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THE WEATHER. Northeast gales with snow, Saturday, winds becoming westerly, clearing by evening.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 1908.

ONE CENT

RUSSIAN NAVAL BILL CAUSES DISCUSSION

Czar and Duma in Direct Opposition

Nicholas Wants to Spend \$500,000,000 in Naval Construction But Duma Opposes It--Grand Duke Says Navy a Hotbed of Mutiny.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 24--The conflict between the emperor and the duma over the naval plan which entails an expenditure of \$500,000,000 is steadily developing in a direction unfavorable to the realization of the emperor's ambitions.

CANADIANS IN BANK MERGER

Canadian Interests Promoting Amalgamation of Two Big Mexican Banks.

MEXICO, Jan. 24--(Special)--It is reported that Canadian interests which are closely identified with the Bank of Montreal are promoting the merging of the National Bank of Mexico and the Bank of London and Mexico.

MONCTON NEWS

Accident in I. C. R. Shop--Hockey Player Taken to Hospital With Injured Eye.

MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 24--(Special)--George Vetter was quite badly injured in the I. C. R. shops this morning.

BARNES LEAVES THIS AFTERNOON

Hon. James Barnes Will Leave Provincial Cabinet After This Afternoon's Meeting.

THE PROPOSED CAR WORKS

R. D. Isaacs returned to the city today from a trip to the north.

PORTLAND CITY HALL IS BURNED; LOSS \$100,000.00

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Be Sure to get the first Chapter of The Times' New Serial "In The Cause of Freedom". It Starts Tomorrow

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

HIRAM MAKES A COMPARISON. Mr. Hiram Hornbeam says that the only thing he can compare the weather with in the state of his feelings when he was courting the present Mrs. Hornbeam, who had a glib tongue and was a very attractive girl for December and January, and a clear indication of his hot and cold waves during a like period when he was suffering the pangs of what "an old snedger" in the Settlement called call-love, would, Hiram thinks, be as like as two peas in a pod.

HIS BUSY TIME.

Mr. Cornfield O'Hoo, who has not been very much in evidence of late, was about town this morning, shaking his hands with all his acquaintances. When there is a prospect of an election campaign Hiram O'Hoo is right there with the goods.

LITTLETON AND JEROME HAD LVELY ENCOUNTER DURING THE THAW TRIAL THIS MORNING; JEROME WAS WORSTED

NEW YORK, Jan. 24--Today's session of the Thaw trial was abandoned as the request of the defense and an adjournment of court was taken until Monday morning.

HOW A FREDERICTON MAN PAID HIS BET ON THE HOCKEY MATCH

Wheeled the Successful Better Home in a Wheelbarrow--Farmers and Dairymen's Association Met This Morning.

FREDERICTON, Jan. 24 (Special)--The annual meeting of the N. B. Fruit Growers' Association opened in Church Hall here this morning with an attendance of about fifty.

EASTERN STATES ARE FEELING GRIP OF WINTER IN EARNEST

New York Has a Miniature Blizzard and Heavy Snow Storms--Railway and Street Car Traffic Tied Up.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24--The snow storm which swept over the city late yesterday developed into a little blizzard during the night.

REGISTERED TONNAGE OF ST. JOHN AND HALIFAX

Figures for This Port Are More Than Double Those of Sister City.

The following will show the amount of tonnage on the register at the port of St. John on December 31, 1907, which shows 334 vessels with a tonnage of 64,512, made up as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Vessels, Tons. 10 steamers 34,272; 7 barkers 5,842; 12 schooners 4,981; 33 woodboats 10,221; 40 sloops 387; 1 dredge 538.

FIRE AT GLACE BAY

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INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATE

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### Special Sale

## Men's Overcoats

\$4.95, 5.50, 6.00 to 18.00

## Men's Suits

\$4.50, 5.50, 6.00 to 15.00

### Union Clothing Company

26 - 28 Charlotte St., opp. City Market  
ALEX. CORBET, Manager.

#### N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Friday, January 24  
New York Stock Quotations Chicago Market report and New York Cotton Market furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.

Yesterday's Closing		Today's Opening	
Amalg. Copper	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Am. Sugar Ref.	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Am. Smelt. & Rfg.	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Am. Foundry & Pipe	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Atchafalaya	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Am. Locomotive	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Canadian Pac.	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Ches. & Ohio	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Colo. F. & Iron	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Gen. Motors	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Ill. Central	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Ind. Steel	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Rock Island	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Southern Ry.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
U. S. Steel	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
U. S. Steel, pd.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Total sales	66,230		

#### Don't Condemn Yourself to Bright's Disease

TAKE GIN PILLS NOW

Bright's Disease claims its thousands yearly because people who need nature's warnings. Pain in the back and constant head-aches—Kidney Trouble, Swollen hands and ankles, and pain in the joints, mean Kidney Trouble. Frequent desire to urinate—urine hot and scalding—mean Kidney Trouble. Neglecting sick Kidneys means Bright's Disease.

If you know your kidneys are affected—or if you suspect they are affected—give them the help they need—GIN PILLS. Taking GIN PILLS regularly soothes the irritated, inflamed membranes—gives to the kidneys new strength—corrects every kidney and bladder trouble.

**NAPANESE, May 15, 1902.**  
I received the sample box of GIN PILLS which was greatly appreciated by me. My kidneys were in such bad condition I could scarcely get about. In fact, they pained me nearly all the time. I have since used a few boxes, and in fact, I have done heavy work on the railroad, and did not lose a day.

And they are sold on a positive guarantee that they will cure you or money refunded. Put them to the test with the understanding that you must be cured or you get your money back. So sure are we that GIN PILLS are just what you need in your own case, that we will send you a free sample to try. Write, mentioning this paper, to the Boile Drug Co., Winnipeg.

50c. a box—6 boxes for \$2.50. So

## PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS SET DOWN FOR MARCH 3

### Legislature Dissolved Yesterday-- Nominations on Feb 25. --- Opposition Ready for Struggle

St. John, N. B., Jan. 23.—The New Brunswick Legislature was dissolved yesterday morning for a new election. Nominations will be on Friday, February 25, and polling day Tuesday, March 3.

In the county of Gloucester, for obvious reasons, polling will be on Monday, March 2.

Members of the government will leave tomorrow morning for St. John and will miss there by the afternoon.

It is understood that Hon. James Barnes will sever his connection with the executive tomorrow.

The opposition preparations for the fight are well advanced and the news that the date has been set will be welcomed everywhere. The opposition tickets already in the field, and with fine prospects for success, are as follows:

**WESTMORLAND.**  
FRED W. SUMNER, Moncton.  
O. M. MELANSON, Shediac.  
F. B. BLACK, Sackville.  
P. G. MAHONEY, Miramichi.

**ALBERT.**  
WALTER B. DICKSON, Carleton Place.  
GEORGE D. CARLETON, Carleton Place.

**KENT.**  
DR. T. J. BOURQUE, Col. Dr. V. LANDRY, Col. Dr. J. SHERIDAN, Col. JOHN SHERIDAN, York.

**QUEBEC.**  
H. W. WOODS, A. R. SLIPP.

**SUNBURY.**  
J. D. BRAZEN, M. P. P. PARKER GLAISER, M. P. P. CARLETON.

**ST. JOHN COUNTY.**  
J. P. MOORE, A. H. CLARK.

The opposition tickets in Kings, Northumberland, Restigouche, Victoria and Madawaska will soon be announced. The position now is very different from that in 1902 when the opposition found it difficult to find candidates. Now it has strong men in every instance, while in many cases the government will not find it easy to get the sort of men it wants. The opposition will carry on a lively campaign until election day, and it is said by men who have looked ground over that Mr. Hazen will easily carry thirty seats out of the forty-six.

### Red Checker Men

Float the red checkers from your checker-board in a bowl of water and you will know why blood is red. Blood has millions and millions of little red wheels floating in a clear fluid. The professor calls them red corpuscles. Well,

### Scott's Emulsion

makes red corpuscles. These little red wheels grow in the bone marrow. SCOTT'S EMULSION contains a power which feeds and puts new life into the bone marrow of pale people.

All Druggists: 50c. and \$1.00.

#### CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

May Corn	103 1/2	103 1/2
May Wheat	107 1/2	107 1/2
May Pork	13 1/2	13 1/2
July Corn	97 1/2	97 1/2
July Wheat	97 1/2	97 1/2

#### MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Dom. Iron & Steel	154	154
Dom. L. & S. A. V.	61	61
Dom. L. & S. A. V. (P)	61	61
Montreal Power	88	88
Rich. & Co.	103 1/2	103 1/2
Detroit United	28 1/2	28 1/2
Mackay Co.	68	68

#### NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

January	11.00	11.00
March	11.25	11.25
May	11.25	11.25
July	11.25	11.25

#### OBITUARY

##### Mrs. Wm. H. Neill

Mrs. Rebecca Jane Neill, widow of William H. Neill, died at her residence in Barneville on Wednesday. She was aged eighty-three years. Mrs. Neill had been sick over a number of weeks. She was a daughter of the late James Woodrow of this city. A brother, the late James Woodrow, was assistant post master here for many years before her marriage as she was a school teacher in the city for more than thirty years. About thirty years ago she was married to Mr. Neill. The deceased was three years ago. Mrs. Neill is survived by her husband, a son, James Woodrow, and a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Woodrow. The funeral will be held Friday. The deceased was very popular with all who knew her and many will regret to hear of her death.

#### John Dunlap

John Dunlap, of St. Martin, died on Wednesday after a long illness. He was born in Ireland eighty years ago, and when very young came to this country. He married Miss Mary Ann Richardson, by whom he is survived, also by one daughter, Miss Lizzie, and five sons—Robert, John, James, George and Alfred—all in St. Martin. He was a man of high character, and was greatly respected.

#### Anderson G. Thorne

Sutsex, N. B., Jan. 23.—(Special)—Anderson G. Thorne died at his residence here this morning at 9 o'clock after being ill for some weeks. The deceased, who was only thirty-four years of age, was a strong, robust man prior to his recent illness. His death was caused by pneumonia, regretted by his many friends.

Mr. Thorne was in the employ of the Sussex Manufacturing Company. He came from Havock, and married Miss Perry, daughter of Mrs. Perry, of that place. He leaves, besides his widow, three small children, aged two, four and six years. Five sisters, Mrs. W. S. Thorne, Mrs. J. M. White, Mrs. J. M. Jones, Mrs. J. M. Brown, Mrs. J. M. Brown, and Mrs. J. M. Brown, all of Havock, also survive. The funeral service will be held on Friday evening at 8 o'clock at his late residence, by Rev. Mr. Kennedy and interment will take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

#### Miss Margaret McQuillon

Miss Margaret McQuillon died Thursday at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Patrick Daley, after a tedious illness with consumption. She was aged twenty-four years. Miss McQuillon, although of a retiring disposition, had made for herself a high name in the community. Her death was a great loss to her family.

#### William Rogers

The "British Columbian," published at New Westminster, B. C., January 4th says: "Shortly after three o'clock this morning Captain William Rogers, dominion government harbor master, of the port of Vancouver, died at his residence in the city of the royal city, and the Fraser river, passed away at the home of his son, Wm. Rogers. The sad news which was learned early this morning came as a shock to many, the late captain having been seen on the streets yesterday, seeming in good health and spirits, and his hale and hearty appearance gave no warning of his impending death.

#### Mrs. Weston-Jones

A cable to F. W. Daniel advises the death of his sister, Mrs. S. Weston-Jones, which occurred at Birmingham, England, on the 21st inst. Mrs. Jones was a daughter of the late T. W. Daniel of this city, and wife of Rev. S. Weston-Jones, formerly rector of Windsor, N. S. but now residing at Birmingham.

#### Mrs. Wm. Moody

Mrs. William Moody died this morning after a two weeks' illness, at her home in Winter street. Her husband, one son, father, mother, two sisters and one brother survive. She was a daughter of James Smith, and was highly esteemed by her many friends, who will extend sympathy to the bereaved family. The funeral service will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

#### DISMISSED FOR CARELESSNESS

DUBLIN, Jan. 24.—The commission which had been investigating the disappearance of the jewels from Dublin castle still withholds its report, but it is stated on good authority that the government has decided to dismiss Sir Arthur Edward Vicars for carelessness in the custody of the regalia.

#### NICK WALLACE ARRESTED AT TOPSFIELD, MAINE, FOR ANDREW HIGGINS' MURDER

CAIALIS, Jan. 24.—(Special)—The coroner's jury investigating the death of Andrew Higgins of Baileyville concluded its deliberations late Thursday afternoon, returning a verdict to the effect that the said Andrew Higgins came to his death by foul play at the hands of some person or persons unknown.

The body was turned over to Clara Higgins, the deceased's daughter, at the coroner's office on Wednesday evening. The coroner, John Black of Baileyville brought the prisoner to Woodland for keeping. He will be given a preliminary hearing this morning before trial justice Dudley.

Wallace's coat has blood stains upon it, which he claims were caused by carrying a deer he had killed. A razor, presumably stolen by Wallace from Higgins, the dead man, was offered at the coroner's inquest. The razor being sold by Wallace to Edwin Barnard, the witness who presented it.

#### ROBBING A HEN-ROOST

Interesting Case Heard Before Justice Masson in Fairville Yesterday.

The preliminary examination in the case of *The King vs. Edward Bristol*, on the complaint of Harry Guay, Pleasant Point, was continued before Justice Masson yesterday afternoon in the Fairville police court. County Secretary George R. Vincent prosecuted and J. A. Barry defended.

#### WILL APPEAL TO PRIVY COUNCIL

Dominion Coal Co. Will Tomorrow Ask N. S. Supreme Court for Leave to Do So.

HALIFAX, Jan. 24.—(Special)—The Dominion Coal Company will move in court tomorrow for leave to appeal to the privy council from the judgment of the full bench of Nova Scotia. The case involves the Steel Company lawyers that will move for a stay of proceedings directed under the decision and judgment appealed from. The Coal Company by going direct to the privy council thus saves the time that would be taken up by appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada. Security for costs will be asked for in \$500.

#### ALFRED DENNET DEAD

Man Who Made Fortune in Restaurant Business Died in Stockton, Cal.

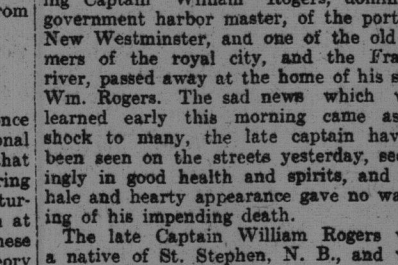
NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Word was received in this city of the death of Stockton, Cal., today, of Alfred W. Dennett, who amassed a fortune from a chain of quick-lunch restaurants extending from New York to San Francisco. Through unfortunate investments, he failed in 1880 for a large amount.

#### REWARD

A Reward of Five Dollars will be paid by the undersigned for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who on the evening of January 23rd, cut the wire fence enclosing the ice field at Lily Lake, and be rewarded.

SAINTE JOHN ICE CO., LTD.

#### Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



BAGS THAT ARE FASHIONABLE.

Here are three good and representative styles of bags which the woman of fashion carries with her different toilettes. That at the top is a small chain purse beaded in the new double set handles. Mountings are brass and lining a brilliant red. The two dressy bags are such as are carried with elaborate street costumes. That at the top is a small chain purse beaded in the new double set handles. Mountings are brass and lining a brilliant red. The two dressy bags are such as are carried with elaborate street costumes. That at the top is a small chain purse beaded in the new double set handles. Mountings are brass and lining a brilliant red.

## The Popularity of DEWAR'S WHISKY proves its quality.

#### ITEMS OF INTEREST

The first concert held by the St. Stephen's church Cadet Corps, No. 173 (Kilties), will be a grand benefit for their instructor, Major James Buchanan. Best talent; 21 numbers on programme. St. Stephen's church, 8 S. room Charles street, this evening, Tickets, 25 cents.

#### SCOTCH CONCERT

What will probably be one of the most enjoyable Burns Concerts ever held in this city, will take place in Calvin church school room on Tuesday evening next, January 28th. The committee in charge of the programme have secured some of the city's best talent, and judging from the advance sale of tickets, a large attendance is assured.

#### FURNISH FLATS.

Those who are about to furnish a flat or a whole house, should call and select their furniture, carpets, linoleums, etc., at Anland Bros., Ltd., Waterloo street, as they make a specialty of refunding interest in the most up-to-date styles and at lowest cash prices. They carry a magnificent stock of high-grade furniture, carpets, squares, etc., and now is the time to buy while their prices are low.

#### DEATHS

MOODY—in this city on January 16th, Maud, wife of WILLIAM MOODY, (Boston papers please copy.) Notice of funeral hereafter.

#### CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

LOST—MONDAY NIGHT, A STONE MARBLE TRIPPER, near St. James or Garsden street. Finder please leave at Times office, and be rewarded.

#### Heart Strength

Heart Strength, or Heart Weakness, means Nerve Strength, or Nerve Weakness—nothing more. Nerve strength, not only a heart in a hundred is healthy, actually diseased, it is almost always a hidden tiny little nerve, really in full health. This occurs because the cardiac, or Heart Nerve—simply needs, and must have, more power, more stability, more controlling, more governing strength. Without that the Heart must continue to fail, and the stomach and kidneys also have these same controlling nerves.

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ADULTERATION OF LIQUORS

Editor of the Times: Dear Sir—My letter of 16th instant, which you were good enough to publish, dealt chiefly with the adulteration of liquor by certain unscrupulous dealers. It has been suggested to me, however, that I ought to have embraced that peculiarly unallowable class of stimulants so frankly dispensed in many Scott Act centres.

“While another is cheating the sick of a few last gasps, as he sits To pebble a poisoned poison behind his crimson lights.” Turning to my bookshelf, I referred to the poem in question, and as I opened the book, “Maude,” my eyes fell first on these lines: Then I understood. As you know, I am not affected with false scruples. It is for you to decide whether the following matter is or is not of significance. I submit my proposition in a suggestive sense.

In Scott Act towns, the fact that chemists dispense liquor in true bartender style is as generally known and admitted as the notorious quality of the liquor so dispensed. From this basis I start thus: Is it reasonable to expect that he will dispense pure drugs? The sole purpose of the chemist who adulterates liquor, or chemically concocts it, is to make a profit with heartless disregard for the victim who drinks and pays the ordinary legitimate price for the poisonous trash.

“I have given you my proposition; what do you think of it? What do your readers in Scott Act towns think of it? To my mind, it is but fair and logical to conclude that the chemist, if he is a Scott Act town concoctor and adulterator of liquor for his own personal gain, so also will he adulterate drugs. We have seen the dispensing of adulterated liquor and cellar-made chemical concoctions of ghastly atrocity, constitute a crime against humanity, and an offence which describes the tragic iniquity of adulterated drugs. In the latter direction let us glance at possibilities: The doctor is called. He diagnoses the trouble and prescribes for it. Time passes; the invalid languishes; the doctor changes his other medicine, but still the disease remains persistently obstinate to the very remedies which ought to have aided nature. The doctor writes: “The patient is left alone. But, did these medicines come from the store of a man who, for over general gain, dispenses adulterated or concocted liquor?”

“Take a more extreme case: Your child is sick. The family physician is summoned in haste; he hurriedly scribbles a prescription which you—poor father—rush to fill. The child takes the medicine, but to no effect, or an insufficient effect, and you are left childless. Did this medicine come from the store of a man who, for over general gain, dispenses adulterated or concocted liquor? I am writing dispassionately, not hysterically, and I believe that I write from an irrefragably logical basis. What do the public know about drugs—whether they are pure or adulterated, or concocted, or of standard strength, or reduced by adulteration beyond all virtue? The business is one of the few in which the buyer must trust implicitly to the seller's integrity. Can any reasonable individual, I ask, rely upon the honesty of a man who has no personal gain in adulterating, and who invariably does so to a degree which makes the most cold-blooded and unscrupulous politician in a licensed city, not dare for one moment to emulate. Every possible adulteration is so easily made, and so easily detected, that I shall content myself with merely suggesting a proposition. The solution and the need of assistance, I trust will leave the public to consider the matter in the light of the evidence which I have presented. The solution and the need of assistance, I trust will leave the public to consider the matter in the light of the evidence which I have presented.

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RUMORS OF SETTLEMENT IN MOONEY VS THE CITY

P. J. Mooney on the Stand Yesterday Afternoon and Cross-Examined by C. N. Skinner.

The circuit court case of Mooney vs. the City of St. John, was resumed yesterday afternoon, when Patrick J. Mooney was cross-examined by Recorder Skinner. A number of interesting points arose and the proceedings were made lively by heated arguments between counsel. Court adjourned at five o'clock. There is some rumor of a settlement.

Mr. Skinner asked the bridge at the end of the lake was not the best place from which to view the whole stream, and witness replied that it was. He could see from the bridge in a straight line to a house near Loch Lomond. He had made an examination of a test-pit, but not after going on the bridge, and that was all the investigation he had made before signing the contract.

Repeating to further questions the witness said he saw no one except Mr. Barbour and did not talk over the matter with anyone else connected with the city. The next morning he went with Mr. Holt, his engineer, to look over the drawings and figure on that job. He made up his mind and signed the contract. That was the entire investigation.

“We were calculating on and off for four weeks.” “That was before that. So you had it all in readiness?” The witness replied much laughingly: “Well we went up to Fredericton with you.” “If I had made as much money on that trip as you did,” the recorder remarked and renewed laughter, “I should not be here today.”

The witness was then asked why, if everything was in readiness, he went out to the lake with Mr. Barbour. He replied that he wanted to see if the rock was in the right place and examine the test pits. “But,” said the recorder, “you were ready to tender.” Mr. Teed at this point made some reference to the method of the counsel's cross-examination.

ADULTERATION OF LIQUORS

Editor of the Times: Dear Sir—My letter of 16th instant, which you were good enough to publish, dealt chiefly with the adulteration of liquor by certain unscrupulous dealers. It has been suggested to me, however, that I ought to have embraced that peculiarly unallowable class of stimulants so frankly dispensed in many Scott Act centres.

“While another is cheating the sick of a few last gasps, as he sits To pebble a poisoned poison behind his crimson lights.” Turning to my bookshelf, I referred to the poem in question, and as I opened the book, “Maude,” my eyes fell first on these lines: Then I understood. As you know, I am not affected with false scruples. It is for you to decide whether the following matter is or is not of significance. I submit my proposition in a suggestive sense.

In Scott Act towns, the fact that chemists dispense liquor in true bartender style is as generally known and admitted as the notorious quality of the liquor so dispensed. From this basis I start thus: Is it reasonable to expect that he will dispense pure drugs? The sole purpose of the chemist who adulterates liquor, or chemically concocts it, is to make a profit with heartless disregard for the victim who drinks and pays the ordinary legitimate price for the poisonous trash.

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THE POTATO MARKET

(Bangor Commercial). The Boston advices this morning indicate an off condition in the potato market. The crop is reported to be very heavy in several districts.

RELIGION AND HOCKEY

(New Glasgow Chronicle). It is hard to keep the young mind from wandering on the Sunday. The old time Presbyterian doctrine was to the effect that on the Sabbath it was sinful to even think on matters that did not pertain to the spiritual welfare.

DEATHS

BAILEY—On 22nd inst., at her residence 30 Charles Street, Mrs. Alice G. Bailey, wife of George Bailey, aged 74 years.

SHIPPING

Table with columns: Date, Destination, Ship Name, Agent. Includes entries for Liverpool, London, and other ports.

RECENT CHARTERS

British schr Freedom, 197 tons, from Apalshook to St. Kitts, lumber, private terms. The sail tonnage market continues dull, with little chartering in any of the various trades.

DANGERS TO NAVIGATION

Charleston, S.C. Jan 23—Capt Macbeth, of the steam tug, reports Jan 21, 56 miles NW from Halifax, light ship, passed a submerged wreck in 15 fathoms water.

MARINE NEWS

Allan Hove steamship Pomeranian, Captain Hove, arrived at Halifax last Tuesday from this port.

FOREIGN PORTS

New York, Jan 23—Arr. schr Lillian Blau, St. Martin, West Indies.

REPORTS AND DISASTERS

Washington, D.C. Jan 23—The navy department has ordered the cruiser Des Moines to destroy a submerged wreck about 63 miles SE of Nantuxet Lightship.

Opposition Convention.

A convention for the selection of candidates for the Provincial Opposition for Kings County will be held at the Court House at Hampton on Thursday, 30th January, instant, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

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THE ELECTIONS. The election of New Brunswick are called upon to make choice between two leaders and two parties in the selection of those to whom is to be entrusted the government of this province for the next legislative term. This task should not be difficult.

Premier Robinson has shown no special gifts of leadership. As a matter of fact his party is weaker today than it was before Dr. Pugsley left the provincial government. The Robinson government has depended upon Dr. Pugsley to keep it afloat that it has lost the confidence of so many former supporters.

Mr. Hazen, on the other hand, though many years before the people, was never as high in the estimation of the people at large as he is at the present time. He has around him a group of admirably strong and able men, who have no political sins to answer for, and who can be relied on to inaugurate an era of better government.

WORK WITH A WILL. The provincial elections are only a little over five weeks away. Mr. Hazen and his supporters must labor zealously through out the intervening period. They have to fight the local and federal government machines, which have patronage and money at their disposal, and an organization that has been working well for years.

campaigners of the government will leave no stone unturned, and they must be met by a determined and enthusiastic opposition. Five weeks is not a long time, and at this season of the year most people have considerable leisure time. It could not be devoted to a better cause than that of good government, such as may be secured by the utter rout of the present administration.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION. The following extract from the annual address of the president of the Halifax board of trade should be carefully considered by public men and the citizens generally in the province of New Brunswick.

"It is gratifying to be able to report that the efforts of your council in the matter of technical education have borne fruit, and the erection of a college in our city for the education of our young men in the higher branches of engineering and kindred subjects has been fully decided on by the government of Nova Scotia. A system of technical schools has already been established in this city, and in several other towns in the province.

Nova Scotia leads this province in its efforts to round out its educational system in a manner to provide the best practical results. There has been more or less agitation in New Brunswick in favor of a course somewhat similar to that adopted in Nova Scotia, but the actual work remains to be done. If there is to be any increase in manufacturing and mining in the province there will be need of trained workmen, and there is the like need for those who may leave their native province to settle in other parts of Canada.

TEA SALOONS. The Halifax Herald presents some considerations that are worthy of attention in St. John. We quote: "Sociologists and students of economic conditions tell us that not only does intemperance cause poverty, but that poverty causes intemperance."

Would the opening of attractive but cheap tea houses in the sections of a city where saloons are most in evidence meet a social want? The question has been asked of the Times within a few days, and the quotation from the Herald suggests that the same thought is receiving attention in Halifax. An intelligent Englishman who is at present stranded in this city said to this paper that in English cities the tea or coffee room, where a man can get a cup of either beverage for a penny, or can spend anything from a half-penny to a shilling for something (except liquor) to drink or eat, is a most valuable institution.

It is rather surprising that the people of any county would permit themselves to get into the state in which the people of Albert county now find themselves, through failure to deal promptly with an outbreak of smallpox. The lesson is a severe one, and should not be lost on other communities.

The York county council has declared in favor of government ownership of telephones. This is a movement likely to spread through other counties of the province. The York county council also asks for an export duty on pulpwood, and this is another movement that is growing in popularity.

The New Brunswick Council of Moral and Social Reform has been launched, but unfortunately there are divided counsels at the very outset with regard to the question which more than any other is commanding public attention. It is not a good omen.

The unexpected happened at last night's hockey match at Moncton. Now if all the boys will keep their heads and play the game without roughness or rancor they will not lack public support.

TOOK NO CHANCES. "What kind of coal do you use in your house?" "Pea-coal. You know we are all vegetarians."

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The sky is dark and the hills are white, As the storming winds from the north tonight; And in the song the storm-king sings: As over the world his cloak he flings: "Sleep, sleep, little one, sleep; He rustles his wings and gruffly sings: "Sleep, little one, sleep."

IN LIGHTER VEIN

BOTH OUT OF DATE. "The hand that rocks the cradle is the hand that rocks the world." "But we have no cradle any more." "No, and you haven't noticed the world rocking to any considerable extent, either, lately?" HE QUOTED AUTHORITY. "Did you complain to the grocer that he had sold you pure olive oil?" "Yes, and he made me ashamed of myself for speaking!" "What did he say?" "He reminded me that to the pure all things are pure."

NOT QUITE THE SAME

"I'm introducing an automatic machine," said the caller, "that will pay for itself in a year." "I'll take one if it will do that," promptly replied the manufacturer. "If it will pay for itself in a year," "No, if it will automatically pay for itself in a year."

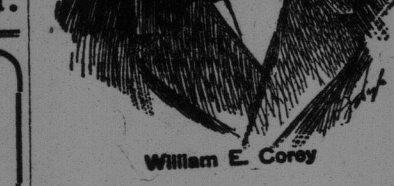
LUNGS IN NO DANGER

(London Tit-Bits.) Sir Morell Mackenzie was conducting his students through a hospital, remarking on the various cases under treatment. "They arrived at a bed on which a patient lay, and the professor stopped. "From the nature of the illness the patient is suffering from," he said, "I can by using my powers of deduction, tell you his occupation. You are a musician, are you not?" "Yes, sir," replied the sufferer. "And you play a wind instrument, is that so?" "Just as I gathered from the symptoms! That pernicious blowing does more injury to the lungs than--" "Bzzing your pardon, sir," interrupted the patient with an effort, "I play a concertina!"

A BRIGHT IDEA

Harper's Weekly. The head of a certain Pittsburg manufacturing concern is an old gentleman who built up his business from nothing by his own dogged and persistent toil, and who never felt that he could spare the time for a vacation. Not long ago, however, he decided that he was getting along in years, and that he was entitled to a rest. Calling his son into the library, he said: "Tom, I've worked pretty hard for quite a while now and have done pretty well, so I have about decided to retire and turn the business over to you. What do you say?"

PEOPLE OF NOTE



William Ellis Corey, the capitalist who succeeded Mr. Charles M. Schwab as president of the United States Steel Corporation, was born in Pennsylvania in 1866, and early showed a strong and laborious disposition. He was made superintendent of an ironplate mill when only 21 years of age, and afterward, while conducting the mill, studied chemistry and experimented in various processes of making and improving the iron and steel output of his mill. He finally discovered and invented the method of re-forming armor for the Carnegie mills and immediately became a protégé of Mr. Carnegie. He made many millions. His marriage some time ago to the actress, Miss Mabel Gilman, excited international interest.

FARMERS AND THE AUTO

(New Glasgow Chronicle.) A petition is being circulated throughout the county addressed to the legislature praying that greater restrictions be put on automobiles running on the country roads. They ask that they be prohibited on Sunday and on certain week days. If the legislature cannot see its way clear to act direct in the matter it is asked that they give the municipal and town councils the power to deal with the autos on highways. The petition is being signed by every farmer it is presented to, and promises to be a very large one, so large that the legislature cannot easily afford to pigeon-hole it. The arguments advanced by the petitioners in favor of restriction are based upon the fact that their business and social interests are badly interfered with. Previous to the advent of the auto, "his said, that the farmer's wife could do the major part of the marketing, with the auto on the narrow roads it is absolutely unsafe for a woman to attempt to drive a horse to town. As a consequence it is argued that thousands a dollar are sent to Toronto departmental stores that otherwise would be expended with the merchants of the local towns. The farmer's family must have the supplies and the head of the household cannot leave his work to go to town to transact the business, so the purchasing is done by mail with the larger centres.

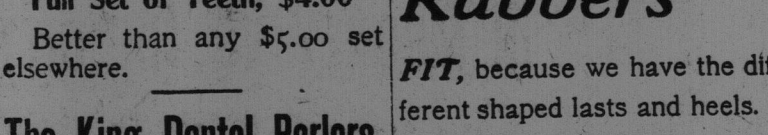
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**YESTERDAY IN PARLIAMENT**  
**SOCIETY**  
**Second Reading of Insurance Bill ---**  
**Special Legislation Will Be Enacted**  
**for Fraternal Societies --- Japanese**  
**Immigration.**

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—Ralph Smith, in the house today, read a despatch from Victoria (B. C.), headed "Up to the Dominion" in which it was stated that Premier McBride said that Lieut. Governor Dunsuir was merely an agent of the dominion government and it was because of that the Natal Act was withheld.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that he was in England at that time, but he knew that no advice was given to Lieut. Governor Dunsuir on the matter. The premier added he would bring down the correspondence, if any, tomorrow.

In reply to Mr. Finlayson, Mr. Brodeur said that the expenses of the ministers and secretaries, who attended the Fisheries conference at Washington in 1887, was \$14,330. The expenses of the ministers, secretaries and others who attended the Behring Sea commission were \$22,353.

Mr. Fielding, answering a question, said that a complaint had been made that money lenders had been pushing their business in the office and corridors of the departments and it was decided that they should not be admitted during business hours.

Hon. W. S. Fielding moved the second reading of his insurance bill and referred it to the committee on banking and commerce. In doing so, he said that an arrangement had been reached with a delegation representing the Independent Order of Foresters that the clause affecting fraternal associations, would be held over after the bill came before the committee.

The foresters had arranged to convene a special meeting of the supreme court in June next when the whole matter will be discussed. Time was asked to permit this being done and he (Fielding) agreed to do this, so that the fraternal association clauses would be held over and a bill could deal with them later.

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Mr. Peasley supported Mr. Lancaster's views.

Armand Lavergne said that as the copies had already been produced, the originals ought not to be refused when the member pressed for them.

Mr. Northrup quoted several authorities in justification of the position taken by the opposition. It was midnight when Mr. Northrup moved in amendment to supply that:

Subject to considerations of public policy, as can be validly urged in any case, members of parliament have the right to access to all the records of the government and to all the archives."

Mr. Lake spoke in favor of the amendment.

At 12.30 Mr. Macdonald (Pictou) moved the adjournment of the debate.

Mr. Borden protested against the doctrine laid down by Mr. Fielding that the opposition had no rights in the house. Before he would submit he would sit there until he was the size of a pipe stem. The arguments advanced by Mr. Ames, the leader of the opposition, were sufficient.

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**MAINE TO DRIVE OUT BAD LIQUOR**  
**Inspector Soon to be Appointed**  
**Under Provisions of National Pure Food Law.**

(Portland Advertiser.)

District Attorney Robert T. Whitehouse has been assured by the department of agriculture at Washington that a pure food inspector will soon be commissioned for the district of Maine and Mr. Whitehouse states that as soon as this done, he, as the prosecuting officer for the government, will prosecute with vigor all violations of the law that are reported to him. The enforcement of this law in this section will be seriously felt by the liquor dealers, as it is stated on good authority that the liquor which comes into Maine at the present time under the present conditions, is adulterated and would not pass inspection under the law. But it will not be liquor alone that will be looked after. Drugs, canned goods and in fact all articles of food will have to pass inspection and a vigorous enforcement of the law as planned may mean a long and strenuous campaign on the part of the authorities.

Under the national pure food and drug law that was passed in June, 1906, federal officers or inspectors, or state officials commissioned under federal authority may seize any adulterated goods on complaint. Samples of these goods are taken by the federal inspector and forwarded to the bureau of chemistry at Washington, and if found to come under the ban, a certificate to that effect is sent back to the federal officers who will then proceed to seize the goods and the case is prosecuted.

Since the passage of the law there has been no inspector appointed for the District of Maine and consequently there have been no prosecutions. A seizure of adulterated liquors was made in York county some time ago by the state officers but no claim was made for the liquor and the legality of the seizure was not raised upon by the courts.

District Attorney Whitehouse has been interested for some time in the new law and has been anxious that an inspector be appointed in this state. A short time ago he wrote to the department of agriculture at Washington calling their attention to the fact that there was no inspector in this territory and asking when one would be appointed. He explained that, as he interpreted the law, there could be no prosecutions carried on there until the appointment or commissioning of a federal inspector.

Mr. Whitehouse received a reply from the department Monday morning saying that an inspector to co-operate with the federal officers would soon be commissioned for the District of Maine.

Mr. Whitehouse in discussing the matter with a Portland Advertiser reporter Monday morning, said: "I believe the pure food law to be one of the most valuable of our recent federal acts and as soon as an inspector is appointed I will prosecute all cases that are reported to me. The liquor sold in Maine in violation of the prohibitory law is usually very bad, and I have no doubt that the greater part of the liquor that is received in the state under the protection of the interstate commerce law is adulterated. Of course adulterated liquor comes under this law and it may be seized, sampled and libeled, and if found to be adulterated, it is forfeited, condemned and destroyed. If we are to have liquors come into the state under the interstate commerce law in the face of our state prohibitory law it is for the federal government to see to it that there are pure liquors and not the adulterated kind. This same applies to food products and drugs although the conditions in Maine as relate to these are perhaps no different from those prevailing in other states."

Any person violating this law is guilty of a misdemeanor and may be fined not more than \$200 for the first offense and for the second offense not more than \$300 or imprisonment not more than one year, or both.

J. R. Lawlor and Miss Lawlor, of Newcastle, were registered at the Dufferin Thursday.

**SOCIETY**

Numerous delightful functions marked the past week in the social round, which does not seem to have been influenced to any very great extent by the variable weather conditions.

Probably the most enjoyable event of the week was a large and nicely appointed soiree given at the Golf Club on Tuesday evening last by W. H. Thorne, in honor of Miss Pipes, of Amherst, who is the guest of Mrs. Lee R. Harrison, who acted as chaperon.

The rooms were very effectively decorated, and there were in all about eighty guests, including Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. George West Jones, Mrs. Harold Cowan Schofield, Mr. and Mrs. R. Kellie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley, Miss Pipes, Miss May Harrison, Miss McMillan, Miss Constance Smith, Miss Leslie Smith, Mrs. Norman Guthrie, Miss Constance Inches, Miss Phyllis Stratton, Miss Nan Barnaby, Miss Elise McLean, Miss Donville, Miss Harding, Arthur Thorne, James G. Harrison, W. Harry Harrison, Alexander McMillan, Alexander Fowler, Stanley Emerson, Fred Crosby, J. D. Pollard Lewis, Stewart Fairweather, J. H. A. L. Fairweather, Mr. Thomas, Fred R. Taylor, Cyrus D. Inches, Hugh McKay, T. McKay Stewart, William Vassie, Gordon Kerr, Heber Vroom, Paul Longley, Mr. Thorne and others.

H. H. McLean entertained at dinner at the Union Club on Tuesday last, also in honor of Miss Pipes. Among those present were Miss May Harrison, Miss McLean, Miss Pipes, F. R. Taylor, J. G. Harrison, W. H. Harrison and Mr. McLean.

Mrs. John Burpee has issued invitations for an at-home on Tuesday next at her home Mount Pleasant.

Paul Longley entertained at a bachelorette party at the Badminton Club last evening.

Mrs. John A. McAvity was hostess at a very delightful afternoon tea on Wednesday last, at her home, Orange street. Mrs. McAvity has issued cards for similar functions to be held on each Wednesday in January and February.

Mrs. Fenwick Fraser and Miss Minnie Girvin entertained at bridge on Tuesday last and again on Thursday.

Miss Jessie Lively has issued invitations for an afternoon tea on Saturday next.

Mrs. D. J. McLaughlin entertained a few friends at bridge on Thursday evening in honor of her guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Babbitt.

Those who were not privileged to hear Mrs. E. A. Smith's delightful Canadian Travel Talk, in St. Andrew's church school room some weeks ago will have an opportunity to do so on Friday the 31st instant, when it will be repeated in the St. John's (Stone) church school room for the benefit of the Free Kindergarten. The lecture, as before, will be illustrated with upwards of one hundred beautiful stereoscopic views and those who have not yet enjoyed this interesting and instructive trip across the Rockies under Mrs. Smith's able guidance should not fail to embrace with her at the date and place already mentioned. Mrs. Smith is a very able and attractive speaker and should be greeted by a crowded house.

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**SOCIETY PERSONALS.**

Miss Winnie Raymond returned by the Montreal express on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rankine and Miss Rankine returned from Montreal on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Macaulay and Miss Macaulay left on Saturday for New York, en route to London, where Miss Macaulay will spend six months, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Cameron.

The engagement is announced of Rev. R. A. Armstrong, rector of Trinity church, to Miss Eric Watters, daughter of Dr. Watters, of New Orleans.

Mrs. G. F. Matthew is visiting in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Peters celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary on Saturday last when they received the congratulations of a number of friends.

Friends of Miss Robertson, who has been ill for some little time, will be pleased to hear that she is rapidly regaining her health.

Mr. and Mrs. Babbitt and children are the guests of Mrs. Babbitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McLaughlin.

T. M. Burns, M. P. F., of Bathurst, was at the Royal Thursday.

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The feature bill at the Opera House Friday and Saturday afternoon and evening should prove an interesting one to young and old. It is Harriet Beecher Stowe's wonderful story of slavery days—Uncle Tom's Cabin. The moving pictures are true to life, showing all the characters in the beautiful drama. The scenes between Uncle Tom and little Eva, the escape of Eliza; the cruel actions of Legree and the plantation scenes usually so absorbingly interesting in the popular play are shown. There will be other films, among them the beautiful Irish drama Kathleen Mavourneen, portraying all the characters in the play. The picture is full of thrilling scenes and situations.

The illustrated songs and music will be in keeping and the orchestra will introduce plantation melodies in Uncle Tom's Cabin pictures and gems from Erin in the drama.

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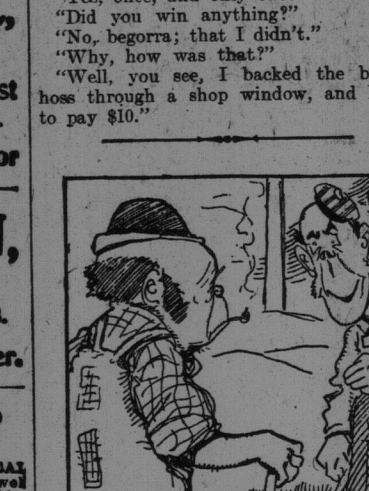
NO GOING BEHIND THAT. Bridget (after taking up the caller's card) - She ain't at home, ma'am. Caller - Really? Are you sure? Bridget - Fair, O! am not, but she seems to be.



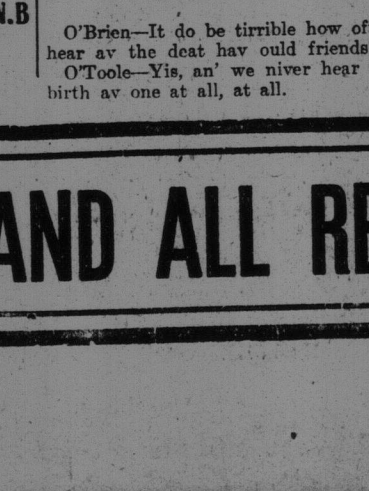
NO SPEEDING. 'Tis same to be takin' yer toime wid them hammer an' nails. 'Tis, O!m workin' by th' day. O!t not be like a chauffeur. 'Tis, O!m never be arristed for fast droivin'.



MIKE LOST. 'Did you ever back a horse in your life, Mike?' 'You, once, and only once. 'Did you win anything?' 'No, begorra; that I didn't.' 'Why, how was that?' 'Well, you see, I backed the blessed horse through a shop window, and I had to pay \$10.'



ALONE AND FORSAKEN. Johnny Elephant - I wonder why nobody wants to skate near me! I'm just as sociable as anyone!



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MONCTON TEAM WON FROM FREDERICTON IN HOT GAME

Score 2-1, But Overtime Had to Be Played--2,000 People Watched Game and Lot of Money Changed Hands.

Moncton, N. B., Jan. 23--Moncton Victorians lowered the colors of the Fredericton Capitals tonight in a game full of excitement, by a score of two to one. It took ten minutes over time to do the trick. When the game announced the finish of the game each team had one score to its credit. It was agreed to play ten minute periods and before the end of the first Moncton, on a lift of McGrath from cover point, scored the winning goal.

The crowd was by far the largest ever at a hockey match in this city, fully 2,000 people being present. The game was full of excitement from start to finish. Science was thrown to the winds, the playing being too fast for effective combination work. Fredericton was the only team to attempt anything in the way of combination but Moncton's fast forward line broke it up so badly that it lacked effect.

The score shows that the teams are very evenly matched but Fredericton was kept upon the defensive most of the time. Only the star work of Morrison in goal saved the visitors from a worse defeat. Moncton started in with a rush that literally forced the Capitals back to the defense of their goal and for the first five or ten minutes Morrison was kept busy stopping hot shots rained on the net by Crockett and Gregory. Moncton's defence only had occasional spells when their goal was threatened, though Dupuy and Ranson, with brilliant runs at times, broke through the home forward line and carried the puck into the Vic's territory. It is generally conceded that the Vic had much the better of the game in the first half. Their tactics were more aggressive. They played and followed up the puck better and the stick handling was more effective. The first half ended with a score of one to nothing in favor of Moncton.

At start of the second half Fredericton rushed things more, evidently determined to do or die. They were met by equal aggressive tactics on the part of the home team and the result was heavy checking and some roughness. During the first five or ten minutes of the second half the game was exceptionally fast. Fredericton scored their only goal and tied the score the first part of the second half while Moncton had two men off. The Victorians were unfortunate in having two important men, Brown at point and Gregory, centre, penalized at the same time and this made the work of the Capitals to score comparatively easy. Murphy secured the goal from a side shot. From this point the game became even faster. The Capitals made desperate efforts to score again before Gregory and Brown returned to the game but failed. With the return of the penalized players the Victorians started play more aggressively and the Fredericton goal was seriously threatened several times. Play at this stage, however, was fairly even, both teams bending their energies to shoot the deciding goal.

At the call of time, with a score of one to one, 10 minutes were spent in overtime and then play ten minute periods until the game was won. When the teams resumed play the excitement ran high and the players themselves showed the strain.

Black Watch Chewing Tobacco Rich and satisfying. The big black plug.

Cure That Cough! YOU CAN DO IT BY USING Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. The Most Perfect Throat and Lung Healer in the World. Cure That Cough! SOCIAL AND MORAL REFORM. UNION IS ORGANIZED HERE. Protestant Churches, Temperance Federation, Lords Day Alliance and Others Unite to Eliminate Powerful Evils From This Province.

At a remarkable gathering in the Y. M. C. A. rooms yesterday afternoon, at which representative men from the Protestant denominations were present, Dr. New Brunswick Moral and Social Reform Council was formed. The movement is intended to be far-reaching and thorough in effect and to be backed by all the Protestant churches as well as other bodies looking for the elimination of powerful evils from the province.

This is no vain boast, but a fact that can be backed by unimpeachable testimony. One 25 cent bottle, indeed, a trial dose, will prove its merit. Mr. Frank E. Purdie, Brandon, Man., writes: "I have used your Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup for some years and have always found it a sure remedy for all colds, coughs, sore throats, hoarseness, etc. I cannot too highly recommend it to anyone suffering from any effort of cold."

HARRY LEWIS DOWNS MANTELL Dies Welterweight Championship of the United States--Now After Papke.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 23--Harry Lewis, of Philadelphia, fell leaving to the jaw, knocked out Frank Mantell, of Providence, holder of the welterweight championship of the United States, before the Edgewood Athletic Club tonight, the unexpected ending coming when Mantell had risen to his feet after a knock-down, in which his head struck the boards with a crash which was heard all over the hall. The men used large gloves and had fought without any indication of damage to face or body, and for this reason, most of the spectators looked for a decision on points at the end.

Mantell was dazed when he rose after he had been knocked down, which was in fact a first foot-work by both men and he could hardly get his guard up before Lewis rushed him back and sent him fainting to his feet after a knock-down. Mantell could not rise till the count of nine and as he was unable to get up, Lewis was lifted into his corner and revived in a few minutes. He held back and did not fight until the end of the round. The decision was well received as the crowd was in good humor having witnessed two very hard-fought, clean preliminaries in which no decisions were given.

BRAND NEW SHOW 'AT NICKEL TODAY' New Pictures and Excellent Musical Programme Arranged.

Long after Mr. Beckley had left the stage last evening after Off For Philadelphia, the audience kept up a pandemonium of applause and the popular basso was forced to return and sing another verse—a procedure which is practically forbidden in a crowded programme like the Nickel. The new pictures are the British battles depicted on the curtain and will sing also. The new pictures are an excellent new lot. The new pictures are an excellent new lot. The new pictures are an excellent new lot.

WRESTLING GOTCH WON STRAIGHT FALLS FROM MOIR. BOSTON, Jan. 23--Frank Gotch, the American champion made his first appearance in this city at the Columbia theatre last evening, when after 12 minutes of wrestling he took the measure of Dave Moir, the Canadian champion in two straight falls at catch-as-catch-can style. As the bout last evening was one of his last preliminary workouts before starting active training for a bout with George Hackenschmidt for the world's title, the theatre was packed with wrestling enthusiasts, who gave the American a great reception.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. THE RING BRITT AND THOMPSON. There is talk of a bout between Jimmy Britt and Cyclone Johnny Thompson for St. John.

IMPROVEMENT AT THE OPERA HOUSE Lobby and House Interior Being Re-decorated and Painted.

The proscenium opening and wings in the Opera House are being repainted and when the work is completed they will present a very handsome and ornate appearance. The work is being done by H. C. Aiken, who has done similar work in some of the largest theatres in the States. The largest and most elaborate picture screen in the city has been placed at the back of the stage. It has a deep gold frame all around.

Keep well. If those old Headaches are coming back--if you have no appetite--if the whole system seems run down--set everything right with a morning glass of Abbey's Effervescent Salt.

PUMPS. Standard Duplex Pumps, Centrifugal Pumps, Plunger Pumps, Automatic Feed Pumps and Feeders, Etc.

SMITH'S WEEKLY REMINDER. Well friend, just going to remind you that tomorrow will be Saturday. That means we'll have those good STEAK PIES ready in time for your supper. So, if you're thinking, which no doubt you are, of having some, drop in early, or better, phone 1609 and we'll save what ever you want. They'll be the same good STEAK PIES, made of clear fresh steak, nice crisp pastry, luscious and juicy, and the same old price, 5 cents.

SCOTCH ZEST BREAD. You know it don't dry up like other breads. It keeps moist three days.

SCOTCH ELL COAL. I have on consignment about 50 CHALDRON of the above celebrated coal for immediate use. The best Soft Coal in the city. JAMES S. MCGIVERN, AGENT.

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TIMES DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE. January 24, 1898--Ten years ago today the Maine was ordered to go to Havana. Find another tar. ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE. Upside down, in coat.

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THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B. FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 1908.

DOWLING BROS., The largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Jackets and House Waists in the Maritime Provinces.

Our January Whitewear Sale.

You can choose Whitewear at almost any price from our stock, so great is the variety, and the most critical will find no fault with the class and quality of the goods now on sale.

ELEGANT WHITE SKIRTS, BEAUTIFULLY MADE NIGHT GOWNS, trimmed with lace and embroideries. Dainty CORSET COVERS, DRAWERS, CHEMISE, LADIES' COMBINATIONS. CHILDREN'S WHITE DRESSES, SKIRTS, DRAWERS and GOWNS.

DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street.

AN IDEAL BOOT For Men

Customers Are Enthusiastic Over Our

CURLING BOOTS

Called Curling from the fact that many people use them for that purpose. But they are equally good for a Walking Boot. Beautifully Soft Box Calfskin, Blucher Cut Laced Boots, lined with Medicated Felt, Goodyear Welt, Solid Felt Soles, Rubber Heels. Walking with them is like Walking on Velvet.

WATERBURY & RISING, King St. Union St.

WARM UNDERWEAR For Men, Women and Children.

We are still showing a nice assortment of warm and comfortable Underwear. The shelves in this department contain the greatest variety of underwear we've ever shown. They are there for you to choose from at a good saving, as we are selling them at prices you'll seldom see equalled.

S. W. McMackin 335 Main Street. Phone Main 600.

DID YOU HEAR? WE'LL LISTEN!

We have the following left over and will clear them at extraordinary low prices: ONE LADY'S COAT, BLACK COVERING, HAMSTER LINED, ALASKA SABLE COLLAR AND REVERS, former price \$85, now \$68.50.

ANDERSON & CO., Manufacturing Furrier, 55 Charlotte Street.

WATCHES! The Boston Dental Parlors 527 Main Street

See us before you buy a watch. We can sell you a perfect time piece and save money. Call and let's talk it over.

DAVIS BROS. JEWELERS, 84 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

THIS EVENING

W. F. Hatheway will deliver an address on "Six Hundred Miles up the Nile," in the Every Day Club Hall. Meeting of the E. L. Borden Club in Keith's Theatre. The Pastime Moving Picture Co. at the Opera House. Picture plays, picture songs, and travelogues at the Nickel.

LATE LOCALS

The man White who was hurt at the west side the first of this week is in a critical condition today.

A preparatory service will be held in St. Stephen's church this evening. Rev. David Laug will be the speaker.

Rev. W. V. Higgins a returned missionary will deliver an illustrated lecture on India in the school room of Germain St. Baptist church this evening.

Allan line steamship Grampian, which left Liverpool on the 11th inst for this port via Halifax, is due at Halifax today or Saturday, and here on Sunday.

Steamship Inshewen Head, now on her way to Dublin, from this port, has on board a cargo valued at \$118,337. Among her cargo are 87,836 bushels wheat.

Mrs. Alford Morrisey read a very interesting paper on France for the McAllen club for the Ladies Auxiliary of the Natural History Society, yesterday afternoon.

The outward cargo of the Furness line steamer Kanawa, now on her way to London from this port, is valued at \$85,788. She has on board 31,780 bushels wheat.

A joint committee from the Milk Producers' Association, the St. John Medical Society and the board of health will meet shortly to consider what form of legislation to urge on the government concerning the supply of milk.

The quarterly meeting of the New Brunswick and P. E. Island Sunday School association was held yesterday afternoon, T. S. Simms presiding. Encouraging reports were received from the various departments. It was decided to hold the next annual convention in St. Stephen.

The Campbellton Curling Club has selected the following skis to come to St. John to play on the ice near the McAllen cup—T. Wran, A. O'Keefe, F. M. Murray and F. P. Wetmore. Substitute F. J. Matheson.

Louis Young, a laborer, while at work on the steamship Corsican this morning was struck by a falling box near the gangway and was badly bruised about the body. He was taken to his home on Britain street in the ambulance.

On February 1st the explosive fog signal heretofore fired from the Signal light station at the mouth of the Bay of Fundy, will be replaced by a diaphone operated with air compressed by an oil engine. Due notice will be given of its operation before that date.

David C. Dorman, of 288 Charlotte St., was taken to the hospital a few days ago, suffering with gangrene in his left foot. He was operated on yesterday and the foot and part of the leg amputated. He is reported to be resting comfortably. Mr. Dorman is a well-known shipwright.

Miss Mason, the matron of the Home for Incurables has resigned her position and will leave about March 1 to take charge of the general hospital at Providence, R. I. Miss Betts, a former matron of the local institution who is now in New York has secured a lucrative position in one of the leading New York hospitals.

Mayor Sears requests that the merchants doing business on Charlotte Street and Union streets will draw their blinds tomorrow afternoon between 2 and 3 o'clock the time at which the funeral of the late George Nixon is held. As Mr. Nixon was the oldest merchant in business on King street his worth suggests that this would be a fitting tribute to him.

Some of the children attending the free kindergarten in Gladings Hall, are destitute of clothing. The free kindergarten committee make an earnest appeal for clothing particularly footwear, all kinds of garments, and children's handkerchiefs. Donations may be sent to the Gladings Hall or to the teacher, Miss Hutt, 116 Charlotte St.

Gospel temperance meetings will be held in Ludlow street United Baptist church, St. John west, beginning Sunday, Jan. 25, from 4 to 5 p. m., under the auspices of the Temple of Honor. The meetings will be opened by a song service. Parents are especially urged to attend these meetings. The speaker next Sunday will be Rev. E. C. Jenkins.

The will of Robert Blackhall, of the parish of Simonds, was proved in solemn form Thursday afternoon before Acting Judge of Probates C. J. Milligan and letters testamentary were granted to the widow and John Willet, K. C., executor and executrix named in the will. The value of the estate is estimated at \$1,400 real and \$200 personal property. John Willet, K. C., is proctor.

Would you like to secure a cottage lot on the St. John river for an investment of \$25? The plan of The Prince's Beach Company is to give away this month, six large lots valued at \$400. Read the ad today on page 8. Study the January Limerick and see if you cannot supply a line that will win a prize. You also have a chance to win a house and three lots valued at \$2,000.—The Prince's Beach Company.

Geo. A. Smith, for many years connected with the main store of Manchester, Robertson Allison Limited, and latterly as door walker, has been appointed to the buying staff, and leaves for the Old Country tomorrow on the Allan liner "Corsican." Mr. Smith will purchase novelties in the European empire, a department of M. R. A's large business to which he has given life-long attention and study.

The concert given in the Mission church school room last evening under the auspices of the Young Men's Association was well attended and successful in every way. Herbert B. Schofield was chairman. Solos were sung by Miss Robertson, Miss Fairweather, Mr. Morgan, D. A. Fox and Sydney Beckley. Miss MacKenzie gave a reading and W. G. V. Stokes a piccolo solo. A duet was given by Miss Ruth Rivington-Jones and Mr. Ewing.

OPPOSITION IN KINGS COUNTY

Nominating Convention Will Be Held at Hampton on January 30th.

Kings county opposition convention will be held at Hampton at 2 o'clock next Thursday afternoon.

The members of the opposition in Kings have lost no time in making their arrangements for a fighting campaign.

The Times learns that there is every prospect of a very strong and representative ticket being nominated next Thursday. The party has never been more united and determined.

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT

Members Are Meeting Here This Afternoon as the Provincial Hospital Commission.

The members of the local government came to the city from Fredericton this morning, and are meeting this afternoon as the provincial hospital commission.

H. C. Lahlouche, commissioner of public works, said that arrangements for the new bridge over the falls were still going ahead, though nothing definite could be said at present.

BRITISH SUBJECTS IN JAPAN

Dr. Miller Says They Do Not Enjoy as Much Liberty as Do Japs in Canada.

Dr. R. S. Miller of Kobe, Japan, who is at the Royal Hotel with his family, en route to England, in speaking of the Japanese in British Columbia.

He said that no British subject may own absolutely any mining concession in Japan but must have Japanese associated with him, while in Vancouver island one of the richest copper properties is owned and worked by the Japanese.

Referring to the talk of a possible war between Japan and the United States, Dr. Miller, characterized it as absurd. Japan, he said, could not afford to go to war. The taxes were already very heavy and the obligation consequent on the heavy loans obtained during the war with Russia weighed the country down. The talk of the United States papers was simply so much "hot air."

THISTLE-ST. ANDREWS AGAIN TOMORROW

The Local Curlers Meet in the Second Match of the Series for the Raymond Cup.

The second match of the annual series for the Raymond cup between the St. Andrews and Thistle curling clubs will be played tomorrow afternoon and evening. The same skis will play as were pitted against each other last Saturday, when the St. Andrews won by six points. The St. Andrews score was 231 against the Thistles 225.

Tomorrow's match promises to be very close and interesting, as the Thistles will make strenuous efforts to overcome the lead of their opponents.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE WON

The Every Day Club hall was crowded last evening to hear the debate on Woman Suffrage, and the people were so interested in the discussion that they remained until the end. Greatly to the disappointment of the Portland Y. M. A. arrived, but these two, Frank Whippley and M. E. Grass, accepted the proffered aid of Messrs. Written and Seward, of the Every Day Club, and with them put up a very strong argument against the general introduction of woman suffrage.

On the other side Messrs. Belding, Tait, Sheppard and Collier, each speaker was given ten minutes. The judges were E. H. MacAlpine, Arthur Leary, of Grand Mann, ex-convict Cochran. They decided unanimously that the Every Day Club team put up the better argument. In other words woman suffrage won. The debate was lively and at times very amusing.

Before the debate began there was a short musical programme and Mrs. Harold Taylor gave a reading that was greatly enjoyed.

This evening W. Frank Hatheway will address the club on Six Hundred Miles Up the Nile.

COUNTRY MARKET

Saturday buyers will find a fairly good supply of beef, poultry and vegetables in the country market, and the general variety will be much the same as that of last week. Retail figures rule as follows:—Beef 4 to 8c. per lb., mutton 10 to 16c., veal 12 to 16c., bacon 18 to 20c., ham 18 to 20c., turkeys 22 to 25c., fowl 50c. to \$1.20 per pair, chickens \$1.00 to \$1.75, ox tails 5c., each, sausages 15c. per lb., potatoes 25c. per peck, turnips 15c., parsnips 30c., carrots 25c., onions 50c. per peck, or 5c. per lb., celery 6 to 12c. per head, lettuce 5c.

Creamery butter 32 to 33c. per lb., dairy rolls 28 to 30c., and tub butter 25 to 28 cents. Henney eggs are bringing from 35 to 40 cents per dozen, and cased eggs 30 cents.

AN EXCELLENT IDEA

Parents of venturesome small boys will be glad to hear that the Ice Company have enclosed an ice field at Lily Lake with a wire fence, and that the danger of accidents is thereby obviated. Trees will also enclose the openings. The area enclosed is less than half of the lake. Parents, even if someone cut the wire and a reward is offered for information that will lead to an arrest and conviction.

A NEW LIMERICK

The novel limerick contest to be conducted by The Prince's Beach Company offers opportunity to secure a desirable lot for a summer home on the St. John river. The lots are at Harding's and Sand Point, two of the most beautiful spots on the river, and the prizes offered are unusually attractive. Everyone should read the advertisement in today's issue and then investigate the offer.

PRINCE'S BEACH LIMERICK

LOOK IN MACAULAY BROS. WINDOW AND SEE Two of the Aggregate Prizes. The RED SPOTS on the Plan of Property show the lots to be given away in January.

Only Ten Days more to secure your coupons for January competition.

PRINCE'S BEACH LIMERICK, 41 Princess, Street, St. John, N. B.

Our Annual Clearance Sale.

SPECIAL OFFERING OF MEN'S SUITS, \$4.95

A great clearance of over 150 splendid suits. All marked, irrespective of former prices, at \$4.95 each.

This is by far the best lot of suits we have ever offered at or near this price. We invite you to come in and judge for yourself.

American Clothing House

11-15 Charlotte Street, St. John.

Every Year

usual low prices of our January sale make this year's line of WHITE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR more attractive than ever.

Gowns, - From 65c. to \$3.50. Drawers, - From 25c. to \$1.50.

Skirts, - From 75c. to 5.25. Combinations or Marguerites, \$1.75 to 3.00.

Corset Covers, From 25c. to 1.50. Dressing Jackets, - From 1.10 to 2.00.

All now on sale in our Showroom on the Second Floor.

ROBERT STRAIN & CO., 27-29 Charlotte St.

Grand Clearance Sale of Incomplete Dinner Sets Far Below Cost.

- 1 Set 83 Pieces, Rich Dark Blue, \$3.50, Reduced from \$10.00.
2 Sets 85 Pieces Light Green Flowers, \$5.00, Reduced from \$7.00.
1 Set 78 Pieces Cobalt Blue and Heavy Gold, \$5.00, Reduced from \$13.50.
1 Set 63 Pieces Delicate Green and Rich Gold, \$7.00, Reduced from \$15.00.
1 Set 100 Pieces Dark Blue and Gold, \$8.00, Reduced from 12.00.
1 Set 107 Pieces Olive Green and Gold, \$12.00, Reduced from \$12.50.
1 Set 114 Pieces, Crown Derby Decoration, \$12.00, Reduced from \$20.00.

W. H. HAYWARD CO. LIMITED, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93 Princess St.

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SPECIAL ADDITIONS TO OUR BIG SALE!

SEVERAL LOTS OF MEN'S UNDERWEAR AND COLORED SHIRTS, TO FILL THE VACANT PLACES.

- PLAIN WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, Winter Weight, a Snap. Sale price . . . . . 35c.
FLEECE LINED SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, Extra Quality, New Goods. Sale price . . . . . 50c.
PLAIN WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, Heavy Weight, Extra Value. Sale price . . . . . 40c.
A Few Plain and Elastic Ribbed Wool "Unshrinkable" SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25. Sale price . . . . . 60c. per garment.
A Small Lot of our Best Quality, Plain Wool, Unshrinkable SHIRTS AND DRAWERS. High price at sale price . . . . . 75c.
SWEATERS, Roll Collars and Buttoned Necks, Navy, Cardinal, Brown, Grey, Stripes and Mixed Colors. Sale prices . . . . . 50c., 55c., 75c.
MEN'S TOP SHIRTS, a very rare opportunity for the workman. Shirts in Gingham, Gallata Stripes, Sateen, Molekin, Meltons, Navy and Grey Flannel and Heavy Mixed Tweed. Sale prices . . . . . 25c., 30c., 45c., 65c., 75c., 90c.
NIGHT SHIRTS. We have added some extra qualities in Colored Shaker, Plain and Trimmed. Sale prices . . . . . 50c., 75c.
PYJAMAS, Fine White Saxony Flannel. Sale price . . . . . \$1.00 per unit.
COLORED SHIRTS, Starched and Soft Fronts. We have also added to this lot today several lines of Extra Qualities, Plain and Pleated Fronts, New Designs and Colorings. Greatly Reduced. Sale prices . . . . . 25c., 35c., 45c., 50c., 60c., 75c.
BRACES: All Popular and Reliable Makes. Sale prices . . . . . 15c., 25c.
MUFFLERS, a few Black and Fancy Silk, Made-up, also a few Ways & Scott's Knitted Wool. Sale prices . . . . . 35c., 50c., 75c.
BOYS' SWEATERS, Roll Collars and Buttoned Necks, Navy, Red, Grey and Mixed Colors. Sale prices . . . . . 40c., 50c., 65c.
SHIRTS, Shaker, Knitted Wool and Fancy Regatta. Sale prices . . . . . 25c., 35c., 45c., 65c.
NIGHT SHIRTS. A few White Cotton. Sale Price . . . . . 35c.
BRACES, various kinds. Sale price . . . . . 15c.
NECK TIES, Four-in-Hands, a large variety, extra qualities. Sale price . . . . . 25c.

Mufflers, Silk and Knitted Wool. Sale Price, 35c.

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