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less ash and holds fire longer  
than any other kind.

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## HE IS A NOVA SCOTIAN.

The lurid story which came from  
Chicago yesterday about the threatened  
rebellion in the Yukon was credited  
to D. M. Minard, who was inter-  
viewed by the press in that city. If  
Mr. Minard said all he is reported to  
have said, he seems to have given the  
reporters a run for their money. The  
story is denied at Ottawa, and is even  
ridiculed.

Mr. Minard is a young man from  
Nova Scotia, and before his appoint-  
ment in the public works department  
a couple of years ago was a student at  
Acadia college.

"Patterson's."  
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With movable eyes, long  
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50¢ Each.

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low prices.

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## NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers in the Star are reminded  
that to ensure insertion, their copy  
should be handed in not later than TEN  
O'CLOCK in the morning.

## LOCAL NEWS.

A steamer belonging to James Clark,  
and loaded with scrap iron, broke down  
on Main street this forenoon.

Manifests were received this morn-  
ing at the custom house for three lots  
of salmon and three of flour for export.

St. John's Church—Service tomorrow  
(Thanksgiving Day) at 11 a. m. The  
last of the week. Offertory for the  
Protestant Orphan Asylum.

All members of No. 1 Scots Company  
who paraded on Sunday last will meet  
at their drill room tonight at 7.30  
o'clock.

The new Thistle Curling rink will be  
open all day tomorrow for the inspec-  
tion of members of the club and their  
friends.

The steamer Cacouna, has on her  
present trip to St. John's, Newfound-  
land, 35,000 bushels of oats, shipped  
from Charlottetown, P. E. I.

William Richards, the well known  
lumberman of Boiestown, reports a  
foot and a half of snow in the Mira-  
michi woods at the present time.

The steamer St. Croix arrived this  
morning late on account of the heavy  
storm. She had on board twenty-one  
passengers.

The N. B. government exhibit at the  
Pan-American arrived back at Fred-  
erickton yesterday and Mr. Carnall of  
St. John, is today setting it up.

Last evening Officer Marshall was  
called into a yard back of Samuel  
Fet's house on Erin street to suppress  
a quarrel between McPee and his wife.

The meeting of the St. John Medical  
Society, which was to have been held  
this evening, has been postponed for a  
week on account of Col. Denison's  
lecture.

Next Sunday afternoon Mr. Tichen-  
or will speak in the Opera House, un-  
der the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., on  
Association buildings. Stereoscopic  
views will be used.

St. Andrew's church—Thanksgiving  
service tomorrow at 11 o'clock a. m.  
Lecture by the pastor, Rev. L. G. Mac-  
neil on Current Events. Offertory for  
Protestant Orphan Asylum.

A Thanksgiving supper will be held  
in the Portland Methodist church to-  
morrow evening. It will be concluded  
with a concert at which Miss Ina S.  
Brown will give readings.

A Thanksgiving service will be held  
tomorrow morning in St. Stephen's  
church. Rev. D. J. Fraser will officiate  
and the offertory will go to the  
Protestant Orphan Asylum.

Bathurst is very proud of its new  
court house, and it has very good  
reason for being so. It is second in looks  
and appointments, to no court house in  
New Brunswick. The contractor is now  
doing the plumbing and putting in the  
heating apparatus.—Chatham World.

One of the suits on the civil docket  
tomorrow will be an action for dam-  
ages brought by Charles T. Gillespie  
against Henry L. and John T. Mc-  
Gowan for injuries done to his carriages  
on the night of August 11th by collid-  
ing with an express wagon which the  
defendants left standing without a light  
on Princess street.

Talk about farming being a paying  
business. Joseph Rogers, North Be-  
deque, planted a cucumber bed 22 yards  
long by four wide last spring, says the  
Summerside Pioneer. He kept careful  
account of the product, which netted  
him \$215, besides what his family  
used and what was given away. This  
is making land pay.

## THE THANKSGIVING MARKET.

An unusually large number of peo-  
ple, comparatively, attended the coun-  
try market. Thanksgiving purchases  
had the effect of filling the building  
faster than it has been since the small-  
pox scare commenced. The supply of  
goods was large despite the prophecies  
that this would be a bare market week,  
and the stock was of splendid quality.  
There was a big lot of poultry of all  
kinds for sale, and beef, lamb and pork  
were there in abundance. There has  
not been much change in prices, al-  
though the market generally appears to  
be a little stronger. On the average  
turkeys brought thirteen cents a  
pound, an occasional one was sold at  
eighteen. Geese ran from seventy to  
eighty cents, and chickens were sold  
at all the way from thirty-five to sixty  
cents, according to size and quality.  
Beef went at from four to six cents and  
lamb at seven cents.

There is only a fair supply of fish on  
the local market. The past week has  
been a very bad one for the fishermen  
and the catches all along the coast  
have been light. Halibut are selling  
at twelve to fifteen cents a pound,  
smelts eight to ten, mackerel fifteen  
cents each, and pickled six cents a  
pound.

## COST HER A \$100.

In the circuit court this morning the  
case of Thorne v. Kinsdale was tried  
and judgment was given for the plain-  
tiff for \$100. This was an action for  
breach of contract. The defendant, Mrs. Kin-  
sdale, is alleged to have made a stand-  
ard remark in regard to Thorne, while  
both parties were attending a service  
in the Thornetown Baptist church.  
The remark is alleged to have been  
made to Thorne himself, while he was  
speaking to some friends back of Mrs.  
Kinsdale's pew. The case was under-  
stood by A. A. Wilson, K. C., for the  
defendant.

The court adjourned until two o'clock  
this afternoon.

The old liberty bell is to make yet  
another trip from Philadelphia. Since  
its return from the Chicago World's  
Fair it has been quietly at rest. But  
in the latter part of December, probably  
it will be taken to the exposition at  
Charleston, S. C.

## THE SMALLPOX.

No New Cases Today—State of Affairs  
in Ontario and Quebec.

The regular noon meeting of the  
board of health, which has been held  
ever since the smallpox outbreak, was  
postponed until four o'clock this after-  
noon, when the committee will meet  
out to the Morland project, this morn-  
ing will report.

Telephone connection will have to be  
made from the city, and that will en-  
tail considerable difficulty. It has been  
suggested that the line be run out from  
the new rifle range.

No new cases were reported today  
and apparently all the patients outside  
the hospital were doing fairly well.

Some residents of Brussels street re-  
quest the board of health today to in-  
vestigate what they feared might be a  
case of smallpox. Examination was  
made and the patient was found to be  
suffering only from the effects of vac-  
cination.

A number of members of the joint  
committee went out to the Morland  
property to see what could be done to  
immediately have the place fitted up  
as an epidemic hospital. Mr. Morland  
will move out this week, but the board  
of health does not expect to have the  
place in shape for occupancy in less  
than a week's time. An investigation  
will be made of the present drainage  
and if it is not satisfactory, repairs  
and improvements will be made. A  
new cess-pool may be dug partly  
cemented, boarded over, six feet from  
the top and heavily sodded, provided  
the present one does not answer the  
purpose.

Mrs. R. J. Wilkins, who suffered a  
very light type of the disease, has re-  
turned from the epidemic hospital last  
evening and returned to her home.

A young woman, named Rhoda, who  
had visited the Barreux house on  
Wentworth street since the illness of  
Miss Curvey, has been quarantined in  
a house on Hazen street.

## IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Nov. 26.—There is ex-  
citement among employees of several  
large manufacturing concerns in this  
city where the law regarding vaccina-  
tion is being enforced and it has be-  
come necessary for several manage-  
ments to threaten to close up their  
places in order to secure submission to  
the law. Provincial authorities say  
the smallpox situation has improved  
owing to the general awakening of peo-  
ple to the need of vaccination. Today  
three additional localities in the prov-  
ince reported smallpox. There are 16  
cases in the civil hospital here.

## IN TORONTO.

TORONTO, Nov. 26.—Dr. Bryce, provin-  
cial medical health officer, reports the small-  
pox situation very unsatisfactory. There  
are new cases reported from the lumber  
woods of Northern Ontario within a week  
and the disease is spreading rapidly from  
Glenora county and one from Russell  
county, Eastern Ontario. The disease ap-  
pears to be coming from the east despite  
the precautions taken to check its spread.  
Dr. Bryce predicts extensive outbreaks of  
this malignant disease during the coming  
winter, and urges everybody to get vac-  
cinated.

TORONTO, Nov. 26.—Thirty-four new  
cases of smallpox were reported in Ontario  
last week.

## SMALLPOX AND SEWERAGE.

All Possible Precautions Taken in  
Quarantined Houses.

Considerable comment has been made  
by persons residing in the part of the  
city now infected with smallpox, re-  
garding the sanitary arrangements of  
some of the houses under quarantine.  
It has been stated freely that from sev-  
eral of these houses the refuse has been  
thrown into the yards, or has been heaped  
into cess pools, and fears have been  
expressed that these places may be-  
come veritable beds of disease.

From all that can be ascertained  
these fears are groundless.

The segregation respecting sewerage  
came into effect only ten or eleven  
years ago and it happens that in many  
houses erected before that time, no  
arrangements were made for the in-  
stallation of up to date plumbing and  
sanitary appliances. This being the  
case, there are quite a number of resi-  
dences not only in that district, but in  
almost every part of the city which  
are not fitted with patent closets. But  
in every house in which smallpox has  
developed or which has been placed  
under quarantine, sewerage arrange-  
ments of some sort exist, so that water  
can in every case be sent out to the  
main sewer.

The orders given by the board of  
health to parties living in houses placed  
under quarantine are that all arti-  
cles of clothing used in the house must  
be placed for twelve hours in an anti-  
septic solution and afterwards boiled.  
The water is then emptied into the sink,  
with which every house as yet placed  
under quarantine is provided, and car-  
ried off to the street sewer.

All other refuse is treated to a solu-  
tion of crude carbolic acid before being  
emptied into the outside closets or cess-  
pools as the case may be. In this way  
all refuse is disinfected, and an officer  
of the board of health officials remark-  
ed, "If the people don't believe it now,  
they will do so when the bill for car-  
bolic acid comes in."

## TODAY'S FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late John L. Otis  
took place at half-past two o'clock this  
afternoon from his late residence, cor-  
ner of Victoria and Albert streets. The  
usual services were conducted at the  
house and grave by the Rev. Alex.  
White and interment made in Fern-  
hill.

This afternoon the funeral of the late  
Mrs. Sarah M. Gillespie took place from  
her late home on Sandy Point Road.  
The body was taken to the Congrega-  
tional church, where at half-past two  
o'clock service was conducted by the  
Rev. R. Morgan. The body was in-  
terred in the Church of England bury-  
ing ground.

## YOUR THANKSGIVING DINNER.

S. Z. Dickson's stall in the country  
market offers great attractions for  
purchasers this evening. There is a  
fine lot of choice poultry, fresh fish,  
veal, mutton, ham, bacon, fresh beef  
tongues and also for mince meat, pump-  
kin and squash, celery and other veg-  
etables, cranberries, and all that goes  
to make good cheer at the Thanksgiving  
dinner. There is also a fine display of  
Heinz's famous pickles, in glass jars.  
Mr. Dickson always has choice butter  
in stock.

## POLICE CHIEF.

Samuel Williams, the colored man  
who was arrested yesterday afternoon  
on suspicion of stealing a watch from  
Oscar Carleton, a shoemaker at the bar-  
queline Hotel, pleaded guilty in the  
charge and said he had done the steal-  
ing while under the influence of liquor.  
He had sold the watch for a dollar and  
a half to the Boston Second Hand  
store, where it was found by the police.  
Carleton paid the amount advanced  
on the watch and it was given back to  
him. Williams was remanded while  
enquiries are made into his previous  
character.

Last evening Officers Napier and  
Rankin arrested a man who afterwards  
proved to be a travelling jewelry shop.  
His name is Frederick S. McKay, of  
Quebec, and concealed about his clothes  
were four watches, five chains, five  
rings, a breast pin and over twelve  
dollars in cash. McKay was charged  
with drunkenness and this morning  
admitted his guilt. He explained that  
he represents a nursery firm and ob-  
tained the goods from a man by the  
name of Ingram, who lives at Wood-  
stock, in exchange for some plants he  
had purchased. The story was believed,  
and after McKay paid the fine of  
four dollars imposed for drunkenness  
he was allowed to go, the property be-  
ing returned to him.

## LOGS FOR ST. JOHN MILLS.

(Bangor Commercial.)

There is great activity in the lumber  
business in Aroostook county, and the  
coming winter will be a lovely one, both  
for hard and soft woods. One of the  
largest individual concerns that lum-  
ber in this country is to be found at  
Fort Kent. This concern is the Can-  
liffe Sons. This winter they are giving  
employment to more than 500 men and  
will cut about 30,000,000 feet of lumber  
nearly all spruce. There are corpora-  
tions in Maine which do a larger busi-  
ness than the Canliffe boys, but they  
are very few.

There is another man in Fort Kent  
who is quite a big cutter, too. He is C.  
H. Dickey, son of Major William Dic-  
key, one of Maine's famous men. Mr.  
Dickey has 200 men in the woods this  
winter and will get about 15,000,000 feet.  
All of this lumber goes down the St.  
John river to the provincial mills and  
an immense amount of it finds its way  
into the pulp mills there.

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Last evening a large number of  
friends invaded the home of Major  
and Mrs. A. Macdonald, 259 Brussels  
street, the object being to celebrate the  
25th anniversary of their marriage. By  
the presentation of an address of con-  
gratulation together with a beautiful  
oak hall rack, as a slight token of the  
esteem in which they were held.

After the reading of the address,  
which was happily replied to by the  
major, the party enjoyed the good  
things provided. Music, games and  
dancing were indulged in till the hour  
of 3 a. m. ended a most pleasant even-  
ing.

## A THRIVING BUSINESS.

Carpenters are at work making al-  
terations and improvements in the of-  
fices and warehouse of T. H. Estabrook,  
the North wharf, late importer  
and blender. These are rendered nec-  
essary by the growing demands of his  
business. When Mr. Estabrook re-  
moved from Dock street to North  
wharf he believed the enlarged prem-  
ises would meet all requirements for  
a long time, but he is now actually  
cramped for room. The successful ex-  
tension of his trade in Red Row (tea  
to Ontario, Manitoba and farther west  
has added greatly to the pressure of  
work and made increased facilities ab-  
solutely necessary.

## FORTUNE FOR JOHN BLAIR.

A paragraph in yesterday's Star  
stated that Chief Clark had received  
inquiries from St. Louis asking for the  
beirs of Marcus Blair, who had died,  
leaving \$3,000.  
John Blair of Fredericton, caretaker  
of the exhibition buildings, says that  
he and Marcus Blair were the only  
sons of the late Hugh Blair of St. John.  
That Marcus went to the states and  
served in a cavalry regiment during  
the war. After Hugh Blair died, John  
moved to Fredericton. He is writing  
the facts to Chief Clark and also to  
the St. Louis lawyer, so that he may  
receive the money left by his brother.

## COL. DENISON TONIGHT.

Col. G. T. Denison, president of the  
Canadian branch of the British Empire  
League, will speak this evening in the  
Orange Hall, the main street. All seats  
are free, and there should be a full  
house to hear the man whose eloquent  
advocacy of closer bonds between the  
mother country and the colonies has  
won him fame throughout Canada.  
Senator Wood is in the city. He is a  
vice-president of the British Empire  
League for New Brunswick, and will  
remain over today to hear Col. Deni-  
son's address, tonight, in Orange Hall.

## WEDDING BELLS.

At the residence of Henry C. Page,  
Wright street, this morning, Miss An-  
nie L. Page was united in marriage to  
E. D. Moore, of North Sydney. Only  
a few intimate friends were present.  
The bride was dressed in a handsome  
travelling costume, and was unattend-  
ed. She was the recipient of many  
handsome presents. Rev. D. J. Fraser  
performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs.  
Moore left on the noon train for their  
home in North Sydney.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. W. G. Estabrook arrived today  
from St. Croix after having spent  
four weeks in the New England states.  
Miss Clara, who has been nursing  
in Kent County has returned to her  
home here.

Miss Stewart, one of St. John's pro-  
fessional nurses, has been called to  
Fredericton to nurse George G. Coburn,  
who is seriously ill.

Mrs. P. S. McNutt and her son Frank  
left today for Prince Edward Island.  
Mr. McNutt goes to New York this ev-  
ening on a business trip.

## New Fresh Stock Cereals.

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PETTIBOHN FOOD,  
MALT BREAKFAST FOOD,  
ROLLED WHEAT.

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chased  
CHEAP PIANOS.

Why make yourself one of the number?  
When you can, by paying a little more, get  
a HIGH-GRADE Newcombe, Mason & Risoh,  
or Mendelssohn Piano, that will satisfy for  
a lifetime—write for prices and terms.

The W. H. Johnson Co., Limited.  
ST. JOHN and HALIFAX.

We also control the celebrated Chickering for  
the maritime provinces.

A BIGYCLE Should be Thoroughly Oiled and  
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Why ruin yours when you can have the same cleaned,  
stored and insured and nickel polished for \$2.00.  
Competent workmen only employed. Now is the  
time to send it, so as to have it ready when the  
spring riding commences. Ring up 704 and we will  
be pleased to send for your wheel.

Canada Cycle and Motor Co., Ltd., St. John.



## Observing Women

Have all noticed the growing po-  
pularity of our handsome and sty-  
lish line of Walking Suits,  
made in box calf, warm lined,  
prices from \$1.50 to \$2.00. They  
are easy fitting, durable and out  
of sight for style.

PHILLIPS BROS.,  
541 Main Street, North End.

## EUGENE PAGE COMPANY.

The music lovers of St. John are  
promised a rare treat next Wednesday  
evening, December 4th, when a com-  
pany of artists spoken of as an excep-  
tionally brilliant, will appear at the York  
Theatre, in the second concert of the  
Fadette-Hartman course. This com-  
bination recently delighted an audi-  
ence of 3000 people at Massey Hall, To-  
ronto, and unstinted praise was be-  
stowed by the papers of that city on  
each performer. Eugene Page, whom  
E. Maro, the world renowned mandolin  
virtuoso extolled enthusiastically, is the  
spoken of in Montreal papers. "For  
the first time, in my life I have heard  
the mandolin played with expression.  
Mr. Page produced a tone one would  
hardly expect from such an instrument.  
His technique was clear and firm, and his  
rendition of the Il Trovatore Fantasia  
was the hit of the evening." Mr. Page  
is supported by a company of music-  
ians who have scored triumphs all  
along the line, not the least important  
of which was a performance last win-  
ter in Washington under the distin-  
guished patronage of the late President  
McKinley and members of his cabinet.

## ARITHMETIC CONTEST.

At the Currie Business University to-  
day C. B. Colwell's lead was reduced  
by many points and Stephen Downing  
succeeded in securing second place  
again. The work performed in this  
contest must be absolutely correct and  
completed within a time limit. The  
standing of the leaders today as fol-  
lows:

	Points.
C. B. Colwell	271
Stephen Downing	173
Wm. Elliott	167
Sadie Lindsey	123
H. B. Doherty	115
Wm. Fleming	85

## SCOTTISH NIGHT.

The members of St. Andrew's Soci-  
ety and their friends are invited by the  
committee of management to be pre-  
sent at the exhibition hall at 6 o'clock  
this evening to participate in the pro-  
tinue of the reel which is always a lead-  
ing feature in these entertainments.

## MISS HICKS IN OTTAWA.

Miss Ella Hicks, ensign in the Salva-  
tion Army, has arrived at Ottawa from  
St. John, to take charge of the Salva-  
tion Army Rescue home and Children's  
Shelter at 121 Daly avenue. Ensign  
Hicks is a trained nurse and gradu-  
ated in an Ohio hospital. She was three  
years in charge of the Maternity hos-  
pital in St. John.

## MATE DROWNED.

Troop & Son received a cable yester-  
day that the barque Still Water, Capt.  
Thurber, had arrived at East London,  
after a very rough voyage, 123 days  
from Puget Sound, with a cargo of  
lumber. Capt. Thurber reports that  
during a heavy storm the first officer  
of the barque was lost overboard and  
drowned. The officer was a Prince

## SUDDEN DEATH.

Daniel E. Hatfield, aged fifty-seven  
years, died very suddenly at the resi-  
dence of his sister, Mrs. Helyea, of 137  
Marsh Road, last evening. He had  
been employed by Andrew Myles, at  
the new telephone building on Chip-  
man Hill and about five o'clock was  
suddenly stricken with paralysis. He  
was removed to his sister's residence,  
and Dr. James Chislett summoned. In  
spite of all that could be done he fail-  
ed to recover consciousness and short-  
ly afterwards passed away.

## ST. JOHN'S CHURCH SALE.

The annual tea and sale in St.  
John's (St. John's) church, which opened  
yesterday afternoon, was largely at-  
tended and is successful in every way.  
From six o'clock until after eight the  
tea tables were crowded and in the  
main schoolrooms the tables of fancy  
goods were well patronized. Harri-  
son's orchestra was in attendance and  
added greatly to the enjoyment of the  
affair. The sale is being continued  
this afternoon, and this evening after  
tea has been served the orchestra will  
again be present.

## HIS NAME WAS MARKS.

LONDON, Nov. 27.—Lawrie Marks,  
well known in London sporting circles  
as an American bookmaker, jumped  
overboard from a channel steamer to-  
day and was drowned. It is said that  
detectives wanted to interview Marks  
in connection with the bank frauds. An  
injunction was granted in the high  
court this morning to prevent the  
withdrawal of large sums of money  
standing in a London bank in the name  
of Marks.

## BIRTHS.

COLPITTE—At Mapleton, Albert Co., Nov.  
26th, to the wife of Warren Colpitt, a son.

## DEATHS.

GILLESPIE—In this city, Nov. 26th,  
Mrs. Wm. Gillespie, aged 46, leaving 4  
husband and five children.  
OLDS—In this city, Nov. 26th, John L. Olds,  
in the 72nd year of his age, leaving a  
widow, one daughter and two grandsons,  
to mourn their loss.  
(Woodstock papers please copy.)

GORDON—At her residence,