PROVINCIAL NEWS.

HAMPTON, Kings Co., March 17 .-In the probate court of Kings county this afternoon, Judge Geo. G. Gilbert granted, on the petition of Jeremiah Donovan, letters of administration on the estate of the late John Donovan of Sussex, farmer, Ellen Donovan, a sister of deceased, having renounced her claim in favor of the petitioner. The value of the estate is sworn at \$1,100, all personal property. H. H. Parlee, proctor.

Arthur W. Oldfield was granted letters of administration on the estate of the late Robert Oldfield, farmer, of Studholm. Fred M. Sproul for the petitioner. The estate is valued at \$2,000, of which \$1,900 is real and \$100 personal property.

MONCTON, March 17 .- Dr. Silas Alward of St. John spoke to a delighted audience in St. George's school room last night, his subject being John Bright. The talented lecturer touched a responsive chord in the breasts of his hearers when he referred to the great English tribune's work for purity in political life, and was loudly applauded when he said that if his like would arise in Canada and have the courage to maintain his stand, the degrading revelations that cause Canadians to hang their heads in shame would cease to have a place in our pol-Attical history. At the close of the leature a vote of thanks was passed with Borden, barrister, seconded by G. A. ging in the woods this week.

Dodge. Stanley Busby has resigned his position as secretary to Mr. Paver of the covering I. C. R. Insurance Association, and left yesterday for St. Johns, Mfd., where he has obtained a better position on the Newfoundland railway: Mr. Busby, who is a son of the late Arthur Busby, general passenger agent of the I. C. R. for many years, is a competent clerk and was very popular

Rev. G. W. Swim, Free Baptist, who recently signified his intention to re- by the noon express for interment in sign the pastorate of the Moneton church, was given a great surprise the other evening, when members of the congregation called at his home in erable force and presented himad Mrs. Swim with a purse of number of useful house-Mir. Swim is very pop his congregation, and a strong effort will be made to induc him to reconsider his determination to

Considerable opposition has developed to the proposal, recommended by the Board of Trade and adopted by the City Council, that the city should guarantee the bonds of the Exhibition Association to the amount of \$15,000 for the erection of permanent buildings, the city to take a first mortgage upon the whole property as security. The association has spent \$10,000 in the purchase of land and the building of a speedway and stables, and the stock subscribed is now exhausted, so that if the city refuses to come to its aid the exhibition project

ably be abandoned. Wednesday's storm filled the cuttings on the branch railways again, and any work that has been done towards opening them will need to be gone all over again. The management of the Elgin & Havelock road, which has been closed for some weeks, will make a start on Monday towards getting the road in operation again,

SACKVILLE, March 17.-What is probably the first funeral in eastern Canada conducted under spiritualistic auspices took place Wednesday afternoon, when the remains of the late Isaac N. Evans were interred at Westcock. The deceased formerly belonged to the Episcopal faith, but was converted to spiritualism some eighteen or twenty years ago. He had requested that no clergyman should officiate at his obsequies, but that his friend and brother spiritualist, T. H. Prescott, should express at the funeral his views on the future life. Mr. Prescott gave a clever address of nearan hour's length, closing with a pcem that embodied the creed of the spiritualists. A large number were present, including many of orthodox

Raleigh Trites returned from the Dalhousie Law School Saturday. Miss Alice Harrison returned Wednesday to her home in Dorchester after being the guest of Miss Lizzie

The funeral of the late Capt. Joseph Atkinson takes place Thursday afternoon, interment being made at Westcock under the auspices of the Baptist church. The deceased was a justice Wiles, one of the oldest and most reof the peace. He is survived by one daughter, Miss Jean, and two sons,

Byron A. and Joseph. Ruby Rebecca lodge, I. O. O. F., rea visit Monday evening from Mrs. M. B. Robinson, president of the Rebecca assembly; Mrs. Grant, grand secretary, and a number of other ladies from Moncten.

gone to Vancouver, where he will probably locate.

WHITE'S COVE, March 16.-The rector, Rev. H. H. Gillies, is holding a series of Lenten services in St. John's church.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Cameron of Boston, who have spent the last few weeks here visiting friends, returned home last week. Miss Melinda Kennedy left

week for Boston, where she will re-Malcolm Durost, who spent the win-

McLaughlin Brothers, who have had the mail of Tuesday. Yesterday (Wed-Ottawa. Farm buildings, ventilation, ty during the winter, arrived home

In Saturday, having completed opertions for the season. James Kennedy and son, Blair, who have been lumbering near Westfield, arrived home last week.

Mrs. Peter Knight is prostrated with a grippe. She is being attended by Dr. M. C. McDonald. Hartley Farris carry the mails to Moncton, and conalso ill. Burfield Springer, who has been in ill health, is recovering. Harry Orchard, who has a mill under its trip today, and mails are expected

bonstruction, has received his engine at a late hour tonight. and boiler, which he is putting in

PARRSBORO, N. S., March 17 .-Ther are no present indications that ness of her mother. there will be any shipbuilding at this port during the coming summer, but there is considerable activity in line at Port Greville. Capt. James Riverside. Pettis is getting out the frame and materials for a schooner of 135 in Boston for the past year and a half, on the Emerald Isle. frames for two schooners They are gettien out the tirme and fourteen pounds.



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planks for a schooner of about 200 tons register, which will be built at Hantsport during the summer by North & Balcom. Charles Wasson of Two Islands had

much heartiness, on motion of R. A. his left hand badly crushed while log-J. P. Callow and Mrs. A. O. Sproule, who have been dangerously ill, are re-

> APOHAQUI STATION, March M. It was a shock to the whole community to know that the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dunn died early this morning. She was eight months old; thought a lot of by all who saw her, especially by the father and mother, who almost worshipped her. The funeral took place on the 16th instant. The remains were taken to Hampton the rural cemetery. They have the deepest sympathy of the whole community for their great loss.

ALMA, March 15.-William Hueston and Thomas Wade and Allie Kinnie have returned from Stewiacke, N. S. Waiter Stanley, infant son of Thes. George and Mrs. Dorothy Elliott, died here recently aged 6 months and days. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Carr died here recently. Mrs. Cooper of Point Welfe, mother of saac Cooper, died a few days ago. ST. ANDREWS. March 17.—The sch. Orizimbo, Edwd. Britt, master, lumber laden, from Calais, Me., for New York,

that has been in St. Andrews harbor since the first of the year, sailed this forencen for her destination. The sch. Aldine, Carson, master, that loaded in St. John last December, and has laid in St. Andrews harbor since the first part of January last, sailed this forenced for Providence, Rhode Island, where the deckload will be disto New Haven, Conn., to discharge her under-

deck cargo of lumber.

Kennedy's. in connection with the Algonquin.

sister, Mrs. Dalton.

wiped from view the ravages done by yesterday's thaw. The C. P. R. was three and a quar-

C. S. Everett of St. John and F. H. Wood, representing the Thomas Davidson Mfg. Co. of Montreal, came in on the C. P. R. this afternoon.

F. M. Humphrey and W. L. Harding of St. John, and John Shaughnessy. W. B. Hawthorne, W. H. Clerke, and John E. Algar of St. Stephen are registered at Kennedy's.

APOHAQUI, March 18.-The death spected residents of the community. Mr. Wiles had been in failing health for some time, but had not been confined to the house until the last few of his death. He was twice married, the first wife being Miss Pearson; the last, who survives him, was Miss Cronin. One son, J. Harry, by the first Fred Copp, son on S. W. Copp, has marriage, and three sons and two daughters by the last marriage are left father. The funeral will take place

Church of Ascension at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Little and Mr. Reicker are in very critical condition. Dr. Burgess of Moncton was visiting his sister, Mrs. Harley Jones, on Thursday. She has

been in poor health for some weeks. HOPEWELL HILL, March 17 .- This section of the country has been considerably in the dark this week in regard ter in the lumber woods of Maine, ar- account of the irregularity of the mails. No St. John papers were received on nesday) quite a blizzard was prevailing, and the train which left Hillsbere for Salisbury, in spite of having two engines, was unable to get more than a mile out, and returned to Hillsboro. The management of the road, it is said, were unable, so fierce was the storm, to secure a team with which to sequently the county was without outside mail yesterday. The train made

> Miss Laura Tingley, who has been in Lynn, Mass., for some months, came home this week on account of the ill-

The young people of this village en joyed a surprise party this evening at the residence of Hon. A. R. McClelan, a warm corner in their hearts by Arehie Stuart, who has been living

Cochrane & Soley are get- is visiting his former home here.

I. S. Vanwart, who has been in Sussex since last fall, arrived home the other day. Mrs. Martha Slipp, who has been quite sick, is convalescent

Geo. E. Rathburn, while at work a day of two ago, took something like a dizzy spell and fell over in an unconscious state and had to be carried nto the house, where he remained in that state for about half an hour. When he came to himself he did not know what had happened.

Mrs. Emily Holly, who had been spending the winter with her sister at Upper Hampstead, has returned home. Rev. Mr. Cody, Church of England minister, gave a lantern show of views of Palestine, etc., last Sunday night in the Woodville Union hall.

rick's day weather held sway here on Wednesday and as a result the play o have taken place on that evening was postponed till Thursday, when it was played to a large-sized audience. There were visitors from the vicinity, Dorchester, Sackville, Amherst, Moncton and St. John, and they were rewarded with a first class Irish drama: 'More Sinned Against Than Sinning," that was full of wit, pathos and force: that was well staged and whose wild, picturesque scenery showed up to the best possible advantage under the different colored electric lights. A quartette composed of Messrs. Le-Blanc, Grignon, Bourbeau and Levasseur, received much praise for wellnendered Irish airs, while Master John

The actors displayed much innate or acquired histrionic ability and closely held the attention of the audience throughout the drama. Their success may truly be attributed to the conscientious and efficient drilling that they had undergone at the hands of the academy moderator, L. V. Broughall. All the participants in the play came in for a goodly measure of congratulation from friends

Solumn High Mass was celebrated in St. Thomas' Church by Rev. Fr. Boylan, assisted by Rev. Fr. McKinnon and Rev. J. O'Reilly as deacon and sub-deacon, respectively. Rev. Fr. Bourgeois was the St. Patrick day orator and spoke eloquently on Ireland's great apostle.

Perhaps one of the most pleasing features of the day was the sumptuous banquet at which the academy members, gentlemen of the faculty and other invited guests assisted. The menu was choice and varied. The guests included Rev. Fathers Murphy, Boylan, Bourgeois, Lizotte, McKinnon, and Messrs. Jas. Barry, M. Mooney, D. J. O'Neill, M. McGuire, J. Mc-Carthy of St. John, Dr. Gaudet and others. Interesting after dinner speeches were delivered by the presidents of the different student bodies, the reverend and other gentlemen present.

course opens today under favorable auspices. The butter-making course The snow plough had to be run over J. P. O'Leary, C. P. R. superintend- was a most successful one in every the sidewalks this morning. ent of hotel and cottage construction, way, there being sixteen students rearrived today. He is registered at gistered from the province and P. E. Island. New concrete floors were this Thos. R. Kent, contractor for arte- year laid in the separating and churnsian wells, arrived in town today from ing rooms, the cream room consider-St. George to meet J. P. O'Leary, to ably enlarged, new and up-to-date maarrange for the sinking of an artesian chinery added in the way of churns well to supply water to the cottages and separators, and now the staff is in a better position than ever to impart Charles E. Kennedy, D. D. S. and information to those who attend. culist, with his wife leave by C. P. R. Twelve of the sixteen students wrote this evening for Boston, en route to for examinations, but at time of writ-Winnipeg. The doctor was forced to ing the papers have not been marked. take this route, as he could not get The Provincial Dairy School has provfrom the C. 1'. R. the privilege of laying ed itself to be a very useful instituoff at Ottawa for a day to visit his tion and is recognized in the maritime provinces as one of the most practical St. Patrick's day has brought with in Canada. Students from the adjoinit bright sunshine and frosty, bracing ing province are admitted free as long weather. A light fall of the "beauti- as room permits, and all have spoken ful" last night covered the ground and in the highest terms of the instruction they have received. Roll is called every morning at 8 o'clock and the class divided in three parts, one going ter hours late today, bringing, how- to the milk testing department, in ever, yesterday's and today's Montreal charge of H. Mitchell; one to the separating department, in charge of J. T. Tilley, and the other division going to the butter room, in charge of L. C. Daigle. Practical work is conducted until 2 p. m., after which one of the intructors delivers a lecture each day. Animal husbandry lectures are delivered by R. Robertson, superintendent of the Nappan farm, and this season the services of R. Howes, tinsmith of Sussex, were engaged to give practical instruction in repairing tinware. About took place this morning of James twenty-five applications have been received for the cheese course and everything points to one of the most suc-

cossful courses since the school was established. Hockey benefit night will be held on weeks. Bright's disease was the cause Monday evening, 21st. One of the features of the evening will be a match between the Sussex ladies team and the Sussex senior team, (right hands

fied behind their back). The Sussex seed fair and farmers' convention will be held in Medley to mourn the loss of an affectionate Memorial Hall, Sussex, on March 28th Sunday afternoon. Service at the Sussex and Studholm Farmers' Instiand 29th under the management of the tute. The programme is as follows:

Monday, March 28th. 1 p. m .- Placing and judging of seed

exhibits.

3 p. m.-Seed fair with addresses on seed selection and judging, by George H. Clarke, chief of seed division, department of agriculture, Ottawa. to the doings of the outside world on horses, filustrated by lantern slides, W. 8 p.m.-Addresses on heavy and light S. Spark, Canterbury, Eng. Soil cultivation and implements, illustrated, F. Monday, and they failed to arrive with W. Hodson, live stock commissioner, etc., A. P. Kitchen, deputy live stock

commissioner. Ottawa. Tuesday, March 29th. 9 a. m .- Judging horses and dairy cat

tle, Messrs. W. S. Spark, F. W. Hodson and R. Robertson. 2 p. m.-Fruit growing addresses, W. A. MacKinnon, chief fruit division, department of agriculture, Ottawa. Address, W. S. Blair, horticultural experimental form, Nappan, N. S. Adress. Geo. H. Vroom, dominion fruit der an arch of evergreen. gomery Campbell, president; E. B.

ST. ANDREWS, March 18 .- The anniversary of Ireland's patron saint was commemorated by those who have wearing of the green, not by any means confined to those who were born

An entertainment under the manage-HAMPSTEAD, March 17.- Mr. and ment of Madam Thebaud, consisting of able, marked the popularity of the will register about 300 tons Mrs. C. A. Golding are receiving con- a concert by an amateur negro min- bride. H. Elderkin & Co. have a gratulations, the happy event being strel troupe, tableaux, etc., was held schooner nearly ready for launching. the arrival of a young son, weighing last evening in the Andraeleo Opera

Worn thin?

No! Washed thin! That's so when common soap is used.

EXPENSE

Ask for the Octagon Bar. gramme was a chorus. Old Folks at Home, followed by a solo and chorus, improved this morning. Ellie Rhee. Elmer Wiley's fine tenor voice in the solo was the subject of ST. JOSEPH, March 18 .- St. Patfavorable comment. He was given a in hearty encore. Mammy's Little Pumpkin Colored Coons, song, by Read Mc-Carty and three little misses, was well received. Solo, Little Black Me, was cleverly rendered by Nora Sheehan, ness is to be erected here this spring. The chef de ouvre of the concert was the solo, Nellie Gray, sung by Mrs. Thebaud. The rendition was in that lady's best style, her voice sweetly modulated, sympathetic, pure as a silver lute. She was greeted by a tempestueus encore that could not be' denied, to which she gracefully re-George Craig's singing of the solo in Carry Me Back to Old Virginia was admirable and called for an ensere. The inimitable Bob McConvey brought down the house in a char-Reemend's bovish voice was heard to acteristic coon dance. The concluding advantage in "The Wearing of the chorus, My Old Kentucky Home, was followed by an artistically staged tableaux, Erin, Kathleen Mavourneen, Impudent hussy, Story of the elopement, Reconciliation, to which the orchestra played suitable music. Mrs. G. H. Stickney contributed to the success of the concert by accompaniment on the piano, a fine toned instrument loaned by Mrs. Jas. Cummings.

The orchestra consisted of G Harold Stickney, bass viol; Professor Rooney and Theobald Rooney, violinists; D. F. Maloney, cornet; Edwin Thurbar, banjo, and Will Nicolas, guitar. The strels and audience singing the national anthem, God Save the King. The net sum realized for admissison was seventy-four dollars, which is to aid in the payment of the debt on the

Opera House, The can buoy carried away from the bar at the eastern end of Navy Island, St. Andrews, was picked up adrift by Frank Pendleton, Deer Island. The can buoy carried away from the har. southeastern end of Navy Island, has not been yet reported found.

The funeral of the late John Lockran was held this afternoon. The body, enclosed in a neat casket, was followed from his late residence, the Commons, by the mourners and sympathizing friends in over forty-five from friends, gave him the care so sleighs to the church of St. Andrew, where requiem service was celebrated by Rev. J. M. O. Flaherty, after which lative. SUSSEX, March 19.—The Provincial the remains were taken to the R. C.

was a heavy fall of snow last night. who was on the road to recovery, has blocked and the railway between Vlad-

SOUTHAMPTON, March 18 .- Yesterday the interment took place at Westbrook of the remains of the late and a resident of Saltsprings. For the deceased, who was about 65 years has been bed-ridden, and since the disease first attacked him has probably never known an hour's comfort. He leaves a widow and large family, all grown up. His brothers are Ste phen and Rufus, and his sisters Mrs. Wm. Harrison, in the western states, Mrs. Amy Fullerton, Mrs. Lydia Can-Westbrook, Rev. Mr. Estabrooks came with the body, besides a number of friends of the deceased, and others met the procession at the Westbrook

cemetery. The I. O. G. T. public meeting on aturday evening was most creditable to the lodge, the members of which are ing to business. mostly all young people. The hall was packed and standing room all occu pied, and the audience expressed themselves as highly pleased with the programme. Miss Jennie Harrison sang several solos, and Miss Fannie Davison presided at the organ. The tableaux shown by limelight were beauti-

Moses Harrison has been very ill, out is improving. Miss Phoebe Harrison is spending a few weeks at home. Her sister, Miss Jennie, has gone this week to take her

The Methodist church was full or Sunday evening to hear Rev. Wm. Brown, who exchanged pulpits with the pastor, and preached one of his very able sermons. At the close the engregation was given an opportunto subscribe for the sustentation

fund and generously responded. Gilroy & Hunter are moving their nill from East Mapleton to the siding here to saw a brow of logs got out this winter by Keiver Hunter and others. A pine tree cut by Gilroy & Hunter's gang in Pettigrew settlement and sawn by King & Mattheson produced

Notwithstanding the wintry weather he sap has run some this week. PLEASANT VALE, March 18 .- The onotony of farm life to the residents of Pleasant Vale was broken on Wednesday, 16th inst., when a very pretty and interesting event occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Col-

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2,104 feet of good merchantable lum-

At 4 p. m. of that day their daughter, Lydia, was united in marriage to Mark B. Addison of Dexter, Maine, in the presence of a number of friends and relatives, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Thos. Allen. The bride, who was unattended, entered the parlor on the arm of her father, to the strains of a pretty wedding march played by her sister, Miss Sadie, and took her place beside the groom uninspector, Middleton, N. S. H. Mont- gowned in a neat costume of white cashmere, with pearl trimmings, hav-

> ng the conventional bridal veil and blossoms, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. After the ceremony some thirty guests repaired to the spacious drawing room, which had been tastefully decorated for the occasion, where was served a most sumptuous repast. The numerous presents useful and valu-

The day was a typical March daywind and snow alternating with sun-House, who first number on the pro- thire. Just as the bride had descend-

ed the starway, the clouds dispersed and a gleam of sunshine enveloped her whole form, sufficient to claim the benefit of the time-worn adage, "Happy is the bride whom the sun shines

Mr. and Mrs. Addison leave Pleasant Vale on Wednesday, 23rd. After visiting friends in different parts of Maine, they will make their home at Gardiner. The happy couple have the best vishes of many friends.

RICHIBUCTO, March 19 .- The death of George Flanagan, formerly of this town, occurred in Boston about ten days ago. Robert Hutchinson, K. C., was taken

suddenly ill on Wednesday evening. His condition is reported somewhat Rev. A. B. O'Neill of St. Joseph's College, addressed a large congregation

the Roman Catholic church on Thursday evening. Rev. D. Fraser and family left for La Have, N. S., yesterday.

A smoke house for the herring busi-LAKEVILLE, March 19 .- Uriah Crouse of Charleston, in the parish of Wilmot, departed this life on the 17th inst., in the ninety-eithgth year of his age. Of Welsh descent, he came to this country some fifty years ago. For a short time he lived at Lakeville and later took a new farm and for forty years has resided where he died. was a life of toil, a stranger in the country, a settler in the wilderness. Privileges such as are enjoyed by the present generation were few and far between, yet he lived to see the wilderness blossem as the rose. When the country became settled, schools, churches, mills and other improvements were his to enjoy. The venerable old gentleman has left a record worthy of imftation. A Christian member of the Free Baptist Church. he was ready at all times to assist in every good work. His widow of ven erable age survives, with two daughters and four sons, the younger, Emerson, with whom he died, owns and occupies the homestead. Mr. Crouse was buried on the 19th in the cemeter entertainment was closed by the min- near where stands the church that he was the principal in having erected. A large concourse of friends and neigh bors, showing the respect in which he

> ing place. The death of John Curran took place at Lakeville on the 17th inst. During the American war he was with the Northern army and when he returned was given a pension which which he received up to the time of his death After his wife died his home was broken up and he lived with friends in different places. Recently paralysis claimed him as a victim, so that for a time before he died was helpless and unable to move about only as he was taken. His pension, with a little help much required in his last days. He leaves one brother, who is the only re-

was held, followed him to his last rest-

varied experience the last year visit- Russian military authorities to The winter seems to die hard. There ing hospitals for inward trouble, and the country. age, death must indeed have been saving his life. As it was, his head officers of the Japanese war departhe has been suffering from rheuma- his arms badly injured. For a time tism. A greater part of that time he he was unconscious and no help near. kohama. All the time the two mer Dr. Peppers was called and put a great | chants were in Japan they were shamany stitches in his head and face. dowed by special service men. Messrs He is now resting easy, with prospect Libby and Hoff say that the winter at of recovery.

some fifteen years ago for the west, located in Vancouver, where he was the ice-breakers clearing a channel telegraph operator for a time. ning and Mrs. James McAloney, all of then left for the Klondyke and engaged in mining with a comrade. He was home on a visit and a few days that before he left the entire Vladivosago left to further prosecute his busi-

which he has many Wm. Savage of Fort Fairfield, is in the village visiting friends and attend-

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ST. JOHNS, N. F., March 20.-Sir Cavendish Boyle, governor of Newfoundland, has been promoted to the governorship of Mauritius. This is one society in the capital. The baron is thorcolonial governorships and carries a salary of \$25,000 a year as against \$10,-000 paid to the governor of Newfoundland. The promotion is due to Sir Gavendish Eoyle's tactful handling of French shore matters during the incumbency of his present post. He will leave here early in May.

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RELIABLE NEWS.

Two Passengers to Victoria Tell of Conditions in the East.

VICTORIA, B. C., March 20. - The Boston Steamship Co.'s str. Shawmut and most up-to-date of the Business Prace arrived this morning from Manila via tice Systems. China and Japan. Among her passengers were August Libby and Cornelius Hoff, Jewish merchants of Vladivostok Joseph Vandine, who has had a who received 24 hours' notice from the As egress by sea was met with an accident which nearly ivostok and Harbin is destroyed for cost him his life. He was engaged tak- a considerable length, they were coming down a building preparatory to re- pelled to travel by sledge more than a moving to another locality. Removing thousand miles to the nearest port on the last beam caused the remaining the Korean coast. They were arrest-Alfred Atkinson, a native of that place part to fall, when and where least ex- ed at the Siberian-Korean frontier, No mail to So jaries, SCHOOL pected, and buried him beneath, a saw sooner had they got into Korea than bench partially breaking the fall and they encountered the special service dred forms. SIIN PRINTING CO. happy release, as for sixteen years and face were fearfully lacerated and ment. They endured many hardships until they joined the Shawmut at Yo Vladivostok has been exceptionally Douglas McKenzie, who left here mild. The sea has been frozen only six miles out from the harbor entrance

He every day. Coasting vessels were running in and out without difficulty. Mr. Libby says ness, and enjoy his thousands, of anchored in the harbor and had not stirred out of it for quite a long period. The Russians just before the war had forces at work on the fortifications, making new entrenchments, building bomb-proof storehouses and placing big guns. The place is strong by nature, but has been rendered impregnable by the fortifications which command the entrance and channel to the harbor. The garrison in January amounted to about fifteen to twenty thousand men of all arms, mostly artillery. It was after the news of the disaster

to Russian arms at Port Arthur that the Jewish merchants were ordered to get out as quickly as they could. The Russian warships in the harbor always sea, but so far as the refugees are aware they never left the harbor. The whole sea front of Vladisvostok is a network of submarine mines. The Russians appeared to be greatly worried when it was learned that the railway between Vladivostok and Harbin had been tern up and dynamited. Apthat if the disease is of the kidneys or to repair the damage. The Shawmut encountered Japanese torpedo boats Among those who shout the praises around the islands for hundreds of and destroyers. The whole ocean little craft, which, on sight of a strange vessel, bear down on her at 30

anese military police exercise extra- of Jonathan Hawkins, one of the most ordinary vigilance. One hundred war correspondents ish. were preparing to leave for the front he was taken ill and died in less than the day the Shawmut sailed. The three hi red natives of the a large family of sons and daughters Philippines bound for the St. Louis and a wide circle of friends to mourn

party were dying when they reached here this morning after a long illness, here, owing to confinement aboard. nila Times, president of the Merchants' children-four sons and one daughter-Publishing Company, of the Far East- survive ern Press Club, and of the Manila Press Club, was a passenger. He is Stevenson, the sculptor, died at Edinbound for Washington to lay griev- burgh this merning. He was born in ances of the white residents before 1842.

Baron Sternburg, the German ambassador, Michael Guiffoyle died suddenly at her and Sir Mortimer Durand, the British repre- home at the Head of Millstream this sentative, are regarded as the best after- morning. She leaves a husband and dinner talkers among the foreign diplomats two small children, also her aged fax in Washington. The latter has already es- ther, John Fenton, of Sussex. tablished himself as a prime favorite with of the most important of the British oughly American in his habit of mind, and his nimble wit has helped him over several rough places where his predecessors would have been likely to stumble.

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