Over Feildians. Through Season Without

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the Guards easily outplayed ians. One minute after the Robbie sent in a scorcher to hich Herder banged in on the Play was fast all through Munn who was playing me, scored two goals for the while Alderdice scored the the Feildians. The score end of the first period was 3 goals, Feildians 1.

second period saw some good work; Ewing, Tait and got in some good work and eral attempts to score, but ways cleared in great style. fore the close of the period, on a pass from Herder, scorfor the Guards; giving the 4 to 1 lead on the Feildians. hird period opened with a ind campaign on the Guards The Feildians combined well, Winter and Ewing, had a Robbie took control of the puck own goal and after a spectacuh scored No. 5 for the Guards; he prettiest goal for the evenhortly after the face-off, Payn isey for the Feildians second Play was now very open and again took control and stickg through the Feildian defence No. 6 for the Guards. With a nutes to go the play was concentre ice. The final gong leaving the Guards the wina score of 6 goals to 2. Tobin was referee.

PENALTTES. unter (1), Munn (2), r (2), Robbie (1). ans-Winter (3), Payn (1),

. Rendell (1). lowing were the line-ups: ns-Goal, Hunt; defence, d Rendell; centre, Payn; wings and Winter; Subs., Alderdice,

-Goal, Voisey; defence, Roband Munn; centre, Hunter; oultas and Herder; Subs, and Parsons.

OTES ON THE GAME. the Guards net custodian, a great game. and Parsons, who made their earance for the season, show-

the Feildians Ewing and Tait the best. Hunt in goal was in sual good form. and Munn started mixing 'all-dough" nothing serious

te For The Goose; ce For The Gander.

vening Telegram Sir.—The Advocate was most mate in its attempt to show Canadian statistics that Newand is very comfortably fixed matter of financial burdens, as ents knocked the unsound higher than a kite. It is able that the would-be political list fails to meet your well arguments by any further figures. Unfortunate in this empt to prove the superior of the Newfoundland taxthe matter of public debt, qually unfortunate in its seof argument to prove that who intelligently refuse to acsupported statements are eneto progress and development rday's Advocate fairly flouna sea of nonsense, when it the position which the News takes up. The News says man" is merely asking for the existence of those imcopper deposits, which the te says have been discovered Pond. The Advocate insists he News is wrong because man" will not accept the Adstatements. If the Advocate a say that its supply of paper from Grand Falls, I would acstatement without question. the Advocate were to say, on ord of Mr. Coaker, that the Is made of green cheese," I equire some proof before acsuch a strange belief. Mr. said there was coal at South Was he right? He says

ocate is singularly unhappy accuses all who refuse to exir skin to be bitten again, as emies to their native land, to progress, etc. Yesterday "fyles" again. Very unfor it is recognized that sauce for the goose is also the gapder. Will the Adturn to its 1915 fyles and those what Mr. Coaker he Humber scheme of that Advocate might also turn asard of that year and Coaker's speech on the Oration Bill. Was Mr.

n immense deposit of copper Gull Pond. Is he right? We

e proof. Once bitten twice

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Smartest Styles, small sizes 15c.

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Regular \$3.25 yard for ...

Regular \$4.80 yard for

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Beautiful Silks



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for Men and Boys

Thoroughout this Annual February Sale, we of-

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The stocks are brand new, nothing second hand

or of doubtful origin. Now is the time to secure School Suits for the Boys. Smart Suits and Spring

3-piece Suits, the Coats have plain or Kitchen-

er Back, Pants with plain or Cuff bottoms, in a

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In Handsome Tweeds, all sizes.

apparel at greatly reduced prices.

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Light Weight Overcoats.

Regular \$15.00 each. Sale Price

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The Royal Stores, Ltd.

Men's Tweed Suits.

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Chambrays. 23 in. wide. Self colours of Reseda, Saxe and Helio. Reg. 17c. per yard. Sale Price 15c.

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33 in. wide. Reg. 45c. yd. S. Price 39c.
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In assorted pretty striped and floral designs, 36 in. wide. Regular 32c. per yard. Sale Price 27c. Dress Lines.

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Assorted designs and colours. 25 in. wide. Reg. 35c. yd. S. Price 30c. 31 in. wide. Reg. 45c. yd. S. Price 39c.

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In assorted Tweeds and Serges, Plain and

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Well made Canvas and Cordurey Jackets, lined with Sheepskin, splendid for Carmen, Teamsters, etc., all sizes.

Made of heavy Twilled Canvas, Lined with warm Kersey. Fitted with Sheepskin Collars. Regular \$18.50 each, Sale Price . . . \$10.00

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Sheepskin-Lined Jackets.

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Single Breasted Styles. Open

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Reg. \$10.50 ea. Sale Price \$ 8.95
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Decided Savings on Gloves

this opportunity to huy Gloves at a decided saving; here are some of the values that are in

Women's Tan Kid Gloves. Dent's own make, wool lined; 2 dome fasteners; all sizes. Reg. \$4.50 **\$4.05**

Women's Suede Gloves. Soft finished Tan Suede Gloves in assorted sizes; wool lined. Reg. \$3.92 \$4.35 pair for Women's

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In colors of Beaver, Grey, Black and White; assorted sizes. Reg. \$2.75 \$2.48

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Men's Tan Gloves. 'Tan' Suede and Cape Kid Gloves, unlined, strongly made; all sizes. Reg. \$2.25 pair for

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Another lot Gloves in Grey as heavy quality: le pair for ...

Ringwood Gloves. A limited number of pairs only, in colors of Navy, 60c.

Assorted colors and sizes.

A Clearance Sale of

Furs made up from thoroughly re-liable skins. Excellent in style and satisfactory in wear; prices do not bear the faintest relation to the quality of these goods; any one of them would be excellent value at twice the present

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American Grey Wolf Set— Reg. \$42.50 per set. Sale Price \$36.10 Taupe Lynx Set—

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70% Woo Size 50 x 70. Reg. \$ 5.00 j Size 54 x 70. Reg. \$ 6.25 j Size 60 x 78. Reg. \$ 7.50 j Size 66 x 88. Reg. \$ 8.75 j Size 70 x 83. Reg. \$10.00 j All Wool

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Taupe Lynx Set—

Reg. \$42.00 per set. Sale Price \$37.50

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Reg. \$12.00 per set. Sale Price \$10.20

Fur Stoles.

Wool Blankets



ity to buy reliable Blan prices as these, just look

The new Spring styles are now howing.

On March 1st, 1897, during a cold snell the thermometer showed 19 helow in St John's and vicinity, However, the lowest temperature on record, as generally asserted, was that of the 10th February, 1883-the night of the Wool Factory fire-forty years

Feb. 10, 1923. Don't forget to come to the T. A. Hall on Feb. 12th. T. A. Ladies' Auxiliary will hold a Card Party and Dance; also pancakes will be served by the ladies. Bennett's Orchestra will be in attendance.-feb10,2i

OLD ST. JOHN'S.

Hard Winters of the Past

WHEN THE MERCURY ALMOST

Dear Sir .- As the severe weather

btaining for the past week or so, has

ew records of the following weather

The winter (February, 1843) fam-

iliarly known as that of "The Three

Suns"-a curiosity that aroused the fears and excited the minds of many

of the inhabitants at the time-the

glass consecutively registered, for

some fifteen days, from 9 to 10 below

In February, 1857, fourteen years

later, much similar weather set in

about the middle of the month, and

continued uninterruptedly till the

27th. During this spell an incident

worth recalling occurred in the burn-

ing of a considerable nortion of the

brig Margaret, owned by Capt, Peter

Feehan, at the wharf of Messrs. Mc-Bride and Kerr The vessel had been

partly outfitted for the sealing voyage

when the unfortunate happening oc-

curred, on the night of February 21st

However, as the time was getting

short, the sailing being then on the

1st of March, an unusual rush was

made to effect repairs. Shipwrights,

joiners, riggers, etc., were hurriedly

orgaged to perform the work, during

which intense frost prevailed, making

it quite difficult in expediting the job.

Finally, the good old firm of Mc-

Bride & Kerr, who were agents for

the Margaret, and anxious that the

ship should be ready in time, thought-

fully, and with the desired results,

also, placed a hogshead of Jamaica

rum on the wharf for distribution

among the workmen. The "stingo"

was given in charge of a trusted em-

plovee, who systematically dispensed

four "welts" daily to each man, to-

gether with a "grog-bit" of "No. 1

Hamburg." Consequently, everything

went swimmingly while the frost

lasted, and till the vessel was ready

February, 1876, was an unusually

frosty month, the thermometer reg-

istering for a considerable time on

and about zero. On the 5th, however, the mercury dropped to 16 below in

the city. The first week in February,

1874, a severe snap also struck the

city and suburbs, the glass on one

occasion, Feb. 7th, recoding 10 below

zero. On February 16, 1875, during a

frosty spurt, the glass at the Block-

house, Signal Hill, registered 23 be-

low: while a few days later, Feb.

20th, it recorded 20. February 25th, 1889, an intense cold wave swept over

the city and the temperature on that

day is recorded for 12 below.

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casioned much talk and discussion on the matter, I desire to forward a

Bible Society.

ANNUAL MEETING TO-MORREW

Patrons and friends are asked to please note that the Annual Meeting of the Newfoundland Bible Society will be held in the Methodist College Hall, to-morrow (Sunday) even-ing, beginning at 8.15 o'clock. His Excellency the Governor will give an address, followed by the President, Rev. Canon Bolt and Rev. Hammond Johnson. A musical programme, and a collection in aid of the funds of the Society will be taken up.

Personal.

Mr. C. D. Sleater, Jeweller and Optician, leaves by Sable I. for New York where he will take a special course in optical work. Ray, Frances Cacciola, who has just completed a visitation of several of his missions on the eastern shore will return to Barhaven this evening via North Hr. and Sound Island, ice

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

We beg to announce that we have reduced the price charged for gas from \$3.00 to \$2.75 per 1,000 feet as from January 1st, 1928. Reductions totaling 75 cents per 1,000 feet have now been made since October 31st, 1921, evidence of our earnest desire to reduce the cost in addition to increasing the efficiency and reliability of our GAS

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