloves and knocked out his opponent in quick time.

FAITH HEALING

Sir—Will the clergymen of the different denominations give their ideas on the 17th and 18th verses of the sixteenth chapter of Mark?

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Ladies' Combinations and Children's White Dresses and Aprons. In conjunction with this special sale of Whitewear we are also able to offer a large lot of White Lawn Blouses, in the new spring styles at 75c., \$1.00 and \$1.25. These are extraordinary values.

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THIS EVENING Week of prayer services in Queen Square Methodist and Douglas Avenue Christian churches. Vaudeville at Keith's Theatre. Band and skating at Victoria Park. Free concert at the Every Day Club, Waterloo street.

THE WEATHER Saturday, Jan. 12. Forecast—Bitterly cold, increasing to strong breeze and moderate rain, snow to night, turning to sleet and rain in some localities, clearing during windy and turning colder again. Storm signal No. 1 is display.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON. Highest temperature during last 24 hours, 34. Lowest temperature during last 24 hours, 4. Humidity at noon, 75. Barometer readings at noon (sea level and 52 degrees Fahr.)

LATE LOCALS Storm drum No. 1 was ordered up this morning at the signal station indicating a storm from an easterly direction.

Registrar Jones reports fifteen marriages for the present week, also 35 births, eighteen boys, 17 girls.

H. L. Campbell will preach at the Gospel Hall, No. 60 Paradise Row, on Sunday evening at 7, and on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock. Come and hear of God's free grace.

Lieutenant-Surgeon, G. S. Wallace, an old officer of the Black Watch regiment, is at the Victoria. He comes to St. John every year. He was with the colors 20 years when he retired six years ago with a pension.

Twelve deaths were reported at the office of the board of health for the present week, as follows: From diphtheria, two; senility, asthma, bronchitis, consumption, kidney disease, premature birth, whooping cough, dilatation of heart, carcinoma of stomach, and disseminated sclerosis, one each.

The American schooner Jessie Lena, Captain Stacker, arrived in port this morning from St. Andrews, N. B. where she delivered a cargo of fertilizer from New York. Captain Stacker reports a rough passage to this port, the schooner's foresail being blown away. He said that all sailing vessels are having heavy weather coming east.

Wm. Stitt, the new C. P. R. general passenger agent, who has succeeded C. E. S. Usher, is in the city yesterday. Speaking of the fact that the overseas mails now pass through St. John and Montreal, Mr. Stitt expressed the opinion that it would not be long before the Australian mails will follow the same route. The average Australian, he explained, is roughly British, and therefore desirous of using whatever all British route may offer.

The annual meeting of the Natural History Society of New Brunswick will be held on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock, at the rooms, Union street, where reports of the different branches of work carried on by the society will be received, the president's address read, and the officers elected for the ensuing year. The ordinary business meeting of the society will be held before the annual meeting. There will be a meeting of council at 7:30 p. m.

A live wire, containing sufficient power to cause the death of anyone who fell into it, came in contact with it, fell last night about six o'clock, in Union street, near Sydney. Acting Sergeant W. H. Finley and Police Constable Rankine, who were coming home from the north end, noticed the wire hanging and abaze with blue and white sparks. Acting Sergeant Finley remained on guard while Police Constable Rankine went for help. H. H. McFarlane was soon on the spot and set matters right.

Chief Kerr began an investigation last night in No. 3 Engine house as the result of a charge of cowardice preferred against Edward Evans, of No. 3 department, in connection with the Adams fire on New Year's morning. Edward K. McKay, of the E. K. McKay Co., general insurance agents. Mr. Evans is said to have acted cowardly while inside the structure, which was being fired. Mr. Evans does not claim to have been a witness of the act. The hearing last night was private. A number of witnesses were heard. Ald. Vanwart was present as chairman of the safety board. The investigation will be continued next week. Those present last night state that the charge was not substantiated.

Leinster street United Baptist church—Morning service 11. H. Sermon by Rev. W. Camp, M.A., as pastor. Subject: "Cast Off, Put On and Walk." Evening services at 7 p. m. Sermon by George C. Keirstead. Bible school at 2:30, superintendent, P. H. Green. Baraca class for young men, young ladies' class and good fellowship class. Monday evening, B. Y. F. U. president, C. J. Lake. Tuesday evening, annual business meeting of officers and friends of Sunday school. Wednesday evening, Thursday evening, Cadet Corps drill and the Young People's Guild. Welcome to all.

PICTURE SHOW COMING Photography as an art and science with its countless application has kept pace with the other branches of knowledge and is undergoing marvellous changes with wonderful rapidity. As an entertaining form of amusement, no more interesting and pleasing theatrical diversion can be found, and its great popularity, which a few years ago was thought to be at its highest, was merely introduced. From an entertainment of a few it has become the amusement of the masses. The American Vitagraph Co., with its perfect outfit, equipped as no other concern can be with regard to ability to select superior programs is in a position to furnish the greatest and best in motion photography. With the Vitagraph exhibitions you will see the latest of Vitagraph features, the best of European novelties and sensations. Included in the program to be given on Wednesday, 10th, at the Opera House.

THE WIZARD OF THE NILE The sale of seats for the gigantic production of "The Wizard of the Nile" opens at the Opera House box office, Monday, Jan. 14th.

EVERY DAY CLUB HAD FINE NIGHT

Last Evening Was the Most Successful Yet Held --- Tonight's Concert.

In point of attendance and interest manifested last evening's entertainment in the rooms of the Every Day Club was the most successful yet held. There were 400 men and boys in attendance, and they thoroughly enjoyed every minute of the time. St. Mary's Band, under Band Sgt. Dove, furnished the principal portion of the entertainment, and played an excellent programme of up to date band music. There was also a short programme of vocal solos and recitations interspersed between the band numbers. An evidence of the fact that the men and boys who attend are becoming interested in the club was furnished after the regular programme had been completed when a number of them from the vicinity of Brunswick and Erin streets, gathered about the piano and held an impromptu sing-song. Several of the boys danced and generally showed that they are full of life and energy ready to be directed to helpful purposes.

A. M. Belding, replying to a question that had been asked and there will be some doubting person as to what the particular game of the promoters of the club was, set forth clearly that the sole aim was to establish a club which would become a centre of helpful influences in the community. His remarks were heartily applauded, and in the opinion of the men and youths who crowded the hall there was room and a work for such a club in St. John.

THE EMPRESS HAD MANY PASSENGERS

Empress of Britain Got Away Last Night With 500 Passengers.

The C. P. R. royal mail steamer Empress of Britain, sailed about nine o'clock last evening for Liverpool, via Halifax. The steamer took away about 500 passengers and a good general cargo.

Among the St. John people who sailed on the Empress were Miss Barnaby, Mrs. N. W. Geoghegan, Mrs. James Manchester, Mr. Melrose and Miss Alice Sadler. Robert Miller, station agent of the C. P. R. at Montreal, was also a passenger, he having received two months' leave of absence from the company on account of ill health. Before leaving Montreal Mr. Miller was presented with \$300 by a number of the company's employees. Arthur Phipps, manager of C. P. R. steamship lines, was also a passenger.

Business Notices The big mid-winter sale of clothing and furnishings started at J. N. Harvey's today. Read his ads. on pages 3 and 4 of today's issue. There are genuine snags for those who call tonight.

Monday, Macaulay Bros. & Co. will place on sale a large assortment of ladies' white underwear, in cotton, lawn and nainsook. The extra attraction of this sale is now goods, at prices that cannot be duplicated. Our lady readers will find this range of fine white underwear on the ground floor of Macaulay Bros. store.

Band races at the Queen's Rollaway is tonight's programme. After the last band there will be a five mile race with Alcorn, Alward, Olive, Nixon, Hunter, Parlee, Gibson and Pierce as starters. All these boys are skaters, Hunter and Nixon can go five miles in fast time, and as they started this race themselves as the result of an argument, a close and exciting race may be looked for.

The first stock taking sale will begin today in the Union Clothing Co.'s, 26-28 Charlotte street, old Y. M. C. A. Bldg. Everything is in readiness and big crowds are expected. The store will keep open tonight until 11 p. m., Union Clothing Co.

PUBLIC TEMPERANCE MEETING There will be a public temperance meeting in the hall of the Every Day Club, Waterloo street, tomorrow evening from 8:30 until 9:30 o'clock. Mayor Sears will occupy the chair, several soloists will sing, and the speaker of the evening will be Robert Maxwell, M. P. P.

PERSONALS Rev. David Hutchinson, pastor of Main street Baptist church, went to Moncton yesterday, where he will spend Sunday with the congregation of his former charge there, the First Baptist Church.

Eyeglass is precious and must be guarded. Teeth suffered to decay may be replaced by artificial ones, which are a fair substitute, but eyeglass cannot be restored after once lost. Consult D. J. Boyaner, optician, 38 Dock street.

MONDAY, January 14, we shall commence a Special Sale on our Ground Floor of Ladies' White Cotton and Nainsook Underwear NIGHT DRESSES, CORSET COVERS, DRAWERS AND UNDERSKIRTS.

Before the recent heavy advances in the price of Cottons, Lawns, Lace and Embroideries, a well-known manufacturing company placed gigantic orders for cash to keep its factory running at full capacity during the dull season. The garments produced were priced just to cover cost. Hearing of this, and always on the lookout for just such a chance, we lost no time in securing our share at prices not otherwise possible. The quantity in each line is limited, so do not delay, but call, telephone or write.

- DRAWERS, 25, 30, 39, 50, 75 cents per pair. NIGHT GOWNS, 59c, 69c, 89c, 95c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 each. CORSET COVERS, 25c, 29c, 39c, 50c, 60c each. Fine Nainsook Corset Covers and Skirts, lace trimmed, full set to match, \$1.04 and \$1.39.

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Special Prices on SATEEN PETTICOATS 85c. and \$1.00 Each.

These Underskirts are made of good quality Black Mercerized Sateen, have three piece crimped flounce, and finished with strapping. This style has always been a great seller.

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