DEVINE'S SALE HAS STARTED

This is the GREAT BARGAIN giving event that St. John's bas patiently waited for since the first snow cap covered the city streets. Now it has come. You could feel it in the air for weeks. Only those who patronized our Great Midwinter Sales in previous years can form an estimate of the magnitude of our Bargain giving capacity. We promise this season to eclipse all past efforts.

WHITE GOODS SECTION.

Tit Bits.

125 dozen Men's Collars at 10c.

General.

Wool Blankets, from \$2 50 up.

Great Value in Corsets, from 45c. up

Earthquake in

An earthquake in the Ionian Islands has destroyed five villages and

damaged property valued at \$600,000. The death roll is 30. The Government

has sent warships to the Island with

consecrated to-day. The ceremony

ed. The Bishop of London officiated.

Eleven Drowned.

Eleven of the crew of the British steamer Argo were drowned when

The Nickel.

Excellent Programme of Varieties Attracts Large Audience.

Notwithstanding the numerous

tractions last night, the Nickel had it

McCarthy and Ross gives the film a

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on the spot where he was kill-

Gen. Gordon.

KHARTOUM, Jan. 26.

ACRE, Jan. 26.

LONDON, Jan. 26.

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provisions and tents.

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Cotton Blankets, from 99e. up.

Rubbers are Reduced.

each. High, standing. A chance for

Writing Pads-from Sc. up.

1043 yds Victoria Lawn, usual price, 25c To-Day, 18c. per yard 975 yds Tucked Lawn, usual price, 25c., 35c. & 45c .. To-Day, 20c. yard 27 pcs Bleached Table Damask, usual price, 75c., 85c. and 90c. per To-Day, 60c. per yard Circular Pillow Cotton, usual price, 35c. per yardTo-Day, 25c. per yard Bleached Sheetings, Twilled, very wide, usual price, 40c., 50c. and 55c. per yard...... To-Day, 30c., 40c. per yard

Fcy Lace Side Covers, 50c., 60c. and 70c. To-Day, 40c. each—all one price

Embroideries, Laces & Insertions.

I,573 yards Embroidery, splendid assortment. Right in from the manufacto- 20 dozen Corticella Braid, at 7c. per ries of Switzerland. From 3c. per Men's Negtigee Shirts, at 60c.

Laces and Embroideries will be higher later, buy now. 50 pcs. Valenciennes, very choice, from 3c. up.

White Flannelette-1755 vards at Sc. per yd. These Goods have won universal favor-no thrifty housekeeper should be without some of this good value Flannelette.

Every one knows we have long ago cap-tured the field in Blouses—splendid lot

Blouse Flanvelettes-25, 30 and 35c. pr yd-to-day 17c, all one price. These goods must be seen before you can lavish praise upont hem, but take our word they are excellent value.

Ladies' Underwear-Vests and Pants-To-day 30c. each. Ask to see the Feathers and Tips.

J. M. DEVINE.

THE RICHT HOUSE, Water Street, East.

Gen. Montero Shot.

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GUAYQUIL, Eucador, Jan. neral Pedro Montero, recently popar here, was yesterday shot by the engry populace, dragged into the streets, beheaded and burned. In Noember he was proclaimed president by the troops stationed here, but handed over the leadership of the proional government to General Al-o. The troops were defeated by he Government forces under Genera Plaza, and Guayaquil was forced to itulate. Montero, with other lead-was captured on Jan. 22. Last ing he was courtmartialled and tenced to 16 years' imprisonment The crowds shouted violent protests tement increased rapidly. Some rushed into the court room and ridlled Montero's body with bullets, dragged it into the open air, hacked his head, and, starting a fire, cast d and body into the flames.

In the Bankruptcy Court.

Special to Evening Telegram.

LONDON, Jan. 26. receiving order has been made quis of Queensberry upon the pe-on of a money lender.

..SK YOURSELF THESE QUESTIONS

nd find out 'f you have kidney dis-Have you pains in the back over

ve you urinary disorders? u suffer from severe heads the skin dry and harsh? Are you failing in health and rength and suffering from rheuma-pains or swelling of the limbs? These are a few of the symptoms of land discountries. kidney disease, and here is the test. hi the urine after standing for twenty-four hours is cloudy, milky that particles floating about in it, at if there is a sediment in the botof the vessel, your kidneys are

There is no time to lose in begin-ing the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-liver Pills. They will help you more objectly than any treatment you can obtain, and that is one reason why they are so successful and popular.

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Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria. tion and enjoy society.

Head Peet Maltreated.

HAD TO BE ATTENDED BY A DOCTOR.

At 3.30 p.m. yesterday Head Const. Peet, in passing up Water Street, told a man named Mansfield to move along, as he, with others, were blocking the way. Before the officer was aware of it he was hit in the face and knocked down by the man. When the "Head" regained his feat a brother of his aggressor seized him by the shoulders and butted him repeatedly in the face, cutting him severely. Officers Squibb, Bussey and Stanford were quickly on the scene and both men, after a hard struggle, were handcuffed and driven to the station. Head Const. Peet was a memorial of General Gordon, was covered with blood and his injuries consecrated to-day. The ceremony were of such a character that he was took place on the anniversary of his compelled to go home. Later he was attended by Dr. Rendell. Only a few days ago one of the men concerned in the assault paid a fine of \$21 for

eating a woman named Carrigan. Durango Arrives.

The S. S. Durango, Capt. Chambers, arrived here at 4.30 p.m. yesterday the vessel was wrecked off the coast the Bankruptcy Court against the from Liverpool after a run of 13 days. to-day. The ship had considerable stormy weather on the voyage out with constant gales mostly from the N. W. which considerably retared her, and She met considerable slob ice, but her voyage was uneventful. She full quota, and the large audience brought 493 tons of cargo and 25 bags and 11 hampers of mail matter and one passenger. When she arrived the Kanawha was hauled off from the rought that the programme provided. The Travelogue, which took Nickel goers for a ten minutes' tour through the Province of Kawang-Tung, was a delight-Furness Co.'s pier and the Durango ful novelty. The Chinese customs, took the inside berth. The ship will life and daily occurrences were cleartook the inside berth. The ship will ly and interestingly shown, while the take to Halifax 1,200 casks fish and a Oriental music supplied my Messrs. large quantity of herring and oil.

the Nickel quite an important educational factor. The tri-weekly programme include at least two of these Refused to

stalled further manoeuvres by re-solving not to let it for political meetings of any kind in February.

Reliable statistics show that the percentage of insanity among farmers' wives is greater than in any other classes. The explanation is they work a.m. to-day and was taken to Hospital too hard, are left alone too much, and by Mr. E. Whiteway. have too little chance to take recrea-

Fortune's Store

Fire broke out in the dry goods store of Mr. P. J. Fortune, Water St. Vest, about five minutes to six clock last evening. The firemen from the West End and Central Stations were on the ground in about three minutes after the alarm was sent in. There was a good supply of water and the fire was attacked so well that it was under control in about ten minutes from the time the hoses were coupled up. However, the firemen and police had to wo:k on the building for an hour before they sent in the "all out." The fire was caused by a lighted match thrown on the floor by Mr. Fortune after he had lit the gas upstairs. He was about to pick out some goods to bring forward for o-day's sales and was putting the samples together when the fire sprung ap from the spot where he had thrown the lighted match. Mr. Fortune ran to the spot and made a frantic effort to put the fire out. He called out to his young men below to come to his aid, but the fire being in a heap of inflammable material and no water being at hand, had by this time got such headway that the task of extinguishing it was hopeless. Most of the stock was damaged either by fire, water or smoke. The stock is covered by \$7,-00 insurance and the store by \$3, 000. The adjoining buildings were not injured. Some smoke got into Mr. Worsley's store but the goods there being hams and bacon did not do much

The Robins and Their Message.

Welcome cheerful little robin, Perched upon the willow trees; Warbling sweet and hopeful music Mid the sighing of the breeze; Like a message from heaven, In the chilling wintry blast, Telling of a genial springtime When the wintry storms are passed

Welcome cheery little robins, Singing beauteous rhythmic lays; Filling hearts with sadness whelmed With sweet notes of joyous praise; Giving-like the rainbow story-Hope amidst the furious blast, Telling of unclouded heavens And the joys that ever last!

Welcome, genial, little robin Sitting on the willow trees. Heeding not the wildest snowdrift Hurled against you by the breeze: We are grateful for your message Bringing hope to hearts forlorn. May the heavens confirm your mission And a brighter day be born.

New Brunswick Heard From Again.

Ionian Islands. ANOT IER SPLENDED CURE BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

> Mr. Den Gauvang had Backache sc bad he had to quit work.-Dodd's Kidney Pilis fixed him up.

> Puellering Settlement, Kent Co., N. B., Jan. 26. (Special)—Every corner of New Brunswick tells of cures made by Dodd's Kidney Pills, and this settlement can contribute its share. Mr Ben Gauvang is one man who without hesitation states that he owes his good health to the great Canadian

Kidney Remedy. "Yes, Dodd's Kidney Pills certainly did me good," Mr. Gauvang says in an interview. "Before I started taking them my back ached so that I had to give up work and I also had to be careful how I walked and moved about. I took nine boxes all told, and they fixed me up. They are the best medicine for all diseases of the kid-

Dodd's Kidney Pills are no cure-all. always cure the kidneys and with cured kidneys you can't have backache, rheumatism, Bright's disease, diabetes or dropsy.

"The Lights O' London."

Combining all the elements of popu lar dramatic success, the above old-time melo-drama of life in the north of England should attract a capacity night. There is an abundance of com edy in the play and several very thril-ling situations, such as the murder at Armytage Hall, the escape from Chatham jail, the rescue from the London very natural atmosphere. This is the class of subject which is now making very natural atmosphere. This is the class of subject which is now making the Nickel quite an important educational factor. The tri-weekly programme include at least two of these pictorial visits to foreign shores, and they are all worth while seeing.

A Special Weeting of Term Note: The City Corporation to-day refused Ulster Hall to the Liberals, and forestalled further manoeuvres by re- Jan 20th at \$20. and Phippard complete a cast which is experienced and should handle the play successfully. It is said that the stage settings will be particularly building (ground floor) Duckworth St.

ARRIVED FOR HOSPITAL.-Geo. Moores, of Codroy, suffering from tumor, came in by the express at 4 small in any case, and sight is as precious to you as life itself. R. H. Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff. Trapnell.-jan23,tf

The Council's Resolutions

park to the city, and by the Reid Bros. of sanitaria to St. John's and

the outports as evidence of a new

spirit among our men of wealth, which is calculated to be decidedly helpful,

McMurdo's Store News.

WHEREAS this Council has observed from a correspondence published in the daily newspapers that W. D. Reid, Esq., has offered to erect and equip a sanitarium in St. John's at a cost of \$50,000 for the treatment of tuberculosis patients. cost of \$50,000 for the treatment of tuberculosis patients, and that H. D. Reid and R. G. Reid, Esqs., have of-fered to provide sixteen sanitaria for the outport districts at a similar cost; AND WHEREAS this Council AND WHEREAS this Council re-cognizes that the ravages of this disease form the greatest menace to the public health, both of the city and the extern districts: BE IT RESOLVED that this Council desires to place upon record its hearty recognition of the princely generosity and commendable kind-heartedness exhibited by the Messrs. Reid in providing this splendid bene-faction for so deserving a purpose, and the Council would express its confident belief that the Reids' sanitaria will be most helpful in the bat-tle against the White Plague, to the extinction of which they are to be de-BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council welcomes the recent gift of Messrs. Bowring Bros., Ltd., of a

Councillor Coaker. Councillor Chan-

SATURDAY, Jan. 27, '12. Scobell's 108 Nox a Cold, which owing to the irregularity of the train service we had now run out of, has now arrived, and is on sale. Few remedies for coughs and colds introduced of late years have been more successful for their specific purposes that 108 Nox a Cold. Price 25c.

We also announce the arrival of Oriental Massage Cream. This useful and elegant preparation is one

of the best skin foods and general massage creams, and is highly thought of by its many users. Two sizes. Bottles, 50c. Pound Jars for barbers use. \$1.50 each. **Thanksgiving**

at Gower St. The annual Thanksgiving services

will be held to-morrow. Special sermons will be preached—in the morning by Rev. W. H. Webber, and at night by the Pastor, Rev. Dr. Rogers. Mr. King has arranged for the even-Russell will take the solo part. Mrs. King will render a solo, "A Dream of

WILLIE LEO OLIVER.

At Gull Island, Conception Bay, on Wednesday, December 27th, there passed away Willie Leo, beloved son of Andrew and Julia Oliver. The deceased had been sick only for a very most sorrowful surprise to his affectionate parents, brothers and sister. To them the hearts of many go out in sympathy. Willie Leo being the youngest, and therefore, naturally, the favourite of the family, was also a favourite of the whole community. He was but 13 years old, and words fail to portray the nobleness of character which existed in him. No one ever conversed with him without being They only cure the kidneys. But they straightforwardness of his answers, and his kindly and most attractiv manner gained for him the admiration esteem and love of a host of friends. Gull Island, Jan 16th, 1912.

Challenge.

I beg to challenge Bob Berry to a return match to a finish at 158 lbs., noon on day of match. Mr. Berry having beaten me at his weight, I challenge him at the weight I won the Anderson Belt, the standard middelweight. Time to suit Mr. Berrybefore he leaves St. John's preferred. YOUNG OLSON.

Cape Report.

Special to Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind N.N.W., brisk, weather dull. The s.s. Bonaventure and a barquentine passed in yesterday. The latter's signals could not be distinguished owing to snow showers. The French liner Rochambean, from Havre to New York, also passed yesterday. No thing to-day. Bar. 29.56, ther. 13.

ANXIOUS ENQUIRIES MADE. When the Durango arrived here yes terday anxious enquiries were made by friends of those on the vessel for in formation of the missing barqtn. Au-Don't let the matter of expense keep, reola. The ship, however, had no you from visiting us, it can only be tidings of the vessel, much to their grief and disappointment.

Minerd's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

A Neglected Cold May Cause Consumption.

Thousands of people die every year from the effects of this dreaded disease which, if treated in its first stages with

MATHIEU'S SYRUP

Council held yesterday afternoon, Mayor Ellis spoke in a congratulatory manner of the generosity of the Messrs. Reid, and moved the following Resolutions:

MATHIEU'S SYRUP

of Tar and Cod Liver Oil and other medicinal extracts, will cure the diseased lungs and give strength to the patient. Sold everywhere.

Waterville, N.S., Dec. 27, 07.

Waterville, N.S., Dec. 27, 07.'
Fillmore & Morris, Amherst, N.S.
Dear Sirs,—Herewith we enclose our checque \$15.00 in settlement of our account to date. W. O. COOK & SON.

GOUDRON FOIE DE MORUE De MATHIEU Washington E-U. MATHIEUS Syrup of Tar GOD LIVER OIL egistered at Washington, U.S. J. L. MATHIEU, Phonocom Decote. Phonocopies (break MARLEGER), MASSALLS.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Jan. 10, '07. Fillmore & Morris, Amherst. N.S.

Dear Sirs,—We telegraphed you to-day to ship immediately 5 Gross Mathieu's Syrup. We hope you will send it promptly, but if you are not able to send the whole amount at once, please send us some as our stock is getting low.

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NATIONAL DRUG & CHEM. CO

ORANGEDALE, C.B., Aug. 7, '08.
Blacking & Mercantile Co.'y, Ltd., Amherst, N.S.
Dear Sirs,—We have nothing but good to say of Mathieu's Syrup and can conscientiouly describe it as the most popular and successful Coagh Medicine we handle. Owing to the absence of any drug store in this vicinity there is a great variety of proprietary medicine sold in the course of the year, and Mathieu's Syrup pre-eminently leads in its own class. Yours sincerely,

D. MARTIN.

MATHIEU'S NERVINE POWDERS are free from opium, chloral and other dangerous drugs and they are supreme against headache, sick headache, neuralgia, overwork. 25 cts. per box of 18 powders. Prepared by

J. L. MATHIEU Co., Sherbrooke, Can. THOS. McMURDO & Co., Wholesale Chemicts and Druggists, St. John's, Nfld.

Prevented Crucifixion.

not alone in promoting improvements but is likely to promote a greater spirit of brotherhood and mutual un-derstanding among all classes of our Special to Evening Telegram. LODZ, Russian Poland, Jan. 26,

The arrival of the police prevented a band of fanatical women from cru-The Resolutions were seconded by Councillor Caker. Councillor Channing said he was, unfortunately, but too well aware of the ravages of consumption in our midst from observations and by Moravian women. They selected a man named Kowalski, from its Minister at Asuncion appropriate the councillor Channing said he was, unfortunately, but too well aware of the ravages of consumption in our midst from observations and branguay and bare the councillor Channing and bare the councillor Channing said he was, unfortunately, but too well aware of the ravages of consumption in our midst from observations and branguay constructions and branguay construction of the councillor Channing said he was, unfortunately, but too well aware of the ravages of consumption in our midst from observations and branguay constructions are constructed by the construction of the councillor channing said he was, unfortunately, but too well aware of the ravages of consumption in our midst from observations are constructed by the construction of the councillor channing and the construction of the construction of the councillor channing and the councillor channing and the construction of the councillor channing and the councillor channing and the construction of the councillor channing and the construction of the councillor channing and the cou tions made in his business as a chemtions made in his business as a chemist and druggist. Councillors Martin, Ryan, Myrick and Mullaly also spoke truth of their belief in his resurrections whom they worshipped, and urged him cing that he had received no reply to its demand for satisfaction. The professional description is the same of the profession of appreciative words. The motion be- tion. ing put by Deputy Mayor Martin, it was carried by acclamation.

Diplomatic Relations Broken.

BUENOS AYRES, Jan. 26.
Diplomatic relations between the
Argentine Republic and Paraguay

Boots! Storm

For wet, slushy days our Storm Boots will afford the greatest foot protection. A pair of these water proof sturdy Foot Soldiers will save many a Doctor's bill.



We Show Models For Men, Women and Children.

Extra high cut, water prcofed soft leathers. Bellows Tongue, water proofed Oak Tanned Soles, 12, 14 and 16 inches

ing service an attractive musical programme — anthems, "Great is the load" (A. W. Men's Corm at the load of the lo Lord" (A. W. Marchant), "Lead Kindly Light" (Stainer), in which Miss Woman's Storm Boots \$2.25, \$2.50 to \$3.75 Children's Storm Boots ... \$2.00, \$2.50, \$2.75

Paradise." Visitors will be made welcome and provided with seats by The White Shoe Store, 304 & 306 Water-st

IN MEMORIAM S. B. KESNER, - - Proprietor

The S. S. Kanawha will sail on Tues- Royal Bank of day for Halifax. The repairs to the ship are progressing satisfactorily. A lot of the dry goods, cement, etc., in short time and his death came as a the holds was burnt during the progress of the fire on board. The goods consigned to St. John's firms will be carreid on to Halifax and re-shipped here. Several hundred tons of cargo had to be landed here and later restowed to get the ship into an upright

position.

Canada Robbed

Special to Evening Telegram.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 26. The branch of the Royal Bank of Canada was robbed of its cash by two robbers at 11 o'clock to-day. Manager Stevens and the staff were backed into the vault and locked there while the robbers took all in sight,

Local Finnan Haddies, SEA FOOD

Genuine Haddies - Green Smoked - they are unsurpassed in quality, have a flavour distinctly their own, are carefully and skillfully handled and packed.

10 cents lb.

Local Kippered Herring.

None but the finest, freshly-caught fish are used. Smoked with scrupulous care, the result is an appetizing daintily cured fish, that any housewife would delight to

30 cents dozen.

FISH SOUNDS.

Choice Salt Herring.

C. P. EAGAN, DUCKWORTH ST. & QUEEN'S ROAD.