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DOMESTICS WANTED

- WANTED—Experienced girl for small family one flat, steam heated. Reference required. Apply J. Shane and Co. 71 Hermain street. 25-1-4
- WANTED—Housemaid. Apply MRS. McLAREN, 76 Charlotte street. 25-1-4
- WANTED—A respectable young girl for general housework. MRS. C. MASTERS, 31 Peters St. 25-1-2
- WANTED—Girl for general housework. 138 Carmarthen St. 25-1-4
- WANTED—Young woman to do light housework and to assist in nursing an elderly lady. Some experience in nursing required. Apply to MISS McGEVERN, 23 Wellington Row. 25-1-6
- WANTED—Cook and housemaid. Good wages to right person. Apply at once, 75 King street, over Macaulay Bros. 25-1-8

WANTED

- WANTED TO BUY—Highest prices paid for South African land scrip. All veterans who have received their warrants and are desirous of selling should apply at once by letter to Box 604, Star office.
- WANTED—A position, by widow with one child, aged 3. Companion of household helper. Ready Polarity 1. Address Box 602, Star Office. 1-2-6
- WANTED TO PURCHASE—Gentlemen's cast-off clothing, footwear, furs, jewelry, diamonds, musical instruments, tools, fire arms, tools, etc. Call or send postal. H. GILBERT, 24 Mill St., City. 1-1-11

BUSINESS CARDS

- NOW LANDING Scotch Hill Coal, the best Soft Coal in the city, price low. James S. McGovern, agent, 5 Mill street. Tel. 42.
- COAL—American Anthracite, Scotch Anthracite, all kinds of Soft Coal, Hard or Soft Woods. FRANCIS KERR CO., Ltd., 21 Charlotte street. Phone Main 1394.
- EYES TESTED FREE—Different repairs solicited. C. STEWART PATTERSON, 100 Prince Wm. Street, Telephone 281. All kinds of work promptly attended to. 1-1-11
- D. FITZGERALD, 25 Dock street Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired Also a full line of Men's Boots and shoes. Estimates furnished. 1-1-11
- W. V. HATFIELD, Mason, Plasterer, Builder, Stucco work in all its branches. 344 Union St. Estimates furnished. Only union man employed. Telephone 1619. 11-10-11
- R. A. WILLIAMS, CARPENTER and CONTRACTOR, office 109 Prince Wm. Street, Telephone 281. All kinds of work promptly attended to.
- J. D. McAVITT, dealer in hard and soft coals. Delivery promptly in the city. 29 Brunel street. 1-1-11
- W. M. L. WILLIAMS, successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 119 and 121 Prince Wm. St. Established 1878. Write for family list.
- F. C. WESLEY Co., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 69 Water street. St. John, N. B. Telephone 282. 25-1-12
- E. LAW, Watchmaker, 3 Coburg St. 25-1-11

TO LET

- TO LET—Two flats of new house in Britannia street. Apply D. M. LAWSON, 197 Britannia street. 27-1-11
- SHOP TO LET—Shop 545-547 Main street. Shop is to be remodelled and will be made suitable for tenant. Will be ready for occupancy on or about April 1st. Apply at 549 Main street any afternoon. 25-1-11
- TO LET—Lovers flat, No. 157, north side Paradise Row, at present in occupation of E. J. Godin. Can be fitted up to suit tenants. W. M. JARVIS, 25-1-6
- TO LET—Room for light manufacturing purposes. 34 feet square, 143 Mill street. Apply S. R. PENDELTON, 143 Mill street. 25-1-11
- TO LET—From First of May, middle flat, 200 Duke street. Rent, Saturday from 5 to 5. Apply 200 Duke St. 15-1-10
- PLATS TO LET—Apply J. W. Morrison, 50 Princess street. Phone 1813-11. 15-1-11

ROOMS AND BOARDING

- TO LET—Large front room, with board. 15 Orange street. 25-1-11
- WANTED—Warm furnished room, central locality. One dollar per week, payment in advance. Clerk, Box 604, Star Office. 25-1-3
- BOARDING—A few lady or gentlemen boarders can be accommodated. 14 West 200 St. 25-1-11
- ROOMS—Two large, well lighted, furnished rooms, with fireplace, suitable for two young men. Central locality. Prices reasonable. Board if needed. Apply Box 567, Star Office. 14-1-11
- TWO LARGE AND THREE SMALL ROOMS, with or without board. Reasonable for winter. 113 Princess street. 25-1-3
- BOARDERS WANTED—Gentlemen can be accommodated at 10 and 12 Charles Street. 24

SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

- WANTED—Girls and boys at winery and pickle factory, Portland and Camden streets. One dollar per week. Apply at D. F. Brown Paper Box Co. 7-1-11.

SITUATIONS VACANT—MALE

- TRY GRANT'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.
- MEN WANTED AT ONCE—On salary and expenses. One good man in each locality with rig or capable of handling horses, to advertise and introduce our guaranteed Royal Purple Stock and Poultry Specimens. No experience necessary. We lay out your work for you. 425 a week and expenses. Position permanent. Write W. A. JENKINS MANUFACTURING CO., London, Ontario. 6-1-11

STAR WANT ADS. BRING RESULTS

VANCOUVER LIBERALS

DISCUSS SOME PROBLEMS

Rank and File Should Have More Power—Local Issues and Dominion Politics.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 28.—Provincial leader MacDonald and other prominent Liberals, who were the guests of the Young Liberal Club at a dinner given tonight, made an appeal for a revival of generous support of the party press.

Mr. Wade, K. C., said he was aware that the rank and file of the party were not brought into touch with the executive in accordance with the spirit of Liberalism. The more the administration of party affairs was confined to a few, the more prevalent suspicion became.

The meeting furnished evidence that the cordiality in the party which allowed the affairs to be handled by a small coterie was past. The fault lay with the rank and file and not with the executive. Duncan Ross deprecated the tendency to make merely local questions issues in Dominion election. This worked inevitably against the party in power. The real issue of the Laurier policy is the development of the west.

HOW MANY MEALS HAVE YOU SAVED?

If it were not for the fact that you add to your fat every day, you would soon get back to a decent figure. Each day's activities consume some of your excess. But it is "off with the old—on with the new" with every twenty-four hours, so that the fat balance remains unchanged.

Now, people who take Marmola Prescription Tablets really get thin. But not harmlessly so, and all that as to the reason is given above. They eat and drink with undisturbed delight as formerly, and yet they lose, many of them a pound a day. The reason is Marmola causes the body to stop manufacturing useless fat; hence the body is introduced into gets thinner as a matter of course. Each day's activities allow more account for the delightful result. Check up results from this point of view and you will readily understand why Marmola Prescription Tablets cause no ill effects or writes, but on the contrary, help the stomach and the appearance. They are nature's allies, not her competitors. This commends them to all, even the timid, as safe; and since they reduce one as fast as it is desired, they are the best of all.

When you get tired trying other methods of getting thin test this one. Marmola Prescription Tablets came in a box, generally filled cases, and if your druggist can not supply you, which is unlikely, you can get one of the bottles by mail by sending the price, 75 cents, direct to Marmola Company, Detroit, Mich.

BANGOR PLANS WAR ON TUBERCULOSIS

BANGOR, Me., Jan. 28.—Bishop Codman of the Maine diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church, lectured in Bangor tonight before a large audience in memorial parlors, in the interests of the movement for the prevention of tuberculosis. The point at issue was the advisability of forming a local class in Bangor for the treatment of cases, with funds derived from the sale of Red Cross Christmas stamps.

There were no definite results from the meeting. Bishop Codman was followed by several prominent physicians, clergymen and laymen, who were apparently interested in the project. The employment of a district nurse and physician was suggested, without the formation of a regular class.

BURGULARS MADE RICH HAUL

BURSWICK, Me., Jan. 28.—The looting of the extensively furnished summer residence of E. R. Fitchler, in New York, situated on the shores of N. W. Meadows River, became known today when the caretaker E. H. Fitchler, noticed that one of the windows was open. It is believed that much expensive property was stolen but the exact amount of goods could not be ascertained.

There is no clue to the identity of the burglars.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Great Bargains In Organs

During the past month I have exchanged several good organs on piano sales. Among these are Bell, Dominion, Thomas, Doherty, and other makes.

These organs have been put in good order and are now offered at very low prices, some as low as \$15.00. Easy terms to pay, if you wish. Please call and examine them.

BELL'S PIANO STORE

75 Germain Street!

The Unpledged Man

By ELLIOTT FLOWER.

(Continued.)

These days before the convention, Kennedy drove out to see Grimm again, and Grimm was much perturbed. They had met in town a day or so before, at which time Kennedy had assumed an air of proprietorship of Grimm and his political fortunes that was not wholly pleasing. While he had made no direct attempt to exact a pledge of any sort, he had intimated rather broadly that he expected Grimm to be guided by his judgment and the effect of his words, "and I'd like to see Sparksin elected."

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"I don't owe you nothing," returned Grimm, with some heat. "That is rather ungrateful," argued Kennedy, temperately reproachful. "If you will stop to consider all that I've done for you—"

"You said you wouldn't ask for no pledge," put in Grimm. "I said I hadn't asked for any pledge," corrected Kennedy; "but I must ask for this one."

"I'm a free man, and I'm going to stay one."

"You've considered the cost?" asked Kennedy, bluntly. "Grimm did not seem to understand this, and made no reply."

"The only man who can beat you is yourself," pursued Kennedy, giving point to his previous remark by the same effect; "but you can do it. I hardly thought you'd try, though."

Grimm was beginning to comprehend, but he only turned a wondering gaze upon the tempter.

"It would be hard to explain to your neighbors," remarked Kennedy, "but it would be a big disappointment to your wife and daughter. They seem to have their hearts set on this thing."

And Kennedy's efforts to make the sure look alluring to them had been one of the things that had disturbed Grimm. His purpose was reasonably clear now.

"I've got to turn me down," said Grimm, impressively. "You've got to turn me down," retorted Kennedy. "That's the question. You've got your future in your own hands; you can be a big man or you can be a plow-horse; you can give your wife a little of the happiness of real life, or you can tie her up on the farm; you can make a lady of your daughter, or you can let her be a drudge."

"I'm right in your hands now, the consolation is only three days off, and I can give you the roll-call this minute. You have it right in your flat. Are you going to let it go? It's up to you, Adam."

"Here was Kennedy's theory put to the practical test. A man might be little tempted by the bird in the bush, but could be released the bird in the hand? Grimm seemed to find it no easy task.

"Why, Mr. Kennedy," he reasoned, "Sparksin isn't never done anything for anybody but himself, and he never will. He's just money—that's all. Why, we wouldn't be sending a man to Washington; we would be sending a pair of trousers, and it would be just as well to buy the trousers that got us to it. Everybody knows he started out to buy his way in. I don't think you're stopped to think how people will yell."

"Let 'em yell," returned Kennedy. "They'll forget it a month or two, all over. You'd better think less of Sparksin and more of yourself, Adam."

"I'm thinking," said Grimm, dubiously; "but I ain't sure I get it right. There ain't anything but anywhere, is there?"

"Not a thing," replied Kennedy. "There's no other condition of any sort. I'll give you a month's vacation in exchange for your promise to vote for Sparksin; otherwise, I'll throw it to Handsett. If you won't do that, I'll give you a trifling matter, and I've got enough delegates to hand it to whichever I choose. It's a pretty big thing to give you, Adam."

"It is," agreed Grimm, after a long pull at his pipe, "and I think I'll stick to it."

Kennedy settled back in his chair in evident relief. "Then you'll vote for Sparksin?"

"No, I won't," said Grimm. "Kennedy was jarred out of his feeling of self-satisfied contentment, so sharply and unexpectedly did this come."

"I got to go to the legislature as a free man," added Grimm. "You won't go at all," exclaimed Kennedy, angrily. "You're a fool, Adam."

"I don't reckon you better call me 'Adam' any more," cautioned Grimm. "That name's only for my friends, and I don't want it for a long time. You ain't ever dared come out for me open; you ain't dared tell me until now."

"That will do for you!" retorted Kennedy, with much heat. "You'll stick to your plow." To be thus defied in the moment of victory was enough to try any man's temper.

AMUSEMENTS.

JERE McAULIFFE PRESENTS

ANOTHER SUCCESS

IN THE FATAL COIN.

Jere McAuliffe's popularity still reigns supreme at the opera house, as a good house greeted him last night. The play was area Fatal Coin, and it proved a good one. Mr. McAuliffe was seen at his best in a good character, one well suited to his comedy. The play is in four acts, each strong. The characters were well taken and with Wm. Howard and Miss Editha in the lead a clever performance was given. All the other members of the company did well. The ladies displayed good taste in dress and looked charming.

Jere sang a lot of new parodies and well received. The vaudeville members made new hits with their change of specialties and the musical act received several calls.

Shawn Evans, will be tonight's bill, and Saturday afternoon "Shipwrecked." A good list of local amateurs was present last night and the big house has lots of fun.

ON THANKSGIVING DAY.

Two schoolboy friends are at work in a small New England bank. They are Roy Edmond and Jack Thornton. Both are the same girl. The former is upright and honest. Jack is a dissolute younger. When Roy leaves the door of his wired-in desk open, Jack sneaks in and removes bonds and money, but unknown to him his theft is seen by the janitor who is a drunkard and who keeps his secret, so he can turn it to use for himself. That night, Thanksgiving eve, at the ball Roy is favored by the girl whom both love. Jack puts the stolen bonds in Roy's coat. The theft is noted at the bank and when a search is made the bonds are found in the innocent man's coat. He escapes, however, and goes to New York, where, after almost a year of hardships, he gets the best of him.

He is found by his father, who believes him and he is taken home. The former Janitor crushed a Western mine, but before dying tells of Jack's theft. The police sends the confession to Roy's father, who is a lawyer and is ordered and on Thanksgiving day at the annual ball of the local society Roy greets his friends and his father. "I ain't all as forgotten. Jack is arrested and sent to prison. The other pictures are equally good. "The new illustrated song by Miss Earle is a breezy comedy. Out to Nurse is a pathetic drama. "Just One Sweet No. 12—Mixed from Moncton (arrives at Island Yard) 12.10.00

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RAILROADS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

IMPORTANT CHANGE

IN SERVICE

WEST OF MONTREAL

Train No. 1 Leave Montreal Dec 31st, will run to Calgary only, and after that date will run between Winnipeg and Calgary only until about March 1st.

Train No. 2 Will leave Vancouver Dec 31st, due Montreal Jan. 4th. Thereafter this Train will run between Calgary and Winnipeg only until about March 1st.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, Jan. 10th, 1909, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows:

TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN. No. 6—Mixed for Moncton (leaves Island Yard) 6.30

No. 2—Express for Halifax, Campbellton, Point du Chene, and Pictou 7.00

No. 12—Express for Pt. du Chene, Halifax and Pictou 12.40

No. 4—Mixed for Moncton 12.40

No. 8—Express for Sussex 13.15

No. 13—Suburban for Hamilton, 13.15

No. 14—Express for Quebec and Montreal, also Pt. du Chene 13.20

No. 10—Express for Moncton, the Sydney and Halifax 13.25

TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN. No. 9—From Halifax and Moncton 6.30

No. 12—Suburban Express from Hamilton 6.30

No. 7—Express from Sussex 6.40

No. 13—Express from Montreal, Quebec and Pictou 6.40

No. 5—Mixed from Moncton (arrives at Island Yard) 6.40

No. 3—Express from Pictou, Pt. du Chene and Campbellton 6.45

No. 2—Mixed from Moncton (arrives at Island Yard) 6.45

No. 1—Express from Moncton and Pictou 6.45

No. 11—Mixed from Moncton (arrives at Island Yard) 6.45

No. 10—Express from Moncton (arrives at Island Yard) 6.45

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Tenders for Indian Supplies

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for Indian Supplies" will be received at this Department up to noon on Monday, 15th February, 1909, for the supply of Indian Supplies during the fiscal year ending the 31st March, 1910, duty paid, at various posts in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Forms of tender containing full particulars may be had by applying to the undersigned or to the Indian Commissioner at Winnipeg. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. D. McLEAN, Secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

N.B.—Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority of the Department will not be paid. 25-1-6

NORTH END PEOPLE GETTING GREAT SHOWS.

The Star Theatre in North End has a fine new programme for its patrons tonight and Saturday with something extra fine for the children Saturday afternoon. One of the features being introduced at each show is the magnificent travel views in foreign countries. The new picture of this kind is A Trip to the Rural Parts of Germany During the Harvest Celebration. The other numbers are: The Cobbler Outwitted, A Texas Experience, The Puppets' Dram, and A Serious Job. Miss Von Branders is going to sing "Take Me Back To New York Town."

BRIEF DESPATCHES.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Jan. 28.—The United States cruiser "Prairie," which brought a detachment of marines yesterday from Havana, part of whom are discharged at the Brooklyn navy yard, sailed today for Boston.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 28.—Captain John H. Elliot, for over thirty years connected with the Boston fire department and one of the most notable figures in the service, died last night at his home in East Boston. He was born in W. Ware, N. H., in September 6, 1837. He stood 6 feet, 11½ inches tall.

HYANNIS, Mass., Jan. 28.—The schooner Hannah F. Carlson, which arrived here today from Stockton Springs for New York, reported considerable damage from a squall on Tuesday night, after leaving Portland She was thrown on her beam ends, and lost part of her deckload of lumber. The fore-entail was broken, the mainmast was split and the after cabin was flooded. She will repair here and proceed.

IN COMMONS

In Commons yesterday considerable time was again devoted to a discussion of the Hazen-Mayes scandals. Dr. Pugsley continuing his reply to the charges made. He scathingly denounced Hazen for the part played by him in the affair, mentioning that Hazen had not even had the manhood to deny to retract what he had said. O. S. Crockett in again rehearsing the false affidavit, referred to the late Standard as a poster printed in a job office, and of no value as a campaign paper. Dr. Pugsley replied to Crockett's speech and emphatically declared the Mayes affidavit, which is still missing, to be false in every detail.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 28.—A passenger train on the Southern R. R. bound from Evansville for Louisville, was derailed today near Point Woodville. Nobody was killed but several persons were seriously hurt.

WAS ordering specify "Doan's"

THIS ST. JOHN STAR is published by THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY, (LTD.) at St. John, New Brunswick, every afternoon (except Sunday) at \$1.00 a year.

ST. JOHN STAR. ST. JOHN, N. B., JANUARY 29, 1909.

GET THEM, AT LAST. The long anticipated but always dreaded announcement has at last been made.

Mr. Crockett seems to have been quite satisfied with what was given him in Ottawa yesterday.

WHEN FATHER CARVES THE DUCK. We all look on with anxious eyes when father carves the duck.

He braces up and grabs a fork. When'er he carves a duck, And won't allow a soul to talk.

From the dining table of duck. The platter always seems to slip.

GOING 60 MILES AN HOUR. "Last night, or rather this morning, about 12," said a man in an Olive car.

POVERTY REVEALED. These ladies and gentlemen who yesterday participated in the religious census obtained a great deal more information than they were instructed to seek.

EXEMPTING INCOMES. The treasury board has at last gone into the subject of exemption of small incomes and has passed a series of resolutions.

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DEMAND ASSURANCE OF CONGO REFORMS

U. S. Government Withhold Recognition in Meanwhile

Want Conditions of Brussels Act Enforced, Victory for Reform Movement

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 28.—The United States government is withholding recognition of the Congo Free State to Belgium, pending fuller information as to the intentions of the Belgian government.

Baron Moncheur, on November 4th last, sent Secretary Root a note informing him of the acquisition of the Congo Free State by Belgium and stating that the Belgian government would "promptly issue exequaturs to consular officers of the government which requested it."

Secretary Root sent a lengthy reply on January 11, in which he voiced five principal demands as follows:—

1.—A specific assurance from Belgium that she will respect the Brussels Act of 1890, of which the United States is a full signatory, and especially article 2, as quoted, providing for the humane treatment of the natives.

2.—The abolition of the labor law. 3.—The restoration to the natives of land formerly held by them according to native customs.

4.—The institution of the freedom of trade guaranteed by the treaty of 1891 between the United States and the Congo.

5.—An agreement to submit to arbitration economic and commercial questions which shall prove especially difficult of settlement.

Secretary Root's reply was in part as follows:—

"Among the particular clauses of the Brussels convention which seems to the United States to be especially relevant to existing conditions are articles 2, which include among the objects of the convention.

"To diminish intestinal wars between tribes by means of arbitration; to initiate them in agricultural labor; and in the practical effect of excluding the greater part of its territory of the state from the possibility of purchase and of rendering nugatory the provisions of the declaration of 1884.

"It is not to be lost sight of that the United States has a direct commercial interest in the particular territory of the Independent State of the Congo by virtue of its treaty with that state of January 21, 1891, which, besides defining specified rights of commerce and intercourse, gives to the United States as well as to its citizens, the right to the treatment of the most favored nation."

John Daniels, the corresponding secretary of the Congo Reform Association, tonight gave out a statement in which he said that the association regards the state department note to Belgium as the most important victory yet won in the Congo reform movement.

Mrs. X (away from home)—John, did you leave out anything for the cat before you started?

Mr. X (who dislikes the beast)—Yes, I left a can of condensed milk on the table with the can opener beside it.

"Any complaints, corporal?" said the colonel, making one morning a personal inspection.

"Yes, sir. That that, sir," said the corporal promptly.

The colonel put the liquid to his lips.

"Why," he said, "that's the best soup I ever tasted!"

"Yes, sir," said the corporal "and the cook wants to call it coffee."

Vaudeville Dancer—When do you go on?

Vaudeville Singer—Right after the trained cats.

V. D.—Goodness me! Why don't the manager try to vary the monotony of his acts?

"Your harp" said a polite attendant. "thanks."

"Your halo." The attendant turned away.

COMPERS OFFERS HIS POUND OF FLESH

As Good Men Have Been in Jail Before He Says

In Address to Ethical Social League He Defends the Boycott—Will Take the Consequences

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—"As good men have been in jail as any of the three of us, if they want their pound of flesh they may have it, but they'll find no yellow streaks in it."

President Samuel Compers of the American Federation of Labor told the Ethical Social League this at a meeting tonight at the East Side Parish Church's hall and the audience cheered.

Mr. Compers' subject was "Trade Unions and Social Progress," but the greater part of his speech was a defense of the boycott and a guarded arraignment of the court that recently sentenced him to a year in jail.

"I don't like to boycott. There is not a man, woman or child towards whom I have ill-will, but there are some I shall not deal with, some to whom I would rather give my trade than to others. When two people agree to do this it is a boycott. Our forefathers would not buy English tea or buy from those who bought it—talk about secondary boycotts! They tell us the boycott is a foreign invention, it's not it's revolutionary American. From Adam's time it has been a natural weapon of mankind and for a side. There is no power like a well-organized union to prevent strikes.

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"What property right has any concern in your patronage? You can transfer it or take it anywhere you please. Call that process boycott, or what you please, it is an inherent right of man and we're going to stand for that right."

"I have said and hope to repeat again and again," continued the speaker impressively, "that when it comes to a choice between obeying a court order that infringes the constitution, I have no hesitation in upholding the constitutional guarantee. Freedom of speech and of the press is a natural right of man and we will stand for it, and if some men have to bear the consequences, there are others."

BILL TO COMPEL OCEAN STEAMERS TO USE WIRELESS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 28.—Another manifestation of the interest of congress in the proposed compulsory equipment of ocean-going steamships with wireless telegraph apparatus, was evidenced today when Representative Peters of Massachusetts introduced a bill more general in its application than the first bill on the subject, introduced by Representative Burke of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Peters proposes to require the wireless telegraph on all ocean-going vessels of over 100 tons in the foreign and domestic services, plying between ports more than 100 miles distant.

The Burke bill applies only to vessels in the foreign service. A maximum penalty of \$1,000 is provided in the Peters bill.

NO GUESS WORK about it, you take no chances when you buy a bottle of CUTLAVE.

If your hands, face or lips are chapped or if you have any roughness of the skin a few applications of CUTLAVE will cure all these troubles.

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B. OLINTON BROWN, Druggist, Corner Union and Waterloo Sts.

Glasses in Time! Save worry and expense. What would you rather have, eyes that are of glass eyes? D. BOYANER, Graduate Optician, can supply you with either. Call at 35 Dock Street.

A NEW ASPIRANT FOR WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIP

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Ernest Sheffler, the German wrestler, a recent arrival, who applies to the title of world's champion heavyweight wrestler, appeared at Madison Square Garden tonight in a series of exhibition matches. He threw three men, but his style of holds did not make a striking impression on the spectators.

He threw R. H. Schwartz of this city, swinging him around with a double body hold from which he dropped him to the mat in two minutes.

Fraser Paslow, of St. Louis, went on in four minutes, forty-six seconds with a half Nelson, and a similar hold threw Dutch Miller of Hoboken in five minutes, forty seconds.

The managers of Joe Rogers and Sheffler have placed a bet for a match between the men, Geacco-Roma extra.

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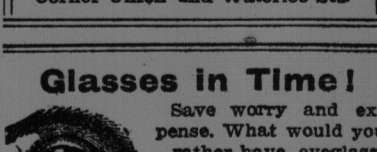
J. B. FRANCIS, Manager.

BLOW OUT IN FERNIE MINE

FERNIE, B. C., Jan. 28.—It is reported that a blow out entombed about two dozen men in the mines for ten or fifteen minutes.

General Manager Ford and General Supt. Simlar explored the mine this morning and reported that all are safe. The blow out was caused by pressure on pockets of gas enclosed in the coal.

Your guarantee against fraudulent imitations is this label:



Don't be deceived by other labels.

DEATHS

CROWLEY—At Sandy Point Road, on Thursday, 28th inst., Simon Crowley, aged 76 years.

ETCHINGHAM—John Etchingham, eldest son of the late Thomas and Bridget Etchingham, leaving four sisters to mourn.

PERKINS—At Providence, R. I., Jan. 28th, Mrs. Margaret Perkins, widow of the late J. D. Perkins, in her 84th year, formerly of Belleisle, Kings Co., N. B.

Store Open THU 7 p. m. Friday, Jan. 29th, 1909.

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THE FRENCH ARE GOOD TRAVELERS.

The French on their travels are the very reverse of the English. Imperturbably amiable, they never grumble and without the slightest effort, as a mere matter of course, make the best of everything. I have made journeys with many French friends of both sexes, young, middle aged and elderly, often in out of the way places meeting with discomforts enough. Nothing ruffles their temper. Pleased to enjoy fresh scenes with a gentle companion, they extract the utmost possible pleasure from every incident, even little annoyances being turned to good account.—Miss Behnam-Edwards in London Chronicle.

SAMPLE SALE!

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A COMPLETE LINE OF Travellers' Samples of Fancy Goods, Clocks, Toilet Cases, Gold and Silver Mounted Goods, Albums, Photo Frames, at less than wholesale price. Come today and get choice. Also, a number of pieces slightly damaged, at your own price.

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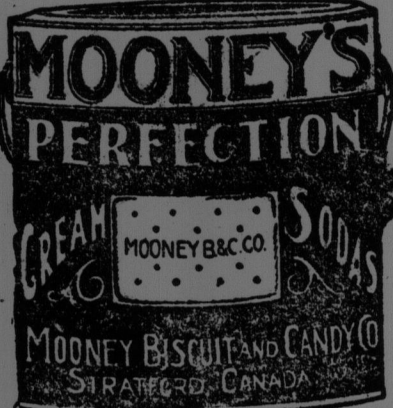
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WHEN YOU ARE IN GERMANY.

When you go to Germany, says Mr. Cecil Dorrain in The New York Tribune, you may let your body relax...

your own interests in a number of ways. For instance, if you live in a city, you are not permitted to deface your back yard or your side or front yard...

is quite true. Here is a remarkable instance of it. A German coming down the Rhine a few weeks ago confided to a fellow traveller that he was on the way to Wiesbaden for two weeks...

Search for a Polar Continent, an entertaining and discursive tale of two years in sub-arctic Alaska and Canada, though all that is told about the search is in less than half a page...

MAY ELECT TWO-THIRDS OF SENATE BY POPULAR BALLOT EVERY 8 YEARS

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 28.—In the senate today the ex-secretary of state, Hon. R. W. Scott, backed by the authority of thirty-four years as leader of the Liberal party in the upper house, both in opposition and in power, gave notice of a senate reform resolution...

That the senate and House of Commons adopt a joint address to the King praying that the British North America Act be so amended as to conform to the foregoing resolution.

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WILL DEAL WITH FOSTER'S SUIT LEVEL CROSSING AGAINST GLOBE

OTTAWA, Jan. 28.—That the government have in view a comprehensive scheme of dealing with the Foster suit was evidenced by a statement made by Hon. Mr. Graham in the house...

FOSTER'S SUIT AGAINST GLOBE

TORONTO, Jan. 28.—Geo. E. Foster's statement in regard to the Globe, published in the Globe, was filed in court today...

HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGE

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Jan. 28.—Isaac McDonald, of Chatham, a baker, thirty years old, was arrested here today by Chief Crawford...

JOY WORK

Did you ever stand on a prominent corner at an early morning hour and watch the throngs of people on their way to work?

SHE KNEW THEM.

Miss Dobby—She was bragging about how successful her dinner party was. She said it wound up with great eclat.

SEEKING THE NORTH POLE

The Latest Plan is That of Mr. Harrison, Who is an Englishman.

THE LATEST PLAN IS THAT OF MR. HARRISON

(Brooklyn Standard Union). The philosopher who remarked that there is no new thing under the sun probably did not have the north pole in mind when he uttered this new venerable fallacy.

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SEEMED A BURDEN TO CARRY. HAD STOMACH TROUBLE FOUR YEARS.

When your food has not been properly digested, your body has not received the benefit it should. The exertions of the gastric juice have been confined entirely to removing the unassimilated undigested portions of food which they cannot properly digest as speedily as possible from the body...

AN EASY PROBLEM.

Prove that 9 taken from 6 and 10 taken from 9 and 20 taken from 6 when all added together is only 6. Easy when you know how. Take IX (9) from SIX and you have 3 left; take X (10) from IX (9) and you have 1 left; take L (50) from XL (40) and you have X left, and when you add 3 and 1 and X together you have 53X, haven't you?—Pathfinder.

NO MORE DANDRUFF

To irritate the scalp, and make the hair fall out after you use Luby's Phisician Hair Renewer. It is a quick and absolute cure for Dandruff—makes the hair grow soft, lustrous and beautiful. At all druggists, 50 cents per bottle. R. J. DEVINS, Agent, Montreal.

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS, Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.

Table of stock prices including Amalg. Copper, Am. Sugar, Am. Bond, etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT, Table of commodity prices.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET, Table of cotton prices.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Cotton futures opened barely steady; March 262, April 257, May 256, June 257, August 257, Sept. 257, Oct. 257, Nov. 257, Dec. 257.

MAN FORCES BILLIARD BALL INTO HIS MOUTH, Oakland Citizen Wins His Bet and Loses Several Teeth.

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 28.—On a wager, John Robins, of Fruitvale, forced a billiard ball into his mouth at a poolroom in Melrose yesterday.

GOV. GANDA DISTRICT MAY BE AN EL DORADO, William Mackenzie to Have a Look at It Next Week.

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 28.—Wm. Mackenzie, the president of the Canadian Northern Railway, and controller of other great interests, is going to Gow Ganda on Tuesday next with a party.

Advertisement for F.A. Dykeman & Co. featuring 'Our Annual After Stock-taking Sale' and 'Social and Personal' items.

UNITED STATES POLITICS.

REJECTED BY WIDOW, HE BURNS HER BARNS AND GETS TWO YEARS, John Robert Ray, Son Orator Being Turned Down, Takes an Unsatisfactory Revenge.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—An order fixing Feb. 15th as the date for the convening in Chicago of the army retiring board has been issued by Gen. Fredk. D. Grant.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The plan to make Lincoln's centennial on February 12 a special holiday has been blocked by the diverse action of the senate and house.

COURT PUTS END TO HIS LOVE MAKING, Young Mr. Hooley Mustn't Talk to His Fair Virginia Under Penalty of Law.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—If you happened to be an athletic young man of eighteen, standing six feet one in your stockings, wouldn't it distress you to be compelled to report each Monday night to a court probation officer, to tell him you hadn't even spoken to the past week with the girl you thought more of than anything else in the world?

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Senator Teller has introduced a bill providing for the construction at a cost of \$1,750,000 of a large structural material testing machine, similar to but more length, than that at Watervliet Arsenal, and capable of giving and weighing loads of ten tons.

GARFIELD MEMORIAL, WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—As a memorial to the late President Garfield, it is proposed by the Garfield Memorial Association to erect a monument in Ocean Park, Long Branch, N. J., at which place his death occurred Sept. 19, 1881.

HOLIDAY IN MAINE, AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 28.—Under suspension of the rules in both branches of the Exchequer today the act making February 12, 1909, the 100th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, a legal holiday in Maine, was passed to be enforced.

UNCLE JOE'S SPEECH, WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—"When you come down to brass tacks, if you want to find an organization which has kept the party name and is in close touch with all that pertains to prosperity, look to the republican congressional committee," said Speaker Cannon, in responding to a question at a banquet given last night by the old timers of the house for the congressional committee.

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TO LET—From May 1st, store and stable, Haymarket Square, now occupied by G. S. Stephenson. Apply at office of Maynes and Kelly, City Road.

Advertisement for Social and Personal items, including 'China Teasets and China Cups, Saucers and Plates'.

Advertisement for O. H. Warwick Co. Ltd., 78 to 82 King St.

Mrs. F. R. Butcher, of Middleton, N. B., is visiting here, the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. G. Crosby, Germain street. Mrs. Ralph Robertson entertained her friends at a bridge at her home, Dorchester street on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Vivian Barnes is visiting friends in Montreal. Miss Hazel Hall entertained her friends at an afternoon bridge at her home Orange street on Tuesday.

At a meeting of the St. Andrew Ladies' Curling Club on Wednesday morning, Mrs. E. A. Smith and Mrs. J. W. Holly were elected skips to play the Montreal ladies. It was decided also to send two rinks to the bonspiel at Montreal, Feb. 9 to 16.

Mrs. J. W. Holly was a guest at a dinner given by Major Macdonald and the officers of the R. C. M. R. at Windsor, on Tuesday evening.

Miss Pauline Blademan went to Yarmouth on Tuesday evening to attend the funeral of her aunt, Miss William H. C. McLeod, General Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, who was in the city this week.

Miss Winifred Raymond entertained informally at bridge at her home Waterville street on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. H. B. Robinson entertained her friends very pleasantly at bridge on Tuesday afternoon.

The Winnipeg Free Press, Jan. 28, announces that Mrs. C. B. McPherson of that city, gave a bridge in honor of Mrs. L. G. Smith and Miss Jennie McLaughlin, of this city. The prizes were won by Miss Althous, Miss Emma and Miss Margaret Chipman.

Among the guests were: Mrs. Walter Trueman, Miss McLaughlin, Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. H. B. Robinson, Mrs. Brodie, Mr. and Mrs. H. Waldman, of Winnipeg, announce the engagement of their daughter Dorothy, to Mr. W. L. Chwick of Regina, Sask., formerly of St. John, N. B.

Miss Ethel Watson was hostess at a dance given at the Golf Club House on Thursday evening.

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The marriage of Miss Emma P. Tuck, daughter of Hon. W. H. and Mrs. Tuck, was celebrated in Centenary church on Tuesday afternoon. The church was beautifully and artistically decorated with palms, ferns and Scotch brocade. The bride was given away by her father, who wore a handsome gown of white duchesse satin with a rose point bertha and orange blossom corsage.

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14,235,451 CATHOLICS IN THE UNITED STATES, Figures Furnished by Dignitaries of Church for Directory.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 28.—There are 14,235,451 Roman Catholics in the United States, according to the advance sheets of the 1909 Willistat official Catholic directory, published in this city. The statistics are furnished by the archbishops and bishops of the United States after the taking of a census in all dioceses.

Adding to the 14,235,451 the number of Roman Catholics in the Philippines, Porto Rico and the Hawaiian Islands brings the grand total of Catholics under the United States flag to 22,474,446, as compared with 15,530,000 Catholic subjects under the British flag.

The Catholic population of the twenty leading dioceses in the United States is as follows: New York, 1,213,920; Chicago, 1,150,000; Boston, 850,000; Brooklyn, 700,000; New Orleans, 630,000; Philadelphia, 525,000; Pittsburgh, 425,000; St. Louis, 375,000; Hartford, 365,000; Newark, 355,000; Cleveland, 350,000; Springfield, 325,000; Detroit, 287,000; Scranton, 265,000; St. Paul, 260,000; Baltimore, 255,000; San Francisco, 250,000; Buffalo, 244,700; Milwaukee, 235,000; and Providence, 225,000.

FEARS FOR BEAUTY OF CHAMP ELYSEES, Writer Appeals to Americans to Try and Prevent Erection of Theatre.

PARIS, Jan. 28.—The Journal des Debats on Friday published, over the signature "Andre Hallays," an appeal addressed to Americans living in Paris, and the well known art critic of Les Debats begged Americans to intervene to prevent the construction of the theatre which it is proposed to build in the centre of the Champs Elysees Gardens.

M. Hallays declared that the realization of such a project would complete the destruction of the beauty of the Champs Elysees, already marred by the "abominable caravan" built in that quarter for the convenience of Americans.

It is no secret that most of the money for the enterprise has been provided by Americans. A concession for the theatre was granted in principle by the Municipal Council a few months ago, and only the plans remained to be passed and approved.

A correspondent, who made inquiries at the Hotel de Ville, gained the impression that as far as the Paris municipality is concerned, there is no form bill, but only one in a man's whole life do such things come to him.

The Sangre de Cristo land grant of Colorado, one of the oldest made by the Mexican government, has been thrown open to settlers, after having been in the possession of the Costilla family for more than a century and a half. It comprises 600,000 acres, and lies partly in New Mexico, but mostly in Colorado.

NEVER AGAIN, It was a pitiful mistake, an error and a crime. I walked for the railway train. The light was low and dim. It came at last, and from a car there stepped a dainty dame, and, looking up and down the place, she straight into me came. "Oh, Jack!" she cried, "dear old Jack!" and kissed me as she spoke, then looked again, and, frightened, cried, "Oh, what a bad mistake!" I said, "Forgive me, my dear, for I am not your Jack, and as regards the kiss you gave, I'll straighten it up for you." And since that night I've often stood upon that platform, but only once in a man's whole life do such things come to him.

BAN ON SALVATION ARMY COLLECTORS, Law Forbidding Street Solicitations Will be Strictly Enforced, Says O'Meara.

BOSTON, Jan. 28.—The Salvation Army lazes and volunteers of America Santa Claus who for years have made the streets of the city bright and picturesque by their costumes during the holiday season may not in the future solicit funds on the streets for Thanksgiving and Christmas year for the poor was made public tonight in the third annual report of Police Commissioner Stephen O'Meara. While such solicitations were confined to a few religious and benevolent organizations, it was tolerated by the police, says the report, but the custom has grown so that annually more than fifty different organizations or societies seek the privilege, and the commissioner declares that as the law strictly forbids such practice in future it will be enforced to the letter.

The Salvation Army, while accepting the decision, expressed its intention of seeking the sanction of the law before another Thanksgiving Day arrived. The annual report shows there were 64,148 arrests in Boston during the year ending November 30, 1908.

NEW BOAT HOUSE IN MEMORY OF DEAD OARSMAN, NEW HAVEN, Jan. 28.—With the twofold purpose of honoring the memory of Dwight D. Griswold, Yale, 1868, who collapsed while stroking the Yale crew in the race with Harvard, on the Thames last June, and whose death occurred recently at San Francisco, and of stimulating interest in the project for a new university boat house, the Yale junior promenade committee has proposed that the surplus this year from subscriptions to the promenade bridge be unusually large, be turned into the fund for the new boat house. It is stipulated that the money would be donated in memory of Griswold.

TO LET—From May 1st, store and stable, Haymarket Square, now occupied by G. S. Stephenson. Apply at office of Maynes and Kelly, City Road.

Advertisement for GOOD WINTER CLOTHES, Prices Reduced, At the Great January Sale of C. B. PIDGEON, Cor. Main and Bridge Streets, N. E.

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A Customer's Reasonable Wish is this Store's Pleasure.

DYKEMAN'S

OUR GREAT AFTER STOCK-TAKING SALE

Commences Tomorrow Morning. Be on hand early to secure some of the Bargains.

SEE OUR AD ON PAGE 7 FOR PARTICULARS

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO., 59 CHARLOTTE ST.

Overcoat Money--Save It!



When a reliable firm of over sixty years good standing offers real and radical reductions from the prices of its goods, THEN is the time when you should open your eyes to opportunity.

Pastime Picture Puzzles.

Full assortment--just opened. Also Contest Sets, for 4, 8, 12 or 16 players.

E. G. NELSON & CO., Cor. King and Charlotte Sts

WHITEWEAR SALE

Great Values in Corset Covers, Night Gowns, Drawers and Skirts.

Arnold's Department Store 83-85 CHARLOTTE ST.

We Handle Watches

That cannot be surpassed for perfect beauty and accurate time-keeping qualities. They are in gold and silver for ladies and gentlemen.

A. POYAS, Watchmaker and Jeweler, 10 Mill St., St. John, N. B.

HELP! HELP!!

It's a sad predicament to be in, when you need help and can't get it.

STAR WANT AD.

will find help, and that quickly for you

THE WEATHER

BOSTON, Jan. 29.--Snow in north, snow or rain in south portion and warmer tonight. Saturday rain or snow, light easterly winds, increasing and becoming westerly by Sunday.

LOCAL NEWS

The reorganization committee will meet this evening to discuss plans for further changes in the civil system.

English mails from S. S. Adriatic have left New York and will reach here at noon tomorrow.

At the end of the tournament now being held at the West End Pool Room, there will be a prize of \$5.00 given to the winner of the tournament.

The Moncton hockey ball team arrived in the city today and will play a match with the Algonquins this evening. The game, which takes place in the Algonquin room, promises to be interesting.

The Good Time Social Club will hold a private party on Thursday evening, February 4th. The chaperons will be Mrs. J. McAlary and Mrs. Mallin.

The Boston train was thirty minutes late this morning. The Atlantic express came in two sections, the first bringing passengers for the Empire was twenty minutes late, and the second section one hour and twenty minutes late.

There will be a special meeting of the harbor facilities committee this afternoon at three o'clock, to continue the consideration of the letter from the Minister of Public Works regarding the transfer of the C. P. R.'s harbor lots on the Beacon Bar and other similar matters.

Three drunks were dealt with in the usual manner by the magistrate in the police court this morning. Mrs. Mary Chane, of St. Patrick street, who was a few days ago bitten severely on the arm by a dog owned by a teamster named McGinley, appeared in court this morning and requested that the dog be destroyed.

Farmers driving to and from the city seem to have been unusually careless of the parcels lately, and numbers of packages have been reported as missing. In a couple of cases which happened yesterday the owners were more fortunate than usual. In one case a farmer living on the Marsh Road lost a box containing boots for his family, it happened to be picked up by a dog owned by a teamster named McGinley, and it is being sent back today.

PERSONAL

Mrs. John Smith, of Ottawa, arrived in the city and will remain a few weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Daniels, 101 Wright street.

SAVE A DOLLAR. The best \$4.00 trousers are made to your order for \$5.00, at C. B. Pierson's, Cor. Main and Bridge streets.

PATTERSON'S DAYLIGHT STORE

MCCALL PATTERNS 10 & 15c

SILK LINED NET WAISTS

White and Ecru, latest style. Only one each. A full line of Travellers Samples. Waists worth \$3.50, \$5.00, \$5.50 all in at ONE PRICE.

\$3.38 EACH. SEE WINDOW DISPLAY A few \$5.00 Silk Waists in lot at \$3.38 each

Corner Duke & Charlotte Sts Store Open Evenings

FUNERALS

JOHN McAVITY. The funeral of John McAvity took place from his late home, High street, this afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

ANDREW LEMON. The body of Andrew Lemon was interred in Cedar Hill cemetery this afternoon. The funeral took place at 2:30 o'clock from his late home, Millville Avenue.

WOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

LOST--On the 28th, pair of eyeglasses with case. Finder please ring up 'Phone 1100 or 120-31. 29-1-2.

WANTED--Drug clerk registered one with good experience, to take charge. Apply Box 605, Star office. 29-1-2.

WANTED TO PURCHASE--Gentlemen's cast off clothing, footwear, fur coats, ladies' furs, jewelry, diamonds, musical instruments, guns, revolvers, tools, skates, etc. Call or send postal. H. GILBERT, 21 Mill street. 29-1-2.

LOST--On Friday morning, by way of Synthe, Nelson and Water streets, horse blanket. Finder will confer favor by leaving same at J. HARRISON AND CO., Mill St. 29-1-2.

DEATHS

HENDERSON--In this city, at the residence of A. J. Myers, 65 Simonds street, Ann Henderson, widow of William Henderson, aged 98 years. Funeral from her late residence Sunday, at 2:30 p. m.

YESTERDAY'S LECTURE ON WEST INDIES

Miss Alice Fairweather Delighted a Large Audience With Descriptions of Personal Experiences

The third lecture of the free course given by the Ladies' Association of the N. H. S. was given Thursday afternoon, the subject being a visit to the West Indies by Miss Alice Fairweather, which was the personal impressions of the speaker's visit to those islands. The lecture was beautifully illustrated with views of the different islands, principal cities, the native, picturesque drives, etc.

TAGGERS WILL LAY IN WAIT FOR EVERYBODY

Planning to Visit All Offices, Ferry Boat, Depot and Street Cars as Well as Work on the Streets

The ladies of the Kindergarten Committee are thinking out all kinds of schemes for thoroughly covering the city on Tag Day. They are determined that no place where people congregate shall be missed, and are planning to have workers wherever there is a chance of tagging citizens.

MRS. ANN HENDERSON DEAD, AGED NINETY EIGHT

North End Woman Celebrated Her Birthday on Monday Last--Was a Native of Ireland.

At an early hour this morning Mrs. Ann Henderson, died at the residence of Mr. A. J. Myers, Simonds street. The deceased was born in Ireland in 1811 and came to Canada in 1852. From that date until 1873 she resided in Kings county. Her husband died. Mrs. Henderson was 98 years old in the city where she resided until she died. Mrs. Henderson was 8 years old last Monday and until Christmas, when she took ill, she was quite active.

IN THE COURTS

In the county court chambers this morning before Judge Forbes the claim of Philip Graham against the estate of David H. Anderson deceased, was investigated.

This is a claim for materials supplied and work and labor done by the claimant on property of the deceased, at the latter's request. A bill was filed against the property on which the work was done and the administrators of the estate do not dispute the claim but are applying to have the lien set aside on the ground that it was filed on the wrong property. It was brought out during the evidence this morning that the property on which the work was done belonged to Mrs. Anderson but Mr. Anderson was responsible for all repairs to it.

The matter of the estate of Nathan Drunker, a bankrupt, application was made by J. K. Kelley on behalf of N. J. Garson, a creditor, to have the matter of the contestation of the claim set down for hearing. His honor fixed Tuesday next as the day for hearing. John A. Sinclair, the inspector, who appeared in person, and Joseph J. Porter, for the assignee, opposed the application.

Almond Cream, Witch hazel and Benzoin The Best Hand and Face Lotion. Price 25c.

The Royal Pharmacy, King Street. We Have it at Last Only \$5.00

A PLATE YOU CAN EAT WITH HELD IN POSITION BY OUR NEWLY IMPROVED QUADRUPLE ATTACHMENT. People don't want artificial teeth to carry around in their pockets nor keep at home in their bureau drawer so they will know where to find them when the door bell rings, they want teeth for service.

CANADIAN ORDER FORESTERS Assessment System, Fraternal Insurance. NIGHT OF MEETINGS CITY COURTS

PURE LARD In 1lb Blocks. In 3lb Bricks. In 5lb Tins. In 20lb Pails. In 50lb Tubs.

BACON, flat and rolled, at JAS. COLLINS', 201 Union St. Opp. Opera House

Money Talks, But What You Get For Your Money Talks Most.

400 Ladies' Cloth Skirts, Worth from \$3.00 to \$3.75. Sale Price \$1.98 100 Ladies' Cloth Skirts, Worth from \$4.50 to \$5.00. Sale Price 3.25 75 Ladies' Black Skirts, Worth \$0.50 to \$7.50. Sale Price 4.48 LADIES' SUITS from \$7.00 to \$16.00 COATS from \$3.00 to \$17.00

WILCOX BROS Dock Street and Market Square.

The Unique attractions of our store are too numerous. We cordially invite you to call when convenient.

Bargains at THE 2 BARKERS, LTD., 100 Princess, 111 Brussels 443 Main and 248 King St. West.

22lbs. of the best Cane Granulated Sugar for \$1.50. 1 lb. of regular 40c. tea for 29 cts. 3 bars Barkers' Soap for 25c. Oranges from 5c. dozen, three dozen for 25c. up.

Underwear for Men

Today we are offering rare values in Men's Underwear. Examine our prices before purchasing. Men's Heavy Wool Shirts and Drawers, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.10 a garment.

S. W. McMackin, 335 Main Street, North End.

Don't Bark Your Head Off! Get the remedy that will cure that cough, Mcgregor's Cough Balsam! A few doses and the cough is well. Contains no opium or other narcotics. Safe for young. Safe for old. 25c buys a bottle here "RELIABLE" ROBB, The Prescription Druggist, 137 Charlotte Street.

Our Annual Sale of Men's New Spring Goods at Special Prices Starts Saturday, Jan. 30.

For the first week we offer genuine bargains in Men's Collars, White Shirts and Handkerchiefs. The important feature of this sale will be the special saving in collars. A very reliable brand in which the Manufacturers have exercised the most painstaking care in selection of material, making and laundering.

THE LOW TURN DOWN COLLAR. THE DOUBLE COLLAR STYLE in four heights, 1 3-4 to 2 1-2 inches. THE STRAIGHT STANDING COLLAR in two heights, 2 1-4 and 2 1-2 in. THE STRAIGHT LAP-OVER BAND COLLAR in 2 1-2 inch only. THE STANDING TURN POINT COLLAR, 2 1-2 in. only. The Sizes range from 12 to 18. Sale Price, 6 for 60c.

SPECIAL PRICES ON SHIRTS AND CUFFS White Unlaundered Shirts, Sale Price, each 30c. and 75c. White Laundered Shirts, open back, Sale price, each 60c. Coat Model White Shirts. Our Special, Sale price, each 75c. Full Dress Shirts, several styles, greatly reduced. Sale price, each 75c. Link Cuffs, Reversible Style, a pair, 15c.

SPECIAL HANDKERCHIEF PRICES Handkerchiefs, pure Irish Linen, 1-2 inch hemstitched, six in fancy box, \$1.00 White Handkerchiefs corded, pure linen, 1-2 inch hemstitched, 3 for 50c. Linen Handkerchiefs, colored borders, hemstitched, 3 for 50c. Extra quality, each 25c. Hdks. silk and linen mixture, each 25c. Hdks. all silk, fancy bordered, each 35c.

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