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**FOR SALE AT ALL GROCERS.****W. D. STROUD & SONS,****MONTREAL, QUE.****SCHOONER HAD HARD STRUGGLE****The Helen Montague Badly Battered in Saturday and Sunday's Gale**

The Boston three-masted schooner Helen Montague, Captain Ingalls, was towed into this port by the tug William H. Murray at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and was docked at the Corporation pier, after a fearful time in the big gale. The schooner is a sight to behold, being covered with ice from stem to stern, and her deck had shifted.

Captain Ingalls tells the following story: "We left Halifax on Jan. 25 with a cargo of lumber bound to New York. We passed off Seal Island last Saturday after noon, and soon after it commenced to blow from the northeast, shifting to northwest. Before night it was blowing a gale with snow."

"We had to take all sail off the vessel, the heavy seas washed clean over her, breaking the stanchions which held the deckload and part of the deckload was carried away, and as the seas were tossed about the deck by the seas it made dangerous work for the crew. The boat was also carried away from the davits and was lost. It was lucky we had plenty of sea room off Seal Island, otherwise we could never have lived to tell this story."

"On Sunday the weather turned bitterly cold and the sea was running high. The vessel began to make ice with each wave as it swept over the schooner. The loose deckload also broke the water cask and the seven men of the crew were without water. Being off the mouth of the Bay Fundy on Monday when it was still bitterly cold I decided that St. John harbor would be the safest to make. We arrived off Partridge Island yesterday and signalled for a tug."

"It was the worst storm I ever experienced," said Captain Ingalls, "and the crew worked like Trojans to save themselves and the vessel. None of the crew were frost bitten. All felt pleased at arriving here in safety. I have seen some heavy storms but that one was something awful."

The vessel is now at the Corporation pier where her deckload will be straightened out and a new supply of water taken on board, after which she will sail for her port of destination, New York.

**PORTLAND LODGE DINNER**

The ninth annual dinner of Portland Lodge, Sons of England, was held last night in White's restaurant and proved to be a very pleasant function. An event of more than usual interest during the evening was the presentation of a jewel to past president H. Vanwart by the members of the lodge in recognition of his services in behalf of the lodge. The presentation was made by Edward Britain in a pleasing speech to which Mr. Vanwart made a suitable reply.

Nearly 100 members of the lodge and their wives sat down to the tables. H. H. Crabbe, the president, occupied the chair and delivered a brief address of welcome. The toast list included: The city of St. John, responded to by Mayor Sears; the Dominion of Canada, responded to by Robert Maxwell, M. P.; and Ald. Bullock; Army and Navy, Major J. B. M. Baxter; Grand Lodge, L. A. Belva, district deputy; Sister Lodges, Geo. Lewis, and Mrs. Ingfield, of Toronto; Lodge Portland, H. C. Green, H. Vanwart; The Ladies, Mrs. H. H. Crabbe.

An excellent programme of musical and literary numbers was given. The following were the soloists: Edward Britain, Harry Lowe, Frank Howard, E. P. Maynard, Robert Primmer and E. Milton. Dr. Stewart Skinner made a brief speech and Walter Spencer and St. Clair McKelvey gave recitations.

**THE BLUFF WOULDN'T GO****The Local Government Abandons Party Lines in Northumberland**

Chatham, Feb. 4.—The Liberal executive committee held a meeting here Monday evening in the office of W. S. Loggie, M. P., and it is understood almost unanimously opposed the idea of running the local government election on dominion lines. A considerable proportion of those present are said to have expressed their intention of supporting the opposition ticket.

As a result no call for a meeting will be sent out by the Liberal executive but notices signed by R. Murray, M. P., for a local government convention to be held next Friday evening have been issued. Great difficulty is being experienced in obtaining a government ticket, and many of the best Liberals in the county will support the opposition.

The advance sale of seats for P. C. Short's banjo recital at the Opera House Monday, Feb. 10, will open at the Opera House box office Friday afternoon, Feb. 7.

**N. Y. STOCK MARKET**Wednesday, Feb. 5.  
New York Stock Quotations. Chicago Market. Reported by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.

| Yesterday's Closing                           | Today's Opening | Noon    |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------|---------|
| Amalgamated Copper                            | 112 1/2         | 112 1/2 |
| Am Sugar Refs.                                | 11 1/2          | 11 1/2  |
| Am Smelt & Rfg.                               | 10 1/2          | 10 1/2  |
| Am Car Foundry                                | 28 1/2          | 28 1/2  |
| Atchafalpa                                    | 72 1/2          | 72 1/2  |
| Am Locomotive                                 | 77 1/2          | 77 1/2  |
| Brook Rfd Trst.                               | 46 1/2          | 46 1/2  |
| Balt & Ohio                                   | 83 1/2          | 83 1/2  |
| Canadian Pacific                              | 120 1/2         | 120 1/2 |
| Great Northern Pfd.                           | 120 1/2         | 120 1/2 |
| Mexican Central                               | 12 1/2          | 12 1/2  |
| Missouri Pacific                              | 42 1/2          | 42 1/2  |
| N Y Central                                   | 96 1/2          | 96 1/2  |
| Pennsylvania                                  | 113 1/2         | 113 1/2 |
| Railroad                                      | 12 1/2          | 12 1/2  |
| St. Paul                                      | 112 1/2         | 112 1/2 |
| Southern Pacific                              | 72 1/2          | 72 1/2  |
| Northern Pacific                              | 124 1/2         | 124 1/2 |
| National Lead                                 | 38 1/2          | 38 1/2  |
| Union Pacific                                 | 121 1/2         | 121 1/2 |
| U S Steel                                     | 28 1/2          | 28 1/2  |
| U S Steel Pfd.                                | 92 1/2          | 92 1/2  |
| Total sales in N. Y. yesterday 304,700 shares |                 |         |

**CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.**

|            |        |        |
|------------|--------|--------|
| May Corn   | 61 1/2 | 61 1/2 |
| May Wheat  | 97 1/2 | 97 1/2 |
| May Oats   | 53 1/2 | 53 1/2 |
| May Pork   | 12 1/2 | 12 1/2 |
| July Corn  | 59 1/2 | 59 1/2 |
| July Wheat | 94 1/2 | 94 1/2 |
| July Oats  | 45 1/2 | 45 1/2 |

**MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.**

|                       |         |         |
|-----------------------|---------|---------|
| Dom Iron & Steel      | 154 1/2 | 154 1/2 |
| Dom I & S Pfd.        | 51 1/2  | 51 1/2  |
| Nova Scotia Steel     | 51 1/2  | 51 1/2  |
| C. P. R.              | 120 1/2 | 120 1/2 |
| Montreal Power        | 87 1/2  | 87 1/2  |
| Toronto St. Ry.       | 89 1/2  | 89 1/2  |
| Mexican Light & Power | 54 1/2  | 54 1/2  |

**NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.**

|               |        |        |
|---------------|--------|--------|
| March Cotton  | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 |
| May Cotton    | 10 1/2 | 10 1/2 |
| July Cotton   | 10 1/2 | 10 1/2 |
| August Cotton | 10 1/2 | 10 1/2 |

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Missouri Pacific, fourth week January, decrease \$78,000; month decrease, \$424,000; from July 1st, decrease \$40,705.

Texas Pacific, fourth week January, decrease \$75,017; month decrease, \$318,531.

Baldwin Locomotive works have laid off 10,000 men and reports almost complete absence of new orders.

Profit sharing stock offered to United States Steel employees largely over-subscribed.

Strong demand for stocks in loan crowd on account of closing of the books.

Returns of stock transfer for January, smallest of any month since July 1905.

It has been established to the satisfaction of most of the persons interested in the matter that recent weakness of Rock Island issues was largely if not wholly due to liquidation of collateral pledged last October by certain capitalists who needed help. They were unable to take up the loan on its recently falling due and the bankers who had afforded the relief at a critical time felt justified in selling the securities. This confirms the assertions made at every authoritative source while weakness of Rock Island securities was making Wall Street feel uneasy that there was absolutely nothing in financial affairs of the company or companies toward another decline. It's further believed that liquidation has been completed.

Detroit: At annual meeting of Detroit United, Charles M. Swift, of Detroit, and J. M. Wilson of Montreal were elected directors, succeeding Messrs. Holt and Watson, other directors were re-elected. The officials are the same as heretofore, except E. W. Moore, has been made second vice-president and F. W. Brooks general manager.

Ex dividend today U. S. preferred 1.34 per cent, Pressed Steel Car Preferred 1.34 per cent. Admitted to quotation in unlisted department Guaranty Trust Company certificate of deposit for American Steel Foundries preferred and common stocks as follows: Preferred stock \$6,089,000; common \$4,149,400.

Liverpool 2—Futures quiet at 1 to 3 net advance.

London:—Americans were steady and quiet, mostly rare above parity. General market was somewhat heavy. Rio Tinto showed a little strength, but copper stocks were dull and neglected as a rule. Money easy in spite of the moderate continental demand for gold.

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Consols are 1-16 lower at 87 3/8 for money and 87 1/8 for account. Americans steady, rather above parity.

London, 12.30 p. m.—C. P. R. 151.

Money on call 3 to 3 1/2 per cent, discount, short bills 3 5/8; for 3 months' bills 3 1/2 to 3 3/4 per cent.

London, 2 p. m.—Exchange 486.60. Anaconda 32 3/4; Amalgamated Copper 51 1/2; Atchafalpa 72 1/2; Baltimore and Ohio 33 3/4; Chesapeake and Ohio 29 1/2; Gr. Western 4 7/8; C. P. R. 151 1/4; Erie 15 3/8; Union Pacific 121 1/2; U. S. Steel 28 1/2; U. S. Steel, preferred, 93 5/8.

Laidlaw &amp; Co.'s Letter.

New York, Feb. 5.—But one significant fact could be deduced from yesterday's stock market, and that was that there was very little stock pressing for sale at anything like the current level of prices. The market continued to act as if all factors, favorable and unfavorable, the situation at large had been discounted, and it will take new developments to seriously affect prices either way. Railway earnings for the immediate future will likely be a good barometer of what will happen in the market as these are pretty reliable indications of the business situation at large. Meantime a narrow professional market seems in prospect for the immediate future.

Laidlaw &amp; Co.

New York, Feb. 5, 1908.

**LATE SHIP NEWS**

Arrived at day

Stmr Bengore Head, 1619, Flavia from Belfast via Ardrossan. Wm. Thomson &amp; Co. ballast.

**BATTLE LINE MOVEMENTS.**

Steamer Plate, Captain Smith sailed from New York February 4.

Steamer Mantinea, Captain Wright arrived at St. Lucia from Newport News yesterday.

Steamer Leucis, Captain Grady, arrived at Oram yesterday from New York.

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**K. OF P. CARNIVAL**

The largest crowd in years was on the ice in the Victoria Rink last evening when the Knights of Pythias, Boston '08 Club held the first carnival of the season. About 1,000 persons were there and the carnival in respect of beautiful and original costumes and interest displayed was above the average. The judges had a hard task in choosing among so many. This list was as follows: Cleveland Harding, most handsome gentleman; Miss Marion LeLachur, handsomest lady; Herbert Warren, most original gentleman; Mrs. Robert Ross, of Sussex, most original lady; members of Clipper A. C., best combination; L. E. Driscoll and Frank Connors, special prize.

Mr. Harding represented the unfortunate Charles I and his gorgeous costume at once caught the eye of the judges. Miss LeLachur, as the Goddess of Arts wore a chaste costume of white and purple and looked very pretty. Herbert Warren represented a prosperous westerner, while Mrs. Ross was "Jones Pale Ale." The St. John waterworks combination team carried a pipe, superintendent and the water shortage. Messrs. Driscoll and Connors were dressed as young ladies and looked quite charming.

The judges were Mayor and Mrs. Sears, Ald. Bullock, Ald. McGoldrick, Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Reilly and James H. Pullen.

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**If We Could Look at the Heart of a Pale-Faced Person!**

Few people ever stop to consider what the first place it indicates an absence from the blood of the rich, red, life-giving elements so requisite to health, and in the second place it indicates a weakened heart action. These two things act and react. If we could look at the heart of one of these pale-faced people, we would see it flabby, weak and palid. No wonder they are easily tired, get out of breath quickly, have palpitation, are nervous and downhearted. Their muscles are poor, their stomach disordered, and their lives are seldom free from misery.

Let them take Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills; there is no remedy to equal them for making pale faces rosy, weak hearts and shaky nerves strong, flabby muscles firm, and infusing new hope and ambition into life.

Mr. W. J. Churchill, Lombardy, Ont., writes: "I was troubled for three years with a weak heart and nervousness. I could not sleep and ever so little food would distress me. I also had faint and dizzy spells, and doctored with three doctors but was given worse. After taking three boxes of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills I feel as well as ever I did. They are the best pills on earth."

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**MORE LIBERAL FABRICATIONS**

PETERSVILLE, Queens County, Feb. 3.—The electors of this parish are at a loss to know how "Councillor John Petty," mentioned by the Sun as taking such a long and laborious walk in order to be present at the liberal convention held at Gagetown on January 29th, has got to be councillor. He must be one of those machine made things that the Sun takes about. There is a gross mistake in saying he is a councillor. He is one of those machines who has helped the government to ruin the roads of the province, that is, the capacity in which he acts. It is very evident that the government are trying to make a big thing out of nothing, so as to flatter themselves, and Mr. Petty and keep up their courage. They are stuck far out in a bad mire and know not what sort of corduroy to build in order to get ashore, since the Central Railway has failed. They are most evidently afraid to face their responsibility, as was Mr. Robinson, afraid to face Mr. Fleming in an open debate on the financial condition of this province. Mr. Robinson is a coward when it comes to battle, he does all right when away back in the rear surrounded by his party grafters, to make loud talk, but the closer he is pressed to the van the quieter he gets and tries to wave the enemy off by frivolous excuses. He is not like Mr. Hazen, who when the fight gets warm, stands boldly at the front and never strikes his colors. Is he not the stamp of premier this province will be proud of? The county of Queens will be equally as proud, after March 3rd, of its most worthy representatives Woods and Slipp, who are consistently strong in this county, and who will carry it with a sweeping majority in spite of any trap which the government may devise. The people have so often been caught by the traps that they are too sore to be induced to get nipped again. Many of the faithful supporters of liberalism in the past have grown ashamed of the fallacy and have come over to the opposition ranks. They are now holding up both hands with confidence that they are helping to bring about good clean and honest government. There are, of course, a few who are pet who are sharing the turkey, that refuse to budge, but are speechless. Yours truly,

ASKHIM.

**MR. EWART HERE FRIDAY**

The Canadian Club luncheon, at which J. S. Ewart of Ottawa will be the speaker, has been postponed from this evening until Friday evening, as Mr. Ewart was unable to reach here today.

Mr. Ewart is a distinguished jurist and author. Three of his literary productions, The Future of Canada, A Perplexed Imperialist, and The Canadian Flag, have just been issued in a book. Mr. Ewart formerly practiced law in Toronto, in the firm of which Sir Oliver Mowat was the head. Later he went to Winnipeg, and took an active part in the legal affairs of Manitoba. While in Toronto he lectured in Osgoode Hall, and has since he came from Winnipeg to Ottawa. Besides having written a book on the Manitoba school question, he is widely known as the author of a work on estoppel. This has become a law text-book. His many contributions to the Law Quarterly, the leading law magazine in the English speaking world, edited by Sir Frederick Pollock, have not only made Mr. Ewart, but also Canada and Canadian jurisprudence very widely known throughout Great Britain and the empire. These articles evince great learning.

C. B. U. IN THE FIGHT. Both political parties have been supplied with trained stenographers for the public Typewriting Bureau of the Currie Business University, in connection with the present campaign.

Teamsters, longshoremen and all working out of doors can profit by purchasing overshoes and felt boots at cost during Francis &amp; Vaughan's clearance sale.

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**OBITUARY****Mrs. Margaret Mayall**

The death of Mrs. Margaret Mayall, wife of Charles W. Mayall, proprietor of the Coronation House, Loch Lomond road, took place yesterday after a brief illness of paralysis. She was 60 years of age and a daughter of the late James Seymour, of Hardingsville. Besides her husband she leaves one son, A. W. Mayall, of Cambridge, and four daughters, Fannie, wife of E. W. Chase, 77 Celebration street; Edith, wife of W. W. Mitchell, London, and Misses Margaret and Frances, at home. Many will be grieved to hear of her death. The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, coaches leaving John Glynn's stable, Dorchester street, at 12.30 o'clock.

**John Lee**

John Lee, last surviving son of the late Hon. Thomas C. Lee, a member of the legislative council of this province, died suddenly Monday at Clifton, where he had lived for a number of years. He attended the funeral of Dr. Flewelling on Monday afternoon but, during the service, he was taken suddenly ill and expired almost immediately. He was about 78 years of age and was born at Springhill, N. S.

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York county. His mother was a daughter of the late Attorney General Peters. Mr. Lee lived in St. John many years ago and was in the employ of Thorne &amp; Lee, and from here removed to Kingscliff. He took an active interest in church work and was warden in the parish church. He married a daughter of the late Robert Wetmore, of Gagetown. She died some years ago and their family is scattered. One daughter, Miss Minnie Lee, lived at home with her father. A sister is Mrs. Scovil, widow of W. E. Scovil, of Kingston, now living in Rothesay.

**EXPORTS**

For Manchester per stmr Manchester Mariner.

Canadian Goods: 121 bales rags, 5 pkgs sweets, 10 bbls pickets, 261 bales leather, 7 cases jewellers' cases, 8 pkgs effects, 1 case cottons, \$11,455 ft. spruce deals, 84,302 bushels wheat, 296 bbls apples, 250 crates washboards, 1060 cases apples, 206 cases chair stock, 1 box honey, 310 bags ore, Value, \$19,022.

Foreign Goods: 4749 pkgs lard, 233 pkgs mutton, 10 bbls hard oil, 1000 cases malle, 455 boxes grape nuts. Value \$58,010.

Total value of cargo \$187,041.

For Liverpool per steamer Grampian:

Canadian Goods: 333 sacks handles, 10 cases poultry, 1255 boxes cheese, 855 bbls, 965 cases apples, 802 cases pears, 73,441 bushels wheat, 61 packages machinery, 140 tons birch timber 148 pc. whitewood lumber, 57,719 feet spruce deals, etc. Value \$124,421.

Foreign Goods: 2631 pkgs meats, Value \$86,246.

Total value of cargo, \$220,700.

**PRINCE'S BEACH LIMERICK****FOR FEBRUARY, 1908**A maiden who lived in the Soo  
On a new kind of gum tried to chew,  
But of lockjaw she died,  
And the Coroner cried**POSSIBLE RHYMES FOR THE ABOVE LIMERICK:**

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