

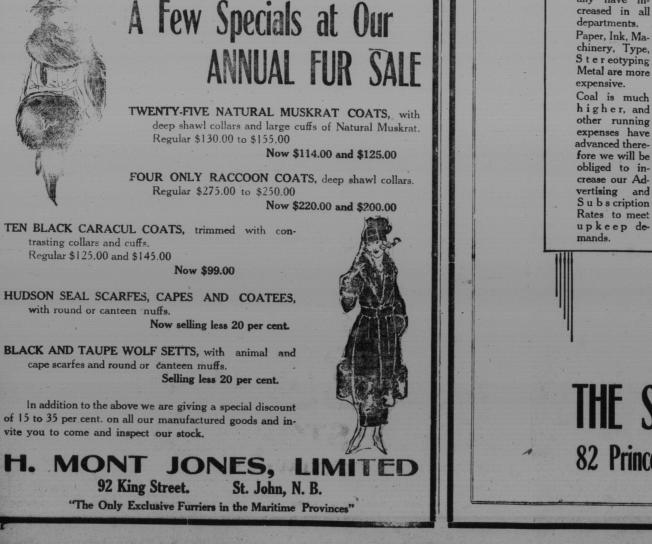
Great Storage Tank of Purity Distilling Co. Did Heavy Damage to Nearby Property When it Exploded-Many Horses Were Killed.

ALL NEWS IN AND ABOUT THE CITY

including Civic Affairs, Finance, Commerce, Shipping, Church, Y. M. C. A. and Fraternal Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Jan. 15.--In the I ment of boundles for wild and during the last year, a curious si-ticn has arisen in the Department Lands and Mines of New Brunsw in the fact that the wild cat boun were much lower, In the aggreg than In the year before. The rea-for this is not known, and it is not lieved that there has been any not able reduction in the number of v cats. On the other hand, the t paid out in bounties on porcupi hawks, and other small animals, increased. For them the total \$662, and for wild cats \$771. In year before \$1,200 was paid in wild bounties.

OBITUARY

Leonard Smallwood Newcastle, Jan. 13.—The death Leonard Smallwood of Maple G one of the most respected resident the County, occurred of pneumonic Sunday County, December 4 the County, occurred of pneumonia Sunday evening. Deceased was ab 75 years of age. He leaves his wid formerly Miss Margaret Patterson Bathurst, and the following childr Violet (Mrs. Howard Curtis), Bi ville; Lillian (Mrs. Harry Haim Newcastle; Charles and Ernest, Ma Glen; David, at home and Ha Juncton; also the following broth Masthan Surgers: William and Cameron Newcastle; James of Menot, N. Mrs. David Petrie, Maple Glen; M Alex. Cummins, near Winnipeg; M Martha Russell, Newcastle; Mrs. Cl Scott, Sackville; and Mrs. Robert D bar of New Glasgow, N. S. William Burdy



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William Purdy.

William Purdy. William Purdy, for more than for years a resident of Lakeside, Ki county, died in the General Public E pital early yesterday morning, foll ing an operation which it was beil ed at first would be successful. At dwanced age, however, Mr. Purdy f ed to rally from the shock and pas sway soon after midnight. He was a highly respected farmer Lakeside and his death will be cerely repretted. His wife was M Ellen Jones and survives him, afte long and happy wedded life toget There are also three daughters -one son. They are: Mrs. Medley F yan of Bloomfield, N. B.; Mrs. AJ Steeves of Barre, Mass., and M Georgie Purdy, of this city; and Jo Purdy, of New Jensoy.

Mrs. Margaret Butler.

Fredericton. Jan. 15—Mrs Marga D. Butler, widow of the late Man Butler, in his day well known p journalist and peddler, died at home 62 Charlotte street, today noon, after lingering illness. i was 63 years of age. Funeral take place tomotrow afternoon, se ice by Rev. Canon Cowie, and im ment at rural cemetery.

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Alexander Bremner

Chatham, Jan. 15.—Word has j been received here by relatives ponneting the death at Wilton, N. of Alexander F. Bremner, a for Chatham boy. Mr. Bremner, af Jearning the trade of machinist at