Racing to Liverpool.

They Started Almost Together - Many

With the sailing of two winter port

steamers yesterday morning it left the port clear of steamers with the excep-

Bets Made-Many Passengers-

Bargains every day at our regular prices. We don't have to reduce the prices of our Overcoats to clear our stocks, the greatest trouble we have is in being able to keep enough on hand for the demand.

GREY FRIEZE OVERCOATS, \$6.00 to \$8.00 FANCY TWEED BLUE BEAVER

\$7.00 to \$15.00 \$10.00.

With every purchase made here to the value of 50c, we give you a coupon entitling you to a guess as to the number of seeds contained in a rumpkin shown in our window. The following prizes will be given away: Gold Watch, Load of Coal, Half-barrel Flour, Ham and Brier Pipe.

C. MACNUSSON & CO., 73 Dock Street

Special Christmas o Sale

Our Entire Stock of Christmas Goods

CALL AND SEE US!

All Goods will positively be sold at a Big Discount

BUSTIN & WITHERS, 99 Germain Street.

DON'T accept SAUSAGE as SLIPP & FLEWELLING'S inless wrapped in parchment paper with our name in red ink.

Special Sale of Ladies' Fancy Collars

I. O. Parsons, West End on

Let Us Help You With Your Washing

Sheets, pillow cases, etc.
We can do this work better than you can, and at our price—50 pieces for 75c.—it's cheaper to let us do it.

Ask the man on our wagon for particulars.

Globe Steam Laundry, VAIL BROS., Proprietors,

'Phone 623. Three Waggons at your Service.

Flat, Short Roll, Long Roll Bacon. Boneless Boiled Hams. Mess Pork, Lard, Sausage, Bologna, Mince Meat, Etc.

Wholesale and Retail.

JOHN HOPKINS, 186 UNION ST. Phone 133.

What Shall I Give For Christmas?

We have many handsome, and attractive things, that Men and Women, admire and appreciate.

FOR MEN. GOLD SEAL RINGS, CHAINS AND LOCKETS, FOBS AND SEALS, LINKS AND SCARFPINS,

COLLAR PINS. MATCH BOXES, CIGARETTE CASES, TOBACCO JARS, ETC. TOBACCO JARS, ETC.
FOR BOYS.
THE BEST WATCHES IN THE
MARKET FOR THE MONEY, PRICE

FOR WOMEN. DIAMOND and PEARL BROOCHES, DIAMOND RINGS, \$10.00 UP. NECKLETS, LOCKETS,

BRACELETS. SILVER NOVELTIES, THIMBLES, LEATHER WRITING CASE, ETC. FOR GIRLS. GUNMETAL AND SILVER WATCH

.....AT A. & J. HAY'S, 76 KING STREET.

New Stuffed Dates,

Something Choice, 35c per Box.

Walter Gilbert, 143 Charlotte St.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Owing to the Increased Patronage which Advertisers are giving to the Star, we are compelled to request those who require Changes in their Advertisements to have their Copy in the Star Office Before 9 o'clock in the Morning, to insure insertion Lake Champlain and Athenia

LOCAL NEWS

Same Evening.

For night study the child's eyes must be right. Don't neglect children's eyes. See D. Boyaner, 651 Main street. who retires this week from the man-agement of the Bank of New Bruns wick, will be superintendent for the Bank of Montreal of branches in the naritime provinces, probably with leadquarters in St. John. Among the first saloon passengers per Allan line steamer Tunisian is Mrs.
Thos. Seeley, wife of Lieut. Engineer Instructor Seeley, R. N., who, accompanied by her young son, Master Valletort, will pay a visit to her mother,

Mrs. Henry Harvey, Sewell street, returning to her home in England in June. Since leaving St. John two and a half years ago, Mrs. Seeley has translated the same destination has the same destinatio a haif years ago, Mrs. Seeley has tra-velled considerable, visiting the princi-pal cities of England, Ireland, Scot-land, Wales, Norway and Sweden, ac-companied by her husband's mother, Lady Alice Seeley, widow of the late Christmas season. Lady Alice Seeley, widow of the late Sir James Seeley, K. C. M. B., R. N. Mrs. Seeley, jr., has many friends who will be pleased to welcome her back to St. John again.

The two steamers had just left port when the C. P. R. Liner Montfort was passed at Partridge Island and the large Allan Liner Tunisian was ploughing her way up the bay in the teeth of the heavy easterly gale. These two steamers rode out the gale off the island and docked this morning, while the two boats that left Sunday morning were speeding towards England

Fred E. Bettle left on Saturday night

WILL LAND HERE, the two boats that left Sunday morning were speeding towards England with passengers anxious to reach their John D. Robertson is still confined John D. Robertson is still confined

and some Finns for Michigan.

Besides the immigrants on the chartered boats, however, the Salvation Army is bringing numbers of immigrants on each boat that comes out here and is having no difficulty in finding them situations.

Brigadier Howell speaks toright at

here and is having no difficulty in finding them situations.

Brigadier Howell speaks tonight at Charlottetown before the Farmer's Association in the interest of immigration. It is not only, said Mayor Philips this morning, the intention of the army to help the west but to meet the labor questions in the east as well, and it is a very live question on the Island especially, which has been depopulated through emigration of the young people to the United States. The brigadier will pass through here tomorrow night, and will address a meeting at the winter fair, Quelph, Ont., on Thursday, upon the same subject.

The steamer sailed for St. John in the evening and at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon she was spoken by wireless from Partridge Island five miles off. The ship has sixty first and 320 second class passengers that are landing at Sand Point.

The sailing of the C. P. R. steamer take Champlain, Capt. Stewart, and the Donaldson Liner Athenia, Capt. MacNeil is the cause of considerable speculation. Both captains are pioneers of their respective companies in this port, being in charge of the first steamers to bring and take away freight on the commencement of the winter of the winter of the winter of the west but to meet the labor questions in the east as well, and it is a very live question on the Island especially, which has been depopulated through emigration of the young people to the United States. The brigadier will pass through here tomorrow night, and will address a meeting at the winter of their respective companies in this port, being in charge of the first steamers of the commencement of the winter of the venting and at 2.30 o'clock yester day afternoon she was spoken by wireless from Partridge Island five miles of the C. P. R. steamer take the labor of the charge of the C. P. R. steamer take the labor of the charge of the C. P. R. steamer take the labor of the charge of the C. P. R. steamer take the labor of the charge of the C. P. ter fair, Quelph, Ont., on Thursday, upon the same subject.

ers to bring and take away freight on the commencement of the winter station and returned to the scene of the winter station and returned to the scene of the scene o

Col. Sharp is expected home this week from Bermuda, leaving the islands on Tuesday. He will arrive in New York on Friday and reach the city on Saturday night. He has been visiting the Bermudas on his regular inspection tour, the islands being a part of his district.

The army officials are making good.

tour, the islands being a part of his district.

The army officials are making good progress towards the preparation of the Christmas dinners, and are making a systematic canvass. They expect to supply about 300 dinners, but they intend to take all precautions that the distribution will only be to worthy cases. If after the dinners any funds remain they will go to cleaning off the debt on the Travellers' Home.

The Metropole is still burdened with \$600 of the original expenses. The need of such a home has been shown time and time again, but the necessity has been still further confirmed by the work already this year, the home being filled up every night since the beginning of the cold weather. Those in the second cabin are: Claud Annesley, John, Balsdon, Carl Banzhof, be held in Carleton this evening. Major and Mrs. Philips and other city officers will be present.

WELL KNOWN ACTOR'S

Those in the second cabin are: Claud Annesley, John, Balsdon, Carl Banzhof, High Batten, John Beckett, Mr. Bennett, Mrs. Bennett, Frank Bernhard and wife and two children, Mrs. L. M. Bird, Miss Besie E. Bird, E. Black, J. Elyth, J. S. Bowden, J. T. Bowden, A. Brooks and wife, Miss Brooks, George Burnell, Miss L.

WELL KNOWN ACTOR'S

Those in the second cabin are: Clau

S. Payton, Ed. Potts, J. Scales, James

later the big Donaldson liner was after

their old homes before Christmas, and the knowledge that the two steamers

were leaving about the same time caused many wagers to be made as to which would touch the shores of the old country first. The race of 2,780 miles accross the broad North Atlantic will

not only be watched with interest by

Short, Guy Simpson, Joseph Stange and wife P. Steward, Fred Stockdill

TONGUE CUT OUT.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11—Frederick L. Power, 40 years of age, a director of theatrical companies, had his tongue cut out yesterday as well as a part of the throat, to remove a cancer. According to the surgeons, Mr. Power will never be able to articulate again. The cancer, it is said, was brought on by excessive smoking. Mr. Power at one time was leading man with Margaret Mather, and had also played with Richard Mansfield and Walker Whitesides companies.

Brooks and wife, Miss Brooks, Master Geo. Brooks, Georgne Burnell, Miss L. Burnell, L. W. Caws, Arthur Cheshire, James Cheshire, F. Christen, Mr. Cripps, W. Currie, Mrs. Dash, Geo. G. Fall, W. C. Fendall, G. W. Frank, L. Frank, Dr. R. W. Geddes, Mrs. Hawks, Wilhelm Heerwald, Mrs. Heerwald, Mrs. Heerwald, Mrs. Herberston, Arthur Cheshire, James Cheshire, James

JAPANESE COLONY IN U. S.

SEATTLE, Washn., Dec. 11—The Rev. Frank Okazaki, pastor of the Japanese Baptist Mission in Seattle, supported by leading Christian Japanese residents, is planning the establishment of a colony for immigrants from his country somewhere in Puget Sound. Okazaki desires to establish the colony in order that he may better

from his country somewhere in Puget Sound. Okazaki desires to establish the colony in order that he may better spread Christian teachings among his people. You Can Be Cured of The Country of the Athenia has eight saloon passengers; eight second cabin and 95 steerage passengers. Those travelling first cabin are: Mr. and Mrs. Benfield, Mr. and Mrs. Knight, Miss Jacques, Geo. Cowie, Mr. Bass and T. S. Kirby. Mr. Kirby is a well known Ottawa merchant who is taking a business trip to Glasgow. The Champlain left her berth about nine o'clock and had hardly cleared the dock when the moorings of the Athenia

IF YOU TAKE Herner's Dyspepsia Cure.

the C. P. R. boat. The passengers are with few exceptions all bound for Liverpool with the hopes of getting to

Some of the best doctors have en-

Price, 35cts and \$1.00, at all Druggists.

BIG STEAMERS OFF CHRISTMAS FOR OCEAN RACE.

Bargain Counters Which abound with the largest assortment of Christmas Gifts in China ever shown at the following prices:

ping men.

The Athenia is a newer and consider-

Capt. Wm. McNeil, of the Athenia

John Sayre, who has attended mili-tary examinations at Quebec, is expect-

Miss Ethel Gamble, matron of the

Woodstock Hospital, is visiting Mrs. Robert Foster, of Elliott row.

NEGROES LYNCH A COMPATRIOT

MEMPHIS Tenn., Dec. 11—Jim Green, a negro, was lynched yesterday at Boyle, Miss., by members of his own race. Green had assaulted a negro girl

dore of the fleet.

35c, 50c. 75c. \$1.00 and \$1.25.

O. H. Warwick Co., Ltd.

78 to 80 KING STREET.

of each steamer on the other side will be eagerly looked for by all the ship-

BEAUTIFUL GOODS AT LOW PRICES. ed a more powerful boat than the Champlain and is thought by some will win the race, while others have great Holland "Sunset" Ware. faith in the ability of the Champlain Capt. Wm. Stewart, of the Cham Quaint Old Holland Scenery in Fern Pots, Vases, Candlesticks, Punch Bowls and Mugs, Jugs, &c. o'd Lake Superior and is the comp

Royal Saxe Ware

is also well known as one of the first commanders in the winter port trade. For years he was commander of the Tritonia and last July his many friends Crimson and Gold Decoration in Salads to the big Athenia. He has been in the Donaldson line employ for over thirty years and first served that company

"Ye Olde English"

Welsh Rabbit Sets consisting Jug, 6 Mugs, 6 Plates and Large Dish a decided novelty, \$9,75 per set.

The Linton & Sinclair Co., Ltd. 37 and 39 Dock Street.

First Big Boat Load Will Come in January —Salvationists Making Great Preparations for Christmas. The three boats which the Salvation Army whis chariered to bring out it ministrants to Canada will all come to St. John. This, at least, is the persent intention of the army officials. The first boat will come in January from Liverpool and the others will come in January from Liverpool and the others will come in February and March. The arrangement for these boats will be made similarly to those made last year in the case of the Vancouver. This boat, which went its Montreal, did not come out until Many, but this was considered to late, at the ministrants were not in time for the seed growing in the west and even in Montreal, did not come out until Many, but this was considered to late, at the first boat will come to January from Liverpool and the others will come in January from Liverpool and the others will come



Bells, consisting of Back, Body, Shaft and Team, also Musical Shaft Chimes which we offer at low prices:

Fine Nickel Plated Back Bells, 45 cents Fine Nickel Plated Body Bells, \$1.20

Fine Nickel Plated Shaft Bells, 40 cents Team Bells, all sizes, from 12 cents up-

Headquarters for Fur Robes, Coats, Horse Clothing, and a general line of Horse Furnishings, Prices low. 9 and 11 Market Square

H. HORTON & SON Ltd.

Damaged by Water.

Tomorrow, TUESDAY, we commence the Sale of Goods recently damaged by water, at the London House Wholesale, Limited, on King St.

These goods chiefly consist of Staple Goods, Womens' warm winter Underwear, Flannelette Garments, of all kinds, Womens' winter Shirt Waists, Blouses, etc., as well as a large lot of White Wool Blankets, the latter being only damaged to the extent of slight soiling on corners.

The prices will be found low, and goods are well worth looking over.

Sale Commences at 9 o'clock Tomorrow morning and lasts until Goods are all sold.

"No goods on approbation."

F. W. Daniel & Co.,

London House, Charlotte St.