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War Stamp Taxes Not In Effect Till Budget Bill Assented To

Three Cents To Mail Letter; Two Cents For Post Card

Explanation of Working of the New Arrangements—The Opinions of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, Bankers and Some Others

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 12.—Apart from the special tax on champagne, the special war stamp taxes do not come into effect until the budget bill is assented to by the government...

LETTER THREE CENTS; POST CARD TWO

The new budget means that hereafter it will cost three cents to send a letter and two cents for a post card. The cost of postage is not increased, but the letter or card must carry the extra one cent stamp affixed by the sender.

The special revenue stamps are to be on sale by collectors of inland revenue, postmasters and such other persons as the minister of inland revenue may authorize.

AFFECTS NEWS DESPATCHS

The tax of one cent on each telegraphic or cable message costing more than fifteen cents applies to press as well as to commercial or personal messages.

The same system will apply to the tax on railway and steamship tickets, etc. The companies will make an extra charge and submit receipts of their receipts from those sources, while their books will be open to inspection of government officers.

Toronto Opinions

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 12.—That the new tariff is a pretty stiff one, the opinion of many of the giants of trade, commerce and finance, but the ordinary citizen is taking it as a matter of course, and with some resignation.

When informed of the new tax of one per cent on bank notes circulation, Sir Edmund Walker, vice-president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, said: "I think the stamp tax of two cents on commercial paper is very fair. The banks and business interests will not groan under the increased burden."

Regarding the tax of one per cent on bank note circulation, he estimated that the government would receive approximately \$1,000,000. Mr. Aldrich anticipates that the fire insurance companies will pay the greatest share of the income from the new tax on premiums.

"The receipts from the tax on commercial paper," he said, "will be large. Of course the business interests will have to meet these charges, but they are not excessive under the circumstances."

"We must grin and bear it," said R. D. Fairbairn, of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. "It is now our turn to make sacrifices. I think the appointment of the tax is as fair as it could be. A general increase of 7.5 per cent is what we ought to have looked for under present circumstances. Of course the manufacturers will pay it. There is no objection to the banks and loan companies being taxed."

"The taxing of the transportation interests is good. We must pay these bills, but in the paying of them, learn lessons of production that will be the only method of surviving the ordeal."

Sir Thos. Shaughnessy
Montreal, Feb. 12.—"The individual, the community, the nation, fully understand that in war time sacrifices have to be made," said Sir Thomas Shaughnessy. "As they are willing to undertake, as they are necessary for the integrity of the empire. At the same time, they will accept the extra burdens with the better grace if they are well convinced that proper caution and economy are exercised in the administration of affairs which accompany such disbursement."

"One cannot gauge the amount of trouble involved in the process of raising these special taxes by stamps or otherwise, but all are willing in such a time as the present, to do their full share."

Phelix and Ferdinand
WEATHER BULLETIN
Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service.

Synopsis.—The trough of low pressure is now over the marine provinces, and a cold wave has come in over Lake Superior from the northwest. Light snow or rain has occurred from the Ottawa Valley eastward, while fair weather has prevailed in the other parts of the dominion.

Fair and Colder
Maritime.—Fresh to strong southwest winds, clearing tonight; Saturday, strong northerly winds, fair and colder.
New England.—Partly cloudy and colder tonight and Saturday, fresh winds, a rain shower.

WORKING UNDER THE OLD TARIFF

Temporary Arrangements At Local Customs House

BUSINESS INCIDENTS

Some Results of Trying to Out-guess The Finance Minister—The Stamp Tax—The Manufacturers

Making an entry at the customs house today is somewhat in the same class as the transaction described as "buying a pig in a poke." The man who is making the entry is not sure as to what he is committing himself and the customs officials are unable to tell him.

Beyond the information contained in the press despatches nothing is known here as to the actual changes which the new war tariff will make and the despatches do not give enough details to enable importers to feel sure how much they are affected.

The only instructions received by the collector of customs was that the new tariff would go into effect today but that pending receipt of further instructions, duties would be collected under the old tariff, "subject to amendment."

When the new tariff is received in the meantime will have to be adjusted and the additional duty paid.

The new duties which will affect the internal revenue department and the war stamp taxes which affect the paper and similar documents will not go into effect until a later date than the new tariff.

Some Results.
In expectation of the changes importers have been rushing their goods in and getting them under the new tariff would go into effect and the volume of business transacted at the customs house shows the result of these precautions.

For those who find the duties on their imports increased the result of the new tariff is a substantial saving. There is another side to the story though. It was considered expedient to carry the war stamps with various duties on sugar, tea and tobacco and large importations were cleared in advance to escape the increase.

Now the importers find that there is no change and many of them are overloaded with stock with nothing to justify it.

The Stamp Taxes
There is considerable uncertainty about the war stamps which new taxes will work out and, in some cases, regarding the cost of the stamps but full details of these arrangements will be announced before the regulations go into effect.

Among the articles which will probably be affected are the following: letters and postcards, telegrams, railway and sleeping car tickets, bills of lading and various bank documents. The obligation to see that the stamps are affixed will probably rest in nearly all cases with the person with whom the transaction originates but in cases of commercial transactions the question of who will be a matter to be settled between those interested.

Manufacturers are not willing to make any very definite statements about the probable results of their business under the new tariff as they are given greater protection in some cases. As to other materials to be taken into consideration and this will mean an increased price to the consumer in some cases. As they will profit by the extra protection in their own market and still have the benefit of the drawback on imported materials is not clear.

Manufactured form it is believed that the tariff may have some effect in encouraging the export business.

It is apparent that the war will not put a stop to immigration to New Brunswick or other parts of Canada although the numbers may be less than in other years. James Gilchrist, superintendent of immigration for the province said this morning that the prospects for the coming season were better than he had expected and that reports from Ottawa indicated that this was general.

Numerous inquiries were being received as to the local business prospects of emigrants from the British Isles who were considering New Brunswick as a future home. These inquiries seemed to be the direct result of the advertising which had been carried on in the old country.

Inquiries were being received also from the Canadian northwest and many parts of the United States, the correspondents having been led to investigate here by widespread reports that conditions here are much better than in many other places at present, in addition to the other attractions which the province holds out.

BANK CLEARINGS SHOW NICE GAIN
The St. John bank clearings for the week ended February were \$1,446,426; week period last year, \$1,279,038.

On Eve of Great Operation, Says Russia; Situation In The West Is Unchanged

Petrograd, Feb. 12.—Further explanation of the retirement of the Russian forces in East Prussia is made today in an official statement which says:—"It is believed we are upon the eve of a great operation, which must solve definitely the struggle in East Prussia."

Warning is given that, because of the necessity for military secrecy, little information may be expected regarding the operations which are about to begin. The Russians are seeking the shelter of their own fortresses, the statement asserts, before attempting to take "more concentrated" locations from which to oppose the heavily reinforced Germans.

"The Russians say that the garrison of Przemysl is exhausting itself in fruitless sorties. A final repulse of the Germans who temporarily occupied the heights of Kosovska after twenty-two assaults is reported."

FRENCH SUMMARY
Paris, Feb. 12.—The French War Office this afternoon reported:—"Between the sea and the Somme yesterday, saw artillery fighting. To the south of La Baselle, the enemy exploded a mine at the end of one of our trenches. We, however, maintained our position."

"From the Somme to the Argonne there has been reported nothing more than the bombardment of Tracy-La-Mont by the enemy and the activity of our artillery in the sector of Rheims and of Soissons."

"In the West yesterday witnessed a fairly spirited cannonading on the part of the Germans in front of Rambouillet, and the forest of La Hazelle. We bombarded the railroad stations at Thiaucourt and Arnaville."

Grand Trunk Hears of Plot To Dynamite Its Property

Portland, Me., Feb. 12.—The Grand Trunk Railway, from its headquarters in Montreal, has sent an official warning to all its agents in the United States and Canada of a plot to dynamite property owned by the railway.

This warning is to the effect that the plot was hatched in California, and that the plotters are now spreading across the country towards the east.

The Grand Trunk officials here said this morning it was true that extra precautions to guard the company's property were being taken at Portland, Maine. Owing to conditions that were general knowledge, the Grand Trunk officials here said it was common with all other large corporations, thought it advisable to adopt precautionary measures but no alarm need be felt by the traveling public.

From time to time reports were received that necessitated extra care and investigation, but generally proved to have little foundation.

FREDERICTON NEWS

A Welcome For Captain Gamblin and Bride—Supreme Court Matters

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 12.—The supreme court adjourned at noon until next Thursday. The adjournment was in consequence of the illness of the chief justice.

In the Royal Bank vs. Bustin there was argument this morning. Knowles, K. C., supported an appeal from the St. John county court; Tilley, K. C., contra. The court considered.

James F. Kelly, Esq., K. C., moved to set aside a verdict for the plaintiff and enter a verdict for the defendant for a new trial. Carter, K. C., contra. The court considered.

Captain Gamblin and his wife, who were on their honeymoon, arrived in the city today. They were met at the hotel by a large number of friends.

The hockey team of Fredericton High School passed through the city at noon today on their way to Sussex to play this evening.

Daughters of Empire
HAVE VALENTINE SOCIAL
What gave promise of being a most successful tea and sale is being conducted this afternoon in West St. John under the auspices of Brunswick Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, in a new house placed at their service by the Fenton Land and Building Company.

It is a Valentine social as the charming decorations suggest and the proceeds are to be given to patriotic purposes. Booths and tables have been nicely arranged and a pretty little cupid is on hand to sell his valentine messages of love. This fall being recorded little Master Dole, son of R. D. Cole, of West St. John.

The guests were received by Mrs. E. Barke, and Mrs. G. S. Mayes; Mrs. Boyle Travers, regent of the chapter, and Mrs. E. R. Taylor, first vice-regent, poured; Mrs. W. I. Fenton and Mrs. H. M. Mayes had charge of the tea room; Mrs. Arthur Coster and Mrs. Frank Tilton presided at the domestic chapter assisted in the serving and general comfort of the guests. It is possible that the proceeds may be swelled by an amount aside from the sale of wares inside, for the members of the chapter have been promised a good-sized commission if they negotiate the sale of another new house erected by the company nearby.

BURIED TODAY
The funeral of Stephen J. Lauckner took place this afternoon from his late residence, 192 Main street, Fairville. Burial took place in the cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Michael Quigg took place this afternoon from her late residence, 192 Main street, Fairville. Services were conducted by Rev. Chas. Collins in St. Rose's church and interment took place in Holy Cross cemetery.

The funeral of little Wilfred Taylor took place this afternoon from his late residence in East St. John. Burial services were conducted by Rev. W. W. Malcolm, after which interment took place in Fernhill.

The funeral of James Hamilton took place this afternoon from his late residence, 47 Clarence street, following burial services by Rev. W. G. Gane. Interment took place in Fernhill.

GOOD WORK BY GUILD
The Imperial Merchant Service Guild have just despatched parcels, containing 100 lbs. of tobacco and 20,000 cigarettes to each of their members now interned in Germany, 100 in all. The fund which has been defrayed by the guild was also being defrayed by the part of financial stress on the part of dependents of merchant captains and officers, who are held prisoners by the enemy.

SUCCESSFUL OFFENSIVE IS NEXT TO IMPOSSIBLE

FARM BOY WHO DIED MILLIONAIRE

Likely Stationary On West Front For Long Time

BRITISH DISTRICT A SWAMP

Water-filled Trenches Cause of Many Casualties—But English Army Stands It Best of All, Whether Friend or Foe

London, Feb. 12.—The military correspondent of the London Times in a recent survey of conditions, said that there is little likelihood of any important advance movement by either side on the western front for a long time to come. Under the present conditions of weather and ground, with artillery which knows the range of every landmark exactly, he argues that a successful offensive is next to impossible.

"The district in which the British army is operating," he says, "is practically a swamp. Water stands on the stiff slippery and holding clay, rendering the movement of infantry across country impossible. For weeks it has rained, and when it has not rained thick mists have enveloped the country. The deep trenches are filled with water and the necessity of standing in this has cost many casualties."

"It is only on slightly rising ground that life is at all supportable. The fronts of the rival armies are covered with a labyrinth of trenches. On both sides the front lines are often only posts of observation. Acres of barbed wire cover most of the positions. In the rear strong communication lines, zig zags and communication trenches."

"Barricade work has been constructed by both armies on the top of the ground to meet the difficulties of holding flooded trenches, while strong posts, defended villages and farmsteads, and other arrangements complete the positions. In the rear masses of guns of all calibres, and more of machine guns, are being well concealed that they are practically invulnerable, and joined up by telephone to all advanced trenches, make a strong framework for the defense."

"During all the months that the British have occupied this district only three direct hits have been made by German shells upon the British guns. An attack, therefore, has to deal with an intact artillery, which knows every range to an inch."

"A forward trench may often be assaulted or mined by the other side, but it may be knocked to bits by heavy shells on cleared by trench mortars and hand grenades. A total success of this character has no consequences. The killing in front is largely done by snipers and men in the approach."

"As for the flying corps, despite the weather, it has missed only six days in the air since August. Not easily can any hostile strategic surprise escape the notice of these armies."

"The British army is not accustomed to winter campaigning and is not unused to it. Its campaigns have usually taken place in warm weather climates. It had its lessons to learn, and it has cost something to learn them. In spite of this the army has stood the test remarkably well better probably in better health than any other, friendly or hostile, operating in the region."

GERMAN DESERTERS IN THE THOUSANDS

Decline to go to the Yser to Fight—Many Officers Among Them
London, Feb. 12.—A London Times despatch from Amsterdam says:—"The Telegram learns from Antwerp today that some 8,000 German deserters have fled to the Netherlands, including numerous officers. All these men had been commanded to proceed to the Yser. Large numbers of soldiers are reported to be deserting from the Draaschaet and Merxem forts."

REAL ESTATE NEWS

Real estate transfers recently recorded in St. John include:—
G. D. Fowler to Janet M. Fowler, property in Wright street.
Wm. Robinson to James Robinson, property in Lancaster.
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J. W. Brown to R. W. Brown, property in Greenwick.
J. E. McAuley to May Hickbury, property in Stoddham.
E. H. R. Sharp to G. S. Whittecutt, property in Norton.
E. C. Weyman to Glennie Lewis, property in Norton.

Moncton I. C. R. Man Weds
Moncton, N. B., Feb. 12.—William Lowther, an employee of the I. C. R. general offices, was married to Miss Leota May Kay, of River Glade, on Wednesday evening, by Rev. E. H. Cochrane, of Moncton, assisted by Rev. H. H. Saunders, of River Glade. Mr. and Mrs. Lowther left for Montreal and Chicago on honeymoon. They will reside in Moncton.

AT THE HOSPITAL
Donald Nyberg, who was badly burned about the face last night, while playing with powder, is reported to be doing as well as can be expected, in the hospital today. The doctors do not think that he will lose his eyesight as a result of the accident.

FANNY CROSBY, NOTED WRITER OF HYMNS, DEAD AT 95

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 12.—Fanny Crosby, well-known hymn writer, died today at her home, in her 95th year.

Fanny Crosby is said to have written more than 8,000 hymns and songs. She was Mrs. Alexander Van Alstyne, over to her a "song without words," which he had just put together, and asked her to write appropriate lines for his melody. Miss Crosby had just heard of a street incident in New York, in which a little girl had been terribly frightened by a street row, was picked up by a passer-by and placed in her mother's arms with the words "There, doff thy hat, little one, you are safe in your mother's arms" and with this incident in mind, Miss Crosby wrote the hymn "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." It is said:

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Canadians, on Way to Front, Meet Part of Wounded Comrades Unique Experience of Men Sent to Strengthen Patricia—Stories of War Which Reached Salisbury Plain

(By William Marchington, staff correspondent of Toronto Globe.) Salisbury Plain, Jan. 28.—Two days ago a party of fifty members of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry bound for France had the unusual experience of meeting at an English railway station several of their comrades who had been wounded in the trenches less than thirty-six hours before, and were on their way to a hospital in the north of England.

WHO OWNS WEDDING GIFTS, HUSBAND OR WIFE OR BOTH OF THEM?

New York, Feb. 12.—Whether wedding gifts are the joint property of husband and wife, or can be claimed by either as a personal belonging, is a question which the Appellate Term of the Supreme Court has been called upon to decide. At the same time the court will have to rule on whether the wife has a right to pawn such articles and the husband has the right to redeem the pledge and retain them.

MAJOR ANDERSON WEDS IN ENGLAND

Bride is Miss Winter of Moncton—Married Last Month Friends of Major S. Boyd Anderson of Moncton, who left with the first contingent in charge of one of the New Brunswick batteries, have received word of his marriage in England. The wedding took place on January 27, and the bride was Miss Gladys Winter. The fact of their engagement was generally known among their friends before Major Anderson left, but the wedding came as a surprise.

AMATEUR NIGHT AT OPERA HOUSE

Tonight is Amateur Night at the Opera House. Twelve more local aspirants for theatrical fame, as well as the prizes offered by the management of the Young-Adams Co., will appear immediately after the regular performance by the company. There will surely be plenty of fun, but they will also be some of the contestants who have good seats and do it now.

REINSTATEMENT

Three I. C. R. conductors, Messrs. Dickie, of Moncton, and B. Baker and Hopper, of Truro, N. S., have been reinstated in their positions with the railway in the full enjoyment of seniority rights, as when they were set back some time ago. Their case was taken up and conference between him and a grievance committee from the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors, their side of the case was fully considered, and reinstatement followed.

LOCAL NEWS

Chalet class with orchestra tomorrow night. ACCIDENT Edward Rounseville, checker at Sand Point, had one of his fingers quiet badly lacerated last night while he was working one of the slot machines. He was injured attend to in the Emergency Hospital.

WARNTON TO SMALL BOYS Small boys should stay away from Carmarthen street hill in the evenings. The fact of their engagement was generally known among their friends before Major Anderson left, but the wedding came as a surprise.

POLICE CHANGE Policeman Cowan, who has been on duty in West St. John, will be shifted to the city beat this evening. Policeman Gosselin, who was recently shifted from the North End beat will take over his duties under Sergeant Smith.

MEALS SERVED WITH DINNER AT NIGHT A welcome innovation at the Coburg Hotel, where meals are served with dinner at night (choice rooms as hitherto are always to be had by the day or week.

SUPERBIE PARTY Mrs. John Moff was pleasantly surprised at her home in Metcalf Extension last night when a party of friends called upon her and as a token of esteem presented her a handsome set of dishes. Harold McKelvie made the presentation.

SATURDAY'S SALE Mr. J. J. G. will give three regular 81 shirts for \$2.—Cortez, 124 Union street.

SERIOUS CHARGE Ernest F. Jones, a Dane, appeared before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning to answer a serious charge which involves a woman whom he was married to in the late 1800s. A Dane who resides in Acadia street, he was charged with cohabiting and the prisoner was remanded.

ANONYMOUS CRITICS The Times is in receipt from day to day of anonymous letters, some of which praise the city commissioners and some of which condemn them. It would be the possibility of their being published if the writers would sign their names.

NEW BOOKKEEPING Commissioner Potts is having installed in his office a new set of books to simplify the accounting and at the same time present the information contained therein in a more convenient and more easily understood form. The entire information regarding any one sub-department or section will be available in a single sheet of paper.

AMMUNITION EXPLOSION IN STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, FEB. 12.—An ammunition factory outside of Stockholm was the scene last night of an explosion which resulted in three persons losing their lives and the destruction of a considerable supply of ammunition.

NEWFOUNDLAND MINES HAVE RESUMED WORK St. John's, Nfld., Feb. 12.—Operations in the mines of Newfoundland, which were suspended at the outbreak of the war, have been partly resumed. Five hundred men, a quarter of the normal number employed in the winter, are now at work.

MARRIAGES HERSEY-RUSSELL—In this city, February 11, by Rev. Gordon Dickie, Frank A. Hersey to Margaret G. L. Russell, both of St. John.

DEATHS CAMPBELL—Suddenly, at his residence, 56 Dorchester street, on the 11th inst., Charles Campbell in the 74th year of his age.

REINSTATEMENT (Continued) Their case was taken up and conference between him and a grievance committee from the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors, their side of the case was fully considered, and reinstatement followed.

January Furniture Sale at Marcus' 20 to 40% Off

J. MARCUS, 30 Dock Street Store Open Evenings

RECENT DEATHS The death occurred yesterday afternoon of Mrs. Walter Downie, wife of two operations, of Mrs. Walter Downie, who had only been ill for a little over a week. She was the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Z. O. Wilson, from whose residence, 46 Victoria street, the funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION FOR SALE—Lot at Fairvale, 80 x 240 5 minutes from station. Write 207 Times 21804-2-19

THE BURNING QUESTION SOLVED Mrs. R. S. LEWIS' HOUSE STRUCK BY A BULLET

GET SEATS TODAY The seats for the big Red Cross benefit at the Opera House, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday night of next week, under the auspices of the N. B. Graduate Nurses' Association, went on sale today.

WAR NOTES The Portuguese foreign minister yesterday reaffirmed that Portugal will cooperate with the allies when it seems necessary.

HONOR FOR CAPT. CAREY Captain R. E. Carey, to whom has just been awarded a gold medal for his services in rescuing 1,800 French and Belgian refugees in the English Channel, is a member of the Imperial Merchant Service Guild.

PARKINSON'S MOTTO "Small Profits—Quick Results" Note Our Special Prices For Saturday and Monday

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THE TAILORS Chicago, Feb. 12.—The 1915 convention of the National Association of Merchant Tailors will be in St. Louis, Harry Fisher, of Buffalo, was elected president.

SPECIAL SALE!
of Plates, Ornaments, Salads, Brick-a-Brac, Etc, Etc, in Royal Worcester, Cauldon, Royal Doulton, Cope-land and Limoges China.
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Overcoats
Buy one now and it will come in handy for next winter

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245 Waterloo Street
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Our Furniture Sale is a Big Success

During the first week of our furniture sale was taken advantage of by many thrifty buyers, who realize what it means to save money, as they all know when Amland Bros. prices are marked down, that is the time to buy.

This week we are going to make this sale more lively. Come in and see what great bargains we are giving. Prices marked in plain figures.

NOTICE—Leave a deposit and we will store all the furniture you buy until June 1st.

COUCHES	LEATHER CHAIRS
Solid Leather Couches—Regular prices	Solid Leather Chairs—Regular price
\$45.00 Couches.....Now \$33.00	\$40.00.....Reduced to \$47.00
\$20.00 Couches.....Now \$14.00	\$30.00.....Reduced to \$37.00
\$16.00 Couches.....Now \$12.00	\$25.00.....Reduced to \$32.00
\$ 8.50 Couches.....Now \$ 6.00	\$22.00.....Reduced to \$29.00

Amland Bros., Ltd.
19 Waterloo Street

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, FEB 12.

High Tide.....10:03 P.M.
Low Tide.....4:34 P.M.
Sun Rises.....7:05 Sun Sets.....5:42
Time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.
Arrived Yesterday
St. Hochelaga, 2:08, Tudor, Sydney, Starr, coal.
Str Cape Breton, 1:06, Kemp, Sydney, Starr, coal.
Steam hopper scow No 62, Yarmouth, bal.
Sch B B Hardwick, 128, Trahan, Perth Amboy, fertilizer.
Sailed Yesterday
Str Manchester, Clifton, Robertson, Manchester via Halifax.
Str North Star, Mitchell, Boston via Maine ports.

FOREIGN PORTS.
Boston, Feb. 10—Ard, str Pretorian, Glasgow.
New York, Feb 11—Ard, str Minneapolis, London; Niagara, Havre; Montevideo, Genoa.
Marseilles, Feb. 10—Ard, str Roma, New York.

A delegation from the Board of Trade appeared before the provincial government yesterday to ask for consideration of the Hog Island route for the Valley railway across the St. John river.

Was Personally Attended by Dr. A. W. Chase

Before He Became Famous as the Author of Dr. Chase's Receipt Book.



Here is a letter from an aged gentleman who consulted Dr. Chase, long before his Receipt Book attained a world-wide circulation of his family medicines became known to the ends of the earth.

Like most people of advanced years his kidneys were the first organs to break down and when doctors failed to help him he MR. O. D. BARNES, Mich., writes:—About fifty years ago, when living in Ann Arbor, Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous Receipt Book author, was called on to treat me for pleurisy. Ever since that I have used and recommended Dr. Chase's Medicines, and have two of his Receipt Books in the house.

"Some time ago a cold settled in the kidneys, causing backache, frequent urination, dizziness, and affected the eyesight. My appetite failed and I could not sleep nights. Two doctors failed to do me any lasting good, so I started using Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and Nerve Food. The results have been highly satisfactory to me. Appetite improved, I gained in weight, sleep and rest well, and feel strong and well. My kidneys resumed their natural functions, and I believe that my cure was due to Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and Nerve Food. I am 71 years old, superintend work on my farm, and can turn in and do some work myself."

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The object of the bill is—

1. to exempt all incomes from personal labor and occupation up to and including \$1000 per annum; also to exempt \$500 of each such income above \$1000, and not exceeding \$2000;
2. to impose a poll tax of \$2.00 and no more upon all persons whose incomes are totally exempt from taxation;
3. to exempt all household furniture from taxation where the value does not exceed \$200;
4. to provide that the last day in which the Common Council shall have power to determine and direct what assessments shall be levied in the City of Saint John shall be the 30th day of the 15th day of January in each year;
5. to provide that the poll tax of \$2.00 shall give the same right to vote at civic elections which the \$5.00 poll tax now does.

HERBERT E. WARDROPER
Common Clerk
6th February, 1915.

LOCAL NEWS

William Curran, charged with selling liquor on Sunday, and Bedford Bishop, for having liquor in premises where beer is sold, were each fined \$20 in the police court yesterday afternoon.

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KING EDWARD LODGE
The members of King Edward Lodge, No. 80, are invited to attend a social in their hall on Monday, Feb. 15, members may also invite friends. 2-18

Brunswick Chapter, I. O. D. E., are having a valentine tea on DeMonts street on Friday, and on Saturday they will have charge of the soda fountain and tea tables of the Ross Drug Company on Saturday afternoon and evening. 2-18

A tea and candy sale, arranged by the women's auxiliary of St. James church and held in the home of Mrs. Clarence Nixon, Mecklenburg street, yesterday in aid of the church missionary funds was well attended and greatly enjoyed.

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WAR DEVELOPMENTS.

A cable from Havre says that the International Socialist Bureau has summoned delegates from both belligerent and neutral nations to meet at The Hague, and that they will confer separately and later hold a general assembly if this can be arranged.

The belief that International Socialism would make war impossible was not founded. It will be interesting to note what effect the war will have upon International Socialism. In an interesting article on this subject a writer in the Toronto Mail and Empire says that probably two out of every five Germans who are killed or wounded are Socialists, and that the one Socialist who voted against the war loan has been read out of his party.

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THE NEW TARIFF

With some exceptions the Canadian tariff has been advanced 7 1/2 per cent on the intermediate and general, and 5 per cent on the British preferential. The exceptions include tea, corn, wheat, wheat flour, sugar, tobacco, binder twine, settlers' effects and a few other items. In addition there are several taxes on banks, trust and loan and insurance companies, cable and telegraph companies, railway and steamboat tickets, checks, money orders, letters and post cards, bills of lading, patent medicines and one or two other items.

The latest war news indicates that Germany, realising the danger in East Prussia, has rushed great masses of troops to that point, and the Russians find it necessary to withdraw to some extent and make other provision to meet this new movement of the enemy. A military observer, writing about the situation in France, Belgium and Alsace says that no great forward movement may be anticipated until the weather conditions have improved.

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THE LOBSTER INDUSTRY

There has been some discussion of late as to the condition of the lobster industry in the province of Maine. Some observers in this state have contended that the Maine industry has of late been improving, and others take the opposite view. Some light is thrown on the question by a statement issued by a committee of Maine lobster dealers in connection with some proposed changes in the lobster law. They say that the supply of lobsters has been declining for thirty years, and they ask what will be the condition ten years hence of an industry which last year yielded \$2,000,000. They hold that it is not enough to pro-

tect the small lobsters. They claim that not only the young but the larger mature lobsters, which are egg producers, should be protected; that the present lobster hatchery is of no value; that the laws are not enforced; that every fisherman should be licensed, and all fishing done with traps of uniform type. It is proposed to have Professor Herrick, who has devoted twenty years to study of the subject, appear before the legislative committee on sea and shore fisheries, to express his views, and then try to arrive at an agreement which will bring about the passage of laws to ensure the preservation of the industry.

A bill is to be introduced in the Maine legislature providing for better protection of children, and for the establishment of juvenile courts in that state.

Not to be outdone by Premier Clarke's friends, Hon. J. K. Fleming will have himself banqueted at Andover on Monday evening next.

The trench editor of The Standard continues throwing up a breastwork of mud with great diligence, and an evident relish for the task.

The town of Amherst will soon be the most important military centre in the Maritime Provinces. It is said that about 1,700 troops are to be mobilized there.

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The discussion in the British parliament yesterday shows that the conditions of living in England, despite a formidable rise in the cost of living, are much better than even the best, informed would have anticipated at this time, after more than six months of a great war.

It was a thoughtful and kindly act on the part of the civic authorities and St. George's Society to join in giving the men of H. M. S. Charrybelle a pleasant evening during their brief stay in St. John. They represent the large body of trained and fearless men who are keeping the sea ways open for British commerce.

Finance Minister White says that Canada had spent on the war up to December 31 more than \$26,000,000, and by the end of March the amount will be about \$50,000,000. All that the Canadian people ask in connection with this or a much larger expenditure, if needed, is that the take-off man be thrust aside. Has this been done? Is it being done?

Hon. William Pugsley asked some very proper questions in parliament yesterday concerning prices paid for ammunition, and concerning the purchase of the two submarines for the Pacific Coast. It is not part of any political trace that the people should be denied information concerning matters of this kind. The government itself has announced that the question of worthless boots provided for some of the men of the First Contingent shall be made the subject of a rigid inquiry. If nobody asked any questions a lot of people would get rich as a result of this war.

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And silent, dreadful fates, On many a tortured plain, Look up and see it shining, And half forget their pain; For, while that lamp is burning, It quells their blackest fears; And dying, but unconquered, They bless it through their tears.

The day that we forget it, That lamp of faith shall wane, The night that we remember, It shines in heaven again. Look up, for it may teach us, One day, ourselves to die; It is the soul of England, That lives, in yonder sky.

—Alfred Noyes.

LIGHTER VEIN.

"Yep," said the Western boomer, "the grasshoppers descended on our state last year and ate a path a mile wide from one border to the other; but were we discouraged? I guess not. We just fenced in the strip and turned it into an automobile highway, and now you can't buy property along it for less'n \$10 a foot."

A Philosopher.

"Week before last," said the kind lady to the paralyzed beggar, "you got a dollar from me because you were deaf and dumb. Last week I gave you a quarter because you were blind, before I realized that you were the same man. Now you ask for money because you are paralyzed."

"Yesum," said the beggar. "Them's the facts." "Don't you think you'd do better if you chose one affliction and stick to it?" asked the lady.

"No, ma'am," said the beggar. "They's nothin' so fatal to the full development of all one's natural powers as 'narrow specialization.'"

He Rubbed It In.

A novel manner of adding insult to injury is revealed by a Scottish Highlander who appears in Chas. Johnston's "Why the World Laughs." A friend had observed that the Highlander was wrapped in impenetrable gloom. He asked the cause, and was at last reluctantly informed—"It's that mon McTavish! He called me a liar!" His friend tried to console him, saying that many a man had been called a liar, and was none the worse for it. The gloomy one, however, roused suddenly, and with some heat exclaimed, "But I tel ye, mon, he proved it!"

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RECENT WEDDINGS Daly-Fowler. Rev. David Jenkins, at Welsford, N. B., on Tuesday last united in marriage Ernest Irvine Daly, of Fairview, St. Martin's, N. B., and Miss Helena Gladys Fowler, daughter of W. B. Fowler, of Welsford. Mr. and Mrs. Daly will live at St. Martin's. A Double Wedding. Two local soldiers were married in a double wedding which took place last night at the home of W. H. Gambin, 142 Prince's street, when his brother Captain George Gambin, of the Divisional Ammunition Column, was joined in marriage to Miss W. Jean Spicer, of Spencer's Island, and the latter's brother, Gunner Wylie B. Spicer, was united in marriage to Miss Lucy L. Traver, former-

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Georges Creek Blacksmith Coal the best in the market Old Mine Sydney, Springhill, Reserve, Scotch and American Anthracite in all sizes, always in stock.

R.P. & W.F. STAR, Ltd. 49 Smythe St. - 226 Union St. Acadia Pictou CLEANEST SOFT COAL \$3.50 and \$4.10 per load delivered Geo. Dick, 46 Britain St. Foot of Germain St. Phone 1115

HARDWOOD! Having received a large shipment of Hardwood, I am able to supply at ten per cent discount. Get our prices for hard and soft coal. G. S. Cosman 238-240 Paradise Row Phone M. 1227

From Soup to Nuts FOR WEDNESDAY, FEB. 10 ONLY OUR \$1.00 CASH OFFER 1 can Soup (any flavor), regular.....15c 1 can Choice Peas, regular.....10c 1 can Asparagus Tips, regular.....30c 1 can Beans, regular.....15c 1 bottle Pickles (mixed or chow),.....25c 1 package Jelly.....10c 1 pound Box Nuts.....20c ALL FOR \$1.00 CASH \$1.25

Jas. Collins 210 Union St. Opposite Opera House.

CANADIAN PACIFIC DIRECT SHORT ROUTE MARITIME PROVINCES to MONTREAL AND WEST (Daily Except Sunday) Lv. HALIFAX.....8:00 a.m. Lv. ST. JOHN.....5:45 p.m. FAST EXPRESS TRAINS BETWEEN MONTREAL-TORONTO DETROIT-CHICAGO Electric Littered Sleepers. Compartment Cars. W. B. HOWARD, D.P.A., C.P.R. St. John, N. B.

We Specialise in This Wood DOUGLAS FIR Doors and all Interior Finish J. Roderick & Son Brittain Street.

ly of Chatham. Rev. W. H. Barracough performed the ceremony, which was followed by a dainty supper and reception at the house. Best wishes of numerous friends will be extended for their happiness and for the safe return of the bridegroom.

PILES Do not suffer another day with itching, smarting, bleeding, or any other distressing Piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and as certainly cure you. See a box at Fowler & Edmundson, Males & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 10c stamp to pay postage.

Here's The Story In A Nutshell!

Just two weeks to clear out the entire Slater Shoe Stock of Boots and Shoes. Not a day longer, as the store is rented. If the crowd comes in such numbers as they did during the past two days, there will be no trouble in doing it.

Never Such Bargains

Far-sighted men and women have bought as many as six and eight pairs for their own wear. When a \$5.00 or \$6.00 Boot, up to the moment in shape and style, can be had for \$1.98, is it any wonder? Wouldn't it be almost a crime to let those bargains slip from your?

COME TODAY

Slater Shoe Store

BRANTFORD GIRLS DECLARE A STRIKE

Object to Having Their Names Stamped on Boxes of Envelopes They Make

Brantford, Feb. 12.—Although the unemployment situation is very acute in Brantford, about thirty employes of the local branch of the Barber-Edwards Co. went on strike over the stamping of the names of employes in the bottom of envelope boxes. Of late the firm have been having trouble with some of the envelopes, they have been sending out large quantities being returned on account of imperfect workmanship. Unable to trace the faulty workmanship to its source in any other way, they adopted the experiment of

having each employe stamp her name on the bottom of the box when the envelopes were packed. Some of the young women objected to having their names sent broadcast in that manner and when their protests were unavailing they organized a strike.

Wise Precaution

will prevent the little illness of today from becoming the big sickness of tomorrow and after. For troubles of the digestive organs you can rely on

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold everywhere. In boxes, 25 cents

An Interesting Collection of Diamonds

"Our Diamonds" are all of unquestionable quality, are mounted in the newest designs of settings, either in gold or platinum. They constitute a special feature of our large stock of "Fine Jewelry."

The assortment to be found here is always full of interest. The high qualities, exceptional designs and reasonable prices have attracted much in making our stock so attractive to lovers of Fine Jewelry.

We cordially invite your inspection.

Ferguson & Page
Diamond Importers and Jewelers
King Street

Smooth Texture and Rich Flavor of G. B. Chocolate Coatings

As Well As The Great Variety of Delicious Centres Will Appeal to Your Customers. ORDER NOW!

EMERY BROS. Phone. Main 1122, 82 German Street.

FIREPLACE NEEDS

Winter life centres largely at the fireplace, where furnishings, gracefully designed, bring just the needed air of cheer and comfort.

Our large, select line of **FIREPLACE FURNISHINGS** embraces prevailing patterns in Andirons and Fenders in Brass and Black; Coal Scuttles, in Copper and Brass; Brass Plate Stands and Trivets, Spark Guards, in Brass, Black and Gray. Also Hearth Brushes with Brass Handles.

W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD.
Market Square and King Street

SPECIAL TAXES AND A GENERAL TARIFF INCREASE

Hon. Mr. White's Announcement in Budget Speech

SEVEN AND A HALF PER CENT

Five Per Cent to British Preference—Postage Goes up—Tax on Travelers and on Checks and on Legal Documents

Ottawa, Jan. 11.—Hon. W. T. White, finance minister, delivered his budget speech this afternoon.

Coming to the announcement of his new taxation proposals, Mr. White declared that the government must look principally to the tariff as the chief source and mainstay of revenue. Taxation imposed by increased customs duties, he declared, bore upon all classes, and each member of the consuming community would contribute proportionately to the cost of the war and the defence of the country.

As a preliminary, however, to the announcement of the tariff increases, he announced that the government would institute special taxes, the burden of which would fall more particularly upon those members of the community best able to sustain it. He then proceeded to announce the new special taxes, which will be incorporated in a bill entitled "The War Revenue Act, 1915," covering both the tariff taxes and the special taxes.

Special Taxes.

The special taxes were announced as follows:

Upon all banks to which the Bank Act applies, a yearly sum equal to one per cent upon the note circulation, to be computed and paid quarterly. From this taxation, we shall realize approximately \$1,000,000.

Upon every trust and loan company incorporated under any legislative authority, and carrying on business in Canada, a yearly sum equal to one per cent of its gross income derived in Canada, payable quarterly.

Upon every insurance incorporation, society, association, firm or partnership carrying on the business of insurance, other than life, fraternal benefit and marine insurance, a sum of one per cent upon all net premiums received by it in Canada; payments to be made quarterly.

The provisions of this bill will apply to the business of the respective banks, trust and loan and insurance companies transacted after January 1, 1915, and the first receipts therefrom will reach consolidated revenue fund about May 1.

Other Taxation.

In addition, the following taxation will be provided for:

Upon every cable and telegraph company using telegraphic cables or wires within the jurisdiction of Canada, an equal to one cent upon each despatch or message originating in Canada for which a charge of fifteen cents is made. Imposed returns to be made quarterly. Each company is authorized to charge additional tolls, and collect the same from the person sending the message.

Upon every purchaser of a railway or steamboat ticket in Canada for any point in Canada, Newfoundland, the West Indian colonies, or the United States, the sum of five cents in respect of a ticket costing over \$1, and of additional \$5, or fractional part of \$5 which the ticket costs.

Upon every purchaser of a berth in a sleeping car, or seat in a parlor car, the sum of ten cents in respect of each berth bought, and five cents in respect of each seat bought, in Canada. The railway or steamboat company, or person selling the railway, sleeping car and parlor car tickets referred to, are required to collect the taxes imposed, and transmit to the government.

Upon every person, firm or company carrying passengers by vessel to ports or places other than ports or places in Canada, Newfoundland, the British West Indies, and the United States, in respect of each passenger, a sum of \$1, if the amount chargeable for the passage exceeds \$10, the sum of \$3 dollars if such amount exceeds \$20, and a sum of \$5 if the amount exceeds \$60. The company is authorized to collect the tax from the passenger, and is required to account therefor to the government.

In addition to the above the following stamp taxes are proposed:

Upon all checks, receipts to banks by depositors, and upon bills of exchange passing through a bank, a stamp tax of one cent.

Upon every letter and postal card posted in Canada a war stamp tax of one cent.

Upon proprietary or patent medicines and perfumery, sold in Canada, the retail price for each bottle or package of which is ten cents or less, one cent; and in addition for each ten cents of retail price, one cent.

Upon wine, non-sparkling, sold in Canada, for every bottle or package containing one quart or less, five cents, and for each additional quart, five cents.

Upon champagne and sparkling wines, one cent.

So far as concerns the duty upon raw materials it is to be pointed out that in accordance with regulations made under the provisions of the customs act, manufacturers are entitled to a drawback for manufacturers.

THE WHOLE BODY NEEDS PURE BLOOD

The bones, the muscles, and all the organs of the body depend for their strength and tone and healthy action on pure blood.

Hood's Serravallo makes pure blood. It is positively unequalled in the treatment of scrofula, catarrh, rheumatism, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, that tired feeling. There is no other medicine like it. Be sure to get Hood's and get it today. It is sold by all druggists.

ARTICLES THAT ESCAPED THE TARIFF BOOST

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—The list of chief exemptions from the general increase in duties is as follows:

Fish from Newfoundland.

Animals for the improvement of stock.

Cocoa and chocolate products.

Tea.

Salt for the fisheries.

Indian corn, except for distillation purposes.

Articles of wheat flour.

Sweetened biscuits.

Squid.

Oysters, seed and breeding.

Fish and fish eggs for propagating purposes.

Articles for manufacturing binder twines.

Wines from South Africa.

Books, printed.

Newspapers and magazines, news printing paper.

Blank paper.

Nicotine sulphate.

Ores of metals.

Bells for churches.

Gold and silver coin and gold and silver in ingots, blocks, bars, drops, etc.

Newspaper printing presses.

Mowers, binders, harvesters and reapers.

Traction and ditching machines.

Surgical and dental instruments.

Materials for ships.

Binder twines.

Articles for manufacturing binder twines.

Fish-hooks, lines, twines and nets.

Artificial limbs.

Artificial teeth, not mounted.

Articles specified as tariff for schools, hospitals and charitable objects.

Artificial effects.

The duties on the above remain unchanged.

sold in Canada, every bottle containing one pint or less, twenty-five cents, and for each additional pint, fifteen cents.

The special taxes above outlined will come into force at a date to be fixed in the act, with the exception of the taxes on wines and champagnes, which become effective at once.

The total amount expected in increased revenue, Mr. White said, would be from \$8,000,000 to \$10,000,000, with the probability in favor of the former figure.

Income Tax Not Feasible.

Dealing with the imposition of an income tax upon individuals, the finance minister declared that after giving the question consideration the government had decided that it was not expedient to bring in a bill to bring into force an income tax the government would be obliged to create machinery for assessment, revision and collection, incurring a heavy expense, as compared with the amount which would be realized.

In announcing the new tariff taxation, Mr. White said:

A General Tariff Boost.

"As our main revenue measure we propose, with certain exceptions, a general horizontal increase in the customs duties upon all goods and commodities imported or taken out of bonded warehouses in Canada. The list includes all articles of dutiable, or on the free list, and whether raw material or finished or partly finished products.

The increase we propose is seven and a half per cent ad valorem to the general and intermediate tariffs, and five per cent ad valorem to the British preferential.

In the case of iron, or for reasons I shall give in committee, the added duty is specific, and not ad valorem.

Luxuries Escape.

In determining the list of exceptions, regard has been had to our trade connections with France, and the obligations of our agreement with certain of the British West Indies colonies. By reason of the former, the increased customs duties will not apply to silk fabrics, velvets, ribbons, embroideries and certain other goods.

The exception to the tariff increase I have mentioned include wheat, flour, tea, anthracite coal, fish from Newfoundland, salt for curing fish, tins, twines, nets and books for the fisheries, reapers, mowers, binders, harvesters, binder-twines, traction ditching machines, sugar, tobacco (dealt with in August), newspaper printing paper, newspaper printing presses, typesetting and type-casting machines, and a number of other items of lesser consequence."

Drawback for Manufacturers.

So far as concerns the duty upon raw materials it is to be pointed out that in accordance with regulations made under the provisions of the customs act, manufacturers are entitled to a drawback for manufacturers.

ACHING BACK GETS RELIEF QUICK! ONE RUB WITH "NERVILINE" CURES

Every Bit of Stiffness and Soreness Goes When "Nerviline" Is Used

ever used. You might pay a dollar, ten dollars, or that matter, but you could not equal Nerviline, either in strength, quickness of action, or permanency of relief.

If you think this too much to say for Nerviline, try it, and be convinced.

If you receive from Nerviline even a little less relief from pain than this advertisement induces you to expect, you can get your money back.

The only pain remedy in the world sold under a guarantee is Nerviline—surely it is safe to try it.

Nerviline is sold by druggists everywhere, 25 cents or 50 cents a bottle, or direct from The Catarthozone Co., Kingston, Canada.

Stores Open at 9 a. m. and Close Every Day in The Week at 6 O'clock

Specials For Saturday in Linen Room

HEMSTITCHED AND EMBROIDERED LINEN PILLOW CASES—Size 46 by 86 inches. Special per pair; \$1.75. Regular \$2.00.

DRAWN WORK AND EMBROIDERED COVERS OR SHAMS with scalloped edge. Size 80 by 80. Special, each 50c. Regular \$1.00.

BEDROOM SETS—Consisting of two shams, one bureau cover and one commode cover, all to match. Special, per set, \$1.75. Regular \$2.00.

HEMME BLEACHED COTTON SHEETS—Two yards wide. Special, each 65c. Regular \$1.00.

ONLY ONE MORE DAY FOR FREE HEMMING.

Bargain Sale of Soiled Blouses

Commencing Saturday Morning

You will be able to judge the unusual nature of these bargains when we say that many of these waists were as high as \$2.50 each. They are in all good styles, in a variety of different effects, and because they have become soiled and mused from showing on our tables, they will all be sold without reserve at one low figure. Choose early, each only 75c.

As to a number of Middy Blouses at \$1.00 each. Regular \$1.50.

WAIST DEPARTMENT—SECOND FLOOR.

Still More Bargains Annual Spring Sale Of Men's Furnishings

NECKTIES—A grand clean-up lot, comprising many styles and qualities in Stripes, Tubulars, Four-in-Hands, Made Knots, Bows and Ascots, at an exceptional bargain price, 9 for \$1.00; 2 for 25c, or..... Each 15c. Lot No. 2—Consisting of extra qualities in Four-in-Hand styles, plain colors and fancy stripes. These were formerly 75c and \$1.00, but they must be disposed of to make room for the spring styles now arriving. Wonderful value. Sale price, 3 for \$1.00, or each 33c.

SPECIAL COLLAR OFFERING—Surpassing any previous effort for value, and includes popular and perfect fitting styles in high bands or long point shapes, plain and striped madras cloths. In many cases they are regular \$3 for 60c. qualities. Sizes 18 1/2 to 19. Sale prices from \$1.50 to \$3.50.

PURE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS—One-half inch hem, extraordinary value, six in box. Sale price, \$1.00. Regular \$1.50.

PURE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS—One-quarter inch hemstitched. Colored initials in B, Z, J, L, M, R, S, T, W. only. Regular 60c. value. Sale price, each 35c.

GLOVES—Spring weights, fine French Suede, tan color. Regular \$1.60 value. Sale price, pair 75c.

GLOVES—Natural Chamoda, slightly soiled. Sale price, pair 75c.

TAN CAPE GLOVES—Reliable English makes. Regular \$1.50 value. Sale price, pair \$1.00.

GREY CAPE GLOVES—High-grade make. Sale price, pair \$1.25.

LEATHER GOODS—Remarkable values are being offered, and while 1914 prices have advanced, these sale quotations are 'way below 1914 prices.

HAND BAGS—Small, medium and large Club and English Kit shapes, all popular leathers, plain and fancy grains, genuine Walrus, Real Russia Leather and Pig Skin; tan, brown and black, with single and double handles, best frames, locks and catches. Sizes 12 to 22 inches. Sale prices from \$1.50 to \$3.50.

SUIT CASES—In Karato (very like leather) and real leather, slightly marked, but this will not lessen the wearing quality; tan, brown, black. Sizes 24 and 26. Sale prices, \$3.50 to \$13.50.

TRUNKS—Our reliable make, and the best value in Canada, at special sale prices. We have included our entire stock of all styles.

GENERAL PURPOSE TRUNKS—Sizes 32 to 38. Sale prices, each \$2.95 to \$17.85.

STEAMER TRUNKS—Sizes 32 to 40. Sale prices, each \$4.25 to \$12.75.

WARDROBE STYLES—In three sizes. Sale prices, each \$20.00 to \$40.00.

HAT TRUNKS—In three grades. Sale prices, each \$4.50 to \$15.00.

THREE-PLY VENEER TRUNK—Steamer size, covered with green Willesden Canvas. Sale price, \$10.00.

HAT BOX to match, Veneer Trunk. Sale price, \$6.50.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS DEPARTMENT.

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

NORMAN

The NEWEST

ARROW COLLAR

2 for 25 cents

Small, Pashley & Co., Ltd., 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162, 164, 166, 168, 170, 172, 174, 176, 178, 180, 182, 184, 186, 188, 190, 192, 194, 196, 198, 200.

TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of the undersigned, Room 6 Pugsley Building, 39 Princess Street, this city, up to Wednesday noon, the seventeenth instant, for the assets of the estate of CHARLES H. COLWELL, as per inventory on file with the assignee.

Tenders cash—lowest nor any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated this eleventh day of February A. D. 1915.

FRANCIS KERR, Assignee.

Saturday Cash Specials at Daniel's

Store Open Until 10 p. m. Saturday Evening

Black Dress Goods—A Saturday opportunity in good black dress materials. Arrures, crepe cloth, and other fine blacks. Regular 85c. and 90c. goods. Saturday Cash Price, 77c. Per Yard.

Black and Tan Toy and Etolia Cloth, both excellent blacks. Regular \$1.15 goods. Saturday Cash Special, 95c. Per Yard.

Flannel Blouses—Warm Flannel Business Blouses. A clean up of a number of different lines, some are wool challis. Regular to \$1.88. Saturday Cash Special, 96c.

109 Tailored Blouses—Choice of a number of broken lines of good Tailored Blouses, some of pure Irish Linen, and also a number of Velle and soft Mull Blouses, all sizes 34 to 40; great bargains at this sale price. Regular up to \$2.00. Saturday Cash Special, 73c.

Underwear—The clean up of all broken lots of Women's Winter Underwear, Vests and Pants. Saturday Cash Special, 49c. Per Suit.

Kiddies' Pure Wool Underwear—Odd sizes in Kiddies' Vests and Pants, every garment pure wool. Value from \$1.50 to \$1.50 per suit. Saturday Cash Special, 79c. Per Suit.

Flannelette Corset Covers—One special lot of White Flannelette Corset Covers, embroidery or torch lace trimmed. Regular 40c. Saturday Cash Special, 29c. Each.

Collage Blouses—Remaining sizes in fine velour finish Collage Blouses, red with black stripe, very attractive, excellent for winter house waists, very warm and in perfectly fast colors. Regular \$1.29. Saturday Cash Special, 79c. Each.

House Blouses—A number of Canbrie House Blouses, long sleeves, soft collar and cuffs, and narrow hemstitched turnover collar, fine stripes, helle, gray, sky, and black and white; sizes 34 to 42. Saturday Cash Special, 39c. Each.

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7 lb. Tin Strawberry Jam 75c
Snider's Pork and Beans 2 tins for 25c
Strictly Fresh Eggs 35c DOZ.
12c Tin Clams 10c
Fresh Shrimps 20c TIN
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WANTED
WANTED—A girl to do plain sewing at her own home. Apply to 24 Household street. 21766-2-16

WANTED
WANTED—Someone to adopt baby boy. Write "Boy" Times. 21784-2-15

WANTED
WANTED—Woman wants care invalid, aged, or housekeeping. Best references. "Nurse," care Times. 21742-2-15

WANTED
ENGLISHWOMAN, middle-aged, offers reasonable help in housework or sewing in return for nice home and board. City or country. Address Graham, Times. 21767-2-14

WANTED
GOOD Washer and ironer would like laundry work to do at home. Address "Laundress," Times office. 21769-2-13

WANTED
MONEY WANTED—To borrow on good real estate in a northern New Brunswick town. Apply "M" Times office. 21639-2-16

WANTED
WANTED—A first-class plant maker, good steady position, highest prices. Donaldson Hunt, 17-19 Charlotte street. 15

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD
FOR SALE OR WILL TRADE—One Square Piano in Good Condition. Address "Piano," care Times. 21810-2-19

FOR SALE
HIGH CLASS furniture, part dining and bedroom, quartered oak, real leather, including beautiful ornamental brass bed. Sacrifice price for quick sale. Reply "Private Treaty" care Times. 21783-2-15

FOR SALE
FOR SALE—200 Bureaus, \$4.00; 1 Oil Tank, \$2.50; 1 Cook Stove, \$7.00; 1 Round Table, \$3.00; 1 Mahogany Bureau, \$5.00; 1 Spring, \$1.00. McGraw's Furniture & Department Store, 10 Brussels street; Phone 1845-21.

AGENTS WANTED
\$100 FOR SIXTY DAYS' EASY WORK. Write for contract. Bradley-Garretson, Bradford.

AGENTS WANTED
AGENTS Wanted for New Startling Invention—20th Century Portable Shower Bath, for which there is an enormous demand. Something new. We want agents, general agents and salesmen. Big profits with quick results. Build up business of your own. Write quick for particulars. Walkerville Specialty Manufacturing Co., 32 Sawtich street, Walkerville, Ont.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.
WANTED—Girl for office work and collecting. George Dick, 44 Britain, 21812-2-15

WANTED
WANTED—General girl for day work from 7 to 7. Smith's Restaurant, 7 Mill street. 21811-2-15

WANTED
WANTED—Two waitresses. Must be reliable. Apply once between the hours of 5 to 8 p. m. to A. W. Baxter, Manager, 184 Waterloo street, City. 21814-2-15

GIRL WANTED. Apply General Public House, 21807-2-19

CHAMBERMAID WANTED, Grand Union Hotel. 21632-2-16

WAITRESS WANTED, Grand Union Hotel. 21632-2-16

WANTED—Girl; no washing, 8 City Road. 2-13

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
PIANOS
Many excuses are made in advertisements by merchants who they are offering their line of goods at cost price or less.
DO THEY DO THIS?
Not in ninety-nine cases out of 100. Invariably the same class of goods can be bought from any reliable dealer for the same price they charge.
IF IT IS IN THE PIANO LINE, TRY US.
Our prices for Reliable Pianos and Organs will meet any competition and we will treat you right.
Bell's Piano Store
68 Germain Street

COOKS AND MAIDS
WANTED—Girl for light housework 178 Princess street. 21721-2-17

WANTED
WANTED—Smart woman as housekeeper. Good home; small wage. 88 Adelaide street. 21715-2-17

WANTED
WANTED—Maid for cook and down stairs work. Apply 62 Charlotte St. 21677-2-18

WANTED
WANTED—Maid for general housework in family of two. Apply Mrs. John W. Davidson, Rothesay. 21675-2-16

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WANTED—Maid for general housework in family of two. Apply Mrs. John W. Davidson, Rothesay. 21639-2-16

FOR SALE—GENERAL
RHODE ISLAND REDS. A few very choice thorough-bred cockerels. Prices right. Apply "Poultryman," Box 196 Grand Falls, N. B. 21798-2-12

FOR SALE
FOR SALE—Edison Dictaphone, used only one month, guaranteed in perfect condition. Cost \$130—What will you offer? Write "Dictaphone" care Times Office. 14

FOR SALE
BABY CARRIAGE FOR SALE—Cheap, 8 City Road. 21832-2-13

FOR SALE
A DROP HEAD Singer Sewing Machine for \$17.00. Another for \$8.00. Repairs and supplies for all machines. Machines rented by week or month at BABINEAUX, 18 Waterloo street. L. I.

LOST AND FOUND
LOST—Thursday evening, Black Buffalo between head of King street and One Mile House via Waterloo. Return to C. W. Thompson, 210 Paradise Row, Reward. 2-15

LOST
LOST—Between Courtenay Bay and King Square, 2 30-Dollar Bills. Finder please leave at No. 60-Griffiths, Reed's Point. Reward. 21809-2-15

LOST
LOST—In Main street, between Elm and Durick's drug store, a Knight of Columbus charm. Finder kindly leave at Times office. 2-15

SITUATIONS WANTED
WANTED—Position as housekeeper, where child could be taken into the home. Apply 21712-2-17

SITUATIONS WANTED
WANTED—By capable young woman position as housekeeper or companion; references. Address Housekeeper Box 204, City. 21668-2-17

SITUATIONS WANTED
NURSING WANTED by experienced nurse; Phone M 124-21. 21599-2-15

EXPERIENCED Stenographer desires position. Address "Stenographer," Times Office. 21668-2-17

MISCELLANEOUS HELP
LADY and Gentleman collector wanted, 164 Waterloo. 21716-2-13

MEN FROM CHARYBDIS WELL ENTERTAINED
Guests of City and St. George's Society at Supper, Followed by Smoker in Yacht Club Rooms

Canada in the War
Only thirty-two of 700 members of the Toronto Home Guard obeyed an order to parade yesterday, and the members became so turbulent and boisterous that a company of the King's Own Guards was called out to quell their demonstration, which was in honor of an officer, Major Gullis, who had been dismissed. Randolph Currie, of Macnagrac, York County, N. B., who for eight years has been mourned as dead, has been located in British Columbia where he has enlisted with a regiment for foreign service. He went west about eighteen years ago and had not been heard from in eight years. It was announced in parliament yesterday that Canada's war outlay to December 31 was \$30,221,976. At a concert at the armory last night under the auspices of the young women of the Y. M. C. A., Associate League, some 200 members of the 28th Battalion attended, and a good programme was given, those taking part being Miss Edna Leonard, Mrs. Harding, Miss Marion Harding, Miss Thorne, Miss Frosham, Miss Vera Leonard, F. Thorne, M. Latham, E. Belding, S. Irvine, H. O. Bonk. Men's working pants 86c, \$1.14 and \$1.29 at the Clean Sweep Sale, 207 Union street, Opera Block.

Bargains In Our Clothing Store!
Men's Suits—Regular \$7.50, Reduced to \$4.95
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We have a few \$20.00 Overcoats, Chin-chilla, in grey, brown and blue. To Clear at \$11.65
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A HUGE RANGE OF MEN'S PANTS
Regular \$1.25 Now 98c
Men's Heavy Caps—Regular 85c Now 59c
Sweater Coats. Marked down to clear
Large assortment of Men's Working Gloves and Mitts—Woolen and leather 19c to 75c
Men's Roller and Police Braces 19c
Humphrey's Heavy Woolen Socks 25c
Black Heavy Ribbed Socks 2 pairs for 25c
BOYS' OVERCOATS—ONLY A FEW LEFT
\$2.75 Reduced to \$1.48
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CHILDREN'S BUSTER AND RUSSIAN SUITS
Regular \$3.25 Now \$2.25
BOYS' SUITS ALL REDUCED TO CLEAR
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WANTED—Building lot in city. Must be desirable locality and have water and sewerage. Address "Builder," Box 116, City. 21729-2-19

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WANTED—Riverside or Reaforth, State etc. Lowest price and location to "G" care Times. 21682-2-16

WANTED TO PURCHASE
WANTED—To Rent or Purchase, between Hampton and City, an all year round house and about an acre of land. Apply R. Times Office. 21505-2-13

MEAT PACKERS FINED FOR FIXING PRICES
Five Concerns Must Pay up \$25,000 Each Before March 11
Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 12—The packing firms of Armour and Company, Swift and Company, the St. Louis Dress and Provision Company, the Hammond Packing Company, and Morris and Company were found guilty of violating the state anti-trust law, by the Missouri Supreme Court.

FAMOUS "PANTHER" LOST?
Copenhagen, Feb. 12—The German gunboat Panther, which became famous at the time of the Moroccan crisis is believed to have been lost at sea, according to a despatch from Berlin. It says that the German admiralty has given up all hope for the vessel, which has been missing for several months. The Panther was a vessel of 984 tons and carried 125 men.

SECOND SON OF AUSTRIAN HEIR-APPARENT BORN
Vienna, Feb. 12—Princess Zita of Parma, wife of Archduke Charles Francis, heir-apparent to the Austrian throne, gave birth to a son on Tuesday. They were married in 1911 and have two other children, a son and a daughter.

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A calendar slide showing dates from 1 to 28. The date 12 is highlighted.

SUITS HAVE TAKEN THE LONG SLIDE THIS MONTH.
\$15 to \$30 Suits reduced to \$10 and \$15.
ONLY TWO PRICES
When you take a slide in, another suit or two, take a slide out.

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in point of comfort and usefulness can always be had in quick time at very reasonable prices at K. W. Epstein & Co. When you think of eyesight think of 193 Union Street.

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Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a bad stomach.

REGULAR AFTER EFFECTS OF GRIP THIS YEAR

Leaves Kidneys in Weakened Condition

Doctors in all parts of the country have been kept busy with the epidemic of grip which has visited so many homes.

HON. MR. PUGSLEY IN COMMONS BRINGS UP IMPORTANT MATTERS

A Rake-off in Contracts For Ammunition? The Purchase of Those Submarines

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—After the budget speech was delivered in the house of commons this afternoon, Sir Robert Borden asked whether there was any objection to passing the resolution for the raising of \$100,000,000 for war purposes.

GRAY HAIR BECOMES DARK, THICK, GLOSSY

Try Grandmother's Old Favorite Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray.

CHILD GETS SICK CROSS, FEVERISH IF CONSTIPATED

"California Syrup of Figs" Can't Harm Tender Stomach or Bowels

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste.

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Dissolve it, That's Best Way

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely.

C. OF E. INSTITUTE

Rev. R. A. Armstrong Elected President — Good Wishes to War Chaplains

The reports submitted at the annual meeting of the Church of England Institute last night showed a satisfactory state of finances and that much had been accomplished in the year just closed.

Why People Feel Depressed In the Cold Weather

Why is tiredness and languor so prevalent just now? A physician explained that the cold of winter drives blood from the surface of the body to the liver.

No better remedy exists than Dr. Hamilton's Pills which are composed of such vegetable extracts as Mandrake and Butternut, and possess wonderful liver stimulating powers.

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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

CURLING
St. Andrew's Won.
The St. Andrew's curlers defeated four rinks of visiting St. Stephen players last night by a total of 69 points to 86.

St. Andrew's Ladies Win.
The ladies of St. Andrew's Curling Club defeated the ladies of the Thistle Curling Club yesterday, 4 to 3.

Thistles.
Mrs. F. E. Williams
Mrs. J. Jackson
Mrs. F. D. Miles

Thistle-Fredrickton Game.
Regarding the visit of the intended Thistle Curling Club to Fredrickton Wednesday the Glenora says that the Fredrickton club members had not arranged to meet them on that date.

HOCKEY.
U. N. B. Line-Up.
(Fredrickton Glenora.)

The U. N. B. team will go to St. John on Friday morning and play the St. John hockey team at the six men style.

BASEBALL.
Callahan Back to Minors.
New York, Feb. 10.—The Brooklyn Nationals today released outfielder Callahan to the Newark club and the Newark club has released outfielder Zimmerman and Catcher Wheat to the Brooklyn club.

Frederickton Girls Win.
In Frederickton last night the girls hockey team defeated the Campbellton belles, 8 to 1.

N. H. A. Standing.
Wanderers . . . 10 4 88 56
Ottawa . . . 10 4 88 56
Quebec . . . 7 7 55 38
Canadians . . . 4 10 46 87
Shanrocks . . . 4 10 45 87

Was Troubled With Eczema.
Would Nearly Yell With Pain.
BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS CURED HIM.

Mr. R. J. Swales, Harrison, Ont., writes: "I have been a great sufferer with eczema. I tried all kinds of salves, but they did me no good. Sometimes I would nearly yell with the pain, and would pass little red worms, was told to get at the blood, so I used four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters, and it has made a complete cure."

All skin diseases such as eczema or salt rheum, itching or burning rashes, boils, pimples, eruptions, ulcers, etc., are all caused by the blood becoming impoverished, and while not usually attended with any fatal results, may sooner or later develop into some serious blood trouble, and the entire system become affected.

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3 Cans Tomatoes, 3 Cans Peas, 3 Cans Corn, 3 Cans Pork and Beans. For \$1.00

FRESH MEATS
Beef, Roasts . . . 12c and 14c lb.
Beef, Corned . . . 14c to 16c lb.
Beefsteak (by the slice) . . . 16c lb.

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RAMBLERS WIN OPENING GAME

Take Four Points in First Game of Second Series — Wilson's Bowling a Feature

In the City League on Black's Alley last night the Ramblers took four points from the Sweeps. The game was the first of the second series and was witnessed by a large number of bowling enthusiasts.

RAMBLERS. Total. Avg.
Emery . . . 91 91 102 284 948
Jordan . . . 88 88 97 265 881

FIGHT CARNIVAL BEING PLANNED

Promoters of Johnson-Willard Contest Trying to Arrange For Other Bouts at Jurez

A three-day fight carnival, not unlike the famous Dixon-Skelley McArthur-Labbe Corbett-Sullivan affair at New Orleans some years back, is being planned by the promoters of the Johnson-Willard battle at Jurez.

ATHLETIC.
New York Indoor Carnival.
Joseph G. Loomis, of the Chicago Athletic club, won the running high jump and the special seventy-yard scratch race at the annual indoor athletic carnival of the New York Athletic club in Madison Square Garden on Wednesday night.

Johnson May Use Afro.
El Paso, Tex., Feb. 10.—Jack Curley, who is promoting the Jack Johnson-Jess Willard fight in Jurez, says: "While 'gumshoe men' are looking for Johnson, disguised as a Pullman porter, don't be surprised if Arthur appears in Jurez some fine morning and then find that several hundred miles of his journey was covered in aeroplane. Willard working fine."

News of the Boxers.
Jack (Twin) Sullivan is teaching his namesake, Bobby Sullivan, of Buffalo, some of the inside things of the boxing game that earned for the Twin himself the reputation of being the foxiest scrapper in the business. Bobby is said to be quite a boxer.

Willie Ritchee has become to be a disciple of the modern dancing. He and his sister dance so well together that they are picking up their expenses in the east by displaying their dancing ability on the vaudeville stage.

New York papers announce that Mattie Baldwin and Willie Beecher will box in Brooklyn tomorrow.

Recently some English and French soldiers had twenty-five bouts in a barn

Some Spring Arrivals Ladies' Patent Leather Button Boots

Plain toe, nice shapely lasts, spoon heel, two prices. \$4.00 and \$4.50

These are leaders for spring 1915.

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CANADA'S TRADE WITH CUBA

According to El Heraldo de Cuba, one of the prominent newspapers of Havana, the people of that prosperous island are very anxious to enter into better trade relations with Canada.

In one of our last numbers we published a statement regarding the projected commercial treaty between Canada and Cuba. Our information has given good results, as several senators have already taken this matter up and even the secretary of state, Mr. Devereux, appears disposed to co-operate in such important work.

On different occasions the Canadian government has subsidized steamship companies to establish a regular line to Cuba, the amount in some cases being as high as \$250,000.

The following figures in connection with our commerce last year with Canada give our readers an exact conception of the importance of the trade actually has—

Table with 2 columns: Category and Value. Includes Exports from Canada to Cuba, Imports from Cuba, and Total interchanges between Canada and Cuba.

Exportation of Canadian products . . . \$1,815,414
Exportation of foreign products . . . 18,107

Total exportation to Cuba . . . \$1,833,521
Total importation from Cuba . . . 2,022,887

Total interchanges between Canada and Cuba . . . \$3,856,408

The above information demonstrates in an accurate manner the importance for Cuba of the great Canadian market, which last year bought from us \$3,022,887, the larger proportion of which were our two staple articles, raw sugar and tobacco in leaf and manufactured, both of which are in need of new markets.

There are no doubt many opportunities for a great augmentation of trade between Canada and Cuba, and with the other West Indian islands, a trade mutually profitable to all concerned.

Of course, the Feds were all wrong about what they charged against organized ball and the National commission, but observe how hastily the National commission corrected those evils that didn't exist.

The Chicago Federals want a new name and offer a season pass for a suitable one. Charlie Murphy called them a lot of good ones last year.

BANQUET IN HONOR OF PREMIER CLARKE

Announcements of Re-classification of Crown Lands and of Steamer Service to Cuba

Hon. George J. Clarke was the guest of honor last evening at a dinner given in the Elks club room in recognition of his elevation to the office of premier.

The banquet was well attended, those present including a fair representation from other parts of the province. All the members of Mr. Clarke's government were present with the exception of Hon. John Morrissey, L. P. D. Tilley, M. P. P. president and the speakers were: Premier Clarke, George W. Fowler, M. P. O. M. McLennan, M. P. F. Donald Munro, M. P. P., Hon. Dr. Landry, Hon. J. A. Murray, Hon. John E. Wilson and Hon. J. B. M. Baxter.

Mr. Clarke, in his speech, made a remarkable reference to the Valley Railway as being equal to the Transcontinental "with the exception of a few curves and a few grades."

Mr. Clarke skirted around the edge of the Dugal charges two or three times and on hesitation to take the plunge observed that he saw smiles around the table. Then he made the statement of the evening.

"I have no criticism of the commissioners," he said, "they are honorable men and performed their duty the best they knew how. They brought in a verdict that will appeal to the good sense and the reason of the people of this province."

Mr. Clarke, in speaking of the crown lands, said that the government would arrange to have the lands valued so that they would know what every foot was worth.

An announcement of some interest if borne out by later events was made by Hon. J. A. Murray, minister of agriculture, who said the dominion government had promised to support a steamer on a fortnightly service between St. John and Havana for the purpose of clearing out the surplus potato stock in the Canadian hospital in France. W. C. Cross New Brunswick. Inquiries had been made in London and in the west, he said, but shipping and freight rates were too expensive.

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The Rexall Stores

As a contribution to the Soldiers' Fund we have placed the Soda Fountain in our King Street Store at the disposal of the

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 - Kitchener Kisses 25c lb
 - White's Hard Mixture 25c lb
 - Lovell & Covel's Caramels 40c lb
 - Peanut Cluster 29c lb
 - Banquet Chocolates 39c lb

Lower Prices for Saturday

- 50c Zambuk 39c
- 50c Gin Pills 37c
- 25c Chase's Pills 19c
- 25c Sy. Figs 17c
- \$1.00 Cod Liver Oil Comp. 69c
- 25c Tooth Paste 19c
- 25c Nerveline 19c
- 50c Fruitatives 39c
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| Graham Wafers 10c. pkgs. | 25c. pot Greenidge Jam 16c. |
| Patriotic Sodas 5c. pkgs. | |
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| GENERAL LIST— | FOR BREAKFAST— |
| 10c. pkgs. Lipton's Jelly 8c. | Puffed Wheat 10c. pkgs. |
| 12c. jar MacLaren's Custard 9c. | Cream of Wheat 20c. pkgs. |
| Small tin Snider's Beans 9c. | Large Oatmeal 25c. pkgs. |
| Medium tin Snider's Beans 13c. | Large Quaker Oats 25c. pkgs. |
| Flat tin Clark's Beans 12c. | Educator Wheat Bran 20c. pkgs. |
| 15c. bottle Tomato Catsup 11c. | Rollat's Wheat Food 20c. pkgs. |
| Maconochie's Pickles 22c. bottle | 40c. jar Beechert Bacon 36c. |
| 10c. tin Black Knight Polish 8c. | 25c. tin Baker's Cocoa 21c. |
| 1 lb. Block Pure Lard 16c. | 1 lb. Standalone Coffee, freshly ground For 37c. |
| 30c. lb. Dickason's Tea 28c. | |
| 2 tins Gremo (Maple Butter) 25c. | SHELLED WALNUTS— |
| 12c. pkgs. Dromedary Dates 10c. | 1 lb. New Stock For 39c. |
| 15c. bar Castle Soap 11c. | Less Quantity 50c. lb. |
| 24 lb. bag King's Quality Manitoba Flour \$1.15 | FRESH CANDY— |
| 15c. cake Peary's Soap 11c. | Peppermint Kisses 17c. lb. |
| 3 lbs. Mixed Starch 25c. | Special Mixed Chocolates 29c. lb. |
| 13 lbs. Fine Granulated Sugar \$1.00 | |

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WERE NEAR FRONT
THIRTY MORE GAVE IN NAMES THIS MORNING

Two Visited Hospital at La Touquet Where Sister of One is Nurse—Another Home From Archangel

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Feb. 12.—Harvey McLean of Souris, who left here on the Black Diamond liner "Morwenna," for Havre, France, on December 19, as super cargo, has arrived home, accompanied by George Buntain, who also made the trip. The Morwenna carried 60,000 bags of oats, the gift of the people of P. E. Island for the allied armies. McLean and Buntain visited the Canadian hospital at La Touquet, where Mr. McLean's sister, Rena, is one of the nurses, and where there are two other Islanders, Capt. J. S. Walker, quartermaster, and W. Hughes, quartermaster sergeant.

Albert Ferguson of this city, who went to Archangel on the Earl and returned storekeeper, has returned home. The Russian authorities gave substantial gifts of money to the officers and crew of the ship, and the latter reciprocated by presenting to the new officers and crew a silver cup.

FAIRVILLE NEWS

Entertainment for the Funds—Climbers Class Sleigh Drive

Last evening a concert in aid of the Patriotic and Belgian funds was held in the Gaiety Theatre, Fairville, and considering the short time which the committee had to get up the affair and the several outside attractions booked for the same night, the attendance was good. Mrs. Murray Long delighted the audience with two vocal solos and Mrs. Otty McIntyre and Elmer A. Belding were also heard to advantage, the latter rendering "Long Live The King," with fine effect. He was in active service abroad. An illustrated lecture was given by Rev. Gilbert Earle on Belgium. The machine and operator of Mrs. Earle and Mrs. Earle loaned for the occasion, and Mr. Earle's remarks and excellent pictures were very entertaining and timely.

A nicely arranged candy booth was in charge of Miss Bessie Conpton, Miss Mary McLeod, Mrs. Duffell and Miss McCarthy, and sales brought quite an amount. A comedy reel of moving pictures was also shown by the theatre management.

At the conclusion of the performance Rev. Mr. Earle spoke appreciatively of the generous assistance given the committee by the Gaiety management, and those who assisted in the programme. While all returns are not yet in, it is understood that a creditable sum has been realized. J. J. Hennessey is treasurer for the concert.

Rev. Geo. A. Ross, of Florenceville, Carleton county, spent a few hours here yesterday afternoon assisting the committee with members of his former congregation.

The Climbers Class of the Methodist Sunday school enjoyed a sleigh drive as far as Brookville last evening with the classes of Mrs. W. Earle and Mrs. S. A. Worrell as their guests. Mrs. S. H. Shaw championed the happy young folks. After the sleigh trip the friends returned to the church where refreshments were served. The Climbers proved excellent hosts and the drive was looked forward to by all who were present last evening.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning two men arrested on drunkenness charges were fined \$8 or two months in jail.

Charles Hibbard, who was reported by Policeman Jeffries for allowing his horse to stand in Mill street, on the 4th inst. longer than five minutes without having a foot strap on it, was fined \$10.

Jasper Lorette, who was charged with assaulting Edward Burke at their place of employment Thursday, was fined \$20.

The case against Samuel and Joseph Gilbert for selling and loaning revolvers to men who did not have a permit was brought up in the police court this morning and set aside until this day week. The magistrate said that he would look into the case and give his decision.

The preliminary hearing in the case of William Watson, under arrest charged with assaulting his wife by striking her with a plate and inflicting a deep cut on her forehead, was resumed. Mrs. Ida McLean, daughter of the plaintiff, and defendant, testified and Watson was remanded.

THIRD DEGREE BY K. O. P. C.

In the rooms of St. John Council, 987, Knights of Columbus, in Coburg street last evening, the first degree was excellently exemplified by W. J. Mahoney grand knight, assisted by his staff. The honors of the degree were accorded to twenty-five candidates.

BELGIAN FUND

Mayor Frink has received contributions for the Belgian fund as follows: Women's Canadian Club, St. Stephen's, per Louise Purves, treasurer, \$876.14, of which \$87 was received in church collections and the balance is proceeds of entertainments, sale of poems, coin boxes, etc.; Miss F. E. Edwards, St. John, \$3. The sum of \$3 received yesterday from St. David's church was the balance of a collection, \$88 having been acknowledged previously.

PATRIOTIC FUND

C. B. Allan, treasurer of the patriotic fund, today acknowledged receipt of \$11 from S. H. Clark for February, and \$8.50 from the Women's Institute of Clifton, N. B., through Mrs. S. S. Carmichael.

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1.50 Trousers now 1.20	4.00 Trousers now 3.10
2.00 Trousers now 1.68	4.50 Trousers now 3.55
2.50 Trousers now 1.98	5.00 Trousers now 4.15
3.00 Trousers now 2.45	6.00 Trousers now 4.85

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