

WILKINS FOR THIS OFFICIAL

Woodstock Man Completely Exonerated By Principal in Oppositions 'Duped' Immigrant Yarn Englishman Replies to Charges Levelled at W. L. Carr — Declares He Was Honorably Treated

The Woodstock Sentinel on Friday last published the statement that an immigrant named Booth who had gone to Carleton County to look for land visited the provincial immigration official for the county. This official "was ready" to issue his services, and at once told the immigrant that he knew just the place that would suit him. As the result of his advice Booth bought from a "tory heeler" for \$400 a lot of about 100 acres with a shack not fit to live in.

The publication of this statement has brought the following contradiction from the men said to have been "duped." The letter is written to Mr. Carr from whom the farm was purchased. Woodstock, N. B., April 23. W. L. Carr, Esq. Dear Sir: The article which appeared in the Carleton Sentinel yesterday's date, headed "Wall Street Outraged," is so far from the truth that it demands an explanation from us, and we desire to make the following contradictory and explanation:— On arrival at St. John, and consulting with Mr. Wilnot, superintendent of immigration for New Brunswick, explaining to him that we wanted to locate on a farm where a small amount of money would be necessary at first, he spoke to us of the Blue Bell tract, and some farms in York county, listed by you. Mr. Wilnot gave us a letter to Mr. Harrison asking him to direct us to the Blue Bell, or to Mr. Carr's farms. We were shown several farms, examined them thoroughly, the conditions of the buildings, the nature of the soil, the accessibility by railway and highway, the distance to the school and post office, and without any undue influence, we decided to locate there, and returned to Woodstock where the trade was completed, the down payment made entirely satisfactory, giving us 100 acres of land, with the improvements and an option on 200 acres more adjoining, with the right to use one of those lots and cut grass on the same. We feel that we know good producing land from poor, and are satisfied that we could work the farm with good results. Had it not been for "certain influence" we would not have been settled on the farm with an addition built to the house. However, adverse reports discouraged us as to the location, and in going back to you, you promptly agreed to release us from the trade. We have asked you to leave the matter open for us for a few days, and in the meantime are looking over farms in York county to better ourselves if we can. It will be fair to Mr. Harrison and to you to know that we have not yet found a place equal to the one we had in some respects, with this farm. If it were not so distant from the school for our children, we would not hesitate further, but go on with the improvements, and have no fear but that with ordinary thrift we would develop these farms in a creditable way. This statement is made honestly and cheerfully, fully exonerating you and Mr. Harrison from any wrong or any motives, such as has been suggested by the article in the "Carleton Sentinel." We fear that our names have been unwarrantably used for the purpose of assisting in a political attack upon you and Mr. Harrison, and regret that we should be made a medium for this kind of thing. We wish to say that we are perfectly satisfied with the way you have treated us since we informed you the place was not suitable for us, and that you have acted quite honorably and honestly towards us. Yours truly, (Sgd.) RICHARD BOOTH, (Sgd.) ARTHUR H. BOOTH.

DEMAND IMPROVEMENT IN RAILWAY SERVICE

Berwick, April 24.—The second public meeting called by the Berwick board of trade in the agitation for sufficient railway service between Berwick and Halifax, was held Saturday afternoon. The president, E. C. Parker, was in the chair. Delegations of representatives from the committee along the line of the D. A. R. from Middleton to Colebrook were present. The committee appointed at the previous meeting to confer with the Government and with Mr. Giffins presented their report. Major Jones, of Middleton, was the first speaker. He was followed by Councillors Charlton and Goucher, Middleton; Howard Bligh, Woodville; A. L. Davidson, Middleton; Councillors Woodbury and Lamont, Kings county; Warden A. E. MacMahon, J. Howe Cox, Cambridge; F. E. Harris, Aylesford; Drs. Sponagle and Reid, Middleton; T. H. Morse, Dr. McNally, A. S. Fisher, Berwick, all of whom spoke to the effect that sufficient railway service was the people's right and would be demanded as such. The committee on agitation was appointed and another committee was nominated to circulate petitions to the Government asking that no bonds should be guaranteed without provision being made for a permanent improvement in train service of the D. A. R.

MONTEAL ELECTRIC COMPANY CUTS RATES

Montreal, April 24.—The Montreal Light, Heat and Power Company on Saturday announced a reduction in electric light rates, which will appear a large saving to Montreal consumers. The residential rate for five year contracts is cut from ten cents a kilowatt hour to eight cents, and the commercial rate from ten cents to nine cents. The latter rate applies only to stores which only use the light for a few hours daily, and to office buildings, larger users paying on special rates. The company announces that the reduction is made according to its general policy of making cuts when the conditions of its business warrant and not in fear or in the hope of averting competition.

MAN ATTEND OBSEQUIES OF ROBT. M. DOWN

Late C. P. R. Conductor Interred At Fredericton With Impressive Services—Masonic Order In Charge. Fredericton, April 24.—The funeral of the late Robert M. Down, C. P. R. conductor, who dropped dead at Presque Isle, Maine, took place today, under the auspices of the Masonic order. The remains were brought from St. Stephen by special train being accompanied by relatives and members of the Masonic order as well as representatives of the Knights of Pythias and various organizations of railroad men. The train connected with another from Woodstock, Presque Isle, and other points on the northern division at McAdam and another from St. John at Fredericton Junction, the consolidated train arriving here at 2 p. m., in charge of Conductor J. C. Johnston and Engineer Robert Campbell, of St. John. There were about 250 people on the train arriving here, about 150 being railway men.

The funeral took place from the C. P. R. station and hundreds of local people turned out to pay their last respects to the late popular C. P. R. conductor who formerly resided here and used to run on the Gibson branch. The pallbearers, selected from Hiram Lodge No. 6, in this city which was in charge of the funeral were: Chas. McGibbon, Fred B. Edgecombe, Geo. H. Turton, D. E. Crowe, Aid. oids. Walker and A. S. McFarlane. The Fredericton brass band led the procession with Chopin's funeral march and Mr. George Y. Dibble, director of ceremonies of Hiram Lodge, marshalled the procession. The order of the funeral procession was as follows: Fredericton Brass Band, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen, Brotherhood of Conductors, Sussex Lodge F. & A. M., St. Stephen; Ashland Lodge F. & A. M., McAdam; Hiram Lodge F. & A. M., Fredericton. The hearse with body and beautiful floral tributes. Pallbearers: Mourners: The Public. It was an unusually large funeral procession which was directed to the Rural cemetery, where interment was made. Funeral services at the grave were conducted by Rev. A. A. Ridout and Rev. Dr. Kierstead, after which the impressive funeral ceremony of the Masonic order was conducted. Past Master H. V. B. Bridges, of Hiram Lodge, reading the prayers. The funeral party had an early tea at the hotels and the special train provided by the C. P. R. left here at six p. m.

OSCAR HARDWICK DIES AT ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

Sudden Death Of Well Known Citizen Comes As a Shock To Nova Scotia Community. Annapolis, N. S., April 24.—The citizens of this town were shocked when it became known last night that Oscar Hardwick had passed away about 9 o'clock. The deceased who was about 60 years of age, had only been sick a few days, and his condition was not considered serious. Mr. Hardwick was a man of stirring integrity, and his death is a decided loss to the town. He is survived by a wife, formerly Miss Goodrich, of Newfoundland, and by several young children.

QUET ST. GEORGE'S DAY SPENT IN HALIFAX

Halifax, April 24.—St. George's Day passed off quietly in Halifax and throughout the province, there being no special celebration. It is customary for St. George's Society to honor the day with a banquet, but this year the banquet will not be held until Tuesday evening. The banquet will be held in the Queen hotel and Englishmen from all parts of the province will be present.

FIRST SEIZURE EFFECTIVE IN GOOD WAREHOUSES

Injunction Issued At Mobile Restraining Movement Of Elder Dempster Steamer's Cargo. Mobile, Ala., April 24.—The first seizure of cotton shipped under bills of lading issued by Knight, Yancey and Company were made at Mobile today, when Deputy United States Marshal White issued an injunction on Captain Arthur Parker, of the British steamer Meltonian, restraining the movement of 4,200 bales of cotton, loaded in the steamship, and consigned to Havre, France. The injunction was issued by the United States District court for the southern district of Alabama on Saturday night on the application of Attorney J. C. Rich, acting for Clarence E. Frost and W. S. Lovell, receivers for the bankrupt cotton company.

UNITED STATES AUTHORITIES ACTIVE

Latham and Company of Havre, and the Elder-Dempster S. S. Company, owners of the steamer Meltonian, are named in the injunction which is issued until further orders by the court are made in the premises. There are 2,200 bales of cotton on the wharf where the Meltonian is berthed, waiting to be loaded on the steamer, but no attachment has been issued against this cotton as far as known.

RIVER WATER STILL RAISES

Fredericton, N. B., April 24.—After five days of constant rain, during which time the St. John river here raised over eight feet, the downpour stopped today, but the water is still rising, and tonight is at least three feet higher or nine inches since morning, and within a foot of the highest point last year and five feet below the highest point on record made in the freshet of 1887. Since Saturday afternoon the water has come up at the rate of almost an inch an hour and today it came up about eight or nine inches since morning. The Star Line wharf is now under water and so is part of the wharf where discharging of coal laden vessels has been in progress. The steamer Majestic was delayed almost an hour by the freshet and consequent heavy current on Saturday and had to dock at the city's high water wharf just below highway bridge. There has been a heavy run of logs into the booms Saturday and today and there has also been a good run of bank logs to Springhill.

CARTWRIGHT TO FAREWELL

Ottawa, April 24.—The banquet which the members of the Senate will tender to Sir Richard Cartwright on Tuesday next, is in the nature of a farewell. Sir Richard is at present leader of the Government in the Upper House, but his physical condition is such that he cannot longer undertake the duties of that office. Hon. Sydney Fisher will succeed him; the opportunity of a vacancy having occurred through the death recently of Senator Baker.

THREE LOSE LIVES IN HOTEL FIRE

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 24.—Three persons lost their lives and half a dozen others are believed to have perished in a fire which broke out in the Hotel Thomas shortly before midnight last night. Two of the dead have been identified as Walter G. Cameron, lawyer, and Harry Lawrence, proof-reader on a morning newspaper. The third body has not been identified. The fire broke out in the hotel which was situated at Walnut and Elvth streets in the retail district. The flames are supposed to have been caused by crossed electric wires.

VICTORY FOR CONSERVATIVES

Agitation Meets With Little Success In French Elections—3,000 Candidates On 519 Seats. Paris, April 25.—The general elections to the new chamber of deputies on Sunday brought out three thousand candidates for five hundred and seventy-seven seats. Despatches from the country indicate that the balloting passed off quietly except for a few rows notably in the St. Etienne region where the labor situation is troubled. Available returns at an early hour this morning indicate that the Catholic agitation has had little effect on the Republican bloc, as the combination of parties of the left, now in control, is called. Their members will be returned with only slight losses. Figures available at two o'clock this morning gave the bloc 75 members returned: Conservatives, 34, and Socialists, 25.

PREMIER BRIAND SECURES RE-ELECTION

Among the prominent members re-elected are: Premier Briand, Secretary of Labor Viviani, Minister of Finance Cochet, Joseph Caillaux, former minister of finance; Camille Pelletan, ex-minister of marine; Maurice Barres, a member of the French academy; Lucien Milevoje, Admiral Benaim, M. Denys Cochin, the well known Conservative at whose house Cardinal Richard secured his shelter when expelled from his palace, and Paul Deschanel, the famous orator. The chief troubles of the day were reported from the towns of Chambon and Erville. At Chambon, a mob wrecked and fired the city hall, where the voting is recorded and beat the generalists who resisted their order. There was a dramatic scene at Erville, where a man was shot dead by the mayor who was presiding over the ballot in the evening. The reasons for the shooting it was stated afterwards, were not connected with the election. President Fallieres recorded his vote in the city hall of the eighth ward.

SURVEY WORK STARTS TODAY

Chief Engineer Maxwell Announces Opening Of Operations—First Field Work On Down River Section. Fredericton, April 24.—Mr. David F. Maxwell, chief engineer of the St. John Railway survey, announced this morning that the actual work of the survey will start this morning. The members of the party, which will work on the down river section of the railway, have been ordered to report at room No. 4 at the Provincial Government buildings, where is the headquarters for the survey, on Monday morning and bright and early they will commence the actual field work of the survey. The party on the up river section have been instructed to report at Woodstock on Monday, May 2nd, and Chief Engineer Maxwell will be at Woodstock and personally supervise the commencement of the work. The party on the down river section who will commence work on Monday morning will be in charge of Mr. Brown Maxwell, C. E. They will make their headquarters in this city for the first day or two and about the middle of the week will establish their first camp probably at Lincoln.

BOSTON ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY IN PARADE

Boston, Mass., April 24.—Sons of St. George, 1,500 strong, with members of the British naval and military veterans' Association, and veterans of campaigns in India, Egypt, and the Transvaal, observed St. George's Day today by a parade in the Back Bay district, and in attending services at Trinity church. It is customary for the organization to observe the day on the Sunday falling nearest the patron saint's anniversary. Rev. Alexander Mann preached to the vast throng of members of the order, the dominant note of the address being universal peace.

CARNEGIE LIBRARY FOR ONTARIO TOWN

Owen Sound, Ont., April 23.—Andrew Carnegie has offered Owen Sound a gift of \$25,000 for a free library. Several years ago Mr. Carnegie offered the town \$17,500 for the purpose, but Owen Sound planned for something more elaborate than this and the amount has now been increased. A by-law sanctioning the proposal will be submitted to the rate-payers at an early date.

MIDDLE WEST IN GRIP OF FIERCE STORM

Enormous Damage To Crops Throughout Fruit Belt Recorded As a Result Of Unseasonable Disturbance. Chicago, April 24.—Despite the almost unprecedented storm which swept over a dozen states in the last forty-eight hours, and the prediction of more cold and snow, the shifting of the wind to the northeast promises to mitigate extensive damage to crops in the middle west. A canvass of the situation shows that greatest damage has resulted in Iowa, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio. Greatly reduced fruit crops and loss of early corn are certain in some places. Reports from the northwest indicate that barley, oats, rye and corn were badly damaged by the cold. The soil, however, still is in fine condition for plowing and it is not too late for re-seeding.

CHANGE IN WEATHER MAY MITIGATE LOSSES

In Kansas, Missouri and Kentucky snow is expected to protect small fruits and lessen the loss in apples. Mississippi, Tennessee and Arkansas are reported that considerable damage has been done by the coldest April weather on record in these states. Information from Wisconsin and Michigan indicates that the fruit crop will not be much more than one-half the usual size at a number of points.

J. S. LARKE PASSES AWAY

Ottawa, April 24.—The department of trade and commerce received today a cablegram from Sydney, Australia, conveying information of the death of J. S. Larke, Canadian trade commissioner there. Mr. Larke was appointed to that position by Sir Mackenzie Bowell in 1894 and was the first Canadian trade commissioner. Previously he was editor of the Ottawa Vindicator and had considerable reputation as a public speaker. Two years ago he made a tour of Canada addressing the boards of trade. He was seventy years of age and a widower. He was a native of England, but came to Canada when a lad.

JAMES SMITH DEAD AT WATSON SETTLEMENT

Special To The Standard. Woodstock, N. B., April 23.—James Smith of Watson Settlement, died last night at the residence of his son, Thomas, aged 97 years. Three sons and two daughters survive, Thomas of Watson Settlement, Hugh in Houlton, and James in Montana. Mrs. Michael McDراث of Lindsay and Miss Elizabeth at home. The funeral will be held tomorrow with interment in the Catholic cemetery, Woodstock.

F. A. HEINZE TO STAND TRIAL

New York, April 24.—After a long series of demurrers, re-indictments and other legal red tape, F. Augustus Heinze will be placed on trial tomorrow before Judge Martin and a jury in the criminal branch of the United States Circuit Court. He is charged as was Chas. W. Morse, with violations of the National Banking Laws, specifically with over-certification of the checks of Otto Heinze & Company and misappropriation of the funds of the Mercantile Bank, of which he was the former head. Counsel for Morse in the fight for a new trial, made capital of this fact that the jury was guarded by special agents from Washington. To avoid criticism, this procedure, it is understood, will not be followed in the Heinze case.

REGARD CANADA AS UNPROGRESSIVE

Mystery In Death Of This Young Woman Body Of Miss Estelle Reid Found On Beach Near Naples—Letters From Canada Found On Person. Naples, April 24.—The finding of the body of a beautiful young woman on the beach near here has given rise to the suspicion of murder. Apparently the woman died about three days ago. The body was scantily clothed and this has led the authorities to believe that probably she was the victim of crime. The body was identified by the proprietor of the Hotel Castello as that of Miss Estelle Reid, supposed to have been an American, who was a guest at the hotel. She was fair and tall, with gray eyes and quite prominent nose, and wore eye-glasses. The supposition that she came from the United States was strengthened today when the police found letters addressed to her from New York and St. Louis as well as from Canada. Several of these were apparently love letters. For the last few months, Miss Reid had spent her time variously at Lindau, Germany, Turin, Milan, Pisa and Sienna. She proceeded from the latter place to Naples and went to the Hotel Castello on April 8. She is described as having been eccentric, sometimes spending days in contemplating the view from the terrace. She devoted a portion of the time to painting. It is thought that she was not possessed of any great amount of money.

For the last few months, Miss Reid had spent her time variously at Lindau, Germany, Turin, Milan, Pisa and Sienna. She proceeded from the latter place to Naples and went to the Hotel Castello on April 8. She is described as having been eccentric, sometimes spending days in contemplating the view from the terrace. She devoted a portion of the time to painting. It is thought that she was not possessed of any great amount of money.

OUT AFTER TEMPERANCE REFORM IN TORONTO

Citizens Would Have All Saloons Close At 9 p. m. Week Days, And 5 p. m. Sundays—Meeting Held. Toronto, Ont., 23.—To close all hotels and liquor shops in the city at 9 o'clock in the evening and 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon is the aim of the executive of the city branch of the Citizens League. A meeting was held today and a general programme to figure in the next municipal election was talked of.

ABSOLVES ROOSEVELT OF ANTI-METHODIST STORY

Rome, April 24.—Following the emphatic denial of ex-President Roosevelt in Paris, the Rev. Walter Lowrie, formerly of Newport and now rector of the American church in Rome, issued a statement today with reference to the dispatch printed in the United States that Mr. Roosevelt was overheard to tell him that when he returned to America, he would do his utmost to have the Methodists driven from Rome. In his statement, Mr. Lowrie says: "The report that the ex-president spoke to me of his purpose to drive out the Methodists from Rome, characterizing them as a disgrace to our religion, is absolutely without foundation. I desire to say that Mr. Roosevelt said nothing to me with reference to Methodism in Italy. It is not necessary to make this declaration for Mr. Roosevelt's sake as nobody would believe he made such a preposterous statement. I say this for my own sake, because I would not have it supposed that I could listen without protest to such an expression, as was falsely attributed to Mr. Roosevelt. My relations with the Methodist mission in Italy have always been friendly and I esteem its work here as most useful."

SHIP'S FITTINGS GO TO BRING SHIP TO PORT

New Bedford Mass., April 24.—To the combustible quality of the fittings of the Portuguese packet steamer Pescador, 115 immigrants who took passage on the steamer from the Cape Verde Islands, owe their safe arrival here today. For the past three days, since the bunker coal supply gave out, the Pescador's engines had been fed on wooden partitions portions of the immigrants' bunks, much of the below-decks fittings and parts of the lower deck structure. This fuel kept the engines running until an anchorage beside Hen and last night. When a pilot was picked up there this morning, it was necessary again to resort to the immigrants' bunks for fuel. Had the immigrants to pass another night at sea, it is probable that few would have the usual sleeping quarters.

Report of Royal Commission on Trade Relations Says Dominion Ignores West Indies.

Canada Too Busy Developing Home Markets to Effectively Command Foreign Trade. Montreal, April 24.—The report of the Royal Commission on trade relations between Canada and the West Indies has been received here. The report contains the following reference to Canadian business methods: "To Canadian business men it should be said that it is impossible to ignore the almost universal opinion throughout the West Indies that Canadian business methods are unprogressive and unenterprising. The conditions are easily understood. "Canada has been growing rapidly. She has been developing her own markets and developing her internal resources to be able properly to organize for foreign trade. She has been in immediate competition with a most enterprising neighbor, whose commercial organization is, by comparison, complete and long established. The contrast has inevitably been to her disadvantage. But the time has come when she can no longer neglect many things which have heretofore been unattended. Neither favoring tariffs nor improved steamship service will fling trade into her lap without effort on her part. Her trade must be solicited, nursed, carefully tended and zealously guarded. Then she will find a large and profitable market open to her in the West Indies, but the market is not to be given for the asking. It has to be won and held. So far, let it be said frankly the common West Indian opinion is that Canadian merchants have shown almost contemptuous indifference to their opportunities."

DEATH OF LAWSON AT GREEN LAKE

Well Known York County Man Passes Away—Case Against Constable Again On—Woodstock Happenings. Woodstock, April 24.—The death occurred yesterday at his home in Green Lake, York county, of Luke Lawson, aged 55 years. The deceased had been under treatment at the hospital here, but a week ago was removed to his home. He was a native of Lake George, York County, and was twice married. His first wife was Miss Alice McCormack of Prince William, who bore him two children, Miss Nellie, of Fredericton, and Erwin, and home. His second wife was Miss Hattie Cheney, of Lindsay, this county, the mother of four boys and one girl, Thomas, William, Sterling, Guy and Miss Pearl Lawson at home. The widow, one brother and four sisters survive—Fred Lawson, of Hilly Brook; Mrs. Alex. McLean, of Grafton; Mrs. Lewis Lester, of Fredericton; Mrs. Chas. Fimamov, of this town and Mrs. Carrie Lawson, of Woodstock. Rev. R. W. Weddall, of Woodstock, will conduct the funeral, which will be held tomorrow at Green Lake.

WELL KNOWN YORK COUNTY MAN PASSES AWAY—CASE AGAINST CONSTABLE AGAIN ON—WOODSTOCK HAPPENINGS

Woodstock, April 24.—The death occurred yesterday at his home in Green Lake, York county, of Luke Lawson, aged 55 years. The deceased had been under treatment at the hospital here, but a week ago was removed to his home. He was a native of Lake George, York County, and was twice married. His first wife was Miss Alice McCormack of Prince William, who bore him two children, Miss Nellie, of Fredericton, and Erwin, and home. His second wife was Miss Hattie Cheney, of Lindsay, this county, the mother of four boys and one girl, Thomas, William, Sterling, Guy and Miss Pearl Lawson at home. The widow, one brother and four sisters survive—Fred Lawson, of Hilly Brook; Mrs. Alex. McLean, of Grafton; Mrs. Lewis Lester, of Fredericton; Mrs. Chas. Fimamov, of this town and Mrs. Carrie Lawson, of Woodstock. Rev. R. W. Weddall, of Woodstock, will conduct the funeral, which will be held tomorrow at Green Lake.

SHIP'S FITTINGS GO TO BRING SHIP TO PORT

New Bedford Mass., April 24.—To the combustible quality of the fittings of the Portuguese packet steamer Pescador, 115 immigrants who took passage on the steamer from the Cape Verde Islands, owe their safe arrival here today. For the past three days, since the bunker coal supply gave out, the Pescador's engines had been fed on wooden partitions portions of the immigrants' bunks, much of the below-decks fittings and parts of the lower deck structure. This fuel kept the engines running until an anchorage beside Hen and last night. When a pilot was picked up there this morning, it was necessary again to resort to the immigrants' bunks for fuel. Had the immigrants to pass another night at sea, it is probable that few would have the usual sleeping quarters.

This is the continuation of the suit as it is said the terms of the verdict have not been carried out. Much interest is shown in the progress of the case. Mrs. Margaret Nicholson, a young woman whose husband died recently in Kirkland, and who has been in the Woodstock hospital for a week, died today. She is survived by two young children. The marriage banns of Edward Griffin and Miss Josephine M. Ryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Ryan, of Woodstock, were published yesterday in St. Gertrude's church today.

THE HISTORY OF A CRUISE

The Fight For The St. John Valley Railway--Review of Struggles To Secure The Road.

By W. Frank Hatheway, M. P.

No. 6.

By W. Frank Hatheway.

There were three gentlemen in the Provincial Government who felt keenly the injustice done by the onerous terms imposed on the Valley Co. by the Hon. Wm. Pugsley in his letter dated June 19, 1909, to the company. They hoped that the committee appointed by Premier Hazen would be given a chance at Ottawa to modify these extreme conditions of grade, of rail weight, and of equipment. But no reply ever came arranging for a meeting. These three gentlemen were the Hon. Mr. Hazen, Fleming and McLeod. They knew of the injustice in 1903-4, and the mock offer of 1907. By Sir Wilfrid's January, 1910, letter imposing the Pugsley conditions of 0.4 p. c. grade and 50 lb. rails, etc., they knew that, for some reason, the Hon. Minister of Public Works does not now in 1910 desire.

A Road Down the St. John Valley.

The Hon. Mr. Pugsley told the Valley Company's president, Mr. Chestnut, in Feb. 12, 1910, at Ottawa, that "he was confident a reliable concern could easily be found willing to undertake the work and complete it up to the required standard for the \$25,000 a mile guarantee and \$6,400 a mile subsidy." McKenzie & Mann wanted \$30,000 a mile guarantee to build the cheaper proposal of 1907. How can any one say now that the proposal of 1909 can be built on the \$25,000 guarantee? On the horns of this dilemma the gentleman is impaled, and can never be removed. The company that Pugsley's company to come forward and offer to build this road as per Part 2 of the Valley, which embodies the exact conditions imposed by Sir Wilfrid and Dr. Pugsley. They have waited a month, and no company "time does not wait." Heaven grant that some company be found to take up the work! It is such an easy thing to find a company willing to build a road for \$31,000 a mile, that will cost \$48,000 a mile. Perhaps the Hon. Mr. Pugsley had in mind the road in the Scotch Highlands that makes us wait or it is the G. T. P. Neither of them would like this new competitor. Personally I am sure that no company will build the road on the onerous terms imposed by Dr. Pugsley. He evidently thinks differently. He certainly has had experience in the matter. In 1892-3, and with McKenzie & Mann in 1907. He has said in 1910, what he said in 1907, that companies will build the road. In 1907 his offer was \$15,000 a mile, 47 lb. rails, and a 0.4 p. c. grade, to which McKenzie & Mann would not listen. They and the other companies simply laughed at the proposal. In 1909, Hon. Mr. Hazen's terms have been accepted, \$25,000 a mile, 70 lb. rail, and the I. C. R. grade. But, that which suited the Hon. Wm. Pugsley in 1907 did not suit him in 1909. So he fixed the grade at 0.4 p. c., 50 lb. rail, steel bridges, etc., and equipment, with rolling stock, etc.

Onerous Conditions.

The conditions at once made of the Valley Road so high that it will need \$40,000 a mile guarantee to build it. Why should not the Dominion Government guarantee \$15,000 a mile of the bonds of the G. T. P. Rockies, which last means \$30,000 a mile guarantee on probably 400 to 500 miles of road. And further the Dominion Government relieve the company of its first seven years interest on the mountain section. Why should they not guarantee \$15,000 a mile of the Valley Road, since they imposed the guarantee to guarantee \$25,000 a mile? In justice to trade, the G. T. P., "a commercial necessity" should have been built down the valley and not through the backwoods. This huge blunder made in 1903 was a crime against trade development. To compensate for such a commercial and national blunder the Dominion Government should be anxious to aid the Valley road, so as to supply the Canadian Northern with the main trunk line, with one branch to Moncton, one to St. John and one to St. Andrews. This blunder or crime against the natural flow of trade has been committed. Now let the Government atone by simple subsidizing the proposal as made by part 2 of the valley bill which became law last month.

The intercolony grades are good enough for that first-class road, which this year shows a surplus of nearly a half a million dollars. Let the Dominion Government be reasonable about it, and agree to the same grades as the I. C. R. Was it not stipulated that this Valley road was to be part and parcel of the I. C. R.? Why then kill the proposal by insisting on a 0.4 p. c. grade, a rise of 21 feet to a mile, when the I. C. R. is about 1 per cent., or 52 feet to the mile.

The valley counties need the Valley road, and the great west needs this third outlet to compete with the G. F. R. and the G. T. P. Let the Dominion Government either permit the grades to be reasonable, or let them help pay the extra cost of cutting, etc. needed to make such a low grade at 21 feet in a mile, which is almost a level road.

23rd April, 1910.

ALL HOPE ABANDONED FOR MISSING MEN

Halifax, April 24.—All hope is now given up the rescue of the three Prince Edward Island fishermen who have been missing since last Tuesday. Steamers have been searching for the men for days but no trace of them can be found. If their frail craft is still afloat it is hardly likely that the men are alive as they were scantily clad and without provisions.

Children To Join In Civic Housecleaning

Rev. T. Hunter Boyd and Superintendent Bridges Favor Arbor Day --- Principals of Schools to Take Up Question---Little Effort Made Yet to Improve City's Appearance.

Although the date selected by the apostle of the Anti-Tuberculosis crusade for a civic housecleaning festival was not distinguished by any noticeable effort to clean up the city, the idea of holding such a carnival this spring has not been abandoned.

On Saturday Rev. T. Hunter Boyd interviewed the local school trustees, and tried to persuade them to allow the school children a holiday, so that they might take an interest in the proposal to hold a civic housecleaning festival. The school authorities here were unable to comply with this request, as the granting of holidays is not one of their prerogatives.

So, it is not proposed to give the citizens another chance to show that they are not deficient in the love of the virtue which is next to godliness, and another effort will be made to improve the appearance of the city by a housecleaning festival on Arbor Day, when the school children will be asked to extend the scope of their operations, and clean up the backyards as well as the school grounds.

Dr. Bridges Favors Arbor Day. Mr. Boyd also had a conference with Dr. H. S. Bridges, superintendent of schools, and found him in line with his views that Arbor Day could be utilized for the purpose. Dr. Bridges agreed that the planting of trees and flowers could be done about the homes of the pupils and that a general clean up of back yards might be included.

Dr. Bridges was favorable to the suggestion that through the principals of the schools this plan should be laid before the pupils. It was felt by both gentlemen that 7,000 school children, with their parents, would form an army that could do a great work. As Mr. Boyd has pointed out, the success of the anti-tuberculosis crusade, as well as the movement for a city factory results without the general reorganization of the possibility of bringing something of the beauty of nature and the romance of growing things into the drab lives of the people huddled in city tenements.

Earl Grey and, in fact, everybody interested in the White Plague war, advises the people to open their windows, and let in the fresh air of heaven. But when the window overlooks an unkempt back yard festering

with dirt, the poor housewife is not inclined to follow this advice because to do so is to let in a plague of flies--to say nothing of offensive odors.

Fancy Having a Flower Garden. But with a flower garden under the window instead of a breeding place for flies, the housewife would keep her window open, and look out a hundred times a day to see that the cat was not digging the bed down behind. And the children in tending the garden would be able to find pleasant gratification in the exercise of one of the instincts of workmanship.

In many quarters the people as yet have made little effort to clean up now in existence and in many of the streets still retain the winter deposit of rubbish. The city has by-laws forbidding the people to use the streets as receptacles for rubbish and Chief Clark says that he would like to know the man who says the police don't enforce the law in this regard. There are many evidences however, that the custom of using the streets as rubbish receptacles is altogether too common. This is not as it should be, if for no other reason because the cost of keeping the streets clean is thus greatly increased.

A little consideration for the appearance of the city would put a stop now in existence, and if the various agencies for the formation of the public opinion were to give this matter a little more attention there would soon be a notable improvement.

Better Methods in the States.

In the United States where the teachers of public schools and the university and college settlements have long conducted a campaign of education in matters of cleanliness, the appearance of the streets, Colonel Waring, when he took up the work of street commissioner of New York, found it so difficult to achieve any satisfactory results without the support of the people, that he enlisted the support of the school teachers and even organized juvenile leagues and introduced the idea of having the work of keeping the streets clean and tidy.

Organizations of this character are now in existence in many cities and their utility as an aid to the cleaning forces of the city is well recognized by the public authorities.

other mill in the world. Such a site it is believed by experts will make the Maple Leaf Milling Company, Limited, an important factor right from the moment the mill is in operation at that point, inasmuch as by its geographical position, it will lay down its four almost at any point in Canada, at all American ports, and in the British and Foreign Markets. It is a very ready market that can be done by any other milling concern.

MAPLE MILLING CO. ORGANIZED

Official Announcement Made at Toronto of Big Merger in Canadian Milling Interests--An Attractive Investment.

Toronto, April 24.—Negotiations for what is undoubtedly the largest milling consolidation that has ever been effected in Ontario have just been completed in Toronto, and following thereon the official announcement is made of the organization of the Maple Leaf Milling Company, Limited, with a capital of \$5,000,000.

The new company has taken over the properties of the Hedley Shaw Milling Company, Limited, and in addition secures from the new interests that have become identified with the company \$1,000,000 additional cash capital, which besides permitting the erection of a modern 6000 barrel mill and a mill on the shore of Port Colborne, will supply the new company with a further working capital. It is understood that Mr. Cavithra Mulock, Toronto, is associated with Mr. Hedley Shaw, of the Hedley Shaw Milling Company, Limited, and Mr. D. C. Cameron, president of the Maple Leaf Flour Mills Company, Limited, in the organization of the new concern.

The share capital of the new company will be \$5,000,000 divided into \$25,000 of 7 per cent. cumulative preferred stock and \$2,500,000 of common stock. The company has no bonds either issued or authorized.

A strong position. The preferred stock, therefore, is in a particularly strong position, as it is preferred both as to assets and dividends.

The ability of the company to easily earn the 7 per cent. cumulative preferred dividend on \$2,500,000 of preferred stock is indicated by the net earnings of the old companies, as per certificate of Messrs. Price, Waterhouse and Company, which shows that from September 25, 1908, from which date the plants of the Maple Leaf Flour Mills Company, Limited, were in operation, to August 20, 1909, these net earnings amounted to \$218,843.00, and from August 21, 1909 to February 28, 1910, the net earnings of the companies amounted to \$168,793.00. This would be equal to over 13 per cent. on the preferred stock, and the payment of the 7 per cent. dividend on that stock would leave slightly over 6 per cent. for distribution on the common stock. The new company's earning power will be very greatly increased, inasmuch as the new company, once the new mill now under erection at Port Colborne is completed. The future of the company is sure to be watched with the greatest interest by Ontario, inasmuch as the new company will have a capacity fully equal to that of any other Canadian milling concern, and perhaps, more than any other company has, and will be almost entirely an Ontario concern having all but one of its mills as well as its headoffice within the Province of Ontario.

Modern Equipment. The entire plant which the new company will have at Port Colborne will be the most modern of its kind in Canada, the equipment of the new mill being fully equal to that of any

SUPREME COURT NEW ACT

Statement Made by Full Bench Respecting Judicature Act--Balance of Cases Disposed of Saturday.

Fredericton, April 23.—Judge Barry occupied the bench of the Supreme Court this morning and on behalf of the full court made the final announcement of the last sitting of the present regime under the old order. In conclusion he adjourned the court sine die, so that no further judgments will be delivered until Trinity term next.

The most important of the cases standing for judgment, and for which the full court was ordered to appear on appeal in Hilary term.

His Honor this morning on taking his seat delivered judgment in the case of King vs. Wedderburn, ex parte Baxter showing cause against the granting of rule to revise Judge Wedderburn's decision. Mr. Dixon contra. Judge Barry said that the court had come to the conclusion that Judge Wedderburn had acted erroneously in sending the case back to the court for a new trial. The account had been fully proved and the verdict should have been allowed to stand.

While expressing this opinion, the point Judge Wedderburn decided was one of law, and being such he had jurisdiction to make the order, and in his decision, the order, under the authority of the full court, will not interfere, though at the same time the court thinks the judge was wrong in his decision. The rule nisi to quash was ordered to be discharged.

In the case of the estate of Wm. J. Davis, the court ordered the probate Judge of Carleton County to admit the will to probate, as provided in solemn form, with direct orders to him to make an order as to the costs of the proceedings before his court, and to hold down the account, the appellant, Edward Davis, to have his costs of appeal taken as between collector and client, and the respondent, Isabella Davis, to be paid as between party and party. All costs to be paid out of the estate.

Officials of Public Works Department in City To Take Borings--Work Will Occupy Two Months.

The officials of the Dominion Department of Public Works, H. M. Davy and E. Coster, are in the city for the purpose of making a thorough survey of Courtenay Bay. They arrived here on Saturday, and will make arrangements for starting work today. Two machines will be employed, and borings made in all parts of the Bay in order to determine the depths of the mud, and the extent of the rocky bottom. It is expected that the work of making the survey will occupy about two months.

Charged With Breach of Censorship. Robert Hickey, a longshoreman, was given in charge yesterday afternoon by Robert Perih, chief officer of the E. S. Victoria, on suspicion of breach of the censorship regulations. Shortly after the men had started discharging cargo, it is alleged that the officer surprised Hickey in the act of removing two shirts from a box containing dry goods. Officer William Hughes was notified, and Hickey was placed under arrest. He was taken to the West side lockup, and later transferred to the central station.

Will The Fever Die



Roosevelt announces that he is now through with hunting.

Col. Roosevelt Is Acclaimed In Paris

Strenuous One Announces the Crowning of His Career as a Man of Letters--Delivers Lecture at Sorbonne at Which 25,000 Attend--Republican Institutions Still on Trial, He Says.

Paris, April 23.—To use Col. Roosevelt's own words, today marked the crowning of his career as a man of letters. From noon until midnight he was the guest of intellectual Paris, participating as a member at a session of the French academic, delivering a speech at Sorbonne, which as he himself said, was the greatest seat of learning.

After listening to the words of M. Boutroux, the president of the academy of moral and political science, who spoke eloquently of the American character, of which he said Theodore Roosevelt was the best exponent, the former president replied in French his utterances arousing his venerable colleagues to unwonted applause.

Unbounded Enthusiasm. The facade blazed with American and French flags and fully 25,000 persons packed the streets and acclaimed Colonel Roosevelt on his arrival. Within the building enthusiasm was unbounded the vast crowd in the amphitheatre, late-rapping again and again with storms of applause as the speaker defined duties of citizenship in a republic, scolding the sluggards, cynics and idle rich, and preaching the gospel of work, character and the strenuous life.

Several times he interjected observations in French and after he had defined his attitude on the subject of human rights and property rights he repeated this in French saying that it constituted the crux of what he had to say and he desired everyone to understand him. His words in this connection were:

"My position as regards the world interests can be put in a few words. In every civilized society property rights must be carefully safeguarded. Ordinary and in the great majority of cases, human rights and property rights are fundamentally and in the long run, identical. But when it clearly appears that there is a real conflict between them, human rights must have the upper hand, for property belongs to man and not man to property."

He made his auditors clearly realize that he considered Republican institutions still on trial both in America and such men as Leon Bourgeois, former premier; Anatole Leroy-Beaulieu, director of the Institute of etic, Gabriel Hanotaux, Marquis de Zagor, the historian, and Paul Deschanel were evidently quite as much impressed as the students and other auditors in front, joining heartily in the applause, especially when Mr. Roosevelt spoke against suicide and the necessity for a nation to perpetuate itself as one of its principal duties.

After the lecture Vice Rector Liard on behalf of the University, presented Mr. Roosevelt with a bust of Jefferson and two roses made at Sevres.

public. After the services, it was announced the opportunity would be given for those outside to enter the church and file past the plain mahogany coffin containing the body of the dead humorist.

In keeping with the known sentiments of Mr. Clemens on the funeral question there was to be no vocal programme and no pall bearers. Two organ selections, brief prayers and a few words of eulogy were to constitute the services.

After the services the body was to be placed on a train and taken to Elmira, where a second service as simple as the first, will be conducted Sunday afternoon. The burial will be in the Clemens plot in the Elmira cemetery where Mrs. Clemens and the children were buried.

Kipling's Tribute. New York, April 23.—A cable from Rudyard Kipling, on the death of Mark Twain, printed in the world today.

"In Mr. Clemens' death," says the distinguished English writer, "all our English speaking world loses a great sage and humorist."

London, April 23.—In their editorials on Mark Twain today the English press dwells as much on the nobility of his mind and character as on his pre-eminent qualities as a writer and humorist.

The Daily News remarks that it was only during the last decade that the bigness of his personality was fully revealed.

Opinions differ as to his exact position in the vanguard of letters. The Saturday Review says he was pre-eminently comic but not a humorist. The Spectator on the other hand says the world loses not only a great humorist but also a great humanist who never wrote a line that he had cause to be ashamed of.

Many of the newspapers concede that he was the most typical American of letters and the embodiment of American temperament, more so the even than Hawthorne or Poe.

FUNERAL OF MARK TWAIN

Obsèques Of Great Novelist Simple In The Extreme--Professor Vandike Delivers Funeral Oration.

New York, April 23.—Funeral services as simple as was his wholesome life accompanied the tributes paid here today to Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain) author, humorist, philosopher and citizen of the world. New York City was but a stopping place in the dead author's last journey. His body was brought here from his home at Redding, Conn., where he died, to be taken to Elmira, N. Y., for burial.

The Brick Presbyterian church at Fifth avenue and Thirty seventh street was the place selected for the services at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and two close friends of Mr. Clemens were chosen to voice the grief of the throng, and to speak eulogies of thousands. This honor fell to Rev. Dr. Henry Vandike, formerly pastor of the Brick church, and now professor of English literature at Princeton University, and the venerable Dr. Joseph H. Twitcheil of Hartford.

Although the Brick church is a spacious edifice, seating 1,200 persons it was by no means large enough to contain all who desired to see for the last time the face of Mark Twain. Four hundred cards of invitation were issued. Following the seating of these the doors were to be open to the

public. After the services, it was announced the opportunity would be given for those outside to enter the church and file past the plain mahogany coffin containing the body of the dead humorist.

In keeping with the known sentiments of Mr. Clemens on the funeral question there was to be no vocal programme and no pall bearers. Two organ selections, brief prayers and a few words of eulogy were to constitute the services.

After the services the body was to be placed on a train and taken to Elmira, where a second service as simple as the first, will be conducted Sunday afternoon. The burial will be in the Clemens plot in the Elmira cemetery where Mrs. Clemens and the children were buried.

Kipling's Tribute. New York, April 23.—A cable from Rudyard Kipling, on the death of Mark Twain, printed in the world today.

"In Mr. Clemens' death," says the distinguished English writer, "all our English speaking world loses a great sage and humorist."

London, April 23.—In their editorials on Mark Twain today the English press dwells as much on the nobility of his mind and character as on his pre-eminent qualities as a writer and humorist.

The Daily News remarks that it was only during the last decade that the bigness of his personality was fully revealed.

Opinions differ as to his exact position in the vanguard of letters. The Saturday Review says he was pre-eminently comic but not a humorist. The Spectator on the other hand says the world loses not only a great humorist but also a great humanist who never wrote a line that he had cause to be ashamed of.

Many of the newspapers concede that he was the most typical American of letters and the embodiment of American temperament, more so the even than Hawthorne or Poe.

RECITAL AT MOUNT ALLISON

Many Attend Graduating Recital of Misses Lena Robb, Amy Carter and Florence Taylor.

Sackville, N. B., April 24.—A large audience assembled in Beethoven hall, Mount Allison Conservatory of Music, last evening to listen to the graduating recital of the Misses Lena Olivia Robb, violinist (Oxford, N. S.), Amy Louise Carter, pianist (Bates, N. B.), and Florence Lois Taylor, reader, (Charlottetown, P. E. I.). This concert measured up very favorably with those which have preceded. Miss Robb is one of the most gifted violinists which have graduated from this conservatory in recent years. Her tone is beautifully rich and she plays with much artistic feeling, thus displaying keen musical appreciation. Miss Carter also evinces a depth of musical feeling and her rendering of her different numbers delighted her audience. Miss Taylor charmed her hearers with her selections, which were varied in character, but all agreed, however, that Miss Taylor's special forte lay in her humorous interpretations, which were much enjoyed.

A glance through the following programme will show the character of these concerts and the test which they are upon the ability of the young ladies who give them:—

- Part I. Violin, Concerto No. 22... Vioti Allegro. "The Necklaces"... Giull de Maupassant. Piano, Sonata, Op. 31... Beethoven. Mazurka... Chopin. Reading, "Saunders McGlashan's Courtship"... David Kennedy. Violin, Allegro, Scherzo... Lauterbach. Part II. Readings, "The Petrified Fern, Mary Lydia Bolles. "Jane Jones"... Ben King. "The House by the Side of the Road"... Anonymous. Violin, Humoresque... Hauser. Piano, Etude Melodique... J. Raff. Fuga, 2. Book II... Bach. Humoresque, Op. 40... Schubert. Reading, "The King's Pardon"... Goodwin.

EXPERIENCE BACK OF THIS MERGER

Almost every consolidation that is put through, has a somewhat different reason for its existence, in connection with the consolidation of management, the standardizing of the entire output and the elimination of needless freight charges.

For a long time the leading interests behind most of the concerns, had recognized that it would be to the advantage of them all, as well as to the advantage of the consumer, if there were to come together, but naturally, it was somewhat difficult to find a basis that would prove satisfactory to all. The men who have been behind the different companies now included in the consolidation, retain their interest in the new company, both as shareholders and as either officials or directors, it being announced that Mr. J. D. Flavell, president of the Flavell Milling Co. will be the president of the new company.

Bruce McDougall Again. Bruce McDougall, who was recently released from custody, after serving nine months in jail here for publishing Free Speech has announced that he will start another weekly in Moncton, to be known as "The Vindicator." The first issue will appear on April 30, in a handbill, which is being circulated in St. John, Moncton and other places. McDougall states that while in prison a year and a half he gathered some interesting news for the common people.

Removed To Provincial Hospital. Arnold Humphrey, found wandering about the streets, who was examined and pronounced insane by Dr. Jas. Christie Saturday morning, was removed from Central Police-Station to the Provincial Hospital, Saturday night by Police Officer Joseph Scott.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

The duties of the bank, between the private and public, insisted by the official public carry on their business, justified by the bank's discount.

# GERMANY'S LATEST PAPER BY THE MONETARY COMMISSION -- REPRESENTATIVE BODY OF MEN MADE IN- VESTIGATION.

Washington, April 24.—How Germany met the crisis of 1917 and how she has improved her banking laws to meet future crisis was the subject of a special inquiry by an official German commission whose hearings have been reported and published by the national monetary commission. The German commission consisted of 24 members and was a thoroughly representative body, including leading bankers, merchants, landed proprietors and professors of political science. Investigation being based upon very recent experience, and its results having been embodied in a revision of the banking law, presents many points of special interest in the present discussion of monetary reform in the United States. Some complaints were heard in Germany over the fact that during the crisis the Imperial bank was compelled to raise its discount rate to 7 1/2 per cent. This was considered an abnormal rate in Europe that was declared by one of the members of the commission, Mr. Fischer, chairman of the chamber of commerce of Reutlingen, to have been, "in the eyes of the public, nothing short of a usurpation." Among the questions most seriously discussed was whether a change should be made in what is known in Germany as the note contingent, or the limit of notes which may be issued upon a reserve of one-third in gold without payment of a special tax. The question of raising the contingent and even of abolishing it altogether, was discussed with much learning and acumen by the eminent economists, Dr. Adolph Wagner, of the university of Berlin, Dr. Jacob Riesser, of the university of Gottingen, and the practical banking members of the commission. It was pointed out by several members of the commission that the demand for capital was not necessarily related so directly to the demand for circulation that a rise in the rate of discount went into one hand in having with the necessity for an increased issue of notes. It was contended by Dr. Wagner that the existence of a limit of contingent issue had a beneficial effect rather than a beneficial one. He declared that "this so-called danger signal comes at the wrong place and at the wrong time, and that its effect is too acute."

Accepting the decision of the majority, however, that the contingent would be retained, Dr. Wagner supported the suggestion that in order to raise the contingent to 550,000,000 marks, it be raised still higher at the much-discussed quarterly periods, for at such times there may be a need of credit, and it is precisely then, that the chief function of the central bank of issue comes into play. He suggested, therefore, that the limit of uncovered and untaxed notes be allowed at such times to exceed by 100,000,000 or even 200,000,000 marks the authorized limit. In addition, Arthur Fiachel, of Mendelssohn & Co., of Berlin, did not consider a change altogether wise, however, under existing conditions, and he pointed to the extension of the untaxed limit at the quarter ends. He considered it true that when the issues of the bank exceed the limit of uncovered circulation it constituted a danger signal, and he would not admit that the frequent sounding of the signal should dull the sense of danger. He declared on this point: "If we have had in the last years such a frequent overstepping of the note contingent, this has happened precisely because we have been in an altogether abnormal situation in point of the condition of our circulation and the condition of the Reichsbank, and it was actually beneficial for us to receive frequent warnings. The danger signal, therefore, I would retain, but I question whether this danger signal does not often become too sensitive in time. If we say that we must be able to have a certain quantity of uncovered notes in circulation, we ought to keep in mind that at the quarterly periods the demand upon the currency is much greater than it is at other times, for an overstepping of the limit is not so serious as it is at other times, while at other times it should be regarded as abnormal."

The character of loans made by the bank and their relation to the circulating capital of the country was raised by Mr. Roland-Lucke, a former director of the Deutsche Bank. He declared that the most bearing upon all the statements that had been brought before the commission was the solemn assurance of the president of the Reichsbank that in the future the bank would confine itself to its discount operations, even more than in the past, to receiving legitimate business bills—that is, economically justified bill bills.

The duties of the Imperial Bank to the country came under discussion from time to time and the difference between its obligations and those of a private bank. Even the latter, it was insisted by Dr. Riesser, were not without the obligation of considering economic interests. "I have always insisted," he declared, "that even the directors of a private bank occupy an official position and do not merely carry on a business; that is to say, that they have not merely to consider private business interests, but that in every transaction they are bound not only to consider the bearing upon their business affairs, but to keep in sight its economic aspects in connection with the economic situation of the country."

**T. L. Coughlan**  
AUCTIONEER  
ST. JOHN, N. B.  
70 PRINCE ST.  
CLIFFTON HOUSE BUILDING

**KALSOMINING**  
WHITEWASHING, KALSOMINING.  
J. H. GRAYES  
124-125 Union Alley  
Tel. 124-125  
Ino-May22

**PUMPS**  
Pumping Pumps, Centrifugal Pumps, Concrete, Automatic feed pumps and receivers, Single and double acting power, Triple stroke pumps for pulp mills, independent jet condensing apparatus, centrifugal pumps  
E. S. STEPHENSON & COMPANY,  
Nelson Street, St. John, N. B.

## The Story of What the Comet Will Do May 17, 18 and 19.

**COMET MONTH.**  
May 1.—Comet 63,000,000 miles away.  
May 6.—Rises at 2.38 a. m.  
May 8.—Rises at 2.46 a. m.  
May 10.—33,000,000 miles away. Rises at 2.24 a. m.  
May 15.—Rises at 2.49 a. m.  
May 17.—Within 12,000,000 miles. Rises 3.32 a. m.  
May 18.—Eclipses the sun by comet 1.31 to 1.45 a. m. (eastern time).  
May 19.—Comet in evening sky sets before sun.  
May 20.—Comet sets 8.10 p. m. will look as large as the sun. Very terrifying in appearance to those who don't know that we have passed through the tail and that all possibility of danger is over.  
May 22.—Sets 10.55 p. m.  
May 30.—Sets 11.29 and is gradually fading away.

Halley's comet—its tail anyway—will be in our midst on May 18. None of us, not even the astronomers, know just what it will be like when we get our baptism of tail. But we do know how the blazed old thing is stepping on space in its 10,000 league boots, and therefore we can tell pretty accurately when it will arrive and the hours we can see it and such like. So the Standard sky reporter is going to tell you the story of Halley's comet during its three most important days—May 17, 18 and 19. The comet rises in the east at 3.32 a. m. on May 17, "the day before." It will then be rushing at us at a fearful rate of nearly 100,000 miles an hour, while we are at the same time speeding, at almost right angles to cross its path, at a pace over half that fast. The comet's head will then be 12,000,000 miles from us with its great tail of gaseous dust streaming out across our orbit, or path, and steadily coming nearer to the earth. This tail will cause all the harm if there be any. For the chances of the comet's head hitting us, scientists tell us, is less than 1 in 281,000,000.

With every tick of the clock the comet will be swept 25 miles nearer to us. The comet will be still facing the sun, around which it circled April 19. Upon that date it will be going at its greatest speed, 1878 miles per minute, and but 54,000,000 miles from the sun. It will still be quite dark when the comet rises at 3.32 a. m. May 17, and it will be a brilliant sight, and the rays of light from the rising sun dim its own light. All the morning the comet will be in the American sky, disappearing in the west in the afternoon. Whether it will be bright enough for us to see it during the "daylight" of May 17 is a question.

There will come the wonderful "day of the comet," for in the early morning hours of May 18 the earth and comet will pass each other. The comet will remain between the sun and the earth for 14 minutes. This will occur between 1.31 and 1.45 a. m., hence invisible in this country, for the western hemisphere will be turned away from the sun. In Europe, Asia and Africa it will be one of the greatest astronomical sights ever afforded the inhabitants of the earth. In England it will occur between 6:31 and 6:45 a. m.

But that will be merely a heavenly sight of rare wonder alike to scientist and layman. The real cause for alarm occurs when as the comet rushes between the sun and the earth, the world is enveloped by it. The tail of that sheath of light—the tail—is by no means definitely known. Some of it is metallic vapor. That is a third. For instance birds which will fly at sea level have a difficulty in getting up above the ground at the city of Mexico, because the air is so thick with the dust of the comet. I took three kinds of birds, because I had two buzzards, which were caught for me at Vera Cruz, up there. One of the buzzards attempted to fly, but could not and falling to the ground, was killed. The other got a short distance and then alighted on a tree fired out. The other birds could cover only a few yards.

There is another aeroplane in Mexico, a Blériot, which was bought by a cigarette factory for advertising purposes. They have not yet been able to get it up in the air, though they brought a Frenchman over to demonstrate with it. "My brother has purchased a Santos-Dumont Demoiselle aeroplane and expects to have it within two weeks. I myself may buy a dirigible airship in France, with a bigger balloon than is ordinarily used. We are just about to form an aero club in Mexico. We shall probably start with fifty members. I shall be back with my aeroplane, and then if I cannot fly satisfactorily near Mexico city with my aeroplane as improved I shall take it to Vera Cruz, where the sea level is about 1000 feet above the city. The Indians would not be able to fly in the air in every direction. Fortunately I had stopped my motor in time, else my propellers would have been broken and I should have had a hard time squaring myself."

**PRINCE LUSIGNAN  
SEEKING A WIFE**  
New York, April 24.—City Clerk P. J. Scully received a letter yesterday from St. Petersburg asking him to find a very wealthy wife for a prince of royal blood without fortune. The letter was partly in French, partly in Russian, and literally translated was as follows: "Sir,—Prince Royal Michael Lusignan, of Jerusalem and of Armenia, Count of Marzha, etc., etc., desires to be married to a person very wealthy. He is fifty-seven years of age and without fortune. Answer: St. Petersburg, Russia, Officersca No. 11, Room No. 4, care of Mme. General Alexandre Fedoravna Kitchener will mail photograph. The letter was postmarked "St. Petersburg," and was directed to the "Chief of the Marriage License Bureau New York." Prince Michael Lusignan was arrested in St. Petersburg in 1872 on a charge of forgery. According to a cable despatch in the Herald of the December 31 of that year, the Prince's trial attracted a large and fashionable audience. Among the leading witnesses was the aged father of the accused Prince Louis Lusignan, a descendant of the Kings of Cyprus, Jerusalem and Armenia, whose fortune had been dissipated. The testimony of the prisoner was that he had been forced to commit forgery in order to relieve the necessities of his aged father and himself. The Court found the young Prince guilty as charged, and in sentencing him to banishment recommended him to the mercy of the Tsar.

## CONSPIRACY OF THE ELECTRIC CABLE

Lord Kitchener has just finished an inspection of the Australian and New Zealand defense forces, and is on his way to England to make a report on what he found in the two dominions. Australia has adopted a form of universal or patriotic military training, the general conditions of which are fairly well known. Shortly after the outbreak of the war, the Australian Government adopted a form of universal military bill which has been passed in Australia but which has not yet been put into effect. It is a bill which is intended to take more than 100,000 men to take the field on occasion of a national emergency, and that at a very small addition to the present annual expenditure.

Provisions of Law.  
We have not yet seen a copy of the bill itself, says the Toronto Mail and Empire, but the last issue of the National Service League of England gives a summary of its provisions as follows: Three years' training for all men not less than 12 hours in each year; senior cadets, 14 to 18, six whole days, 12 half days and 24 night drills yearly. The Educational Act provides for the physical training of boys from 8 to 12. General training section, ages 18 to 21, with 14 days' camp training and 12 half days (20 for artillery and engineers) in each year. At the end of each year the men will be classified as "efficient" or "non-efficient," and the latter are liable to special extra training. There is also a voluntary "territorial force" of a prescribed number, which if below this, is augmented by ballot from the general training section. Three years' training for all men above 21, but not less than 12 hours in each year. The bill was carried by an overwhelming majority, 65 to 3 votes. "It is seldom," says the Evening Post, "that a principle so novel and so drastic has been carried so overwhelmingly by a majority, but we believe that the portion of 20 to 1 represents pretty accurately the feeling of the country. In the course of the debate in the House sentiments were expressed that might well be taken to heart by many Canadians. For example, Mr. Wilford Hunt said: "If you have some men of bad habits, compulsory military training will uplift them." "Few men object to a system of military training, and I should be astonished at any young New Zealander refusing to take part in the defence of their country." "I am in favour of that man, whether he be a youth that reaching manhood in our hands, in the sense of the word that he has reached the middle of life, should be prepared to make some sacrifice for the country of his birth or the country of his adoption. Some men say they will leave the country rather than be drilled. To such men we might well apply the words of Barrington, the convict, when he was exported to Australia. Here they are:—"True patriots we; for, be it understood, we left our country for our country's good."

**76,000 American Farmers  
Have Their Own Automobiles -- Important Factor  
Back to the Farm Movement**  
Of the 10,000 automobiles owned in the state of Iowa, 5000 belong to farmers. If Mr. Roosevelt really wants to apply the matter of the automobile to farmers and with life the country might consider that one item for a little while. And there are lots of other things that farmers should know. Of course, it is Iowa's corn. Corn grows in 120 days from its planting time. Our in the great corn belt during 1909, the farmers made the ground give them 100,000,000 bushels every day of the 120. In other words, every day from the time the corn farmers put the seed in the ground \$15,000,000 worth of light sunbaked up into a grand total of \$1,720,000,000 was rolled up.

All the gold and silver in the United States today is equal to this crop of last year. And this is only corn. Wheat and cotton are not far behind. Wheat never fetched such a price for the farmer since 1881 as it did last year. And no cotton planter has received such a high price for his cotton since 1871.

**AN AIRSHIP.**  
Suppose you had been touring in France with a bigger balloon than is ordinarily used. We are just about to form an aero club in Mexico. We shall probably start with fifty members. I shall be back with my aeroplane, and then if I cannot fly satisfactorily near Mexico city with my aeroplane as improved I shall take it to Vera Cruz, where the sea level is about 1000 feet above the city. The Indians would not be able to fly in the air in every direction. Fortunately I had stopped my motor in time, else my propellers would have been broken and I should have had a hard time squaring myself."

**COAL AND WOOD**  
WE SELL—SCOTCH HARD AND BROAD COVE SOFT COALS, HARD AND SOFT WOOD, GOOD GOODS.  
Promptly Delivered.  
Street number 238-240 Paradise Row  
Telephone number, Main 1227.  
**G. S. COSMAN & CO**

**Painters and Decorators**  
F. W. EDDLESTON,  
House and Sign Work a Specialty.  
55 Sydney St., Phone 1611.  
WOODLEY & SCHEFER,  
19 BRUSSELS ST.  
PAINTING, WHITEWASHING AND DECORATING.  
HOUSE PAINTING, PAPER HANGING, in all its branches. Estimates furnished.  
CHAS. OSMAN, Sandy Point Road.

## New Zealand's Scheme of Universal Military Training as Recently Adopted -- Kitchener's Tour of Inspection.

Lord Kitchener has just finished an inspection of the Australian and New Zealand defense forces, and is on his way to England to make a report on what he found in the two dominions. Australia has adopted a form of universal or patriotic military training, the general conditions of which are fairly well known. Shortly after the outbreak of the war, the Australian Government adopted a form of universal military bill which has been passed in Australia but which has not yet been put into effect. It is a bill which is intended to take more than 100,000 men to take the field on occasion of a national emergency, and that at a very small addition to the present annual expenditure.

Provisions of Law.  
We have not yet seen a copy of the bill itself, says the Toronto Mail and Empire, but the last issue of the National Service League of England gives a summary of its provisions as follows: Three years' training for all men not less than 12 hours in each year; senior cadets, 14 to 18, six whole days, 12 half days and 24 night drills yearly. The Educational Act provides for the physical training of boys from 8 to 12. General training section, ages 18 to 21, with 14 days' camp training and 12 half days (20 for artillery and engineers) in each year. At the end of each year the men will be classified as "efficient" or "non-efficient," and the latter are liable to special extra training. There is also a voluntary "territorial force" of a prescribed number, which if below this, is augmented by ballot from the general training section. Three years' training for all men above 21, but not less than 12 hours in each year. The bill was carried by an overwhelming majority, 65 to 3 votes. "It is seldom," says the Evening Post, "that a principle so novel and so drastic has been carried so overwhelmingly by a majority, but we believe that the portion of 20 to 1 represents pretty accurately the feeling of the country. In the course of the debate in the House sentiments were expressed that might well be taken to heart by many Canadians. For example, Mr. Wilford Hunt said: "If you have some men of bad habits, compulsory military training will uplift them." "Few men object to a system of military training, and I should be astonished at any young New Zealander refusing to take part in the defence of their country." "I am in favour of that man, whether he be a youth that reaching manhood in our hands, in the sense of the word that he has reached the middle of life, should be prepared to make some sacrifice for the country of his birth or the country of his adoption. Some men say they will leave the country rather than be drilled. To such men we might well apply the words of Barrington, the convict, when he was exported to Australia. Here they are:—"True patriots we; for, be it understood, we left our country for our country's good."

**WHERE FLYING IS DIFFICULT**  
Rarified Air of Mexico Must Be Overcome by Aviators--Senior Broniff Tells of Some Difficulties.  
New York, April 24.—Alberto Braniff has arrived at the Imperial on his way to Europe, is regarded as the father of aerial navigation in Mexico, for he is the only individual in the country that owns an aeroplane and he is the only man who has ever done any flying in that country. Senior Braniff, who is apparently about 30 years old, makes his home in the city of Mexico, although he has a little farm which is bigger than many a European principality, covering over sixty square miles, and where he raises everything from wheat to cattle; and he owns a few mines. He does a great deal of travelling, and as he is a great lover of aviation, he has a great deal of flying done. He is a great lover of aviation, and he has a great deal of flying done. He is a great lover of aviation, and he has a great deal of flying done.

**PRINCE LUSIGNAN  
SEEKING A WIFE**  
New York, April 24.—City Clerk P. J. Scully received a letter yesterday from St. Petersburg asking him to find a very wealthy wife for a prince of royal blood without fortune. The letter was partly in French, partly in Russian, and literally translated was as follows: "Sir,—Prince Royal Michael Lusignan, of Jerusalem and of Armenia, Count of Marzha, etc., etc., desires to be married to a person very wealthy. He is fifty-seven years of age and without fortune. Answer: St. Petersburg, Russia, Officersca No. 11, Room No. 4, care of Mme. General Alexandre Fedoravna Kitchener will mail photograph. The letter was postmarked "St. Petersburg," and was directed to the "Chief of the Marriage License Bureau New York." Prince Michael Lusignan was arrested in St. Petersburg in 1872 on a charge of forgery. According to a cable despatch in the Herald of the December 31 of that year, the Prince's trial attracted a large and fashionable audience. Among the leading witnesses was the aged father of the accused Prince Louis Lusignan, a descendant of the Kings of Cyprus, Jerusalem and Armenia, whose fortune had been dissipated. The testimony of the prisoner was that he had been forced to commit forgery in order to relieve the necessities of his aged father and himself. The Court found the young Prince guilty as charged, and in sentencing him to banishment recommended him to the mercy of the Tsar.

**COAL AND WOOD**  
WE SELL—SCOTCH HARD AND BROAD COVE SOFT COALS, HARD AND SOFT WOOD, GOOD GOODS.  
Promptly Delivered.  
Street number 238-240 Paradise Row  
Telephone number, Main 1227.  
**G. S. COSMAN & CO**

**Painters and Decorators**  
F. W. EDDLESTON,  
House and Sign Work a Specialty.  
55 Sydney St., Phone 1611.  
WOODLEY & SCHEFER,  
19 BRUSSELS ST.  
PAINTING, WHITEWASHING AND DECORATING.  
HOUSE PAINTING, PAPER HANGING, in all its branches. Estimates furnished.  
CHAS. OSMAN, Sandy Point Road.

**Painters and Decorators**  
F. W. EDDLESTON,  
House and Sign Work a Specialty.  
55 Sydney St., Phone 1611.  
WOODLEY & SCHEFER,  
19 BRUSSELS ST.  
PAINTING, WHITEWASHING AND DECORATING.  
HOUSE PAINTING, PAPER HANGING, in all its branches. Estimates furnished.  
CHAS. OSMAN, Sandy Point Road.

## Handsome Household Furniture

MAHOGANY TABLES, CHAIRS, SIDEBORDS, BRASS BEDSTEADS, ORIENTAL CARPET, CARPET SQUARES, STEEL RANGE, OAK DRESSING CASES, ETC.  
BY AUCTION.  
I am instructed to sell at the residence of Col. G. R. White, No. 29 Wellington Row, on Thursday Morning, April 25th, commencing at 10 o'clock, all of the Household Furniture, contained therein, comprising:—Mahogany easy chairs, very fine Oriental Rugs, Parlor, Drawing Room and other Chairs, Five O'Clock Tea Tables, Bedroom Suites, Hair and Enamel Bedsteads, Rockers, Chiffonier, Divans, Oak Dressing Cases, Portieres, Linoleum, Hall Chairs, Curtains, Polish Leather Seated Chairs, Sideboard, Silver Tea Service, Cut Glassware, Carpets, Pictures, Wellington and Fleischer, Nelson and other Pictures, Steel Range, Kitchen Utensils and other Household Goods.  
P. S.—The Drawing Room Furniture will be sold at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.  
F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

**FOR SALE**  
For Sale—Wall tent, 10x7 1/2, nearly new, 4 1/2 ft. wall. Mackness, Pennington, N. B. 21-4P25  
FOR SALE—have for sale 3 bike wagons, 2 cushion tire wagons, 4 delivery wagons, and a number of new hand-made carriages. Phone A. G. EDGEcombe, 115 City Road, Factory Phone 645, Opposite White Street.

**FOR SALE**  
For Sale—New Home, Domestic and other Sewing Machines from \$5. Buy in shop and save agents' commission. Genuine needles of all kinds. Sewing Machines, and Phonographs repaired. WILLIAM BRAWFORD, 108 Princess St., Opposite White Street.

**TO LET**  
TO LET—For the summer four rooms on Sandy Point Road. Apply Cio 87-4-4-6  
Desirable suite of offices to let in the Canada Permanent Block from May 1st to 31st of June. Apply at premises. 58-4-4

**WANTED**  
WANTED—A cash maker, or man to take charge of Cash Department. Also clean and machine hand. Apply to CHRISTIE WOODWORKING CO. LTD. 106-11.  
ROW BOAT WANTED—Natural finished Cedar, about 18 feet long, light and fast, and particularly C. M. 87, Battersby Village, N. B. 1097-61-572

**HOUSEKEEPER WANTED**  
For a very small family. Address, quoting salary expected, P.O. Box 411, St. John, N. B. 31-4P27

**WANTED**  
WANTED—Men. Apply at Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Co.'s Works, Crouville, N. B. 31-4P25  
WANTED—Second hand tent, 10x12 or a little larger. Apply by letter. Address "Tent," Cio Standard.  
Wanted—A competent cook. References required. Apply to Miss Thorne, 15 Mecklenburg street. 912-4-4

**WANTED**  
Wanted—Men. Apply at Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Co.'s Works, Crouville, N. B. 31-4P25  
WANTED—Second hand tent, 10x12 or a little larger. Apply by letter. Address "Tent," Cio Standard.  
Wanted—A competent cook. References required. Apply to Miss Thorne, 15 Mecklenburg street. 912-4-4

## Handsome Household Furniture

MAHOGANY TABLES, CHAIRS, SIDEBORDS, BRASS BEDSTEADS, ORIENTAL CARPET, CARPET SQUARES, STEEL RANGE, OAK DRESSING CASES, ETC.  
BY AUCTION.  
I am instructed to sell at the residence of Col. G. R. White, No. 29 Wellington Row, on Thursday Morning, April 25th, commencing at 10 o'clock, all of the Household Furniture, contained therein, comprising:—Mahogany easy chairs, very fine Oriental Rugs, Parlor, Drawing Room and other Chairs, Five O'Clock Tea Tables, Bedroom Suites, Hair and Enamel Bedsteads, Rockers, Chiffonier, Divans, Oak Dressing Cases, Portieres, Linoleum, Hall Chairs, Curtains, Polish Leather Seated Chairs, Sideboard, Silver Tea Service, Cut Glassware, Carpets, Pictures, Wellington and Fleischer, Nelson and other Pictures, Steel Range, Kitchen Utensils and other Household Goods.  
P. S.—The Drawing Room Furniture will be sold at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.  
F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

**FOR SALE**  
For Sale—Wall tent, 10x7 1/2, nearly new, 4 1/2 ft. wall. Mackness, Pennington, N. B. 21-4P25  
FOR SALE—have for sale 3 bike wagons, 2 cushion tire wagons, 4 delivery wagons, and a number of new hand-made carriages. Phone A. G. EDGEcombe, 115 City Road, Factory Phone 645, Opposite White Street.

**FOR SALE**  
For Sale—New Home, Domestic and other Sewing Machines from \$5. Buy in shop and save agents' commission. Genuine needles of all kinds. Sewing Machines, and Phonographs repaired. WILLIAM BRAWFORD, 108 Princess St., Opposite White Street.

**TO LET**  
TO LET—For the summer four rooms on Sandy Point Road. Apply Cio 87-4-4-6  
Desirable suite of offices to let in the Canada Permanent Block from May 1st to 31st of June. Apply at premises. 58-4-4

**WANTED**  
WANTED—A cash maker, or man to take charge of Cash Department. Also clean and machine hand. Apply to CHRISTIE WOODWORKING CO. LTD. 106-11.  
ROW BOAT WANTED—Natural finished Cedar, about 18 feet long, light and fast, and particularly C. M. 87, Battersby Village, N. B. 1097-61-572

**HOUSEKEEPER WANTED**  
For a very small family. Address, quoting salary expected, P.O. Box 411, St. John, N. B. 31-4P27

**WANTED**  
WANTED—Men. Apply at Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Co.'s Works, Crouville, N. B. 31-4P25  
WANTED—Second hand tent, 10x12 or a little larger. Apply by letter. Address "Tent," Cio Standard.  
Wanted—A competent cook. References required. Apply to Miss Thorne, 15 Mecklenburg street. 912-4-4

**WANTED**  
Wanted—Men. Apply at Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Co.'s Works, Crouville, N. B. 31-4P25  
WANTED—Second hand tent, 10x12 or a little larger. Apply by letter. Address "Tent," Cio Standard.  
Wanted—A competent cook. References required. Apply to Miss Thorne, 15 Mecklenburg street. 912-4-4

## Handsome Household Furniture

MAHOGANY TABLES, CHAIRS, SIDEBORDS, BRASS BEDSTEADS, ORIENTAL CARPET, CARPET SQUARES, STEEL RANGE, OAK DRESSING CASES, ETC.  
BY AUCTION.  
I am instructed to sell at the residence of Col. G. R. White, No. 29 Wellington Row, on Thursday Morning, April 25th, commencing at 10 o'clock, all of the Household Furniture, contained therein, comprising:—Mahogany easy chairs, very fine Oriental Rugs, Parlor, Drawing Room and other Chairs, Five O'Clock Tea Tables, Bedroom Suites, Hair and Enamel Bedsteads, Rockers, Chiffonier, Divans, Oak Dressing Cases, Portieres, Linoleum, Hall Chairs, Curtains, Polish Leather Seated Chairs, Sideboard, Silver Tea Service, Cut Glassware, Carpets, Pictures, Wellington and Fleischer, Nelson and other Pictures, Steel Range, Kitchen Utensils and other Household Goods.  
P. S.—The Drawing Room Furniture will be sold at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.  
F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

**FOR SALE**  
For Sale—Wall tent, 10x7 1/2, nearly new, 4 1/2 ft. wall. Mackness, Pennington, N. B. 21-4P25  
FOR SALE—have for sale 3 bike wagons, 2 cushion tire wagons, 4 delivery wagons, and a number of new hand-made carriages. Phone A. G. EDGEcombe, 115 City Road, Factory Phone 645, Opposite White Street.

**FOR SALE**  
For Sale—New Home, Domestic and other Sewing Machines from \$5. Buy in shop and save agents' commission. Genuine needles of all kinds. Sewing Machines, and Phonographs repaired. WILLIAM BRAWFORD, 108 Princess St., Opposite White Street.

**TO LET**  
TO LET—For the summer four rooms on Sandy Point Road. Apply Cio 87-4-4-6  
Desirable suite of offices to let in the Canada Permanent Block from May 1st to 31st of June. Apply at premises. 58-4-4

**WANTED**  
WANTED—A cash maker, or man to take charge of Cash Department. Also clean and machine hand. Apply to CHRISTIE WOODWORKING CO. LTD. 106-11.  
ROW BOAT WANTED—Natural finished Cedar, about 18 feet long, light and fast, and particularly C. M. 87, Battersby Village, N. B. 1097-61-572

**HOUSEKEEPER WANTED**  
For a very small family. Address, quoting salary expected, P.O. Box 411, St. John, N. B. 31-4P27

**WANTED**  
WANTED—Men. Apply at Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Co.'s Works, Crouville, N. B. 31-4P25  
WANTED—Second hand tent, 10x12 or a little larger. Apply by letter. Address "Tent," Cio Standard.  
Wanted—A competent cook. References required. Apply to Miss Thorne, 15 Mecklenburg street. 912-4-4

**WANTED**  
Wanted—Men. Apply at Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Co.'s Works, Crouville, N. B. 31-4P25  
WANTED—Second hand tent, 10x12 or a little larger. Apply by letter. Address "Tent," Cio Standard.  
Wanted—A competent cook. References required. Apply to Miss Thorne, 15 Mecklenburg street. 912-4-4

## Handsome Household Furniture

MAHOGANY TABLES, CHAIRS, SIDEBORDS, BRASS BEDSTEADS, ORIENTAL CARPET, CARPET SQUARES, STEEL RANGE, OAK DRESSING CASES, ETC.  
BY AUCTION.  
I am instructed to sell at the residence of Col. G. R. White, No. 29 Wellington Row, on Thursday Morning, April 25th, commencing at 10 o'clock, all of the Household Furniture, contained therein, comprising:—Mahogany easy chairs, very fine Oriental Rugs, Parlor, Drawing Room and other Chairs, Five O'Clock Tea Tables, Bedroom Suites, Hair and Enamel Bedsteads, Rockers, Chiffonier, Divans, Oak Dressing Cases, Portieres, Linoleum, Hall Chairs, Curtains, Polish Leather Seated Chairs, Sideboard, Silver Tea Service, Cut Glassware, Carpets, Pictures, Wellington and Fleischer, Nelson and other Pictures, Steel Range, Kitchen Utensils and other Household Goods.  
P. S.—The Drawing Room Furniture will be sold at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.  
F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

## Handsome Household Furniture

MAHOGANY TABLES, CHAIRS, SIDEBORDS, BRASS BEDSTEADS, ORIENTAL CARPET, CARPET SQUARES, STEEL RANGE, OAK DRESSING CASES, ETC.  
BY AUCTION.  
I am instructed to sell at the residence of Col. G. R. White, No. 29 Wellington Row, on Thursday Morning, April 25th, commencing at 10 o'clock, all of the Household Furniture, contained therein, comprising:—Mahogany easy chairs, very fine Oriental Rugs, Parlor, Drawing Room and other Chairs, Five O'Clock Tea Tables, Bedroom Suites, Hair and Enamel Bedsteads, Rockers, Chiffonier, Divans, Oak Dressing Cases, Portieres, Linoleum, Hall Chairs, Curtains, Polish Leather Seated Chairs, Sideboard, Silver Tea Service, Cut Glassware, Carpets, Pictures, Wellington and Fleischer, Nelson and other Pictures, Steel Range, Kitchen Utensils and other Household Goods.  
P. S.—The Drawing Room Furniture will be sold at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.  
F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

**FOR SALE**  
For Sale—Wall tent, 10x7 1/2, nearly new, 4 1/2 ft. wall. Mackness, Pennington, N. B. 21-4P25  
FOR SALE—have for sale 3 bike wagons, 2 cushion tire wagons, 4 delivery wagons, and a number of new hand-made carriages. Phone A. G. EDGEcombe, 115 City Road, Factory Phone 645, Opposite White Street.

**FOR SALE**  
For Sale—New Home, Domestic and other Sewing Machines from \$5. Buy in shop and save agents' commission. Genuine needles of all kinds. Sewing Machines, and Phonographs repaired. WILLIAM BRAWFORD, 108 Princess St., Opposite White Street.

**TO LET**  
TO LET—For the summer four rooms on Sandy Point Road. Apply Cio 87-4-4-6  
Desirable suite of offices to let in the Canada Permanent Block from May 1st to 31st of June. Apply at premises. 58-4-4

**WANTED**  
WANTED—A cash maker, or man to take charge of Cash Department. Also clean and machine hand. Apply to CHRISTIE WOODWORKING CO. LTD. 106-11.  
ROW BOAT WANTED—Natural finished Cedar, about 18 feet long, light and fast, and particularly C. M. 87, Battersby Village, N. B. 1097-61-572

**HOUSEKEEPER WANTED**  
For a very small family. Address, quoting salary expected, P.O. Box 411, St. John, N. B. 31-4P27

**WANTED**  
WANTED—Men. Apply at Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Co.'s Works, Crouville, N. B. 31-4P25  
WANTED—Second hand tent, 10x12 or a little larger. Apply by letter. Address "Tent," Cio Standard.  
Wanted—A competent cook. References required. Apply to Miss Thorne, 15 Mecklenburg street. 912-4-4

**WANTED**  
Wanted—Men. Apply at Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Co.'s Works, Crouville, N. B. 31-4P25  
WANTED—Second hand tent, 10x12 or a little larger. Apply by letter. Address "Tent," Cio Standard.  
Wanted—A competent cook. References required. Apply to Miss Thorne, 15 Mecklenburg street. 912-4-4

## Handsome Household Furniture

MAHOGANY TABLES, CHAIRS, SIDEBORDS, BRASS BEDSTEADS, ORIENTAL CARPET, CARPET SQUARES, STEEL RANGE, OAK DRESSING CASES, ETC.  
BY AUCTION.  
I am instructed to sell at the residence of Col. G. R. White, No. 29 Wellington Row, on Thursday Morning, April 25th, commencing at 10 o'clock, all of the Household Furniture, contained therein, comprising:—Mahogany easy chairs, very fine Oriental Rugs, Parlor, Drawing Room and other Chairs, Five O'Clock Tea Tables, Bedroom Suites, Hair and Enamel Bedsteads, Rockers, Chiffonier, Divans, Oak Dressing Cases, Portieres, Linoleum, Hall Chairs, Curtains, Polish Leather Seated Chairs, Sideboard, Silver Tea Service, Cut Glassware, Carpets, Pictures, Wellington and Fleischer, Nelson and other Pictures, Steel Range, Kitchen Ut

# The Standard



Published by The Standard Limited, 52 Prince William Street, St. John, Canada.

TELEPHONE CALLS: Business Office 1221 Main 1722 Editorial and News 1221 Main 1746

SUBSCRIPTION. Morning Edition, By Carrier, per year, \$5.00; Mail, 3.00; Weekly Edition, by Mail, per year, 1.00; Weekly Edition to United States, 1.50; Single Copies Two Cents.

MANAGING DIRECTOR—Jas. H. Crockett; EDITOR—S. D. Scott.

SAINT JOHN, MONDAY MORNING, APRIL 25, 1910.

## MR. BUTLER'S GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC ESTIMATE.

Mr. M. J. Butler, former Deputy Minister of Railways, has been making a speech before the Boston City Club. He told the club that the new Transcontinental line will cost \$350,000,000 when completed. This is about \$75,000,000 more than Mr. Borden's estimate of 1908. Mr. Borden figured that the cost of the eastern section, and the guarantee on the western portions would amount to \$250,000,000. The cost of the Mountain and Prairie section above the guarantee would be \$25,000,000. Mr. Butler's additional \$75,000,000 would probably include rolling stock and other equipment.

According to the last government statement the Dominion government will be responsible for some \$45,000,000 in interest paid without recourse, and some \$17,000,000 for the Quebec Bridge, making \$62,000,000. This is quite a raise from the \$13,000,000 which the government undertook in 1904 would be the maximum cost. But if we subtract this \$62,000,000 we find the sum of \$288,000,000 left as the cost to be charged against the company. Thus while the total cost of the road will be, according to Mr. Butler, fully \$100,000,000 per mile, the cost which will be a basis of the fixed charges will be \$80,000 per mile. On part of this the annual interest will be only three per cent. This is what the government is to receive. On the part to be paid for by the issue of bonds guaranteed by the government, the charge will exceed three per cent. for the bonds are not sold at par. The money raised on the Grand Trunk guarantee will cost four to six per cent. The annual charge will not be less than three and a half per cent. or \$2,800 per mile.

We believe that there is no trunk railway on this continent loaded with fixed charges nearly so large as this. They are much more than double the fixed charges of either the Canadian Pacific or Canadian Northern. On the other hand compare the earning capacity of the Canadian Pacific per mile with that of the Grand Trunk Pacific between Winnipeg and Moncton.

### A HERO.

There is a United States army pensioner who now receives an allowance of twelve dollars a month. He is entitled to a high place in the roll of heroes. John Kissinger was a young private soldier from Ohio, who was serving in the hospital corps in Cuba in 1900. At that time a commission was appointed to investigate the cause of yellow fever and the means of its prevention. The doctors set about to trace the connection between the mosquito and the fever, as they had reason to believe that the insect was the chief agency in the spread of the disease. Kissinger learned that the most conclusive test would be the inoculation of a healthy man. He offered to submit to this test, and the doctors accepted him, but took care that he should thoroughly understand the risk he was running. The soldier did not hesitate, and he refused any compensation for the danger, stating that he made his proposition not for any consideration, but solely in the interests of humanity and science. It is believed that Kissinger's present and permanent disablement is the result of these experiments and of the fever which followed. He is a helpless paralytic, unable to walk. But the discoveries made by the commission may have been a material element in the great success that is attending the war against yellow fever in tropical countries. Thousands of lives may have already been saved through the loss of this private soldier's health.

### MARK TWAIN IN THE FUTURE.

There will be much conjecture over the question whether Mark Twain will survive, and be reckoned in the future as one of the great masters in the world of letters. It is a vain question to ask now, for it will take a century or so to answer it. No generation has been able to decide who were its immortals. The best estimates are the oldest. The percentage of poets crowned at Athens who have survived two thousand years is larger than that of English poets laureate, or of French academicians, who survive two hundred. Mark Twain may or may not be classed for all time among the great men of his day. But he has stood the test of forty years and during that period has been read more than any other writer of English. Some other may have taken the first place for a year. David Harum was more discussed for a few months than Colonel Sellers or Tom Sawyer. But the people went back to Mark Twain.

To speak for the future it would be necessary to know who would be Mark Twain's competitors. This is not known. Nor can we guess what the taste of the next generation may be. An age that enjoyed Hudibras would hardly know what to do with Mark Twain. He would fare better with the contemporaries of Chaucer.

But it is something for a man to have served his own generation.

### CHINA AND THE WEST.

Mr. Melville Stone is an observing man and not likely to become the victim of a panic. Yet he returns from China rather pessimistic over the future of western influence in that country. In the first place Mr. Stone finds that China is not likely to be much of a market for American or European manufacturers. The Chinese are too numerous and their labor too cheap for them to buy the products of white labor. It is much more likely that they will manufacture for the rest of the world, than that the world shall produce for them.

In the second place the increase in the population of China is becoming more and more rapid. The population is not only increasing faster than that of other countries, but it is gaining more every year than it did the year before. Europeans have taught and are teach-

ing the Oriental how to preserve the lives of their children. This much they learn from the white races, without acquiring the diminished western birth rate. These people will either spread to other lands, or will supply other lands with the produce of labor performed at home.

Thirdly, the Oriental is losing his fear of the western races as soldiers. The European with a gun was formerly too much for the Chinese to face. They have learned from the war between Japan and Russia that an Asiatic behind a gun may be equal or superior to a European. What Japan has done, China thinks that she can do. Japan knows that she herself can fight with modern weapons as well as any country. What is more important, Japan thinks that China can be taught to take care of herself, and that it is the mission of Japan to give China the necessary training and self-confidence.

### COLONEL ROOSEVELT IN FRANCE.

The text of Colonel Roosevelt's Paris address is one that is always worth remembering. If it lacks the charm of novelty as a statement of doctrine, it is not too familiar in its application. Property in well organized countries is able to pay the cost of its own protection. The price of defending human rights is not always in sight while the general sense of justice is commonly reliable if the judges thoroughly appreciate the equity of the case, publicity is necessary, and property is often better able than humanity to obtain public notice of its wrongs. The declarations of the ex-president catch the ear of France. Frenchmen delight in general declarations of principle. They have accomplished revolutions on certain phrases. Some educated Frenchmen are theorists only. Some are also practical. But all are doctrinaires.

Colonel Roosevelt has a fine gift of sententious statements and is excessively didactic. He considers himself to be, not a traveller gaining knowledge or acquiring entertainment, but a peripatetic teacher. He taught in Cairo. He gave instruction in Italy. He offered counsel in Buda Pesth. In France he is still going about teaching and preaching. If the things he said in Paris are not new in letters, they will be fairly fresh and original if applied to the public life of France or the United States, or any other country.

### THE PARTING GUEST.

Sir Richard Cartwright is to be banquetted prior to his disappearance from the senate leadership. Thus will his removal be made as gentle as possible. It may be remembered that on a previous occasion Sir Wilfrid paid Sir Richard a doubtful compliment. The premier said that while Sir Richard often differed from his colleagues in the cabinet on questions of policy, yet when the matter was decided one way or the other, Sir Richard had never failed to give the programme his loyal and enthusiastic support. This left the public guessing how many and which acts of the government were condemned in the cabinet by the Minister of Trade and Commerce. We may, perhaps, safely say that he condemned the North Atlantic immigration contract, the Yukon Railway deal, and the Drummond Counties deal, and the Grand Trunk Pacific Contract. From what is known of Sir Richard's taste in financiers it may be considered certain that he opposed the call of Mr. Pugsley to the cabinet, and strenuously resisted the assignment to him of a spending department. In former times Sir Richard spoke his mind with great vigor, and was one of the most interesting figures in public life. He himself explained some years ago that he had become a mere on-looker in politics. In this attitude he could not be considered an interesting public man. But he would again become so if he would give to the public his candid opinion on some of the deals which, as Sir Wilfrid tells us, he uncandidly defended.

### A FLAT CONTRADICTION.

The Woodstock Sentinel of last Friday published a circumstantial story of the "fleeting" of an immigrant by a "Tory heeler" in Carleton county, assisted by advice given by the provincial immigration officer for the county. On Saturday The Standard expressed the opinion that this story, and every other one of the kind that should be told so that the facts could be ascertained, should be investigated. If a statement like this were true, some action would be demanded. If not true the lie should be promptly exposed.

In this case the contradiction and exposure came close on the heels of the story. The contradiction comes not from the person accused, but from the persons said to be wronged. They claim to have had a thorough understanding of the bargain that they made. They knew before they bought all the things which they were said to have discovered afterward. They contradict the description given of the land. Moreover they say that when others persuaded them that the land was not suitable, the vendor offered to release them, so that they might buy to better advantage elsewhere if possible. It is not easy to recognize the Sentinel's story in this account given by the men who were said to be fleeced. These men have not been in the country long, but already report that they have been made use of in the attempt to injure for party reasons a man who had acted honorably. This is not a pleasant introduction of a new settler to New Brunswick party politics, but it assists him in reaching political conclusions.

Dr. Hilprecht, who claimed to have found in his Asiatic excavations a tablet of 2,100 B. C., giving an account of the flood, adheres to his original view of the matter. Professor Barton of Bryn Mawr, had declared the tablet an "archaeological fraud." But Dr. Hilprecht says that his own conclusions are accepted by five leading American, three English, and two German Assyriologists, all experts. With this backing he refuses to recognize the criticisms of Professors Baker and Clay, unless substantiated by a more satisfactory knowledge of Babylonian grammar and archeology than their discussions indicate.

The New York Times says that Mark Twain on his death bed called for Carlyle's "French Revolution." This leads the Times to recall the statement of the present Lord Tennyson, that when his father was dying he called for his Shakespeare, and that he passed away with the open book on his bed. "To what play, or what favorite passage in a play he had turned at that last hour, we shall never know," says the Times. We had supposed it to be a well known fact that Tennyson desired to have the book opened, or had opened it himself, at the requiem song in "Cymbeline."

The young man who has been released from a Minnesota jail because he writes good poetry says that he never was a poet until he went to prison. It may be that his muse will not respond to other surroundings. But the experiment is worth trying. The fear that inmates of all prisons shall become poets may be put away. What better way of spending the quiet hours after the day's work can there be?

Mr. J. S. Larke, Canadian commercial agent in Australia, was one of the first of the trade commissioners sent out from this country. He was also one of the most active and effective. Our trade with Australia is still relatively small, but it would have been less if Mr. Larke had not upheld Canadian trade interests in the Commonwealth.

FOR HIGH GRADE CONFECTIONERY DELIGHTFUL ICE CREAM and up-to-date Soda Drinks with the latest and newest flavors and fancies, call at W. HAWKER & SON Druggists, 104 Prince Wm. St.

CUTS FOR YOUR CATALOGS Spring 1910 FLEWELLING, ENGRAVER ST. JOHN, N.B.

## QUICK---CHEAP---and---EASY THE "B & B" WICKLESS BLUE FLAME OIL STOVE

Is the safest, simplest and cheapest. The vaporizing bowl cannot be overflowed. Coats less than one cent per hour per burner to run.

|                   |       |                  |
|-------------------|-------|------------------|
| One Burner Size   | ..... | \$3.25 each      |
| Two Burner Size   | ..... | \$5.00 each      |
| Three Burner Size | ..... | \$7.00 each      |
| Ovens             | ..... | \$1.50 to \$2.75 |
| Small Oil Stoves  | ..... | 55 cents up.     |

EMERSON & FISHER, Ltd., 25 Germain Street

## WATCHES, JEWELRY, DIAMONDS, etc.

Ferguson & Page, Diamond Importers and Jewellers, 41 KING STREET

## \$4.75 Per Ton Delivered in City Proper SALMON ASH COAL

A clean lump coal for OPEN FIRES, and ALL Household Uses. CANADA'S BEST COAL TODAY. Phone 1172. Canadian Coal Corporation, Duffell Wharf, Charlotte Street, P. O. Box 13.

## The Mission of Eye Glasses

is to remedy defects of vision. Any glass that fails to do this is not doing what it should do. Our methods of examining the eyes reveal the presence or absence of defects in the vision, and unless there are defects to be corrected, we will not sell you glasses. Our guarantee goes with every pair of glasses we supply. The risk of your not getting the right glass is taken wholly by us. Better talk the matter over with us.

## L. L. Sharpe & Son,

21 KING STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

## WHEN HAMBURG PLAYS

I seem to hear the lark's gay song ascending. The murmur of some gently-flowing stream. Whirling leaves and zephyrs softly blending. Fairies tripping lightly o'er the green. Methinks, around, I see fair roses growing. And hear the sound of bells and dancers gay. While all the world with happiness is glowing. When you, Mark Hambourg play. And then again I see the tempest raging. I hear the heavens thunder, crash and roar. With all the elements a mighty battle waging. To wreck the ships upon some barren shore. Across the skies I see swift lightning flashes. I hear the deadly clamor of the fray, As 'gainst the rocks the charging ocean dashes. "When you, Mark Hambourg play. Again 'tis night, and all the world is dreaming. The gracious moon in majesty divine. Amidst the court of stars all brightly gleaming. Smiles down upon the world, with love divine. The nightingale her golden voice far swelling. Chants fondly to her mate a wondrous lay. Oh! peace within my heart is surely dwelling. When you, Mark Hambourg play. W. H. W.

## STANDING COMMITTEES NAMED AT NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, N. B., April 24.—The new town council has appointed the following standing committees for the ensuing year. The first named in each is chairman: Finance—Aldermen Clarke, Butler and Morrison. Public works—Aldermen Morrison, Allison and Russell. Light and water—Aldermen Morrison, Allison and Russell. By-laws, licenses and Petitions—Aldermen Butler, Falconer and Layton. Parks and fire—Aldermen Layton, Allison and Sargeant. Ferries—Aldermen Falconer, Clark and Morrison. At its last meeting Newcastle Division, S. of J., elected the following de-

## A GOOD THING TO DO

When there's anything wrong with your plumbing. G. W. WILLIAMS, 18 WATERLOO ST. Phone 1886-11.

## POETRY AND PROSE.

She—April, beautiful April! I wish it would last forever. He—So do I. She—You, too, are fond of nature then? He—Not especially, but I have a note coming due the first of May. Would Avoid the Agony. He—Let me bring you some ice while Miss Yellort is singing. Will you have vanilla or? She—Make it chloroform, please. The Only Chance. My lady-love is perfect quite. Her name is Brown, her hair the same. Her disposition's sweet and bright; There's naught I'd change—except her name. The Catholic Standard and Times. Which Won. "Yes," said the determined man, "when that waiter resent the smallness of my tip I tin' the case to the proprietor of the restaurant." "And what did the proprietor do?" "He gave the waiter some money out of his own pocket and apologized to him for having such a customer."—Washington Star. A Pugnacious Author. "That fellow makes a lot of money writing." "What is his style?" "Well, his style is peculiar. It's a sort of a crouch."—Washington Herald. Nipped. "I've got a great chance," began Katte, a five-year-old resident of Boston, ran to her father one morning, exclaiming, "Father, brother Harold swore!" "Swore, did he?" inquired the parent, grimly reaching for his slipper. "What did he say?" "He said 'ain't,'" responded Katte, solemnly.—Today's Magazine.

## The Judicature Act Of New Brunswick Rules of Court, 1909.

Copies of the above are on sale by BARNES & CO., Limited, 84 Prince William Street, - ST. JOHN

## SALE OF WALL PAPER 20p. c. Discount

H. L. & J. T. McGOWAN, Ltd., 139 PRINCESS STREET. Phone 697

## EDGEcombe & CHAISSON, HIGH-CLASS TAILORS

Importers of High-Grade Cloths for Gentlemen's Wear 104 KING STREET, TRINITY BLOCK.

## David Lloyd Evans,

begs to inform the public that he has reopened his FIRST-CLASS MEAT & POULTRY STORE at 250 UNION STREET. Prompt delivery—Fresh Stock Nothing except best quality and at moderate prices. : : :

## TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of the Common Clerk, room No. 2, City Hall, addressed to him, marked "Tender for Supplies," up to 4 p. m. of Tuesday, 26th April inst. for the following supplies for the Public Works Department, viz:— About 1000 bbls. Gas Works Coal Tar. 25 tons Trinidad Lake Asphalt. 600 loads Bank Sand. 40 cords of Hardwood (rock maple, or yellow birch). 6000 square yards Spruce Paving Blocks. All of which are to be according to specifications to be seen in the office of the City Engineer, Room No. 3, City Hall, and to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be ordered by the City Engineer. A cash deposit equal to five per cent. of the estimated full value of contract at price named in tender will be required. The City does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. No tender will be accepted unless on forms supplied by the City Engineer. The City reserves the right to increase the quantities up to 10 per cent. above those estimated and such increase to be at price tendered. St. John, N. B., 16th April, 1910. Wm. WURDOCH, City Engineer. ADAM P. MACINTYRE, Comptroller. 51

## BICYCLES

BICYCLE SUPPLIES DISC RECORDS BICYCLE MUNSON at Cut Prices 449 Yonge St. Toronto. Tender Cut Price Catalogue. TORONTO

## SAINT JOHN REAL ESTATE CO.

Ltd. Shareholders' Annual Meeting. The ANNUAL MEETING of the shareholders of The Saint John Real Estate Company, Limited, will be held in the office of the company, Room 33, Canada Life Building, Prince William Street, St. John, N. B., on Wednesday, the 11th day of May, 1910, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. L. P. D. TILLEY, Managing Director. dMay 11

## AMERICAN ANTHRACITE SCOTCH ANTHRACITE OLD MINE SVONEY RESERVE

Delivered in bulk or in bags. Prices low. R. P. & W. F. Starr, Limited. A. R. CAMPBELL & SON, HIGH-CLASS TAILORING 26 Germain Street.

## HUTCHINGS & CO., BEDDING MANUFACTURERS

WIRE MATTRESSES, MATTRESSES, IRON BEDSTEDS, FEATHER PILLOWS etc. WHOLESALE and RETAIL. 101 to 105 Germain Street.

We are under deep obligations to our graduates, who by their ability and proficiency have commended our work to the public, and have given us our present standing. Our aim is to continue turning out graduates of this class. They have always been our best advertisement. Free catalogue to any address. S. Kerr, Principal.

## Daily Gleaner

OF FREDERICTON, Is on sale in St. John at the office of THE STANDARD, 52 Prince William Street, and the NEWS Stand at the Royal Hotel. ROBT. MAXWELL, Mason and Builder, Valuator and Appraiser. Brick, Lime, Stone, Tile, and Plaster Worker. General Jobbing Promptly and Neatly done. Office 18 Sydney Street. Nos. 225 Union St. Tel. 222.

## COAL

My Coal is good Coal, gives best satisfaction. TRY IT. JAMES S. MCGIVERN, Agent, 5 Mill Street. Tel. 42.

## COAL

AMERICAN ANTHRACITE SCOTCH ANTHRACITE OLD MINE SVONEY RESERVE. Delivered in bulk or in bags. Prices low. R. P. & W. F. Starr, Limited. A. R. CAMPBELL & SON, HIGH-CLASS TAILORING 26 Germain Street.

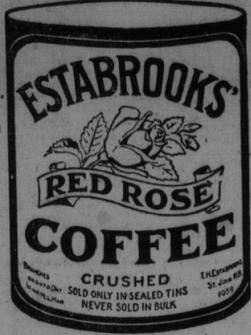
## HUTCHINGS & CO., BEDDING MANUFACTURERS

WIRE MATTRESSES, MATTRESSES, IRON BEDSTEDS, FEATHER PILLOWS etc. WHOLESALE and RETAIL. 101 to 105 Germain Street.

Did Y of E Fir where this b sealing tight. air-tig EST A good Estabroo breakfast Tea for E ORDER 11 I \$268 II \$264 III \$256 IV \$225 V \$185 TH 7 Mark Also Hal DeBec, A Henderson, of time at this and Mrs. Rob day evening son of Mr. an gave a party friends in h Various am and ice crea A good time Hon. J. K. recently the Neal. Mr. F ed by his yo Mrs. Belle E. Ramse, an for incurable to her di spending a w Mrs. Kelly whose case spread inter their farm t Junction, B boarding hou Mr. Howar a serious nee he was han breaking his Miss Lulu village soli Home and P Spargue, F Hon. J. K. trip to DeB Cecil Clar County, spe the guest of Chas. Clark Stanley De with a sh a weeks ago in Miss Marra

Did You Ever Notice that the Tins of Estabrooks' Red Rose Coffee are Double Sealed?

First there is a band put on the seam where the cover joins the tin, then over this band the label is placed, doubly sealing it and making it absolutely airtight.



A good combination of Estabrooks' Coffee for breakfast and Red Rose Tea for other meals

coffee in bulk to be ground in the store as required. It must be protected from the air from the very start.

Estabrooks' RED ROSE Coffee

ORDER A TIN IN TIME FOR BREAKFAST

BARGAINS VERY SLIGHTLY USED

PIANOS

- I \$268.00 S46 New Scale Williams \$268.00
II \$264.00 Nordheimer by Martin Orme \$264.00
III \$256.00 S Louis Stiner \$256.00
IV \$225.00 S18 Stephenson \$225.00
V \$185.00 S24 Brockley \$185.00

THE W. H. JOHNSON CO., Ltd., 7 Market Square, ST. JOHN, N. B. Also Halifax, New Glasgow, Sydney.

FLAMING ARC LAMPS TRY "EXCELLO" ITS ALL RIGHT LIGHT ALEX W. THORNE, Electrical Contractor, 151 Mill Street, St. John, N. B. Phone M-2344-11.

DEBEC. DeBec, April 22—Miss Pauline Henderson, of Plymouth, spent a short time at this village the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Flemming. On Friday evening R. A. Flemming, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Flemming, gave a party to a few of his young friends in honor of Miss Henderson. Various amusements were indulged in and ice cream and cake was served. A good time is reported.

Special Services In City Churches

ODDFELLOWS OBSERVE THEIR ANNIVERSARY

Service in Carleton Methodist Church—Special Music—Rev. Gordon Dickie Preaches on The Spirit of Fraternity.

The Oddfellows of the city celebrated their 75th anniversary at the Carleton Methodist church, where they heard an excellent sermon by the Rev. Gordon Dickie.

Opening Ode. Male Quartette—"Remember now M. W. Long, H. Linkley, W. Lanyon, T. Rippey.

The Sermon. Rev. Gordon Dickie took as his theme "The Spirit of Fraternity" and preached an excellent sermon to the visiting Oddfellows.

Classes Against the Masses. "This is the fact of the business world as well as in politics. The great struggle in Great Britain today is not between Liberals and Conservatives, but between the privileged classes and the unprivileged, and all over the world it is the same—classes against the masses.

Every Item a Feature at Nickel. The week will be commenced in Nickel Theatre with a complete new line of pictures.

Rev. Calvin Currie delivered a very powerful sermon in the Foresters' Hall Sunday evening.

Mr. Monteth, who has purchased the farm of Jas. Gillen about one mile from DeBec, has moved with his family into his new residence.

Mr. P. J. O'Rourke, who for the past eleven years has been a member of the staff of the Western Union Telegraph Company, left on Saturday evening for Toronto, where he has accepted a position with the Great North Western.

CHARACTER BASIS OF TRUE PATRIOTISM

Rev. E. B. Hooper in Annual Sermon to St. George Society Urges Members to Live Up to Traditions.

We do not cease from battle; we will not sheath the sword. St. George, St. George for England, and England for the Lord.

An excellent musical service was rendered by the choir under the direction of Mr. Hooper.

The Sermon. In speaking to the members of the society Rev. Mr. Hooper said in part: "I feel satisfied that the members of the society should regard this event as the mere celebration of the anniversary of St. George but they attach importance to nothing with us in England's greatness and the stay and strength of the Empire."

"I feel satisfied that the members of the society should regard this event as the mere celebration of the anniversary of St. George but they attach importance to nothing with us in England's greatness and the stay and strength of the Empire."

The Heart of the Empire. "The whole world recognizes Great England as the heart of a greater empire. This was a result of the greatness of the people. If there had been no great Englishmen, there would have been no great British Empire."

St. George's Anglican. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of St. George's church, Carleton, at the morning service, preached from the text: "And Jesus went about teaching and preaching, and healing the sick."

St. George's Anglican. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of St. George's church, Carleton, at the morning service, preached from the text: "And Jesus went about teaching and preaching, and healing the sick."

St. George's Anglican. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of St. George's church, Carleton, at the morning service, preached from the text: "And Jesus went about teaching and preaching, and healing the sick."

St. George's Anglican. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of St. George's church, Carleton, at the morning service, preached from the text: "And Jesus went about teaching and preaching, and healing the sick."

St. George's Anglican. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of St. George's church, Carleton, at the morning service, preached from the text: "And Jesus went about teaching and preaching, and healing the sick."

CONGREGATIONS URGED TO FIGHT WHITE PLAGUE

Tuberculosis Sunday Observed in City Churches Yesterday—Indifference Strongly Condemned.

From quite a number of city pulpits yesterday the ministers urged on the crusaders who are fighting the great white plague, and exhorted the people generally to follow more religiously the gospel that is next to godliness.

Modern communities. "Modern communities," he said, "must face the fact that consumption and similar diseases did not spring from the nature of things, and could not be regarded as punishments visited by Providence upon men for their personal sins."

Indifference on the part of any class of the community was sinful. So long as the disease persisted in any part of the city, we are all liable to fall a prey to it.

Leinster St. Church. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of the Leinster street Baptist church, in his morning sermon, devoted a good deal of attention to the Anti-Tuberculosis campaign.

St. George's Anglican. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of St. George's church, Carleton, at the morning service, preached from the text: "And Jesus went about teaching and preaching, and healing the sick."

St. George's Anglican. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of St. George's church, Carleton, at the morning service, preached from the text: "And Jesus went about teaching and preaching, and healing the sick."

St. George's Anglican. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of St. George's church, Carleton, at the morning service, preached from the text: "And Jesus went about teaching and preaching, and healing the sick."

St. George's Anglican. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of St. George's church, Carleton, at the morning service, preached from the text: "And Jesus went about teaching and preaching, and healing the sick."

St. George's Anglican. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of St. George's church, Carleton, at the morning service, preached from the text: "And Jesus went about teaching and preaching, and healing the sick."

St. George's Anglican. Rev. W. H. Stimpson, rector of St. George's church, Carleton, at the morning service, preached from the text: "And Jesus went about teaching and preaching, and healing the sick."

WALK-OVER SHOES

FOR THE MAN WHO THINKS The man of sense and good judgment knows that "cheap" shoes are not cheap at any price. He knows that it costs money to make good shoes.

WALK-OVER SHOES should make a strong appeal to you for they are made for men who expect to pay for what they get, but expect to get what they pay for. IT'S THE SHOE FOR YOU. Patent Leather Button Boot Bridge Model, PRICE \$6.00. \$5.50 and 6.00. FOOT LITTERS McRobbie KING STREET

We have just received at the Frederickton warehouse, a Carload of STICKNEY ENGINES fitted with the new pump feed and patent battery. GEORGE J. BARRETT, FREDERICTON.

STYLISH LIGHT-GIVERS NO REASON why your fixtures should not be ornamental as well as useful. Nothing does more to furnish and beautify a room than handsome lighting fixtures. Nothing is more quickly noted than inappropriate or out-of-date designs. You can be sure of satisfaction here. Our handsome new showrooms are bright with original and stylish designs—not an old or out-of-date fixture in our whole immense stock. As to price, look where you will, you'll find anywhere such values as we offer—our customers say so—our business shows it. Put us to the test. The St. John Railway Co., Corner Dock and Union Streets, St. John.

WIFE SEES HUSBAND IN DEADLY PERIL Mrs. Leonard Sees Conductor Leonard Fall Between Cars of Moving Train—Escaped Death by Miracle.

To stand within a few feet of her husband and see him in peril of death in a fatal form is a terrible experience for a woman, but it is what Mrs. Leonard, wife of C. P. R. conductor C. P. Leonard, was forced to endure on Saturday evening at the Brownville, Me., station.

Fortunately, Mr. Leonard's presence of mind did not leave him. He kept his hold of a rail, which he clutched while falling, and in this way was saved from what would certainly have been a fatal accident.

Funerals. Mrs. Louisa Mitchell. The remains of the late Mrs. Louisa Mitchell, who died in Boston on Wednesday, were brought to the city on Saturday for burial.

Deaths. Burley—In West St. John on April 23, after a long illness, Ethel, beloved wife of Thomas Burley, in the 24th year of her age, leaving her husband, one daughter, father and sister to mourn their sad loss.

TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS

- PLEASE ADD TO YOUR DIRECTORIES Main 990-21—Alward, F. D., res. 117 Mt. Pleasant. Main 1884-22—Alward, Hiram, res. 239 Mosley. Main 1656-11—Brewer, H. P., grocer, 88 Mosley. Main 2348-11—Buckley, W. A., res. 41 Guilford, W. E. Main 1027-11—Carr, T., Tailor, 681 Main. West 50—Clark, C. R., res. 195 Guilford, W. E. Main 121—Clarke, J. Alfred, Mgr., Scotia Newsome Typewriter Co. Ltd., 147 Prince Wm. Robinson & Armstrong, Importers & Blenders, 29 Dock. West 207—Fairbairn, Dr. C. Allan's, 49 Main St. Fairville. Main 1096—Fairbairn, Thos. H., res. 1096 Main. West 305-21—Egan, H. H. & Son, Engravers, 122 German, number changed from Main 1084-21 to Main 1894. Main 2217-11—Gunn, Wm. G., res. 284 Union. Main 1762-42—Hiett, E. J., res. 204 Douglas Ave., number changed from Main 2352-11 to Main 152-42. Main 1680—Jeffrey, F. H., res. 18 Garden. Main 1727-11—Lindsay, W. H., res. 24 Millidge Ave., number 1727-11. Main 3106—Linton, Sinclair Co., Ltd., The Wholesale Crockery. Main 2267-41—Lane, Fred C., res. Bentley. Main 2145-21—McLean, Murdoch, res. 57 Bentley, number changed from Main 2271 to Main 2145-21. West 108-14—McDonald, George, W., res. Acama. Main 1534-11—McDonald, George H., res. 259 German. Main 950-21—McDonald, E., res. 168 Leinster, number changed from Main 1875-11 to Main 950-21. Main 603-12—Robertson, Mrs. M., res. 38 Duke street, West St. John, 603-12. Main 121—South Newsome Typewriter Co. Ltd., "The C. Smith" Typewriters & Supplies, 147 Prince Wm. West 54—Smith, W., Wholesale Fish Dealers, Alfred W. E. Main 1521-11—Tracy, Thos. P., Grocer, Home Bakery, 256 Briggs. Main 1679—Wilcox, V., Clothing, Shoes and Hats, 28-32 Dock. West 186-21—Wayne, Sidney, res. 258 Towhee street. F. J. NISBET, Local Manager, 9 Local Manager.

OBITUARY

Mary Evelyn McRae. The death of Mary Evelyn McRae, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McRae, occurred at her parents' home, 190 Brussels street, early Saturday morning.

FUNERALS

Mrs. Louisa Mitchell. The remains of the late Mrs. Louisa Mitchell, who died in Boston on Wednesday, were brought to the city on Saturday for burial.

THIS IS THE FIRST AND PERHAPS THE LAST CHANCE YOU WILL HAVE OF SECURING 60 PER CENT. BONUS COMMON STOCK WITH THE 7 PER CENT. CUMULATIVE PREFERRED STOCK OF THE CANADIAN CEREAL & MILLING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET; SATURDAY'S TRADING ON WALL ST.

Table of stock market data including columns for Shares, Price, High, Low, and Close. Lists various stocks such as Amalgamated Copper, American Beet Sugar, American Car and Foundry, etc.

Listed Stocks. Our Circular No. 489 gives valuable information regarding forty-four issues of well-known industrial stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

Railroad Bonds. Our Circular No. 488 gives valuable information regarding railroad bonds listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

The Subscription List Will Open at the Office of the Guardian Trust Company, Ltd., Toronto, on Monday, April 25th, 1910, and Will Be Closed on or Before Monday, the 9th Day of May, 1910, at 3 p. m.

CAWTHRA MULOCK & CO. OWN AND OFFER FOR SALE AT PAR, \$100 PER SHARE. \$2,000,000 of the 7 p. c. Cumulative Preferred Stock, With a Bonus of 25 p. c. Common Stock of Maple Leaf Milling Company, Ltd.

THE COMPANY HAS NO BONDS ISSUED OR AUTHORIZED. GUARDIAN TRUST COMPANY, LIMITED. is prepared to receive subscriptions for \$2,000,000 of the above seven per cent. cumulative preferred stock at the price of \$100 for each share, with a bonus of common stock equal in par value to 25 per cent of the par value of the preferred stock allotted, to be delivered on payment of subscription in full.

WE WISH TO SEND, WITHOUT CHARGE, our regular Weekly Financial Review to all investors desiring to keep well informed on conditions affecting their securities.

The Review will be found of material assistance in following the trend of general business as well as the movements of securities. It is widely quoted by the press throughout the country.

Individual investors may have our advice at all times on matters affecting the purchase and sale of securities.

Write at once for the latest Review. J. S. BACHE & COMPANY, Bankers, 42 Broadway, New York.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET DEALINGS OF A WEEK IN REVIEW

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Morning Sales. Asbestos, Com.—50@25. Asbestos, Pfd.—15@1 3/4. Cement, Com.—8@23 3/4. Cement, Pfd.—5@89 1/2. Crown Res.—100@315, 100@314, 100@312, 600@311, 100@310, 800@307, 300@305, 100@308.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE. By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co. Asbestos, Ask Bid. Asbestos Pfd. 91 3/4 91 3/4. Bell Telephone 146 144.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Beaver 33 3/4 34. Cobalt 27 1/2 29. Chambers-Ferland 33 3/4 34. Cobalt Central 8 12. City Cobalt 29 30. Oriskany 5 6. Green Meehan 3 4. McKinley 92 96. Little Nipissing 21 23. Foster 15 17. Kerr Lake 8 7 7/8 8 5/8. Nancy Helen 8 9. N. S. Cobalt 35 37. Peterson's Lake 22 23 1/2. Rochester 16 17. Conigas 5 5 1/2. Silver Queen 11 13. Silver Leaf 13 14. Tremblay 13 1/2 13 3/4. Tremblay 66 68. Brewster's Pfd. 96 98. Hillcrest 25 28. Hillcrest Pfd. 35 35 1/2. Can. Light and Power 33 34. Mexican Tram 126 129.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Bank Statement. Reserve on all deposits, increase, 12,20 22. Reserve less than U. S. Inc., \$4,034, 250.

Bankers of Company: Imperial Bank of Canada and Bank of Montreal. BOARD OF DIRECTORS: D. C. CAMERON, Winnipeg, President.

NEW COMPANY A GOING CONCERN. Maple Leaf Milling Company, Limited, is a new company which has taken over the whole undertaking as a going concern of the Maple Leaf Flour Mills Company, Limited, including therein that of the Hedley Shaw Milling Company Limited.

MARKET FOR OUTPUT. The rapid growth of the business of the two companies taken over has long made apparent the necessity of additional milling capacity. Further, the tremendous increase in the total output from the Western Wheat Belt makes it absolutely necessary to have the more mills in Canada to handle it.

SECURITY AND EARNING POWER. The assets of the old companies taken over as above stand in excess of all liabilities and without any allowance for good-will, trade marks, etc., at \$3,770,524.11, this amount being ascertained on the basis of an appraisal by the Canadian-American Appraisal Company, Limited, as of March 17th, 1910.

MANAGEMENT. The properties of the old companies have been constructed and developed under the direction of Mr. Hedley Shaw, late General Manager of The Hedley Shaw Milling Company, Limited, and of the Maple Leaf Flour Mills Company, Limited, and Mr. D. C. Cameron, late President of The Maple Leaf Flour Mills Company, Limited.

NEWS SUMMARY. Summary:—Liverpool reports forged bills of lading for 15,000 bales of cotton and loss of \$3,500,000 to 5,000,000 will fall on Liverpool houses. Administration measures held up in congress, but leaders organizing to push them.

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, returning arrives at 5.30 p.m. Sundays excepted. A. C. CURRIE, Agent.

N. B. Southern Railway. On and after SUNDAY, Oct. 3, 1909, trains will run daily, Sunday excepted as follows: Lv. St. John East Ferry 7.30 a. m. Lv. West St. John 7.45 a. m.

CANADIAN PACIFIC HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS. April 6 and 20. Second-Class Round Trip Tickets. May 4 and 18. June 1, 15 & 29. July 13 and 27. Aug. 10 and 24. Sept. 7 and 21. Return Limit Two Months From Date of Issue.

COTTON RANGE. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. High. Low. Bid. Ask. Jan. 12.20 22. April 14.83 81 81 82. May 14.75 70 74 75. June 14.63 63 66 62. July 14.55 59 51 52. Aug. 12.79 74 74 75. Sept. 12.82 81 82 84. Oct. 12.39 34 37 38. Dec. 12.24 19 22 24.

CAPE BRETON ELECTRIC CO., LTD. 5 p. c. First Mortgage Bonds. With the labor trouble practically settled and the outlook good for a union of forces between the two great industries there, with a consequent betterment of industrial conditions, these bonds become a more attractive investment than ever.

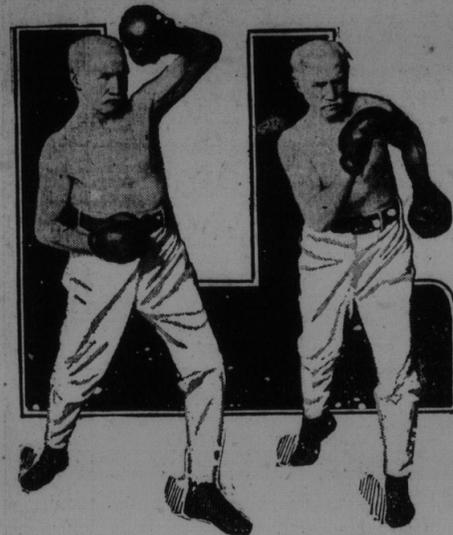
J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO. Members of Montreal Stock Exchange, Telephone, Main-3223. Direct Private Wires. 111 Prince Wm. St., St. John, N. B.

Bowling  
Basket Ball  
The Turf

# SPORTS

Baseball  
The Ring  
Aquatics

## Champion Maker Picks Jeff To Win



PROF. MIKE DONOVAN TODAY, FROM PHOTOGRAPHS MADE ESPECIALLY FOR THIS PAPER.

New York, April 24.—In the opinion of Prof. "Mike" Donovan, boxing instructor of the New York Athletic club and one of the greatest living authorities on the fighting game, Jeffries will defeat Johnson.

This is the first expression of opinion this veteran hero of the squared circle has given on the coming battle and he gave it especially for The Standard.

Is "Mike" Donovan's opinion worth anything? The answer to this question is found in his record. Here it is:

He discovered John L. Sullivan in the fall of 1879, on the stage of the Athenaeum theatre, Boston. After boxing 6 rounds, during which Donovan then a star of the first magnitude, suffered a broken arm trying to stave off the rushes of the Boston boy, he declared Sullivan would be champion of the world. He watched and schooled the youngster and saw his prophecy come true. Sullivan was his first champion.

In New Orleans, a young fellow named Jas. Corbett asked permission to call upon Donovan at the latter's hotel. He and Donovan boxed and afterward the veteran said to him: "Young man, you can lick John L. Sullivan."

The statement frightened Corbett, but Donovan took him in hand, and in New York worked with him in a gymnasium. He taught him Sullivan's tricks, and not many months later saw Corbett defeat the mighty Sullivan in the arena of the Olympic club, New Orleans. Gentleman Jim was Donovan's second champion.

It was a physical freak with whom he was asked to pose for a photograph, and that Donovan picked as his next conqueror. After posing for the pictures, at the request of a newspaper, Donovan turned to the young man and said: "I'd like to have a setto with you, Fitzsimmons."

And that first meeting in a barn on Long Island, proved to Donovan that he had a world beater. He taught Fitzsimmons the now famous shift, ending in the solar plexus and told him:

## PIRATES WIN FROM ST. LOUIS

Giants Defeat Brooklyn—Red Sox and Doves Both in Losing Column—The Sunday Games.

National League.  
Pittsburg, April 23.—Five singles and a free base off Cannitz with Byrne's error in the first inning gave St. Louis a 4 to 0 lead, which Pittsburg did not overcome until the seventh. A hit by Miles with the bases filled, wrought a local victory, and in the eighth two runs not needed, made the score 7 to 4. The score by innings:

Pittsburg . . . . .000011230—7-6-1  
St. Louis . . . . .400000000—4-3-3  
Batteries—Cannitz, Moore and Gibson; Harmon and Brennan. Time: 1:45. Umpires, O'Day and Brennan.

New York 5; Brooklyn 4.  
New York, April 23.—The New York Nationals played a great uphill game and beat Brooklyn 5 to 4. The latter scored four runs in the third inning on two hits and by poor fielding by the locals. But in the ninth the New Yorks came from behind and won the game. Myers doubled the score, and a hit into the bleachers by Crandall sent in the winning run.

Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 0.  
Philadelphia, April 23.—Philadelphia again defeated Boston today, this time 4 to 0, the victory being the sixth straight one for the home team. McQuillan was very effective and he was given excellent support. Errors by Boston helped the home team to pile up runs. The score:

Philadelphia . . . . .000000000—4-1-1  
New York . . . . .000002000—5-6-5  
Batteries—Bergner and Erwin; Ames, Drucke, Crandall and Myers. Time, 2 hours. Umpires Klem and Kane.

Boston, Mass., April 23.—Philadelphia won from Boston today 5 to 3. Carrigan's home run in the 7th tied the score for the locals. Both pitchers were helped out of tight places by sensational fielding and Smiale. Philadelphia . . . . .00010200000—3-10-0  
Boston . . . . .00010020000—3-10-0  
Batteries—Cicotte and Carrigan; Plank and Livingston. Time—2:05. Umpires—Connolly and Dinwain.

Washington, 0; New York, 0.  
Washington, April 23.—Darkness and rain stopped the Washington and New York game here today at the end of the sixth inning; neither side having scored a run. Walker and Vaughan had a pitcher's duel the local man having a shade the better of the fight.

Washington . . . . .000000—0-3-1  
New York . . . . .000000—0-2-0  
Batteries—Walker and Street; Vaughan and Sweeney. Time—1:05. Umpires—Evans and Egan.

At St. Louis—Chicago-St. Louis game postponed, snow.  
Eastern League.  
Toronto, 4; Providence, 1;  
At Jersey City—Montreal, 6; Jersey City, 1.

At Baltimore—First game: Buffalo, 1; Baltimore, 3. Second game: Buffalo, 4; Baltimore, 0 (called at end of 5th darkness).  
At Newark—Rochester, 0; Newark, 1.

New England League.  
At Fall River—Fall River, 2; Lynn, 0.  
At Worcester—Worcester, 7; Lowell, 2.  
At Lawrence—Lawrence, 2; Brockton, 1.  
At New Bedford—New Bedford, 1; Haverhill, 0.

College Games.  
At Exeter—Colby, 12; Phillips Exeter, 2.  
At Williamsstown—Williams, 1; Trinity, 0.  
At West Point—West Point, 4; Wesleyan, 0.  
At Andover—Phillips Andover, 6; New Hampshire State College, 0.  
At Amherst—Amherst, 8; Tufts, 0.  
At Philadelphia—Pennsylvania, 5; Niagara, 2.

At Ithaca—Cornell, 3; Columbia, 1.  
At Cleveland—Detroit, 6; Cleveland, 0.  
At Worcester—Holycross, 4; Hartford, 2.  
At New Haven, Yale, 6; University of Vermont, 3.  
At Lewiston, Me.—Bates, 5; Bowdoin, 2.

SUNDAY GAMES.  
Eastern League.  
At Newark—Rochester, 5; Newark, 4.  
National League.  
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 10; St. Louis, 6.  
At Chicago—Chicago-Pittsburg, rain.  
American League.  
At Detroit—Detroit-Cleveland, wet grounds.  
At St. Louis—Chicago-St. Louis, cold weather.

DONLIN COMING BACK.  
Chicago, Ill., April 23.—Mike Donlin last night said he would make formal application for reinstatement as a member of the New York baseball club of the national league. Donlin's announcement followed a conference with Garry Herrmann, chairman of the national commission, who said that Donlin's request would be granted.

## SMALLEST UMPIRE THIS



Barney Briceland.

East Liverpool, O., April 24.—Barney Briceland, who will umpire in the Central league this season, will be the smallest indicator holder on any ball field in the country. He stands less than five feet in height.

Briceland is light in weight, but is all grit. He was worked in the Ohio-Penn league as a substitute and at one time held an indicator in one of the western leagues. Briceland is a potter by trade and is a native of this city.

## BARNESLEY AND NEWCASTLE TIE

Opposing Teams Only Able to Secure One Goal Each in Final Game at Crystal Palace.

Special to The Standard.  
London, April 23.—Barnesley and Newcastle tied the score with a goal each in the final game today for the football association cup championship. The match was played at the Crystal palace and attracted an attendance of about 80,000 persons, hardly out of the record of crowds usually congregating for the annual picnic at the mecca of football enthusiasts.

About 150 special trains brought between 50,000 and 60,000 spectators. The following are the results of today's football matches in England:  
First division—Bristol W., 0; Tottenham H., 2; Chelsea, 2; Bury, 0; Everton, 3; Manchester U., 3; Middlesbrough, 2; Liverpool, 2; Nottingham F., 0; Sheffield U., 0; Sunderland, 1; Bradford City, 0; Woolwich A., 1; Preston N. E., 2; Blackburn, 3; Sheffield, 1.  
Second division—Bradford, 2; Gainsboro, 0; Derby county, 3; Birmingham, 1; Grimsby T., 1; Westhampton U., 0; Hull city, 5; West Bromwich A., 1; Leicester F. I., Bury, 1; Manchester C., 3; Leeds city, 0; Stockport, C., 5; Glossop, 0; Lincoln city, 2; Fulham, 2; Blackpool, 1; Oldham A., 3.  
Southern league—Brentford, 2; Millwall, 0; Brighton and H., 3; Swindon T., 1; Bristol R., 1; Northampton, 0; Coventry C., 6; Crayston C., 1; Exeter C., 2; Crystal Palace, 0; South End U., 0; Leyton, 0; Westham U., 1; Luton T., 2; Norwich C., 1; S. Brompton, 0; Reading, 2; Plymouth A., 2. Portsmouth, 1; Walsby, 0; Watford, 2; Southampton, 2.

After romping away with the first string the I. C. R. bowling team blew up and allowed that S. Hayward quieted to win the remaining point with comparative ease, on Black's ally Saturday evening. By winning the three points the Hayward pen artists have taken another stride in the direction of the silverware, and they are beginning to take on the appearance of winners.

Arrowsmith bowled a great game for the winners, while Law also did good work. For the trapezium, Nugent did splendid execution, Nichols likewise being in good form.

The scores were:  
I. C. R.  
Gillard . . . 84 82 74 240 80  
Nugent . . . 88 75 101 264 81  
Stevens . . . 79 81 82 242 80-2  
McManus . . 90 72 72 234 78  
Nichols . . . 81 89 90 260 86-2-3

S. Hayward Co.  
Sullivan . . . 69 84 86 239 79-2-3  
Cromwell . . 82 78 83 243 81  
Arrowsmith . 89 87 95 271 90-1-3  
Bartsch . . . 73 80 79 232 77-1-3  
Law . . . . . 82 83 94 261 87

BOUT A DRAW.  
New Orleans, April 23.—The ten round bout between Jim Keurick, heavyweight champion of England, and Patsy Brannagan, of Pittsburg, before the New Orleans A. C., tonight was declared a draw.

Prospects Not So Bright Now As Earlier in Year—St. John and Clippers to Play Series.

Baseball seems to be the sole topic among the sporting fraternity just at present. From the dyed in the wool fan down to the eight-year-old, they are all conjecturing what is going to be presented for the amusement when the curtain is finally raised upon the drama of the diamond.

Although the "men behind the scenes" are disinclined to give out anything officially, it is generally known by those in close touch with the game, that the City Amateur League will not be organized. About a month ago much was made about the proposed organization of a Senior City League. The fans rejoiced for the promised league looked strong upon paper, and were expected to set the diamond on fire. Lately, however, little has been heard about them, and it would appear as if they had gone and pulled off the Rip Van Winkle stunt. Nothing can be learned officially as to what the intention of last year's champion Marathons are. It is said that many of the Greeks best players will be seen upon the lineup of other teams.

Many of the wise ones are telling, however, that they will be reorganizing. The Intersociety League will open on May 13 and is expected to be stronger than ever. McBrines "Clippers" which played a fast article of ball last season, and who are hailed by many of the experts to be the fastest bunch in the city, will again be on deck. To a Standard man yesterday Manager McBrine when asked about the possible lineup of his team said: "I cannot make any definite statement just yet. My team will be strengthened considerably though—especially on the mound. We expect to start in practicing this week.

A series of games will be played between the Clippers and the St. Johns, who will be under the leadership of Chas. Tilley. The E. D. C. grounds have been secured by the management of the teams, and the first game of the series will be played on May 21. A double-header will in all probability be arranged for May 24, and three games a week will be pulled off thereafter.

The use of the grounds has been secured for two evenings and one afternoon a week.

Save half your fuel bill by using one of our VILLA MODEL RANGES  
BUY ONE - TRY ONE and if not perfectly satisfied we will refund your money.  
Made and sold by J. E. WILSON, Ltd., Phone 356, 17 SYDNEY ST

A GOOD SCHEME IS TO START THE YEAR RIGHT  
By Getting Your SHOW CARDS From W. O. STAPLES, CARD WRITER and WINDOW DECORATOR, Phone 2311, 102 Prince William street.

SIX ESSENTIALS  
THE EMPIRE Typewriter has Simplicity, Durability, Speed, Manifolding Power, Portability and Visible Writing all for \$60.00. Cash discounts, or easy terms of payment and free trial offer.  
FRANK R. FAIRWEATHER, Agent, Main 653 68 Prince Wm. St. St. John, N. B.

Fire, Motor Car and Motor Boat INSURANCE  
JARVIS & WHITTAKER, General Agents, 74 Prince Wm. St. AMUSEMENTS.

NICKEL--"A Rich Revenge"  
BLIND PRIMA DONNA Mlle. TESSIER In Denza's "MAYMORNING"  
"AN EQUINE HERO" "THE BURLESQUE QUEEN" "AN UNENDING SQUABBLE"  
RALPH BRAGG--"KANAWA" INDIAN LYRIC

OPERA HOUSE  
MATINEE TODAY - 10 and 20c.  
THE CHICAGO STOCK CO.  
GOOD-BYE WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY, April 25  
Matinee Every Day  
Monday . . . . . The Royal Box  
Tuesday . . . . . The Little Gray Lady  
Wednesday . . . . . Nell Wynne of Old Drury  
Thursday . . . . . An Enemy of the King  
Friday . . . . . The Straight Road  
Saturday . . . . . Two Men and That Woman  
Evening Prices—15, 25, 35, 50c. Matinee Prices—10 and 20c.

WESTWIND SAILS FOR GERMANY  
Bristol, April 23.—The Westward, the finest schooner yacht ever turned out from a Bristol shipyard, sailed late today for England and Germany, where she will race the most famous European yachts of her type, among them the Kaiser's Meteor IV. The Westward had aboard her owner, Alexander Cochrane, of New York.

HAYWARDS WIN OUT FROM I.C.R.  
After romping away with the first string the I. C. R. bowling team blew up and allowed that S. Hayward quieted to win the remaining point with comparative ease, on Black's ally Saturday evening. By winning the three points the Hayward pen artists have taken another stride in the direction of the silverware, and they are beginning to take on the appearance of winners.

SAYS SYRIAN IS AFRAID OF M'DONALD  
Perth, N. B., April 22, 1910. To the Editor of the Standard:—Sir—While playing at Fort Kent, Maine, last Wednesday, I read an article in the Standard that made me smile. It related to the Nedetzky Syrian wrestler, and made him say that he had met Dan McDonald, the Cape Breton wrestler, during the past few weeks. Dan McDonald has been in vaudeville for several months past, and meeting all comers. Geo. Nedetzky had not been one of the men who has met Dan during the time he has been under my management, and I do not believe that you could draw the little Syrian on the mat with McDonald with a yoke of oxen.

VAULTING FEATURE OF THIS MEET  
New Haven, April 23.—The pole vaulting of Robert Gardner, the sophomore, who is the national golf champion, was the only feature of the spring track meet held at Yale this afternoon. Gardner did 12 feet 4 inches apparently without effort and did not try to go higher as no one approached that mark.

ARAZE WINS QUEENS CO. HANDICAP  
Aqueduct, April 23.—Before a crowd equally as large as that of the opening day, Arazé, showing marked improvement, won the Queens county handicap, 1 mile in the good time of 1:29.45. Arazé carried 109 pounds, but was practically neglected in betting by public at 7 to 2. Prince Ahmed was the favorite at 5 to 2 and had he not been crowded in the stretch turn when he was forced to pull out and come to the outside, he probably would have won. The victory was by half a length in good time.

SIX FRENCH AVIATORS FLY OVER SEA  
Nice, France, April 23.—Six aeroplans made successful flights over the sea from Nice to Cape Ferrat and return, today, a total distance of about 15 miles. Hubert Latham made the best time which was 16 minutes, 46.35 seconds. A seventh aeronaute, M. Riemsdick, started, but fell with his machine into the water from which he was rescued uninjured by a torpedo boat.

THE MERCANTILE MARINE  
DAILY ALMANAC.  
Sun rises today . . . . . 5:27 a. m.  
Sun sets today . . . . . 7:17 p. m.  
Sun rises tomorrow . . . . . 5:25 a. m.  
Sun sets tomorrow . . . . . 7:18 p. m.  
High water . . . . . 9:11 a. m.  
Low water . . . . . 6:18 a. m.  
High water . . . . . 12:32 p. m.  
Low water . . . . . 9:37 p. m.  
PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.  
Arrived—Saturday.  
Schr Harry Miller, 246, Barton, Fred Ericson, A. W. Adams, bal.  
Coastwise—Schr Erie May, 67, Dixon, Riversdale, Yarmouth Packet, 76 Morrell, Yarmouth.  
Cleared—Saturday.  
Str Waverley, Campe, Brow Head for orders, W. M. Mackay.  
Schr Eva C. Haux, Matland fo to load lumber at Black Rock for New York.  
Coastwise—Schr Sea King, Copp, Alma; Acadian, Comeau, Meteghan; Yarmouth Packet, Morrell, Yarmouth; Emily R. Sullivan.  
Arrived—Yesterday.  
Str Victorian from Liverpool via Halifax.  
Vessels Bound to St. John.  
Steamers.  
Shenandoah, London, sid. April 21st.  
Ruth Robinson, Calais, sid. April 23  
Schooners.  
Lila B. Hirte, Barbados, sid April 4.  
Foreign Ports.  
Cardenas, April 23.—Sailed—Str. Canaxa, Dalton for Norfolk.  
Pensacola, April 22.—Sailed—Str. Plateau, Harris for Galveston and Mediterranean.  
Marine Notes.  
Allen Line str Virginian from St. John and Halifax arrived at Liverpool on Friday with pass and gen cargo.  
Str Manchester Importer arrived at Manchester on Friday last from St. John with gen cargo.  
Schr Francis Goodwin Capt Lane cleared from St. George Saturday with 12,430 bundles of wood pulp for Norfolk, Comm.  
The crew of the Elder-Dempster liner Bornu was paid off Thursday afternoon. Most of the crew will remain with the steamer on her new route, however. After discharging cargo she is going into the dry dock. She will be taken over by Bowring Bros, for the Red Cross Line on May 2. The Mummon, which takes her place, is expected to leave this port for Mexico about May 25.—Halifax Herald.  
A W Hendry, of Liverpool, N.S., one of the largest ship owners in the province and the manager of many of the finest schooners calling at this port, have secured a site from the town of Lunenburg for a large shipbuilding yard. He will engage in shipbuilding in that town on an extensive scale. All the south shore shippers have all the business they can handle. It was stated at a recent meeting of the Dartmouth ferry commission that a Shelburne shipbuilder who was a short time ago in the field for the construction of a new ferry steamer was now too busy to undertake such a contract. So busy are the Lunenburg county yards that a Riverport captain recently had a schooner built at Port Greenville—Halifax Herald.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime
Fresh to strong easterly winds; a few showers, but partly clear.

New England Forecast.
Washington, D. C., April 24.—Forecast for New England: Showers Monday, cooler in west portion. Tuesday, unsettled, probably local showers, moderate winds, mostly east.

AROUND THE CITY

Death of Roy F. Allingham.
Roy Frederick Allingham, who has been ill for some time, passed away this morning, shortly after 1 o'clock.

Eye Glasses And Gloves Found.
A pair of eye glasses and a pair of ladies' gloves await their respective owners at the North End police station.

Annual Meeting at St. Jude's.
The annual reunion of the congregation of St. Jude's church will be held in the schoolroom on Wednesday evening next. Rev. H. A. Cody, rector, of St. James, will address the gathering on his experiences in the Yukon.

The D'Israeli Asbestos Company.
T. M. Healy, who recently resigned the position of treasurer with the D'Israeli Asbestos Company, and Alex. Worrell, a large shareholder, left last evening for Sherbrooke, P. Q., in connection with the investigation into the affairs of the company.

Signs of Spring.
Good evening, sergeant, anything new? asked a Standard reporter of sergt. Jacob Ross, late last evening, whereupon the sergeant paused long enough to relate the following rather varied experiences which he had undergone during the day: In the morning, he said, he saw a large flock of geese flying over the city. Upon going home to dinner he picked a violet in his garden. And not long afterwards espied a butterfly on the wing. It signs count for anything, spring has come.

Assaulted His Father.
Wm. McArthur, aged 20, was given in charge of the police early yesterday morning by his father, Wm. McArthur, for assaulting and kicking him in the home, King street, West End. William Jr., it is alleged, arrived home between one and two in the morning considerably under the influence of liquor. Upon being reprimanded by his father, the son assaulted and kicked him. The police were notified and the young man was taken into custody.

Had No Use For Italians.
Patrick Donohue, a sturdy son of Erin, started out to make war on Italians in general Saturday evening, with the result that he finally landed in central police station, where he is charged with assault and destroying property. It is claimed that while under the influence of liquor he broke a pane of glass in the window of Diego Stracuss's shop on North street. Upon being warned to go away by the clerk, Antonio De Benedetto, Donohue showed his disapproval of the interference by giving him a severe beating. Officers Staple and Nelson arrived upon the scene just in time to take Donohue into custody.

Heavy Traffic On Sunday's Trains.
Sunday traffic on the C. P. R. trains to and from Montreal yesterday was exceptionally heavy. The number arriving on the train in the morning was larger than usual and the streets were thronged with the coaches and passengers giving the city a very businesslike appearance. Every berth in the Pullman sleeper was taken on the outgoing train which left here at 5:50 o'clock in the afternoon, and the tourist cars were also well filled. One cause for the extra traffic last evening was the exodus of a large number of winter port officials to Montreal following the close of the season here. Mr. A. Rowland, chief clerk in the C. P. R. Marine Superintendent's office, and the staff of checkers, were on the train. Representing the Donaldson Line, were D. Harry K. Roxborough, Harry A. Seely, and J. W. Irvine.

Triple Bereavement.
Thomas Burley, of Duke street, West St. John, suffered bereavement for the third time within a week when his wife, Mrs. Ethel Burley, died on Saturday night. Mrs. Burley had been ill for a year with tuberculosis and while her condition was serious, it is thought the death of her two babies, one aged four months and the other sixteen months which occurred on Sunday and Monday of last week, undoubtedly hastened her demise. The deceased lady was 24 years of age and numbered many friends who will sincerely mourn her death. Mr. Burley's immediate family which weeks ago consisted of wife and three babies has been reduced to one sixteen months old child, twin to the baby which died on Monday last. In his triple bereavement he has the sympathy of a very wide circle of friends.

After Thirty-Three Years' Service.
After thirty-three years of service with the Christie Woodworking Co. Ltd., William King, of 73 Chapel street has severed his connection with the firm and will remove to Portland, Me., where he has accepted a position in a similar line of work. Mr. King entered the employ of the Christie Company when a young man and worked his way up until he was placed in charge of the sash-making department which position he held up to the time of his leaving. His relations with employers and men have always been of a most pleasant nature and on Saturday before leaving the factory, he was made the recipient of two handsome remembrances. The firm presented him with a valuable gold watch suitably engraved and the employees gave him a very nice set of pipes. Mr. King has sold his property in Chapel street and will remove his family to Portland. He will leave on Monday evening.

No. 3 Battery R. C. A., will meet at Park Hotel on Wednesday, April 27 at 9 p. m. for the annual dinner. Uniforms will be issued Monday, April 25, at 8 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Racine, who have been visiting Mrs. H. G. Rogers, returned to Montreal last evening.

ARCHDEACON LLOYD HERE WITH RECRUITS FOR MISSION FIELD

Former Head of Rothesay College Arrives on Victorian With Party of Catechists--Speaks Hopefully of His Plan to Secure Clergymen--Thirty English Farmers Also on Board.

Archdeacon Lloyd, the father of Lloydminster, but better known to his many St. John friends as Rev. George E. Lloyd, once the energetic head of the Rothesay school for boys, arrived from Liverpool on the Allan liner Victorian yesterday, with a party of catechists and deaconesses bound for the west.

Brown hairs supplanted by grey and white, his face showing a few added lines, Archdeacon Lloyd looks somewhat older than when he was in this province, but he still retains the erect military carriage, the kindly smile and gentle courtesy of manner which characterized him when here. For many years Rev. Mr. Lloyd has been a pilot of souls; in the earlier part of his ministry through personal zealous Christian work but latterly largely through the well directed efforts of a small army of assistants working under his supervision.

Identified With Saskatoon.
Of late years he has identified himself particularly with Saskatoon and the country adjacent thereto, and he has been aptly termed the "Moses of the Saskatoon," as he has been largely responsible for that city's foundation and existence. Since his appointment, guide and friend to a large proportion of its people. Twice he has been mentioned for a bishopric, twice he has refused to be a candidate as his acceptance would necessitate his removal from his field of labor and he prefers to do the work which has fallen to his hand and for which he is so eminently fitted.

When the Barr colony was in a fair way to class with the great mistaken pilgrimages of modern times and the ranks of the English settlers brought to Canada with a complete ignorance of the country's conditions and requirements were being rapidly decimated through discontent and resentment, it was Rev. George E. Lloyd, chaplain of the party, who reorganized the expedition, became its leader and moulded the settlers into a prosperous community of Canadians. The village of Lloydminster was founded and today it is one of the most flourishing western towns. Since that time he has been prominent in the work of the church in the Canadian west, has been chosen archdeacon of Saskatoon and head of the divinity school in connection with the provincial university.

His Mission to England.
Archdeacon Lloyd's present mission to England was somewhat similar to that on which the Bishop of Fredericton is now engaged, the securing of material to fill the pulpits of the rapidly increasing number of churches all through the westland. His purpose is to have his clergymen complete

their training in Canada and take their orders here. For that purpose he selected a party of catechists in England and brought nineteen of them out with him on the Victorian as well as seven deaconesses. The catechists will labor in different fields for six months, and will spend the other six months at the divinity school at Saskatoon studying for the ministry until eventually they are admitted to the priesthood.

The party coming out yesterday included Archdeacon and Mrs. Lloyd, Miss Simcoe, Miss Berryman, P. C. Miss Haig, Mrs. A. Walker, Miss Holbrook, Miss Currie and P. Lloyd, H. Barr, J. E. Jeny, H. Shork, E. J. West, Berryman, P. C. Bay, G. G. Reynolds, W. S. Wickenden, J. F. Haynes, E. K. Wicks, J. Power, F. W. Alcock, P. L'Esrange, Fawcett, G. Beveridge, H. M. Hutchings, W. Harold, F. Bowly and J. McDougall.

Speaking of the party Archdeacon Lloyd said he hoped the idea would prove a good one. He found it difficult to get clergymen in orders to come to Canada to the West to take up mission fields so he secured the catechists and will have them educated at the Saskatoon divinity school of the University of Saskatoon. He spoke most hopefully. "It started last October," said he, "and has had a most successful career so far. I believe there is a great future for it and a great work for it to do in the moulding of the Canada of the future."

Archdeacon Lloyd and his party left on one of the special trains which got away for the West yesterday afternoon. Another interesting party of thirty English farmers brought to Canada by J. H. Wilson of Edmonton, who will settle them on farms near the city. Among the Victorian's passengers were the Hon. Mrs. C. Alexander and the Misses Alexander, from Ireland, who are touring Canada. The following officers who arrived will be stationed at Ottawa and Halifax: Lieut. Kemble, R. G. A., Capt. W. F. and Capt. A. P. Mitchell. Major de Buey, after a brief residence in Canada will go to Australia.

This is the Victorian's last trip to St. John this season. Aside from a vexatious delay at Halifax, due to fog, she had a pleasant passage. Some ice was passed on the way, including a particularly large berg of Cape Race. To Halifax she brought 39 saloon, 491 cabin and 1,012 steerage passengers (total of 1,542) and these 21 saloon, 407 cabin and 324 steerage came around to St. John.

Alien Element Gave Liquor Men Warning

Rev. B. H. Nobles in Vigorous Sermon Last Evening Condemned Action of Moral and Social Reform Council in Confining Local Option Fight to Two Wards--Reasons for Defeat.

Rev. B. H. Nobles, pastor of Victoria street Baptist church, spoke very plainly last evening on the causes which led to the defeat of the temperance party in the recent local option campaign. He gave as the chief reason the mistake of confining the fight to only two wards, due, he said, to the presence of an alien element in the moral and social reform council, the treating of men engaged in the liquor traffic with dignity and respect and the traitorous attitude of so many voters inclined towards temperance. He gave as the other chief reasons the mistake of confining the fight to only two wards, due, he said, to the presence of an alien element in the moral and social reform council, the treating of men engaged in the liquor traffic with dignity and respect and the traitorous attitude of so many voters inclined towards temperance. He gave as the other chief reasons the mistake of confining the fight to only two wards, due, he said, to the presence of an alien element in the moral and social reform council, the treating of men engaged in the liquor traffic with dignity and respect and the traitorous attitude of so many voters inclined towards temperance.

He said, to the presence of an alien element in the moral and social reform council, the treating of men engaged in the liquor traffic with dignity and respect and the traitorous attitude of so many voters inclined towards temperance. He gave as the other chief reasons the mistake of confining the fight to only two wards, due, he said, to the presence of an alien element in the moral and social reform council, the treating of men engaged in the liquor traffic with dignity and respect and the traitorous attitude of so many voters inclined towards temperance. He gave as the other chief reasons the mistake of confining the fight to only two wards, due, he said, to the presence of an alien element in the moral and social reform council, the treating of men engaged in the liquor traffic with dignity and respect and the traitorous attitude of so many voters inclined towards temperance.

It had been intended to wage the battle in five or six wards, but an alien element in the council asked that the fight be deferred in all but these two wards. This was not done because it was felt that the action was too hurried but to give warning to the vested interests of the liquor traffic to prepare for the contest in advance. A five or six fanned fight would have bothered the liquor men a great deal more. As it was they were able to concentrate their energies on the two wards.

The temperance people of the city on the other hand were not aroused by the contest in these two outlying wards as would have been the case if other and more central wards had been chosen. It was promised at the meeting of the moral and social reform council that all bodies represented would stand together in the fight in the two wards and with this understanding a victory was anticipated. "We were beaten," added Mr. Nobles, "You can draw your own conclusions."

Not Entitled to Respect.
Another mistake was the course of some of the temperance leaders in regarding and treating the men behind the liquor traffic with dignity and respect. They should be branded, set

apart, and ostracized socially, religiously and politically. The temperance leaders must know in their hearts the real standing of these men and it was only deception to smile and shake hands. The steamer infected with small pox was detained, although hundreds of passengers might be suffering and mercantile interests losing money. No expense was spared to capture the highwayman who killed and robbed. Rum was an agency more ghastly than small pox, more criminal than the highwayman, and God's law forbids it to be given to our fellowmen. It might be claimed that the legislature gave the right to sell liquor, but the spirit of the British constitution stood against making any wrong a right. According to the words of the text (Habakkuk 2:15), "Woe unto him that giveth his neighbor drink, that putteth his bottle to him, and maketh him drunken also, that thou mayest look on his nakedness." It certainly was a wrong to carry on the sale of strong drink and no enactment of a legislative body could make it right. Drink, as they knew, destroyed the happiness of the festive circle, broke the marriage vow and banished the cheerful laughter of children. "In the third place," continued Mr. Nobles, "we were betrayed by the men with temperance sympathies yet who remained at their work all day and did not go to the polls to register their vote. A mother coming up the streets with two children is suddenly confronted by a mad dog with flaming eyes and frothing lips, which makes a dash for her little ones. Spectators are terrorized. They stand awestruck, while the unarmed woman grasps the frenzied brute in a vain attempt to save her children. "Across the street stands a man with a loaded gun, but he looks on indifferently without using the weapon. That man is the voter in Stanley or Sidney ward who did not go to the polls on Tuesday last."

PAINLESS DENTISTRY
Teeth filled or extracted free of pain by the celebrated "HALE METHOD."
All branches of dental work done in the most skillful manner
BOSTON DENTAL PARLORS, 527 Main St., Tel 763 DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor.

KODAKS
We have a complete line of Kodaks, Films and supplies. Call and see the 2A FOLDING POCKET BROWNIE, a new member of the Brownie Family, which gives a picture of that highly popular size 2 1/2 x 4 1/4 in a Folding Pocket Camera, at the extremely modest price of \$7.00.
E. G. Nelson & Co., 56 King Street.

Oxford Time
Speaking of Oxfords
Dorothy Dodd
We certainly have a splendid showing of all the new ideas in Oxfords and Low Cut Footwear

Dorothy Dodd
It is THE BEST DISPLAY YOU'LL FIND ANYWHERE
Oxfords in lace, blucher or button styles--ribbon ties, pumps, etc., extreme or conservative lasts.
We carry all the wanted and correct styles. We've Oxfords in Patent Gait, Tan, Chocolate, Dull Calf, Bright Kid, Suede and Canvas.
Prices from \$1.00 to \$4.50 a Pair.

WATERBURY & RISING, King Street, Mill Street, Union Street.

Walker THE PLUMBER
HOT WATER and STEAM HEATER, GAS FITTER.
F. S. WALKER, Phone Main 1025, 18 GERMAIN STREET.

SUNKIST Navel Oranges
Landing car Fancy Grade, Excellent Flavor, Very Juicy, All Counts. Order at Once, Market advancing.
THE Willett Fruit Co. LTD. Wholesale Dealers in FRUITS AND PRODUCE ST. JOHN, N. B.

Edison Phonographs
Have you yet seen the SUPERB AMBEROLA? The acme of talking machines. The sound is pure and resonant and of beautiful quality.
Mahogany case. Price \$240
Edison two and four minute records.
W. H. THORNE & CO., Ltd. Market Square, St. John, N. B.

Our Cheviot Overcoats
In black and grey, are the selection of very many men who demand SERVICEABLE elegance. The \$18 price, too, is as popular as the Overcoats themselves.
The \$12 black Cheviot Overcoats are excellent values. Well made, and sure to give satisfactory service. Silk faced Overcoats as low as \$14. Silk lined, as high as \$27. Something to suit YOU exactly somewhere in our stock--and we'll find it quickly if you'll help us.
Worsted SUITS of exceptional merit, \$20 and \$25.
SOLE AGENCY 20TH CENTURY BRAND CLOTHING.

GILMOUR'S, 68 KING STREET
TAILORING AND CLOTHING.
"A GOOD PLACE TO BUY GOOD CLOTHES"

UNEEEDA BISCUIT
Biscuit are more than mere soda crackers. They are a distinct individual food article, made from special materials, by special methods, in specially constructed bakeries. They are sealed in a special way which gives them crispness, cleanliness and freshness which "crackers" from the paper bag always lack. They are the nation's accepted.
National Biscuit Co. Ask Your Grocer

It is No Longer Necessary To Go to a Custom Tailor and Pay High Prices for Clothing!
Ready Tailored Garments for men have increased mightily in public favor during the past few years. Today there are few greater industries in Canada in which more money is invested than in the manufacture of clothing. It is the third largest industry, and it is said that \$40,000,000 would be a conservative estimate of the annual output of ready-tailored garments. The old-time prejudice against ready-to-wear tailoring has disappeared. The custom tailor has no longer a stronghold upon the vanity of mankind, he has been outdone in style, fit and tailoring by the ready-to-wear garments such as we are selling this spring. Have you seen them yet?
Prices Men's Suits \$6.00, \$7.50, \$8.75, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$13.50, \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.00 to \$20.00
Boys' Three Piece Suits, \$3.95 to \$12.00 | Boys' Two Piece Suits, \$1.98 to \$8.00
J. N. HARVEY, Tailoring and Clothing, Opera House Block, 199 to 207 UNION STREET

Black Dress Fabrics
Brand New Materials, Plain and Fancy Weave, for Spring and Summer Costumes
A showing of the newest in desirable dress materials in the ever stylish black. The field of choice is extensive comprising every popular plain and novelty weave. Here are some suggestions:
PLAIN BLACK SHANTUNG RESILDAS, 44 inches wide. Per yard 95c., \$1.10, \$1.20.
PLAIN BLACK WOOL VOILES, 42 to 46 inches wide. Per yard 70c., 85c., \$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.25, \$1.35.
PLAIN BLACK WOOL TAFFETAS, 42 to 46 inches wide. Per yard 65c., 70c., 75c., 85c.
PLAIN BLACK WOOL CREPE DE CHENE, 42 to 46 inches wide. Per yard 65c., 80c., 90c., \$1.00.
PLAIN BLACK CHIFFON PANAMA, 42 to 45 inches wide. Per yard 75c., 85c., \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.35.
PLAIN BLACK WOOL SAN TOYS, 42 to 44 inches wide. Per yard 95c., \$1.10, \$1.25.
PLAIN BLACK SILK and WOOL SAN TOYS, 44 inches wide. Per yard \$1.35 \$1.50.
FANCY BLACK SHANTUNG RESILDAS--In dainty stripes and figures, 44 inches wide. Per yard, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50.
DRESS GOODS DEPT.--GROUND FLOOR.

Ladies' and Children's Umbrellas
Good reliable coverings and a nice assortment of handles, including Gold, Silver, Pearl, Gun Metal, Fancy Horn, Natural Wood, Celluloid, etc. All handles are in directive length. Prices from \$1.00 to \$10.00.
CHILDREN'S UMBRELLAS, fancy and natural handles, with good mixed coverings, each 5c., 7c., 10c., 15c., 20c., 25c., 30c., 35c., 40c., 45c., 50c., 55c., 60c., 65c., 70c., 75c., 80c., 85c., 90c., 95c., \$1.00.
SEE OUR SPECIAL \$1.00 UMBRELLA FOR LADIES, made with good silk and wool coverings, steel frame, fancy and natural handles.
SILK DEPARTMENT--SECOND FLOOR.
MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, LTD.