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Suits the taste of more people in the Maritime Provinces than any other tea on the market.

NO EXCUSE FOR SICKNESS. Would't Even Take Smallpox Unle She "Tempted the Lord."

BUFFALO, Dec. 24.-Rev. R. H. Stauffer, of this city, offered to pay the fees of any Christian Science healer who would go to the becaide of a smallpox patient and administer treatment. The leader of the Christian Scientists in Buffalo, Mrs. B. H. Williams, has

answered him thus: is challenge, as it is called, of Rev. Mr. Stauffer's may mislead some people. It is a piece of petty dema-goguery in the pulpit, and I think that

goguery in the pulpit, and I think that people of sense will look on it as such, and that only the ignorant will pay heed to him.

"The Lord says, "Thou shalt not tempt the Lord thy God." I should consider it tempting the Lord if I went into the presence of a person suffering with smallpox. If I came there by accident the Lord would protect me and I should come forth unharmed, or even if I unwittingly got the disease in another manner, by declaring the truth, I should be kept from all harm. I should not suffer, for the power of the One Mind, if understood, will overcome all ills.

"As we understand and believe, the

One Mind, if understood, will observe the principle is this: We are told that we were made in the image of God and we have learned that we are also made to reflect His mind. The power in that mind we that believe in Jim all confess and all harm that comes to us is by reason of our failing to understand that mind and be guided by it. "Smallpox is a misfortune, the result of wrong, and it would be exceedingly wrong of me to tempt God by putting myself in the way of it just to prove my belief thereby."

The gentleman with whom she was speaking related one of the incidents which Mrs. Williams told him of which she thought a simple demonstration, nevertheless remarkable.

One of her female parishioners came to her a week ago, and was in great distress because her husband, an honest and capable carpenter, had been thrown out of work two weeks before and could not get work. He had hunded every place, and was still hunting. Mrs. Williams told the woman that she had not done rightly, nor had her husband. What they must do was to understand. They must understand that he had his work to do in the world. Just as all God's children have, and that some place that work was waiting for him, and that if he let the mind of God be reflected in him he would know at once where that work was and went forth, and the very first place

now to come to it.

The next morning the man arose and went forth, and the very first place he came to he was given work at good wages, Mrs. Williams said.

HER GENTLE HINT.

"I don't believe you love me a bit,"

"I don't beneve you love he a six, sobbed his wife.
"But I do, darling. I"—
"Don't tell me. It's unnatural you should. No man could love a woman who wears such old hats as I do."

HER ONE REQUEST.

(Washington Star.)
"Charley, dear," said young Mrs.
Torkins, "there is one favor I want to
ask you. I hope you will realize it is
for your own good and not get angry."
"What is it?"
"I want you to solemnly promise me

"I want you to solemnly promise me that you will never bet on a horse that isn't going to win."

HER OMBLET.

(Glasgow Evening Times.)
"My dear," said the meek Mr. Newliwed, 'I don't like to complain, but
this omelet you made"—
"What's the matter with it?" she in-

"Gracious! I was afraid that man would send me tough eggs. I'll stop dealing with him."



Your Throat.

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SPORTING NEWS.

LACROSSE.

MONTREAL, Dec. 25.—Mr. Rutter, president of the Toronto Lacrosse Club, returned today from England. He says arrangements are completed for a team to visit England next summer to play before the Prince of Wales and members of the royal family.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The proposed twenty round bout between "Matty" Mathews and "Dutch" Thurston, which was to take place before the International A. C. of Fort Eric, Ont., on New Year's evening, has been declared off by the management. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 26.—J. J. Jeffries and his brother Jack Jeffries gave a six round boxing exhibition at Zion hall here, last night, Jack Beucholte of Chicago and Jack Graham of Indianapoils boxed ten rounds, the contest resulting in a draw.

JACKSONVILLE, Fia. Rec. 8.—In a ten round sparring made the Jacksonville Athletic Association, last night, Owen Zesiger of New York knocked out Frank Hart of Philadelphia in the third round.

THE TURF.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—According to the Journal and American "Tod" Sloan will be seen in the saddle again on the Metropolitan turf next spring. He has received assurances that the English Jockey club will restore him to good standing within a few weeks with the stipulation, however, that he is to ride no more in England.

COMMERCIAL.

Furnished by W. S. Barker, Banker and Broker, Palmer's Building.) Dec. 26, 1901.

	Today's.		
Cl'g.	Op'g 11	a. m.	Noon
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Anaconda Copper 28%			291/6
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Brooklyn R T 64%		6414	641/4
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Chesa and Ohio 4614			
C. M and St Paul 1621/4		162%	163%
C. R I and Pacific		1501/4	
Erie		4034	4014
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Gen. Elecric		279	280
Illinois Central		138	
Louis and Nash		106%	1061/4
Manhattan Ry132%	132%	135%	13614
Met. Street Ry		15914	15914
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Missouri Pacific103	103	1041/4	104%
N Y Central 165%		167	166%
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Norfolk and West		5614	
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P Gas L and C		100%	10014
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Read Co., 2nd pfd		601/4	6014
South Pacific Co 597			601/4
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Texas and Pacific			38%
Union Pacific		10114	101%
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Wabash, pfd		42%	
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NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Wall street: Dealings were in small volume at the opening and were narrowly distributed. The specialties were very irregular. Sugar continued its downward course, losing a point on the first few minutes. St. Par see Claim 11/4. American lee and Westlighouse Electrose a point and Metrowski ghouse Electrose a point each. The stock market opened irre-

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WANTED-A HOME ICE PLANT. Fortune Awaiting the Man Who Can

(Cassier's Magazine.)
Periodically the question why there is nothing in the shape of a small ice or refrigerating machine for domestic use. That such a machine

a small ice or refrigerating machine for domestic use. That such a machine is in wide demand and would meet with a ready sale is generally admitted, so that to many it seemed all the more curious, no doubt, that commercial enterprise did not long ago undertake to solve the problem.

The whole question, however, may be answered by the statement that no better method of refrigeration has yet been found than the use of ammonia or a similar system, which involves the use of certain pressures and a certain number of elements in the cycle, such as compression, expansion and condensation, regardless of whether the plant is to turn out a fraction of a ton or a hundred tons. The handling of the refrigerating cycle and the safe manipulation of pressures requires skill—in fact, a skill somewhat above the average, and which cannot be expected from ordinary domestics. It, therefore, seems that the facts as they stand at present preclude the possibility of small domestic ice or refrigerating plants, and will so continue until some system may be devised differing widely from those now in use.

LONDON, Dec. 25.—The Daity News gives it as a rumor that the parent parting an importance purchase. It is bettered that the measure provides and equivalence in the measure provides and the tenant may buy at seventeen, and the landlord sell at twenty years' purchase, the state providing at the payment of the three years' difference.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.
Arrived.
Schr. Genesta, 98, Heater, from Boston; J.
W. Smith, bal.
Schr. Cora B., 98, Reed, from New Haven;
A. W. Adame, bal.
Sturr Evangeline, 2,531, Williams, from
London via Hailfax; Wm. Thomson and Co.
Coastwise-Sloops Armenta and Meteor,
from Grand Manan; tug Springhill, from
Parrsboro; schr. Athol, from Advocate Harbor.

or.

Schr. Avalon, 116, Howard, from New York;

W. Smith, coal.

Schr. John C. Cottingham, 189, Lunn, from Joston; A. W. Adams, bal.

Schr. Hattie E. King, from western port; Skhr. C. I. White, from bay port for New York, and sailed. Stmr. St. Quentin, from New York; Scho-field and Co., bal.

Stmr. St. Croix, Pike, for Portland and Eastport.

Sailed. Stmr. Benedick, for Bermuda via Halifax. LATE SHIP NEWS

JOHN, Dec. 25.- Ard, str St Quentin Bennett, from New York, S Schofiek

W Smith, coal.

Domestic Ports.

HALIFAX, Dec. 25.— Bld, strs Hackney, for Nantes and Rotterdam; Bonavista, for

for Nantee and Rotterdam; Bonavista, for Boston.

British Ports.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 24.—Ard, str Vancouver, from Portland.

MOVILLE, Dec. 25.—Ard, stmr Tunisian, from St John via Haiffax for Liverpool.

DEMBERARA, Dec. 24.—Ard, set Sirocco, Holder, from Sablies.

Dec. 21.—Sld, bark Nellie Troop, Suillis, for Newcastle, N S W. GIBRALTAR, Dec. 18.—Ard, bark St. Paul, Strum, from New York.

MAURITUS, Nov. 7.—In Port, schs Zeta, Salvago, from New York via Pernambuco, arrived Oct. 18, for Rodrigues.

PORT NATAL, Dec. 10.—Ard, str St. Nicholas, Altree, from St John, NB, via Table Bay.

PORTLANY, national property of the property of

schs Gypsum Empress, Gypsum Queen, and Gypsum King for Windsor.

BOSTON, Dec. 25—Ard, sch Schuilla, from Souris, P. E. Lancastrian, for Liverpool.

HYANNIS, Mass., Dec. 25—Ard, schs B C Gattes, from St John for New York.

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Charles and Charles from Turks Island tug Gypsum King, lowing three schooners from New York Kor Windsor; schs B L Eatton, from South Amboy for Calais; Georgie D Loud, from Bayonne for Eastport; Agnes May, from Middleton, Conn., for St John. Edna D Endleott, from New York for Portland; L P Whitmore, Myronus, and Wm F Collins, from §tonington, Me., for do; Thomas Borden, and Rosa Mueller, from St John for Bridgeport.

Stalled Schepon, and A P Emerson, Passed, sch Phoenix, from New York for Windsor.

SEVERER MEASURES PROBABLE. A Military Correspondent Voices Opinions on Way to End War.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The break-up of the main Boer forces in the Transvaal, and the capture or surrender of a few of the better-known leaders of the enemy, will probably be the signal for the adoption of severer measures in dealing with the enemy. That this is the view of the military authorities at the front is indicated by the following extracts from a letter from a military South African correspondent, who is in a position to speak with authority:—

a position to speak with authority:—
"The remnant now in the field are more than 70 per cent. "bywoners"—
which is perhaps best rendered in English as "tramps"—men who are mere loafers in peace time, and who live as badly, if not worse, than Kaffirs. To such men as these the present system of warfare is, as you can imagine, the pleasagtest experience they have ever known. They have a horse and a rifle, a share of whatever food is going, and anything in the shape of loot they can get.

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"The only way in which we can hasten the end with such men as these is to really make war a risk to them.

"The way to do it is to make warwar. Take the gloves off and show these men what war is. To do this we should be able to shoot every man directly he is caught who has any particle of khaki uniform on him, or who has expanding bullets in his cartridges, hang or shoot every Cape rebel eaught in arms, and in other ways take full advantage of the customs of war."

her annual dowation of \$100.—Fredericton Reporter.

One hundred and fifty carloads of freight, most of it for the winter port trade, were sent down from McAdam yesterday afternoon.

Sergt. Hastings of the north end force was off duty last night on account of illness. Officer John Smith was acting sergeant.

Two of Mrs. Corrigan's sons got into an alteration in her house on Chapel street yesterday, and Policeman Hamilton had to be invited in before peace was restored.

fruit, etc.

Pontificial vespers were sung in the cathedral last night at 7 o'clock. His Lordship Bishop Casey officiated and preached an eloquent sermon appropriate to the Christmas season. The collection for the orphans amounted to about \$800, a larger sum than usual. ruit, etc

GENERAL.

James Moody, a carpenter, aged 40, despondent over the death of his child, suicided in Toronto yesterday by tak-ing laudanum. He leaves his wife and

L. J. Demers, proprietor of L'Evere-ment, Que., has filed a sworn state-ment of his liabilities as \$66,129, and matts, as \$37,180 in the prothonotary's

DEATH OF CAPTAIN AKERLY.

Captain Moses A. Akerly, of Fredericton, died very suddenly early yesterday morning at the residence of his sister-in-law, Mrs. D. J. McLaughlin, on Leinster street. He had come to St. John to spend Christmas with his friends, arriving here on the late train and had driven at once to his sister-in-law's house. Upon entering he complained of not feeling well and before anyone realized that he was sick, he fell dead.

Captain Akerly was between 70 and 80 years of age, and had spent the greater part of his life on the river. He was at one time captain of the Highlander, and afterwards on other steamers. Leter he was appointed agent of the Union steamship line at Fredericton, which position he resigned a couple

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was restored.

E. E. Shaw, son of Wm. Shaw, M. P. P., has become proprietor of the business in Sydney, C. B., which he has been managing for some time in the interests of John E. Wilson.

The treasurer of the Protestant Orphan Asylum gratefully acknowledges the following contributions: Mrs. W. F. Thomas, \$5; Mrs. A. A. Stockton, \$5; Mrs. Hugh McLean, \$5; Geo. E. Fairweather, \$10; James F. Robertson, \$25; Wm. Bruckhof, \$5; David Brown, \$3; a friend, G. McA., \$6; J. Russell, jr., \$5; Joseph Finley, \$15; James E. White, \$10.

On the early train from Halifax yesterday morning eight of the provincial members of the 2nd C. M. R., now in Halifax awaiting the transports, arrived home on a few days' leave of absence. They were Messrs. Caldwell, Glichrist, Rose, Penny, Williams, Rawlings and Sergt. Comeau of St. John and Ryan of Predericton. The men expect to return on Friday. Dominion cruiser Carlew, Capt. Pratt, has arrived in port and will lay up in Magee's slip for the winter. The immigrants who are detained at Sand Point were given a treat yesterday by George MoArthur, who sent them a goodly quantity of candies, fruit, etc.

It is announced that the McClary Manufacturing company, London, has purchased Copp Bros, foundry in Hamilton, and will make Hamilton its headquarters for stoves and furnaces and will employ a large number of men.

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On Christmas day in Harlem, N. Y., a race riot broke out, which became almost a battle between negroes and whites. One hundred negroes with firearms and razors beat off an equal number of whites, but the police finally arrived and quelled the disturbance. Four men were hurt, but none killed. W. F. M. McLean, M.P. for Bast York, will run as a candidate in the Toronto mayoralty contest, provided he be allowed to retain his seat in parliament.

DEATH OF CAPTAIN AKERLY.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL.

Lilla Vane, W. S. Harkins' eister, is making a great hit in Toronto as Giory Quayle in The Christian.

Mrs. Medley last week forwarded to the treasurer of the Victoria hospital her annual dowation of \$100.—Frederic ton Reporter.

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Two of years ago to go into the auctioneering business. He was one of the oldest steamboat men on the river and was known to everyone between Fredericton and St. John. Mrs. E. B. McLauchlin, of Germain street.

The funeral of the late Capt. Moses A. Akerly, who died so suddenly yesterday morning, took place at three o'clock this afternoon from the residence of D. J. McLaughlin, Leinster street, and was very largely attended. The usual services were conducted at the house and grave by the Rev. Geo. M. Campbell and R. W. Weddail. Inferrent was made in Fernhill Cemetery in the family lot.

For whooping cough and croup, Vapo-Cree ene is a simple and per

KLONDIKE OVERWORKED. Lower Grade of Gravel Will Have to b

Developed in Future.

Charles Morton, a Klondike gold prospector, passed through the city today on a visit to his home in Augusta, Me., after six years spent in the land of gold. Mr. Morto. started for the Klondike when the boom first broke out in that 'region, and has had his share, he says, of the rough experiences incident to the miner's life there.

"I am not going home broke," he said; "neither am I ensumbered with superfluous wealth; but I have been fairly successful during my six years' prospecting, and that is more than thousands who have returned from the gold fields can say. I sold three good claims about a year ago, and I have another which I will work myself when I return in the spring.

another which I will work myself when I return in the spring.
"The period of prosperity in the mining sections, worked on present lines, is gradually drawing to a close," he continuéd. "In the neighborhood of the Kiondike- the feature has so far been the richness of the alluvial gravel. This rich material, however, has been pretty well exhausted, and before long mining will have to be developed on a less extentive scale, as a lower grade must be dealt with. The greater part of the gold area has yet to be worked, and as this consists largely of low-grade gravel some means will have to be found to cheapen cost and solve the water difficulty.

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"There is also needed a law that will thoroughly protect the owners of mining claims. In Cape Nome, particularly, a miner has practically no protection for his claim, and the only sureway he-base of retaking it is by guarding night and day with a loaded revolver.

"It is a territory of vast extent, and during the two years following the boom gold was found in paying quantities by those who knew how to get at it, but this is not the case now. Those parts of the Klondike which are comparatively easy of access have long since been worked out; in fact they are actually honeycombed. Yet thousands, in spite of this fact, persist in going there under the sad delusion that nuggets are plying around for the picking.

"There is no use going to the Klondike to received."

"There is no use going to the Klon-"There is no use going to the Klon-dike to prospect unless you have plen-ty of capital. The only sure way to succeed in that country now is to get into some legitimate business and leave the gold hunting alone. There is no-thing in it for those with no capital, and even those who have are seldom successful."

allowed to retain his seat in parliament.

Drs. Hoberts and Tremayne, of Ottawa, are appointed lieutenants in the medical corps for service in Africa.

In Mrs. F. McDougall, wife of the manager of the Royal Bank at Sackville, died at her home on Tuesday.

William Kelly will run as labor candidate for Kingston in the next generial dominion election.

The Guardian Assurance Company will erect an eight story office building on St. James street, Montreal, having recently purchased a vacant lot for stopo.

Paper manufacturers have announced a further advance in heavy papers of 25c. per 100 lbs. News print has been further advanced.

DEATH OF CAPTAIN

(Philadelphia Press.)

"How did you like the finale to my first act?" inquired the playwright.
"I didn't see it." replied the first nighter.

"Ah! Got there too late, eh?"

"No: went away too soon."

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Clockwork Toys,

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COMMENCING Dec 19th, the steamer ST. CROIX Will leave Saint John every THURSDAY morning, at 7.30, Stand-ard, for Eastport, Lubec, Portland and Boston. Returning, leaves Bos-ton MONDAY at 8.15 a.

Freight received daily up to 5 p. m. W. G. LEB, Agent, St. John, N. B.



Household **Eurniture** at Residence.

By Auction

I am instructed by Mrs. A. W. Reed to self at her residence, No. 163 Britain street, Monday, the 30th inst, at 19.36 O'clock, Household Furniture, etc. T. T. LANTALUM, Auctioneer. Office Chub's Corner. HAMILTON, Ont., Dec. 25.—It is announced that the McCleary Mfg. Co. of London has purchased Copp Bros. foundry in this city, and intends short-

and ranges. The McCleary Company will make Hamilton its headquarters for stoves and furnaces, and will em-ploy a large number of men. WANTED.—A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

ly to begin the manufacture of stor

MARRIAGES SMITH-ZWICKER.—In Eastport, Me., Dec. 12th, by Dr. E. M. Small, city clerk, Ver-non Smith of Londonderry, N. S., and Sadie E. Zwicker of Grand Manan, N. B.

DEATHS.

gail, of the Sackville branch of the Royal Bank of Canada.

JOHNSON.—At Bridgewater, Mass., Dec. 21, James Johnson, aged 50 years, leaving a wife and three children.

GLINB.—At Deer lefand, N. B., Dec. 11th, Nollie, daughter of James and Almira Cline, aged 14 years, 10 months.

LOYD.—At Deer Island, N. B., Dec. 19th, Katherine Loyd, aged 66 years.

I AM CLOSING UP BUSINESS HERE, having accepted My stock of Furs a position with a western wholesale house. and General Dry Goods in the store, 17 Charlotte St., will be sold at one half the regular price. The stock is large and complete and offers ample variety for choice. The store will be open every

Our own make Woolen Shirts, \$1.50 to 75c.; Socks, 50c. to 75c. All English Cambrics, 14c. to 6 and 7c. per yd.

evening until the stock is cleared. EVERYTHING MUST BE SOLD, and prices are reduced accordingly. W. H. FAIRALL, 17 Charlotte St.