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Sailed Today.
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WINTER PORT NOTES

C. P. R. liner Lake Manitoba, from Liverpool, is expected here tomorrow with about 200 passengers.

Alban liner Grampan is expected at Halifax tonight or tomorrow. She should be here Friday night or Saturday morning.

C. P. R. liner Montreal, from London and Antwerp, is expected here next week with 400 passengers.

Donaldson liner Athens, Captain McNeill was expected to sail for Glasgow about 4 o'clock this afternoon with about fifty passengers.

Cholera Deaths in Sicily
Rome, Dec. 8.—Five cases of cholera and five deaths were officially reported yesterday, all in Sicily. The rest of Italy, it is announced, is free of the disease.

Wall Street Today.
New York, Dec. 8.—Higher prices were the rule at the opening of the stock market, but the gains in representative stocks were as a rule of little consequence.

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IMPURE FOOD CAUSE OF DEATH OF WHOLE FAMILY OF SEVEN

Berlin, Dec. 8.—A family of seven persons has died at Gramden, Prussia, eating impure food. Within the last week there have been several hundred cases of similar poisoning in this city.

HOW TO CHOOSE WHEN YOU GO TO MARKET
But few young housewives, and for that matter, even many older ones, know how to tell if meats and vegetables are fresh when they are bought, or how much to buy for the family.

One should, however, aim to allow one-half pound of meat for each person. The fat should be firm, but if hard and skiny, it indicates that the animal was old and tough; if thin, from a scrawny animal.

Beef or mutton should be of a deep rosy color and the fat rich cream. The choice cuts for roasting are the loin and porterhouse cuts. Sirloin and short ribs are good for steaks, but about as much as you prefer the pinbone steak.

Good pork has a smooth, thin rind, which is firm to the touch and of a light color. The color, if any, ought to be natural and not disagreeable.

When selecting poultry see that the feet are soft and moist, the eyes clear, the comb and wattle bright red, the skin greenish or greenish look about the veins indicates decay.

There is any suspicion that a fowl has been in cold storage pour hot water into the inside. If any disagreeable odor is detected the fowl is not fit for the table.

LIVE NEWS OF TODAY IN ST. JOHN

Pronto and Converter collar overcoats at Thurston's 460 Main street.

Colwell Bros', Peter street, will be open evening until 10 p.m. from now until Xmas.

Mail your Christmas parcels and orders at King street, and Company's mail box.

WORKING WITHOUT LICENSE.
The west side police have reported that the late Perry Boatman, Morris Henning, Joseph Solomon, and Arthur Roddy for working in the city without license.

CARD OF THANKS.
Wm. McConnell, of Simonds street, and family, in gratitude for the kindly sympathy of many friends in accepting this expression of their thanks.

UNIMPEACHABLE.—If you were to see the unequalled volume of unimpeachable testimony in favor of His Lordship, you would applaud yourself for so long deferring to take this effective medicine for that blood disease from which you are so suffering.

OPENING LECTURE TONIGHT.
All Templars of Honor are invited to be present at the opening lecture of the temperance and educational course this evening at the regular meeting of Alexandra Temple of Honor, Rev. D. Hutchinson, D.D., is to be the speaker.

ART CLUB TONIGHT.
The monthly meeting of the St. John Art Club will be held at 8 o'clock.

TEA AND SALE.
The Ladies' Aid Society of the Carmarthen street Methodist church are holding a tea and sale at the residence of Mrs. E. M. Robertson, 206 Wentworth street, this afternoon and evening.

FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.
In the Catholic churches in the city and in other parts of the world today was observed as the feast of the Immaculate Conception.

STEAMER SUNK.
Yarmouth, Eng., Dec. 8.—The steamer Blackburn, from Grimsby for Antwerp, was sunk in collision with the steamer Sutherland, two boat loads of 32 people had not been reported this afternoon.

NOT A ST. JOHN VESSEL.
Schoner Catherine, Captain McLean, which put into Boston yesterday evening, came from Turin Island after a tempestuous voyage and which struck the pier Graves ledge off Boston, is not a St. John vessel as indicated in a Boston dispatch. She is owned at Meteghan River, N. S., by James Gosman. The schooner had a cargo of salt.

Showing Christmas Millinery at M. R. A.'s
This is a special exhibit of brand new millinery designs. They are handsome models, all different and prepared especially to serve as Christmas gifts and to be sold at such favorable prices as to make them unusual bargains for holiday shoppers. On display in millinery room, Friday morning.

BANK OF TORONTO MAN

Thomas F. How, manager of the Bank of Toronto in Montreal, who, it is said, will come to Toronto to become general manager when M. Duncan Coulson succeeds W. H. Best as president.

"DIED BETWEEN DRINKS"

What Actually Took Place Between Governors of the Carolinas
(Governor Martin F. Ansel of South Carolina, and Governor W. W. Kitchener, of North Carolina, met today and issued the following joint statement.

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