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ed against fire and marine risk.

TELEPHONES:-BUSINESS OFFICE, 25.

EDITORIAL and NEWS DEPT., ST. JOHN STAR.

The average daily circulation of the Star for November was 6,233; for the past three months, 6,213; for the past six months, 6,138.

CLEAN EIECTIONS. It indicates a peculiar condition, not thinking of something that may hapcomforting to think about, that in or- pen bye-and-bye. der to prevent the open corruption of voters by means of money and intoxitest, it was necessary for the campaign managers of both parties to enter into solemn agreement that the laws gova permanent thing, that such an agreement should be made at all; not because coming to realize that by far the greater part of the money used illegally in had nothing, the latter would undoubtedly be placed at considerable disadvantage. But that condition seldom occurs. Both sides generally seem to be pretty well fixed for funds and where the balance is anywhere nearly even, it

it may increase the total vote, does little good to either party. Probably the supporters of Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Mc-Keown last November had as much servative fund-as the Blair and Tucker workers had in 1900, and look at the framed the present license law have been smaller.

ably have as beneficial an effect. Moral part of the play.

Mr. Rhea further says: triumphs, while exceedingly satisfyms tical business common sense is apt to be lasting. If the practical politicians can be convinced that money invested returns, pure elections will inevitably follow. And if a few consecutive elections are conducted along the lines of the court in the co returns, pure elections will inevitably follow. And if a few consecutive elections are conducted along the lines promised in the present contest, the public moral cense, which has endured corruption until it has learned to pity and embrace it without a shudder, will have a chance to get back to normal; authority was paid over to the property of the

MR. MAXWELL'S REPLY.

Alderman Maxwell's speech last night effectively answers the charges and unfair insinuations of the Globe. He itical prejudice that his position as an alderman had nothing whatever to do with his work on the new library building. His aldermanic pull had certainly nothing to do with the contract for the that was awarded by the council to the fluence upon a contractor, it is certain he did not do so in this case, for he obtained his sub-contract from Mr. Myles City Fuel Co., 94 Smythe St. just as Mr. Myles obtained the main term shows excellent results in contract from the city; by underbidding that line. At the close of the term

The Globe's other charge—that while working on the library building he held tions of pupils to enter after Christhis position as a member of the civic mas it is evident that some will have ens were read amid loud cheers. The

from Mr. Myles.

Mr. Maxwell further exposes the hypocrisy of the Globe's present stand by pointing out that though he held this sub-contract before the late civic contest last April, the Globe then raised work.

The Archbishop of Santiago's allusion to all teaching outside that of Roman Catholics as "perverted morality."

The demonstrators paraded the streets with flags, banners and bands of work.

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Shibley, the Liberal candidate in Fron- night. Regan again, as in his previo officer has disappeared without com-pleting his duties. Can he be in Pitts-

St. John lost a good man and a brave | consecutive victory over Regan. man when Rev. Howard H. Roach died. encing December 15, 1904, His record of faithful and efficient ser- 3-inch amber stem, 95c. at Louis amer leaves St. John at 8 a. m. vice during his brief residence here Green's. pastor he earned the respect and love Returning from Boston at 9 a. m. via
Portland, Eastport and Lubec Monageous and self forgetting work during All cargo, except live stock, is insur- the memorable small pox epidemic he was honored and esteemed by the whole city. His early death is a loss to the and Brier Pipes

Louis Green's.

Baptist denomination and a cause of sincere mourning to all who knew him.

THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY have, says the Toronto World, will have (Ltd.), at St. John, New Brunswick, a special submarine flotilla to be de-

> pleased at the action of the convention, while he was away, in nominating Mr. been, would make their submission as the prospects of another winter's gracefully as he did. The ordinary sport. gracefully as he did. The ordinary When you are shopping, don't forget to call at the York Bakery, 290 Brustreacherous finds it difficult to turn the other cheek; but Mr. Pugsley does it with a smile not quite as sweet as usual, but still a smile. Perhaps he is

A CHRISTMAS FOLK-SONG The little Jesus came to town; The wind blew up, the wind blew down Out in the street the wind was bold;

They open wide a stable door, Fair were the rushes on the floor; The ox put forth a horned head: "Come, little Lord, here make thy bed."
Uprose the sheep were folded near:
"Thou Lamb of God, come, enter here."
He entered there to rush and reed, Who was the Lamb of God indeed. The little Jesus came to town; With ox and sheep he laid him down Peace to the byre, peace to the fold, For that they housed Him from the

RHEA'S STRONG CHARGES.

Says That Liquor Dealers' Plebiscite Campaign Fund Has Been Spent in

John Rhea writes: "The Blair gove ment in 1896, after impoverishing the treasury to keep themselves in power, er workers had in 1800, and 180k at the result. We believe that had there been result. We believe that had there been venue and for the benefit of hotel keepwhere at all in the last election the ers at the expense of the law abiding.

All Provisions Than For Years. no bribery at all in the last election the ers at the expense of the law abiding no bribery at all in the last election the licensed dealers, knowing as they did result would have been about the same, how hard it was to enforce the law

have been smaller.

But while the decision of the party managers in St. John city may not be a moral triumph, directly, it will prob-

at the time, have a way of being evan-escent, while a reform based on poli-the validity of the 110th section, relat-

nave a chance to get back to normal; authority was paid over to the provincial election fund without calling a general meeting or even a meeting get a severe shock.

MCDONALD SCHOOL CLOSED. Interesting Exercises at the Kingston Institution Yesterday.

The Macdonald school at Kingston held its first public examination Thursattended the closing exercises. The gramme consisting of recitations, solos, emas decorations are removed. quartettes, choruses, etc., which were rendered in a manner that delighted whole work going to Mr. Myles, for all the visitors. Next appeared two Christmas trees which were loaded down with about 600 ornaments and lowest tenderer. If, as an alderman, it is possible for him to exercise undue inhandiwork of the pupils of the school. This work was done in the manual training department outside of school

The record of attendance for the there were 170 pupils enrolled. The school will only accommodate about

JOHN REGAN BEATEN Some of the Government's organs announce that the department of the interior is about to open agencies in Boston, Syracuse and Pittsburg. It will be seen a local to the control of the co ton, Syracuse and Pittsburg. It will be was knocked out in the seventeenth femembered that the last heard of Mr. ounters with Attel, cast his stalling that he was in Boston; that the last fornian from the first ring of the gong heard from Bryon O. Lott, the Liber- Regan's lead was marked until the al candidate in West Hastings, also a half-way point was reached, including fugitive from justice, was a telegram dated Syracuse. One Onebec returning dated Syracuse. One Quebec returning ily improved until near the end of the on Regan's jow, dazing him. A light-ning left and right to the same spot sent Regan to the floor and he was counted out. This was Attel's third

French Brier Pipes, in cases, with a

LOCAL NEWS

every afternoon (except Sunday) at voted to the work of diving for bogus day morning, 23rd, will endeavor to make daily round trips between Pictou, N. S., and Georgetown, P. E. I., leav-The Victoria Rink opened last even ing with a large attendance, and the ice in excellent condition. The band belonging to the rink was in attendance and the scores of young people

> sels street, and order your fruit cake. Cake to suit all, from 12c. to 40c. per Fruit, plum, pound, cherry, sultana, etc., cranberry, mince, apple, lemon and pies of all kinds to tempt the palate. London Snowflake bread still leads. Ask your grocer for our goods. YORK BAKERY, 'phone 1,457.
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> A Christmas gift that is entirely new and distinctly different from that which appropulate the proper likely. anyone else has, is prized more high-ly than that of a commoner nature. The new silk and wool material shirt waists which have just been received at F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s store were made especially for the Christmas trade and only one or two of each style is being shown. They are particular ly attractive in newness and especially so in the low prices. This firm is also showing a very large importation, just to hand, of ladies' and men's umbrellas, which are at least one-third under their regular price. They also have strong attractions in the ladies' cloak department, where ladies' jackets and

tailored suits are being sold at less than half their regular price.

A largely attended meeting of the Seamen's Mission was held last night. The ladies of the W. C. T. U. took charge of the exercises. Mrs. Seymour presided and made an address. The annual Christmas treat for boys of the brine will be held next Friday night, when the usual donations of mitts and socks will be made. It is expected that there will be about four hun-dred sailors present. Superintendent Gorbell has already mailed one hundred letters this week for the sailors who have written letters at the mis-

TEN THOUSAND TURKEYS

sion to their relatives.

It is many a year since the market though, as many on both sides would not have voted, the total vote would have been smaller.

against hotels selling after hours and was so completely stocked with Christmas eatables. A trader this morning mas eatables. A trader this morning roughly estimated the number of turning trades. ing are the prices obtaining today:

Beef steak, lb., 12c. to Alamb, lb., 5c. to 12c. Ham, lb., 14c. to 18c. Bacon, lb., 16c. to 18c. Deer, 1b., 20c. to 25c. Fowl, pair, 50c. to \$1.00. Chicken, pair, 50c. to \$1.25 Ducks, pair, 90c. to \$1.25. Wild duck, pair, 60c. Geese, each, 90c. to \$1.50. Turkey, 1b., 18c. to 25c. Potatoes, bbl., \$1.85 to \$1.85 Carrots, bbl., \$1.50 to \$1.75. Turnips, bbl., 70c. to 85c. Beets, bbl., \$1 to \$1.25. Squash, bbl., \$2.00. Pumpkins, lb., 1c. to 11/2c. Cabbage, doz., 60c. to \$1.00. Parsnips, bbl., \$1.70 to \$2. Onions, 1b., 4½c. and 5c. Apples, bbl., 75c. to \$2.50. Butter, 1b., 18c. to 22c. Butter, roll, 25c. to 26c.

afternoon. About 300 visitors never was more attractive. Many word of the ceremony. Then she talk from all sections of the country around dealers just completed decorating today. No one, even though he be not son-in-law, and the party adjourned attended the closing exercises. The a purchaser, should miss having a for dinner. Afterward Mr. and Mrs. first hour was taken up with the pro-

> Cambridge Cigars, \$2.00 per box; Little Queens, ten for 25c. Everything at cheap prices at Louis Green's, tf a house coat or a fancy vest will no

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
PROBLEM IN CHILI.

his position as a member of the civic committee in charge of the construction and so obtained unfair advantages—Mr. Maxwell refutes by showing that he near future. The register shows an average attendance during the term of over 90 per cent. of the pupils entered a most of the pupils entered as a Christian and their stubborn opposition to science and enlightenment. Many Protestants, free thinkers and others took part in the demonstration as a sign of protest against the Archlyshop of Santiago's allusion to the Archlyshop of Santiago's allusion to the Archlyshop of Santiago's allusion to the pupils entered amid loud cheers. The orators bitterly denounced Jesuitism, recalling the crimes of the popes and their stubborn opposition to science and enlightenment. Many Protestants, free thinkers and others took part in the demonstration as a sign of protest against the Archlyshop of Santiago's allusion to the pupils entered away. Mr. Hamilton thinks it probable that an addition will have to made to the building in their stubborn opposition to science and enlightenment. Many Protestants, free thinkers and others took part in the demonstration as a sign of protest against the Archlyshop of Santiago's allusion to the pupils entered away. Mr. Hamilton thinks it probable that an addition will have to made to the building in their stubborn opposition to science and enlight store," corner Duke and Charlotte thinkers and others took part in the demonstration as a sign of protest against the Archlyshop of Santiago's allusion to the pupils entered away. Mr. Hamilton thinks it probable that an addition will have to made to the building in their stubborn opposition to science and enlight store, corner Duke and Charlotte thinkers and others took part in the demonstration as a sign of protest against the carrier of the pupils entered away. Mr. Hamilton thinks it probable that an addition will have to made to the building in their stubborn opposition to science and enlight store, corner Duke and Charlotte store the pupils and their s

N. W. Brenan, FUNERAL DIRECTOR. 715 Foot of Main Street.

TELEPHONES: OFFICE---222 A. NIGHT CALLS---222 B Embalming a Specialty.

McELHENNY-RITCHIE-On Dec. 19, 1904, at the residence of the officiating ver, N. S. He came to St. John some clergyman, Rev. W. T. K. Thomp-weeks age and boarded at No. 4 North clergyman, Rev. W. T. K. Thomp-son, J. R. McElhenny and Ella Rit-street. He was a man about thirty chie, both of St. John, N. B.

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Wool Gloves, 20c. to 50c. Pretty Silk Belts, 25c. to \$1.75 each. Shell Hair Ornaments, 10c. to 30c. Wrist and Hand Bags, 50c. to \$2.75. Leather Purses, 25c. to \$1.40. Chiffon and Silk Jabots in fancy Wrapper and Kimona Flannels, 12c. to 50c. per yard.

Pretty Neckties, 25c. to 50c. Wool and Buck Gloves, 35c. to \$1.50

Rain Umbrellas, \$1 to \$2.50. Silk Handkerchiefs, 25c. to \$1. Camb. and Linen Handkerchiefs, 8c. Ties in Fancy Boxes, 25c. to 50c. each. Satin Mufflers, lined, 80c. to \$1. Kid Gloves, \$1 to \$1.50 pair. Braces. 20c. to 75c.

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MARRIAGE OVER TELEPHONE. BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 22.-So that the mother of the bride, ill in Washington, might hear the ceremony a couple were married in front of a telephone at the Stafford Hotel yesterday afternoon. Harry Underhill Walton, assistant manager of the New Willard Hotel, Washington, took for his wife Mrs. Martha Louise Von Matre, member of an old Virginia family, and also

of Washington, and the Rev. Don S. Colt officiated. A long distance telephone was rigged up in Mrs. Von Matre's room in Wash-

The ceremony here was performed in the hotel parlor and the contracting parties stood in front of the telephone, before which a large megaphone had been swung. Every word was spoken directly into the megaphone. After the ceremony Mrs. Von Matre thanked the In point of decorations the market clergyman and said she had heard every

go to Florida on their wedding trip. WITH ADVERTISERS. Those who have delayed purchasing doubt feel gratified when they take Cor. of Waterloo and advantage of the concessions offered in Brussels Sts. Gilmour's clearance of these popular holiday articles. See adv. in this paper.

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For Christmas and New Year presents the Queens. An almost perfect sheet of ice awaits the holiday skaters. The During the season the band will be

by Messrs. Morrell & Sutherland. A LOST SAILOR. George Rudolph was the name of the sailor who was shipped from St. John fill a vacancy in the crew of the illfated schooner Richard S. Leaming, which was lost with all hands during the recent storm.
Rudolph's home was at La Have Ri

cellent gift for a lady. Some special bargains are offered in these three lines

years of age and unmarried. J. Adam Bede, the Democratio wit of congress makes the following terse comment on the recent presidential election: "I asked a Montana conducand he said one-half mile of the d-d scenery fell down. That's what hap-

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for you to decide what you shall give for Christmas. Other people are getting full value for their money and a great deal of satisfaction by selecting SLIPPERS and OVERSHOES here. We

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PARDON TO GAIN VOTES. Judge Hargis Procured a Convicted Murderer's Freedom to

and Hargis families were friendly and the witness said that at the time he was a candidate for county judge and

he wanted to make all the votes possi

WINCHESTER, Ky., Dec. 22.-Judge cum and aunt of Mrs. A. H. Hargis, office of the rink will be open this and tomorrow evening until midnight for the sale of season tickets so that none in the trial of the \$100,000 damages the Marcums were not friendly. She need be disappointed Monday morning. suit of Mrs. J. B. Marcum for the kill- said she had received information that ing of her husband. Judge Hargis said her brother would be killed and had present Tuesday and Thursday evenings and Saturday afternoons.

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