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That the buyers are the persons who read the papers. Use the STAR to sell your goods.

WEATHER Rain or Snow.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1906

ONE CENT.

STERLING SILVER

Or any other goods purchased in our store will be found exactly as represented. We have a reputation of selling reliable goods which we intend to fully live up to. Examine our stock. No trouble to show goods.

Table Spoons, \$31 to \$42; Dessert Spoons, \$22 to \$35; Tea Spoons, \$8.50 to \$24; Table Forks, \$31 to \$52; Dessert Forks, \$22 to \$35; Coffee Spoons, \$4.50 to \$8.75; Boullion Spoons, \$15; Oyster Forks, \$12.50 to \$18; Bread Spreaders, \$14 to \$18; Fancy Pieces in large variety; Pin Servers, Jelly Spoons, Chocolate Spoons, Meat Forks, Tea Strains and a variety of articles; a special line of Tea Strains, \$2 to \$5. Butter Plates, in square and round; Toilet Articles, in great variety; Hair Brushes, \$4 to \$10; Mirrors (long handled), \$9 to \$20; Cloth Brushes, \$4 to \$6.75, handsome designs; Bon Bon Dishes, French grey designs; Puff Boxes, Salve Jars, Vases, Sterling Tea Sets, five pieces, \$135; Creams and Sugars, \$16 to \$19; Salts, in case of two or four, \$4 to \$20; Fish Servers, Salad Sets, Fruit Bowls.

W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd. Market Sq., St. John, N.B.



Rich Cut Glass!

The sparkle and glitter of Cut Glass is always attractive. A few pieces on a table lend an air of richness that nothing else can do.

Our stock is unusually interesting this season. You owe it to yourself to see our complete line before the choicest pieces are gone. A special 8 inch Bowl, \$4.50

********** EMERSON & FISHER, Ltd. 25 Germain Street.

Priced Persian Lamb Jackets

Here is a Jacket within the reach of all. It is really hard to distinguish from a \$125 coat. These coats are well made and finished in first-class

Look at the Price, \$35.00 Only a small lot so don't miss this opportunity.

Dufferin Block, 541 Main St., N. E.

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Men, Youths and Boys.

American Clothing House,

Outfitters to Men, Youths and Boys, 11—15 Charlotte St.



New Xmas Gifts OPENED TODAY.

Thomas J. Flood, 60 KING STREET, Opp. Macaulay Bros.

UMBRELLAS—In Gold, Silver and Pearl mountings, from \$2.50 to \$10. CUT GLASS-Vases, Bowls, Trays,

LEATHER DRESSING CASES, Gent's and Lady's Hand Bags, Purses, Card Cases, Music Rolls, Writing

BOOKS—Padded Morocco, Poets \$2.50 Edition at \$1.00. PICTURE FRAMES and Engravings and Etchings. All the latest Colored

St. John, N. B., Dec. 17th, 1908.

WAS ANOTHER Big Overcoat Day

THIS OVERCOAT SALE is drawing large crowds each day. One tells the other and that's the best advertising. You can save from \$2.50 to \$5.00 on our regular low cash prices here now. Prices are cut to clear.

Regular \$6.00 to \$20.00 Overcoats, Now selling at \$4.95, 6, 7.50, 8,75, 10.40 and \$15 did not drop anchor at Halitax harbor tion of the Maritime express with

MONCTON NEWS.

J. B. McHaffie to Wed

PETER'S PIANO IS AGAIN

Since the Machine Made Music

PEACE.

a possible war by money and men, it is also wise to awaken, if possible,

Peter Curran, of England, delivered at the Peace Congress in Boston, Octo-

ber, 1904: "War is essentially a working class question. Directly and indi-

we have to supply the men and the money and have the peculiar legisla-tion round our ranks that we have to-

day, compelling us to pay for war, then I say we ought to be the first to raise our voices in behalf of interna-

Uses Big Words Before Rev. Joseph Hogg Dead in the West-His Latest Creation Has Telephone Conference Tomorrow-Had Her Trial Trip—All

CLAIMS THIS BATTLESHIP

CAN BEAT ANYTHING AFLOAT

United States Naval Constructor

Britain, the leading country in ship-ouilding, has ever sent one of its batdeep water trial. But I know enough about the condition of the Connecticut to say that at this very minue, though her prow has not yet cut the water of the Narrows, she is ready to whip any other battleship in the world, of course, giving her a little practice with her guns."

Miss Mabel Ellis.

A telephone message was received today from Hon. A. G. Blair as President of the New Brunswick Telephone amending the separation law of 1905 and the prevalence of the belief that it will prove acceptable under a new regime of the common law.

In Keeping the United States Quiet Over and the prevalence of the belief that it will prove acceptable under a new regime of the common law.

The keel of the ship was laid March 10, 1904, she was launched Sept. 29th, 1904, and two years later she went into

RUSSIAN REVOLUTION

IS ALMOST CRUSHED

Govereren's Policy of Repression Has

Put an End to the Unrest

for the Present.

There were sounds of sweet music proceeding from the shoe shinting shop of the Petropolis Brothers on King street this morning; sounds that carried hearers back to the seaside revelties or last July, or the vandeville person and the masses of the previous year was excessful in subduing the last of the smoldering sparks of revolution. This result was accomplished at a terrible cost to the Polish people, the number of victims being estimated at thousands. Business has become stagnant, the trades and industries are bank; rupt and the masses are dispirited and in a state of lamentable poverty.

Executions of Terrorists have been going on so constantly throughout Poland generally that it has become almost superfluous to repeat the dally chronicle of military executions. Despite the depressing effect of this martial rule, the Poles are busily engaged in organizing their forces for the next parilamentary elections. For the time being party differences have been forgotten.

Still, despite the darkness of the present martial conditions, the situation has become same than the present martial conditions, the situation has become same than the present martial conditions, the situation has been some same than the present martial conditions, the situation has become same the present martial conditions, the situation has been some some proceeding from the shoe shing should should should be the sendence on King street this morning; sounds that carried hearers back to the seaside revel-ties of last July, or the vandeville person trip to the States. Those who faked up an excuse to the previous year was coessful in a state of the previous partial back and that snew and musically ticklish with old-time vigor. The actual cash expendence of victims being satimated at thousands and has result and the masses of \$250,007,17, an increase of £360,717, in incr

present martial conditions, the situa-tion has become somewhat relieved by new evidences of the indomitable spirit of the Polish people asserting itself.

REV. FATHER CARNEY ON THE TEMPERANCE QUESTION

One of the Coegregation Declined to

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 17.—Rev. Fr. Carney, at St. Dunstan's yesterday, delivered himself quite strongly on the temperance question. Among other things he said that not only are the liquor dealers agents of the devil, but they also take the money from the wives and children of those addicted to the drinking habit. The custom of drinking which often started with beer, ended with something worse. ended with something worse.

During his remarks a well known
member of the congregation arose from
his seat and left the church.

INTERCOLONIAL SAYS THE C. P. R. WAS RESPONSIBLE

For all Delay in Transferring the Mails on Saturday at Halifax

SEE OUR CHRISTMAS House Coats, Bath Robes, Gloves, Suits, Vests, Sweaters, Ties, Suspenders, Umbrellas, Mufflers, etc. A box for each gift purchase.

See our christmas House Coats, Bath Robes, Gloves, Suits, Vests, Cases, Trunks, Hats, etc. A box for each gift purchase.

Clothing and Furnishings.

Clothing and Furnis

SPAIN WITH FRANGE AGAINST THE VATICAN

Refuses to Accept the Custody of the Archives.

Extremists in Rome Still Strongly Protesting — Amendments to the Separation Bill is Popular

Not even Great McHaffie, son of I. C. R. nunciature and the search of the Archives, such might have been regarded as hostile to the French Government. at that place on Wednesday evening to Miss Mabel Ellis. PARIS, Dec. 17. — Interviews with ecclesiastics as well as the tone of the

MILLIONS MADE IN

IN COMMISSION

Million Dollars Net Last Year

quadruple the area of the Kimberley and De Beers mines combined.
Altogether, including both blue ground and the floors, they had actually in sight ground to a total of over 64 million loads, enough to last, at the present rate of production, for eleven years, and representing an estimated output of 64 millions' worth of diamonds. Col. Harris had no hesitation in saying that De Beers would be producing diamonds on a large scale at Dear Sir—In the unceasing efforts of those interested to keep before the minds of the people their so-called duty of aiding the mother country in that money and those men. I quote a few sentences from a speech by Mr. ducing diamonds on a large scale at the end of the century.

We have to supply the money and QUEBEC SOLDIERS

TO GO TO VICTORIA

Strengthen the Garrison There

to recruit the garrison at Work Point to the required strength has resulte We want men who do not carry to the required strength has recommended on their lips and war in their commissioned officers and men and commiss two lieutenants from the Quebec cita-Some people say that the best way to secure an established peace is to prepare for war. I beg leave to repudiate that statement. What we want is not to prepare for war, but to spend the money which is today being lavishly spent on war preparations in opening up industrial, useful pursuits for the people who are starving in our large cities.

Quebec on Tuesday next and is expected to arrive the following Monday. The total strength of the garrison at Esquimalt at present is 105 men. The required strength is over 300. The work is being carried on with difficulty, the smallness of the force of

VICTORIA FALLS POWER WILL REVOLUTIONIZE SOUTH AFRICA

NINE BRITISH SEAMEN

DROWNED AT PORTSMOUTH

Upset — Thirty One of the

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Accusations were made by Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, of Boston, in an address here yesterday against Charles Henrotin, Belgian consul in Chicago, whom he charged with being a member of a Belgian lobby working to prevent the United States government from noticing the alleged atrocities in the Congo Free State and with being in the pay of King Leopold. with being in the pay of King Leopold, of Belgium. Dr. Johnson said Mr. Henrotin's recall would be demanded. Mr. Henrotin defield the accusations of

MANY CLERGYMEN

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 17.—Rev. was 120 years ago, and there is great danger of similar results."

yesterday declared that many of the Mr. Garthwaite said the representayesterday declared that many of the clergy would be tempted to abandon the ministry and find some freer atmosphere in which to serve Christ if the decision of the diocese of Western New York, which expelled Dr. Crapsey on heresy charges were made the decision of the entire Episcopal church.

Mr. Garthwaite said the representatives heralding the cotton of Rhodesia as a rival to American cotton were absurd.

The African cotton, he said, was exceedingly coarse and could not at any time compare with the cotton of the United States.

Expert Says the Development Will Result in a Forty per

cent. Reduction of Cost of Mining — Britain's Policy

She Needs is Practice.

St. John Lady.

MONCTON, N. B., Dec. 17.—William L. Prince, one of the oldest residents of this section died at his home in Lewisville last night, aged eighty-nine ye bound for Hampton Roads, Va., to join the Atlantic fieet. The Connecticut underwent all the tests of the machinery at the navy yard. Her departure is the first instance in which a battleship has gone direct from the building yard to instant service.

Naval Constructor Baxter, who has had charge of the completion of the Connecticut, said:

"Here goes out a ship which demoishes all the records of the world of naval construction. Not even Great in a safer mechanic Metaffic went to 8. In a dear or granted with the secretary of the naval construction. Not even Great may all the records of the world of naval construction. Not even Great may be a made of the construction. Not even Great may be a made of the construction. Not even Great may be a made of the construction. Not even Great may be a made of the construction. Not even Great may be a made of the construction. She was a month of the construction. Not even Great may be a made of the construction. Not even Great may be a made of the construction. Not even Great may be a made of the construction. Not even Great may be a made of the construction. Not even Great may be a made of the construction. Not even Great may be a made of the construction. The cutter and the presence of the construction of the Connecticut, said:

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in the world, and when the work of utilizing them for electric power is completed I am confident that it will revolutionize the diamond industry in South Africa. I mean by this that the transmission of power from the falls to the mines will reduce the actual working cost about 40 per cent. The great horde of coolies now at work can be in a great measure dispensed with, and the high powered steam engines used running the ore crushers will be supplanted by dynamos which will be run by power transmitted from the falls, 657 miles away. "The power will be used also in the "The power will be used also in the working of the gold mines at the Witwatersrand, some 700 miles from the falls. The project is being backed by Lord Kelvin, Andre Blondin of Paris, Professor Kingenberg of Berlin, and Dr. E. T. Issot of Basle. Sir Douglas Fox and Sir Charles Metcalfe are the engineers in charge but the actual

engineers in charge, but the actual supervision of the work is in the hands of Ralph Mershon of New York."

Mr. Garthwaite said that South Af-ARE CRAPSEYITES "It is a great country," he said, "but it is harrassed by the British government much in the way this country

THREE OPEN AIR RINKS FOR CHILDREN OF ST. JOHN

presenting the De Beers and Kimber-ley mines as nearly worked out, Col. Harris declared that the De Beers mines still had a long life before them. The other three mines, which had only recently begun work on a large scale, represented a claim area of more than quadruple the area of the Kimberley and De Beers mines combined. The Weldon Lot, Shamrock Grounds and a Piece of Land in Carleton Have Been Secured and Will be Flooded.

of enjoyment there.

The Carleton boys and girls are not going to be forgotten either. Rev. Mr.
Sampson has had several chats with Mayor Sears, and a piece of ground has been obtained, which will be flood-rink, one could be secured for about \$50 for the pleasure to skate, and will also superintend the removing of snow from the rinks. It is thought that, as the man would not need to devote all of his time to the rink, one could be secured for about

ed and used as a rink.

The Shamrock grounds will be at the service of the North End young folks.

When the matter was being talked over, it was thought by some of the over, it was thought by some of the it is quite safe to say that other cities. ermen that the rink managers will follow the action of St. John.

RAISULI DEFIES THE EUROPEAN NATIONS

Orders Foreign Warships to Leave Tangier Within Five Days.

BOLD ROBBERY.

may avail themselves of the pleasure

been robbed of a chamois bag containpearls, William Wallace, insurance PARIS, Dec. 17-Raisuli, the bandit broker of 10 Kilby street, the former The chief, who has terrorized the people millionaire autoist and Ormond Beach residing near Tangier, Morocco, has racer, offered \$1,000 for the return of ing lavishly spent on war preparations in opening up industrial, useful pursuits for the people who are starving in our large cities.

MONCTON, N. B., Dec. 17.—An official statement issued today by the Intercolonial management tells a different story regarding the landing of mails at Halifax Saturday afternoon to connect with the steamer Empress of Britain. The Intercolonial authorities state positively that the Empress did not drop anchor at Halifax harbor until 18.30 o'clock, while the first sec-When the Clifton House was sold at | matter was not made public until to-