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Consult your doctor. If he says, "Take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for your cough," then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. He knows. Leave it with him. We are willing. Physicians have been our friends for 60 years.

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The Daily Gleaner

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1901.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

There is not much in the message of President Roosevelt to comfort those people who believe that we are on the eve of a reciprocity treaty with the United States. It is evident that President Roosevelt is thinking altogether of the interests of the United States in this matter and not at all of the interests of countries like Canada, which might enter into reciprocity negotiations with the United States. The whole policy of the United States in regard to tariff matters has been one of undisguised selfishness and for the purpose of giving their own people every possible advantage. If our reciprocity treaty was abrogated, could have seen far enough into the future they would have spared themselves the trouble of seeking the unattainable in respect to reciprocity. There never was the slightest chance of a reciprocity treaty like that of 1854 being conceded to us by the United States. That treaty covered natural products and raw materials exclusively. Under its operation our lumber, fish, lime, building stones, grain and other articles of a similar character went into the United States free of duty. The people of Canada are quite ready to conclude another treaty of the same kind tomorrow with the United States, but we know by past experience that no such treaty will ever be conceded. What our friends across the border want in the way of reciprocity is a treaty that will cover manufactured goods, and that is the kind of treaty that they will not get from Canada. It would be worse than folly to make such an arrangement as that, which would expose our manufacturers to the competition of vast combinations of capital organized into trusts, who would make a slaughter market of this country for the purpose of controlling its trade. No such reciprocity treaty as that is wanted. Mr. Charlton who was in Detroit the other day made a very pertinent address on this subject to a number of business men of that city. He told them that under the operation of the United States tariff the exports of Canadian goods to that country had shrunk to one half their former dimensions, while the imports of American goods to Canada had doubled. He suggests that the next move on the part of Canada might be to apply the American rates of duty to American goods coming into the Dominion, and he told them that with such a tariff in Canada American imports into this country would become as small as Canadian exports to the United States. It looks as if there might be something like this in the air. Possibly Mr. Charlton has been merely giving expression to what may become the serious policy of the government of Canada before very long. Certainly if Canada carried out the suggestion it would bring American business men to a realizing sense of the injustice of their present tariff.

THE ABDUCTED MISSIONARIES.

The gravest fears have for some time been entertained as to the fate of the abducted missionaries, Miss Stone and Mme. Tsilka. The religious world, and it may be said the civilized world, has since their abduction been alternating between hope and fear till within the last month when all reasonable grounds for hope seem to have been abandoned. From the most recent reports we are almost bound to conclude that even our worst fears have been verified. A correspondent in Constantinople in his despatches of yesterday to the Vienna press, states that the bodies of Miss Stone and Mme. Tsilka have been found in Bulgaria about 20 miles from Sofia, and an official report from Salonica would seem to confirm the statement that the prisoners are dead. Rev. Dr. Caskell, representative of the American Board of foreign missions at Sanskov, Bulgaria, sends a despatch from Sofia to the Boston World concerning these rumors, in which he says: "We hope that the dreadful news is untrue, but there is reason to make us fear otherwise." He further states his belief in their death, from the fact that the brigands are determined to insist upon the payment of the ransom money before the captives are surrendered. Their death also accounts for the brigands' absolute refusal to give a safe-conduct to any representative to see the captives alive before paying over the ransom. Again the brigands professed that the ransom was too small and broke off the negotiations for the surrender of the captives. This was, undoubtedly, a mere pretext. Though the ransom money did not amount to the sum demanded the brigands would have been glad to accept the sum offered provided they had been in a position to surrender the captives alive. This view is also supported from the fact that they stated that they would not give the prisoners up till spring, though it was clearly their interest to close the matter as quickly as possible. Dr. Caskell further adds that the mission has some confirmation of the grave news and has concluded to engage a band of men to learn, if possible, the facts. From this presentation of the case it would appear that if we have any hope it is hope against hope.

The only comfort to those who take an interest in humanity is the telegram of yesterday from Sofia to the London Telegraph: "No credit is given here to the rumor that the captives have been murdered by their abductors." Let us hope then that there are good grounds for discrediting the rumors and let us thereby interpose a little ease to our frail thought even though we may be dallying with false surmise.

PROVINCIAL NEWS.

All of the immigrants who landed in St. John, have gone to their destination, except forty. Twenty-six of these are suffering with measles. The Lake Superior of the Elder-Douglas line will, probably, sail for Liverpool Friday or Saturday. She will take away 24,000 bushels of grain, a lot of pulp, 30 carloads of meats, some western deer and 270 head of cattle and 1,000 sheep.—Sun.

All the western trains were late yesterday on account of the terrific snow storm.

The largest schooner in the world is now being built in Boston Harbor, and is remarkable chiefly because she will have seven masts, two more than the largest ships, and one more than has ever appeared from the deck of a fore-and-aft.

The home of James Boyle, milkman, at Red Head, some four miles from St. John, was burned to the ground on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. J. D. Hazen, M. P. P., owned the house and had it insured for \$500. Mr. Boyle lost all his household effects, also \$800 in cash. The barns and stock were saved.

There were 132 deaths in Moncton during the past year, larger than any year in the history of the district.

Charles L. Doherty, of Fairville, died yesterday at the age of 48, leaving a widow and one son.

LORD STRATHCONA.

His illness was caused by a Fall Previous to Sailing to Britain.

New York, Dec. 5.—According to the London correspondent of the Tribune, Lord Strathcona's condition does not at present give cause for any alarm, but he is still confined to his bed, as the result of an injury to his head caused by a nasty fall just before sailing from Canada a fortnight ago. He will not be allowed to take part in the reception to the Princess and Princess of Wales at the Guildhall to-day, or to preside at a lecture on French Canadians at the Colonial Institute on Tuesday.

THE AD. MAN.

Advertising is a business matter—not a frivolity. Make it your most respectable representative. Economy in advertising does not relate to the amount of money expended. It relates rather to how the money is expended.

It is an incontrovertible fact that almost without exception the advertisements of merit are the work of the leading advertising agents. For proof look at any magazine or daily newspaper. It is not strange that it should be so because that is their business.

Wedding at St. John.

Mr. Walter Golding, of the Globe writing staff, was last evening married to Miss Lillian J. Wheelpley, at the residence of the bride's father, G. H. Wheelpley, 78 Metcalf street, by Rev. J. C. B. Appel. The bride was daintily gowned in grey with cream passementerie trimming and carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums, and was accompanied by Miss Olive Golding, sister of the groom, who was supported by Harold H. Golding. Mr. and Mrs. Golding will reside for the present at 78 Metcalf street. Mr. Golding has many friends in this city who wish him continued happiness.

Two More Cases of Smallpox.

Two new cases of smallpox, two suspects and one death were reported to the Board of Health at St. John yesterday. Including the three suspects of Tuesday, five new cases have been reported within the last two days and two suspects. The infant child of Henry Blair, Brindly street, died yesterday. The new epidemic hospital will be ready by the last of the week. The other patients are all doing well.

Your Winter Jacket.

If you have not secured your winter cloth jacket yet they are offering some rare bargains in certain lines to clear at Edgecombe's. Do not tell anyone, but get there early yourself.

See Anderson & Walker's adv. on page 1. Look in their up-town window and see prices on suits to order. \$11 to \$17.—A.

George W. Childs was an errand boy for a bookseller at \$4 a month.

If it is asthma, bronchitis, croup, or any such trouble, use Vapo-Cresoline. All Druggists.

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FOR SALE.

FLAT COUNTER SHOW CASES FOR SALE—Four nine feet cases, two six feet cases, solid walnut, swing doors with mirrors. Must be sold at once. Can be seen at SHUTE & CO.'S store, Queen street—4f.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—Immediate possession. That valuable Freehold Property on St. John St. Fredericton, with all modern conveniences, including a furnace, and barn with box stalls. Everything new. Purchase money \$2,500, most of which may remain on mortgage at 5 per cent. Or will rent for \$200 per annum. Apply at once to E. BYRON WINSLOW.—1f

HORSE FOR SALE.

Brown Carriage Horse, nine years old, weight 1000 or 1100, excellent roadster, will be sold by the executor of the will of Joseph Smith, late of St. Mary's. This horse can be driven by any lady and is sold for no fault. May be seen at stable of Jos. E. Smith, St. Mary's, 5th fl.

Hall's Book Store

The Christmas Numbers

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8:00 a. m. Mixed train leaves Stanley Village for Cross Creek Station, connecting with Canada Eastern freight for Chatham, also with C. E. express for Fredericton, returning to Stanley 11:00 a. m.

2:00 p. m. Leave Stanley for Cross Creek Station, connecting with Canada Eastern freight for Fredericton, also with C. E. express for Chatham, returning to Stanley 4:30 p. m.

Trains run on standard time.

D. R. MOORE, General Manager. Stanley, Aug. 26, 1901.—3 nos. eod.

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With one of our fine turnouts, if you wish to enjoy a drive to the utmost. We have the best teams in town. Our finest wedding team will cost you no more than one not so good elsewhere.

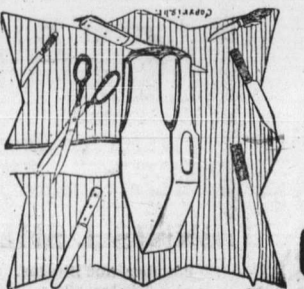
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OF CUTLERY at prices which no self-respecting maker would like to see their goods sold at, but cash meant a good deal to them and we secured a choice lot of Pocket, Table and Kitchen Knives and other good things at low figures. We sell the same way.

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JACKETS.

You won't know what bargains in jackets really mean until you come here. We have a special line of Ladies' Jackets which we have placed upon a counter by themselves, that would make any store's reputation as bargain givers. These coats are the very newest styles, in black, in colors, semi fitting and box backs. The assortment is complete to-day—we cannot promise as much for to-morrow.

FRENCH FLANNELS.

We have placed on our counters to-day, just from the looms, a superb lot of French Flannels, which are so popular this season. They come in plain colors, stripes, spotted and fancy figured.

FLANNELETTES.

A new lot of specially good French Twilled Flannelettes, in stripes, spots and handsome cashmere patterns. 17c a yard, English Flannelettes, special value at 20c. a yard, in fawn, grey and blue stripes.

The popular Shetland Floss in all colors.

TENNANT, DAVIES & CLARKE.

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Your Grocer Sells It. Wholesale by

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Fall and Winter Overcoatings, Fine Tweed and Worsted Suitings and Fancy Trusserings JUST RECEIVED.

Overcoats and Suits made to order in the latest styles by WM. JENNINGS, Merchant Tailor.

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