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TO LET—Flat of seven pleasant, light rooms, now occupied by Mr. S. H. Shaw, 65 Foreland street. Enquire on premises, central bell.

TO LET—Flat 27 Prince William street, containing six rooms and bath room. Can be seen any time.

TO LET—From the first day of May next that valuable store and premises No. 59 Charlotte street, at present occupied by P. A. Dykeman & Co. Apply to E. T. G. KNOWLES, No. 8 Palmer Chambers, City.

TO LET—Lower flat of seven rooms. All well lighted. Closets and bath rooms. Hot and cold water. Pleasantly situated. Can be seen Thursdays and Fridays. MRS. THOS. BRUNDAGE, 206 Princess street.

TO LET—Flat in new house No. 72 St. James street. All modern improvements. Can be seen Tuesday and Saturday afternoons from 12 to 5 p. m. Apply to R. N. DEAN on premises. Tel. 711.

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TO LET—Comfortable flat of 7 rooms, at present occupied by W. L. Ingraham, Esq. No. 127 Mill street. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons.

MONEY TO LOAN on satisfactory security. Enquire of BUSTIN & PORTER, Barristers, 109 Prince Wm. street.

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WANTED—A position as stenographer and typewriter by a young lady having had experience in an insurance office. Position in an insurance office preferred. Address E. A. care Star.

WANTED—A young man wants position in or out of the city at any light work. Has had experience as collector, advertiser, etc., and has thorough knowledge of the city. Address "HUSTLER," care of Star office.

WANTED—A Dressmaker wants sewing by the day. Address M. R. S., Star Office.

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WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. J. S. GIBBON, 15 Spruce street.

GIRL WANTED at 148 Carmarthen street. No washing or ironing. To go home at night.

WANTED—A Girl. Apply at 177 Princess street.

WANTED—A maid servant for general housework; references required; no children. Apply to MRS. G. J. ESTABROOKS, 54 Elliott Row, city.

WANTED—A girl, well recommended, for household work. Apply at 83 Charlotte street.

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FOR SALE—Carpenter's tool chest, with or without tools. Enquire at 31 St. Andrews street.

FOR SALE—One second hand Light Driving Carriage, built by Crothers, will be sold cheap. HARRY FINIGAN, 224 Prince Wm. street.

FOR SALE—One new milch cow. Address H. C. Star Office.

FOR SALE—A fine Desk, suitable for an office, cost \$85.00; will sell for \$42.00. Inquire Star Office.

FOR SALE—A second-hand typewriter in good condition. Address "TYPEWRITER," Star Office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ALL KINDS SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED.

Needles and parts for all makes at W. H. BELLE, 28 Dock Street.

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WANTED—Some contractor to erect addition to my house on the Water and Summer streets. For information call and see JAMES FAWCETT, No. 11 Summer street.

WANTED—Conveyancers, male or female, through the city to handle a rapid selling book on the war. Good commissions. Address "M.," Star Office.

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MONEY—Advanced on mortgages in large or small sums. Apply to Chas. Macdonald, barrister, Walker Building, Canterbury St.

On Freehold and Leasehold Property, repayable by monthly instalments or otherwise. Apply to CHAPMAN & TILLEY, Barristers, Palmer's Building, Princess street.

PILOT ROGERS SUSPENDED.

The pilotage commissioners finished their investigation as to the stranding of the Lake Superior yesterday afternoon, and after carefully looking into the evidence given before them, decided to suspend Pilot Bart Rogers' certificate for a period of six months. After the expiration of that time Pilot Rogers will be given a license enabling him to pilot vessels up to 500 tons register. This license will be good for six months. It is presumed that at the end of the year the pilot will have his old certificate back, unless a change is made in the pilotage system, which does not seem unlikely.

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ST. JOHN STAR.

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THE RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS.

So strong is the prejudice in the minds of some Americans against everything British that fault is even found with the provision in the will of Cecil Rhodes for scholarships for Americans at Oxford. The objection is taken that he should also have provided scholarships for English students at Yale and Harvard. One paper remarks that, because the provision of the will is thus one-sided, general use of the Oxford scholarships is never likely to be made by the American states and territories.

President Warren, of Boston University does not share this view. Asked whether the establishment of the scholarships was a good thing, he said: "Assuredly good for Oxford. In a moment it transforms the most medieval and most distinctively national of the great universities of the world into a new centre of cosmopolitan interest and influence. It will be bad for Oxford's case and comfort, but good for Oxford's institutional vitality."

"Undoubtedly good for the favored scholars. Whether Germans or Americans they will be mature enough before appointment to have appropriated the best things in their own national heritage, and in the enjoyment of the scholarships they will have opportunity and incentive to enrich their minds and hearts and characters by drafts upon the choicest heritage of English life and culture. "Now and then one of the recipients of the honor may prove too impressionable to develop along the line of his own native beginnings, but in almost every case the things appropriated will be predetermined by the growth anterior to the transplantation and by the affinities and aptitudes carried out from the original home and country."

INTERESTING LECTURE ON PLANTS.

A large audience gathered in the Natural History Society rooms last evening to hear a lecture on Spring Buds and Blossoms, the second of Dr. G. U. Hay's course on plant study. Although the spring is not very far advanced, the lecturer had an abundance of material before him in the shape of buds and the slender early flowers of the trees whose structure and development he showed in a very plain and interesting manner, illustrating with a microscope the pollen of alder blossoms and the minute flowers of the willow. In the study of plants, Dr. Hay emphasized the importance of children planting seeds in boxes, tending them, studying their growth under the direction of their teachers, comparing them with plants growing in the fields and woods, and making their growth the subjects of measurements, drawing and composition exercises. This plan of making plants grow in small gardens is better than pulling flowers from the wayside for study, or breaking off the branches and shoots of trees, and thus destroying their symmetry. The school garden will come soon, and in the meantime children may have gardens of their own on a small scale.

THE AUSTRALIAN CONTINGENT.

Yesterday the Star told the story of the sending of the ninth contingent from New Zealand to South Africa, and the acceptance of a tenth. Along the same line the following correspondence between Mr. Chamberlain and the Earl of Hopetoun, governor general of Australia, will be read with great interest in Canada. On March 18th Mr. Chamberlain cabled the earl as follows: "The patriotic action of New Zealand in offering Tenth Contingent of 1,000 men has strengthened hands of his Majesty's government in their efforts to bring the war to an early conclusion. Contingent has been gratefully accepted, and large reinforcements are being sent from here. "His Majesty's government do not desire to press for further offers, but if your government should wish to follow example of New Zealand we should gladly accept reinforcements of 2,000 men on same terms and conditions as last. The contingent, if offered, should consist of unmarried men."

To this the Earl of Hopetoun replied on March 20th:—"My government informs me that government of Commonwealth gladly accede to request contained in your telegram of March 18, and will despatch reinforcements consisting of 2,000 men; conditions same as before." On March 21st, Mr. Chamberlain cabled as follows:—"His Majesty's government warmly appreciate patriotic action of your government in offering further reinforcements, and gratefully accept this valuable addition to forces engaged in South Africa."

The intense loyalty of the Australians was shown in the senate of that country on March 21st, when a labor member offered a motion to adjourn for the purpose of discussing the proposed despatch of a further contingent to South Africa. So markedly hostile were the other members of the senate that he promptly withdrew the motion and dropped the subject.

The sale of horses and mules for South Africa has brought many millions of dollars to the United States. There is no danger of a profitable business being thrown away because a few politicians want to make themselves sold with jaw-smiths of the pro-Boer persuasion.

Replying to some eminently silly remarks that have been made by some St. John papers, the Halifax Pictorial with polite irony observes that St. John certainly has a Superior—a Lake Superior harbor.

The Boston Globe of Tuesday published a portrait of Senator John V. Ellis, and stated that "for a long period he had been editor and publisher of the St. John Telegraph." The numerous other editors of the Telegraph are not mentioned. It's their move.

A rain storm would be accepted by this people with something approaching cheerfulness. It appears to be about our only chance to get the slith and refuse removed from the streets.

LONDON, April 8.—Some of the Munster Fusiliers at the military station on Rocky Island, in Cork harbor, took possession of and sacked a canteen. A patrol from Spike Island proceeded to arrest them, and a serious affray ensued, during which four of the Fusiliers were wounded by bayonet thrusts. An inquiry has been ordered.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

Members of St. John Council Enjoyed a Pleasant Evening.

At the regular meeting of St. John Council, 133, Royal Arcanum, last evening, four new members were initiated. At the last meeting six were added to the membership, and next meeting four more will join. The council now embraces 144 members. After last night's meeting the members adjourned to Washington's restaurant and treated themselves to a hearty enjoyed oyster supper, followed by a happy hour or so of songs and speeches. Regent J. N. Wetmore presided, with R. H. Sanection in the vice-chair.

Before the viands were served, G. W. Liddell, deputy supreme regent, who has been in the city assisting the local council, presented Secretary D. McNally with a fountain pen as an appreciative token of his valuable services for the council.

After the honoring of the Royal toast, Hon. R. J. Ritchie proposed the Supreme Council, for which Mr. Liddell responded, speaking of the growth of the Royal Arcanum and its high value as a fraternal society. In Quebec during the past three months, he said, 71 members had been added, a number greater by 53 than the record for the same month last year. During its existence of 25 years the society had paid \$70,000.00 in mortuary benefits, of which \$70,000 was paid in St. John. New Brunswick has at present 11 councils and the speaker urged that every effort should be made to establish a grand council in this province.

After the singing of Auld Lang Syne the vice-chairman proposed the St. John Council, Hon. R. J. Ritchie and M. B. Brown responded, telling of the purposes and benefits of the society and paying high compliments to Mr. Liddell for his recent work here.

A song was given by J. A. Kelly. G. D. Martin proposed the St. John Council, which was responded to by C. F. Cranall, H. E. Codner, Wm. Raymond and a Star representative. A song by A. G. Burnham and a recitation by Mr. Liddell completed the evening's entertainment.

AN ANARCHIST CLUB.

Walls Decorated With Pictures of Assassins and Murderous Motions.

The members of the Greater New York Democracy of the Eighth Assembly district, says the New York Sun, recently discovered that a group of anarchists have established headquarters in the same building with them at 84 Orchard street and Leader Benjamin Myers intends to request the police to try to use the new law against anarchists and drive them out of the building.

The first thing one sees on opening the door of the anarchist headquarters is a painting representing two policemen with demagogical countenances between whom are two clubs, one of which is labelled "brutality" and the other "ignorance." The clubs are crossed and hanging from them is a large bag marked "boodie." The painting is inscribed: "These Are the Gods in Whom We Trust."

A Sun reporter visited the rooms on Saturday night and found them crowded with men and women who were making merry over two kegs of beer. A sign on the wall described the organization as "Radical Reading Room Group." One of the members showed the reporter around the place and talked freely.

"Ah," he said, as he pointed to Colquhoun's portrait, "there was a great man." A card attached to the portrait read: "In Reverence to His Memory."

"There was another great man," continued the reporter's escort, as he pointed to the picture of a man with long black whiskers. "He killed a prime minister in Spain."

"You ask what we are organized for, yes? Well, you know we call this a reading room, that's all. We are anarchists to the backbone, all of us. We don't do anything here, you know, it's give the police chance. We simply sit around and read and talk and educate each other in anarchy, that's all. We have no officers and keep no books. Every man is the equal of every other here."

On a mantelpiece lay a pile of the pamphlets: "Roosevelt, Czolgosz and Anarchy." Some of these pamphlets were seized the other night at the Altgeld memorial meeting at Cooper Union, and Magistrate Pool will decide today in the Yorkville court whether or not the men who were arrested for distributing them are guilty of violating the new Anti-Anarchy law.

An inscription on the wall in Hebrew denounced religion, ministers, priests, governments and all forms of authority as fakes and fabrications. Pictures of Brecht (who assassinated King Humbert) with laudatory inscriptions were pointed out to the reporter. There were also displayed pictures of John Most and the Haymarket anarchists.

Members of the Greater New York Democracy who have been in their club rooms late at night or at early hours in the morning declare that they frequently heard noises like printing presses in action, emanating from the rooms above. Robert Krinsky is the landlord of the premises. He said to the reporter: "These people hired these rooms about three months ago and told me that they were a social organization and wanted to establish a reading room. I gave them a lease for six months. I had heard only lately that they were anarchists. If there is any way to get them out of the building I will gladly take it. I don't know any of them by name. A different man pays the rent each month and I could get nothing out of them as to who they were. I don't want any anarchists in my house."

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

STAGE AND PULPIT.

CHICAGO, April 8.—Stuart Robson and the students of the Chicago Musical and Dramatic College indulged in what the comedian termed an "interchange of talk" this afternoon. Some 500 persons were present, when Mr. Robson said he believed the stage was capable of exerting greater good than the pulpit, and that the more progressive clergymen of the day agree with him.

"The trouble is that some clergymen confound the stage of Jefferson and Irving and their fellows with the disreputable stage and so condemn us all," continued Mr. Robson. "You might as well condemn the printing press because it sometimes strikes off bad books, or condemn the pulpit because a minister or a deacon sometimes falls into evil ways. Pure, wholesome plays, the players of clean, moral lives, are as great a factor for good as all the creeds and all the churches."

To cure a Headache in ten minutes use KUMFROT Headache Powders.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 8.—C. M. Manning of St. John, for the past few months in the Bank of Nova Scotia at St. John, has arrived here to take the management of the local branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia. Manager Rossborough goes from here to Sussex.

It is estimated by lumbermen it will cost \$25,000 to save and raft the logs which went past Fredericton in the recent ice run. The first bank logs of the season arrived at Springhill today. Logs of fair quality brought \$10 a thousand. Seven rafts of logs arrived at Springhill today from the Tobique for Hillyard Bros, and will be towed to St. John on ice.

The death occurred at the Victoria Hospital this afternoon of James Eldridge Lockhart, aged 75 years, leaving a widow and two sisters, Mrs. Eusekial Thornd and Mrs. John Lobb, both of St. John.

Victoria Hospital of this city is procuring one of the best X ray apparatus to be obtained in America.

WINNIPEG AFTER BLAIR.

WINNIPEG, April 8.—The local board of trade today passed a resolution demanding an investigation into the management of the Intercolonial railway.

NOVELTY

Furniture Coverings,

In Curtain Department.

Our assortment this season surpasses in styles and quantity any importations in the past, comprising all that is new in DOMESTIC, ENGLISH, AMERICAN and FOREIGN MANUFACTURE.

DAMASK AND JUTE COVERINGS—50 inches wide, 42c. to 70c. TAPESTRIES—In endless variety; 50 inches wide, 70c. to \$3.00.

SILK COVERINGS—These beautiful coverings this season are richer than ever, and at prices lower than usual, including all the latest productions in Floral, Conventional and striped designs; 50 inches wide, \$2.00 to \$5.00 per yard.

VELOURS—Plain and figured; 27 inches, 75c.; 50 inches, \$2.25.

KING CORD CORDUROY—27 inches; all shades, \$1.10.

MOQUETTES—Quite new; 24 inches and 50 inches wide, \$2.25 to \$3.50.

VERONA CLOTHS OR PLUSH REPP—This is a new line in covering and is most suitable for heavy frame furniture.

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Dry Goods.

All the stock in W. H. Fairall's Store, 17 Charlotte St., will be sold by auction, commencing Monday evening, April 14th, at 7.30 o'clock, and continuing every evening.

In the meantime goods will be sold over the counter at auction prices, and during the day while the auction continues

STORE FIXTURES WILL ALSO BE SOLD.

There are some good lines of Dress Goods, Hosiery, Gloves and General Dry Goods. A splendid opportunity.

Don't forget the date of the Auction, APRIL 14.

W. H. FAIRALL,

17 Charlotte Street.

CECIL RHODES' HOME.

Where the Body of the Dead Imperialist Has Laid.

Groote Schuur, the home of Cecil Rhodes, and where till recently the body of the dead imperialist lay in state and was viewed by thousands, stands in the centre of 1,500 acres of land on the lower slopes of Table Mountain, about five miles from Cape Town. There is a Dutch atmosphere about the place and its name is Dutch for "Great Barn." When Mr. Rhodes bought the house it was known as "The Grange," but he gave it the name it now bears, showing his Dutch inclinations.

Teak, which the Dutch introduced into the colony, is used throughout Groote Schuur, and to preserve it oil is used freely and frequently. Rare old chests, fine vases, massive carved seats for the stoop, all articles which wealthy Dutchmen like to gather about them, fill the house, and about the grounds are a number of old cannon which have seen service in historic battles.

The approach to the house is along a lofty avenue of magnificent pines, but when the house is first seen it dwarfs beneath the towering trees behind the house and the big mountain in the background. But a view from the rear changes the impression. Then the house stands out in its due setting of beautiful trees and well-kept lawns.

The grounds about Groote Schuur are as free as air and visitors go and come as they like. And the man who visited the place probably less frequently than many others was its millionaire owner, whose restless, active spirit kept him from staying for any length of time in one place.

Rhodes changed the place to suit himself. If he bought any article for the house and decided to put it in place it was a trifling matter to him if the stone walls had to be cut to carry out his wishes. What he said had to be done.

Many trophies of the chase, of his expeditions up country, grace the walls of the rooms of Groote Schuur, and among the latest additions to his trophies were samples of

the explosives used in "Long Cecil" at the siege of Kimberley, and the first 100-pound shell fired into the town by the Boers.

Rhodes kept no women servants about his home, all the employees were native boys, and two of the sons of King Lobengula were kept by him at a native school near by and spent their holidays at Groote Schuur. The house is always spotlessly clean and furnished with costly furniture of hand-made design. Rhodes' favorite spot was the back stoop, which was a large open terrace looking out upon the flowers, the lawn, the trees and Table Mountain.

TIPPED THE SENATOR.

Senator Hawley was walking along one of the capital corridors at Washington the other day when he was approached by two women, one of whom said to him: "Will you please show us the president's room?"

The senator was delighted. He not only did the honors of the president's room, but he also escorted his charges to the apartment of the committee on military affairs, where he displayed the treasures with a good deal of pride. Afterward the party visited one or two other rooms and then the women turned to leave the building. As they parted with the senator one of them slipped a quarter into his hand.

"My dear madam," said General Hawley, "I am one of the Senators from Connecticut and I really cannot accept anything of this sort."

"Goodness!" exclaimed the woman. "Are you a senator? Why, I thought you were a doorkeeper."

AN OUNCE OF PREVENTION.

"Lady," said Meandering Mike, "would you give a starvin' man somethin' to eat?"

"Perhaps. But you are not starvin'."

"I know it lady. But an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, ain't it?"

Stop Buying Millinery Velveteen for Skirt Binding.

When you buy 3/8 of a yard of velveteen to cut into strips for skirt binding, 10 times out of 11 a velveteen is sold you that was never intended for skirt-edge wear. It was woven for trimming hats, etc. S. H. & M. Redfern—a bias corded velvet—is made from velveteen manufactured expressly for skirt bindings, fast dried and durable.

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on the back of Bias Velveteen or Brush Edge Skirt Bindings they are not the best.