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—with the tang of the sea, made with sweet, juicy, selected oysters; fresh, creamy milk and choice dairy butter; served piping hot, is grateful, comforting and sustaining these cold winter days. Come in for one of our Royal Oyster Stews, at the

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HARDWARE MERCHANTS
Store Hours—8.30 to 6. Close at 1 p.m. on Saturdays of January, February and March.

LOCAL NEWS

BANK CLEARINGS.

The St. John bank clearings for the week ended today were \$2,149,949; last year, \$2,905,242; in 1920, \$3,075,710. Total clearings this week were \$2,962,662. In Moncton this week's figures were \$988,594.

BETTER REPORT.

It was reported at the General Public Hospital at 2 o'clock this afternoon that John S. Armstrong, who was burned in a fire at his home yesterday, shows considerable improvement today. The shock to his system was less than had been thought.

SURPRISE PARTY

An enjoyable surprise party was held at the home of Mrs. Rebecca Ward, 7 Golding street in honor of her son, John Ward, of Medford. Duffell presented to him a club bag on behalf of the gathering. After music and games, luncheon was served and the party broke up soon after midnight.

PANTRY SALE

The Women's League of St. David's church are holding a pantry sale this afternoon in the hall of the Imperial Theatre to raise funds to help in reducing the church debt. Those in charge of the sale are: Mrs. W. A. Simonds, Mrs. A. D. Malcolm, Mrs. George Shaw, and Mrs. W. J. Bingham. The early prospects were that this event would be successful that usually attends the work of the league.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Jane McGinnis took place this morning from her late residence, 30 Clarence street, to the Cathedral for high mass of requiem by Rev. A. P. Allen. Interment was at Black River.

POLICE COURT.

Two stowaways, Alfred Lobas and Alessandro Nunes, Portuguese, who were given in charge last night by Captain H. A. Flynn of the steamer City of St. Joseph, were in the police court this morning and were held until the afternoon when they were taken to the workhouse. He will take them back to Portugal, whence they are said to have come to New York on another vessel of the same line.

SOCIAL GATHERINGS

About thirty couples gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James O'Brien on last Friday evening, and tendered their eldest daughter, Kathleen, a party in honor of her sixteenth birthday. On behalf of the company, Frank Ward presented a beautiful umbrella. Miss O'Brien received many other beautiful gifts.

MRS. MARGARET STAFFORD.

The death of Mrs. Margaret Stafford took place on last night after a week of illness with pneumonia, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Wallace, Waterford, Kings County. Her husband died eleven months ago. She is survived by five daughters and one son. The daughters are Mrs. William McLeod and Mrs. George Marr of St. John, Mrs. William Veomans of St. Martins, Mrs. Ernest Wallace of Waterford, Miss Ann Stafford, nurse in the St. John hospital. The son is William Stafford. Mrs. Stafford was seventy-eight years old. Burial took place in Sussex.

JOHN LEMMON.

A life-long resident of the North End passed away at the General Public Hospital yesterday, after a short illness, the person of John Lemmon of 129 Melville street. He leaves to mourn, his wife, three sons—Alphonsus, of New York; Garfield and William of this city; four sisters—Mrs. Stanley Cody and Mrs. Scott of St. John; Mrs. H. Sloores, of Moncton; and Mrs. L. J. McCovers, of Boston; and two brothers—Ramsley, of Sussex, and Hiram, of St. John. The funeral will take place from his late residence at three o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Many were sorry to learn of his death.

SPECIAL SERVICES.

A great interest is reported in the evangelistic services in Ludlow street church, West End. Last night in the vestry the third series of the services continued, with Rev. I. Brindley leading in a short song service. Rev. J. A. Swetnam was the speaker. He took as his subject, "Oh, Lord, Revive Thy Work." He said that the time had come for a revival, when the material things of the world came into the church, when the people thought more of their money than their souls; when members of the churches had forgotten prayer as their motto. Several in the congregation responded to his plea. Rev. Mr. Swetnam sang a solo, and a mixed choir also took part.

A CITIZEN'S TRIBUTE.

A. Turner B. Howard writes a letter to the Times, referring in glowing terms to the recent skating races, and the two days that will go down in history as St. John's greatest days so far as that sport is concerned. Mr. Howard recalls the Beens and McCormick of former skating days, compliments the Y. M. C. people and for the work it did, pays a tribute to Frank White, A. W. Covey, the Woman's Council, the Boy Scout, Charles Gorman and the skaters. Reference is made to St. John's good reputation as a place for clean, honest sports, and a tribute paid to those few who in the last fifteen years were constantly promoting amateur athletics, showing an interest in boys' work, forming Improvement Leagues and doing all they could to encourage clean, manly sports. To these especially, Mr. Howard wishes long, long life and happiness.

TO THE ONTARIO BAR.

Woodstock Press: Burpee Bloomfield Jordan of St. John, A. B. C. L. of King's College, Windsor, has recently been admitted to the Bar of Ontario. Mr. Jordan holds the distinction of being the first New Brunswick barrister to be admitted to the Ontario Bar. His friends in Carleton county, and particularly in Woodstock, where he is well known, will congratulate him.

NEW COMPETITION WITH THE RIFLE

Looks to the Individual and Should Help Development, Says Lt. Col. A. B. Snow.

The Canadian Rifle League, which has done a great deal in the past to promote good shooting in the Dominion, has given notice of a new competition for individual scores to be held monthly in February, March and April. It has been suggested on account of trouble found in a great number of the smaller corps in securing a team of eight men who can shoot well enough to make a showing when it might have been possible to find one or two men who could make good shooting. Prizes will be given for the same as those for any miniature range shoot both for rifle and revolver marksmanship. Prizes will be given for the best aggregate for the three months for seniors and juniors as follows:— Miniature rifle and revolver, seniors—1st prize, \$10; 2nd prize, \$7.50; 3rd prize, \$5; 4th prize, \$4; 5th prize, \$3; 6th to 20th prize, \$2 each, 21st to 35th prize, \$1 each. Miniature rifle only, juniors—1st prize, \$2; 2nd prize, \$1.50; 3rd prize, \$1; 4th to 20th prize, \$1 each, 21st to 30th prize, 60 cents each.

It is thought that this should help a great deal to promote interest in shooting. More interest should be taken, it is thought, in this branch of the work which is hindered now by the lack of proper facilities, the number of miniature ranges in the province being very small in comparison to those in other places. One cadet corps is mentioned which has done good work in the past but has lost the range it was using as it had to be taken for another use. The idea people should take a greater interest in this branch of work, he said, and help the boys to keep up their position with respect to the rest of the Dominion and other parts of the empire. The shooting for Canada according to the official returns for the Imperial Rifle League competitions was very poor but it is hoped that this year will show a decided change for the better.

DO EVEN BETTER

Rothsay Collegiate School Team in Good Rifle Shooting Record.

The results of the second shoot for the Canadian Rifle League held at Rothsay Collegiate School show an even better grade of marksmanship than was shown at the first shoot. The time the team of eleven cadets reached a total of 1019 of a possible 1100 or an average of 92.6 per cent. The individual scores were as follows:—

Cadet P. R. Armstrong	97
Cadet E. B. Brier	97
Cadet S. Dunham	97
Cadet R. Gibson	96
Cadet R. Schibler	96
Cadet R. Kitchen	91
Cadet H. Nasse	91
Cadet J. C. Brownell	90
Cadet F. Gordon	88
Cadet R. Colter	88

CASE OVER AUTO INSURANCE

A claim for \$1,500 on a policy of insurance on an automobile was heard in circuit this morning before Mr. Justice Crockett, the case of James H. McKinney, the Imperial Guarantee and Accident Assurance Co. The car in question was insured in April, 1921, and in July of the same year was destroyed by fire. O. W. Wood was chosen as the appraiser for the company, and Charles P. Kelly for Mr. McKinney. Mr. Wood placed the value of the loss at \$1,500, and Mr. Kelly at \$1,200, and when subsequently H. W. Johnson was chosen as a referee all three agreed on \$1,500. The car had been insured for \$2,000. The company offered to repair the car, having ascertained that they could do so for considerably less. Mr. McKinney contends that the appraiser's figure was in the nature of an award, and is now suing for that sum. The witnesses examined this morning were J. H. Bates and O. W. Wood.

WEATHER HAS BEEN HARD ON SHIPPING

The harbor and waterfront have been quiet this week, due to the storms and severe cold interfering with shipping. Some steamers have sailed, but the ice-ward vessels have been delayed by the weather, and before the arrival of the two Canadian Pacific passenger boats to-day there were only seven steamers in port, one of which was laid up. If the weather is fair, several vessels should reach port by the end of the week, which will bring the number well up to the average.

SOUTH END RACES OFF TILL TUESDAY

Because of the sustained cold spell it has been decided to postpone tonight's races for boys on the South End rink until next Tuesday. The entry list will be kept open until Saturday night. Already nine seniors and eight juniors have given in their names as contestants.

COAL STRAINING CHARGE

Three young fellows were arrested today by C. N. R. Policemen Ryan and [unclear] on charge of stealing coal from the railway.

New Serge Dresses In Attractive Styles

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A new lot of very attractive Serge and Tricotine Dresses have just arrived in very attractive styles, and at very unusual prices.

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No. 3 Galvanized Wash Tub	1.79	Reg. \$6.25 Guaranteed Wringers	Only \$4.75
No. 8 Galvanized Wash Boiler	1.98	Reg. \$24.50 1900 Washing Machines	\$18.75
No. 9 Galvanized Wash Boiler	2.15		
Galvanized Scrub Pails	49c		

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SUIT SPECIAL—100 men's fine suits, spring models in young men's single and double breast-tight fitting suits, also standard types, fine pencil stripes, overpaids in browns, greens and greys. **Special Sale Price, \$24.95**

OVERCOAT SPECIAL—Men's and young men's Ulsterettes and Ulsters; many half-lined with silk; knee length models, tight fitting three-quarter length Ulsterettes, half belt. English Melton Chesterfields, in fact, a coat-style to suit every man. **Sale Price, \$29.85**

TROUSER SPECIAL—Men's all-wool tweed Trousers, heavy grey tweed, greenish heather tweed, fancy brown tweed mixtures. **Regular \$5.50. Sale Price, \$3.98**

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