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## REJECTION OR ACCEPTANCE OF MCKINNON SCALE TO BE DECIDED BY MINERS' VOTE

Miners Hear Sec. McLaughlan Discuss and Explain Various Clauses in the Agreement Reached With Dom. Coal Co.

### SYDNEY WORKERS FARING WELL

Phalen Local Told That Many of Their Fellows Throughout the Province Were Not Faring So Well.

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 1.—(By The Canadian Press)—The acceptance or rejection of the McKinnon wage schedule by the mine workers of the Dominion Coal Company will be decided by a referendum vote by all the United Mine Workers' locals. This was the opinion expressed to the Post, by an official of the U. M. W. at the conclusion of Secretary McLaughlan's meeting in the Savoy Theatre, Glace Bay. The meeting was not called for the purpose of deciding whether the new schedule should be adopted or not, but to hear Secretary McLaughlan discuss and explain various clauses in the agreement, and his resolution why the men should adopt the same. There was a very large attendance of mine workers and interested citizens, every available seat in the building being occupied.

Norman Roberts, president of the Phalen local, presided as chairman, and in a short speech outlined the object of the meeting and asked that Mr. McLaughlan be given an attentive hearing. When the secretary arose to speak he was given a great reception, showing that he still retains the confidence of the big majority of the workers. He spoke for nearly an hour, and a half and gave a very plain explanation of the various clauses in the agreement. At the conclusion of his remarks he answered numerous questions asked by members.

The contract miners of the Dominion Coal Company, declared Secretary McLaughlan, have had the biggest increase of any contract miners in Nova Scotia, and the same in force as high as any other mine. When the last wage increase were secured, Sydney miners received a forty per cent. increase, Dominion Coal Company a fifty per cent. and the miners at the Allan shaft only thirty per cent. This agreement is only a leveling up of the various rates paid in the mines throughout the province and was not made for the purpose of securing a general increase at this particular time.

The reason your executive consented to the four months' period was in order to show the general public that the mine workers wanted to do something to help in stabilizing the coal industry.

Many of your fellow workers throughout the province are not being paid as high as you, and if you are imbued with the real spirit of unionism, you will assist the under man to get something on a par with yourselves, said Mr. McLaughlan.

Mr. McLaughlan declared that the wage schedule as signed by the U. M. W. executive officials offered the best increases ever obtained from the operators and were actually more than the miners' officials expected.

He pointed out to the meeting that the agreement called for a contract that could be changed every four months if the miners believed that conditions warranted such changes. The speaker dwelt at some length on the clause in the agreement that gave the U. M. W. this power and declared that an increase in the cost of living could be used as a basis for a complaint that would lead to further negotiations between the company and the men. He compared the rates paid the miners in the United States with those paid in Nova Scotia under the new agreement, showing clearly where the Nova Scotia miners profited far better than their American friends.

### Manitoba To Ask Royalty On Fur-Bearing Animals

Winnipeg, Feb. 1.—Provision for the collection of a royalty on all fur-bearing animals caught in Manitoba is contained in a bill amending the game protection act which will come up for second reading and debate in the legislature early next week.

## Trend of Events May Necessitate The Acquiring of More Ry. Systems

Montreal, Feb. 1.—(Canadian Press)—Speaking at the 17th annual dinner of the Canadian Railway Club here on Saturday, Hon. Arthur Meighen, Minister of the Interior, said, in reference to nationalization of railways, "I believe that after the lapse of years the railways running today under various ownerships and always becoming fewer, may mature into one great organization more or less the property and responsibility of the state."

The Minister disclaimed any intention of bringing another single mile of road under the ownership and operation of the Government, but stated that "we had reached a stage where the march of events and the stern hand of necessity compelled us to take the position and responsibility we have assumed, and the same march of events in the future might lead to further assumption of responsibility."

## England To Demand Von Tirpitz And Von Sheer of Germany For Trial

Paris, Feb. 1.—(Havas)—In addition to already published lists of those who will be demanded from Germany by the Allies on charges of violations of the laws of war, the Matin says Belgium will ask for Dr. Theobald Von Bethmann-Hollweg, former Imperial German Chancellor, while England will demand Admiral Von Tirpitz, former German Secretary of Marine; Admiral Reinhardt Von Scheer, former chief of the German Admiralty Staff and commander of the German Fleet in the Battle of Jutland, and Prince Oscar of Prussia, fifth son of former Emperor William.

## All Eyes Turned On Paisley

Asquith Advocates Revision of League of Nations, and Immediate Granting of Self Gov't to Ireland in Full Extent.

London, Feb. 1.—(Canadian Press)—The advice to "keep your eye on Paisley" is being just now followed, and interest in ex-Premier Asquith's contest grows every day. The speaking campaign is engaging both sexes this week. Lady Astor, the only woman member of parliament, so far will be on the coalitionists' platform and the labor candidate has secured the assistance of the revision by the league of nations of the peace treaty's territorial provisions; an international economic conference on peace and trade with Russia and an immediate granting of self-government to Ireland in the fullest sense.

## MURDER CHARGE AGAINST GRAND MANAN SAILOR

Alleged Responsible for An Illegal Operation Performed Upon a Woman With Whom He Was Intimate.

Special to The Standard. Lisbon Falls, Maine, Feb. 1.—Rufus Penley, a sailor of Grand Manan, N. B., will be given a hearing in the Municipal Court at Auburn, Me., tomorrow, on a charge of murdering Mrs. Samuel French, 40 years of age, of Lisbon Falls, through an alleged illegal operation. Penley, who is 60 years of age, was arrested at the home of his sister this afternoon. Mrs. French died suddenly at the home of a neighbor on January 15. The result of an autopsy, performed by Medical Examiner W. L. Haskell, has not been made public. Penley has had the custom of coming here on each occasion his ship returned to a New Brunswick or Nova Scotia port for more than ten years, and is alleged to have been exceedingly intimate with the dead woman.

## C.N.R. ROUND-HOUSE AT MONCTON HAS FIRE DAMAGE

Moncton, N. B., Feb. 1.—Fire in the C. N. R. roundhouse, Saturday night, did some damage to a new locomotive and also damaged a small portion of the roof of the roundhouse. The fire started in the cab of the engine in some mysterious manner.

## PEACE TIME NAVAL STRENGTH OF U. S. 940 WARSHIPS

This Will be Three Times the Number in Commission When United States Declared War on Germany.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Approximately 940 warships, including sixteen dreadnaughts, 120 pre-dreadnaughts, eight armored cruisers and seventeen light cruisers will be the peace time strength of the American navy after next July 1, the House Naval Committee was told Saturday by Rear Admiral Taylor, chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair. This will be three times the number in commission when the United States declared war on Germany, but the comparative tonnage will only be about one and one-half times as great. A number of improvements, based on the lessons learned in the war, are to be made on the dreadnaughts and other craft. The alterations, together with the repairs necessary to the 940 vessels, will cost about \$27,500,000, Admiral Taylor says.

## SIR GEO. PAISLEY TALKS AID FOR THE GERMANS

Declares Conditions of Peace Treaty Should be Modified to Make it Practicable for Germany to Pay Indemnities.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—Sir George Paish, the eminent British financial authority who had been in this city several days addressed the Open Forum here this afternoon. He said he had recently visited Germany, and the people there were on the verge of starvation. Credit should be given to Germany, he said, to prevent anarchy, as there was great misery in Germany and her people were on the verge of starvation.

## U. S. SPEAKERS AT BANQUET OF CANADIAN CLUB

Tell Boston Audience of Great Things to be Done to Better Highways in This Province.

### ST. JOHN MAN ONE OF SPEAKERS

Hon. P. J. Veniot Promises That Rule of Road Will be Changed to Conform With New England Rule.

Special to The Standard.

Boston, Feb. 1.—Canada is no longer what she was a few short years ago. Changes have taken place "never dreamed of in the wildest dreams of the Dominion five years ago." It is a new country, and now Canada proposes to win back more than a million and a half of her emigrated New England population. She contemplates spending millions upon millions in the coming years, in spending it now, to lay down new roads and bridges, reconstruct the old and build up new centers and develop facilities for travel. She is ready even to change her traffic regulations to correspond with those of New England.

There were more changes told of a luncheon in the City Club yesterday, before a large gathering of American citizens, members of the Canadian Club of Boston, by P. J. Veniot, minister of public works for New Brunswick.

T. P. Regan, president of the New Brunswick Automobile Association, told of the newly established governmental control over highways. He spoke of medical depots in hundreds of highway administration in Canada and also of a "old home summer" planned for 1924 of which Mr. Crowell is secretary, to bring Canadians from over the world back to Canada for a vacation, and, where possible, for settlement. He told of changes in the new government itself to boost the automobile industry, to give the Americanized Canadian lines to Canada, and the getting of a stock of America's tourist trade. Provincial government and the Canadian Federal government, the whole Dominion is back of the plan.

Before the session closed resolutions were passed under the chairmanship of St. Stephen in New Brunswick, president of the club, endorsing a suggestion by Minister of Public Works Veniot for the erection of a triumphal arch between Calais, Maine, and St. Stephen in New Brunswick, on the St. Croix River, the border line between the two countries, to commemorate the activities of both nations in the war. The suggestion to be acted upon at the next meeting of the executive board of the club. It was accepted with great enthusiasm.

In the course of the luncheon at which also, Chester I. Campbell, secretary of the Boston Automobile Dealers' Association, and others spoke, tribute was paid with glowing eloquence to Colonel Percy A. Guthrie, who was present at the luncheon, and was given credit for being "the one man" most instrumental in bringing Canada and New England closer together.

Mr. Veniot stated as "a probable fact" that before next June Nova Scotia and New Brunswick will have adopted the American "Rule of the Road" to turn to the right instead of to the left, as the present rule is. This present rule, he said, has been the cause of many accidents in conjunction with the lack of caution and reckless speed shown by motorists from the United States who "thought they owned the road."

Mr. Regan promised a fine road clear from Boston to New Brunswick by 1921, and described the work of his organization, 60 per cent. of whose membership, he said, consisted of farmers.

## MONCTON HAD ITS SHARE OF COLD WEATHER

January Proved the Coldest on Record for Over a Quarter of a Century.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, N. B., Feb. 1.—The weather record in Moncton, as kept by the City Engineer, shows that the month of January was the coldest for more than a quarter of a century. The thermometer was below zero during the last fourteen days, and below zero weather prevailed for twenty-one days out of the thirty-one. So far this winter, the thermometer has been below zero on thirty days, which is also a record. The lowest marking was Saturday morning, when mercury registered 22. Sunday morning the glass showed 21. Tonight is somewhat milder.

## ROYAL GAZETTE AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT LOST

Comptroller General Advised They Had Been Sent to Public Saturday — Printer Refuses One to Standard Correspondent.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 1.—Hon. Robert Murray, Provincial Treasurer, left here on Saturday evening for his home at Chatham, but the Royal Gazette extra with the Provincial Statement has not yet made its public appearance here, although it is said copies of the statement have been available for some newspapers friendly to the Government. The Standard correspondent was denied a copy of the statement today, but the Comptroller-General said he had been advised by the printer that copies had been posted on Saturday night to out-of-town names on the mailing list of the Royal Gazette. This information, however, so far as could be learned tonight, was inaccurate, and the person who gave it to the Comptroller-General evidently deliberately misrepresented.

Premier Foster, when asked about the matter last evening, said that orders had been given to issue the annual financial statement on Saturday, and that he supposed the Royal Gazette had been issued in accordance with instructions.

"Is there any reason why the Standard should not have a copy?" he was asked, and he replied: "None whatever that I know of." "Can you tell us how the Standard can procure a copy?" "I'm sure I don't know."

Bill Proposed to Repeal Duty on Newsprint and Pulp

Washington, Feb. 1.—Repeal of all tariff duties on print paper, wood pulp and rag pulp was proposed by a bill introduced Saturday by Representative Connelly, Democrat, Texas, and referred to the House Ways and Means Committee.

## BRITISH GOV'T POSITIVELY ASSERTS IT IS NOT SEEKING FURTHER LOANS IN U. S.

### Hon. Peter Veniot Promises Boston Folks Trunk Line in New Brunswick

Boston, Mass., Feb. 1.—The progress being made in furthering a good roads programme in the Maritime Provinces of Canada was described in addresses before the Intercolonial Club last night by Hon. P. J. Veniot, Minister of Public Works of New Brunswick, and H. H. Witkowiak, Minister of Highways for Nova Scotia. They told of plans to establish a continuous trunk line highway from the Maine border, near Calais, through the two provinces. Horatio C. Crowell, Secretary of the Old Home Exposition at Halifax, outlined the arrangements under way for the exposition in that city in 1924.

## Many Disastrous Fires Occured Sat. Night in New York

Desperate Efforts to Keep Warm During the Most Severe Cold of the Season Given as the Cause of So Many Fires—All New England States, as Well as New York, in Grip of the Coldest Weather of Season—Several Frozen to Death.

New York, Feb. 1.—Desperate efforts of New Yorkers to keep warm during the most severe cold of the winter were responsible for most of the sixty-eight fire alarms which were turned in between last midnight and eight o'clock tonight. Overheated stoves and furnaces and attempts to thaw out frozen water pipes caused the fires which rendered more than three hundred families homeless, or drove them into the streets. (Scores of thrilling rescues by firemen and policemen were reported.)

All New England as well as New York were Saturday night in the grip of the coldest weather of the winter. New low temperature records were reported from many points, the sharpest being recorded at Newburgh, N. Y., fourteen miles north of Rome, 42 degrees below was marked at midnight.

Greenwich, Maine, held the record for New England, with 23 below.

The lowest mark reached in New York city was two below zero but at that the suffering was intense.

A woman of 70 was found frozen to death in the cellar of the building at 332 West Thirty Eighth street Saturday night. Today the weather moderated slightly.

Burned To Death.

A widow, her four children and two

men were burned to death in a three-story tenement house in Newark, N. J. today. The dead are Mrs. Johanna Petty, her four children, ranging in ages from eight to eighteen, her brother, James Chambers, and Henry Meyer, aged sixty. The Petty family lived on the top floor. Other tenants leaped to nets held by firemen. In jumping one boy had his back broken and a woman suffering from pneumonia was taken to the hospital in a dying condition. Fire, caused by an explosion of a gasoline torch, destroyed all the rolling stock used in the operation of the Gateway, N. Y. railway, and caused a loss estimated at \$200,000. The temperature was 20 below zero at the time.

There was a \$100,000 fire at Middletown, N. Y. where the St. Elmo Hotel and a number of stores in the same block were destroyed.

New Haven, Conn., had a \$50,000 fire in the four-story stone structure which was gutted in below-zero weather. The firemen were kept busy all day by small fires due to overheated stoves.

With the temperature ranging from ten to fifteen below zero Western Massachusetts cities and towns were visited today by many fires, causing heavy loss. Frozen water systems and chemical extinguishers hampered the firemen in every case.

## FATE OF ADMIRAL KOLCHAK REMAINS DEEP MYSTERY

Commander of Troops in Far East Demands Allies Take Energetic Measures for Liberating Kolchak.

Vladivostok, Wednesday, Jan. 28.—(Russian Telegraphic Agency)—Admiral Kolchak and Premier Pospelov, chief of the all-Russian government are imprisoned in Irkutsk and what their fate will be is not known. The commander of the forces in the Far East, who has communicated with Allied commanders, insisting upon energetic measures for liberating Admiral Kolchak.

## MAN, INSANE FROM FLU, KILLS WIFE AND DAUGHTER

Cleveland, O., Feb. 1.—Mrs. Edith Bullman and her five-months-old daughter, Pauline, were shot to death Saturday, and the husband and father, Martin, was reported dying in a hospital with a bullet in his brain. Police believe Bullman, temporarily deranged by influenza, from which all three members of the family have been suffering for a week, first killed his wife and baby and then shot himself.

## Engineers in Hotels And Apartment Houses of New York Postpone Strike

New York, Feb. 1.—Two thousand engineers, firemen and others employed in hotels, apartment houses, office buildings, hospitals and public institutions voted tonight to "have a heart" and not leave the city helpless in the midst of an influenza epidemic. A strike had been called for tomorrow but the union decided to heed the appeal of the city health commissioner and postponed action forty-eight hours. Dr. Copeland, health commissioner, is pleading the men's case with the employers.

There has been a decided decrease in deaths and new cases of influenza and pneumonia in the last twenty-four hours. Since the epidemic broke out there have been 38,887 cases of influenza reported with 772 deaths, and 7,807 pneumonia cases with 1,933 deaths.

## Gov't Expenditures Since June 1919 in United States Have Been Financed Without Fresh Borrowing on Part of Parliament.

### NOV. LOAN FOR MATURING DEBTS

In a Statement to U. S. Treasurer British Gov't Gives Emphatic Denial to Press Reports Relative to Future Loans.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Positive as a assertion that the British Government does not plan to seek further loans in the United States, but, on the contrary, is desirous of reducing the obligations it already has incurred here is included in a statement from London, transmitted to Secretary of the Treasury, Glavin, through R. C. Lind, chief British charge d'affaires, and made public tonight. The statement also denies emphatically "repeated allegations in the press that the British Government desires to borrow large sums in the United States."

The statement follows: "In view of repeated allegations in the press that the British Government desires to borrow large sums in the United States, His Majesty's Government states that it has been expressly pressed more than once in the British Parliament, it is entirely contrary to the policy of the British Treasury to incur a fresh indebtedness in the United States since June 1919, the whole expenditure of the British Government in the United States was financed without fresh borrowing, and the first step has been taken to reduce outstanding indebtedness. The loan issued in the market in November 1919, by the British Government was issued solely for the purpose of meeting maturing indebtedness."

"Some confusion seems to have arisen out of the fact announced in the press, both in Great Britain and the United States, that the British Government has invited the cooperation of the Government of other countries, and particularly the United States, with a view to joint action for further measures of relief and reconstruction in the suffering parts of Europe. Any such measure, if finally agreed upon, must, obviously, involve no further borrowing by the people of the United Kingdom from the United States, but further advances by the United Kingdom, as well as by the United States and such other countries as take part in the joint action contemplated by the countries requiring assistance."

## ST. JOHN NATIVE DIES SUDDENLY AT CHARLESTON

Prominent Boston Business Man, Frequent Visitor to Loyalist City, Succumbs to Pneumonia.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 1.—Local relatives are holding the remains of John Harrington, 85, for more than 50 years a well known Boston business man, who died Friday evening of pneumonia at his home in Charleston, until the arrival of his children who are in the far west, Louis J. Harrington, of Dallas, Texas, and Prof. Walter L. Harrington, who is teaching in Pasadena, Calif. Mr. Harrington is survived by two daughters, Mrs. John Duff, of 2 Dexter Row, Charleston, and Alice May, in the order of the Sacred Heart, Detroit, and by two other sons, Arthur and C. Frank Harrington, both of Charlestown.

Mr. Harrington came to Boston from St. John, N. B., the place of his birth, in early youth, and where, in 1856, he was married to Miss Mary A. Noonan, since which time he has always resided in St. Mary's Parish, Charlestown, a period of more than 63 years. He learned the trade of hatter at which he worked many years. He established himself in business, first at the corner of Elms and Haver street, subsequently at the junction of Avery and Washington streets, and later at 685 Washington street in this city. He retired from business about ten years ago.

His wife was formerly Mary Allen Mackay of St. John, N. B. Mr. Harrington and his wife spent an annual vacation at St. John and were preparing for their 1920 trip.

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Celebrated Its 65th Anniversary

Special Services Held Yesterday in Exmouth Street Methodist Church Yesterday — Rev. O. P. Brown Preached in Morning, Rev. Dr. Carter in Evening.

Exmouth street Methodist church yesterday celebrated its sixty-third anniversary, holding special services both morning and evening. The present building was erected in 1857, the corner stones being laid June 12th, 1856, and the dedicatory service held on February 16, 1857. The congregation at this time worshipped in the Benevolent Hall, Waterloo street, but with the coming of St. John of Rev. Dr. Charles Stewart, in 1858, was decided to build a church. On Friday, January 30th, 1857, the sermon was preached by Dr. Matthew Ritchie, president of the Nova Scotia conference, and at Sunday's service the pastor, Rev. Dr. Stewart, was the preacher.

In 1867 Rev. W. Heartz was the pastor, and in that year the church became separate and independent from the other Methodist churches.

Rev. George Dawson is the present pastor, and under his ministrations, heartily supported by the congregation, the church is flourishing and doing a splendid work in the community. The Sunday school is a very large one and the church societies have large memberships and are enthusiastic in their labors for good.

Rev. F. J. Armistead, of Windsor, N. S., was announced as the special preacher, but was snowed up on the way to St. John, and so was unable to reach here. In the morning a very fine sermon was preached by Rev. O. P. Brown, whose subject was "The Law of Liberty." He pointed out that only true liberty is achieved by following the law, and that the modern tendency is towards lawlessness, illustrating his argument by deploring the lack of Sunday observance. He compared the law of Moses with the Christian Law and showed the necessity of restraint.

The evening service opened with the singing of several Gospel hymns led by E. E. Thomas, Rev. Dr. Thomas Carter was the preacher, and the pastor, Rev. George Dawson, in introducing Dr. Carter to the congregation, told of his kindness in coming in this emergency and filling the pulpit in the absence of Mr. Armistead. Mr. Dawson said it was a fine example of inter-denominational unity, for Dr. Carter, a Presbyterian, to help his Methodist brethren and referred to the fact that on this day in the Forward Movement mission were to be the subject in all churches taking part in the Inter-church Movement. They were particularly fortunate in having met in such close touch with ministers as Dr. Carter.

India, Dr. Carter said, should be especially dear to all British subjects as it is one with us under the flag and of our own houses. In the magnificent response of India to the call of the Empire, must never be forgotten. The land might have been a spear in the back of Britain, instead it was a shield. With wonderful loyalty they took an honored part in the struggle.

Dr. Carter then vividly described the work of the Zenana Mission, telling in touching terms of unwanted girl babies thrown out to starve or sold to lives of shame for a few pence. He said that the missionaries had authority to save every baby they could reach, the organization being confident that the sum of \$25 necessary to support one child and train it to become a Christian would be forthcoming. The Lord will find money for His own work, and put it into people's hearts to give if that work is being well done, the preacher said. The deaths of sadness to which widows, of whom there are 15,069, under three years of age in India descend, and how they are called cursed and left to die was feelingly described. The work of the Zenana Bible and Medical Society is undenominational, has been established seventy years, and now has 6,000 children rescued from superstition and heathenism or lives of infamy.

A most striking instance of answer to prayer was related, in which the exact sum asked for was sent and Dr. Carter urged his hearers to give to all good causes, because their hearts are touched and to trust in God that He will find funds for His work. We can cooperate with Him in carrying on His work, but always remember, the preacher said, that He is praying for us.

In all great movements what is needed is a clear vision of God, the

BITRO-PHOSPHATE IS GOOD FOR THIN NERVOUS PEOPLE

A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE Frederick S. Kolla, M. D., Editor of New York Physicians' "Who's Who," says that weak, nervous people who want increased weight, strength and nerve-force, should take a grain tablet of Bitro-Phosphate just before or during each meal. This particular phosphate is the discovery of a famous French scientist, and reports of remarkable results from its use have recently appeared in many medical journals. If you do not feel well; if you tire easily; do not sleep well, or are too thin; go to any good druggist and get enough Bitro-Phosphate for a two weeks' supply—it costs only fifty cents a week. Eat less; chew your food thoroughly, and if at the end of a few weeks you do not feel stronger and better than you have for months; if your nerves are not steadier; if you do not sleep better and have more vim, endurance and vitality, your money will be returned, and the Bitro-Phosphate will cost you nothing.

Letter of Sec. Glass Calls Forth Adverse Press Comment

His Advice to Refuse Further Loans to Europe is Characterized as a Striking Blow to Europe's Hopes.

London, Feb. 1.—London newspapers feature the letter of Secretary Glass of the United States Treasury, to the committee of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, declaring against further loans to European countries. While most of the papers take the statement as a common sense plan some express regret and even resentment. The Chronicle calls the letter "A striking blow to Europe's hopes, and compares the situation to an eelhook advising a drowning man to learn to swim, rather than throwing him a rope. Not Britain but the penniless sufferers on the continent will be affected. 'Great Britain asks no help from the United States. She is solvent and can stand on her own feet,' declares the Chronicle. The Daily News thinks the reluctance of the United States to participate in an international conference on the financial question is a matter of grave regret. The Express suggests that the European nations get together and devise some means to do without American imports. The Times thinks that while the American policy may seem callous to the world that ruined itself to vindicate principles Americans hold dear, it would be futile to expect the Americans to shoulder Europe's financial burden. The Mail says that financiers and the British treasury believe the glass letter largely attributable to the ill advised activities of Sir George Paish, whose mission was in nowise connected with the British Government.

LIBERALS OF ONT. JOIN DRIVES TO HELP PREM. DRURY

One of the Leaders Presides at a Drury Meeting, and They Will Not Oppose Him in By-Election.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—Premier E. C. Drury will not be opposed by a Liberal in the by-election in Halton County. This was decided upon Saturday at a meeting of the Liberal executive at Milton. The Premier addressed a gathering at Acton on Saturday night, when H. P. Moore, editor and publisher of the Acton Free Press, one of the leading Liberals in Halton, presided. Mr. Moore described himself as a life long Liberal who was proud to be chairman of Premier Drury's meeting at Milton. Most of the other Liberals in Halton were of his mind. Mr. Moore said, and he announced the decision of the Liberal executive that afternoon at opposition to put a candidate in opposition to Mr. Drury.

VESSELS REPORT MANY CASES OF "FLU" ON BOARD

Epidemic in Chicago Shows Encouraging Decline—Situation in Pennsylvania Improved.

New York, Feb. 1.—Vessels arriving here report many cases of "flu" on board. Four passengers and an officer on the Royal Italian mail steamship America, which arrived here today, died of pneumonia on the voyage, and four serious influenza cases were brought ashore here. Cable despatches from Chesapeake state the steamship Kaiserin August (Victoria), from New York, called there Saturday with forty cases of "flu" on board, one passenger having died at sea.

From Chicago comes news that the epidemic there shows an encouraging decline. Influenza cases numbered 591 today, as against 850 Saturday, and pneumonia cases decreased from 950 to 246. Influenza caused 98 deaths yesterday. Fifteen districts in Pennsylvania reported 279 new cases of influenza today with no deaths, and 36 new cases of pneumonia with 28 deaths.

TURKS ORDER MOBILIZATION OF TROOPS

Said to be in Preparation for An Attack on Greek and Other Allied Troops.

London, Feb. 1.—The Turkish minister from Constantinople, has secretly ordered the printing as quickly as possible of ten thousand copies of a proclamation for general mobilization of the Turkish forces, says a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Athens dated January 29. The report says the order shows that the war ministry contemplates mobilization preparatory to an attack on the Greek and other Allied troops there.

PAIN, PAIN, PAIN STOP NEURALGIA

Rub nerve torture, pain and all misery right out with "St. Jacobs Liniment"

You are to be pitied but remember that neuralgia torture and pain is the easiest thing in the world to stop. Please don't continue to suffer; it's so needless. Get from your druggist the small trial bottle of "St. Jacobs Liniment"; pour a little in your hand and gently rub the "tender nerve" or sore spot, and instantly—yes, immediately—all pain, ache and soreness is gone. It is perfectly harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin. Nothing else gives relief so quickly. It never fails to stop neuralgia pain instantly, whether in the face, head or any part of the body. Don't suffer!

LOCOMOTIVES DAMAGED IN ROUND-HOUSE FIRE

Four Engines in Louisburg Round-house at Time—\$10,000 Damage Done.

Sydney, N. S. Feb. 1.—The Sydney and Louisburg roundhouse at Louisburg was completely destroyed by fire tonight. The fire was discovered about 9 o'clock and it made such rapid headway that before an hour the roundhouse was a mass of charred ruins. At the time there were four locomotives in the shop, but the men who were working night shifts succeeded in getting them all out. The cab of one engine was completely destroyed, while another was severely damaged. The firemen appeared on the scene, but the flames had made such progress that they were powerless to do anything. The different machines and shop apparatus were saved. The loss is estimated at about \$10,000. An investigation will be held to determine the cause of the fire, which at present is unknown.

CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

Tells How To Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffing, blowing, sneezing, dryness, no struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly. It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh—Relief comes so quickly.

VITAL STATISTICS.

The Board of Health has issued 18 burial permits the past week. Five deaths were due to pneumonia and broncho-pneumonia. For the past week in January there were 19 deaths, 8 of which were due to pneumonia and influenza. Senility . . . . . 3 Pneumonia . . . . . 4 Sudden death . . . . . 2 Premature birth . . . . . 2 Burns . . . . . 1 Apoplexy . . . . . 1 Infantile mortality . . . . . 1 Diphtheria . . . . . 1 Pertussis . . . . . 1 Myocarditis . . . . . 1 Malnutrition . . . . . 1 Cerebral hemorrhage . . . . . 1

HAS REGAINED FORMER STRENGTH

Miss Annie Johnson Says That "Liv-rite Tonic" So Improved Her That She Feels Ever So Much Better.

Many women about St. John are finding that "Liv-rite Tonic" is helping them in a return to strength and health, after having been run down and unwell. One of these is Miss Annie Johnson, of Brunswick street, who writes that she is feeling ever so much better after having taken this medicine. "I was tired and listless for some time," Miss Johnson says, and had what might be called a run-down system. My appetite went back upon me, and no matter what I did, it made me tired. I began to feel in weight because my health was becoming so poor. But that is all changed now. Since taking "Liv-rite Tonic" I have rapidly regained my health and can eat heartily and work as well as ever. Your tonic is a blessing and I should like to have it known to all." This is just the testimony of one patron of "Liv-rite" who has tried it and others who have tried it is numerous and such praise speaks for itself. There is every reason why a body should be kept in a proper state of health, especially these days when the weather is so severe upon weakened systems. This strengthening of the system, purifying the blood and ridding it of its poisonous matter, can be done by "Liv-rite Tonic"—you can get it from most reliable druggists, but if not send a dollar to the Martindale Drug Co., 108 Prince William street, and they will forward it to you.—Adv.

DAD! YOUR HAIR IS FALLING FAST

"Danderine" will check that ugly dandruff and stop hair coming out.



To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a small bottle of "Danderine" and rub it into the scalp. After several applications the hair usually stops coming out and you can't find any dandruff. Soon every hair on your scalp shows new life, vigor, brightness, thickness and more color.

ENJOYED BLEIGH DRIVE

Saturday night's cold snap did not have any effect on the Y. M. C. A. sleigh drive, when 65 of the boys from the "A" and "B" sections packed the sleighs for a good long run out the Marsh road and back. The Ladies' Auxiliary had a "Bean Feed" awaiting the boys on their return and three interesting reels were screened for their benefit by Beall Robertson. The film was kindly loaned by G. A. Margate. The boys pronounced the evening "just swell."

LISTS WERE DIVIDED

A meeting in the interests of the Forward Movement was held in the Mission Church School House yesterday afternoon. Colonel E. T. Sturges presided and all the captains and canvassers were present. Lists of the whole congregation were ready and were divided among the captains. Ten teams of five ladies and gentlemen were present. Reports will be received at the Congregation meeting to be held Wednesday.

PILES

Do not suffer with itching, bleeding, swollen, or burning Piles. No operation required. Relief will come at once. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you. See a box at druggists, or Edmanston Bros. Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 1c. stamp to pay postage.

HARBOR FROZEN UP IN VICINITY OF PENOBSCOT BAY

Rockland Chamber of Commerce Appeals to Government for Immediate Aid.

Portland, Me., Feb. 1.—Many harbors and islands along the Maine coast particularly in the vicinity of Penobscot Bay are ice bound in consequence of the long succession of cold waves. Two coast guard cutters have been ordered to the East coast to break out the ice in the channels and harbors in response to a telegraphed appeal from Rockland Chamber of Commerce. The telegram said: "Harbors all frozen. No mails. No freight received or sent. Suffering for foodstuffs. Island people isolated."

UNITS AND OFFICERS FOR NEW BRUNSWICK

Military headquarters on Saturday made the announcement of officers who will command the various military units in the province this year: The units of the province with their commanding officers as announced by Lieut-Col. Sparling, D. S. O., are as follows: 8th Princess Louise Hussars, Lieut-Col. A. J. Markham; 28th N. B. Dragons, Lieut-Col. C. H. McLean, D. S. O.; Heavy Artillery Brigade, Lieut-Col. W. H. Harrison, D. S. O.; Field Artillery Brigade, Lieut-Col. C. B. Anderson, C. M. G., D. S. O., of Moncton; Machine Gun Battalion, Lieut-Col. C. J. Moreson, 62nd St. John Fusiliers, Lieut-Col. A. McMillan, D. S. O.; 67th Regiment, headquarters at Woodstock, Lieut-Col. L. Kennedy of Centreville; 71st Regiment, headquarters at Fredericton, Major W. H. Laughlin of St. Stephen; 73rd Regiment, Major C. Donald, headquarters at Chatham; 1st Brighton Field Co. Engineers, Lieut-Col. W. W. Melville, headquarters at Woodstock; Field Ambulance, Lieut-Col. G. G. Corbett, and Army Service Corps, Capt. A. G. Ralston.

DRURY GOVT TO PERMIT PICTURES OF PRIZE FIGHTS

Toronto, Feb. 1.—The Drury government has sanctioned the exhibition in cities and towns throughout Ontario of the official films of the Dempsey-Willard championship meeting at Toledo, also the exhibition of the recent Carpenter-Beckett fight in London, as soon as the prints of this battle arrive. It is understood that the pictures are to be shown for the benefit of the returned soldiers of the province of Ontario.

POLICE COURT.

Six men were arrested over the weekend-end and will appear before the magistrates this morning. Four are charged with drunkenness, one for theft, and another held as a witness against the latter. Two men were taken in for protection.

Will Take Off All Excess Fat

Do you know that there is a simple, harmless, effective remedy for overweightness that may be used safely and secretly by any man or woman who is losing the slimmest of youth? There is; and it is none other than the tablet form of the now famous Marmola Prescription, known as Marmola Prescription Tablets. You can well expect a reduction of from two to four pounds a week without dieting or exercising. Marmola Prescription Tablets are sold by all druggists at \$1 for a large case, or if you prefer you can order direct from the Marmola Co., 864 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich.

AMERICAN ACE INSTANTLY KILLED IN MANOEUVRES

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 1.—Captain Field E. Kindley, American ace and Commander of the 94th Aero Squadron, was killed instantly in aerial manoeuvres at Kelly Field, Number Two, this afternoon. The accident occurred while a group of planes were in practice formation, preparing for an exhibition schedule in honor of General Pershing's visit, Tuesday. Captain Kindley's machine fell when he was about fifty feet above the ground. He was crushed and burned.

OBITUARY

G. C. Gillis. Halifax, N. S., Feb. 1.—Halifax lost one of her successful young business men today in the death of G. C. Gillis, vice-president of the F. A. Gillis Company, and brother of ex-Alderman F. A. Gillis. Mr. Gillis contracted pneumonia while on a recent business trip to Canadian and American business centres.

Brigadier-General R. A. Helmer, C.M.G. Ottawa, Feb. 1.—(Canadian Press)—Brigadier-General Richard Alexis Helmer, C. M. G., director-general of militia and Defence, died on Saturday evening after a brief illness of pneumonia. He was born in 1864.

General Helmer was one of Canada's noted rifle experts. In 1899 he was adjutant of the Canadian Bisley team, and in 1903 Adjutant of the Canadian Palma trophy team which shot at Seagirt, N. J., and in 1907 commanded the Canadian Palma team at Ottawa. He was twice mayor of Hull, Que., in 1896 and 1900. An only son, Lieut. Alexis Helmer, fell in the great war.

AT SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE

At the Seamen's Institute Saturday evening a large audience thoroughly enjoyed a concert given by the members of the Y. W. P. A. The following programme was carried out: Solo, Miss Borden; reading, Miss Verta Roberts; solo, Miss Margaret Dixon; reading, Miss Dawson; solo, Mr. Stenhouse. Excellent musical selections were rendered by Miss Marjorie Terry and Miss Roden.

FEBRUARY SUIT SALE

Odd Suits and Broken Lines of Suits

Our policy has always been to dispose of these during February at considerable reductions.

Many wait for this event because they have been pleased with their purchases at previous sales. Sale prices at mostly \$20, \$25 and \$30, savings of \$5 to \$10 on each suit. In small sizes a few at \$15.

Coat models are regular, close-fitting and waist-line. Prices keep advancing which makes these all the better bargains.

Gilmour's, 68 King St.

ADDRESSED SUNDAY SCHOOL. Dr. Thomas Carter was a visitor to the St. Mary's Sunday school yesterday and addressed those present on the missionary work in India. The address was most interesting.

The Army of Constipation

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Pay Your Boy Debt Today. The Commercial Club Drive on behalf of The Boy Scout Movement, beginning today, is YOUR OPPORTUNITY. This Movement is only Nine Years Old, but it has worked wonders already; it has spread all over the civilized world and contributed materially to the advancement of the world's civilization. Lord Roseberry says: "It is the greatest moral force the world has ever seen." Harold Begbie says: "Everywhere a Scout lives he has got the fire of Christ's Idealism." The provision of a fund of \$4,800 means distinctive provincial headquarters of the movement in St. John and extension of privileges to many of the city's 4,000 boys. Subscriptions of \$25 entitle the giver to life membership in the provincial Boy Scouts' Council and \$2 gifts carry with them associate membership for one year. BECOME A LIFE MEMBER — INVEST TODAY

FINANCIAL TO THE... The Direct Be... Dollars an... Only Roy... The financial be... road improvement... under two genera... direct Benefits a... ests. The purp... per is to treat... subjects in the or... The direct benefi... lars and cents. W... since the lack of... most obvious in... ties, a considera... to be accomplish... all roads will be... in the rural co... hese means of foot... materials, that feed... ple of the country... the producers of... obtain an economi... surate with their i... good conditions ar... in rural commun... ban communities... It has been said... world—not kings... ships nor soldiers... only royal line in... only legislature t... the only court th... only army that n... aid to the redemp... the exodus from... society, the call fr... tribes, the high p... after the order o... on beginnings of... The road is unpr... when the new map... pushes on its grea... hope, brotherho... peace." Direct Finan... The cost of ha... mily and poor... vehicles, has been... 30 to 45 cents, an... high as 65 cents o... winter of 1914-15... Texas allowed the... dollars a bale for... to the railroad st... haul averaging le... in another case, o... tober and not ma... was offered to fr... five to six dollars... to that time part... these communities... ed and where thr... for a team of hor... old road, eight h... hauled as one lo... directly in dollars... to the profits of... along this improv... In the use of the... items with which... measured are even... one best known to... Exhaustive... tried out by St... industrial, agric... Federal High... industrial concern... companies to ascer... line for operating... The aggregate sa... estate are almost... An instance of... is shown in the ex... Culp, Chairman of... January 1919, the... association, in mak... San Antonio and... improved road Mr... ed eight gallons... The post road wa... car consumed oil... saving of 37 1-2... port further stati... ried about 730,000... the season of 191... this number were... in the rural distr... made a saving ec... Mr. Culp, the tota... would have been... which at 25 cents... \$548,000 an annual... build 20 to 25 m... roads. Similar anal... trucks and passen... the rural commu... likewise shows... this analysis aver... as compiled by Pr... the University of... as a basis. The... ance for dirt roa... jods of the year... amount of hauling... at 100 pounds pe... road resistance w... found for water-b... resistance being a... ton. In some loc... are being constru... resistance is still... show even greater... erage type consid... it would require 6... effort to move a... proved road than... road. Table 1 s... expenditure for c... eration of the tra... communities over... road. Trucks regist... Trucks used in... Average daily m... Total yearly m... Gallons gasoline... Cost at 25c. per... Gallons per imp... Cost at 25c. per... Yearly saving... Similar to tab... cars owned in rur... Table Number of pass... Average miles p... Total yearly m... Gallons of gaso... lon for unit... Cost at 25c. per... Number of gall... Cost at 25c. per... Yearly saving...

## FINANCIAL BENEFITS ACCRUE TO THE COMMUNITY MAINTAINING HIGH STANDARD OF ROADS

The Direct Benefits Are Those That Can be Measured in Dollars and Cents—Roads Rule the World and is the Only Royal Line in a Democracy.

The financial benefits derived from road improvement may be grouped under two general headings, via, Direct Benefits and Indirect Benefits. The purpose of this paper is to treat briefly upon these subjects in the order named.

The direct benefits are those which can be measured immediately in dollars and cents. With this in view, and since the lack of improved roads is most obvious in the rural communities, a consideration of the saving to be accomplished by improving rural roads will be given first thought. It is in the rural communities that the great mass of food and raw materials, that feed and clothe the people of the country, originate. That the producers of this material must obtain an economical return commensurate with their labor is necessary if good conditions are to prevail not only in rural communities, but in the urban communities as well.

It has been said, "Roads rule the world—not kings nor congresses, not ships nor soldiers. The road is the only royal line in a democracy, the only legislature that never changes, the only court that never sleeps, the only army that never quits, the first aid to the redemption of any nation, the exodus from stagnation in any society, the call from savagery in any tribe, the high priest of prosperity, after the order of Melchisedec, with the beginnings of days are end of life. The road is umpire in every war, and when the new map is made, it simply pushes on its great campaign of help, hope, brotherhood, efficiency and peace."

### Direct Financial Benefits.

The cost of hauling one ton, one mile on a poor road, with horse-drawn vehicles, has been estimated at from 30 to 45 cents, and in some cases as high as 65 cents or more. During the winter of 1914-15 farmers in parts of Texas allowed the cotton buyer two dollars a bale for hauling the cotton to the railroad station, the length of haul averaging less than five miles; in another case, cotton ginned in October and not marketed until March was offered to freighters to haul, at five to six dollars per bale. Subsequent to that time parts of the roads in these communities have been improved and where three bales were a load for a team of horses or mules on the old road, eight to twelve bales are now hauled as one load. This saving is directly in dollars and cents, and adds to the profits of the farmers living along this improved road.

In the use of motor vehicles the items with which the saving may be measured are even more tangible. The one best known to all is that of gasoline. Exhaustive tests have been carried out by State Highway Departments, Federal Highway Commissions, industrial concerns and motor truck companies to ascertain the cost of gasoline for operating over improved roads. The aggregate savings for county or state are almost unbelievable.

An instance of the savings possible is shown in the experience of Mr. D. E. Culp, Chairman of the Publicity Committee of the Texas Good Road Association, in making a trip between San Antonio and Austin. On the unimproved road Mr. Culp's car consumed eight gallons of gasoline. After the post road was completed the same car consumed only five gallons on the saving of 37.5 per cent. This report further states that this road carried about 750,000 automobiles during the season of 1917, a large part of this number were automobiles owned in the rural districts. If each car made a saving equivalent to that of Mr. Culp, the total saving of gasoline would have been 2,190,000 gallons, which at 25 cents per gallon would be \$547,500 an annual saving sufficient to build 20 to 25 miles of heavy traffic roads.

A similar analysis for the motor trucks and passenger cars owned in the rural communities of Chicago likewise shows startling results. In this analysis average road resistance, as compiled by Professor Davidson of the University of California, were used as a basis. The average road resistance for dirt roads, for those periods of the year when the greater amount of hauling is done, was taken at 100 pounds per gallon. The improved road resistance was taken as that found for water-bound Macadam, this resistance being about 60 pounds per ton. In some localities concrete roads are being constructed where the road resistance is still lower. This would show even greater saving than the average type considered. On this basis it would require 68.3 per cent. more effort to move a load over the unimproved road than over the improved road. Table 1 shows the indicated expenditure for gasoline for the operation of the trucks owned in rural communities over the two types of road.

Table 1—Trucks in Rural Communities.

Trucks registered in Ohio, January 1, 1919	37,579
Trucks used in rural service	12,900
Average daily mileage	20
Total yearly mileage (rural trucks)	105,000,000
Gallons gasoline over unimproved roads at 6 miles per gal	10,500,000
Cost at 25c. per gallon	\$ 2,625,000
Gallons per improved roads (not including concrete)	10,800,000
Cost at 25c. per gallon	\$ 2,700,000
Yearly saving	\$ 1,800,000

Similar to table 1, table 11 shows expense of operating the passenger cars owned in rural communities over unimproved and improved roads.

Table 11—Passenger Cars in Rural Communities.

Number of passenger cars owned in rural districts of Ohio	134,452
Average miles per day	20
Total yearly mileage (approximately)	500,000,000
Gallons of gasoline based on average of 13 miles per gallon for unimproved roads	61,500,000
Cost at 25c. per gallon	\$15,375,000
Number of gallons with improved roads	36,900,000
Cost at 25c. per gallon	\$ 9,225,000
Yearly saving	\$ 6,150,000

The indicated yearly saving for both motor trucks and passenger cars in the rural districts is \$7,950,000 for gasoline alone, which on Mr. Culp's basis would be sufficient to build approximately 300 miles of heavy traffic modern road in the State of Ohio.

Nor is the saving in gasoline the only one effected by operating over improved roads. With gasoline goes oil, also mechanical repairs, which if added to the saving on gasoline alone, would warrant the building of many more miles of road.

### Indirect Benefits.

So much for the direct benefits of improved roads. The indirect benefits while not so easily measured, are perhaps more far-reaching than those of the improved roads. A single case in Manatee County, Florida, shows an increase of \$50. per acre in land adjacent to a new and improved road and \$10. per acre a mile away. On a mile length of this road there would be 640 acres receiving the benefit of \$20. raise and 1,280 acres benefiting from the \$10. raise. This would in all amount to \$25,600, a sum sufficient to build more than one mile of one of the best types of roads. Another item which must not be overlooked is that which good roads offer to the increased use of motor trucks by farmers. Based upon statements published by the Department of Agriculture, it takes the feed from five acres of land to support a horse for one year. If the horses that are used almost exclusively for road work, can be eliminated and replaced by motor trucks, the increased acreage that can be used for raising market products will greatly enhance the farmer's income.

In addition to this there is a distinct saving in hauling costs in the use of motor trucks. Under ordinary conditions the cost per ten-mile of hauling by motor truck is about 60 per cent. of the cost of hauling by horse-drawn equipment. The necessity of good roads for operating motor trucks most successfully is shown in an extract from Bulletin No. 779, United States Department of Agriculture.

"Good roads are a prerequisite to successful motor truck operation. It is believed that few motor truck operators realize the increased expense which results from travel on poor roads. The prospective operator who plans to move his truck along roads which are virtually impassable or at any rate unsatisfactory, will find that his daily operating costs are far in excess of normal costs of operation, and this one fact alone will seriously affect his profits."

The improvement of roads will bring about a more general factor in the successful operation of farms today. Labor costs are high and labor is very uncertain and hard to get. Every unnecessary hour of the working day spent away from the farm means a loss of productive effort which leads to a loss in income.

With roads poor and unimproved the farms which are situated at distances more than five miles away from the marketing point are not very attractive from a business standpoint. The cost of transporting produce over poor roads from distances greater than this seriously decreases the possible profits to be derived from farm operation. This is shown conclusively by the prevailing high prices for farmland within a five-mile radius of the market centers. Land situated at distances greater than that has a much lower value. Improved roads and labor-saving machinery make it possible for the farms in the more remote districts to show a much wider margin of profit.

It has been the lack of good roads that has caused that great exodus of our young people from the farms to the neighboring cities. Lack of good roads means limited social opportunities and man is by instinct a social animal. Are the young men and young women who are deprived of social intercourse for a considerable portion of the year, to be blamed for seeking places where they may mix more freely with their fellowmen? This calls to mind the definition of "jail" as given by a certain farmer at a meeting of one of the agricultural societies of a neighboring state. "Jail is a farm in winter situated on an improved road five or more miles away from town." How much is it worth to make farm surroundings so pleasant that no difficulty is experienced in persuading our young people to follow the oldest and most healthful occupation of man?

These are but few of the many benefits that result from the improvement of roads, but is believed that these items will lead to a serious consideration of road improvement in the future.

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**MARKET PRICES.** On Saturday in the City Market per pound; veal, 25 to 35 cents; beef, 20 to 35 cents; pork, 25 to 35 cents. The American celery in large heads is the only kind that is available at present and sold for 30 and 35 cents per head. Butter was quoted at 70 cents per pound, and eggs, fresh, 90 cents a dozen. Good freshly killed chickens were 60 cents and fowl 50 cents a pound. Lamb was offered for 20 and 25 cents.

### OBITUARY

The death took place at the Williams, Reed's Point, Kings County on Friday evening, after a brief illness of pneumonia, of George, second son of James and Mary Roper, of Walton's Lake, Kings County. Besides his parents, deceased leaves three brothers and two sisters, John and William, of Walton's Lake; Thomas, employed at the East St. John County Hospital; Mrs. S. Hatfield, Reed's Point, and Miss Mary, at home. The deceased was a well-known and highly-respected resident of Kings County, and his death came as a severe shock to the community. The funeral will be held this morning at 11 o'clock from his parents' residence to Chapel Grove cemetery.

**Miss Louise Dunfield.** Many friends will regret to learn of the sudden death of Miss Louise Dunfield, aged about sixteen, which occurred at an early hour Saturday morning at Suny Brae, Moncton. She was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dunfield. The family formerly resided in St. John.

### FUNERALS.

The funeral of Miss I. E. Kinnear took place at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon from 196 Princess street. The Rev. G. A. Kubring conducted the service and interment was in the Church of England burying ground.

The funeral of Joseph S. Knowles was held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late residence, 93 Elliott Row, the Rev. G. E. Dawson officiating. Interment in Fernhill cemetery.

The funeral of Charles Haggerly took place Saturday morning from his late residence, Mill street, Fairville, to St. Rose's Church, where Requiem High Mass was solemnized by the Rev. Charles Collins. Interment in Holy Cross cemetery, Sand Cove.

The funeral of Gordon K. Jones took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from St. Luke's church. Services were conducted by Rev. C. Nichols. Interment was made in Fernhill cemetery.

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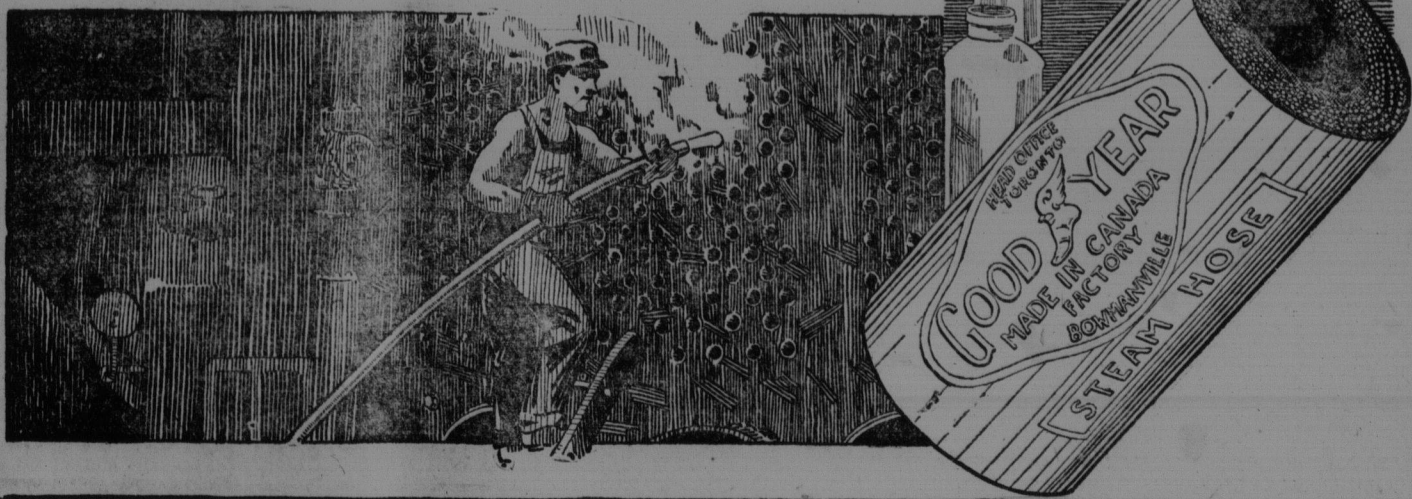
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PORT NEEDS.

The Commercial Club, with commendable industry, is directing attention to the needs of the port of St. John. Its action in connection with the C. N. R. order obliging lumber shippers to pay demurrage on cars held more than five days should not be omitted to the detriment of the port.

Before the big explosion of the L. C. R. piers at Richmond, Halifax, were mainly used by lumber shippers; considerable space was reserved for piling lumber preparatory to shipment. It is surprising that St. John, a great lumber port, has no arrangements for assembling lumber within easy reach of a ship's tackle.

FOREIGN TRADE.

Canada's foreign trade during 1919 amounted to \$2,235,228,072, an increase of about eighty millions over 1918. Exports were valued at \$1,294,920,372, an increase of \$51,900,000 over 1918.

In 1913 Canada's foreign trade was valued at \$1,085,264,449, and in 1914 at \$1,129,744,725. Allowing for increases in prices there has no doubt been an increase in the movement of commodities, but not a very great increase.

Canada's record year was 1917, but then exports were increased by war products. A feature of the trade returns is that increases in exports are almost entirely made up of farm products. In manufactured products there are few increases and in some cases a decline.

Canadian exports to the United States amounted to \$454,636,234, as against \$458,182,149 in 1918. Imports from the States amounted to \$740,586,225, as compared with \$741,326,804 in 1918.

The Police Magistrate congratulated a "longshoreman" on his ability to earn \$60 a week, and deplored the fact that his services were not considered worth more. To earn \$60 a week a "longshoreman" must labor 55 hours, and 85 hours a week of exposure in winter here is no joke.

It is announced that the Elder Dempster Company, which now operates a service to South Africa, are now making plans for a new service between Canada and the West Coast of Africa.

It is suggested that M. Clemenceau may come to America to plead for the Peace Treaty. That may be doubted. Earl Grey came over, and decided to hold his peace—and then to return home.

The school assessment this year will be \$422,331. In 1911 it was \$159,914. The cost of education has beaten the cost of living by a good margin, but man does not live by bread alone.

In four weeks the Vancouver Harbor Commission will start work on a new Government pier to cost \$4,000,000. It will provide four large berths. St. John in four weeks may still be waiting for news.

possible chance of being unable to collect her loans there. The statement of the Bolshevik Ambassador that the great manufacturers of America are anxious to trade with Russia is not without significance.

Nevertheless Clemenceau could with some show of right urge America to ratify the Peace Treaty. In these columns months ago the opinion was expressed that after the French elections The Tiger would be retired, because he was the embodiment of the spirit of militant France, and not the type of statesman whose leadership would satisfy a France at peace.

Another matter which should receive attention is that of assuring the provision of facilities for oil-bunkering here. Most new ships being built for the Canadian service are being fitted with oil-burning furnaces, and some oil ships are being converted. At Halifax the Imperial Oil Company has constructed a great oil plant, and the same company has plans for an oil-bunkering station here.

The Globe: "Friday's conference at City Hall with a representative West Side delegation brought plainly and forcibly to public attention the weakness of a civic system that is not broadly representative in its character. An essential weakness of the commission system is that it ignores this basic necessity of community government. The legislative session is less than a month away. It will be a great mistake if another year is allowed to slip into history without providing ways and means for West Side representation at City Hall, whether the civic government system be commission, ward or some middle course, designed to give the protection of divisional representation while avoiding a too large and unwieldy chamber."

The Police Magistrate congratulated a "longshoreman" on his ability to earn \$60 a week, and deplored the fact that his services were not considered worth more. To earn \$60 a week a "longshoreman" must labor 55 hours, and 85 hours a week of exposure in winter here is no joke.

It is announced that the Elder Dempster Company, which now operates a service to South Africa, are now making plans for a new service between Canada and the West Coast of Africa. Another reason why the Government should get on with the work of enlarging harbor facilities here.

The school assessment this year will be \$422,331. In 1911 it was \$159,914. The cost of education has beaten the cost of living by a good margin, but man does not live by bread alone.

In four weeks the Vancouver Harbor Commission will start work on a new Government pier to cost \$4,000,000. It will provide four large berths. St. John in four weeks may still be waiting for news.

Civic budget this year is placed at \$1,185,974. In 1910 it was \$632,437. Commission form of Government has

kept ahead of the increase in the cost of living anyway.

WHAT THEY SAY

There's a Limit. (Providence Journal.) America may be a melting pot, but hereafter we shall refuse to serve as a garbage can.

No Government Control. (London Daily Mail.) Free competition is the surest way to the efficient and speedy transport of goods by land and sea.

A Good Lead To Follow. (New York World.) Holland is preparing to enter the League of Nations with the reservation that, though it is "far from what was expected," it is a good thing to be long to. That is a pretty satisfactory conclusion for other countries, including the United States, to reach.

Circumstances Alter Cases. (New York Herald.) It was with "mingled emotions" that the Reds from this country entered Russia. No doubt they would have been more at their ease had they known of the existence of courts to which they could appeal for protection, like those in "Bourgeois America." The true anarchist, though he hates judges and policemen in theory, really loves them in practice when he gets into trouble.

The Problem of India. (London Free Press.) With nine-tenths of the people in blank illiteracy, and India divided between a dozen faiths, 147 languages, the spoken word of as many races over 2,000 different castes, and the educated people demanding self-government and home rule, the white man's burden in the land of the rajah and the rupee becomes heavier at every step.

The Souls of Some People. (Woodstock Sentinel-Review.) Teachers are not the only people who have trouble about financial matters. The head of the Methodist Superannuation Fund, addressing a Toronto audience recently, said that some ministers had been necessities of life. He told of the case of one minister who had not sufficient money to bury his dead wife, although the church owed him nearly \$5,000 in arrears. Occasionally one comes across evidence that raises a doubt as to whether the souls of some people are worth the effort that is put forth to save them.

Tendency to Skid. (Louisville Courier.) "It costs less nowadays to keep an automobile than to keep a servant." It may be added that the servant has a greater tendency to skid just when you think everything is lovely.

Practical Patriotism. (Chicago News.) The greater needs of America at this moment are productive work and constructive effort. Whoever engages in the forms of intelligent effort to the best of his ability shows a practical peace-time patriotism of a high quality.

Democracy Misdomer. (Memphis Commercial.) It begins to look as if democracy was a misdomer and the war had made the world safe for profiteers.

A BIT OF VERSE

WINTER FANCY. In these barren shut-in days Fancy lures me many ways; Fancy, with its neocromancy, Priglike the part it plays. For it shows me how the Spring, From the southland journeying, With the northward-faring bluebird, Will return on azure wing.

Tells me tales of pimpernel, Where the white wake-robin dwells, And reveals the hoarded honey hidden in the wild-pole cells. Of its wealth bids me to share Orient aromas rare, All the ecstasies of April With its daffodil and carnation. Come, then, Fancy, bid with me Till the hour when I shall see The eternal vernal rapture In its clear reality! —Clifton Scollard, in New York Times.

CONSTITIATION or COSTIVENESS. Constipation, although generally described as a disease, can never exist unless some of the organs are deranged, which is generally found to be the liver.

There is nothing more productive of general ill health than constipation of the bowels, and a regular action is absolutely essential to general health. One of the most common, painful and troublesome troubles caused by constipation is piles, and unless the bowels are kept open by the use of a good laxative such as Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills the whole system will be poisoned and many different complications of diseases arise, so if you would be well, keep your bowels regular.

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Benny's Note Book

It was Nora's day off yesterday, and she did the dishes after supper and pop helped her shine the aluminum things, and after they finished pop laid down on the sofa in the setting room with his arms out, saying, Holey smokes, wat a job, I think we awt to give Nora a raise if she asks for one and threatens to leave if she dont get it—Id drather spend a day in the trenches than shine up a row of those confounded aluminum things.

They sarteny are a bother, but as long as you have them you mite as well keep them shined up, sed ma. O I gess so, sed pop, as long as you have a sore thum, you mite as well keep pounding it with a hammer. Now Willyum, wat on ertl has that got to do with aloomtinum pots? sed ma.

Nothing, sed pop, Wich it didnt, and I sed, I got a Meer, pop, I got a Meer, ma, I got a Meer how to shine aloomtinum things without hardly eny werk at all. For mersey sake, how? sed ma, and pop sed, The man, woman or child who discovers how to relieve suffering humanity from the burden of shining aluminum kitchen jewelry will make a million dollars the first year, 2 millions the 2nd, 3 the 3rd, and so on.

Do you want to know how, ma, do you want to know how, pop? I sed. Nothing would give me greater pleasure, sed ma, and pop sed, Out with it, James Watt Kri-sofer Columbus Thomas Edison Pots. Meaning me, and I sed, Wy, all you haff to do is take all the aloomtinum things and spread them on the frunt steps and blow a horn to attract people's attention and then announce that whoever shines a aluminum thing the shiniest will get a reward of 10 cents.

O goodness for hevvin sake, sed ma. Help, ade, sucker, assistance, sed pop. Meaning they didnt think it would werk.

SOLDIERS FIGHT WITH BELTS

"London Express" A battle between rival nationalists, in which belts, canes and fists were freely used, was witnessed in the streets of Dover, and the civil police were obliged to make three arrests. Several quarrelsome soldiers were also taken in custody by military pickets.

The affair apparently arose out of friction between two Irish regiments, the Connaught Rangers and the Royal Irish Fusiliers, and the Worcester Regiment. An Irish soldier and his wife were said to have been insulted by men in the Worcester Regiment, and it was also alleged that the Englishmen robbed the couple of a purse containing £5. A certain amount of jealousy also existed. The disturbances lasted a considerable time on Friday night, and the attacks were finally made on the police with the object of rescuing the men under arrest.

Soldiers of the three regiments mutually accused each other of starting the fighting, but it was evident that the Irish Fusiliers and the Connaught Rangers combined against the Worcester Regiment. Fights between groups of men took place in the main streets at points over a distance of nearly a mile, and many of the soldiers were seriously injured.

The civil police arrested three of them for smashing a restaurant window and assaulting the proprietor. One of the men was rescued by a crowd of companions on the way to the police station. A civilian who gave a great deal of trouble in inciting the soldiers to rescue was also arrested. Private Fruesdale of the Royal Irish Fusiliers, was fined 50s at the police court on Saturday for damage and assault, and Private Palmer of the regiment, was fined 20s. Roderick Mackinnon, the civilian who was alleged to have incited to rescue, was fined £2 for drunkenness.

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THIS IS GROUND HOG DAY



SPECIAL NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS:

The Board of Assessors of City of Saint John:

Hereby give notice that under the provisions of the "SAINT JOHN CITY ASSESSMENT ACT," it is required that every owner of Personal Property, viz., STOCK-IN-TRADE; AUTOMOBILES; HORSES; CARRIAGES; SLEDS; SLEIGHTS; BOATS, etc., shall make a return of the value of same to the Assessment Department.

ALSO:

That all persons TWENTY-ONE YEARS of age and over shall file a statement of their income received in the past year, excepting, only, when the TOTAL income is included in the return of their employer. Income includes SALARY; WAGES; BONUS; FEES COMMISSIONS; INTEREST FROM INVESTMENTS; DIVIDENDS and PROFITS—and INCOME from ALL SOURCES, excepting that from Real Estate located in the City of Saint John.

These statements must be filled out by the person making same and sworn to before an Assessor, Justice of the Peace or Notary Public and filed not later than FEBRUARY TENTH. No person is excused from making a return of statement by failure of the Assessment Department to send them blank forms.

Beginning TUESDAY, FEBRUARY THIRD, and continuing until FEBRUARY ELEVENTH, the Council Chamber on the first floor of City Hall will be open to receive these statements.

Office hours 10 to 4, evenings 7 to 9.

E. M. OLIVE, Chairman.

Coldest January Ever Recorded

Thermometer Friday Afternoon Registered 25 Above, Dropped to 20 Below Saturday Morning—Yesterday Morning Mercury Showed 16 Below.

On Friday afternoon the thermometer registered 25 above, and Saturday morning the mercury had dropped to 20 below, and this, coupled with a twenty-eight mile wind, made matters rather uncomfortable. According to the official records of D. L. Hutchinson, there were only two days when the thermometer in St. John registered lower than Saturday morning. On February 8th, 1881, known as Cold Friday, the mercury dropped to 22 below zero, and in January, 1890, it registered 21 below. In 1874, 1884 and December, 1917, it equalled Saturday's low figure of 20. Thermometers other than the official one on Saturday showed a lower mark; one in Fairville showing 22 degrees below, while at the falls it showed 25. At Grand Bay it showed 28, and the same figure at Hampton. At 9 o'clock Saturday night the thermometer showed ten below in a couple of places in the city, and the mercury kept dropping all through the night, and at daybreak yesterday morning it showed 16 below at the Observatory, at 9 o'clock it was 14 below, and at 5 yesterday afternoon it was 2 above; there was a light wind from the northwest and the weather was clear. While the month of January is described by the Meteorological Station as the coldest ever recorded in this city, the month of February evinces an inclination to be not outside in the setting of records. The barometer reduced to sea level yesterday and read 31 inches, which is the highest pressure ever registered here. D. L. Hutchinson, director of the Meteorological Observatory, stated to The Standard last night the month of

January just past was the coldest month on record. The mean temperature for the month was 19 degrees. The nearest approach to this were the months of January, 1875 and 1888, when the mean temperature was within a degree of last month's record, with mean temperatures of 11 degrees. There were 26 days of bright sunshine. In this respect the month was well up to the mark, the percentage of the month of January, 1919, being 14 per cent. lower. There was a total rainfall during the month of one-quarter of an inch, and a snowfall of 31.5 inches. The total precipitation was 3.42. W. E. Earle arrived in the city on Saturday from Toronto, Ont.



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Catholic Church Special Services

Today is Feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin—Tomorrow is Feast of St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr—The Blessing of Throats.

Today the Feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin will be celebrated in all Catholic churches throughout the diocese and in the city especially. This feast is one of the most important on the church calendar and although not a Holy Day of obligation it is kept with great reverence and devotion by Catholics throughout the diocese. Today is also commonly known as Candlemas Day because on this day all candles that are to be used in all the church ceremonies throughout the year are blessed for that purpose. This is a very old custom in the church and has been kept from the time of Christ to the present. Candles that are used in the home and are imperative at the time of sick calls or the receiving of the last rites of the church will also be blessed during the Mass hours in the different Catholic churches in the city. Tomorrow the Feast of St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr will be celebrated and the blessing of the throats will take place directly after early Mass. The hours after that will be from 4 to 6 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m.

WEDDINGS.

Kinney-Chapelle. A quiet wedding took place January 24th in the Methodist parsonage, Upper Main, when Joseph Chapelle, of Milford, Mass., was united in marriage to Miss Edna M. Kinney, of Back Bay, N. B. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Herbert Patton, assisted by the Rev. William Pope. The bride looked lovely in navy blue crepe de chine, with woven furs and hat, and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations. They received many nice gifts, and have the best wishes of all their friends. They will reside in Upton.

ASSESSMENT STATEMENTS. E. M. Olive, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, has made arrangements whereby he and his staff will occupy the Council chamber on the ground floor in City Hall, in order that assessment statements may conveniently be filed. This office will be open from February 3rd to 11th, and the office hours will be from 10 o'clock to 4 o'clock; evening 7 o'clock to 9 o'clock.

Edward Harrington of Hampton formerly of T. McAvity and Sons, has accepted a position with the Burroughs Adding Machine Company and left on Saturday for Montreal where he will be for some time in the Montreal branch. Mr. Harrington, who was a member of the Air Force will be wished much success by his many friends. Major and Mrs. David B. Pidgeon and children are sailing from England for home. It is presumed they are now upon the ocean.

Council Completed The 1920 Estimates

Decided on Saturday Not to Raise Ferry Rates—Practically All City Officials Given Increase in Salaries.

The City Council completed the estimates for 1920 Saturday morning, the total budget being \$1,086,574, an increase of \$277,571 over last year. After backing and filling the council finally decided not to raise the rates for the ferry at present. The appropriation for schools this year is \$422,331, as compared with \$325,939 in 1919. In addition there is an assessment of \$17,510 for vocational training. Practically all the city officials were given increases in salaries. Various departments over-expanded last year, and an assessment of \$41,652 was ordered to get them out of debt.

On motion of Commissioner Thornton, increases for the police department were voted as follows: Patrol men, first year, \$110 per month; second year, \$115; third year, \$120; Patrol drivers, \$110 per month; elderly policemen working on eight hour shifts in station, \$10 per month increase.

His motion was also confirmed that increase of \$10 per month, from January 1st, be granted sergeants, detectives, ambulance drivers, matron, janitors and City Police Clerk Dalton. Motion by him was also adopted that the chief of police get a bonus of \$120 and the clerk of the police court, G. A. Henderson, a bonus of \$200.

The salary increases for the Bremen and ferry employees, to date from January 1st, last, were confirmed as adopted in committee.

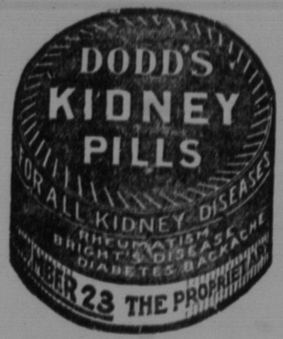
A motion by Commissioner Thornton was adopted for increases for the following: Building Inspector to get \$1,200; B. Stevens, clerk, \$1,700; clerk of the market, \$1,900; City Hall janitor, \$950; city electrician, \$1,120.

OBITUARY

Mrs. H. V. Alward. The death is announced at Tacoma, Washington, on Saturday last of Mrs. H. V. Alward after a brief illness. She deceased was a resident of this city four years ago and has many friends who will learn with regret of her death. Besides her husband, who is a native of Kings County, and who was formerly employed in the Bank of Nova Scotia, Boston, she leaves to mourn three children, two boys and one girl, also her mother and two sisters who reside in the States.

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The following contributions are thankfully acknowledged by the treasurer, H. C. Rankine. City of Fredericton, per E. H. Clarkson, \$145.50; Watch Night Service, Centenary Church, \$40.00; Maple Leaf Mission, Baptist, Presbyterian Church, Grand Falls, \$23.00; Canadian Fairbank-Morse Co., Ltd., \$50.00; Geo. Dick, \$20.00; Mrs. C. Z. Tidson, Centenary Church Choir, \$10.00 each.



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PROVINCIAL NEWS

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Fredericton

Fredericton, Jan. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Whitehead have moved to their apartments on Brunswick street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kitchen, who were married in Montreal, January 17th, and have since been on a honeymoon trip, arrived home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Edgcombe and their daughter, Miss Frederica Edgcombe, leave next week for Alabama, where they will spend some weeks.

Miss Kenneth Baird is the guest of her father, Mr. W. R. McCurdy, Halifax. While there Mrs. Baird has been the guest of honor at several social functions, given by her former college associates.

On Saturday afternoon Misses Harriette and Ethel VanWart entertained a number of their friends and college classmates at a delightful tea.

The guests included Misses Helen Richardson, Margaret Hall, Mary Smithers, Grace Grant, Louise Friel, Irma Shaw, Grace MacNutt, Miss McLeod, Miss Murray, Nell Thurott, Kate Wetmore, Stella Bruce, Madeline Manchester, Rhoda Mackinnon, Christine Tennant, Marjorie Murray, Dorothy Peeney, Rita Elliott, Neila Hawthorne, Miss Beverley, Frederica Edgcombe, Vida Cameron, Blanche Cameron, Edythe Smith, Mrs. Tweedie, George Murchie, Gladys Watkinson, Mary Adams, Grace Gibson, the Misses Douglas, Francis White, Marjorie Tracey, Helen Woodie, Katherine Jarvis, Helen Scott, Louise Scott, Flo Holder, Edythe Carter, Roberta Irvine, Little Miss Eleanor Young, admittance to the tea was given by Mrs. V. A. Harshaw, and Mrs. H. H. McNally, who served the tea. Mrs. and Miss Fenwick served the ice. Isabel Chestnut, Isabel Wiley, Jean Young, Lois Hawthorne, Edythe Jones, Kaye Gibson and Betty Morrison assisted with the serving.

On Sunday afternoon Prof. Wm. J. Smith, A.R.C.O., organist at the Cathedral gave the fourth of his series of recitals, assisted by the choir. Prof. Smith is indeed a talented organist and the appreciation of his ability was manifested by the number of people who attended the recital.

On Monday evening "Bobbin Burns" night was celebrated in the Fraser Memorial Hall, where a most excellent program of Scotch songs, dances and tableaux was carried out. The tableaux representing several of Burns' poems, "The Cotter's Saturday Night," "Highland Mary" and "John Anderson, My Joe." E. R. Blackmore dressed in kilts represented Bobbin Burns, while Miss Mary Smith, in quaint costume carried out the part of Highland Mary. Chas. Cromwell, one of the pipers of the 23rd MeLeane Highlanders gave several selections of the bagpipes and was especially good in the club swinging and hoop throwing. Little Miss Cyprian in Highland costume was greatly applauded in her "Highland Fling." Miss Stuart was well received in the "Sword Dance." Solos were given by Misses Mayne Gibson, Edna Baird, Mrs. Fletcher Peacock, Midge Kelley and Messrs D. B. Pieswelling and J. E. Taylor. Mr. Wm. Keason acted as chairman and gave the opening address in his most Scotch accent. In the several booths old-fashioned Scotch cakes and delicacies

MANY CASES OF RHEUMATISM NOW

Says We Must Keep Feet Dry, Avoid Exposure and Eat Less Meat.

Stay off the damp ground, avoid exposure, keep feet dry, eat less meat, drink lots of water and above all take a spoonful of salts occasionally to keep down uric acid.

Rheumatism is caused by poisonous toxin, called uric acid, which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoon in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is an inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which overcomes uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.

was served. A necklace, presented by one of the members of the Military Hospital, was auctioned off and from it alone the sum of \$7.00 was realized.

Cards have been received here announcing the marriage at St. Louis on January 21st of Miss Frances VanWart, of this city, and Gordon Bonnett McKay, of Sussex. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Annie A. VanWart, and until only a few months ago resided on Lansdowne avenue. She was a graduate of the University of New Brunswick, where she won the Douglas Gold Medal. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McKay, Sussex, and a member of the W. B. McKay Co., Ltd. After visiting Chicago, New York and other American cities, Mr. and Mrs. McKay will reside in Sussex.

Mrs. W. W. Boyce and Mrs. F. M. Rowe have gone to St. John to spend a few days.

On Tuesday evening the Sophomore class of the University entertained at a driving party. They drove to Springhill, where they enjoyed a programme of dancing, and refreshments were served at a late hour.

Miss Lynde, who teaches elocution on the Provincial Normal School staff, leaves on Thursday for New York, where she will take a short course in connection with her profession. During her absence Miss Styran will supply.

On Tuesday evening the Sussex Hockey team played the members of the Fredericton High School team, which was beaten by an unusually large score. After the game the members were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gagnon, George street.

Miss Grace Winlow entertained informally at the tea hour on Sunday afternoon. Miss Irene Shaw, who, with her mother, is spending some weeks in the city, the guest of her uncle, Mr. L. R. Bull, University avenue.

Miss Christine Crawford, of St. John, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Thomas.

The members of the Anawakade Chapter, I. O. O. F., were entertained delightfully at the home of Miss Sterling, Brunswick street, on Monday evening.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. C. D. Richards entertained at an afternoon tea. Little Miss Margaret Richards opened the door. Mrs. C. H. Weddall ushered the guests to the dining room.

Mrs. V. A. Harshaw poured, and Mrs. H. H. McNally acted as waitress. Mrs. Richards was assisted in serving her guests by Mrs. W. J. McLain, Miss Bertha Harvey, Miss Estella Folkins, Miss Mary Hipwell and Miss Eleanor Colter.

Andover

Andover, Jan. 25.—Mr. Charles Stevens returned home last Monday from a month's visit with friends through Maine.

Mrs. Lee Bedell visited her brother, Mr. George Ritchie and Mrs. Ritchie in Carleton Place, last week, returning on Wednesday.

Mrs. William Gausse of Upper Kent, spent part of the week with Mrs. William Curry.

Mr. Frank Howard was at Edmundston part of the week.

Miss Janet Curry is visiting Miss Mary Henderson in St. Stephen.

Mrs. Frank Howard entertained a few young friends for her son, Charles on Thursday evening. Dancing was enjoyed.

Rev. Mr. Waldron spent the week-end in Woodstock.

Mr. Herman Stewart was in Edmundston last week.

Mrs. J. Archibald Gray returned on Saturday from Montreal.

Mr. Archie Turner spent the week-end at Mr. William Paul's, Arnostook.

Mr. George Lockhart, St. John, was here during the week.

Miss Cecil Sisson entertained several girl friends very pleasantly on Saturday evening. Among those present were Misses Eva and Daisy Millen, Ruby Wark, Phoebe Wright and Lillian Beck and Miss Clark.

Mrs. LeBaron Anderson and daughters, Christina and Sarah of Four Falls, were guests of Mrs. Harry Tibbits during the week.

The afternoon bridge club were pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Frank Sandler on Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Jones of Port Fairfield, is visiting Mrs. Harry McKelary for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. P. Dickison spent a few days at Bath, last week.

Messrs. Fred Sandler and Elmer Gausse of Lorne Parish; James Watson and Joseph LeChair of Grand Falls; Houlett and Jensen of Drummond; George Brooks and James McPhail, Perth; and James Howlett and Wetmore Pickett, Andover, met in County Council last week.

Walter, who had been an invalid for a number of years, will be remembered by the older residents, having spent his boyhood at Fort Fairfield, Me.

Mr. Phillip McLeod is home from Toronto and is visiting his sister, Mrs. Herman Stewart.

Mr. W. J. Miller of Moniac, was here this week.

The weather has been extremely cold and clear so far this winter. On Monday morning the thermometer stood at 44 degrees below; the coldest yet.

Campbellton

Campbellton, Jan. 30.—Mrs. W. H. Wallace entertained at a delightful tea on Thursday afternoon last from four to six.

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. Mother! You must say "California."

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Mr. O. P. Basing and Mrs. A. Forsythe were visitors to St. John on Thursday.

Mrs. Ora Jeffries arrived on Saturday from Scotland, where she has been visiting her parents. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Jeffries and will leave shortly for her home in Vancouver.

Miss Marjorie Wetmore, Corvallis, is the guest of Miss Kathryn Murray. Mrs. James A. Murray left Monday for Vancouver, B. C., where she will spend three months.

Mr. Russell Morash arrived home from the West on Tuesday and has been the guest of his parents, Rev. A. V. and Mrs. Morash, this week.

Mrs. A. Forsythe entertained at a very pleasant tea on Saturday afternoon last. Mrs. W. H. Cox poured tea, and Mrs. O. P. King, Miss Jean Connelly, Miss Jean Gamblin and Miss Gertrude Sherwood served. The guests present were Mrs. J. D. McKenna, Mrs. Shewen, Mrs. G. M. White, Mrs. Bert Corey, Mrs. A. Bain, Mrs. King, Mrs. H. Black, Mrs. C. C. Pieswelling, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. R. Freeze, Mrs. C. P. Clarke, Mrs. Harry Clarke, Misses Florrie Gretchen Mills, Kate White, Nestie Morrison, Jean Connelly, Grace Kirk, Jean Gamblin, Marion Reid, Carrie Roach and G. Sherwood.

Mrs. J. M. Kinser left on Tuesday for an extended visit to her daughter, Mrs. Brown of Idaho, U.S.A.

Mr. F. S. Creed went to Fredericton on Tuesday to attend the annual meeting of the shareholders of J. Clark & Son. Mrs. Creed accompanied him.

Miss Kathleen Willis, Amherst, spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Marjorie Willis.

Mrs. D. J. McPherson will receive her friends Thursday afternoon, February 5th, from four to six, at the parsonage.

Mrs. Jack Ferguson was hostess at a very pleasant tea, Thursday afternoon at her residence, Pleasant Avenue. Mrs. W. Hay assisted Mrs. Ferguson in receiving. The prettily appointed tea table was presided over by Mrs. J. J. Day, while Mrs. H. H. Reid cut the loaves. Mrs. H. Black, Miss Della Daly, Mrs. Albert Black, Miss Gertrude Sherwood, Misses Helen Wallace and Frances White served, and Miss Alice Atherton attended the door.

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Serving the New Canadians

DURING the past twenty years Canada received three million new settlers of whom about one million were of foreign speech. The war interrupted immigration, but soon the march westward will begin again.

Mutual Requirements

What do we expect of these new citizens? Respect for Law and order, a measure of diligence, that they may not become a charge upon the community, and a willingness to adjust themselves to a new environment.

What do they expect of us, the native-born? Justice, sympathy and kindness. They are entitled also to the stimulating influences of great Canadian Ideals. They have a right to the Gospel of Christ, not only explained in theory, but worked out in practice by Christian men and women.

The Church Hampered

The Church has not been neglectful of these new Canadians, whether settled in the crowded cities, or on the Western plains. But the effort to reach them with the ministry of Religion has been made difficult for lack of Missionaries to undertake the work, and by inadequate financial means.

A Case of Misunderstanding

Many Church Members do not realize the magnitude of the task. Lacking complete understanding of the situation, they have not sought out spiritual leaders for these new Canadians, and have been content with former standards of giving. Even with a slowing-down of immigration, the needs have not been met. What will happen when the flood-tide rolls in again?

Look! A Study in Contrasts

In the year 1800, the United States had a population of 5,308,483. During the next twenty years, 184,000 immigrants arrived in American ports.

In 1901, Canada had a population of 5,371,315. During the next fifteen years, the immigration to this Dominion reached a total of 2,905,021.

From 1904 to 1914, Canada accepted 250,000 MORE immigrants than the United States received in the same period—despite the fact that the population of the Republic was ten times that of Canada.

Israel Zangwill and others speak of the United States as the melting-pot of the world, and marvel at the task of assimilating the new comers. WHAT WOULD THEY THINK OF THE PROBLEM IN CANADA?

Moulding the National Spirit

The great majority of immigrants now settled in the Dominion are men of good-will, with an aspiration for useful citizenship. They are helping to do the day's-work of this land for the advantage of us all. The future public opinion of Canada, the future moral stability of the nation depends upon the will and power of the Church to fulfil its trust to these New Canadians.

Motives for Activity

You are a Canadian, proud of your country, and deeply concerned for its future. You are a Christian, believing that the Gospel is the only dependable and invincible civilizing agency. You are urged to pray, to serve and to give, that the Home Missions of your Church may be properly sustained in this day of national emergency.

National Peace Thank-Offering

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MONTREAL SALES. Saturday, Jan. 31, 1920. Breweries Com-50 @ 198. Brazilian-20 @ 48 1/2. Dom Bridge-35 @ 107. Broompton-55 @ 80 1/2; 100 @ 80 1/4. McDonalds-25 @ 43 1/2; 60 @ 43 1/4; 25 @ 43 1/2. Carriage Com-5 @ 39; 50 @ 31; 25 @ 31 1/2; 100 @ 32. Cement Com-5 @ 7 1/4. B. C. Fish-50 @ 64 1/2. Glass Com-50 @ 64. Power-36 @ 88; 10 @ 87 1/2. Rotorand-100 @ 191; 35 @ 191 1/2. Shawingam-130 @ 115 1/2; 50 @ 115 1/4; 50 @ 11 1/4. Span River Com-275 @ 85; 25 @ 85 1/4; 25 @ 85 1/4; 30 @ 84 1/2; 25 @ 84. Steel Canada Com-15 @ 82; 15 @ 82 1/4; 200 @ 82 1/2; 25 @ 82 1/4; 15 @ 82 1/4. Smelters-10 @ 30. Sugar Com-150 @ 88; 25 @ 88 1/4; 50 @ 87 1/2; 50 @ 87 1/2; 200 @ 87 1/2; 180 @ 89 1/2; 25 @ 89 1/2. Steamships Com-50 @ 77 1/2. Textile-50 @ 124. Dom Iron 12 1/2 @ 81.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS. New York, Jan. 31. Open, High, Low, Close. Am Loco 100 101 98 98 1/2. Am Smelting 55 54 53 53 1/2. Anaconda 61 1/4 61 3/4 61 1/4 61 1/4. Am Telephone 99 1/2 99 3/4 99 1/2 99 1/2. Atchafalaya 42 1/2 42 3/4 42 1/2 42 1/2. American Can 55 1/2 55 3/4 55 1/2 55 1/2. Beth Steel 98 1/2 98 3/4 98 1/2 98 1/2. Bait and O Co 31 1/4 31 3/4 31 1/4 31 1/4. Ball Loco 121 1/2 121 3/4 121 1/2 121 1/2. Crucible 22 1/2 22 3/4 22 1/2 22 1/2. C. P. R. 127 1/2 127 3/4 127 1/2 127 1/2. Central Leather 92 1/2 92 3/4 92 1/2 92 1/2. General Motor 31 1/4 31 3/4 31 1/4 31 1/4. Erie Com 124 1/2 124 3/4 124 1/2 124 1/2. Mex Petrol 193 1/2 193 3/4 193 1/2 193 1/2. N. Y. and H 26 1/4 26 3/4 26 1/4 26 1/4. North Pa 77 1/2 77 3/4 77 1/2 77 1/2. Pennsylvania 42 1/2 42 3/4 42 1/2 42 1/2. Reading Com 75 1/2 75 3/4 75 1/2 75 1/2. Republic 111 1/2 111 3/4 111 1/2 111 1/2. St. Paul 37 1/2 37 3/4 37 1/2 37 1/2. Southern Pac 100 1/2 100 3/4 100 1/2 100 1/2. U. S. Steel 107 1/2 107 3/4 107 1/2 107 1/2. U. S. Steel 107 1/2 107 3/4 107 1/2 107 1/2. U. S. Steel 107 1/2 107 3/4 107 1/2 107 1/2. U. S. Steel 107 1/2 107 3/4 107 1/2 107 1/2. West Elec 54 54 1/2 54 54 1/2.

MONTREAL MARKETS. Montreal, Jan. 31.-FLOUR-NEW government standard, \$12.25 to \$12.55. ROLLED OATS-Bar 90 lbs. \$5.15 to \$5.25. MILD CURED-Brain, \$46.25; shorts, \$52.25. CHEESE-Finest easterns, 30 to 30 1/2. BUTTER-Choldest creamery, 65 to 65 1/2; seconds, 59 to 60. EGGS-Fresh, 30 to 31; selected, 32. No. 1 stock, 54; No. 2 stock, 51 to 52. POTATOES-per bag, ear lots, \$3.75 to \$4.50. DRESSED HOGS-Abattoir killed, 55 to 56. LARD-Pure, wood pairs, 20 lbs. net, 75 to 80 1/2.

N. Y. COTTON MARKET. Cotton. March 36.44 36.90 36.00. May 34.50 34.02 34.04. July 32.45 31.80 31.85. October 29.80 29.30 29.32. December 29.50 28.90 28.92.

SUBURBAN RATES. The C. P. R. have announced that there will be an increase in the suburban rates for the coming season. Although the advance is considerable it is not so high as allowed by the rail way commission. The following list will be of interest to suburbanites:

Trips. Scholars Trips. Fairville 19.00 54.00 8.50. South Bay 2.25 4.60 5.50. Acamae 2.50 4.60 5.50. Kotepec 2.75 4.60 5.50. Merns 3.00 4.60 5.50. Marton 3.25 4.60 5.50. Grand Bay 3.50 4.60 5.50. Pandene 3.75 4.60 5.50. Spworth Park 4.00 4.60 5.50. Inverleith 4.00 4.60 5.50. Ononets 4.25 4.60 5.50. Hillandale 4.50 4.60 5.50. West Beach 4.50 4.60 5.50. Lingley 4.75 4.60 5.50. Saws 5.00 4.60 5.50. Nerepis 5.75 4.60 5.50. Bladon 6.00 5.65 11.25. Eagle Rock 6.50 5.75 12.30. Bayard 6.75 6.20 12.60. Welsford 7.00 6.55 12.10.

MARKET REPORTS STOCKS, BONDS AND PRODUCE

ATLANTIC SUGAR THE ONLY ACTIVE STOCK SATURDAY. Montreal, Feb. 1.-Atlantic Sugar was the only stock to furnish better than 500 shares in Saturday's market and very little buying power met quiet liquidation which reduced the price of the stock to 87 1/2, closing at 87 3/8. Spanish River, also, lost fraction at 84 1/2, but Quebec Railway showed slightly stronger trend, closing at 29 3/4 fractionally higher. Carriage Factories on publication of annual statement opened down ten points, but gradually recovered to 36 1/2. St. Lawrence Flour sold down a further 2 1/2 points to 118 1/2; Glass and Textile sold down two points each at 150.54 and 12 respectively. Total sales: Listed, 4,741; bonds, \$129,350; unlisted, 2,445.

CUSTOMS RETURNS. The customs returns here for January show an increase of \$23,504.64 over the corresponding month in 1919. The receipts for this month were \$312,703.89, compared with \$288,889.35 in 1919.

SEED ORDERS AND SUPPLIES. (Experimental Farms Note) The new seed catalogues are coming in with their lists of novelties and staple varieties attractively advertised and one gets much enjoyment in turning over the pages of one of these catalogues and mentally picturing the fine crops one will have next summer. Often, however, the catalogue is laid aside without the order being sent, and nothing further is done until spring, when it may be too late to get what is desired. The quantity available of the best strains of vegetables and flowers is usually small, hence it is very important to order early before the stock is exhausted. There is a great difference between the best and the poorest strains. The stock of the best has been rigidly selected so that a large proportion will come true to type, whereas stock which has not been kept up by selection may have a bad mixture of types, and the resulting crop will be very unsatisfactory. This is of so much importance that, with a crop like the cauliflower, for instance, where a strain that will give a large proportion of good heads means much profit and a poor strain may mean very little. It pays the market gardener when he gets a good strain to hold over what seeds he does not use until another year as he will thus be sure of having a good strain next year. This method would not, however, serve with the onion, which loses its germinating power very rapidly, hence should be purchased every year. There is a wonderful difference in onions. Sometimes from the seed of one stock while from another most of the plants make good bulbs. If one has had good success from a certain source one year, the safest plan will be to order from the same source another year.

Sometimes novelties have not apparently been compared very carefully with the best of the older varieties before being offered for sale, and they do not prove superior, if as good. While it is interesting to test varieties, it is well not to spend much money on them until they have been tested at the Experimental Station. Another advantage of ordering early is that one can test the germinating power of a seed before spring so that there will be time to order again if the germination is poor. Often seed is ordered so late that when it is sown and the plants do not come up there is not time to order again, and one loses the crop. When there is a shortage of many kinds of supplies, as there is at present, it is very desirable to order early the material needed for next season's operations.

NEW CAUSE FOR ANNULMENT OF MARRIAGE NOW. Milan, Jan. 30.-The annulment of a marriage has been obtained here solely on the grounds that it was childless. This decision is expected to be followed by numerous applications for annulment on similar grounds, for there is no divorce in Italy. The action of the tribunal is endorsed by the Italian Press as a whole, and the Socialists have gone so far as to prepare a measure for the introduction into the Chamber proposing that marriages shall be compulsorily annulled if no children result from them.

BOND MARKET LOST ADDITIONAL GROUND SATURDAY. Clearing House Statement Shows Heavy Contraction on Loans and Discounts in First Month of Year. New York, Jan. 31.-Industrial stocks of the more representative classes gave promise of extending recent gains at the outset of today's brief session, steels and equipments again pointing the way with perceptible improvement in rails and shippings. Trading had not progressed very far however, when pressure, evidently of a professional character, manifested itself in the motor issues, soon spreading to the general list. General Motors made a reversal of ten points, ending with a net loss of 6 3/4 and Crucible steel's initial made a gain which was replaced by a decline of slightly five points. Baldwin Locomotive, leader of further advance and Republic iron seemed to be the objective of a lively short interest. United States Steel lost only a fraction, but oils and the numerous specialties that follow the course of motors closed mostly at moderate recessions. Sales amounted to 300,000 shares. The most significant feature of the clearing house statement was another decrease of \$29,224,000, in actual loans and discounts, making a total contraction of about \$127,000,000 in the first month of the new year. Actual reserves made up only a small part of last week's decrease, but left the total excess at about \$26,000,000, as against the recent deficit of almost \$2,000,000. Following its course of the preceding days of the week, the bond market lost additional ground. Liberty and foreign issues manifested further heaviness. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$8,750,000. Old United States bonds were unchanged on call during the week.

LARGE ESTATE LEFT BY WELL KNOWN MISER QUEEN SENTENCED TO TWENTY YEARS School Teachers Must Not Marry During Term. Special to The Standard. Montreal, N. B., Jan. 30.-The Probate Court today revealed that James R. Thompson of this city who lived as a miser and died recently in apparent abject poverty was worth from twenty-five to fifty thousand dollars. The estate was probated today at twenty-five thousand and it will probably net considerably more. Shortly before his death Thompson was found to be living in such squalor and in such apparent destitute circumstances that charitable persons took charge of his case, and it was then discovered that he had considerable money around the house and in the bank. A sister of deceased, Miss Louise Anna Thompson, of Boston, administered on the estate and got the whole of the property which her miser brother accumulated and would not use to provide himself with the comforts of life.

CHICAGO PRICES. Chicago, Feb. 1.-Corn-No. 2 and No. 2, mixed, not quoted; No. 4 mixed, \$1.48; No. 2 yellow, not quoted; No. 3 yellow, \$1.51 1/2. Oats-No. 2 white, 90 1/2 to 91; No. 3 white, 89 1/4 to 90 1/2. Rye-No. 2, \$1.70 1/2. Barley-\$1.35 to \$1.52. Timothy-\$10.50 to \$14.50. Clover-\$4.8 to \$5.10. Pork-Nominal, 4 and 22.65; ribs, \$19.25 to \$19.75.

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TORONTO GRAIN QUOTATIONS. Toronto, Feb. 1.-The grain quotations on the Toronto Board of Trade Saturday were as follows: Manitoba Wheat, No. 1 northern, \$2.80; No. 2, \$2.27; No. 3 northern, \$2.75, in store Port William. Manitoba Oats, No. 2 c.w., 94 1/4; No. 3 c.w., 92 1/4; No. 1 feed, 89 1/4; No. 2, 87 1/4; extra No. 1 feed, 92 1/4. Port William in store. American Corn, No. 3 yellow, \$1.87; No. 4 \$1.82; truck Toronto prompt shipment. Canadian Corn, feed nominal. Manitoba Barley, in store Port William, No. 3 c.w., \$1.83 1/2; No. 4 c.w., \$1.48 3/8; rejects, \$1.35; feed, \$1.35 7/8. Ontario Wheat, No. 1, \$2.00 to \$2.01; No. 2, \$1.97 to \$2.02 (o.b. shipping points, according to freight); No. 3, \$1.92 to \$1.98; No. 1 spring, \$2.02 to \$2.08; No. 2, \$1.99 to \$2.05; No. 3, \$1.95 to \$2.01. Ontario Oats, No. 2, \$1.00. Barley, malting, \$1.80 to \$1.82. Buckwheat, \$1.45 to \$1.48. Rye, No. 3, \$1.77 to \$1.80. Peas, \$2.00, according to freight outside. Ontario Flour, government standard, \$9.65 to \$9.85, Toronto, \$9.85, in tote bags. Manitoba Flour, government standard, \$12.25 Toronto. Millfeed, car lots, delivered Montreal, shorts, \$51 to \$52; bran, \$45; middlings, not quoted; good feed flour, per bag, \$3.60 to \$3.75. Hay, baled, truck Toronto, car lots, No. 1, \$27 to \$28 per ton; No. 2, mixed, \$25 per ton. Straw, car lots, \$15 to \$17, per ton.

MONTH'S CLEARINGS WESTERN BANKS. Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 31.-Following are the bank clearings for the month ending today for the principal cities of Western Canada: Winnipeg, \$206,903,731. Vancouver, 85,698,847. Calgary, 37,775,710. Edmonton, 24,488,025. Regina, 18,129,119. Victoria, 11,609,302. Saskatoon, 8,773,332. Westminister, 2,551,285. Port William, 3,129,439. Lethbridge, 3,338,654. Medicine Hat, 2,241,896. Winnipeg, 2,551,285. Prince Albert, 2,009,029. Brandon, 3,129,439.

Parliament With All the Comforts of Home. A Palace of Women, the cost of which is estimated at not less than \$1,000,000, is being projected by a number of leading women associated with various social and reform organizations. The day, as an international memorial to the women of the great war. This "G. H. Q. Women's" which will be a notable addition to the palaces of Westminster, is to be an architectural gem representing the finest ideas in modern design, if the women have the way. A site has been provisionally secured on the Duke of Westminster's estate facing the river and on a line with the Houses of Parliament. The plans are to be discussed in detail at a representative gathering of women workers of all kinds, to be held in London in the second week of February, when the scheme will be formally launched.

World Centre. "We want to establish a world centre for women, an open house here in the heart of London to which women from every town and every country can come in search of information bearing on every phase of women's activity," said the organising secretary to the provisional committee, to a Daily Express representative yesterday when seen at the office, 116 Victoria street.

Sealed Tenders addressed to H. E. Wardrop, Common Clerk, City Hall, will be received up to noon on Monday, February 23rd, for the following pavements: Douglas avenue asphalt concrete on a cement concrete base or bituminous macadam base. City Road, asphalt concrete pavement or granite blocks on a cement concrete base. Marsh Road, asphalt concrete pavement on the old macadam base. Prince William street, cement concrete base and granite blocks or vitrified brick pavement in track sections. Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Road Engineer, City Hall. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. G. FRED FISHER, Commissioner of Public Works, ADAM P. MACINTYRE, Comptroller. St. John, N. B., Jan. 26, 1920.

LET PROFITS STAY IN CANADA

New York Brokerage Firm Finds it Expensive to Remove Canadian Profits Home. New York, Feb. 1.-A large brokerage house with Canadian connections finds itself facing a problem of getting home the profits of last year's business. The profits amount to approximately \$150,000, and at the present rate of Canadian exchange to get this money transferred into dollars in a New York bank will cost approximately \$15,000. The firm finds that it can be brought home next year at a considerably reduced cost.

UNLISTED DEPT. TOOK LEAD ON MONTREAL EXCHANGE. Montreal, Jan. 30.-In a market which was the smallest this year on the local stock exchange, the unlisted department took the lead with sales of 8,610 shares of N. A. Pulp, which sold up to 7, a new high price since last spring. Atlantic Sugar was the most active in the listed department with dealings in 910 shares and closed at 88 1/2, a net decline of a large fraction. Penman's was a feature of the trading, selling up to a new high record at 115, a net gain of four points. Ames Holden was more active than for some days, selling up to 27 1/2, down three points. The total sales: Listed, \$909; bonds, \$808,450; unlisted, 3,715, and rights, 309.

SOUGHT ARREST OF OTHERS, AND GOT ARRESTED. Cobalt, Ont., Jan. 30.-Henry O'Brien who called in the police to assist in locating the masked men who robbed and bound him on Tuesday last, is tonight himself under arrest. He was apprehended today by Provincial Inspector A. T. Rowell and Chief of Police Bonnevile, of Cobalt, who picked him up on a charge of making liquor illegally. The officers visited O'Brien's house for the purpose of obtaining information with regard to the robbery and while there discovered a still, two barrels of mash and a bottle of what Inspector Rowell thinks is wood alcohol. O'Brien will appear before Magistrate Atkinson tomorrow morning. No arrests have been made in the robbery and assault case.

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Newport News, Va., Jan 31—The White Star liner Athena, which arrived here yesterday from Plymouth, England, had on board three hundred New Zealand war veterans en route to their native land. Twenty of the veterans are taking back with them war brides.

Among the New Zealanders was Col. T. A. H. Valentine, director-general of the New Zealand's health service.  
Schooner Requires Assistance.  
London, Jan. 31.—A wireless message received from Seaford, a watering place of England, on the English Channel, yesterday announced that the American schooner Jane Palmer had lost her anchors and was drifting rapidly and required immediate assistance.

**St. Stephen**  
St. Stephen, Jan. 20.—Oddfellow's Hall was the scene of a very delightful event on Tuesday evening of this week, when the St. Andrew's Society and friends celebrated Burns' Night in their usual happy style. During the early part of the evening a very enjoyable program was presented to the audience at the opening of which the President of the Society, Mr. D. F. Maxwell read several greetings from other societies and a poem written by a lady who requested that her name be withheld. This seemed too bad, as it was a poem to which one might be proud of having one's name appended. The stirring accompaniment of the pipes, and several Scotch songs, and Miss Betty Coleman charmed everybody with her Scotch reading. A very interesting and eloquent address on the life of Burns was given by Rev. Mr. Smith of the Union Church, Calais. Then the veteran dancer, Mr. Joseph McVay, did an intricate Scotch dance to the stirring accompaniment of the pipes, and proved beyond question that he was as young as ever. Mrs. Sears then sang "Scots Wha Hae," and to stand and join with Mrs. Sears in one verse of the National Song of the Scots. The singing of Auld Lang Syne brought the formal program to a close and the hall was immediately cleared for dancing, which continued till the "wee sma' hours." At the bridge tables the prizes were won by Mrs. F. A. Dunton and Mr. Thomas Tait. Delicious refreshments were served and it was generally conceded that the St. Andrew's Society had scored another splendid success.

Mrs. Lizzie Haycock gave a very delightful bridge party at her home on High street, Calais on Monday evening of this week.  
Miss Ina Calhoun was called to her home in St. Martin's last week by the serious illness of her mother.  
Mrs. Hardy N. Ganong was at home to her friends on Tuesday afternoon of this week, and in spite of the inclement weather this popular young bride

had a large number of callers. Mrs. Ganong who wore a charming gown of old blue georgette, was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. E. M. Ganong and Mrs. J. Russell Thomas. Mrs. M. C. Buchanan ushered the guests to the reception room and to the dining room. Mrs. Gales S. Murdoch, Mrs. Brooks, Miss Margaret Thomas and Miss Mary Henderson served in the dining room, which was daintily decorated in pink and white. Pink carnations formed the centre piece on the daintily appointed table, with attractive pink and white candy baskets at each corner. A delicious lunch was served. The reception room was very prettily decorated and the softly shaded electric lights shed a glow in the rooms that the outside weather lacked. Miss Elva Nicholson charmed all with many delightful musical selections during the afternoon.  
His Lordship Bishop Richardson was the guest of friends in town during the week.  
Rev. G. M. Young of Fredericton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stevens at their home on Prince William street, during the week.  
Capt. M. C. Buchanan and Lieut. H. N. Ganong were in Fredericton during the week to attend a G.W.V.A. conference.  
Rev. E. S. Mason of Wolfville, was the guest of friends in town during the week.  
Miss M. Orlia Maxwell was the guest of Miss Theodora Stevens at her home on Prince William street during the week.  
Mrs. A. E. Vesey has returned from a visit with friends in St. John.  
One of the most brilliant social events of the season was the party given by Mr. and Mrs. George Downe and Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Lowell at Mr. and Mrs. Lowell's home on Friday evening of last week. There were a large number of guests present from both sides of the river and many beautiful gowns were worn.  
Rev. H. S. B. Stothard of Charlottetown, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Crocker during the week.

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TENDERS addressed to the under signed at Ottawa, and endorsed on the envelope "Tender for steamer Champlain", will be received up to noon of the Ninth Day of February, 1920, for the purchase of the steamer "Champlain" now at Murray Bay, P. Q. where it may be inspected by intending tenderers.  
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Boiler, Built in 1904 by Fleming & Ferguson, Scotch Marine 16" x 11" Pressure, 120 lbs.  
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The highest or any offer not necessarily accepted.  
Newspapers copying this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for same.  
ALEXANDER JOHNSON,  
Deputy Minister of Marine,  
Department of Marine,  
Ottawa, January 29, 1920.

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We are offering for immediate shipment out of stock "Atholton" steam boilers as under. All are absolutely new, of recent construction and late designs:  
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**LATH WOOD**  
We want to buy 1,000 cords, soft wood, 4 inch to 7 inch at top end, cut into 4 or 8 foot lengths, for delivery in January, February, March, to our Westfield Mill—Wilson Box Co. Ltd., St. John.

**County Local Housing Board**  
We are prepared to receive applications for loans on houses now in course of erection or contemplated by private parties in the County of St. John. Application forms may be had by applying to P. O. Box 608, or to Thomas K. Sweeney, Secretary-Treasurer, 109 Prince William Street, City.  
**ALEX. WILSON,**  
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**Conserve Your Health**  
CANADA needs her men in field and factory.  
No one can afford to be too sick to work. Kidney trouble keeps men ailing around the house, but  
**Dr. Wilson's HERBINE BITTERS**  
will quickly relieve pain in the back, take away the burning in the bladder, restore healthy action to the kidneys, and make a tired, worn-out, pain-plagued man feel as if he had been born anew.  
Dr. Wilson's Herbines Pills are made from simple herbs and are Nature's own remedy for kidney trouble, indigestion, constipation, biliousness, headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, etc.  
The Brayley Drug Company, Limited. At most stores, 30c a bottle; Family size, five times as large, \$1.

**ANTHRACITE**  
**PEA COAL**  
For Furnaces and Ranges. Excellent quality.  
Low prices.  
**R.P. & W.F. Starr, Ltd.**  
49 Smythe St., 157 Union St.

It is the growing impression that a stronger appetite for work would result in giving some of the hungry European peoples more food with which to satisfy their hunger for bread.

THE WEATHER.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—The weather has been fair today throughout the Dominion, with a marked rise in temperature over Ontario and to a lesser extent in Quebec, and the Maritime provinces.

AROUND THE CITY

FALSE ALARM. A false alarm from box 118 gave the West End firemen a needless run Saturday morning at seven o'clock.

NO MORNING SERVICE. On account of an accident to the heating apparatus in St. James Church it was not possible to hold the morning service there. Repairs were effected before the evening service.

POPULAR PRESENTATION. F. J. Hardiman, accountant for the Telegraph, has resigned that position and accepted another. On Saturday E. W. McCready, on behalf of the staff presented Mr. Hardiman with a substantial gift.

DEPRIVED OF WATER. As a result of the bursting of a fire hydrant, the lower section of Sussex was deprived of water Saturday morning, causing much inconvenience and hardship to the householders living in the affected district. The severe cold greatly hampered the work of repairing the break.

FOURTH ANNIVERSARY. Yesterday was the fourth anniversary of the amalgamation of the Brunswick street and Leinster street Baptist churches. The Rev. F. S. Porter supplied for the occasion, and delivered forceful and eloquent sermons at both the morning and evening services, held in the Central Baptist church.

ENJOYED SKATING. The cold weather yesterday did not deter skating enthusiasts from indulging in this popular sport. The cleared area was crowded all yesterday afternoon and presented a merry scene. The presence of a number of naval uniforms gave evidence that the Canadian winter sport found favor with the sailors.

RECEIVED CHEQUE AND PEN. Thomas F. Drummond left Saturday evening for Montreal to enter upon his new duties, taking charge of the Davids stores. On Saturday afternoon he was presented with a handsome gold fountain pen by his fellow clerks at the Hunt Clothing Company, and with a substantial cheque by his employers.

INTERESTING TALK. Members of the M. E. H. Bible Class of Centenary Church were given an interesting illustrated talk on Bible History by their teacher, Mrs. John Sealy, yesterday afternoon. The address was illustrated by pictures and maps and Mrs. Sealy's beautifully worded descriptions were greatly enjoyed.

BUILDING REPORT. The report of the building inspector for the month which ended Saturday shows that 11 permits, for a total of \$17,000, were issued for January, 1919, the report was blank. In the past month the inspector issued a permit for the erection by A. S. Stern, on Stanley street, of a one-story concrete structure for use as a dairy. The cost is given as \$12,000. The floor space is 110 by 52 feet. Ten permits were issued for repairs totalling \$5,000.

SATURDAY SALES. Of five properties advertised for sale on Chubb's Corner Saturday morning by Auctioneer F. L. Potts, only two were disposed of. A property at 15 Delbri street and one at the corner of Main and Durham streets were sold through the week at private sale. Leasehold property consisting of two shops and two flats, 173 Main street brought \$3,250, and a double tenement freehold 270 Tower street, west, was sold for \$2,800. A freehold double tenement at 122-12 Duke street was withdrawn at \$4,700.

PHYSICIAN FINED. Rev. W. D. Wilson, chief inspector under the Prohibition Act, has returned from Albert County, where a physician was charged with issuing prescriptions for liquor to be used for beverage purposes and also with selling liquor illegally. He was fined \$25 on the first offence, and \$50 on the second charge.

The chief inspector says an accountant is engaged in figuring out a new schedule of prices to be charged by the vendors for liquors, and adds that wholesalers seem to be having difficulty in replenishing their stocks.

Miss E. McKay, buyer for F. W. Daniel & Company's mantle department, left Saturday evening for New York and Toronto to attend the Spring Openings.

Board of Trade meeting tonight. Address by R. D. Paterson, of Commercial Club. General business. Commercial Club members invited.

ST. JOHN IS TO HAVE STEAMSHIP SERVICE TO WEST COAST AFRICA

Elder Dempster Company Propose to Open New Service from Montreal Next Summer—Is Connected With Biggest Trade Companies on West Coast of Africa and is in Position to Make Proposed New Service a Success

St. John will have a steamship service to the West Coast of Africa next winter, according to a local shipping man. The Elder-Dempster Company propose to open a new service from Montreal to West Africa next summer, and if it proves a success will be continued from St. John in the winter months. The Elder-Dempster Company now operate a service between Canada and South Africa, which is connected to considerable trade development while they operate a big fleet of boats from England to practically all the ports on the West Coast of Africa.

In this connection it is worth noting that the Bank of Montreal has announced that it has concluded a working agreement with the Colonial Bank of London, and through it with Barclay's Bank, one of the five strongest monetary institutions in the whole world, and having wide ramifications all over Africa and South America. As a consequence of this agreement the Bank of Montreal is now advertising that it offers unexcelled facilities for the transaction of business with Africa.

The Elder-Dempster shipping company are associated with the biggest trade companies on the West Coast of Africa, and are in a position to make the proposed new service a success.

The Germans formerly did a big trade with West Africa, and since the war the United States has developed an important trade there. Any of the products this country purchases from the States are manufactured from raw

WOMEN'S HOSPITAL AID EXECUTIVE

Meeting Held in Board of Trade Rooms Saturday—Date of Annual Meeting Fixed for Feb. 26—Reports Were Received.

Accounts of two interesting cases which the Women's Aid assisted were given at an executive meeting held at the Board of Trade on Saturday morning. Mrs. E. Atherton Smith presided and the date of the annual meeting was fixed for February 26th. The denominational vice presidents were notified to have their reports ready for that date. A. C. Skelton was asked to audit the books of the society.

Reporting for the Visitors' Committee Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley told of the case of a young Italian who had been drafted into the Canadian Army. He was taken ill while in training and after eight months at the General Public Hospital had been pronounced a chronic case. His one desire was to return to his native land as he was lonely and could speak no English, but he needed clothes and money. A ship was found which is sailing from St. John this week for Genoa. The ladies got into communication with the authorities and a passport was obtained. The Red Cross and individuals provided suitable clothing was provided and the Knights of Columbus contributed \$20 toward the \$72 which is required for passage money. It is hoped that the I. O. D. E. and other societies will make up the balance so that the boy may accompany his newly found friend the captain of the ship, home to Italy.

Train Wreck Near Norton

Locomotive on Special Train of Chinese Left Rails Saturday Afternoon, Ploughed Roadbed and Badly Blocked the Traffic.

A serious wreck was narrowly averted last Saturday afternoon when a train load of coals ran into a broken rail at Norton. Happily the engine alone left the rails, and ploughed along between both the main and passing tracks in such a manner as to tear up both roadbeds and block all traffic for between seven and eight hours. As the day was a bitterly cold one, it was indeed fortunate that the wreck was not worse, but as it was a great deal of discomfort ensued. The silk train effectively held up the Halifax express which was following close behind. The passengers from that train were transferred to the Sussex train, which leaves St. John at 5.15, while the passengers from the Sussex train, bound for points above Norton, were transferred to the C. P. R. and brought to their destination by that train.

The transfer necessitated the passengers walking nearly a mile, and was accomplished with much suffering to many, as they were obliged to wade through snow, waist high in many places, and the mercury was hovering far below the zero mark. A sad feature of the incident was the case of a young man who was hurrying to the deathbed of his sister in the States. The Boston train did not wait for the delayed passengers on the Halifax train, and the young man was obliged to spend all Sunday leave till tonight.

The passengers from the Halifax train did not reach the city till 11.05 Saturday night, the local from Truro

Tablet Placed In Stone Church S.S.

Unveiling of Shield in Memory of Scholars of St. John's Church Who Gave Their Lives in the Great War—Impressive Service Yesterday Afternoon.

A tablet, the gift of the scholars of St. John's (Stone) church Sunday school, was unveiled yesterday afternoon after the usual session. The pupils, last year, gave up their annual treat and subscribed sufficient funds to contribute to missionary purposes. This tablet stands as the Memorial of the children in memory of scholars in the Sunday school who gave their lives in the Great War. A tablet will be shortly placed on the walls of the church to members of the congregation who made the supreme sacrifice.

Rev. Canon Kuhring spoke on the inspiration such men as those whose names are upon the tablet should be to all, and said that it must be realized by all that the vacant places had to be filled in church work. It is the duty of those remaining to do both their own share and the work which such noble men would have done for the service of the Master.

Miss Sadler, as a teacher who had seen these boys pass through the Sunday school, and who has been for many years a faithful teacher there, was chosen a faithful teacher there, was covered by the Union Jack. Canon Kuhring offered the dedicatory prayer reading the following names: Basil Winter, Fred C. Manning, Jack Hipwell, Stanley K. Macdonald, Robert Garnett, George Morrissey, Walter L. Gray, Herbert Barr, John Scott, Walter Hall, Gilbert Climo.

The hymn "Fight the Good Fight" was then sung, and the benediction pronounced by Canon Kuhring, closed this impressive service. A number of members of the congregation were present.

The tablet is in the form of a shield with the names inscribed on bronze maple leaves. It has been placed in the centre of the north wall.

THE MEN'S RETREAT ON SUNDAY NEXT

Masses in Morning and Evening in St. John the Baptist Church—Rev. Father Walsh of New York to Conduct Services During Week.

In St. John the Baptist Church, Broad Street, yesterday morning, the pastor, Rev. A. W. Meahan announced that the Men's Retreat would begin in that church on Sunday next. Father Meahan invited all the men of the congregation to be present at these services in order that they should receive the benediction attached to them. In all probability there will be two Masses in the morning, an evening devotion and sermon. The Rev. Father Michael Walsh of the Society of Jesus, New York City, will conduct the services throughout the entire week. Father Walsh is known to be a very popular preacher and under his direction there is no doubt that the retreat will be one of the most successful if not the most that has been held in St. John the Baptist Church.

ST. JOHN'S CROWDED HARBOR IN THE MOVIES TODAY

The Imperial will today show St. John's ice-free harbor in its very attractive state in specially-taken moving pictures. The open-air demonstration of protest in front of the offices of Dr. A. P. Barnhill, Canadian National Railways director, is also shown. This bit of local color will enhance what is already a marvellously interesting bill, featuring the Drury Lano spectacular drama "The White Heather," companion picture to "Sporting Life."

FEBRUARY SUIT SALE. Gilmour's annual clearance of odd suits and broken lines of suits begins today. The opportunity is a favorable one to buy a suit for \$20 to \$30 and save \$5 to \$10, and also the advance in price which has occurred since they were put in stock. Gilmour's, 68 King St.

Miss McIlroy, Miss Mitchell and Mrs. Beckwith of the Marr Millinery Co., Ltd., left Saturday evening for New York.

LAST ARRIVAL AT F. A. DYKEMAN'S. A shipment of most attractive Silk Mohair and Near Satin Underskirts at This is a long overdue order placed in the Old Country, when prices were on a lower level than now obtains.

The result is these skirts can now be bought at an exceptionally reasonable figure. Owing to there being a popular demand for Skirts of this nature, they will doubtless be snapped up in short order. The Near Satin comes in Rose, Purple, Paddy, Silver Grey, Alice Blue, Navy Blue and Black, according to special frills, lengths 34 to 40. Priced at only \$2.75. Silk Mohair, colors are Purple, Tan, Brown, Rose, Navy, and Black, pleated frills, all regular sizes, also in outside. Special at only \$4.95. See these in their show windows.

Kindergarten Tag Day, February 10th. Oil Stoves, P. Campbell & Co.

Change of Seat Sale. The seat sale for the Y. M. C. A. play, "Charlie's Aunt," will open at the Imperial Wednesday, at ten a.m. instead of at Nelson's book store as formerly announced.

Having Lecture, Old London and New India, by Dr. Carter, of London, England, in the German Street Institute, Monday, February 2nd, 5.15 p.m., under the auspices of the St. John High School Alumnae. Admission 50 cents. Proceeds for the Zenana Bible and Medical Mission.

Advertisement for Thermo Waterless Hot-Bottle. Features a hot bottle that stays hot for twelve hours. Includes an image of the bottle and text describing its benefits for hot water bottles, etc.

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Advertisement for Manchester Robertson Allison Limited. Other interesting items in connection with our free hemming sale of household linens and cottons. Special values in bed spreads, bedroom and bath towels, also white and grey cotton. Includes a list of various items and prices.

Advertisement for D. Magee's Sons, Limited - Saint John, N.B. The following opportunities are available until Tuesday at 6 p.m. Lists various clothing items like Women's Raccoon Coats, Near Seal Coats, and Woolen Street Coats with prices.