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ONE CENT In Greater Saint John. TWO CENTS Elsewhere.

DANIEL CO. STORE DESTROYED BY FIRE

DAMAGE IN BLAZE THAT THREATENED TO WIPE OUT WHOLE CITY BLOCK MAY REACH \$150,000

F. A. Dykeman Co., Woolworth Co., Robert McAfee, C. A. Conlon, Victoria Hotel and Gray & Ritchey Suffer Heavily

BLIZZARD HAMPERS WORK OF FIREMEN

Origin of Fire, Which Started at 4 O'clock This Morning, Is So Far Unknown; Fire Department Still Fighting Smoldering Ruins at Noon; Businesses Insured.

THE general dry goods and women's outfitting establishment of F. W. Daniel & Company, Limited, situated at Saint John's principal business corner, Charlotte and King streets, was burned out this morning in a 3-alarm blaze that started at 4 o'clock, a fierce attack, which for more than two hours threatened to lay waste a stretch of valuable business properties on the King street slope and the large dry goods house of F. A. Dykeman & Company, adjoining on the Charlotte street side. The loss is variously estimated through fire and water, in all the buildings affected, at from \$100,000 to \$150,000 although even approximate estimates were not certain in the chaos of this morning's conditions.

FIREMAN OVERCOME RONALD W. CURRIE, a member of No. 4 Fire Station, one of the men called to the fire by the third alarm, was overcome by smoke early this forenoon and after first aid at the Ross Drug Co., King street, was taken to his home, No. 250 City Road. He was all right again this afternoon and wanted to get back to the scene of the fire.

FLOOD CONDITIONS C. A. Conlon, photographer, on top of the Lawrence property between the Victoria Hotel and the Daniel building and immediately adjoining the scene of the fire, has had his rooms drenched and broken up, so much so that insurance policies will probably not make complete replacement. Gray & Ritchey, book-sellers, have been completely flooded on their top floor, and the cellar, the latter being veritably a swimming pool. No estimate of the loss could be given as the water is of a highly perishable quality. Tons of water poured into the burning Daniel structure to check progress of the flames, which were then accumulated in the cellar of the building and overflowed in a series of tanks, as it were, through cellar to cellar into adjoining buildings even as far down the hill as Victoria Hotel. The Dykeman building was almost entirely submerged with nearly eight feet depth and shipping or top cellar floor, is awash.

THIS FORENOON Up to noon hour today Fire Chief Vaughan's men were working in the Daniel building striving to smother out the last gasp of the fire which issued itself in gusty blasts under condition of the street railway traffic caused by the heavy snow, such as the Victoria Hotel. This morning was relieved in the vicinity of 11 o'clock by sweepers, scrapping a large crew of N. B. Power Company workmen, under the general supervision of Hazen McLean. Linemen from the two electric corporations and the telephone company were at noon time working in a survey of the interruptions to their service through ice-hewn wires, breaks, entanglements, etc.

ORIGIN FIRE UNKNOWN. Nobody seems to know how the fire began. A theory that it may have originated in the furnace room and crept through the elevator shaft to a point of contact on the top floor was not considered a probable one by Walter McBay, mechanical superintendent for F. W. Daniel & Company, Limited. He said that every safeguard had been taken against such a risk. The Daniel building had suffered from a similar fire thirteen years ago and in the reconstruction plans special precautionary measures were taken to avoid this route of fire communication. When business closed in the Daniel establishment last night the usual inspection was gone through with.

CHIEF'S CAR STALLED. Fire Chief Vaughan, who arrived on the scene shortly after the first alarm, because his car was stalled in a snow bank, states his aim at once was to defeat the goal that threatened to wipe out the whole city block. He felt more comfortable about the Dykeman property which was not affected by the gusty storm so four pumping engines were mostly devoted to check the blaze back of the burning building, near the Victoria Hotel corridor and the Conlon studio. That this prompt decision was a wise one and effectively carried out was the grateful testimony of a group of insurance men who witnessed the fight throughout the early morning.

IGNITION ON TOP FLOOR. It seemed as though ignition must have taken place on the top floor, as there was no trace of fire on the lower stories of the building. This top-floor condition remained the same from the roof.

PRINCE SETTLES DOWN TO SERIOUS BUSINESS OF AN HEIR-APPARENT

Changes From Debonair Man-About-Town to Serious Student of State and Industrial Problems—Pending Engagement to Princess Astrid Called "Hardy Annual."

By SIDNEY J. WILLIAMS, United Press Staff Correspondent. Copyright 1926 by United Press.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The Prince of Wales, one of the few crown princes of Europe sure of a throne, is seriously considering the responsibilities of becoming King. One of his closest male friends, in an exclusive interview at St. James Palace with the United Press, stated that the Prince during the last eighteen months had changed from a debonair, care-free man about town, to a studious, serious heir-apparent. No longer do dancing and revues form an important part of the daily program of the Prince. Instead, the interests of the state, the industrial problems of Great Britain, the functioning of charities and hospitals, are now his main interests.

REPORT REFLECTS BETTER CONDITIONS

Bathurst Company Annual Statement Shows Increase in Operating Profits

MONTREAL, Feb. 11.—The annual report of the Bathurst Company, Limited, for the year ending December 31, 1925, now being mailed to shareholders, reflects improved conditions in the sulphite and kraft pulp markets. Operating profits of \$854,082 for 1925 compared with \$218,889 for 1924, and \$218,889 for 1924, are reported. The report also shows a balance of \$877,110, as compared with \$1,198,220 amount for 1924. From this amount the company wrote off \$460,644 for depreciation (as against \$215,739 in the previous year), and \$86,808 for depletion of timber limits, leaving a net profit for the year of \$19,658. In 1924 there was a net profit of \$1,180.

SOUTH BRANCH CASE BEING HEARD TODAY

Appeal Over Fishing Privileges—P. W. Thomson Matter Occupies Morning

Special to The Times-Star. FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 11.—This afternoon the Supreme Court heard the chancery appeal in the case of South Branch Fishing Club vs. Linton in which the defendant, Thomas A. Linton of Saint John, is supporting an appeal from a judgment of Mr. Justice Grimmer. Chief Justice Barry of the Kings Bench Division sat in place of Judge Grimmer. This case has been in the courts for some time.

MUSSOLINI FAILS TO IMPRESS GENEVA

Nothing in Speech Conflicts With League Principles, Says Official

GENEVA, Feb. 11.—Geneva is not impressed by Premier Mussolini's declaration of an assembly or council to interfere in the Italian administration of Southern Tyrol.

Ship Wrecked On Sable Isle

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 11.—The steamer Harold Casper, bound from an English port to New York, grounded on the south side of Sable Island, near Eastlight, during the night and was this morning breaking in two and rapidly sinking. Captain Harkness and his crew of 27 men reached shore safely in the ship's boat before the lifeboat from the island had left the beach.

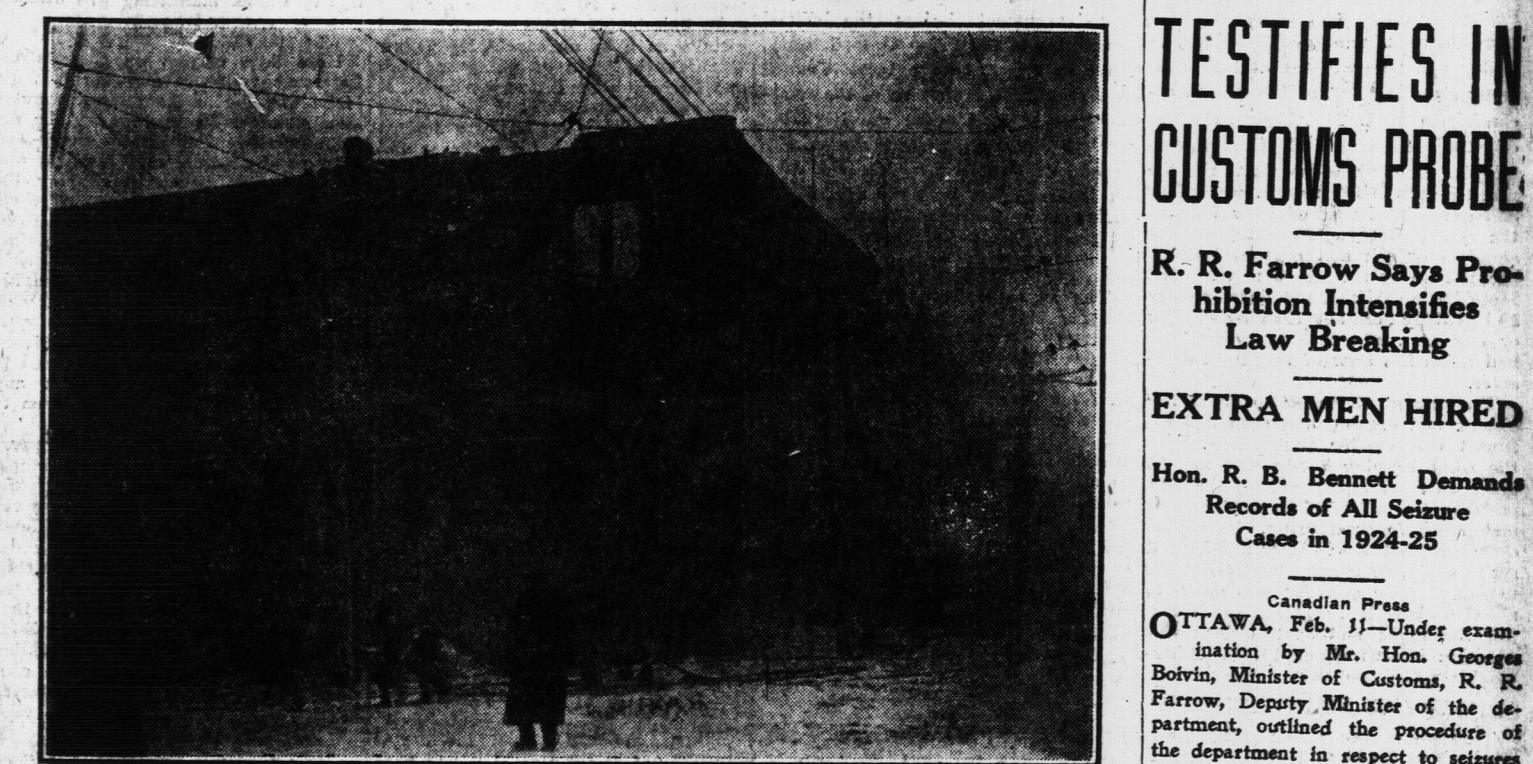
NO DIVISION SEEN

Talk of Amendment in House Tonight is Discounted By Ottawa

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 11.—Conservative members of the House today, during continued discussion of the Sutherland amendment to the address, according to present plans may not have more than one speaker, while Conservatives have half a dozen or so on the list.

Official Admits Increased Smuggling

Scene of This Morning's Big Fire



SNAPSHOT of the scene of this morning's fire, head of King street, showing the partially destroyed Daniel building, the water-soaked structures adjoining on both sides. The picture was taken in a snow-storm amid the smoke and steam of the smoldering ruins, about 11 o'clock.

Northeast U. S. Storm Takes Toll of 16 Lives; Snowbound 24 Hours

Yarmouth Steamer Held Up By Storm Bitter Cold Follows On Heel of Second Big Blizzard

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Bitter cold today followed on the heels of a second blizzard in a week that buried Northeastern United States under two feet of snow, took 16 lives and held the section virtually snowbound for 24 hours.

DEPLORES DELAY IN DIAGNOSIS OF T. B.

Dr. A. F. Miller Reports 56 Per Cent. of N. S. Cases Almost Helpless

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 11.—In his report on the activities of the Nova Scotia Sanatorium, Kentville, N. S., filed in the legislative assembly yesterday, Dr. A. F. Miller, medical superintendent, draws attention to the evil of delayed diagnosis. During the year ending September 30, 1925, which the report covers, fifty-six per cent of those applying to the sanatorium for treatment in an advanced and almost hopeless stage of tuberculosis were found to be suffering from the disease.

Villa's Head Shipped To Chicago, Says Paper

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 11.—The Mexican paper Grafico prints a story, otherwise completely unsubstantiated here, quoting an anonymous American journalist who had been in the city of General Francisco Villa had been cut off at the instigation of an "eccentric Chicago millionaire, a student of criminology" who had sent emissaries to Mexico with instructions to get Villa's head at any cost. Villa's head, the newspaper adds, has been shipped to Chicago.

4 CHILDREN BURNED

Mother of Six, Alone, Rescued Two in Gosport, Pa.

COATESVILLE, Pa., Feb. 11.—Four children were burned to death yesterday when fire destroyed the home of Benjamin Eiters, at Gosport, near here.

Spanish Seismograph Registers 'Quake'

TOLEDO, Spain, Feb. 11.—The seismograph of the central seismological station here registered a violent earth shock at 2:29 p. m. yesterday. It lasted fifty seconds. The centre of the disturbance was estimated six thousand miles distant.

Calgary Farmers Begin Spring Work

CALGARY, Feb. 11.—Farmers are beginning spring work in the vicinity of Calgary. Farmers near Calgary Junction have begun to harrow their summer fallow.

Magistrate Upholds Theatre 'Petting'

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—According to Magistrate MacCreary, Margaret Brown, 17, and John Crawford, 21, were within their legal rights when they sat in a movie theatre with their arms around each other.

DEP. MINISTER TESTIFIES IN CUSTOMS PROBE

R. R. Farrow Says Prohibition Intensifies Law Breaking

EXTRA MEN HIRED

Hon. R. B. Bennett Demands Records of All Seizure Cases in 1924-25

OTTAWA, Feb. 11.—Under examination by Mr. Hon. George Bovin, Minister of Customs, R. R. Farrow, Deputy Minister of the department, outlined the procedure of the department in respect to seizures of the customs of the House of Commons this morning.

DISPOSAL OF GOODS.

Mr. Bennett examined the deputy minister regarding the disposal of seized goods. It was stated that seized goods could be forfeited, destroyed, sold by tender and at public auction or disposed of by the minister, as directed and abandoned in mid-Atlantic during the severe storms of the last week in January.

SEE SETTLEMENT AT MINTO LIKELY

Reported Differences is Slight After Conference Held Last Night

Special to The Times-Star. FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 11.—The conciliation board considering the Minto coal miners' strike adjourned this morning until next Tuesday at Minto. Future sittings will be private.

Australia Grants Aid To Prospector

MELBOURNE, Feb. 11.—Both houses of Parliament today, passed a bill providing that the sum of £40,000 be devoted to the encouragement of prospecting for precious metals in Australia.

Germany Proposes Reduction of Taxes

BERLIN, Feb. 11.—Dr. Peter Reinhold, Minister of Finance, introducing the budget in the Reichstag, declared a drastic reduction in the expenses of Federal, State and Communal offices is imperative, as business and industry are too heavily taxed.

The Weather

SYNOPSIS—The Atlantic coast storm which is not so severe as that of last week, is now centered near Yarmouth, N. S., and gales with heavy snow have prevailed in the Maritimes. The weather continues cold from Ontario eastward and mild in the west.

FORECASTS:

Moderately Cold, Snow. MARITIME—Strong winds and moderate gales, shifting to north-west, moderately cold with occasional light snow today and Friday.

NEW ENGLAND—Fair and continued cold tonight Friday fair with slowly rising temperature. Considerably warmer Saturday; diminishing northwest and north winds becoming variable Friday.

Table with columns for location, highest temperature, and lowest temperature. Locations include Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, and St. John's.

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STORM BRINGS CITY ANOTHER SNOW COATING

Drifts Give Some Trouble in the Operating of Trains...

GENERAL IN CENTRE OF PROVINCE TODAY

February Making Record - All Night Work Keeps Street Ry. Open.

A record snowfall for the month of February here seems certain now, with more than six inches of fall added yesterday...

Throughout the whole night crews of the New Brunswick Power Co. battled with the snow drifts to keep the street car tracks clear...

At the district superintendent's office of the C. P. R., it was reported that the storm was not so serious...

The Maritime Express from Moncton was one hour and 20 minutes late today. The C. N. R. train from Moncton last night was 30 minutes behind time...

ROADS DRIFTED
Highways in the neighborhood of Fredericton are badly drifted. New Maryland road, within the city limits, had drifts 11 feet high in places before the last storm...

CROWN LANDS CASE AFFECTS PROVINCES

Quebec Granted Leave to Appeal to The Privy Council
The Dominion Government's power to appropriate provincial crown lands in the Province of Quebec...

GIRL IS IDENTIFIED

Elsie Regan, Slain in New York, Adopted Daughter of Ottawa Man
OTTAWA, Feb. 11.—Elsie Regan, the Ottawa girl who was found dead to death in New York on Monday and who was only identified yesterday, was the adopted daughter of Hugh McCormick...

Deputy Minister Testifies At Probe

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employment of 60 or 70 extra privy officers. Mr. Farrow said this was approximately true...

Damage In Blaze Threatening City Block May Reach \$150,000

SPLENDID SALVAGE
The fire had been going for less than half an hour when the plan employed by the department of concentrating the play of water on the unscathed buildings showed its effectiveness...

JUDICIAL HOSE WORK
Hose lines carried up through the Lawrence residence and the Victoria Hotel building in King street were used to extinguish the fire...

AT DAYBREAK
As daybreak approached, the flood of water was beginning to tell on the King street buildings...

UNIQUE SITUATION
It was only a week ago that the opposite corner to the Daniel building (B. L. Lawrence estate) was visited by fire...

IS GIVEN BICYCLE
Willie Logan's Prowess Recognized by St. Peter's Holy Name Society
The weekly smoker of St. Peter's Holy Name Society was held last evening and was attended by about 150 members...

February Special Prices
Will exchange you old parlor, dining and bedroom Suites, etc. for part payment on any new Furniture you wish to purchase...

Local News

NOT HELD
The Glen Falls Community Club card party arranged for last evening was postponed because of the storm.

FUNERAL SATURDAY
On account of the conditions of the roads after the storm it has been decided to have the funeral of Henry Lee held from the undertaking rooms of P. J. Fitzpatrick...

AIDS EMIGRATION

Hudson's Bay Company Starts Scheme to Attract Good Class to Canada
LONDON, Feb. 11.—The Hudson's Bay Company is starting its own emigration scheme and has formed the Hudson's Bay Company Overseas Limited...

MAY RETURN VIA U.S.

Franco Proposes Continuing Flight From Buenos Aires to New York
BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 11.—Having flown from Palos, Spain, to Buenos Aires, Commander Franco said today Alfonso a proposal to continue his flight from Buenos Aires to New York...

SAYS WRECK COMM. FREE TO CRITICIZE

Deputy Minister of Marine Takes Issue With R. W. Reford
OTTAWA, Oct. 11.—That R. W. Reford, president of the Shipping Federation of Canada, apparently did not understand the position and powers of the Dominion wreck commissioners...

AGREABLE TO TRANSFER
The wreck commissioner was absolutely independent, Mr. Johnson said. His position was comparable in that respect to a chief justice of the court...

BUSINESS LOCALS

Big hockey match Arena tonight. Jubilee concert at St. Philip's church bazaar tonight. Admission 10c. 2-12

Central Baptist Philanth Club party safe. Veterans and Gards Veterans. Men's odd coats and odd vests. Lots to select from.

Pandemonium Outing Association bridge and dance, Pythian Castle, Thursday, Feb. 11. Professor James F. Brown's lecture on Schubert before the St. John Art Club is postponed for a month...

JUST RECEIVED - BRETBY ART WARE

Bulb Bowls, Window Boxes, Floating Bowls Vases, Candlesticks, etc. Shown in a variety of colors. And a large assortment from which you can choose Most suitable bridge prizes.

O. H. WARWICK & CO., LTD. 78-80-82 KING STREET

Prominent People On Board Montclare

A large number of passengers will reach Saint John on the Canadian Pacific steamship Montclare when she docks on next Sunday from Liverpool, whence she sailed on last Saturday.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF SAINT JOHN

The popular Hoyt's Revue will appear today in an entire new bill, and no doubt it will prove to be, as usual, of exceptional merit.

Opera House Has New Program Today
The popular Hoyt's Revue will appear today in an entire new bill, and no doubt it will prove to be, as usual, of exceptional merit.

FOR Your Stomach PHILLIPS' Milk of Magnesia

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York Tax Rate Lower This Year
FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 11.—In the interest of economy in civic administration the Frederickton sub district board of health has been requested to meet a special committee...

BIRTHS BELLEVALE—To Mr. and Mrs. John C. Belyea, Bathurst, on Feb. 10—a daughter. CLARKSON—At the Saint John Infirmary, on Feb. 10, to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Clarkson of Edmunton, N. B., a son, Joseph Reid.

MARRIAGES STILWELL-HANSON—On Dec. 31, 1925, by the Rev. Wm. MacDonnell, of Victoria street Baptist church, Moncton, to Charles Weldon Stilwell, York Co., and Jean Hanson, of Grand Falls, St. John.

DEATHS MITCHELL—At her parents' residence, 192 Queen street, on Feb. 9, 1926, Charlotte Louise, wife of George B. Mitchell, nee Elizabeth, aged 72 years.

RIFLE SCORES. The following scores were made at the shoot for members of the Saint John Rifle Association last Saturday: O. J. Dick, 89; I. E. Archibald, 88; A. S. Emery, 87; Ira Starr, 87; H. W. Hamilton, 86; J. T. Downey, 85; J. C. Cavanaugh, 85; P. Boyaner, 84; Chas. Bradshaw, 80; G. F. Cochrane, 80.

TRURO WINS 3-2. ANTIGONISH, Feb. 10.—Truro defeated Antigonish, 3 to 2, in the second game of the elimination series in the A. P. C. Hockey League here tonight.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. RHEUMATISM, GRAVEL, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, BRIGHT'S DISORDER, DIABETES, BACKACHE, SANDS, MOST THE PAIN.

MORE ACTUAL NOURISHMENT. The body draws more from an ounce of Butter-Nut Bread than any other food. Think that over.

FARM HELP. THE SALVATION ARMY EMIGRATION DEPARTMENT. Are now in a position to supply farmers with men and boys for farm work.

BUTTER-NUT BREAD. The body draws more from an ounce of Butter-Nut Bread than any other food. Think that over. Eat and serve lots of it. You'll cut down the household expenses if you do.

Amland Bros., Ltd. 19 Waterloo St. This handsome leatherette Rocker, stongly made, etc., while they last at only \$23.00—\$3.00 down and \$5.00 per month. Only a few more left. Come in and see us.

EUROPE PLANS ONLY FOR PEACE, SAYS OBSERVER

New Spirit of Co-operation is Extending Its Beneficial Influence

CURED OF HATREDS Countries See Fighting Only as Gambling Game That Ruins Everybody

EDITOR'S NOTE—J. W. T. Mason has just completed a two-month tour of the principal nations in Europe. During his trip he conferred with leaders in England, France, Germany and Italy. He has had unexampled opportunities for observing the situation in Europe since the turning point of the Locarno Treaties. In this article he sums up the conclusions he reached during his tour.

By J. W. T. MASON Written for the United Press LONDON, Feb. 11.—A new spirit of co-operation and mutual forbearance is extending its beneficial influence over an increasing part of Europe. The hatreds of the World War, which seemed eternal a short time ago, are being forgotten. Germany is beginning to confess that French enmity may have been deserved, and Englishmen are saying that the war guilt was not all on the side of Germany.

HATREDS FORGOTTEN. Traveling through the countries of Europe, and comparing present public sentiment with popular opinion of the period following the Versailles treaty is like passing from one epoch of history into its opposite. Europe is through with hatreds for the time being. Humanistic sentiments are abroad such as would have made the Versailles treaty an entirely different document had they existed at the time of the peace negotiation.

There is no sentimentality in the new spirit of peace. On that respect it differs from the idealism of the millennium movement of the war period. Europe today is passing into the control of practical men of affairs whose ideals are based on the principle of facing today's problem today and not legislating for the indefinite future. Europe is rapidly becoming its old self once more, plus the experience gained from the war that fighting is a gamblers game that ruins everybody. This is not to say Europe has seen its last war. The probability is that there will be another war when some nation decides it has found an unbreakable system, just as the labors of Monte Carlo ever think they have found a combination of numbers that will prove infallible against the roulette wheel.

But for the moment, Europe has resolved that the roulette wheel is a

THOUSANDS MOURN EAST SIDE WOMAN

Mrs. Scharlin of New York, Hard-headed, Warm-hearted Philanthropist

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Thousands of mourners attended the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Scharlin, hard-headed, warm-hearted business woman and philanthropist of the East Side. Mrs. Scharlin, who was 69 years old, died of pneumonia at her home, 212 East Broadway.

For 20 years she had been a widow, and during all that time she had waged a successful fight against big tobacco manufacturers who sought to buy or ruin the snuff factory she and her husband established at 110 Division street soon after they came to this country from Russia in 1901.

The faded sign on the little building now reads "S. Scharlin & Son," but the active head of the business in buying, selling and manufacturing has been Sarah Scharlin ever since the death of her husband Simon in 1906.

MUCH FOR CHARITY. She was president of the Fuel and Aid Society, the Moshim Noshim Organization, the Lying-In Relief Association, and several other charitable organizations. She was a member of 83 such organizations, including those purely charitable in their scope, and those which are in part educational or religious.

In many of them she took an active part as a founder, her life in New York having been coincidental with the tremendous growth in its Jewish population. It has been said that she had given \$300,000 to charity, as well as devoting a large part of her valuable time to relief work on the East Side.

Four sons survive her and two daughters. They are former Assemblyman Sidney Scharlin, Jacob Scharlin, Bernard Scharlin, Harry Scharlin, Mrs. Moses Duckman and Mrs. M. Jaffe.

\$500 FOR WOMEN'S HOME. MONCTON, Feb. 10.—(Special)—The funds of the Inter-Provincial Home for Women, near here, opened last week, have been increased recently by a donation of \$500 from F. P. Loggie, of Loggieville.

Look What You Save On These

- Sweet Oranges, per doz. 39c
Cooking Apples, per pk. 25c
10 lbs Onions. 25c
24 lb Bag Royal Household Flour \$1.15
15 lbs Lard Sugar. \$1.00
3 tins Corn. 25c
2 Large Tins Tomatoes. 27c
2 Tins Peas. 29c
2 Tins Peas. 29c
2 Tins Campbell's Soup. 29c
2 lbs Prunes. 21c
1 lb Pure Lard. 23c
3 lb Pail Pure Lard. 65c
5 lbs Pail Pure Lard. \$1.10
1 lb Shortening. 17c
5 lb Pail Shortening. 90c
Dried Peaches, per lb. 18c
16 oz Jar Raspberry or Strawberry Jam. 29c
2 Tins Sliced Pineapple. 25c
2 Tins Clark's Beans. 25c
5 lb Rolled Oats. 25c
4 lbs Western Grey Buckwheat. 25c
4 lbs Rice. 25c
3 pgs Seeded Raisins. 29c
Sour Pickles, per bottle. 15c
2 lbs Mince Meat. 29c
Bulk Tea, worth 65c—Special per lb. 52c
Fat Pork, per lb. 23c
2 pgs Corn Flakes. 23c
3 pgs Jelly. 23c
Frying Brown only. 45c
4 Bars Surprise Soap. 25c
4 Bars Fairy Soap. 25c
4 Bars Infant's Delight Soap. 25c
4 Bars Palm Olive Soap. 23c
2 Tins Dutch Cleanser. 21c
2 Tins Gold Dust. 25c
4 Bars Laundry Soap. 25c
2 Doz Snap Clothes Pins. 29c
3 Boxes Matches for 29c
4 Tins Sardines. 25c

Wilcox's Grocery City Delivery. Phone 1018 Co. Queen and Carmarthen Sts.

Evangelist JOHN H. WELLS Douglas Avenue Christian Church West Saint John or Fairville Street Cars. Every Night at 8 Except Saturday. ALL INVITED 2-12

At CARLETON'S For Quilting Time—Green, Yellow and Turkey Red Cottons. Turkey Chintz, Pound Patch Cotton 25c and 50c. per pound; 2 lb. Batts, 6x7 feet, pure white, 90c. Also three sizes in Stamped Mat Bottoms. 245 WATERLOO STREET Store Closed 6 P. M., Saturday 10 P. M.

Chinese Students Capture Capital

Canadian Press PERING, Feb. 11.—Converting China's Parliament buildings into dormitories for themselves is the latest escapade of a group of Peking students.

The 1200 young scholars of the National Law School captured the Senate and House of Representatives and succeeded in intruding the Ministries of Education and of the Interior into the buildings they had so that the two buildings are now officially recognized as being part of the university.

DR. BAXTER WILL The allegations against the will of the late Dr. George O. Baxter were filed yesterday by the registrar, Heber Keith. The hearing in the matter will be resumed in the Probate Court before Judge H. O. McInerney, on Monday, Feb. 15.

CONFERENCE HERE Dr. G. G. Melvin, chief medical health officer of the province, is expected in the city on Friday to attend a conference of a committee from the Victorian Order of Nurses and a committee from the Saint John Sub-District Board of Health to discuss child welfare work in the city.

CARDS ENJOYED.

The card party in St. John the Baptist church hall last night was greatly enjoyed by a large number of patrons. Cards were played at 50 tables and the prize winners were as follows: Ladies', first, Mrs. James McCormack, second, Miss Vera Burns, and third, Mrs. H. V. McMillan; gentlemen, first, Walter Coughlan, second, Joseph Ber-

nard, and third, Vincent McNeill. The card party next week will be held on Tuesday.

SCIENTIST DROWNED. DUNDEE, Scotland, Feb. 11.—Doctor James F. Gemmill, the distinguished Scottish scientist, was found drowned in the Firth of Tay, near the Tay bridge Tuesday.

Areal whole wheat cracker TRISCUIT made the same as Shredded Wheat Biscuit Pressed into a wafer. Crisp, Delicious

KRAFT CHEESE advertisement featuring an illustration of a woman in a kitchen and text describing the product's benefits and availability.

Four Beautiful Rooms for \$500 advertisement showing a detailed illustration of a furnished living room, dining room, and bedroom.

J. Marcus Furniture, Rugs advertisement with contact information for 30-36 Dock St.

Are You Lucky?

If you are you can get a \$7 Parker Pen, \$5 Watch, \$6 Evershap Set, \$5 Ivory Lamp, \$8 Handbag, \$4 Perfume Atomizer, \$9 Manicure Set, \$7 Ivory Mirror, \$3.90 Camera or \$4 Box Moir's Chocolate for only

98 Cents Buy a Lucky Parcel from the lot in Wasson's Sydney street window, every one guaranteed to be worth at least \$1.50, ten have prizes as listed above.

WASSONS 2 STORES advertisement for Johnson's Anodyne Liniment, highlighting its effectiveness for various ailments.

MALONE'S advertisement listing various grocery items and their prices, including flour, sugar, and canned goods.

Robertson's advertisement listing various grocery items and their prices, including flour, sugar, and canned goods.

DYKEMAN'S advertisement listing various grocery items and their prices, including flour, sugar, and canned goods.

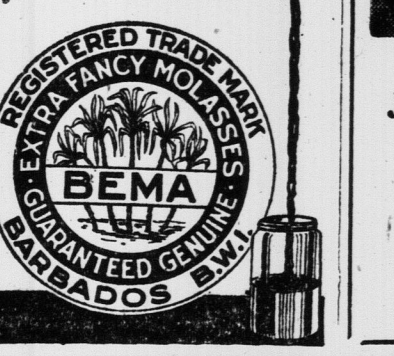


Say Genuine Barbados Molasses

IF YOU want to buy Maple Syrup you don't ask for Syrup. Syrup may mean any concoction of glucose.

If you want pure, rich, healthful molasses insist upon Genuine Barbados Molasses.

GOOD GROCERS SELL IT.



At CARLETON'S

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SAINT JOHN, N. B., FEBRUARY 11, 1926.

A BAD FIRE

There will be very general regret because of this morning's fire in the business heart of the city which caused so much damage to the premises and stock of Messrs. F. W. Daniel & Co., and, though in less degree, to neighboring firms.

THROUGH SAINT JOHN.

The recent arrival at this port of a steamer carrying a cargo of oranges from Spain for the general market in Ontario has attracted considerable attention in other parts of Canada, as affording evidence that such importations, formerly made by way of American ports, might better be made direct.

Under the heading "It Can Be Done," the Border Citizen Star devotes an editorial to the matter, in the course of which it says:

"One of the most notable cargoes to arrive at the port of Saint John, New Brunswick, recently, was brought by the steamer 'Valmiera,' and consisted of 160,000 pounds of oranges from Spain, grown in the district around Seville and destined for wholesale manufacturers in Ontario. It took a train of 61 refrigerated cars, routed by the Canadian National to the National Transcontinental line as far as Quebec, to handle the shipment.

"What was noteworthy about the orange ship is not the size of the cargo, Ontario has been using huge quantities of Spanish oranges in the manufacture of marmalade for years. But they have been coming via Buffalo from the port of New York heretofore, and loss of people probably thought they could not come any other way. But the Maritime Provinces have been raising their voice, demanding that Canadian shipments use Canadian ports.

"The quick dispatch given this shipment by the C. N. R. after the steamer arrived was a good example of enterprise and a determination to secure other such cargoes for this route.

"Speaking of matters affecting this port, the Dominion Government is now calling for tenders for steamers for the West India services, under the provisions of the new treaty, and it is important that when this matter is discussed in Parliament, Saint John's claims shall be vindicated as a port to and from which these steamers may ply. If the treaty serves the purposes in view, Canada's business with the West Indies and parts of South America will be increased very materially, and one result should be the direct importation of the tropical fruits which now come to us almost entirely through the United States.

"Saint John is the Maritime port affording the shortest rail haul to the interior of Canada, and it is important that its strategic position and the advantages it affords in this respect should be definitely recognized when the details of the new steamship services are worked out.

BOORS IN PARLIAMENT.

There are a few members of Parliament, according to the editor of the Ottawa Citizen, who behave very much like the bad boy in the country school who makes faces at the other pupils when the teacher's back is turned. The Citizen gives members of Parliament as a whole an ungrudging certificate for reasonable dignity and self-respect in their conduct.

"When it is remembered that the only woman member of the Canadian parliament has to endure the slurring remarks, which are made so as to be inaudible to Mr. Speaker, the responsibility would surely seem to be upon honorable Conservatives—the majority of members sitting next to the Progressives—to suppress the odds who are certainly no credit to the Conservative party; or to the parliament of Canada. Perhaps allowance should be made for the fact that they are new members,

Just Fun

"I'LL SWING for this," said the ham-mock as it saw the young couple approaching.

THE absent-minded professor was coming out of the theatre, passing the box office he noticed it was closed. "Well, this is unfortunate—all sold out."

THERE'S a sucker born every minute and a new uplift society to collect from him.

Dear lady mine, each time you smile, Earth seems like a paradise awhile. But when tears dim your bright blue eyes 'Tis like a tempest from clear skies.

IN THE old days a college girl had to be naughty but nice. Nowadays she has to be nice and naughty.

MAYBE a man doesn't go home when you come Mrs. McDoon, and I can't think what it was.

PADEREWSKI owes the government \$4,000 income tax, but he has other excuses for not paying in Washington.

BETTY'S Mother: "There was something I wanted to ask you when you came Mrs. McDoon, and I can't think what it was."

IF EVERY man worked one-half as hard as he thinks he does the world would be full of great successes.

SMALL Boy (who had been scolded by his mother): "I say, Dad, we'd have had a fine time doing as we liked if you hadn't married mother."

He kissed a pretty country lass Milder simple scene, He kissed a little city girl, And caught the painter's colic.

"HOW dare you with your scandalous plot propose to me! I wouldn't take much for me to have you thrown downstairs and the dogs turned on you."

JUDGE: When you work what do you do? Tramp: I'm an organist. Judge: Why, an organist should never be out of a job. What's the trouble? Tramp: My monkey died—everybody's Magazine.

A DOCTOR had just finished taking the temperature of a sick traveler who was suffering from a raging fever. "It's gone to 102," he announced in a tragic voice.

Playgrounds Wanted



Shade of the Duke of Wellington: "My boys were reared on the playing field. Why are there none for you?"

TO NIGHT. Mysterious night! when our first parent knew Thee from report divine, and heard thy name, Did he not tremble for this lovely frame.

THE LIGHT IN THE GREAT DARKNESS. CHEATIVE man has measured the span of the heavens, calculated the volume of the stars, arrested the lightning in its clouds, subdued the seas, and harnessed the elements to do his bidding.

ONLY the ignorant, the misguided, the belittled, it is science that is making our world such a wonderful place to live, not the blatant pulpitiaries who denounce it.

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Dinner Stories

"AMONG the tenements that lay within my jurisdiction when I first took up mission work on the East Side," says a New York young woman, "was one to clean out which would have called for the efforts of the renovator of the Aegan stables. And the families in this tenement were almost as hopeless as the tenement itself."

"On one occasion I felt distinctly encouraged, however, since I observed that the fact of one youngster was actually clean.

"William," said I, "your face is fairly clean, but how did you get such dirty hands?"

"Washin' 'em face," said William.

Who's Who IN THE DAY'S NEWS. DR. HENRY PARKER WILLIS.

A SURVEY of the banking and currency problems of Ireland is to be undertaken by a delegation of financial experts headed by Dr. Henry Parker Willis, editor of the Journal of Commerce, New York, and professor of banking at Columbia University.

After doing special work at the University of Leipzig and Vienna he became a professor of economics and political science at Washington and Lee University. In 1905 he went to George Washington University as professor of finance, becoming dean of the college of political sciences in 1910.

After remaining in that position two years Dr. Willis deserted the lecture room to become associate editor of the New York Journal of Commerce. He has been connected with the Federal Reserve board of Washington in various capacities.

Dr. Willis was president of the Philippine National Bank, 1916-1917, and special commissioner in Australia for

the Chase National Bank and Central Trust Company in 1919. He has also been on the staff of the New York Evening Post, and the Springfield Republican. As a special correspondent he toured Japan, China and the Philippines in 1904. House committees have often retained him as financial advisor.

In 1913 Dr. Willis lectured at Columbia University, and became professor of banking in 1917. He is the author of many financial treatises.

TEACHER: "Give a sentence illustrating the use of the word 'pencil.'" ISAACS: "If I don't wear suspenders my pants'll come off."

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INSTRUCTIVE

Dorothy Dix

Is the Middle-Aged Man Who Swaps His Old Wife for a Flapper Ever Happy?—The Plight of the Older Woman Married to a Boy—Getting Rid of an Objectionable Mother-in-Law.

DEAR MISS DIX—I am a bachelor of 30, and it is appalling to me the number of married men of my age and older who are falling in love with young women and divorcing their wives to marry them. I can't for the life of me see how they can be so stupid—to say nothing of being so dishonorable—as to wreck their homes, break their wives' hearts, disillusion their children and disgust the public for what they get out of it.

DOROTHY DIX

One of my friends has recently cut loose, as I have described, and after his divorce married the woman with whom he thought he was in love. Most of his old friends dropped him, but I go to see him occasionally, and it doesn't take a Sherlock Holmes to see that everything is not a bed of roses even now, after six months. His first wife had good taste and kept a most attractive home. His present home is commonplace and untidy; his wife a woman of narrow interests and no cultivation.

She is much younger than he and they have nothing in common. Having to support two families has cut his income in half, and it is not hard to see that the wife is disappointed because she cannot have even the car they drove around in before his divorce.

Have other friends who have had similar experiences. In not one case that I can recall has the man bettered himself by swapping wives. Does it ever work out?

ANSWER: "Well, hardly ever," as they used to say in "Pinafore." There may be men so callous and so dead of soul that they can sacrifice their faithful old wives and their children to their passion without feeling a pang of remorse, but such men are exceedingly rare.

The average married man who is a philanderer is not a bad man at heart. He is not cold and hard and cruel. He is only weak and vain and sensual, and no other sinners in the world ever gets more bitterly punished for his wrong-doing than he does.

When a middle-aged man falls in love with a flapper young enough to be his daughter and divorces his wife, he is divorcing her for the sympathy of the public goes to the poor, forsaken wife, but in reality it is the man we should pity. The wife has the ineffable consolation of a clear conscience. She has the respect of all who know her and she has her children.

The man knows that he has forfeited the regard of his little world; that everybody looks upon him with contempt as a silly old fool who has been taken in by a scheming woman. And nine times out of ten his divorce from his good old wife marks the beginning of his decline in prosperity.

And the second marriage that he expected to renew his youth and bring him some miraculous romance brings him only misery. He finds that he is old, after all; that he has nothing in common with the young wife, and that she has married him only for what she can get out of him.

Also he finds that the last family that are even worse than the first wife's, and that she has not the offsetting virtue of a deep and abiding love for him. He misses his children and the old home, and the old ways and the old friends, and he would be glad enough to swap back if he could.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—A few years ago I married a young man many years my junior. At the time I thought I was deeply in love with him, but I have awakened to the fact that what I thought was love with only a maternal affection, and I cannot help but show it. My husband resents this, as his love has grown deeper. The difference in our ages has constantly caused criticism, which makes me very unhappy.

Can a condition like this end happily? Would it be better to set my husband free so that he might marry a younger woman? What shall I do? Am I trying to do my best, or make a clear break?

ANSWER: I should think that it was your manifest duty to carry on as long as your young husband loves you and do your best to make him happy. After all, your case isn't so desperate, because every good wife comes to look upon her husband as upon a little boy who never grows up, and a large part of her love is maternal. That is why wives can forgive faults in their husbands that husbands never can forgive in their wives.

But when I see women marrying men ten, fifteen, twenty years younger than themselves, I often think what a terrible task they are setting themselves.

For the society of the young is just as boring to the old as the society of the old is to the young.

No middle-aged woman wants to jump around and do what a boy wants to do, and you can't send your young husband out to play with young girls of his own age as you can your son. And this says nothing of the terrible necessity of having perpetual youth forced on you by being married to a man much younger than yourself.

DEAR MISS DIX—I am a young married man. Have a pretty wife and love her dearly. Nice baby, comfortable home, everything all right, except that I also have a mother-in-law who persists in living with us although she has a living husband and four sons, all married. She spends her time finding fault with me and pointing out my weaknesses to my wife. She ruins my home and makes life miserable. What shall I do?

ASK HER TO LEAVE. It is no part of your obligation as a husband to live with your mother-in-law and you are foolish to do so.

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Florence Vidoe.

Is this your BIRTHDAY

FEBRUARY 11—The faults of business and indifference you should fight with all your might. You are very positive, and possess considerable brains, which should be developed. You can be passionate and excitable, but are generally cool and composed. Love will be yours. You are inclined to be jealous, but are not spiteful. Fight against this if you want to lead a happy life.

Menus for the Family

Breakfast. Grapefruits. Sausage with Apples. Toast. Luncheon. Coffee. Club Sandwiches. Creamed Potatoes. Jellied Fruit Salad. Tea. Wafers.

Dinner. Chop Suey. Cold Slaw. Sliced Pudding. Tea or Coffee.

TODAY'S RECIPES. Sausage with Apples—Make the sausage into round, flat cakes, fry brown and keep hot in the oven. Re-cut crosswise in half-inch slices, with them arrange on a platter as sandwiches, a sausage between two rounds of apples.

Salmon Club Sandwiches—Toast two slices of bread for each sandwich. Spread one slice with mayonnaise, on this lay a crisp lettuce leaf and a layer of flaked fish seasoned with salt, pepper and lemon juice. Add a second slice of crisp bacon. Cover with the second slice of toast and serve at once.

Chop Suey—One pound of pork loin chops, two cups celery, two cups dry onions, one pound green string beans, one teaspoonful sugar, three table-spoonfuls of Soy sauce. Cook string beans until tender. Cook celery and onions, chopped in medium sized pieces in one and one-half cups water until partly done. Cut meat in small pieces and fry until done, and then add other ingredients, salt to suit taste, and cook together for twenty minutes. Thicken with one tablespoon of flour.

Sliced Pudding—One cup browned bread crumbs, two cups scalded milk, raisins, one-half teaspoon salt, one-quarter teaspoon cinnamon, one-quarter teaspoon cloves. Soak browned bread crust in milk until soft, and add other ingredients and bake in moderate oven, stirring occasionally at first. Serve with cream. Time for cooking, forty-five minutes. Serves four people.

BRIGGS—It says here that a New York man has had his daughter arrested because she has "a mania for contracting debts."

Let me have that article; I'll put it where my wife can see it.

IN NEW YORK SEE-SAWING UP and DOWN BROADWAY

See-sawing up and down Manhattan Isle, I came upon a slight most passing strange. Henri Berger, ambassador from France—he calls himself Henry to avoid confusion—was leaving the Art Center in 62nd street and about him was such a collection of special policemen, secret service men and private detectives that I suspected President Coolidge must be connected somewhere about.

The painting was purchased in Paris by an Irish lawyer, who, upon his death, decided that its proper place in the motherland of its creator should be in the Louvre. It will be well guarded upon its passage back to France, for this is one of those rare works over which international art thieves watch—as they did over the famous "Mona Lisa."

And yet they say that the art gallery section is the last place in which to find adventure.

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Tiers was left a fortune of any number millions by his father. His mother belongs to the ne plus ultra of New York society—the society that doesn't get into the society columns often, because of its exclusiveness.

And yet, there was the grand name of Tiers down toward the end of the program listed under "smugglers," charcoal burners, landless men, gypsies, etc.

But if you look in the Social Register you'll find it well toward the top; Alexander Harvey Thiers.

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GILBERT SWAN.

ADVENTURES of the TWINS

THE PARTY Calamity Jane's birthday party was a jolly affair. She never guessed a word of what was going on until the Twins escorted her to the dining room of Mister Havalo. And she held out a pink cotton stocking.

But I should be grateful for small blessings, I suppose, and she means well.

So Calamity smiled sweetly and allowed Nancy to tie the bean necklace in a neat bow behind.

"Here is something toward your trousseau," said Helma, who was the next to wish Calamity many happy returns. And she held out a pink cotton stocking.

"Dear me! How kind of you!" said Calamity, who was genuinely pleased. "I'm sure it will be becoming. I used to have two when I was new-born—born, I should say, but my mistress took them off one day to see how they would look on the kitten. He flew out of the playroom and down the stairs and I have never seen them since."

Nobody reminded the poor thing that she had also lost both of her legs as well as her stockings, and that the legs she now owned were not mites, having been donated by Mister Havalo, who had hunted up odds and ends in his tinkering room to make her over.

Teddy gave her a brass curtain ring for a bracelet, which he had found in Hedy Go Land, and the Tin Soldier gave her a bit of paint which had clipped off his red boots. Miss Toosie Mobb and Miss Chrimoine didn't give her anything, which was mean, but Calamity pretended to be glad they didn't.

"Oh, oh! So you are having a party without me," said a new voice. "I have a warrant for your arrest." It was Sniff Whiskers, the rat.

To Be Continued

A Thought

When thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut the door, pray to thy Father which is in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret shall reward thee openly.—Matt. 6:6.

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GOLD PIN GIFT TO MRS. AMY BENDER

Presentation Made to President at Meeting of Fairville W. A.

A very interesting meeting of the senior branch of the W. A. of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Fairville, was held in the rectory yesterday afternoon. Nearly all of the members were present.

Mrs. G. C. F. McIntyre, diocesan treasurer, was present and gave a much appreciated address on the work and aims of the W. A. The meeting opened with prayer and an address by the pastor, Rev. F. J. LeRoy.

Encouraging reports were read by the various secretaries. Mr. LeRoy on behalf of the members, presented Mrs. Amy Bender, the president of the branch, a gold pin and membership certificate as a life member of the diocesan branch.

Mrs. F. J. LeRoy presented Mrs. Bender a bouquet of red and white carnations. Mrs. Bender expressed her warm appreciation of the honor, which had come as a complete surprise.

Mrs. Bender has been a member of the Good Shepherd W. A. for more than 20 years, being a charter member. She has held the office of president for the last 13 years.

The badge of life membership was presented as a fitting reward for faithful work. A social half hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

CONCERT PROGRAM OF HIGH QUALITY

Excellent Musical Event at Admiral Beatty Hotel is Enjoyed

Seldom has Saint John music-lovers had the pleasure of listening to a program of the quality of that provided by the executive of the Ladies' Morning Music Club at their artists' recital last night in the Admiral Beatty Hotel. The Georgian room was filled for the performance. The artists appearing were Leon Kofman, violinist; Brahms, Sand, cellist, and Edward McHugh, baritone.

Mr. Kofman's first number was Handel's "Sonata in D." His manual dexterity combined with the splendid tone he produced from his instrument brought a flood of applause from his audience. As an encore Mr. Kofman played Schubert's "Ave Maria."

Mr. McHugh possesses a wonderful voice and is a Canadian who has studied abroad under the patronage of J. K. Ross, of Montreal. His first group of solos, "Plaisir D'Amour," by Martini; "La Mission Grise," by Messager; "Sere Amiche," by Caldara, and "Lungi Dal Caro Bene," by Secchi, was thoroughly enjoyed.

YOUTHFUL ARTIST

Brahms Sand, who is just 16 years old, played several "Fantasia" with wonderful skill. The work is extremely difficult and involved but Mr. Sand handled it cleverly. As an encore Mr. Sand played Beethoven's "Prometheus."

The singing of several negro spirituals by Mr. McHugh, three by Gaul and two of Burleigh's, delighted his hearers.

A group of three violin solos by Mr. Kofman, consisting of "Pale Moon" by Logan-Kreiser, "Caprice Basque" by Sarasate, and the "Meditation" from "Thais" were well received. Mr. Sand played the "Hungarian Rhapsody" of Popper.

Mr. McHugh then favored his hearers with a group of four solos, "The Princess" by Grieg, "Cannonet" by Haydn, "A Broken Song" by Flaher, and "Loch Lomond." His rendition of "On the Road to Mandalay" as the encore drew prolonged applause.

EXCELLENT FINALE

A fitting closing to the recital was the playing of a trio from Beethoven's "Opus 70" which included "Allegro Vivace Con E Brio," "Largo Assai di Espresso" and "Presto." There were two encores to this number, "La Petite Femme" and "Hornpipe," by Bridge. The trio consisted of Mrs. Franklyn J. Hodgson, piano; Mr. Kofman, violin, and Mr. Sand, cello.

Mrs. Franklyn J. Hodgson, who was accompanist for all the numbers on the program, did wonderful work. The recital closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Mrs. M. H. Berrie Good announced during an intermission that an invitation had been received from the Arts Club inviting the members of the Ladies' Morning Music Club to the February meeting.

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Social Notes of Interest

Mrs. Lorenzo G. Crosby gave a very enjoyable tea at her residence, 176 Germain street, yesterday afternoon, in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Charles W. Kelley, of Winchester, Mass.

The drawing-room was artistically arranged with spring flowers for decoration and in the dining-room the table had in the centre a silver bowl of spring flowers, pink roses, snap dragon and pussy willow. Mrs. Wm. McAvilly presided and was assisted by Mrs. Walter Gilbert, Mrs. William A. Lockhart, Mrs. John W. McKean, Mrs. Mal-dunlop, Miss Mignon Rolie Kerr, Miss Frances Rolie Kerr, Miss H. Barnes and Little Miss Crosby. Little Miss Charlotte Crosby assisted the hostess at the door.

Mrs. Crosby entertained informally at bridge, last evening, for the pleasure of the ladies who assisted her at her reception yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer, 216 Germain street, was the hostess at a very enjoyable bridge of five tables at her residence yesterday afternoon. Early spring flowers adorned the drawing-room and in the dining-room, daffodils and narcissi centered the table, and pink shaded candles cast a subdued light over the delicious confections.

Mrs. Charles Coster and Mrs. Howard Grimmer presided over the tea cups. The fortunate prize winners were Mrs. J. P. Byrne, Mrs. J. Roy Campbell, Mrs. W. W. White, Mrs. W. A. Harrison and Miss Mabel Sidney Smith. Mrs. Grimmer will be a hostess at bridge again on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rankine entertained informally at dinner at a very home, 185 Orange street, on Tuesday evening. The artistically arranged table was decorated with red tulips and red candles in silver candlesticks. Covers were laid for eight guests.

Mrs. T. H. Carter and Miss Muriel Carter entertained at an enjoyable tea at the family residence, 185 Douglas avenue, yesterday afternoon. Spring flowers decorated the drawing-room, and in the dining-room the prettily appointed table, with a basket of spring flowers and pink candles in silver candlesticks for decoration, was presided over by Mrs. A. Allan Sharpe and Mrs. L. M. Curren. Mrs. G. G. Corbett and Mrs. E. Milton Smith received and assisted with the delicious refreshments were Mrs. James E. Gorham, Miss Grace Slipp, Miss Grace Mahoney, Miss Hazel Flewelling and Miss Mildred Parker. Mrs. W. F. Roberts conducted the guests to the dining-room and little Miss Rosalie Dickason assisted at the door. Upwards of 160 guests enjoyed the hospitality of the hostesses.

Mrs. Lloyd A. Drew, 89 Hazen street, gave a small, but none the less enjoyable bridge at her home yesterday afternoon. Spring flowers were used in the decoration of the artistically arranged apartment. Prizes were won by Mrs. George Gregory and Mrs. Keltie Wilson. The guests were Mrs. A. C. Christie, Mrs. Ernest Hiss, Mrs. A. W. Riches, Mrs. Murray Sinclair, Mrs. John Ollis, Mrs. Charles M. Scott, Mrs. Hugh Gregory, Mrs. Paul Cross, Mrs. C. H. Leonard, Mrs. Geo. Gregory, Mrs. Keltie Wilson and Miss

Marion McLean. Mrs. Drew will again be a hostess at bridge this evening.

In honor of Miss Coughlin, of Montreal, who is the guest of Miss Mabel Scully, West Saint John, Miss Ellen O'Regan, 73 Elliott Row, gave a bridge of five tables yesterday afternoon. Spring flowers were used in the decoration of the drawing-room, and at the tea hour jonquils and rose candles in silver candlesticks, decorated the artistically arranged table. Mrs. Frank O'Regan presided. Prizes were won by Miss Winifred Ritchie, Mrs. Thos. Nagle and Mrs. Frederick Hazle, and the guest prize by Miss Coughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barton, 58 Victoria street, entertained at nine tables of auction forty-fives on Tuesday evening. The fortunate prize winners were Mrs. William Clark, Mrs. Walter McColegan, Mrs. A. Ellis, Mr. A. Starkey, Mr. C. Hart and Mr. R. Harvey. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. W. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coleman, Mrs. A. Adams, Mrs. Arthur Ellis, Mrs. Evers, Mrs. James Kingston, Mrs. W. R. Lawson, Miss Louise Lord, Miss Ollie McDonald, Miss V. Lynch, Miss Alice Hartshorne, Miss Marjorie Brittain, Miss Evelyn Brittain, Miss Kathleen Daley, Mr. P. Bailey, Mr. William Walters, Mr. Gordon Bailey, Mr. Chester Hart, Mr. Joseph O'Connor, Mr. C. Barton and Mr. Roy Harvey.

The Garrison Club badminton tournament, for cups donated by Mrs. Percy W. Tomson, which was to have been played this evening, has been postponed until some future date owing to several counter attractions. The regular Thursday evening game will be cards by the members.

Cards have been received by friends in the city from Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Wetmore announcing their safe arrival at Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Wetmore are enjoying a trip to California and before returning home expect to visit Seattle.

Mrs. J. F. Longley, accompanied by her father, Mr. Morton, returned to the city on Tuesday after a pleasant visit to friends in Nova Scotia.

Mrs. George D. Scarborough, Carmarthen Street, expects to leave this evening for Montreal, where she will visit friends for two weeks.

Mrs. J. A. Linton, who has been the guest of Mrs. Joseph T. Christie, returned this week to her home in Montreal.

Rev. Cecil W. Follett, of Loch Lomond, has returned to his parish after a delightful visit with Rev. Father Ford, rector at Fort Fairfield. En route Mr. Follett attended the meetings of the Archdiocese of Saint John.

The many friends of Mrs. W. H. Jones will be glad to hear that she has returned home from the General Public Hospital, where she underwent a very serious operation.

Mrs. and Mrs. Sidney Gibbs entertained about 24 young people on Tuesday evening in honor of the birthday of their daughter, Miss Vida Gibbs. After enjoying skating at the South End rink for six bands the party returned to the residence, 79 Sydney street, where games and music passed the time delightfully. The winners in the game of hearts were Miss Ellen Machum and Mr. Malcolm Prebble. During the evening Mr. W. K. Traflet presented a beautiful ivory clock and repeat was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Parlee and the Misses Vera and Elizabeth Gibbs. The table was very prettily decorated in pink and white colors. A large birthday cake centred the table and streamers with favors attached reached to each plate. Mrs. Lewis MacDonald acted as chaperone for the skating. Other guests included the Misses Thelma Parlee, Hortense Calder, Helen Grant, Helen Ter-ris, Laura Kelly, Clara Robinson, Aileen Machum, Vera Gibbs and Mabel Coates and Messrs. Kenneth Northrup, Harold Ingersoll, William Traflet, William Nixon, William Hoyt, Clarence Hoyt, Ernest Flewelling, Malcolm

Prebble, Paul Prebble, Fred Parlee, Percy Minas and L. MacDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Hill, who have been residing in Fredericton for some years past, are removing to Saint John to reside. Mrs. Hill expects to leave on Friday, and later on, she and Mr. Hill expect to leave on a trip to England. Their departure from Fredericton is much regretted, and Mrs. Hill has been the honor guest of numerous social functions.

Mrs. Angus Mackay, of Saint John, who has been staying with her sisters, the Misses Robertson, Montreal, for several weeks, is now visiting Mrs. George Dean in Quebec.

Mrs. W. L. Caldwell, Mount Pleasant avenue, and Mrs. John Sayre, of Rousesay, left on Monday for Toronto to visit Mrs. Sayre's sister, Mrs. Douglas McLeod.

Sir William and Lady Staverst and Miss Staverst, of Montreal, who left a few weeks ago for the West Indies, are in Kingston, Jamaica, where they will remain until the end of March.

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Increasing Disorder And Civil Life In China Making Missionaries' Work Difficult

By RANDALL GOULD. (United Press Staff Correspondent) PEKING, Feb. 11.—Ever-increasing disorder and civil strife throughout all China, which includes a program of from seven to sixteen were in progress simultaneously at various points in the so-called Republic, have brought the relations of foreign missionaries and Chinese politics to a crisis.

TRICK STAMPEDE RIDER VISITOR HERE

Joe Flieger Has Reputation For Handling Bucking Horses

Joe Flieger, son of Mrs. Jessie Flieger, of the East Saint John Hospital staff, demonstrated recently that skating is not the only line in which the natives of New Brunswick can excel.

Captain R. Parker, 78, Native Of Saint John County and 50 Years At Sea, Succumbs

ONE of Saint John county's noted sea captains has passed away in the death of Captain Raymond Parker, which occurred on Feb. 3, in Elliott Hospital, Manchester, New Hampshire, where he underwent an operation a short time ago.

60 Thousand Poets Enter Jap Contest

TOKYO, Feb. 11.—Poets of the Empire, to the number of sixty or seventy thousand, are now engaged on the composition of a ceremonial poem on the subject "The Clear, Crystal Stream," the theme set by the Poetry Board of the Imperial Household for this year's imperial poetry contest.

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PONZI AND WIFE ARRESTED

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 10.—Charles Ponzi and his wife, Rose Maria, were arrested in the office of

Ponzi's attorney, Frank Brennan, here, sheriff's deputies, ending a 36-hour today. Capias were served by the search for the "financier."

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Mutual Life's Unbroken Progress \$3,796,982 Surplus Earnings in 1925 Shows Exceptional Strength of Mutual Life of Canada

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1925. CASH ACCOUNT. INCOME. Premium Income (Net) \$11,598,043.99. Disbursements. Death and Disability Claims \$1,661,728.08. BALANCE SHEET. ASSETS. First Mortgages on Real Estate \$24,619,520.51. LIABILITIES. Policy Reserves \$58,713,297.23.

Pioneer Mutual Company Has Record Sum for Distribution to its Policyholders

THE 56th year in the history of the Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada was marked by solid and substantial progress. It is gratifying to note from the reports made to the policyholders at the annual meeting on February 4th that the 1925 operations of Canada's pioneer Mutual Life Company compare very favorably with the record results achieved in 1924.

Steady, Safe Growth in Business

Healthy expansion of the Company's business is again recorded for 1925, by the end of which year the total in force amounted to \$322,529,285. At the end of 1924 the assurances in force totalled \$295,729,866, so that 1925 showed a net increase of \$26,799,419.

Low Mortality and Higher Interest

An extraordinarily low rate of mortality was experienced in 1924, the actual death strain being only 36.01% of the expected, so that although the death claims paid in 1925 exceeded those of 1924, the mortality ratio—37.95%—was still very favorable.

Assets Steadily Increase

Indicative of the impregnable financial situation of the Company is the \$6,556,800 increase in accumulated assets, which now total \$72,517,566, as against \$65,960,767 at the end of 1924.

The MUTUAL LIFE of CANADA WATERLOO - ONTARIO OPERATED SOLELY FOR ITS POLICYHOLDERS. Audited and found correct by G. M. MULHOLLAND, F.C.A., and A. B. SHEPARD, C.A., of the firm of THORNE, MULHOLLAND, HOWSON & McPHERSON, Toronto, Canada, January 25th, 1926.

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- ARRANOFF, D., 579 Main Street.
- BARKERS, THE 2, 100 Princess Street, 65 Prince Edward Street, 538 Main Street.
- BELYEA, C. M., 99 Main Street.
- BOWES, MRS. A., 121 Erin Street.
- BREEN, H. P., 84 Moore Street.
- BROWN'S GROCERY, 86 Prince Edward St.
- BUTLER BROS., 407 Main Street.
- BYRON BROS., 75 Stanley Street.
- CAIRNS, DeWITT, 207 Sydney Street.
- CHERRY, C. W., 162 Pitt Street.
- COLWELL, E. A., 43 Exmouth Street.
- COPP, H. V., 37 Clarence Street.
- CRAFT, R. O., 446 Main Street.
- CROWLEY, MISS K., 664 Main Street.
- COHOLAN, M., 7 Rothesay Ave.
- DAY, MRS. L., 48 Murray Street.
- DEAN, F. W., 38 Simonds Street.
- DENYER, E. J., 387 Main Street.
- DOHERTY, H., 301 Sydney Street.
- DYKEMAN, F. W., 443 Main Street.
- FARRIS, IRA D., 207 Duke Street.
- FERRIS, B. C., 259 Main Street, 17 Main Street.
- FLOYD, MISS E. L., 2 Crown Street.
- FRANCIS CASH GROCERY, 15 Wentworth Street.
- FRANCIS & CO., C. F., 22 Mill Street.
- FOLKINS, B. S., 352 Union Street.
- FORRESTALL, HARRY P., 198 Rockland Road.
- FORRESTALL, J. W., 361 City Road.
- GALLANT, H. C., cor. Paradise Row and Wall Street.
- GAULT, JAMES, 15 Main Street.
- GIBBON, M. T., Cor. Pitt and St. James Street.
- GORLICK, J., 423 Haymarket Square.
- GORMAN, W. L., 339 Union Street.
- GRIFFITHS, MISS M. A., 47 Brittain Street.
- GRASS, M. E., 16 Germain Street.
- HAMILTON, H. R., 2 Haymarket Square.
- HOLDER, GEORGE, 196 Rockland Road.
- HYDE, Wm., 252 Prince Edward Street.
- JONES, L. C., 90 Adelaide Street.
- KELLY, J. H., 73 Sydney Street.
- KERR, R., 337 City Road.
- KINCAIDE, G. M., 73 Pitt Street.
- LAKE, J. G., 83 Elliott Row.
- LAWSON, D. M., 124 Queen Street.

SAINT JOHN CITY

- LEONARD, MRS. L., 95 Rothesay Avenue.
- LINDSAY, A. W., 36 Spar Cove Road.
- LUNNEY, WM., 123 Main Street.
- MALONE, M. A., 239 Charlotte Street, Cor. Main and Simonds Street.
- McAFEE, E. G., 29 City Road.
- MacALLISTER & CARLOW, 23 Waterloo Street.
- McCARTHY, L. G., 183 Bridge Street.
- McCULLUM & REICKER, Cor. Carmarthen and Leinster.
- McDORMAND, MRS. A. V., 78 Brittain Street.
- McGUIRE, P., 241 Waterloo Street.
- McKINNEY, M. E., 270 Prince Edward Street.
- McPHERSON BROS., 181 Union Street.
- MINUE, P. T., 387 Haymarket Square.
- MOORE, A. G., 175 Main Street.
- MORRELL, R. E., 23 Sydney Street.
- MORROW, H. T., 58 Main Street.
- NATIONAL PACKING CO., 215 Union Street.
- OLMSTEAD, H. K., 225 Victoria Street.
- PARKINSON, WM., 113 Adelaide Street.
- PERRIE, MISS N., 197 Waterloo Street.
- PIRIE, D. J., 51 Coburg Street.
- PURDY, D. J., 323 Main Street.

SAINT JOHN CITY

- PURDY, F. S., 96 Wall Street, 67 Winter Street.
- REICKER, F. B., 194 Metcalfe Street.
- RICE, S. E., 70 Mill Street.
- RILEY, J. N., 207 Charlotte Street.
- RHINEHART, GEORGE, 169 Pitt Street.
- ROBERTSONS, 554 Main Street, 141 Waterloo Street.
- ROBERTSON, BEN, 15-19 Rothesay Avenue.
- ROSS, FRANK V., 49 Winter Street.
- ROWLEY, E. W., 178 Sydney Street.
- ROY, ALFRED, 337 Main Street.
- RYAN, P., 28 Prince Edward Street.
- SEELY, W. L., 11 Bentley Street.
- SERISKY, MAX, 576 Main Street.
- SHARKEY, A. G., 39 Prince Edward Street.
- SPARKS, W. J., 95 Simonds Street.
- TRECARTIN, MRS. E., 54 Durham Street.
- TYNER, MRS. J., 131 Broad Street.
- VANWART BROS., 193-195 Charlotte Street.
- VANWART, J. R., 129 Bridge Street.
- VINCENT, W. V., Cor. Carmarthen and Brittain Street.
- WALKER'S GROCERY, 149 King Street East.
- WALSH BROS., 324 Haymarket Square.

SAINT JOHN CITY

- WASSONS TWO STORES, 9 Sydney Street, 711 Main Street.
- WETMORE, E. E., 30 Stanley Street.
- WHELPLEY, A. E., 240 Paradise Row.
- WILCOX, C. H., Cor. Queen and Carmarthen Street.
- WITTERIN, MRS. J. R., 40 Winter Street.

WEST SAINT JOHN

- ALSTON, GEORGE, 184 Queen Street.
- BELYEA, A. M., 217 King Street.
- BROWN'S GROCERY, 91 Ludlow Street.
- CAMPBELL, W. L., 267 Ludlow Street.
- FLEWELLING, P. W., 28 Guilford Street.
- HAMM, C. P., 58 Ludlow Street.
- HILLMAN, MRS. F. V., 336 Duke Street.
- KELLY, MISS M. J., 400 City Line Street.
- LAMBERT, H. A., 245 Lancaster Avenue.
- LONG, C. F., 111 Winslow Street.
- McAFEE, H. B., Champlain Street.
- McKENNY, R. C., 45 Rodney Street.
- McKENZIE, A. L., 134 King Street.
- McMANUS, J. B., Lancaster Avenue.
- MAWHINNEY, H. H., 264 Watson Street.
- MORRISEY, T. L., 33 Queen Street.
- NELSON, W. T., Olive Street.
- RIPPEY, THOS., 213 Ludlow Street.
- ROCKWOOD DAIRY, 271 Duke Street.
- ROSE BROS., 255 King Street.
- RUSSELL, C. P., 4 Dufferin Row.
- SEWELL, S. M., 112 Duke Street.
- SMITH, MISS V., Charlotte Street Extension.
- STACKHOUSE, G. A., 241 Ludlow Street.

FAIRVILLE

- ALLISON, J. A., Main Street.
- McCOLGAN, W. A., 18 Harding Street.
- McKINNON, R., 183 Main Street.
- ROSS, WALTER C., 10 Main Street.
- WILSON, T. H., 67 Main Street.

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Along The Sport Trail

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CHICAGO can send five good men out on the circuit every year. This year, they had Farrell, Eddie Reed, Eddie Murphy, Roy McWhirter, Miss Littlejohn, Miss Withmoyer, Olson and Sehnlin, all dangerous skaters.

WE HAVE talked so much in this column about this speed-skating reputation being a great heritage and a valuable one that you are probably tired of reading it.

AND, what do we find this year? Just one. And, it is our guess they were not in the shape they would have liked for that meet.

ALL THIS is not said in a spirit of criticism of the Saint John Skating Association. If you call it criticism, we hope it is understood as constructive.

YOU may appoint the best committees in the world; you may have the best skating rink in the world; you may schedule meets every week but unless you have some driving power and the enthusiasm, you might as well try to sell refrigerators at the North Pole as to develop our junior skaters here.

THE SAINT JOHN Skating Association boasts a membership of many hundreds yet the brunt of the work for the big meet was done by a few dozen.

NEW UMPIRE
NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—John Reardon, native of Boston, is the only addition to the umpire staff of the National League this season.

JONES VS. HAGEN.
PASADENA, Fla., Feb. 11.—Bobby Jones, United States amateur golf champion, and Walter Hagen, United States pro champion, have arranged to play a 72-hole match play game at Sarasota, Fla., February 28, and to finish the match at Pasadena, March 6.

PORTLAND WON
PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 11.—Portland defeated Victoria 4-3, here last night in a Western Canada Hockey League fixture.

CRESCENTS BEAT MONCTON TEAM BY 1-0 SCORE

Great Game Is Expected at the Arena Tonight

HALIFAX CRESCENTS, who play Saint John here tonight, showed their mettle in an uncertain style at Moncton last evening when they took on the Moncton Atlantics, winners of the southern section of the M. A. H. A. and beat them 2 to 1.

THE MANAGEMENT of the Saint John team announced yesterday that the sporting public will be given an opportunity to see two of the best teams in the east in exhibition contests here.

SAINT JOHN is a popular town with visiting teams and they were the leading sextettes in the Maritime Provinces as written asking for open dates.

YARMOUTH GOLF CLUB HAS ELECTION
Hon. E. K. Spinney Elected President—Other Officers Named

YARMOUTH, Feb. 10.—The annual meeting of the Yarmouth Golf and Country Club was held at the Grand Hotel last evening, with the president, Hon. E. K. Spinney, in the chair.

OFFICERS ELECTED.
Officers were elected as follows: Honorable president, Miss Clara A. Cate; president, Hon. E. K. Spinney.

TO FORM NEW CLUB
NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Colonel John S. Hammond has resigned as president of the New York Hockey Club to devote his time to the formation of another team next season in the National Hockey League.

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MEAN GREATER DISTANCE
WESTINGHOUSE TUBES
Made in Canada
For Every Set and Socket

Two Intermediate Games This Evening

THERE will be two intermediate hockey games tonight following the senior game between Halifax Crescents and Saint John at the Arena in an effort to catch up on the schedule.

THISTLES DEFEAT CARLETON CURLERS
Six Rinks a Side Play With Total Score of 90 to 76

ON CARLETON ICE.
Thistles ... 91
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ELIMINATION FINALS ON EAST END RINK
The city outdoor junior championship skating races will be skated on the East End rink, according to a decision reached by the committee.

HOCKEY LAST NIGHT
OXFORD, N. S.—Oxford defeated Dorchester, N. B., 11-4, in Central League action.

FOR LUMBAGO
The Telegraph-Times took three points from the New Brunswick Telephone Company last evening on the Imperial alleys.

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Barney Oldfield Takes a Wife



Barney Oldfield, famous auto race driver, and his bride, photographed as they sailed from Los Angeles for Panama and Havana on their honeymoon.

LOCAL BOWLING
The Globe took three points from the Jobbers on Victoria alleys last night as follows:

BRITISH FOOTBALL
LONDON, Feb. 10.—Football games played today resulted as follows:

WOODWARD LEADS
TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 11.—A. P. Woodward, Montreal, champion of Quebec and Eastern Canada, last night closed the first two matches of the finals for the Dominion championship of the Canadian English Billiards Association.

SKATING CHALLENGE
Gordon Parker has issued a friendly challenge to Joe Irvine, the Saint John welterweight boxer to a skating race over a distance of 400 yards, same to be held at the Arena, or any place that Joe names.

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DOMINION HEAD OF R. M. A. COMES HERE

J. T. Crowder, President of Retail Merchants' Association, is expected here on March 1. He will bring to the Maritime Provinces "The Price Maintenance Proposition," which has to do with manufacturers cutting off retailers who insist upon selling goods at cut prices. President Crowder has traveled from Victoria across Canada in the interests of this proposition and is at present in Quebec delivering lectures and giving information in regard to the same.

His visit to Saint John in this connection will be looked forward to with much interest.

An electric railroad is to be built to the summit of the Zugspitze, the highest mountain in the Bavarian Alps.

Will Hays Fights Evils of Hollywood's "Extra Lines"

By LINCOLN QUARBERG
HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 11.—Wielding his big-stick in the most sweeping gesture since he became emperor of film-mongering extra-lines.

The unending procession of film-struck fads which daily harassed the casting directors have completely disappeared.

Instead has been created a central casting bureau, a co-operative non-profit corporation, organized and maintained by the principal studios.

The extras, though, have not been eliminated as movie scenery by the Haysian turn of events. They have merely changed their stamping grounds. The studios have discarded their voluminous card-indexes, with the names of thousands of extras of every type—blondes and brunettes, old slim women, old fat men, Mexicans, negroes, fair-haired children, freckle-faced boys, fair-

MORE PAPERS FILED THAN ON 1925 CALL

Income Tax Returns Submitted in Steady Stream on Closing Day

Yesterday was the last day for filing returns of incomes and personal property. The public took advantage of the closing day and the returns flowed in a steady stream until 9 o'clock in the evening, when the assessors' office was closed.

The number filing returns this year was well ahead of last. For several days the responses from the public to warnings to get the documents in has been steady, yesterday being by far the heaviest day.

A considerable number of returns sent in through the mail were not signed or attested. Some of these were returned to have the formalities completed with, but it was said at the assessors' office last night that the number was so great that it is doubtful if the practice of returning them could be continued, and that the incomplete papers would probably be ignored.

MOVES TO HALIFAX

Maritime Rights Committee Office Being Removed From Moncton

MONCTON, Feb. 10.—The office of the Maritime Transportation Rights Committee, which has been maintained here for several months, is being closed and on the return of F. C. Cornell, secretary and traffic manager for the committee, from Ottawa, for which place he left today, the office will be reopened in Halifax.

Mr. Cornell has gone to Ottawa to meet the Railway Commission and will likely submit the freight rate case for the Maritimes to the commission. Mr. Cornell also plans to be present at the sitting of the Board of Commissioners on Feb. 16, when the British Columbia and other western provinces cases will be argued. The date for the hearing of the Maritime case has not yet been

DELIVERY OF MILK IN CANS PERMITTED

HALIFAX, Feb. 10.—The Provincial Government yesterday allowed a by-law adopted by the City Health Board making the delivery of milk in cans or bottles optional to the dealer. At present milk is delivered in sealed bottles, but the by-law, effective from Feb. 15, 1926, will permit dealers to distribute milk in cans or in bottles according to the wishes of the consumers.

The deepest oil well in the world is 7,391 feet. It is located in the Athens field in California.



All This Week—Four Shows Daily
CHARLIE CHAPLIN, ROCKED
THE IMPERIAL YESTERDAY

"THE GOLD RUSH"

NO USE TALKING Chaplin is an artist. His every move, grimace, twitch of the eyebrow is artistic. In this super-effort, "The Gold Rush," he fills the ten laughable, cryable reels with such a succession of emotions that you wonder if you are looking at a tragedy or a comedy at times. The incident of the boiled shoe, the dance hall love affair, the crazy prospector and the bear, the tilting house on the edge of the cliff—all these are real joys of filmed fun.

PRICES: Mat. 25c., 35c.; Evening 35c., 50c.
Shows at 2.00, 3.45, 7.00, 9.00

MOVIE STAR CONTEST AT ALL SHOWS

OPERATIC SINGERS
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RECITALS 3.30-8.30-10.30

On February 12th

1883—J. E. Waterman established his fountain pen business.
1908—Opening of the Canadian Factory at St. Lambert, P.Q.
1917—"Pen Shop," the Waterman Canadian headquarters at 179 St. James Street, Montreal, officially opened.
1919—Canadian Factory tripled in size and capacity.
1926—Opening of the sixth new Waterman building in San Francisco, California.

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From the humble beginning of 200 pens made in 1883, Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens are now sold from ocean to ocean, from the remotest point of this continent to the tip of South America. Waterman Buildings, exclusively used for distributing Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens, are landmarks in Montreal, New York, Boston, Chicago and San Francisco, while visitors to the Old Country and Europe find Waterman service at the "Pen Corner," Kingsway, London.

Since February 12th, 1883, each year has seen an expansion of this vast business and an increased number of users of the one ideal writing instrument.

Waterman's

REV. DR. R. LAIRD WILL VISIT HERE

To Address Meeting in Centenary—Rev. Dr. Ross on Mission Work

Rev. Dr. James Ross, of Halifax, superintendent of home missions of the Presbyterian branch of the United Church of Canada for the Maritime Provinces, was in the city yesterday on his way from Andover en route to Halifax. He was concluding his stay of several weeks in this province and was on his way to Cape Breton in the interests of the reorganization work, made necessary by the uniting of the three denominations in the United Church of Canada.

While in Andover Dr. Ross assisted in the uniting of members of the former Presbyterian and Methodist churches into one congregation. Several

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Curtain rises promptly at 2.30 and 8.15. Patrons are requested to be in their seats early.

PALACE TONIGHT
RAYMOND GRIFFITH in "PATHS TO PARADISE"
And JACK HOXIE in "RIDIN' THUNDER"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
Tom Mix in "The Lucky Horseshoe"
TOM MIX and TONY provide the thrills; J. FARRELL MACDONALD (Corporal Casey) makes the laughs, and BILLIE DOVE and ANN PENNINGTON head the host of beauties.

GAIETY TONIGHT
LAST SHOWING OF
"East Lynne"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
First Show Starts at 7 o'clock.
BIG DOUBLE PROGRAM
RAYMOND GRIFFITH in "Paths to Paradise"
JACK HOXIE in "Ridin' Thunder"

No speed limits—no traffic traps—no gloom—along the "Paths to Paradise."

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Guns, bullets, ropes and exploding mines buried under galloping hoofs—and a big cowboy leading a posse against a desperate gang of outlaws in the Great West—that's "Big Jack's" newest outdoor picture. A treat for every theatre-goer who loves clean, outdoor drama packed with big, stirring scenes.

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HAS 10TH BIRTHDAY
W. M. S. of Central Baptist Church Has Special Program

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the W. M. S. of the Central Baptist church yesterday afternoon, when a special program was given to mark the observance of the tenth anniversary of the society. The meeting

was held in the Sunday school room with Mrs. J. J. Gillies, president, in the chair.

After the devotional exercises and routine business, readings by Mrs. H. Peck and Mrs. Ronald Bond, vocal solos by Miss Genevieve Jenner and Miss Lola Vail and a dialogue by the members of the Junior Mission Band were given and were greatly appreciated. A generous birthday offering was given and after the program tea was served and a social hour was enjoyed.

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