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> are Best Hockey Boots on the Market.

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This Store prides itself on its specialties. They afford the opportunities to get out of the rut—to get away from the commonplace. In selling these special lines the pleasure derived is mutual-our customer's satisfaction equals our own.

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YOUR **MOTTO** FOR 1916

Should be "Nothing but Geo. A. Slater's Invictus

Footwear For Me."

The laexcusable Thing.

By RUTH CAMERON.

cannot be excus- haughtily explained the rudeness by And one of saying, "I am Bismark." "That said the dignitary, "explains but does is the wearing of not excuse your conduct."

That's the way I feel about soiled gloves. I met a white gloves, that in ninety-nine cases woman the other out of a hundred, though they may be day whom I used explained, they cannot be excused. to know when we A torn veil is another unnecessary were both in offence against good dressing. Per-

school. She was haps one cannot always afford a new stepping out of viel, but one can always omit the veil her little closed altogether. Beauty or plainness uncar and bidding adorned by any veil is more adorned the fur-clad chaf- than by a torn veil. Of course there feur wait while is the possible excuse in this case that she went into the bank, sufficient evi- the veil has been torn during the day. dences surely that she was reason- Better Good Serge Than Shoddy Silk ably prosperous. She was well-dress-

ed, too, in every detail but one, as Shoddy silks and velvets also seem she paused to greet me I noticed she inexcusable to me. I would far rathhad on very much-soiled white gloves.

She Didn't Have To Hang Onto a Strap.

Strap. that I was poor, the other that I liked

It seemed to me that she was with- cheap, shoddy, pretentious things. out a shred of excuse for that mark Most of us are so limited by our of ill-breeding. She evidently had means that we cannot fully exp money enough to keep plenty of our personality in our clothes. But gloves on hand; she was in a machine we can at least show that we prefer and therefore had not the extenuation the simple, the real, the unpretenof having been obliged to hold a soiled tious and the clean, to the shoddy, the cheaply pretentious, the imitation Perhaps you will agree with me and the soiled.

With My Letter Friends.

ting circumstances, but will hold that in other cases there might be some. Question. - In choosing a wife as, for instance, in the case of a wowhich type of face should be a sign of man who has left her home with agreeableness; or, in other words, clean white gloves, but returns at isn't the round-faced woman always night with the soil of a day's wear. more or less of a scold? upon them. Yes, that is much less Answer.-I know some that aren'

culpable than to start out with soiled and some oval-faced that are, and gloves, but why wear white gloves in vice versa. I should choose a wife cases like that at all? Aren't dark by a study of her disposition rather suede or dogskin gloves much better than the shape of her face. An Explanation, Not An Excuse.

"Stafford's Liniment" cures ing pushed himself, out of turn and gia and all Aches and Pains. without the proper introduction, into Sold in over 500 stores-jan5,tf

In stock for immediate delivery 280 barrels choice N. S APPLES, including

Wagners, Baldwins, Starks, Manns, Kings.

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SWEARING OFF.



worn jay, who's both, and join the Pumpville critters. In gilded pony, and blown

Day the world-

ing ale, and found the whole thing the old red ink find it the joy destroy- to 10 above. er. He's looped the loops with noisy troops of youths who raise the dickwhile yet you can, and leave the booze and-rye, will poison you and blind the Southside Range are fast becom-you. Swear off, tired heart, the water ing good marksmen. cart is waiting at the portal, to bear you far from gilded bar, to where men sing and chortle. To Hydrantgrad it goes, my lad; climb on, ere it's a gon-

U. S. Senator

er! There you'll win back the things you lack, your self respect, your

CHARGED WITH STEALING MIL-

Chicago, Dec. 31.-William Loriner, formerly United States Senator and president of the defunct La Salle Street Trust nad Savings Bank, was ormerly placed on trial to-day on a charge of looting the institution of \$2,000,000 in money and securities, and the case was then continued to January 17, when the selection of jurors

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Affairs Of Hockey Here and There. League Discussed.

On Saturday night the annual mee

ing of the Newfoundland Hockey Lea

gue took place at the office of the

bin read the reports which were very

executive, viz., W. J. Higgins, Presi-

The season's series of games were

Terra Novas versus Victorias.

Terra Novas versus Feildians.

Terra Novas versus St. Bon's.

elected their officers as follows:-

These in addition to W. Callahan

ot the C.M.B.C.

ill comprise the selecting committe

At the annual meeting of the Cathe-

dral Men's Bible Class held vesterday

afternoon, Rev. J. Brinton presided

and the reports presented showed tha

Lay Chairman-Fred. Reid. re-elect.

Readers-Ray Cornick, Geo. House

Literature Committee-Geo. Reid, A

Whitten, C. Andrews, re-elected; R

Ushers Geo. Laite, W. Harnett, G.

Band Leader-W. Hitchcock, elect-

Book Endownment Fund-J. Law-

rence, J. White, re-elected; Wm. Eng-

The meeting closed with the cus

Enters Hospital.

To-day Inspector General Sullivan

Collector-G. Reid, re-elected.

Ryall, A. Roberts, elected.

crossman, elected.

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land, elected.

Secretary-A. Bugden, re-elected.

Asst. Sec .- J. Mercer, elected.

Treas.-H. Ford, re-elected.

Geo. Vokey, elected.

Vice-Pres.-Dr. Power.

Annual Meeting

Delegate-J. J. St. John.

Feildians versus St. Bon's.

Victorias versus St. Bon's.

Victorias versus Feildians

ures drawn up:-

SCHOOLS RE-OPEN.-The Convent hools of the city which had been osed for the Christmas holidays rened this morning. /

best Cough Medicine for all kinds of Coughs and Colds. Price 25c. Postage 5c. extra.—jan5,tf

WILL BRING ANOTHER FREIGHT The S. S. Meigle, Tavernor, left here dent; J. M. Tobin, Secretary-Treasurearly yesterday morning for North Sydney whence she will bring another cargo of freight to this port.

Hand Sewing Machines, \$10.50 each; Foot Sewing Machines, \$25.00 each. BOWRING BROS. Hardware.-dec14,tf

R. C. CATHEDRAL.—Rev. Father Nangle occupied the pulpit at the R C. Cathedral last evening and deliver ed an eloquent sermon on the efficacy of prayer. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament was imparted by Rev. E. J. Wilson, P. P., Marystown.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE the 20th instant. nov22,m,tf

PAPER AND PULP SHIPMENT .-- A local freight train with ten carloads of paper and pulp from the A. N. D Co., at Grand Falls, arrived in the city tired of beer and at 8.30 last evening. It will be tranbitters, frames up shipped to England by the S. S. Alan oath to cut out | conda which is due here early next month.

Stafford's Prescription "A" halls he's bought cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, highballs, a n d Gastritis and Nervous Dyspepbrandy by the sia. Price 25 and 50c. bottle. Postage 5 & 10c. extra.—jan5,tf

LOWEST TEMPERATURE. - The phony. He's worn old rags while lowest temperature for the season placing jags his saturated hide in, for was registered at Bishop's Falls on lads who booze can't have good shoes Saturday night last, the thermometer I believe it was Bismark who, hav- Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neural- and clothes they take a pride in. He at that place being 5 below at midhad a place, but in disgrace, was fired night. At other points along the railby his employer; for boys who drink way the temperature ranged from zero

> ens; he's bumped the bumps, and, in volunteers of H Company spent Saturthe dumps, repentance throbs and day at Swedish drill and other indoor quickens. Swear off, young man, exercises. The recruits are making | satisfactory progress and some of behind you; the suds you buy, the rot- them who have had rifle practice at

> > Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Gentlemen, - Theodore Dorais, a customer of mine, was completely cured of rheumatism after five years of suffering, by the judicious use of MINARD'S LINIMENT. The above facts can be verified by vriting to him, to the Parish Priest

or any of his neighbors. A. COTE. Merchant St. Isidore, Que., 12 May, '98.

LAID TO REST-The funeral of the ate James Lester took place yesterday Mount Pearl and was largely attendoperated on for a serious bodily ailded. At the Cross Roads the procession was met by the members of the
S. O. E. who preceded the hearse to the
C. E. Cemetery where interment took

operated on for a serious bodily ailment from which he has been suffering and causing him much anxiety for
a considerable time past. His many
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friends will wish him a speedy recovfriends will wish him a speedy recov
friends will wish him a speedy recovplace, Rev. H. Uphill officiating.

Stephano Here Again. FREIGHT CONGESTION AT NEW

The Red Cross Liner, Stephano Captain Smith, arrived here last night President. Representatives of all the from New York and Halifax, bringing Nova Scotia port was made in forty-

From New York-H. M. Dix, M. B Bailey, Mrs. J. O. Hawvermale, F. and Mrs. Crane, R. Bishop, F. B. Wood, R. J. Power who acted on the Execu-Mrs. S. Bray, and 2 children, A. Osthen discussed and the following fixnond, H. May.

From Halifax-E. A. Dickson, A. T. Lawton, J. and Mrs. Richards, W. D. Bliss, C. S. Williams, R. C. Bonnell, W J. Newmarch, A. and Mrs. Moulton, G. D. McCluckey, R. D. Adams and R. G. Pennell

As it is the intention to get the S. S Stephano away again by Wednesday tion of the first or twelve games to be played. The teams will start to get in | will be continued night and day with trim this evening and as soon as each a double shift of labourers. The ship team has had four practices the series has to take a big outward freight of

will commence, and with an absence, fish. ct soft weather will likely mean about off the route a big quantity of freight At a meeting yesterday St. Bon's has accumulated at New York and Boston and in order to relieve the made at this end as well as at New York and Halifax to have the Stephano make as many trips as possible,

In Five Minutes! No Indigestion. Gas Or Sour. Acid Stomach

moment "Pape's Diapepsin" reaches the stomach all distress goes.

the past year had been successful, es-"Really does" put bad stomach in order-"really does" overcome indipecially as regards the Harbor and Wharf Mission. Election of officers gestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that—just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the home at Fogo by the S. S. Ethie on Chairman-Rev J Brinton re-electlargest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments in a handsome travelling costume of into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food match. That many years of happiness and acid: head is dizzy and aches: breath foul: tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the Capt. Harbor Mission-J. Billard, stomach all such distress vanishes It's truly astonishing-almost marvel-Capt. Wharf Mission-K. Saunders, ous, and the joy is its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent cases of Pape's Hospital Visitor-Wm. Frampton, Diapepath will give you a hundred dollars worth of satisfaction or your druggist hands you your money back. It's worth its weight in gold to men achs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy was not on board. in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or night. It's the Men Of Military quickest, surest and most harmle stomach regulator in the world.

Here and There.

TABASCO LEAVES. - The S. S. Tabasco leaves Liverpool to-morrov

TRAVELLERS ARRIVE. - Twelve ntered the General Hospital to - be

T. A. B. S.

The regular monthly meeting of the A, and B. S. Society was held yesterday. One juvenile was transferred from Rt. Hon. Sir E. P. Morris thanking the Society for their kindly reference in their annual report and for the vote of thanks passed to him. After the presentation of the usual reports the meeting adjourned.

Wedding Bells.

BRADLEY-SCOTT. At Lewisporte on the 25th day of

December at the residence of the

bride's parents a very pretty wedding few invited friends. The officiating clergyman was Rev. W. J. Wilson. The ontracting parties being Miss Madge Bradley, eldest daughter of W. W. Bradley, J. P., and Mr. Robert Scott, Sub-Collector of Fogo. The bride wore a dress of white silk crepe de chine with bridal veil and orange blossoms and was attended by her sister, Miss Daisy Bradley, who was also prettily attired in pale blue silk crepede-chine. The groom was supported by Mr. Ford Manuel, while the bride was given away by her father. After the ceremony a reception was held in which a few of the happy couple's immediate friends participated. The bride was the recipient of a large number of presents, including some very fine silverware from St. John's. The happy couple left for their future December 27th, the bride being attired saxe blue corduroy velvet, with hat to may be vouchsafed to Mr. and Mrs Scott is the sincere wish of their many friends.

Police Busy.

Immediately on her arrival last night the s.s. Stephano was searched by the police, who were endeavouring to locate a man who quit the country some time ago, aftre committing an offence best known to himself. Howand women who can't get their stom- ever, the police were unsuccessful in their mission as the party "wanted"

Age In Canada.

According to the Last Census Returns the Total is 1,468,370.

Ottawa, January 3.-In connection with the increase of the Canadian forces to half a million men, statistics from the last census bearing on the subject are of pertinent interest. By ommercial travellers, representing the census of 1911, the male popula-

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as a helper th is reduced use-time is and the cl are preserved.

SUNLIGHT does the work is made for purpose.

Try it and vour time

LONDON, Dec. 1 MINISTERS AND THEIR

cluding the Lord Lieutenan escaped the attention of audic have been urged by M.P.'s mise-that the salaries of should be stopped altogeth the war, but if this extreme does not commend itself to liamentary representatives th at least consent to forego proportion of their salaries isters. The circumstances analogous, and ought not to ed as if they were.

THE FREEDOM OF THE

The French press is at prefreest in Europe; it is altoget from political censorship. present Government was for Socialists and Radicals stuck a political free press, and ship strictly limited to things tary significance. The batch papers just arrived here fro show many remarkable sign new regime. One may take, ample, two articles. One is a in "I'Humanite" by M. Renau succeeded after the assassin Jaures to the leadership of the Socials. It discusses the pro-Salonika, and states the argun and against the complete wit The arguments, which M. states against evacuation are would be an open check to th that it would be the abandon Serbia as a "gage," and that would thereupon attack Ru favor of evacuating Salonika audel adduces the danger to t forces and the magnitude of th

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Pain in back or side is aw to reach. Deep in the tissu congested or strained muscle. long way for a liniment to g ments you have used have not it, and the pain bothers you, moving or lying down.

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Heinz Indian Relish, 20c. & Freshly Ground Scotch

that this case was without extenua-

than sure-to-be-soiled white ones?

Jelly Powders, to make 1 pt. Fresh Roasted Peanuts,

Fruit Salad, 15c. pkg. California Asparagus, tins. Crystalized Ginger, glass. nger Cubes, glass. China Ginger, crocks.

McLaren's Cheese, crocks.

1 lb. boxes Chocolates, 40c.

California Navel Oranges. Florida Oranges. Table Apples. Valencia Oranges. Hartley's New Season's

Lazenby's Pickles. C. & B. Jams. Small Ribs of Pork.

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