

WEATHER FORECAST.
MARITIME PROVINCES.
Generally Fresh Winds; Fair Today; Showers
in Western Portion at Night.
Temperature at 3 A. M. 43 Degrees Above
Zero.

VOL. IV. NO. 35

HOW PRICES WERE 'COOKED' IN ADVANCE

U. S. Steel Corporation Subsidiary Figured Prom- inently in Pool PRICES WERE FIXED Lowest Bid Was Proscribed and Other Tenderers Instructed to Exceed it for Government Business.

New York, N. Y., May 7.—The American Steel and Wire Company, one of the biggest of the subsidiaries of the United States Steel Corporation, was a partner to pool agreements with other manufacturers whereby prices on United States government bids were fixed and the business divided among the pool members, according to the testimony given today at the hearing of the government suit to dissolve the corporation under the Sherman anti-trust law.

The testimony was given by Samuel J. Bailey, of the office of E. E. Jackson, supervisor of the famous wire pools whose members were indicted and fined a year ago. Bailey acted as secretary of the Horse Shoe Manufacturers' Association, one of the seven pools, and explained how the business of the country was managed. The evidence was introduced by the government in support of its contention that the American Steel and Wire Company was itself an illegal combination.

Bailey identified a copy of the rules and regulations of the horse shoe association explaining that the original as well as the minutes of the meeting at which they were adopted, had disappeared.

In brief the rules fix the price per keg at which all members of the association should sell horseshoes, prices being changed when necessary, the witness explained, at monthly meetings. Each member was allowed a certain percentage of the business and in case his sales at the end of the month exceeded his allotment he was to pay cash into the association equivalent to the amount of the excess. If they were less, the association was to make up the deficiency by grant payments to him. A deposited penalty of \$1,000 was provided for violation of the rules.

In the case of government bids, Bailey said that Jackson selected the member who was to make the lowest bid and instructed the other members to bid higher.

"Jackson fixed the price of the lowest bid," said Bailey, "and instructed the other members to bid 2 cents a keg higher. The members were given an opportunity to bid for the government business in turn so that everybody was about even at the end of the year."

Cross-examined by David A. Reid, Bailey said that the pool was broken up in March, 1909, by the withdrawal of the American Steel and Wire Co.

"How long did the pool last after that?" asked Mr. Reid.
"About one minute," replied the witness.

INDIANS LAY CLAIM TO FULL OWNERSHIP Want Recognition of Title to Tract in British Columbia.

Ottawa, May 7.—The old appeal of the British Columbia Indians for some sort of recognition of the title claimed by them to lands in British Columbia, was renewed today, when a deputation consisting of Rev. Canon Tucker, of London, representing the Moral and Social Reform Council of Canada, and Rev. A. E. Omerca, of Victoria, representing the Indians and their friends, waited on the government. The ministers present were Rt. Hon. R. L. Borden, Hon. Robert Rogers and Hon. Martin Burrell.

FOREIGNERS ARE LIKELY TO BLAME FOR HORAN'S DEATH

Foreman on Bad Terms with
Employees Found Dead—
Circumstances Point to Foul
Play.

St. Anne de Bellevue, Que., May 7.—A suspicion of foul play is attached to the death of D. Horan, foreman of the Standard Construction Company, who was this morning found lying near the railroad tracks with his head battered in and an unbroken and half empty bottle of gin at his side.

BIG STRIKE ON IN THE BREWERIES OF KANSAS CITY

Increased Wages and Revised
Working Schedule Refused
by Companies and Fourteen
Hundred Workers Go Out.

Kansas City, May 7.—Fourteen hundred workers, constituting the employees of all the breweries and brewer agencies here went on strike today following the failure of the companies to grant demands for increased wages and a revised working schedule.

PREMIER-TO SPEAK AT MEETING NEXT WEEK IN NEXTON

Special to The Standard.
Moncton, May 7.—A convention of the supporters of the provincial government has been called for the county of Kent to be held in the Public Hall at Nexton on Thursday, May 10th. The call is issued by the president, William Brant, and it is announced that Premier Flemming will address a public meeting in the evening.

The Standard

SAINT JOHN, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1912.

BRITISH INVESTIGATORS NOT TO BE SHELLED BY HASTE

Time Will Not Be Spared To Make Titanic Enquiry Thorough

LITTLE ACCOMPLISHED
YESTERDAY

Special to The Standard.
London, May 7.—Shipwreck experiences continued the time of the Board of Trade inquiry into the Titanic disaster today. Only three witnesses were disposed of. No new light was shed on the sinking of the steamer beyond the facts elicited by the American senatorial committee.

ANDOVER BROTHERN CHOOSE TWO VICTIMS

Opposition Convention Yesterday a Sorry Frost—Burgess and Tweeddale Again the Candidates—No Others Could be Obtained—Victoria County Will Return Supporters of Flemming Government.

RANK HIGH AMONG MCGILL GRADUATES

Students From Maritime Provinces Make Good Showing

SEVERAL ST. JOHN MEN
Science Degrees Are Granted to
A. G. McIntyre, W. W. Raymond
and J. O. Barnaby, of
this City.

HAYS' REMAINS REACH END OF LAST JOURNEY

Body of Grand Trunk President
Brought to Montreal
Yesterday.

Arrival of Private Car "Canada" Followed by Brief But
Impressive Ceremony—Station
Building Draped.

MARRIAGE CASE MAY NECESSITATE SPECIAL SESSION

Delay in Judgment in "Com-
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FIRE DAMAGE HALF MILLION BOYS WILL NOT LOSE EYESIGHT

Rubber Warehouse Destroyed
and Flames Spread Rapidly
to Adjoining Properties in
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THE GREATEST FILM BILL YET IN 1912—SEE IT! NICKEL—"The First Jury of Women"

Viagraph's irresistible laugh-feast... In California women are allowed to pass on the guilt or innocence of mere man. On girls go West! but before you go see this picture—John Bunny, Flora Finch, Earl Williams, Kate Price, Wm. Shea and others are in it.

Dashed from Eiffel Tower, 328 Feet... Sweet Little Story Based on Well-Known Musical Classic. "VON WEBER'S LAST WALTZ"—Edison

OPERA HOUSE MONDAY, MAY 11... ST. JOHN CHORAL SOCIETY 200 VOICES 200

TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS

- Main 1943-21—Nerritt, Mrs. T. C., residence, 214 Main, number changed from Main 1179-21. Main 1192-22—Nellie, Mrs. A. W., residence, 4 Wentworth, number changed from Main 2117-11.

OBITUARY Mrs. R. J. Ritchie. After an illness of six months, the death of Mrs. Ann Ritchie, wife of Judge R. J. Ritchie, took place at three o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Private Hospital, and her demise will be learned with much regret by a very large circle of friends.

POSLAM CLEARS THE COMPLEXION OVERNIGHT

So intense and active is the healing power concentrated in Poslam that when used to clear away pimples, blotches and under-eyes of the skin results are seen overnight, and for these purposes Poslam is used extensively by those who have no more serious troubles.

BUSY DAY IN SUPREME COURT

Appeal in Case of Bureau vs. Normand Dismissed—Others were Heard and Judgment Reserved. Ottawa, May 7.—In the Supreme Court today several formal practice motions were postponed till the 11th.

Louis and Lump all Feady for Bed



Here are Louis and Lump—nicknamed Lump—in their little pajamas, ready for bed. They are the two French children rescued from the Titanic and adopted by Miss Marjorie Hayes, a fellow passenger, who doesn't even know their last name yet, although she is trying to locate their relatives.

MINISTER ON TOUR OF INSPECTION OF WORK ON NEW LINE

Hon. Frank Cochrane Looks Over I. C. R. Extensions Near Chatham—Work Will be Rushed Along. Special to The Standard. Chatham, N. B., May 7.—Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Railways, visited Chatham today on his inspection tour of the I. C. R. After looking over the site of the new station, the party drove along the new route and inspected the work done on this.

SEAMEN'S MISSION YEAR SUCCESSFUL

Encouraging Reports Submitted at Annual Meeting of Board of Management—Officers Elected for Year. The board of management of the Seamen's Mission held their annual meeting last evening when the reports on the past year's work were read and accepted and the officers elected for the ensuing year.

BACK FULL OF AGES, HEADACHES AND DEPRESSION

Much of Women's Suffering is Need Less and Can be Prevented by the Use of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Ritchie—On Tuesday afternoon, the 7th of May, Mary Ann, wife of Judge Ritchie, died at her residence, 39 Elliott Row.

RED ROSE FLOUR

Not excelled by any flour made in Canada. It is a straight Manitoba. DIED. FITCHIE—On Tuesday afternoon, the 7th of May, Mary Ann, wife of Judge Ritchie, died at her residence, 39 Elliott Row.

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Manufacturers and Mill Builders. Extensive in capacity, enable deliveries. W.M.P. is a Structural Steel. Interested parties to help to place orders by placing orders by placing orders.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure

Economizes Butter, Flour, Eggs; makes the food more appetizing and wholesome. The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar.

SERIOUS BLAZE IN FREDERICTON THIS MORNING

Upper Wooden Part of Queen Hotel Destroyed—Damage Amounts to \$2,500—Covered by Insurance. Special to The Standard. Fredericton, May 8.—The upper and wooden portion of the Queen Hotel was the scene of a disastrous fire this morning, which resulted in the loss of the upper story being totally ruined.

FOR SALE

New Domestic and New cheap sewing machines. Business for sale. Farms for sale.

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New Brunswick longer a drug on the market. Farms for sale.

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BUILDING OPERATIONS ONLY FAIRLY BRISK

Considerable Building of Cheaper Class of Dwellings—Too Early for Forecast of Year—Painters Busy. Although the activity in real estate continues on a fairly extensive scale, and building contractors have not been called upon to prepare for a building boom of any importance.

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One cent per word each insertion. Discount of 33 1/3 per cent. on advertisements running one week or longer if paid in advance. Minimum charge 25 cents.

FOR SALE SUBURBAN BUILDING LOTS AT MARTINON ON THE C. P. R.

Situated only about 10 minutes walk from the station, and right on the shore of the beautiful St. John River. Splendid spring water to be had on the premises. All lot owners have the privilege of using the beach for bathing and boating purposes.

ALLISON & THOMAS, 68 Prince Wm. St. Phone M1202

FOR SALE.

New Domestic and New Home, and cheap sewing machines, 45 up. See them in my shop. Genuine needles, all kinds and oil. Edison improved phonographs, \$10.50. Phonographs and sewing machines repaired. William Crawford, 105 Princess street, opposite White store.

BUSINESS FOR SALE—Live retail business in the heart of the business street in the city, big chance for development. Owner must leave for Montreal to take up larger interest there. Buyer can take all or any part of the stock. Fixtures in fine condition. Long lease. Inquire at once. P. O. Box 307, St. John, N. B.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Store No. 27 and 28 South Wharf, now occupied by Messrs. Killam Bros. Apply to A. Wilson, Esq., Barrister, Prince Wm. street.

JUST ARRIVED—Two carloads of choice HORSES, weighing from 1000 to 1500 lbs. For sale at EDWARD HOGAN'S Stables, Waterloo St. Phone 1557.

FARMS FOR SALE

NEW BRUNSWICK FARMS no longer a drug on the market. Now being sought by people outside. Value increasing. We secured our 1912 list before the tide turned. Farms of all acreage, every location and for every branch of farming. 200 to select from. Buy from us and get in right. We guarantee a square deal to buyer and seller. Free illustrated catalogue No. 35. Alfred Burley and Co., 46 Princess St.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 100 acre farm 35 miles from St. John, on the C. P. R. Good house (11 rooms) and barn, water to both by pipes. Also farm near Oak Point and other farms at bargain. Public warehouses for storing light and heavy goods. J. H. Poole and Son, Realty and Business Brokers, 18 to 20 Nelson street. Phone M. 95-11.

WANTED.

WANTED—At Dufferin House, West End, two girls for general work.

WANTED—A girl who understands plural stripping and general work in connection with making and covering cartons for boots and shoes and confectionery; one who is quick and willing to work and make herself generally useful about a box factory; good wages. Apply to The Hebron Manufacturing Co., Hebron, Yarmouth Co., N. B.

WANTED—Second maid for summer. Woodman's Point; small family. Apply 1230 to 1, 284 Douglas avenue.

WANTED—Nurses wanted to take the course of training at the Procter Hospital, Procter, Vermont. Course of instruction covers two years, cutting which board and room is furnished free and a nominal salary paid. For further particulars address Miss Catherine H. Allison, Procter, Vermont.

WANTED—Machinist and lathe hands wanted. Apply T. McAvity and Sons, Ltd., Water street.

WANTED—A girl or middle aged woman to do general work around a restaurant. Apply at North End Restaurant, 725 Main street.

WANTED—For positions in new offices, young men and women, 16 to 17 years of age. Experience not necessary. Employment Bureau, 55 Union street.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

MEN AND WOMEN WANTED to learn the barber trade. We teach the trade in eight weeks. Constant practice. Proper instruction. Graduates earn from \$12 to \$18 per week. Write for full information. H. J. Greene Barber College, 734 Main street, cor. Mill St. St. John, N. B.

SALESMEN—50 per week selling one hand Egg Beaters. Sample and terms 25c. Money refunded if unsatisfactory. Collette Mfg. Co., Coltingwood, Ont.

WM. P. McNEIL & CO. Limited New Glasgow, Nova Scotia. Extensive improvements in 1911, giving us a large capacity, enable us to quote low prices and guarantee quick deliveries. We have the largest Structural Shop East of Montreal, and always carry several thousand tons of Structural Shapes and Plates in Stock.

Panier Dress of Black and White



Summer gowns will be of Panier of feet. Many June brides are having incorporated in their trousseaus Panier dresses which, in all probability, will be the rage at summer resorts.

MINISTER PRAISES ZAM-BUK Tells How It Cured His Wife's Bad Sore

Rev. Henry J. Munton, of Black Falls, Alta., writes: "My wife had a very bad sore foot, which it seemed impossible to get anything to heal. The sore would heal to a certain point and then fester again, and so on. I procured a box of Zam-Buk, and after persevering with this herbal balm for some time the sore was completely healed."

OBITUARY James Burridge. I. O. Beattye, undertaker, of Charlton, received a telegram yesterday morning from Victoria, B. C., announcing the death of James Burridge, who was formerly a well known resident of Charlton.

NEWEST SPRING CLOTHS Many Attractive Patterns for Spring and Summer Wear. J. S. MacLENNAN, 73 Union St. W. E.

Kitchen CLEAN Old Dutch Cleanser. NO CAUSTIC OR ACIDS IN IT. The annual meeting of the Saint John Protestant Orphan Home will be held at the Board of Trade Rooms, on Monday, May thirteenth, 1912, at noon.

NO ALUM MAGIC BAKING POWDER. THE WHITE'S LIGHTEST MAGIC BAKING POWDER. MADE IN CANADA. PROFESSIONAL.

INCHES & HAZEN C. F. INCHES. D. KING HAZEN. Barristers, etc. 108 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET. Phone Main 380.

DR. WM. BAXTER McVEY HAS MOVED TO 74 Coburg Street, Opp. Garden Street. Office hours, 9 to 11 daily; evenings Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 7 to 9.

ENGRAVERS. F. C. WESLEY & CO., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 69 Water Street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 982.

HORSE CLIPPING ELECTRIC CLIPPING—Horses clipped and groomed while you wait at Sher Spruce, plus and cedar over one-third soft white pine on about 140 square miles government limits.

ENGINEERING ELECTRIC MOTOR and Generator repairs, including rewinding. We try to cover your plant running while making repairs. E. S. Stebbins & Co., Nelson street, St. John, N. B.

FOR SALE Saw Mill Property in Northern New Brunswick. Completely equipped, twelve machine single mill, electric light equipment, heated by Sturtevant blower system, lidwooder cog piling equipment, two stables, one-hundred acre in boom company, all the cedar timber on about five hundred (500) square miles government limits.

IN THE SUPREME COURT, KING'S BENCH DIVISION. IN THE MATTER of Nipistad Lumber Company Limited and its winding-up under the Winding-up Act and Amending Act.

NEW YORK Absolutely Divorced Canadian Money Taken at Par. Only Hotel in New York fronting on Fifth Avenue and Broadway. 200 to 210 Ave. B, New York City.

Medicated Wines In Stock—A Constant of Jerez-Quina Medicated Wines Indorsed by the Medical Faculty.

RICHARD SULLIVAN & CO Telephone Main 638, 44 & 46 Dock St.

WHOLESALE LIQUORS William L. Williams, Successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 Prince William Street, Established 1878. Write for family price list.

D. MONAHAN—Retail Dealer in—FINE BOOTS & SHOES, RUBBERS, GAITERS, ETC. REPAIR WORK NEATLY DONE.

S. Z. DICKSON, Produce Commission Merchant. Western Beef, Pork, Butter, Eggs, Cheese, Potatoes, Lamb, Poultry, Game in Season.

PARK HOTEL M. J. BARRY, Proprietor. 45-47 King Square, Saint John, N. B.

Prince William Hotel St. John's New Hotel Prince William Street St. John, N. B.

THE ROYAL SAINT JOHN, N. B. RAYMOND & DOHERTY, Proprietors.

Hotel Dufferin ST. JOHN, N. B. FOSTER, BOND & CO. JOHN H. BOND, Manager.

CLIFTON HOUSE H. E. GREEN, Proprietor. Corner Germain and Princess Streets, ST. JOHN, N. B.

Better Than Ever VICTORIA HOTEL 87 King Street, St. John, N. B. A. M. PHILLIPS, Manager.

HOTEL PERTH, PERTH, N. B. Under New Management.

Free Hack to and from trains. Special attention given to travelling public. A home away from home. Rates reasonable. Sample Rooms and Livery in Connection.

H. P. GIBERSON, Proprietor.

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Notice of Annual Meeting The annual meeting of the Saint John Protestant Orphan Home will be held at the Board of Trade Rooms, on Monday, May thirteenth, 1912, at noon.

Watches If you want a watch that can supply you with the best makes at reasonable prices, special attention given to fine watch repairing. ERNEST A. LAW.

AUCTION SALES

BY AUCTION POTS I am instructed to sell by Public Auction at Chubb's Corner, on Saturday Morning, May 11, at 12 o'clock noon.

BY AUCTION POTS 3 Roller Top Decks, 2 Kitchen Ranges, 3 Tailors Cutting Tables, 100 St. Charles, 25 R. St. Springs and Mattresses, Tables, Chairs, Lounges, 6 Fine Paints, Etc. Many other Household Effects.

BY AUCTION POTS Wednesday afternoon, May 8, at 2:30 o'clock, at St. John's, 36, Germain Street. No reserve, to clear up stock.

DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS AND CANALS

Intercolonial Railway. CHATHAM BRANCH. Passenger Station at Chatham, N. B. Passenger Station at Nelson, N. B.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "(1) Tenders for Chatham Station and (2) Tender for Nelson Station," (separately) will be received at this office until 10 o'clock on Thursday the 16th May, 1912 for the construction (1) of a brick and stone passenger station at Chatham, N. B., and (2) of a Standard (wooden) Passenger Station and dwelling at Nelson, N. B.

Parties tendering will be required to accept the fair wages schedule prepared or to be prepared by the Department of Labour, which schedule will form part of the contract. Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered, unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms, unless there are attached the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm.

BY ORDER, J. K. JONES, Secretary, Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, 30th April, 1912.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

Any person who is the sole head of a family or any man over 18 years of age may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in the Dominion of Canada, or in Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Land Agency of Sub-agency for the district, or by proxy, to make an application for the land, and to accept the conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

TENDERS

For Court House and Municipal Buildings, Newcastle, N. B. Sealed tenders marked on outside, "Tender for Building" will be received by the chairman of committee up to 8 o'clock on Monday, May 20th, 1912 for the construction of a stone Court House with municipal offices, to be built in Newcastle, N. B., for the County of Northumberland.

Plans and specifications may be seen after May 7th, at the office of the county secretary, P. Whiston, Esq., Newcastle, or at the office of the architect.

G. PERCIVAL BURCHILL, Chairman of Committee. South Nelson, N. B.

LESIE JE FAIRN, Architect, Aylesford, N. B.

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IMPERIAL RECIPROCITY.

"There is an easy method by which the Conservative of Canada can prove the sincerity of their feason of devotion to the Empire. Let the Government increase the preference to British goods brought into Canada through Canadian ports. That would be a substantial evidence that they desired to bring Canada and the Mother Country closer together, and to build up Canadian ports by giving them business which is now done through ports in the United States. This method, it is true, would be less spectacular than flag-flapping, and perhaps less congenial than hurling anathemas at the perfidious Yankees; but it would at least indicate that the Conservatives wish to offer something more than lip service to the Empire. It is most unfortunate that Mr. Taft should have published the correspondence with Mr. Roosevelt touching the question of Reciprocity. No sane person imagines, etc., etc.—St. John Times.

Making due allowance for the effects of the blow which Liberal organs supporting Reciprocity have recently sustained, the foregoing is a very ingenious attempt to draw a red herring across the path and in the "most unfortunate" circumstances to concentrate attention on the Borden Government. Any suggestion is welcome these days that will distract the public mind from the gold brick which Mr. Fielding and Mr. Paterson brought back with which Mr. Fielding and Mr. Paterson brought back with which the Government, with all the weight of power and patronage behind them, sought in vain to palm off as pure and unadulterated Reciprocity in natural products on the Canadian people. We are invited to forget the "most unfortunate" correspondence between Mr. Taft and Mr. Roosevelt, to obliterate from our minds all thoughts of the scheme that was to make Canada "an adjunct" of the United States, that would transfer all their important business to Chicago and New York, with their bank credits and "everything else," and to consider "an easy method by which the Conservatives of Canada can prove the sincerity of their devotion to the Empire."

Let the Government increase the preference to British goods brought into Canada through Canadian ports. In all questions relating to a change in tariffs the principle of fair play for both parties concerned enters largely into the considerations. In the Reciprocity Agreement it was patent to the Canadian people that Canada was not getting a square deal and they voted the proposal by an overwhelming majority. Foolish and unjust criticisms of the Borden Government for not immediately assuming office offering Great Britain an increase in a one-sided preference will carry no weight under such circumstances. It may further be pointed out that the proposal to increase the preference to British goods brought into Canada through Canadian ports involves international considerations and could not be lightly or hurriedly put in operation by any Government. A brief reference to the existing situation as it presents itself to the Overseas Dominions may not be out of place. The Asquith Government and their Free Trade supporters in Great Britain have received every proposal for a mutual trade preference within the Empire in an spirit of uncompromising hostility. They will take all that the self-governing colonies will give in the way of concessions but offer nothing in return. The records of the Imperial Conference of 1902 illustrate this point. At the Imperial Conference of 1902 the following resolution was unanimously passed by the Prime Ministers of all the self-governing Dominions: "That the Prime Ministers of the Colonies respectfully urge on His Majesty's Government the expediency of granting in the United Kingdom preferential treatment to the products and manufactures of the Colonies, either by exemption from or reduction of duties now or hereafter imposed."

At the Imperial Conference of 1907 the foregoing resolution of the Conference of 1902 was reaffirmed by all the Dominion Prime Ministers taking part, the British Government alone dissenting. The representatives of the Dominions also passed a resolution at this Conference asking Great Britain to give some preference, however small in the existing list of duties; that is they asked that the British Government should reduce the present duties on tea, sugar and other articles of food which the Colonies sent to the Old Country, while continuing to charge the same duty as before on the tea, sugar, etc. sent to Great Britain by foreign countries. The British Government refused to consider this suggestion. At the Imperial Conference of 1911 a resolution was adopted recommending the appointment of an Imperial Commission to investigate and report upon the natural resources of each part of the Empire, the development attained and attainable, and the facilities for production, manufacture and distribution, the trade of each part with the others and with the outside world, the food and raw material requirements of each and the sources thereof available; to what extent, if any, the trade between each of the different parts has been affected by existing legislation in each, either beneficially or otherwise. In the terms of reference to this Royal Commission, which were announced by Mr. Lewis Harcourt, the Colonial Secretary in the House of Commons last month, the Government order excludes the fiscal question from forming any part in the enquiry. A writer in the Aberdeen Daily Journal well expresses the situation. "It is pretty much a question," he says, "of playing Hamlet and leaving out the part of the Prince of Denmark."

Enough has been quoted to show that neither Canada nor any other of the Overseas Dominions can expect any preferential concessions from the Free Trade Government which at present controls the destinies of the Mother Country. It will be of interest in this connection to briefly set out the preferences already given by the self-governing Colonies to Great Britain and which are now in operation: Canada has given a preference equivalent to 23 1/2 per cent. South Africa (Cape Colony and Natal) has given a preference of about 25 per cent. New Zealand has given a preference of about 10 per cent. Australia has given a preference of about 12 per cent. Reciprocal preferences have also been established, or are in process of establishment, between Canada and Australia; Canada and New Zealand; Canada and South Africa; Canada and the West Indies; Australia and New Zealand; Australia and South Africa; New Zealand and South Africa.

Before attempting to criticize the Borden Gov-

ernment for not increasing the preference, it would be well for organs of the Opposition to recall the statement of Mr. Fielding in his budget speech in 1904. He said: "The two great political parties in Canada are practically a unit in favor of Preferential Trade. As, however, the question has become one of party controversy in England, the Canadian Government naturally does not feel free to take any part in it." It is noteworthy that Mr. Fielding saw no reason during his long term as Finance Minister to change his views or increase the preference extended to Great Britain. The feverish anxiety which is now being shown to divert attention from the Reciprocity fiasco will be well understood. The Government at Ottawa today can safely be trusted to lose no opportunity when occasion arises to further the policy of mutual trade preference within the Empire which Mr. Borden has consistently advocated.

In the meantime Canada and the sister Dominions have given convincing evidence of the faith which is in them. They have not merely offered but have given Great Britain preferences to which so far there has been no response. In addition to these gifts of preference Canada and the other Dominions have also made an offer to go on and extend the preference already given, but in all fairness, they have added the proviso that Great Britain must see her way to give in return some commercial advantage over foreign nations in the markets of the Mother Country. Mr. Foster, speaking as Minister of Trade and Commerce, at Toronto, on April 10 last, clearly defined the attitude of the Government. "The fiscal Reciprocity between Canada and the West Indies," he said, "will be followed by closer trade relations with Australia and all the other British Dominions, in the firm conviction that ultimately the Mother Country will find it in her interest to enter an Imperial trade system and reciprocate the preference she now receives from overseas."

LABRADOR.

It is interesting to know that Labrador is far from being a great waste land. It is one of the greatest wonders in the world in point of scenery, with great lakes and mighty cataracts and huge shadowy forests. In addition to this it possesses extensive forests suitable for pulp wood and very valuable deposits of mineral. The coast of the country is the worst part of it climatically, and this is because it is swept by the Arctic current, inland the climate is not unfavorable to human habitation.

Commenting on the possibilities of the far North the Victoria Collierist recalls that Dr. Grenfell told a Montreal audience a few days ago that Labrador will grow everything except wheat. At least he said that was his opinion, but he added that we will know more certainly after the experimental stations to be established have been in operation for a little while. Labrador will become a great game country. Reindeer flourish there and their flesh will prove a valuable article of export. Fur-bearing animals are already numerous, and others are being introduced. Dr. Grenfell anticipates that the raising of fur-bearing animals will become a very important industry.

The geological aspect of the country warrants the belief that it may be found to be very highly mineralized. The formation that has made the Porcupine district so famous may be expected to extend into Labrador, and if that is the case, the discovery of minerals may be looked for with confidence. The stores of this peninsula are large and capable of furnishing a great deal of power, a fact of immense importance in connection with development on a large scale.

There is nothing in this news about this little considered part of the country, for every one will remember how other unexplored parts of Canada used to be regarded. It is quite within the range of possibility that great wealth will be developed on both sides of Hudson Bay. Canada is a country whose resources are far from being understood. Every year demonstrates how much greater they are than has been suspected. It seems as if Labrador is going to furnish the next field of interest.

"AN AMAZING INDISCRETION."

(Eastern Argus, Portland, Me.)

The amazing indiscretion of the President in making public the paragraph in his letter to Mr. Roosevelt stating that Reciprocity would make Canada "only an adjunct of the United States," is having its effect in England as well as in Canada. The Unionist opposition is quick to take advantage of the opportunity to plague the Government, while the country at large is stirred up. Ambassador Bryce is vigorously assailed as guilty of a "treasonable act" in supporting the President's Reciprocity proposals, and a demand is made for his recall.

Meanwhile the London papers are further enfolding public opinion by referring to President Taft's letter as "a most unfriendly act." The effect of all this upon British and Canadian sentiment toward the United States must be unfortunate, and will give added force to the policy for Imperial Preference against American trade. And the responsibility will rest with President Taft. Compared with his deliberate and blinding indiscretion the joking annexation remark of Speaker Clark was a mere peccadillo.

Current Comment

(Montreal Star.)

At a certain time in every boy's life he has to find an outlet for his surplus energy. If he lives where the woods and the streams are close at hand, the adjustment of the demand and its fulfillment is so easy and natural as to escape special attention. If he lives in the city and has to seek the parks and playing fields to find it, the problem is a little more difficult but still easy of solution. When, however, he hunts for a healthful and legitimate way to "blow off steam" by kicking a football, or swinging a bat, or rushing up and down a lacrosse field, and fails to find it, then the city begins to pay the penalty of its selfish, careless, shortsighted policy by reaping acts of ruffianism from dark street corners and finding its jails filling with a collection of young hoodlums.

(Chicago Tribune.)

"Who invented kisses anyway?" inquires a contemporary. The first kiss recorded in history so far as we know, was the one Jacob gave his father when he was cheating his brother Esau out of the latter's birthright. Yet we hesitate to give the credit for the invention entirely to Jacob. If Adam did not kiss Eve he shamefully neglected his opportunities.

(Leslie's Weekly.)

The average man has "ingredients" to make fat for seven bars of soap, iron for a medium-sized nail, sugar to fill a small bowl, salt to fill a shaker, lime to whiten a chicken coop, phosphorus to make 2,500 match tips, magnesium for a dose of magnesia, sodium to neutralize a pint and a half of water, potassium to explode a toy cannon, sulphur to rid a dog of fleas, and albumenoids to make a case of eggs.

(Buffalo News.)

The suffragists of London, asked to express their admiration of the men on the Titanic who sacrificed their lives for women, treated the matter with contemptuous indifference. It seems harsh and unwomanly, but because of its consistency shines with a brighter lustre.

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POSTPONE MEETING OF COMMISSION AS TOKEN OF RESPECT

Ottawa, May 7.—The railway commission sitting was postponed today until June 4, out of respect for the late Chief Commissioner Mabee. The members of the board and heads of departments leave tonight to attend the funeral at Port Rowan.

DARING BURGLAR ROBS HIS MASTER

Tracey, May 6.—Joseph Moore's house was robbed by his hired man while he and his wife were away to Fredericton Junction shopping, Friday afternoon. He left his hired man to cut bushes and after Mr. Moore left, the man came to the house and taking a dress suit case, filled it with clothing and other small articles, and cleaned the cupboard of victuals. Mr. Moore telephoned to different places along the railway. The hired man was of Dutch descent, about 20 years of age, dark complexion, moustache shaved off. Mr. Moore went to Kooth tonight on the Boston train to head off the robber in case he went west through the woods. This may be the same robber who robbed Ernest A. Tracey's store last week and took many postage stamps, a gold watch, chain, some copper cents, cigars, tobacco, etc., then ate a man of salmon and smoked a cigar; also broke in Gaspareux station the night before.

Most Anything

She Gets Something For It. Yet this average man, turning his money over to his average wife, is turning it over to a person as void of special knowledge of food science as she is of bridge construction or engine designing.—Collier's Weekly.

Far Be It From Ut to Imply. "We hope the report that the Mona Lisa is in this country is not true. This is no place for a young girl with such a smile and without a chaperon." says the Boston Globe. Don't mean the girl may not be as good as she has been painted?—Chattanooga Times

While You Have the Show. When cleaning upholstered furniture it is often either impossible or inconvenient to move it outdoors. In such a case place a damp cloth over the piece of furniture and then beat it.—Suburban Life.

How Will the Postman Like It? Take it altogether, it will not be an unpleasant experience to find the postman at the door with the morning delivery of lettuce and young onions on a five hour from the truck garden.—Christian Science Monitor.



THERE APPEARED TO BE SOMETHING OF GREAT WEIGHT ON BERT'S MIND WHEN HE REACHED HOME. HE SPOKE TO NO ONE AND SEEMED VERY NERVOUS. WHEN ASKED THE TROUBLE, HE ONLY ANSWERED: 'IF THE WOODCHOPPER WAS TIRED, WOULD THE FOREST?'

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9000 LIVES LOST

A LITTLE less than two weeks ago humanity was stunned and horrified at the news that 1,600 human beings had lost their lives in a gigantic shipwreck. At that time the North American pointed out that the men, women and children who went down in the Titanic were sacrificed to a vicious principle which numbers its victims by the hundreds of thousands yearly. The world was horrified by the Titanic disaster because so many persons lost their lives at one time and in one place. It added only a small percentage to the yearly total of preventable deaths.

Before the Titanic wreck occurred The Equitable Life Assurance Society, one of the largest financial corporations in the world, had put out a circular addressed to the people of this city. In this circular the Equitable company asks: "If it were known that 9,000 lives were to be destroyed, say, on the 20th-day of next month, what would happen?" The 9,000 lives to which The Equitable Life Assurance Society refers are the lives of the 9,000 persons who every year in this city are destroyed by preventable disease.

The statistics are those of the director of health and charities. So this city, which was so immeasurably shocked by the 1,600 deaths in the Titanic, sees more than five times that number of her own citizens killed every year by disease which it is just as much the duty of the community to stamp out as was the duty of the White Star Line to provide proper safeguards for the lives on its marvelous ship.

The White Star Line assumed that its ship was unsinkable; that every precaution against loss of life had been taken. Thus, this community in common with nearly all other communities, assumes that every measure against preventable disease has been taken.

But we have really only had a beginning. The death rate has been reduced 29 per cent. in twenty-five years. There are living today 8,000 persons who would have died within the last twelve months if the death rate of 1885 had prevailed.

But with 9,000 persons dying of preventable disease, we have provided lifeboats for less than half the ship's company. And these figures do not take into consideration the many deaths from preventable accidents in industrial pursuits.

The Equitable points out that 3,000 persons die in this city yearly of tuberculosis of the lungs, "because we permit careless or ignorant victims of the disease to spread the poisonous bacilli throughout the city. The importance of pure food in the battle for public health is emphasized by the life insurance company's appeal. It says:

The other day ten tons of spoiled eggs were seized by the government inspectors in a neighboring city. The mess was so full of bacteria that it killed rabbits and guinea pigs when injected into their veins, and yet the owners fought to sell it to small bakeries and restaurants. In another city several dealers were recently punished for selling putrid pork and chickens among the cheap restaurants and the poorer class of people.

Do you realize the danger to the public health from this one source alone? And do you know that the great city of Philadelphia has but seven inspectors to watch over 8,000 meat shops?

Do you know that only twenty-five of your 175 slaughter houses are under government inspection? Do you know that your health officer has been begging for more milk inspectors and still has but fourteen to inspect the milk of over 453 dealers and dairy farms?

The one pure food agent which the State maintains in your city states that he is engaged in a constant struggle against those who are trying to sell you infected and injurious food. Is it not worth while to give those lifesavers of yours sufficient help and support to enable them to protect you efficiently against such dangers?

The business of the Equitable Life Assurance Society is to insure lives. High death rate means loss of revenue and reduction of profits. So with enlightened selfishness, the Equitable is endeavoring to stimulate interest in the problems of health and sanitation. The Equitable wants people to avoid illness and to enjoy length of days. With the Equitable it isn't merely a humane interest. It is strictly business. To the Equitable saving lives means saving money.

And yet this is not any more true of a life insurance society than it is of the community. Every life has a money value to society. A definite economic loss is suffered every time an individual who might have been saved dies. A State is rich according to the number of its citizens wealthy and able to make a living.

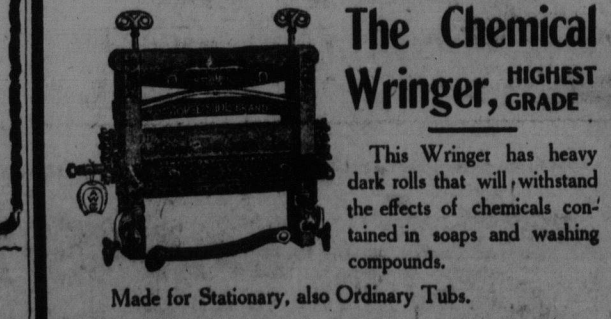
And aside from the productive power of the individual which the community loses when the individual dies, there are the direct expenses accruing from illness, funerals and other charges. The enlightened selfishness of powerful financial interests like the Equitable is a hopeful sign. It presages the spread of such enlightened selfishness among other great corporations, with their prodigious influence in public affairs. It promises that the community itself will some day be inspired by the same kind of selfishness.

At that time the 9,000 lives wasted by preventable disease will be saved. But that will be only the beginning. Victims of diseases now now classed as preventable will be redeemed. Industrial slaughter will be stopped. Social infirmities that dwarf children in body, make for feeble-mindedness and create criminals and paupers, will be wiped out.

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LATEST NEWS OF BUSY ST. JOHN

NEW RULES TAKE OFFICE

Mayor and New Commissioners Formally Inducted Yesterday - Council Organized According to Forecast.

The newly elected mayor and commissioners took office yesterday, the ceremony of formally inducting them into office taking place in City Hall yesterday morning.

Mayor and the new commissioners were formally inducted into office yesterday morning in City Hall. Mayor Prink took the chair and called the council to order.

Mr. Agar moved a resolution to that purpose, but H. R. McLellan suggested there was no reason for delay. He had expressed his personal preference for one office.

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Pruning The Appendix

What thousands of people are rushed to the hospitals these days with the idea that pruning the appendix will rid them of the cause and effect of wrong habits of eating and living.

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Is there any good reason why the people of New Brunswick should have to import beef to the extent that they do at the present time?

Why should we, with our wealth of hay and pasture lands and a soil and climate suitable for growing large crops of roots and other fodder crops not raise enough cattle to utilize these resources?

Today we are allowing these resources to remain largely dormant and at the same time we send hundreds of thousands of dollars away for meats that are produced under conditions no more favorable than our own.

One reason for the existing state of affairs in this connection is the inability of the farmer to raise the beef-cattle of this province. Years ago we kept in our marsh districts and along the St. John river, large strong cattle, cows that would give fairly good results at the fall and at the same time throw calves that would make beef animals.

For the last 20 years we have been changing our stock, led on by the cry that we must specialize either in beef or dairy cattle, and that we must not hope to make a profit from cattle that would perform both functions.

Bulls of special dairy breeds have been used throughout the country until it is impossible in some sections to find steers that will make a decent carcass. Bulls of special beef breeding have been used in other places until the cows from them are scarcely more productive of milk than the steers they produce.

For the specialist in dairy, this theory is perhaps all right, but for the man who is so situated that it is profitable for him to raise some beef, it is all wrong, and this has been among the chief reasons that he has gone out of beef raising.

What then is the remedy? In the opinion of many men who are giving the matter their attention, it is the breeding and keeping of cows that will give a good food of milk and throw thrifty, growly calves that will make beef carcasses.

Is it possible to get such a cow? To this question the answer is emphatically, yes. As a matter of fact there are today thousands of such cows in existence in Great Britain, and it is generally understood that fully seven-eighths of the immense milk supply of England is obtained from just such cows.

In former years the milk supply of Ontario and the Maritime provinces was obtained from cows of this type, but latterly the theory of specialization had driven this cow out until she is hard to find in Canada.

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY MEETING

Many Valuable Donations Received Last Evening - A. Gordon Leavitt Reads Interesting Paper-New Members

The regular monthly meeting of the Natural History Society of New Brunswick was held last evening with the President, Hon. J. V. Ellis, in the chair. During the meeting many valuable donations were made and committees were appointed in connection with the summer work.

The following new members were elected: Associate members—Misses Mary E. Knowlton (New York), and Miss Bertha A. Brittain. Junior members—Miss Frances Wetmore and Horace Wetmore.

The donations which were both historic and valuable were as follows: Miss Barlow—Model of Indian in costume, Popular Encyclopedia, 14 volumes, Illustrated Works on Scotland, Switzerland, and the Waldenses, Book of Nature, 1855, "The Sun" newspaper, London, June 28, 1858, printed in gold, describing Queen Victoria's coronation, Collection of British sea-weeds, water color paintings of New Brunswick wild flowers.

Edward Pickett, Belleisle—Box man case ore. Chas. M. Coakley, Douglas Harbor—Old millstone. Mrs. Watson Allan—Illustrated London News, July 25, 1855.

The two latter cows made an average yield for eight years of over 840 lbs. each. The Glenside herd has made 123 yearly records of over 800 lbs. each from their cows and heifers.

At the experimental farm at Ottawa, the herd averages per cow for 1910 were: Ayrshires 8,891 lbs. Short-horns 6,888 lbs. Canadians 6,611 lbs. Guernseys 5,945 lbs. Grades 6,669 lbs.

From the above data, the milk producing possibilities of the Dairy Short-horn are shown to compare favorably with any of the dairy breeds and when we know that these cows will throw growly, thrifty steers that make good beef carcasses, surely it may reasonably be concluded that such a cow exists and under proper care may be expected to give good results in this province.

FARMER HOPE. Mr. McLellan said the question raised by Mr. Schofield also applied to the appointment of chief of the police department and the other elective heads of the civic department, and he thought it well that there should be a clear understanding of the powers of the commissioners and of these department heads.

The common clerk said it was desirable to have some copies of the new charter, and on motion of Mr. McLellan, he was authorized to have 500 copies printed. The mayor said the chamberlain had been offered money in payment for taxes, and there was no order for the usual 5 per cent. discount.

THE NEWS IN SHORT METER

LOCAL

Police Court. Chester Graham, charged with attempting to escape from the chain gang was before the police court yesterday morning and after Guards Beckett and Jones gave evidence was remanded to jail. Drunks were dealt with in the usual manner.

Property Purchases. The Armstrong Land and Development Company have secured the Knox property on the old Westmoreland Road. The property comprises thirty-five acres and will be divided into building lots. It is reported that a syndicate of local men friendly to the Hydro-Electric company have secured property on both sides of the road between the city and Millidgeville and that they have secured control of most of it. Electric power for heat and light will be supplied to the people of Millidgeville by the Hydro-Electric company.

Provincial. Maritime Nurses Graduate. Montreal, May 7.—Many Maritime Province nurses graduated yesterday at the Royal Victoria Hospital training school, and the graduation functions were additionally interesting through the presence of the Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia. The eastern graduates are: Miss H. Anna Lea, Moncton, N. B.; Miss Edna Alexander, Campbellton, N. B.; Miss Jessie Stoddart, Chatham, N. B.; Miss Margaret Martin, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; Miss Helen Marshall, Sackville, N. B.

General. Goldwin Smith Left Large Estate. Toronto, May 7.—Distribution of Goldwin Smith's estate has been completed. Cornell University is the largest beneficiary and will receive approximately \$675,000. The estate is valued at \$758,819.

Canadian Capitalist Dead. London, May 7.—Frederick William Thompson, of Montreal, vice-president of the Galtie Flour Mills, and a director of the Royal Bank of Canada, died this morning in the Ritz Hotel. He had been ill for some time with dysentery and heart affection.

Tired Women. Many a woman is suffering for female troubles, rheumatism and other pains and aches, when her feet are entirely to blame. Those weary, aching, swollen feet, get a pair of "Foot-Easors" and you will be instantly and cheerfully relieved. Sold by all druggists and shoe dealers and made by The School Mfg. Co., Ltd. 472 King Street, W., Toronto.

WEDDINGS

Patterson-Leeman. In St. Peter's church on Monday morning, Miss Sarah Jane Leeman of Flint Hill, Albion County, was united in marriage to John Francis Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson, of Main street. The young couple are both deaf. The ceremony which took place at eight o'clock, was conducted by Rev. A. J. Duke, C. S. R. The bride was costumed in a very pretty white gown with hat to match. She was attended by Miss Alice Kelly. William McDonald acted as best man. The happy couple, who were the recipients of many beautiful presents, will reside on Murray street.

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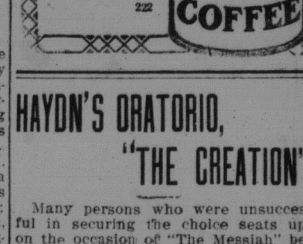
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New Process Coffee

Easy To Make Don't bother again with any coffee that must be "settled." The new process by which RED ROSE COFFEE is prepared crushes the fragrant, fresh-roasted bean into even, little grains.removes all dust and the yellow chaff that makes other coffees bitter.so that in a few minutes the boiling water extracts this coffee's full, rich flavor.and it pours out bright, clear—without being "settled"—nice to see and fine to drink.

Get a tin of Red Rose and do as the simple directions say. You will be captivated by



HAYDN'S ORATORIO, "THE CREATION" Many persons who were unsuccessful in securing the choice seats upon the occasion of "The Messiah" being given in the Opera House last January, should be on hand at prompt 10 o'clock Friday morning when reserved seats will go on sale for "The Creation," by the St. John Choral Society. The chorus numbers two hundred voices and will be assisted by Mrs. Marie Sundellus, soprano, and Mr. Gershon S. Mays, basso, who will be the principal soloists. A special orchestra will also help to make the event a memorable one to St. John music lovers. Monday evening will be given entirely to Haydn's oratorio, "The Creation," while on Tuesday evening a miscellaneous programme will be rendered.

Michael Bradley. Michael Bradley, a well known old resident of Riverside, died there on Monday at the age of 78 years. He had been ill for some time. Mr. Bradley is survived by a wife and one son, John Bradley at home. He was held in high esteem and his death will be most sincerely regretted.

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DAISY FLOUR

DAISY FLOUR makes good bread DAISY FLOUR makes good cake DAISY FLOUR makes good pastry, etc.

REAL ESTATE THE BEST INVESTMENT IN CANADA

RAILWAYS. CANADIAN PACIFIC. HOMESEKERS EXCURSIONS. May 1, 15 & 29. June 12 and 26. July 10 and 24. Aug. 7 and 21. Sept. 4 and 18.

STEAMSHIPS. THE ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE. WINTER SERVICE. From Halifax to Bristol. From Bristol to Halifax.

SHIPPING NEWS. DAILY ALMANAC. Wednesday, May 8. Sun rises... 5:08 a.m. Sun sets... 7:23 p.m.

THE BEARS MAKE ATTACK ON STEEL. New York, N. Y., May 7.—Interest in the stock market continued to grow largely around United States Steel today.

The Winnipeg Paint and Glass Co., Ltd. 7% CUMULATIVE PARTICIPATING PREFERRED STOCK. CAPITALIZATION Authorized Issued. \$500,000 \$451,000.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. AFTER OCTOBER 29TH. Maritime Express Will Leave St. John 18.30.

WHITE STAR DOMINION LARGEST STEAMERS IN CANADA. MONTREAL-QUEBEC LIVERPOOL. SAILINGS EVERY SATURDAY by the "LAURENTIC" & "MEGANTIC".

Shipping News continued. St. Pierre, May 7.—The crew of the French fishing schooner Marie L. was brought in here today by the Burin.

Shipping News continued. Atlantic City, May 7.—Schr Charles W. Alcott, from Baltimore, with coal, is ashore off Little Egg Harbor.

DEWAR'S SCOTCH LIQUEURS FOR GENTLEMEN WHO APPRECIATE QUALITY. J.M. DOUGLAS & CO. AGENTS MONTREAL.

INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY. Uniting CAMPBELLTON, at head of navigation on Baie Chaleurs with the ST. JOHN RIVER VALLEY.

ALL THE WAY BY WATER. EASTERN S.S. CORPORATION INTERNATIONAL LINE. St. John to Boston \$6.00. St. John to Portland \$5.50.

Shipping News continued. Canadian Ports. Montreal, May 8.—Arrd Megantic, Liverpool; Manchester, Fraser, Aberdeen; Rosperian, Glasgow; Athina, Glasgow.

Shipping News continued. VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN. Alleghany, London, May 1. Montauk, at Halifax, May 5.

Parsons Pills. The Limit that is 101 Years Old. JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY. S. S. Yarmouth leaves Reed's Point Wharf daily at 7:45 a.m., connecting at Digby with trains East and West.

PICKFORD & BLACK LINE. ST. JOHN, N. B. to DEMERARA. S. S. "Cornary" sails May 8th for Bermuda, St. Kitts, Antigua, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara.

Shipping News continued. Dangers to Navigation. Str Oscar II (Dan) reports April 27 at 41 04 lon, 46 23 saw an iceberg about 80 feet high and 275 feet long.

Shipping News continued. QUEBEC PLANNING MORE FACILITIES TO HANDLE GRAIN. Quebec, May 7.—The Quebec Harbor Committee has decided on building a concrete and steel structure.

Who Does Your Printing? Are you satisfied with it? Can it be improved? Do you desire improvement? If So, Give Us a Chance to Make Good.

STEAMSHIPS. ALLAN LINE. From Montreal and Quebec to Liverpool. Virginian... May 10, June 7, July 5. Corsican... May 17, June 14, July 12.

DONALDSON LINE. MODERATE RATE PASSENGER SERVICE. Montreal to Glasgow. S.S. "Athens"—May 11, June 8, July 6.

Shipping News continued. FARMING STARTED EARLIER IN ALBERTA. Albert, May 6.—I. C. Prescott's drive is well in hand. Four million feet have reached the mill pond.

BONDS IN DEMAND. New York, May 7.—Three hundred and sixty bids were received today at the office of Comptroller Prendergast in connection with the sale of \$65,000,000 issue of New York City corporate stock bearing a 4 1/2 per cent. interest.

Standard Job Printing Co. 82 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

Crystal Stream S.S. Co's Sailings. FREDERICKTON ROUTE. Str. Alcotick will leave St. John, N.B., Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:30 a.m.

FURNESS LINE. From London. May 1 Alleghany. May 15 Shetland. May 22 Kanawha. June 1 Alleghany. June 15 Shetland. June 22 Kanawha.

For Sale. The Schooner CALABRIA, of 451 Tons Register, and Schooner ORIOLE of 124 Tons Register. Equipped for all purposes.

Shipping News continued. Suffered With Nerve Trouble For Two Years. IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE FOR HIM TO SLEEP.

SUSTAIN CLAIM OF THE CHURCH TO THE EDDY ESTATE. Concord, N. H., May 7.—The residuary clause of the will of Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, founder of the Christian Science church.

WASHADEMOAK ROUTE. Str. D. J. Purdy will further notice will leave St. John every Thursday and Saturday, at 10 o'clock, returning Monday and Friday.

Shipping News continued. THE MARITIME STEAMSHIP CO., LTD. Departing Jan. 25, and until further notice the S. S. Connors Bros. will run as follows.

FIRE ESCAPES For Hotels and Factories. Write for prices WM. LEWIS & SON, Britain St.

Shipping News continued. Scaffolds Falls, Workman Killed. Montreal, May 7.—Falling from a height of 20 feet to the iron girders of an unfinished floor below, Christian Matteau, a bricklayer was killed this morning.

HOLBROOK'S WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE. It takes over two years of preparation and aging to give Holbrook's Worcestershire Sauce its full, rich, mellow flavor.

LACROSSE
PLAYER GETS
BIG MONEY

Montreal, May 7.—Few professional athletes are paid larger salaries for their services in proportion to the time spent in the games, than are several of the players in the three big lacrosse leagues in Canada.

Con Jones, the well known promoter of the national game on the Pacific coast, was authority for the statement today that for four years ago he induced "Newey" Lalonde, one of the greatest Montreal men in the game, to go to British Columbia to play the season with the Victoria team for \$400. Since then, Lalonde's little improvement in his playing, but drawing every year a constantly larger salary, until last year he was paid \$2,000 by the western magazine for a series of 20 games. This season the same player has been persuaded to come east again to play for the Toronto club, his salary for the 18 scheduled games being \$500.

This rocket like rise in salaries, which is clearly outlined in the case of Lalonde, has been the pleasant experience of nearly all the professional players of merit in the country to a lesser degree.

It is readily explained by the rule of demand and supply. The lacrosse which is now being played has, of course, increased the demand while the supply of good men is not increasing in proportion.

Commissioners to regulate salaries have been suggested, but the salary limit proposed by the two leagues has not commended itself to the professional players who spend with a more open hand.

FEATURES
OFFERED ARE
GOOD ONES

Port Erie, May 7.—The following stakes are to be decided at the Niagara Racing Association's two meet ings, June 29 and July 2 and July 27 to August 3. The list of stakes is an attractive one. Eight features are offered, four for the first meeting and four for the second. They are:

The Canadian Derby, valued \$5,000, for three-year-olds, one mile and a quarter.

The Niagara Stakes, value \$1,500, for two-year-olds, five furlongs.

The Fourth of July Stakes (handicap), value \$1,500, for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and seventy yards.

The Fort Erie Stakes (selling), value \$1,500, for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs.

The Dominion Handicap, value \$5,000, for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a half.

The Iroquois Hotel Stakes (handicap), value \$1,500, for two-year-olds and upward; five furlongs.

The Grand Canadian Steeplechase (handicap), value \$1,200, for four-year-olds and upward; full course.

The Canadian Handicap Handicap, value \$1,500, for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth.

In addition to the stakes there will be liberal purses and overnight events.

Many improvements are being made at the Port Erie track. The old paddock, the most spacious on the Canadian circuit is being converted into a betting stand where the layers will be made comfortable, a new paddock is being erected just west of the present one, a new barn is in course of erection and a bridge connecting the grandstand and paddock is being built.

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ROSY FORECAST FOR 1912
BASEBALL BY HIGHEST MOGUL
OF THE GREAT NATIONAL GAME

By August (Garry) Herrman, chairman of the National Baseball Commission.



GARRY HERRMAN.

The new agreement of the major and minor leagues has brought about a more harmonious understanding that cannot help improve the game. This agreement has improved the position of the player, the manager, the game and this means in-

NO OXYGEN
IN OLYMPIC
COMPETITIONS

New York, N. Y., May 7.—Athletes expecting to gain Olympic honors in the marathon race at Stockholm, Sweden, through the artificial use of oxygen to help them drag their weary way to the finish, have run up an edict issued to the effect that competitors in the event will not be allowed to use a stimulant of this nature. Strict interpretation of the rules puts oxygen gas in the class of drugs against the use of which there is a mandate of the committee.

DIAMOND DUST.

Philadelphia, May 7.—Manager Mack of the Philadelphia American league baseball team released pitcher Danforth to the Baltimore team of the International league today.

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"Being a professional singer, you can readily understand that Catarrh would be a serious hindrance to my professional skill.

"One year ago I read in the 'Progress' a convincing testimonial from one who had been cured of this disease through using your God-sent invention, Catarrh.

"Believing in the merit of Catarrh, I tried it.

"Catarrh cured me and has been the means of my success.

"You are at liberty to use my name if it will help relieve some from suffering, and I will always remain,

"Bob Hixley, New Glasgow, N. S."

BASBALL
IN THE BIG
LEAGUES

At Boston.—Boston 6, Detroit 3.

At Washington.—Washington 2, Philadelphia 1.

At St. Louis.—St. Louis 4, New York 1.

At Chicago.—Chicago 9, Philadelphia 4.

At Cincinnati.—Cincinnati 8, Philadelphia 1.

At Pittsburgh.—Pittsburgh 7, Philadelphia 1.

At Buffalo, N. Y.—Buffalo 10, Toronto 7.

At Montreal.—Montreal 3, Toronto 2.

At Rochester, N. Y.—Rochester 6, Buffalo 5.

At Syracuse, N. Y.—Syracuse 6, Buffalo 5.

At Binghamton, N. Y.—Binghamton 6, Buffalo 5.

At Elmira, N. Y.—Elmira 6, Buffalo 5.

At Utica, N. Y.—Utica 6, Buffalo 5.

At Oswego, N. Y.—Oswego 6, Buffalo 5.

At Cortlandt, N. Y.—Cortlandt 6, Buffalo 5.

At Oneonta, N. Y.—Oneonta 6, Buffalo 5.

At Malone, N. Y.—Malone 6, Buffalo 5.

At Plattsburgh, N. Y.—Plattsburgh 6, Buffalo 5.

At Saratoga Springs, N. Y.—Saratoga Springs 6, Buffalo 5.

At Troy, N. Y.—Troy 6, Buffalo 5.

A \$22,000 PRIZE

The Wm. Wrigley Jr. trophy for the power boat championship of the world represents over \$22,000. It is a perpetual trophy to be won each year by the club whose motor speed boat entry makes the best three out of five races in competition over the world, free for all boats under 40 feet in length.

The Wm. Wrigley Jr. trophy is a reproduction in silver of the famous "Flying Mercury" modeled by Giovanni da Bologna. The position of the figure is changed to show Mercury, the god of commerce, with a motor speed boat, also in sterling silver.

Neptuneus with his trident, dolphins and water surrounding are in the trophy. The pedestal, which is round in shape, is of green marble with a bronze shield carrying the name of the trophy. The figure of Mercury and the model speed boat contain 1,000 ounces of sterling silver.

In addition to the original gift of \$5,000 for this trophy, Mr. Wrigley will provide annually a trophy for the man whose boat wins the race. This annual trophy will be a replica of the big Wm. Wrigley Jr. trophy.

To provide this trophy annually will require an endowment fund of \$15,000, thus giving Mr. Wrigley's

trophy a value of about \$22,000. In addition to these prizes are a \$1,500 cash prize for the winner, and a \$500 cash prize for the second boat.

The first races will be held off Chicago during the "Water Carnival" and Naval Review, August 10th to 17th inclusive, 1912. It is expected that there will be boats from Europe, from the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts, from the Mississippi and Illinois Rivers and two or more local entries.

One of these is the new 24 cylinder hydroplane which James A. Fugh is having built by Wecker.

Water Carnival week will include the other races in the Fourth Annual Regatta of the International Yacht Association, the Royal Canadian Yacht Club of Toronto, and the Chicago Yacht Club, the Lipton Cup race Venetian night, parades, fireworks displays, naval battles, swimming and diving contests and exhibitions by United States sailors, Marine Corps, Revenue Cutter Service, Life Saving Service, North Chicago Naval Training Station and Illinois Naval Reserve.

In all the competitions there will be handsome trophies or liberal cash prizes. William Hale Thompson, Commodore, Associated Yacht and Power Boat Clubs, Chicago, will be glad to give further information.

PARSONS
DEFEATED
SUTTON

Halifax, May 7.—Parsons won from Sutton by the knockout route at the Arena tonight, in the 4th round of their scheduled 12 round bout.

It was a case of science over strength. Sutton had some six pounds on Parsons and a terrific right to the stomach and a terrific left to the jaw did the work. The men fought a clean bout and agreed to go to a decision. A fairly large crowd witnessed the fight. Sutton declined to fight with the regulation four ounce gloves and eight ounce ones were used.

IS SURELY CHAMPION.

When E. A. Wood, the British long distance crack can, outside Billy Quail in a 15 mile race and put up new world's figures for the distance, 1 hour 18 minutes 15 seconds, England seems to have come back into its own as the holder of the long distance running championship. Quail has beaten everything on this side of the water, including Al Shrubbs and Tom Longboat, and Wood surely is entitled to the championship.

MURPHY NO MATCH FOR THOMAS.

New Orleans, May 6.—Joe Thomas, a local lightweight, bested Jim Murphy, the Chicago newboy, in their 10 round bout at the Orleans A. C. tonight. It was a good scrap, but Thomas had his way after the opening round, Murphy being no match for him.

MOHA HAD IT EASY.

Albany, N. Y., May 6.—Bob Moha, the Milwaukee wildcat, did almost everything to Charlie Hite, Albany's favorite son, in their 10 round bout at the Knickerbocker A. C. tonight, but Moha could not knock the Albanian out. Hite, after more than a year's retirement, tried to come back. Moha, seemingly, took pity on him and allowed him to attack the distance.

WITH THE
BOWLING
LEAGUES

In the city bowling league fixture last evening on Black's alleys the Swoops took three points from the Nationals. The score was as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Swoops: 81, 69, 94, 244, 811-3. Nationals: 73, 84, 86, 243, 81.

In the city league this evening the insurance will bowl the Ramblers.

COLLEGIANS
DEFEATED
TRURO TEAM

Special to The Standard.

Winslow, May 7.—The King's College annual cricket match for the Coswell (Bats) was played this afternoon between a Truro team and King's College. The game resulted in favor of King's, the score being as follows: Truro, 77; King's, 104.

ROWING
COACH
IS DEAD

Boston, May 7.—John Graney, well known as a coach among the oarsmen of this country, died last night after a long illness. Graney developed many variety eights for Harvard, Yale and other colleges and for eight years was a coach for the Boston Athletic Association. He was a sweep oarman of ability. He was born in Ireland 42 years ago.

GOTCH SIGNS CONTRACT.

Boston, Mass., May 7.—Champion Frank Gotch is sure to be seen in action at Mechanics' building, May 23. Promoter Tuohy yesterday revealed Gotch's signed contract to wrestle any one on that date whom Tuohy selects. The winner of the Cyclone Burns-Americus bout next Monday night probably will be the one whom Tuohy will pick to meet the champion.

FREDERICTON
SIGNS UP
GOOD PLAYERS

Fredericton, May 7.—A telegram received from Manager P. J. Dugan, who is now at Neponset, Mass., securing players for the Fredericton Baseball team, says that he has signed up four more players for the local team today. The telegram reads as follows: "I have signed up the two Connolly's, and also Stanley Bates, and expect to hear definitely from J. Callahan today. He is now playing down south. Have signed up Frank Hoyt, a big first baseman, who played with Lynn, New England League, and Northampton, Connecticut League. He is a fine batter. Trying to close a deal with Connolly formerly of Haverhill New England League, and who has played later with Toronto Eastern League and expects to sign him up tonight. He is a first-class pitcher. Cannot get in touch with Ganley, he is in Washington.

KENNEDY IS KNOCKED OUT.

Baltimore, Md., May 6.—Battling Kennedy of New York proved to be easy for George Chaney, of this city tonight. Chaney scored a knockout in the 4th round of a scheduled 15 round bout.

WHYTE & MACKAY

No man need be ashamed to offer a guest **WHYTE & MACKAY** Its quality is of the highest. Rich, mellow, flavor and pure. Ask your dealer for **WHYTE & MACKAY**



EVERY mother is supposed to be taking to baby every day possible to make it. This tiny being, so wonderful and white, must always be kept in its loveliness. Nothing can surpass ribbon-embroidered baby's small butterfly bows as the ruffles of lace on dress or baby's wardrobe, but all the five articles used in dressing one are fashioned of this prettiness. Every one who can cleverly delight to make artistic gifts. The freshly laundered dress-dainty banger to keep it crushed. These are easily made. Sewing work for odd moments. The small hanger fashion may purchase. Cover this with a padding of cotton wadding. Fold the selvage together, allowing a half-inch. Draw the thread tight until cover properly fits the bag. Wind the hook with yarn.

GRIPSACK SI KICKS INTO A QUARANTINE CASE AND IS KICKED OUT JUST IN TIME

WONDER WHAT THE RENT IS ON THAT HOUSE.

I'LL FIND OUT FOR YOU.

WHAT'S THE HOUSE RENT PER? AN DUNNO AM'LL ASK DE DOCTAN.

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For the INDUSTRIOUS NEEDLEWOMAN

By ADELAIDE BYRD

A VIOLET CENTERPIECE

THE spring flower, the violet, is here for your benefit, my friends. Now that the pretty blossoms have finished blooming in the fields I have had them brought into the embroidery realm. You may begin to work with them in lasting form.

The design is in three repeats. If you trace it, you had better complete the scalloped border first, disregarding the flowers in the design. After doing this, take one motif, which consists of a bunch of flowers and a single one, and swing it around so that it will fill one-third. Complete the design by the third bunch, being sure to have the ribbon ends match.

In the detail of stitches I have had shown the way that is very effective in working both bowknots and flowers. Seed stitches—tiny back stitches—are used in parallel lines to fill in the wide space. This is done after a heavy outlining of the ribbon is given to each edge. You will like it just as much as the satin stitch, which is beautiful, but requires more time and thread.

Soft mercerized cotton or silk may be used. All white or the delicate violet and green is suggested. The linen should be medium weight and either white, gray or tan.

Work the petals over and over after padding with darning cotton. French knots or solid stitches will fill in the center.

DESIGNED BY C. IDA FERFAS

HOW TO USE A LACE VEIL

MANY women have in their possession a lace veil which is either worn in places or is unbecoming.

There are many ways to utilize this apparently useless article.

A pretty gumpie fashioned of a veil of black chantilly lace is effective with almost any gown. Buy a pattern the correct size and cut out the lace. Never cut through a design, but around it, so when sewn together the gumpie will appear woven in one piece.

The new spring styles in millinery display a great variety of lace-covered hats. These are especially pretty and will harmonize with any gown.

To fashion one of these, purchase a flat panache shape of straw the desired color. Carefully arrange the lace veil as smoothly as possible over the entire hat.

Fasten firmly upon the inside crown and sew in a lining of soft silk.

The upper brim is void of trimming, but underneath is a garland of roses. This hat is especially pretty to wear with lingerie gowns, and may be of black or white lace.

Another charming use for a discarded

lace veil is to fashion a Marie Antoinette niche.

This is entirely a matter of artistic draping. Fold the veil in half and pin the center to the middle of the back.

Arrange in graceful folds over the shoulders and tack down with thread; then tie together with a soft knot and allow the ends to hang in front.

The loose panel is a leading feature of the summer frock. The lace veil may be used for this purpose.

From three-quarters of a yard of satin or velvet make a girde by arranging the material in soft folds. Sew several hooks and eyes to fasten it. To the girde attach the panels of lace.

Flowers of white lace are to be very fashionable this summer. To make these, gather straight strips of lace to form petals. Arrange these about a yellow center. These single roses may be arranged in clusters or festoons to decorate the summer gown.

When worn as a corsage bouquet, they are decidedly effective. They may be used to trim up the draped overskirt of a chignon gown.

Lace roses make a charming trimming for the dainty bonnet of the young daughter.

The woman of ingenuity can find innumerable ways to use advantageously a lace veil.

Tailored Bows

THIS tailored bow fashioned of colored satin is very popular at present. These are easily made, and every one should possess at least six.

Each bow requires a strip of satin four inches wide and a half yard long.

Arrange three folds lengthwise of the satin and press with a warm iron.

Divide the strip in halves and from the center form two flat loops. A fold of satin finishes the center.

Odde ends of ribbon or satin may be utilized for these attractive little bows, which add just the right touch to a stiff collar or to the low neck of a blouse.

RIBBON GIFTS For BABY



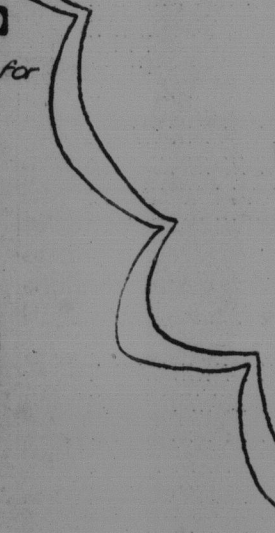
EVERY mother is especially painstaking to have every article belonging to baby as dainty as it is possible to make it.

This tiny being, so wonderfully pink and white, must always be kept fairy-like in its loveliness.



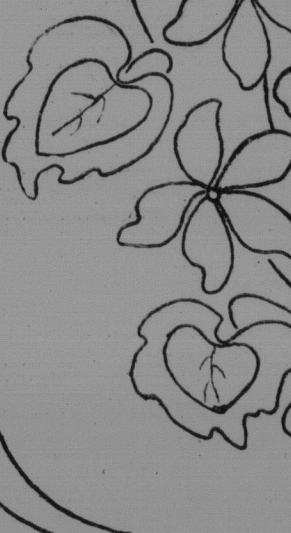
A Tiny Coat Hanger

Three small sachet bags, attached to the hanger, contribute a delicate perfume to the dress.



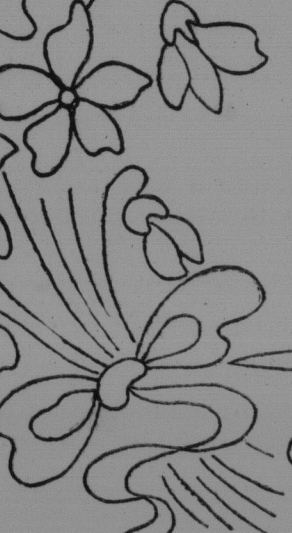
Rings for Pins

Small rings are fastened to each box, that they may be easily removed from the others.



To Hold Up The Socks

Attractive rosettes of narrow or wide ribbon are fashioned for baby's caps.



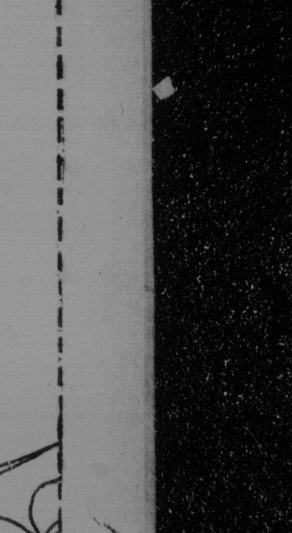
Attractive Negligees

How to Transfer



One Half of Centerpiece

and the material together and hold them up against the glass of a window.



Detail of Stitches

until worked. This method is successful on heavy material.



ONLY FOUR MORE DAYS LEFT TO ENTER THE \$250 EXTRA CASH PRIZE OFFER

All Mail Bearing Post-mark of Saturday, May 11, Will Be Accepted by Contest Manager--- Candidates in Outside Districts May Work Up to Last Hour and Place Their Letters in Post Office on Time.

Votes Issued on Subscriptions Need Not be Published.

It is Not Necessary to Hold Back Subscriptions in Order to Hold Back Votes---Votes Will be Issued on Subscriptions and Returned to Contestants, If They Wish, and All Votes Will Count on the Extra Cash Prizes, and also on Regular Prizes

Here is the plan in detail, read it. Two hundred and fifty dollars in gold, free. Twenty-seven extra cash awards offered by the St. John Standard in the great \$5,000 prize contest.

The Standard offers twenty-seven extra cash prizes amounting to \$250 to the contestants securing the largest number of votes issued on subscriptions turned into the contest department of The Standard between the dates of Thursday, April 25 and Saturday, May 11, at 8 p. m.

Here is the plan---
 First prize, \$500 \$500
 Second prize, \$250 250
 Ten prizes, each 10
 Fifteen prizes, each 15

First prize, \$500, to contestant securing largest number of votes issued on subscriptions between April 25 and May 11, inclusive.

Second prize, \$250, to contestant securing second largest number of votes issued on subscriptions between April 25 and May 11, inclusive.

Ten dollars each to the next ten contestants securing the largest number of votes issued on subscriptions between April 25 and May 11, inclusive.

Five dollars each to the next fifteen contestants securing the largest number of votes issued on subscriptions between April 25 and May 11, inclusive.

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New contestants wanted. Enter now and win a cash prize.

10 Per Cent. Cash Commission Paid. You can't lose in this campaign---that is impossible, there are 26 awards 26 contestants will win, and if you are not of the 26 The Standard will pay you ten per cent. cash commission on the gross amount of subscription money you will collect if you remain active in the campaign until the end. The campaign thus works both ways---a prize contest and a very lucrative position. If you want an automobile, enter your name; if you want a piano, enter your name; enter the campaign no matter what you want. You can't lose, enter anyway. Send in your name or that of a friend to day.

Information and Conditions of Campaign

Nominations may be made by coupon or letter.

No employee of The Standard or member of employee's immediate family can enter or compete for any of the prizes.

The Standard reserves the right to reject any nominations. Nominations may be made at any time up to the last week of the contest.

Vote coupons for different amounts will be published in coming issues of The Standard, which when neatly cut out, mailed in and brought or mailed to The Standard, Circulation Campaign Dept., will count for the amount printed thereon.

Votes cannot be purchased. Votes 1 year. . . . \$1.00 150

cannot be transferred. They must be secured through the regular channels according to the rules of the contest. All remittances must be accompanied by the subscriber's name and address.

All votes issued on subscriptions are good until the end of the campaign and will be published at the discretion of the candidate or subscribers.

Cash must accompany all subscriptions where votes are to be issued. Candidates will be listed and divided into districts according to the division of territory.

Candidates may secure subscriptions anywhere.

Read over carefully the section referring to districts, determine which one you are in and send in your name on a nomination blank.

All questions concerning the districting of candidates are to be decided by The Standard.

The list of candidates and number of votes turned in will be published continually during the entire period of the competition.

No statement or promise made by any solicitor, agent or contestant contrary to the rules of the contest published in The Standard will be recognized by The Standard Company, Ltd.

The Standard reserves the right to alter the rules and regulations during the competition if necessary for the protection of the interests of both the candidates and the newspaper. The Standard guarantees fair treatment to all contestants, and any questions arising from a decision of the management will be considered final and absolute.

It is not necessary to be a subscriber to The Standard to enter this competition.

Persons who enter and take part in this circulation campaign will, therefore, bind themselves to abide by the foregoing rules.

How the Prizes Will Be Awarded

1. The contestant who secures the largest number of votes in the City of St. John (Districts 1, 2 and 3) will be presented with a Ford 1912 Model T Five Passenger Touring Car.

2. The contestant who secures the largest number of votes in Districts 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 will be presented with a Ford 1912, Model T Five Passenger Touring Car.

3. After the automobiles have been awarded the contestant who may be awarded the largest number of votes in each of the eight districts will be presented with a \$400 Willis (Montreal) piano.

4. The contestant securing the second largest number of votes in each of the eight districts, after the automobiles have been awarded, will be presented with a diamond ring.

5. The contestant securing the third largest number of votes in each of the eight districts, after the automobiles have been awarded, will be presented with a handsome gold watch.

Division of Districts.

District No. 1---Includes all of the City of St. John north of Union street.

District No. 2---Includes all of the City of St. John south of Union street.

District No. 3---Includes all of Fairville and the Parish of Lancaster.

District No. 4---Includes all Carleton, a Victoria, Madawaska, Gloucester, and Restigouche counties.

District No. 5---Includes all of Kings county.

District No. 6---Includes all of Westmorland, Albert and Kent counties.

District No. 7---Includes all Charlotte and St. John counties excepting the City of St. John and the Parish of Lancaster, or any part of Nova Scotia.

District No. 8---Includes all of York, Sunbury, Queens and Northumberland counties.

Voting Power of Subscriptions and Price List of the Semi-Weekly Standard.

3 months	1.25	1.50	2.00
6 months	2.50	3.00	4.00
1 year	5.00	6.00	8.00
2 years	10.00	12.00	16.00

STANDING OF CONTESTANTS TODAY IN THE STANDARD'S \$6,000 PRIZE CONTEST

DISTRICT 1.

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W. J. McAuley, 39 Sewell St., City	29680
Charles E. Howard, 213 Rockland Rd.	17480
H. C. Green, 127 Marshall St.	12290
Miss Ada Calhoun, 12 Bentley St.	10290
Joseph Stanton, 199 Waterloo St.	10090
W. J. Brown, 18 James St.	9875
Geo. C. M. Farron, 39 Sewell St.	8860
Ernest Flewelling, 46 Bellevue Ave.	4882
Miss Elizabeth Johnson, 74 Dorchester	3990

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W. R. McDonald, 109 Queen St.	31880
Alex. McBurnett, 210 Brussels St.	14141
Miss L. Andrews, Partridge Island	13598
J. W. McTosh, 50 Pitt St.	13371
Miss Linn, 131 Broad St.	12950
Miss Annie, Noddie, 131 Broad St.	12028
Daphne Ross, 177 Elliot Row	10180
Samuel D. Lewis, 19 Horsfield St.	7390
Frank Swanton, 108 St. James St.	4960
S. C. Matthews, Western Union	2260
Harry C. Simmons, Mecklenburg St.	2260

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Miss Hazel Towse Amherst, N. S.	26010
Miss Nellie Mooney, St. George	22850
Mrs. John Cunningham, Waterford, N. S.	19890
Miss Elsie Clinch, Clinch's Mills	18980
Miss Florence Gies, New River Sta.	18882
G. W. McKay, Beaver Harbour	18548
Miss Beattie L. Edging, Beaver Harbour	14434
Chas. McCulloch, Cobacac	13150
Mrs. James E. Moody, Musquash	12730
Mrs. Am. Stoverson, Musquash	11690
Thomas Jordan, Ben Lomond	10995
Mrs. Robert Bell, Waweg, N. B.	10660
Miss Jessie M. Dyer, Dyer Station	10620
Wilson Hawthorne, Maca Bay	10600
Miss Florence A'Kinson, Amherst, N. S.	10230
James Hodson, St. Martins	10160
Samuel Smith, St. Martins	10150
Mrs. F. Power, Upper Harbour	10150
William G. Ayer, Amherst, N. S.	10150
Mrs. Wm. Shepherd, Musquash	10040
Mrs. Edward Thompson, Dipper Harbour	9852
Frank Murray, Amherst, N. S.	9850
Wm. McCormick, St. Stephen	9850
Mrs. Helen Lynde, St. Stephen	8890
James O'Donnell, Dipper Harbour	7386
Mrs. K. Kirkpatrick, Kirkpatrick's	6920
William Smith, St. Martins	6290
Miss Alice H. Groves, Waweg	6290
N. Dean, Musquash	6290
Douglas M. Lawson, Amherst	6290
William Cairns, Prince of Wales	6290
Cap. C. S. Smith, St. Martins	6290
James Davidson, Musquash	6290
James Brown, Wilson's Beach	4890
James Fawcett, Musquash	4890
Mrs. Thompson, Chance Harbour	4890
Sherwin Lawson, North Head	4890
Frank Thompson, Chance Harbour	3996
Miss Annie Irving, Dipper Harbour	3996
Miss Bella Stewart, Garnet St.	3996
Miss Roberta Hawthorne, Waweg	3996
Mrs. Edward Thompson, Dipper Harbour	3996
Alex. Carscadden, Maca Bay	4780
Mrs. Ross, Chance Harbour	3260
Miss Lulu McFar, Chance Harbour	1910
Winnet Clark, Dipper Harbour	1630
Miss Florence Thompson, Dipper Harbour	1622
Miss Blanche Turner, Chance Harbour	1622
Miss Katie McDouery, Black River	1010

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Miss Helen Hallett, Grand Falls	19036
Clarke A. McBride, Pioneer, Carleton	17590
Miss Fay Mercer, Woodstock	17120
Ira B. Hoyle, Upper Kent	16780
T. B. Thibault, Hartland	15836
Mrs. Geo. W. Lee, Woodstock	15290
Miss Lena Scott, Hartsville	12180
Miss Eva Elliott, Florenceville	12180
Miss Grace E. Wright, Plaster Rock	12180
John A. Squires, Upper Kent	11991
Miss Helen, Woodstock	10870
Elmer Gagne, Riley Brook	10870
R. LeB. Sloan, Perth	10480
Miss Helen Fleming, Grand Falls	10230
Miss Alice B. McBride, Glassville	10230
J. B. Daggett, Centreville	10160
Miss Eva Elliott, Florenceville	10160
Geo. M. Sutherland, Red Rapids	10160
Mr. Harold Turner, Aroostook Jet	10040
S. W. Tompkins, Bath	10040
Miss J. W. Montgomery, Hartland	9920
T. H. Manzer, Aroostook Jet	9852
Miss Helen Stevens, Campbellton	9852
Miss Annie Irvine, Andover	9236
Miss Ruth Donnelly, Jacquet River	8890
William Wilson, Lakeville	8490
W. D. Keith, Hartland	8410
Ray E. Hatfield, East Coldstream	8346
Mrs. Arch Hanson, Perth	7560
John T. Payne, South Tilley	7475
Mrs. Jack Avery, Knowlesville	5985
Thos. Everett, Everett	4780
Miss Josephine Callahan, Jacquet Riv.	4680
Geo. J. Payne, Plaster Rock	4680
Irvine Ullman, Jacquet River	4426

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Hazen Folkus, Havelock	27501
Miss Lucy Macaulay, Millville	23890
Miss Ruth Calhoun, Sussex, N. B.	23672
Mrs. E. A. Boone, St. Marys	20280
Miss Ella May Wre, Madamot Jet	19380
Edward C. Armstrong, Westford	18890
Miss Bessie P. Dougan, Hampstead	17988
Charles Jones, Newcastle	16492
Havelock Ingram, Newcastle	14720
Miss Bernetta Ring, Red Bank	14160
Clarence Russell, Newcastle	13990
R. C. Ritchie, Chapman	13890
Moses J. Perry, Cady's	12890
James-Robertson, Tabusintac	12609
Miss May Oakley, Cambridge	11560
Miss Annie Kirk, Fredericton	11460
Miss Annie Kirk, Fredericton	11160
Allan C. Barr, Upper Burton	11080
Miss Eva W. French, Meductic	11210
Miss Leighton, Blackville	10890
H. H. Fraser, Chipman	10880
Miss Theresa Willis, Westford, N. B.	10680
John Sewell, Burnt Church	10612
Miss Ronella Sleep, Harley Road	10160
Miss A. Allan, Lower Neguac	10160
Mrs. J. Duff Mitchell, Lincoln	10150
Alex. Ingram, Milterton	10150
Miss Hattie Brown, Lakeville Corner	10100
Melvin Kady, Briggs Corner	9860
Fred H. Fowler, Lakeville	9860
Arch Alcorn, Blackville	9661
Geo. McDougall, Upper Gasperreau	9560
Miss London, Maquis Lake	9560
Miss Coy, Oromocto	8960
Elgie Barton, Salmon Creek	8796
Jerome Fort, Meductic	8290
James Sullivan, Newcastle	8290
Daniel V. Urquhart, Harvey Station	7360
William Langlois, Upper Gasperreau	7360
Miss Thyrta Fowler, Gasperreau Forks	7320
Miss Ruth Yerxa, Mouth of Keswick	6820
Mrs. Leonard Field, Fredericton	6450
Henry Wishart, North Forks	6450
Fred Sege, Fredericton	6310
Miss Louise Finnimore, Fredericton	4760
Henry Price, Upper Gasperreau	4760
Miss F. Finlay, Upper Springfield	4730
Miss Bessie Bird, Fredericton	3910
Miss Helen Baxter, Fredericton	3790
Mrs. Della Bidney, Fredericton	1620
Miss Mary Ryan, Fredericton	1620
Leo Dolan, Fredericton	1037

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W. Wesley Doull, Sackville	24580
Florida Gault, St. Joseph	37022
Frank H. Dickson, Hillsboro	13601
Moody DeHille, Rexton	13601
Miss Marjorie McKinnon, Richibucto	12850
Miss Georgiana Phinney, Sackville	12380
Jack Price, Moncton	9860
Arthur Peters, Sackville	8860
Miss Martha Kay, Sackville	11250

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John McLean, Montreal; C. A. Huntley, Parrsboro; S. F. Berry, Buffalo; John Connors, Walkerton; H. H. Dryden, Sussex; W. R. Finlay, Bangor; T. B. Calhoun, Calhounes; W. A. Dart, St. Lambert; J. D. McKenna, Sussex; W. T. Fraser, Minneapolis; John Weeks, Spooner, Ind.; B. W. Turnbull, Digby; J. M. Cross, Kentville; Mrs. W. F. Allison, Sussex; O. R. Arnold, Mrs. F. R. Frith, Edmonton; Miss Arnold, Sussex; J. J. McDonald, Montreal; S. L. Gates, Port Williams.	26010
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DISTRICT 8.

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M. R. Benn, Nordin	25881
Mrs. E. A. Boone, St. Marys	25060
Miss Ella May Wre, Madamot Jet	21890
Randolph Crozier, Milterton	19260
Edward C. Armstrong, Westford	17820
Miss Bessie P. Dougan, Hampstead	16980
Charles Jones, Newcastle	16210
Havelock Ingram, Newcastle	12860
Miss Bernetta Ring, Red Bank	12890
Clarence Russell, Newcastle	12620
R. C. Ritchie, Chapman	12132
Moses J. Perry, Cady's	12890
James-Robertson, Tabusintac	11460
Miss May Oakley, Cambridge	11560
Miss Annie Kirk, Fredericton	11460
Miss Annie Kirk, Fredericton	11160
Allan C. Barr, Upper Burton	11080
Miss Eva W. French, Meductic	10890
Miss Leighton, Blackville	10880
H. H. Fraser, Chipman	10880
Miss Theresa Willis, Westford, N. B.	10680
John Sewell, Burnt Church	10612
Miss Ronella Sleep, Harley Road	10160
Miss A. Allan, Lower Neguac	10160
Mrs. J. Duff Mitchell, Lincoln	10150
Alex. Ingram, Milterton	10150
Miss Hattie Brown, Lakeville Corner	10100
Melvin Kady, Briggs Corner	9860
Fred H. Fowler, Lakeville	9860
Arch Alcorn, Blackville	9661
Geo. McDougall, Upper Gasperreau	9560
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Elgie Barton, Salmon Creek	8796
Jerome Fort, Meductic	8290
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Miss Mary Ryan, Fredericton	1620
Leo Dolan, Fredericton	1037

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Howard Sample, Stellarton; E. J. Jackson, J. E. Bigney, Truro; Douglas Welsh, Boston; George Coleman, Bangor; Jas. T. Hopwell, C. F. Power, Halifax; A. L. Kerr, New York; J. E. Howes, Sussex; Geo. W. Aiken, Fredericton; Mrs. Henderson, Digby; Jas. Ross, Moncton; F. R. Harrigan, J. Kinsman, Winnipeg; M. L. Munroe, Mrs. M. L. Munroe, Boston; J. Watson, N. Bryar, George, Woodstock; J. Kennedy, Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. L. Smith, Port-New York; J. Lane, Houlton; F. G. Land, Dufferin.

John McLean, Montreal; C. A. Huntley, Parrsboro; S. F. Berry, Buffalo; John Connors, Walkerton; H. H. Dryden, Sussex; W. R. Finlay, Bangor; T. B. Calhoun, Calhounes; W. A. Dart, St. Lambert; J. D. McKenna, Sussex; W. T. Fraser, Minneapolis; John Weeks, Spooner, Ind.; B. W. Turnbull, Digby; J. M. Cross, Kentville; Mrs. W. F. Allison, Sussex; O. R. Arnold, Mrs. F. R. Frith, Edmonton; Miss Arnold, Sussex; J. J. McDonald, Montreal; S. L. Gates, Port Williams.

Royal.

T. L. Morriss, Montreal; J. M. Farish, Toronto; J. Weldon, Brockton, Mass.; J. T. Halliday, Truro, N. S.; R. V. Stevens, Wallingford; E. McLaren, Toronto; Ross, Morrow, Halifax; E. D. Bishop and wife, Master E. Bishop, Halifax; Dr. John McMillin, Baltimore; W. C. Ketchum, C. W. Holbrook, Jas. R. Hall, Boston; J. A. Woods, J. A. Burns, Montreal; J. W. Richardson, St. Stephens; F. Harrison, B. K. Green, Warabito, Mass.; J. Polak, London; A. E. Altman, New York; D. Johnston, Annapolis; O. A. Heleken, Toronto; J. J. Peasey, Fredericton; R. A. Braman, Greens Falls, N. Y.; Jas. Robinson, Miramichi; S. M. Eisenstadt, B. Liley, Montreal; G. Stead, Chatham; N. F. Grant, Campbellton; B. Liley, Montreal; W. W. Watt, W. T. Poole, Toronto; A. B. Copp, Sackville; W. E. Heffernan, Truro; F. W. Moore, Halifax; Geo. Ackman, Moncton; C. I. Grant and wife, Charlottetown; J. Harrell, Havelock; Dunn, H. W. Nichol and wife, Digby; J. N. Curry and wife, Amherst, N. S.

Victoria.

F. Grant, R. E. H. Cooper, Brownville; J. C. Green, River, Hebert; John F. Calder, Campbell; A. H. Conyne, New York; James Reid, Campbellton; John Kennedy, Sackville; Joseph Martin, Mrs. Joseph Martin, Old Town; A. P. Benson, Old Town; Miss M. A. Clinton, Digby; T. R. Kent, St. George; Edward H. Belyea, Boston; J. J. Brown, Moncton; J. Smith, Sussex.

IN THE COURTS.

CHANCERY COURT IN FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, May 7.---The regular sittings of the Chancery Division of the Supreme Court opened at 10 o'clock this morning, the Honorable Justice MacLeod presiding. It has been a long time since so many of the legal fraternity were present at a court session. The first case called was that of Laura F. Wood and Josiah Wood, her husband, plaintiffs, and Sarah Jane Strong and forty others named as defendants. J. D. Hainley, K. C., appeared for the plaintiff and all the defendants were represented by counsel, the several having as their representatives the following lawyers: H. A. Powell, K. C.; A. H. Hanington, K. C.; M. G. Teed, K. C.; A. R. Slipp, K. C.; and Messrs. H. Coy, F. H. Peters, T. C. L. Ketchum, J. J. F. Winslow and P. J. Hughes.

Mr. Phinney, K. C., read the bill in the case, which was a lengthy document. The property involved and for which distribution and an accounting is asked consists of the Coy block on the corner of Queen and Regent streets, and the property on George street, under lease to the late Ogdur White, also belonging to the late Catherine Coy. After setting out a description of the properties and the names of those entitled to share in the estate the bill goes on to state that one Dell Gunter holds a mortgage of \$1,000 against the Coy block and one E. W. McAllen, a judgment against some of the heirs. That since the death of Catherine Coy, Havelock Coy has acted as agent for the deceased and collected all rents and paid all expenses; that the deceased also left about \$12,000 in cash, and that the Dominion government has expropriated a part of the property on George street. The bill concludes with saying that the plaintiffs are desirous of having the lands partitioned or sold and that an account be taken of the amount remaining payable to the estate in the hands of Havelock Coy. All the counsel consented to the prayer of the bill. Mr. Powell, K. C., and Mr. Coy were then called and gave testimony regarding the history of the families concerned.

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St. John Standard in the

Great \$6,000 Prize Contest

\$250

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\$250

HERE IS THE PLAN: FIRST PRIZE, \$50.00; SECOND PRIZE, \$25.00; TEN PRIZES, EACH \$10.00; FIFTEEN PRIZES, EACH \$5.00.

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Enter Now and Win a Cash Prize

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LOCAL ADVERTISING.

Hereafter the following charges will be made on reading notices inserted in The Standard:

Church Notices, Sunday Services, 5c. per line of six words.
Church Concerts, Church Festivals, Lodge Concerts and Notices, and all other notices of meetings, 10c. per line of six words. Double rates for back page.

NO MORE FREE LOCALS.

THE WEATHER.

Toronto, May 7.—Rain has fallen again in Manitoba elsewhere in Canada the weather has been generally fine, and in Alberta and Ontario quite warm.

Minimum and maximum temperatures—Victoria, 46, 68; Vancouver, 44, 66; Kamloops, 46, 62; Edmonton, 44, 74; Battleford, 40, 70; Prince Albert, 36, 64; Calgary, 42, 74; Moosejaw, 44, 64; Winnipeg, 32, 52; Port Arthur, 34, 62; Fanny Sound, 46, 72; London, 53, 77; Toronto, 48, 71; Kingston, 48, 66; Ottawa, 38, 74; Montreal, 50, 60; Quebec, 42, 64; St. John, 40, 48; Halifax, 84, 46.

St. Lawrence—A few local showers or thunderstorms, but for the most part fair and warm.

Gulf—Moderate winds, fine and moderate; warm today local showers to night or Thursday.

MARITIME—Generally fresh winds; mostly east and southeast; generally fair today; showers in the western portion at night.

AROUND THE CITY

Curlew in Good Shape.

Dominion government steamer Curlew, which is engaged in the fishery protective service, is in port. She has recently been overhauled at Halifax and is in first class shape for her summer's work. She will patrol the shores of the Bay of Fundy for some time.

The Flemming Banquet.

Tickets for the complimentary banquet to be tendered Hon. J. K. Fleming in Keith's Assembly Rooms, on Tuesday, May 14th, may be obtained from the following: Dr. H. C. Westmore, Thos. Bell, C. C. McNeill, Jas. E. Cowan, J. R. Stone, Geo. Polley, Jas. Lewis, J. C. Chesley, John E. Wilson, Hon. Robert Maxwell, F. H. Fairweather, Miles E. Aear, C. E. Logan and W. H. Harrison, secretary of the committee. The price of the tickets is \$2.50.

Athenion Will Arrive Today.

Detective Killen who went to Quebec to await the arrival of Frederick W. Athenion from Liverpool, will arrive here today, with the prisoner. Athenion is charged with embezzling a large sum of money from the Dominion Express, while he was purser on one of the C. P. R. steamships running between St. John and Liverpool. The prisoner was brought out to Canada by one of the Scotland Yard officials and was handed over to Detective Killen on the arrival of the steamer.

A Successful Student.

After graduating at Mount Allison in 1902 with first class honors in philosophy, John H. Beazley entered the ministry and was stationed one year on the Amherst circuit. Then, getting a transfer to the west, he preached for another year and was appointed professor of mathematics and science, in Mount Royal College at Calgary. He has now won a scholarship at Harvard University and will enter on a post graduate work in philosophy next autumn at that institution. He is a native of Hanisport, Hants county, Nova Scotia, and a nephew of J. H. Beazley, of this city.

The Old Home Week.

A meeting of the 1917 Club will be held in the Board of Trade rooms this evening to proceed with the working out of the details of the programme of attractions to be put on during the Old Home Week. An enlarged staff is employed at the Board of Trade offices sending out literature in connection with the Back to New Brunswick for a Week Movement, and answering the many letters received from exiles abroad who want more information about the new St. John. It is believed that the Old Home Week will have the effect of giving St. John a great deal of advertisement and inducing quite a number of former St. John people to come here and help the city grow.

CANADA CEMENT CO. MAY LOCATE HERE

A rumor has been in circulation for the past few days to the effect that the Canada Cement Company which is the largest concern of its kind in the Dominion, propose establishing a cement manufactory here. The new industry, according to the rumor, is to be conducted on an extensive scale and will employ several hundred men. It is rumored also in connection with this that the site of the new concern will be the Greenhead property, which at present is owned by Mr. Guernsey. An engineer connected with the company has been in the city for the past few weeks and was questioned last evening by a Standard representative as to the truth of the rumor but no information was given, the only reply being that there was nothing to be said on the matter at present.

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COL. BAXTER WAS WARMLY ENDORSED

Lancaster Supporters of Government want Present County Member as Candidate Again - Delegates Elected.

At a largely attended meeting of Fairville supporters of the local government, held last night a resolution was unanimously adopted endorsing in the warmest terms, Col. J. B. M. Baxter as the candidate to the provincial legislature from that section of the county. The resolution was moved by A. H. Clarke, and seconded by William Stymest.

The meeting was called for the purpose of selecting delegates to the forthcoming convention. William (holding) was elected chairman and Thomas Ring, secretary. A large number of electors were on hand. The delegates chosen are: Robert Cuthbertson, A. H. Clarke, Wm. Golding, Jas. Bryant, Wm. Stymest, Thomas Raynes. The substitutes are: John Brittain, Mel Watson, J. W. Stevens. The meeting was marked by great enthusiasm, and a feeling of confidence in the success of the party in the coming election, and the determination of the electors of that district to be to the front again this time as for the federal election last autumn. At a well attended meeting of headstrong supporters of the local government held last night in the schoolhouse, the following delegates were chosen to represent the district at the convention: George M. Ballie, Wm. Ruddle, H. Colby Smith, substitutes, John Ballie and Alfred Burley. William Ruddle was selected chairman with G. M. Ballie as secretary.

The delegates to represent Musquah No. 2 were chosen on Saturday evening last when a largely attended meeting of the local government supporters was held at Mac's Bay. The following delegates were chosen: Coun. James K. Cowsdale, Charles M. Brown and Anthony Thompson; substitutes, John Snider and D. H. Mawhinney. Counsellor Cowsdale was elected chairman, D. H. Mawhinney, secretary and Addison G. Thompson, treasurer.

LOCATION OF THE NEW BREAKWATER

Government Engineer Says Red Head Site is Impracticable - Government to be Asked to Build Seawall.

A meeting of the harbor improvement committee of the Board of Trade was held yesterday afternoon, with W. H. Thorne in the chair, for the purpose of hearing the views of the government engineers in reference to the proposition to construct the breakwater at Red Head. Mr. Valiquet of Ottawa, an engineer of the public works department, was present. He said the government engineers had gone carefully into the question of starting the breakwater from Red Head and had come to the conclusion that it was impracticable if not impossible to construct the breakwater there. Serious engineering difficulties were in the way, and there would be continuous trouble on account of the sand washing into the channel.

The explanation given by the engineer seemed to satisfy the committee that it was not advisable to consider any further the idea of having the breakwater built a mile farther down the bay, but it was decided to ask the government to take steps to build a sea wall and reclaim about 300 acres of land outside of the breakwater. It is claimed that it will not be a difficult matter to reclaim a considerable area outside of the breakwater. The idea is to reserve this district for factory sites. It is said that new industries can be induced to come here as soon as the sites are available.

W. H. Thorne left for Montreal and Ottawa last evening and it is understood he will lay the views of the board before the Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

DEMONSTRATION A MARKED SUCCESS

Wide Interest Manifested in Miss Gayton's Talk on the Cool Summer Kitchen Yesterday.

Much interest was manifested in Miss Gayton's illustrated talk on The Cool Summer Kitchen, with its saving of labor and expense, at yesterday's free demonstration of the advantages of One Dollar Gas given in the show-rooms of the St. John Railway Company. The subject was dealt with in a thoroughly practical manner, showing that when coal or wood is used as fuel, the kitchen becomes uncomfortably warm, especially in the summer when it is far from pleasant to toil over a hot range, attend to the fire and work with coal scuttles, ashpans and dirty ashes which soil both the hands and the clothing.

It was then made clear by Miss Gayton that very different conditions prevail in the home where One Dollar Gas is employed; the kitchen being delightfully cool on the warmest days. As the gas is always in the range, it can be lighted in an instant, requiring no further attention till cooking operations are completed when it is at once turned off. Scuttles, red-hot coals and ashes are entirely done away with, and besides, the meals are cooked more quickly and taste better. The time and subject of the next demonstration will be announced in a later issue of this paper.

TOKOMARU WILL TAKE BIG CARGO

Last Australian Steamer of Season Leaves Port this Afternoon Loaded "Down to Her Flimsoll Marks."

With a huge cargo of automobiles, organs, pianos, agricultural implements and machinery of various kinds, some 1200 tons of paper and a week's load of lumber, the steamship Tokomaru leaves this afternoon for Melbourne, Australia, a voyage which will occupy 45 days. From Melbourne she goes to other Australian ports and then to New Zealand. She is the last boat of the New Zealand Shipping Company which will sail from St. John this season.

All the boats of this company leaving St. John for the Antipodes this winter, have had large general cargoes, including big consignments of Massey-Harris agriculture machinery and paper of all descriptions. This line has not been in operation very long, but it has already succeeded in working up a large trade between Canada and the Australian colonies; the advantage being on the side of Canada as the boats on the return passage go to England and usually come here light.

COMMISSIONERS MET IN SECRET

Informal Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon when Various Matters were Considered - Question of Office Room.

The new civic administrators held an informal meeting yesterday afternoon and discussed the various problems awaiting solution and the situation generally. The session was private and lasted about three hours. The meeting was in the nature of a rehearsal for the public meeting of the council which will be held this morning, and nothing definite was done. It is understood they talked over the sugar refinery question and made themselves acquainted with the conditions which have developed the question in its present form. They had Mr. Guernsey and R. Max McCarthy before them for a time and discussed the conditions under which the city should sell the Greenhead property, but arrived at no conclusion. They had Mr. Murdoch, the engineer, before them, and took up various matters with him.

The commissioners have not yet decided on the location of their offices and until they have obtained a better grasp of affairs it is likely they will work together in the committee room. It was reported that Commissioner McLellan, who is in charge of the Safety Board, would establish his civic headquarters in his own office just across the street, as there is no room for him in Mr. Wisely's office, but it is said that the commissioners will pay a visit to Lancaster and inspect the city property there.

THE TEMPERANCE MEN ARE DISSATISFIED

Temperance Federation Threatens to Oppose Local Government Unless G. F. Menzies is Made Inspector.

A meeting of the Temperance Federation was held last evening, with the vice-president, R. H. Cother in the chair. A resolution was adopted setting forth the dissatisfaction of the federation with the provincial government in connection with the recommendations of the Temperance Commission and that Geo. F. Menzies be appointed liquor license inspector in place of J. B. Jones, and declaring that unless the recommendations were complied with the federation would oppose the election of the government candidates in St. John. A committee was appointed to interview the government candidates and find out whether or not they were prepared to support the recommendations of the Temperance Federation. There was also some talk of running temperance candidates, but no action was taken.

Rev. H. R. Boyer of Fairville submitted a report on the interview with the government in which the representatives of the federation asked for the adoption of a measure prohibiting the sale of liquor in any part of the province. J. Willard Smith and Rev. W. R. Robinson also gave an account of their interview with the government when they asked for various amendments to the license act and pointed out that they had succeeded in defeating the bill to reduce the fine for drunkenness from \$5 to \$2. The meeting was well attended and there was much enthusiasm.

Assessment May Soar. The county assessors are rather late getting the assessment lists made up this year. This is said to be due to the fact that they are trying to approximate the valuations to the increases in land values which have been reported on the outskirts of the city, and also to the difficulty of finding out who the owners of the subdivided properties are at the present time. It is expected that the county assessment will be much higher than last year, and that this will enable the lowering of the tax rate to the advantage of the farmers.

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