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Men, you will find the above excellent value, and a rare opportunity to secure warmth at small cost.

S. MILLEY

M. C. L. I. Debate.

A most interesting and instructive debate was held in the Methodist College Institute room last evening, the subject being "The Durable—was it worth the risk and cost?" The important position of Chairman was filled by Mr. A. Soper. The debate opened with a thoughtful and well prepared speech by Mr. J. W. Nichols for the affirmative. He contended that in spite of the great risks much good to India and the Empire had resulted through the influence of a personal visit, and that the changing of the capital from Calcutta to Delhi made that city and India Delhi-ted. The correction of Lord Curzon's mistake by the re-division of Bengal, thereby settling religious and political difficulties, was vividly portrayed by the artist with two splendid maps drawn on the blackboard and which at one stroke settled the troubles in that province. He was ably supported by Mr. W. H. Peters, who stated that the gift of £333,000 for the improvement of education and the half month's extra pay to civil servants and the army was a big factor in making the visit worth the risk. Mr. B. Edgcombe claimed that the new regulation which made it possible for all Indian army officers to go with the Victoria Cross was also an important factor.

The negative side opened fire under the leadership of Mr. H. E. Cowan, who in a forceful speech showed that many of the reforms instituted by King George could have been carried out with the same effect by telegraph or post, and that the personal presence of the King was not needed; the danger of losing his life through shipwreck, tent burning and sedition assassins was altogether too great and not worth the risk and cost. Mr. Thos. Soper contended that the risk was greatest to the English people, who needed the King's presence at home so as to keep a steady hand on the industrial and socialistic troubles which seriously threatens the prosperity of the nation. The negative was also supported by Mr. W. H. Butt, who heartily endorsed the opinions set forth against the King's visit.

The following took part in the debate: Capt. Diamond, C. Pratt, S. J. Tucker, C. Bowden, E. V. Wylie, Rev. M. Fenwick, S. Whiteway, W. White, and as good speeches and much enthusiasm was evident, an extension of time was granted. The vote showed 14 for the affirmative and 11 for the negative. These debates are undoubtedly of great practical benefit to young men. Many of our M. H. A.'s have made their maiden speech in this Institute. Next Wednesday's debate should draw a crowded hall, the subject being "Is the time ripe for total Prohibition in Nfld."

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.
Fairville, Sept. 30, 1902.
Dear Sirs,—We wish to inform you that we consider your MINARD'S LINIMENT a very superior article and we use it as a sure relief for sore throat and chest. When I tell you I would not be without it if the price was one dollar a bottle, I mean it.

Yours truly,
CHAS. F. TILTON.

Destroyed by Fire Recently.

Word has been received that a serious fire occurred at Wesleyville recently when the store owned by Capt. Edwin Kean was totally destroyed. A considerable quantity of fishing gear, consisting of sails, boats, etc., were in the building at the time, all of which were consumed. Capt. Kean did not carry any insurance and the loss is a heavy one, being estimated at \$5,000. The origin of the fire is yet unknown.

Windsor vs. City.

Last night, during the dinner tendered the Windsor and City hockey teams, a suggestion was made by Mr. J. J. Vinnicombe, on behalf of a number of interested citizens that another game of hockey be played between Windsor and the City before the former leave for home. Manager Mitchell of the Windsorites in reply expressed his willingness to another game. Mr. W. J. Higgins, President of the Hockey League, said there was no doubt but that the event would materialize, but it was necessary to consult the delegates of the League.

Increase of Pay.

The question of increased rate of wages was again the subject of considerable discussion at the Longshoremen's Rooms last evening in which all the Executive took part. Matters of a definite character were talked over, and the officers will meet again shortly when it is possible a definite conclusion will be arrived at.

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Cures:
ANAEMIA, CHLOROSIS, DEBILITY.
Delightful Taste.

NASCOPPE LEFT LOUISBURG.—A message was received yesterday from Mr. W. A. Munn, a passenger on the Nascope, saying that the ship had left Louisburg at 5 p.m. with 15 passengers and 200 bags mail matter. She should arrive here to-morrow evening as she is a very powerful boat and will get through the ice which is now on the coast.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GARTER IN COWS.

Hockey Teams Were Dined.

The Windsor Hockey Team were entertained at Wood's West End Hoastery last night by the promoters. Our local boys and a number of guests were present and an enjoyable evening was spent. Those present were:—W. J. Higgins, E. S. Pinson, J. J. McKay, J. Kenna, J. J. Vinnicombe, J. C. Parsons, Lloyd P. Chaplin, H. A. Herder, H. S. Mitchell (Manager Windsor Hockey Team), Fred V. Chesman, J. MacIntyre, Eric H. Collier, N. Hunt, R. B. Herder, Sydney A. Pearce, Thomas J. Foran (News), W. J. Crotty (Telegram), W. J. O'Neill (Chronicle), G. H. Hunt, J. L. Simpson, J. H. Branson, R. Stick, B. T. N. Sexton, N. J. Vinnicombe, Charles Paterson, W. C. Murray, J. Bennett, W. Campbell, W. J. McKay.

After an appetizing menu, had been discussed, songs and speeches brimful of humour and wit were listened to. During the evening Mr. Simpson, on behalf of the Windsor team, very thoughtfully and in well chosen language used appropriate words of condolence on the death of Miss Walsh, whose brothers, Stan and Dave, took part in the hockey games. Mr. J. J. McKay, with typical tact as chairman, thanked Mr. Simpson for his kindly reference and assuring the Windsor boys that he would express their sympathy to the family of the deceased.

TOAST LIST.

The King—Prop. The Chairman; Resp. "God Save the King."
Windsor Team—Prop. E. S. Pinson (City); Resp. H. S. Mitchell (Windsor).
St. John's Team—Prop. H. S. Mitchell (Windsor); Resp. Gus Herder (City).
The Referee—Prop. J. J. Vinnicombe; Resp. W. J. Higgins.
The Press—Prop. W. J. Higgins; Resp. Thomas J. Foran (News); W. J. Crotty (Telegram); Wm. J. O'Neill (Chronicle).
The Chairman—Prop. Mr. H. S. Mitchell (Windsor); Resp. Mr. J. J. McKay.
Messrs. McPherson, Hunt, Pearce, Mitchell and McIntyre obliged the company with songs throughout the evening, and a very pleasant time was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

McMurdo's Store News.

FRIDAY, March 1, '12.
Red Cross Oil has established its reputation as a counter-irritant and pain relief, one which may be used internally as well as externally. In cases of rheumatism, cramps, and neuralgia, it is of great service, and can produce no injurious effects. As a necessity for travellers or those going to the ice, it will be found trustworthy and prompt in use. Price 25c. a bottle.

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Dr. de Van's Female Pills
A reliable female regulator never fails. These pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system. Refuse all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at 25c. a box, or three for 75c. Mailed to any address. The Scotch Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

The Butler Case.

PRISONER CONVICTED ON SECOND COUNT—REFUSED BAIL.
The hearing of the Butler case, in which accused was charged with the larceny of an apron, the property of a Mrs. Pitcher, who was a tenant in the house of the prisoner, was on before Judge Knight yesterday and continued up to 1.15 p.m., when the Court took recess. The court room was again filled to its capacity with people, all eager to hear the particulars of the case thrashed out by the lawyers engaged. After bearing all the evidence the prisoner was convicted but sentence was deferred. Mr. Squires, on behalf of his client, asked to be allowed bail, which was refused.

Making Long Voyages.

The bright Gracie which has made so many tedious runs across the "Herring Pond" and which is now out since January 1st from the Western Islands must be now on this coast but is no doubt prevented from reaching port by ice. She is commanded by Capt. Wm. Fitzgerald, of Carbon-eat, whose brother, Capt. Tom, is also making a long voyage from Oporto to the Bearice.

Kryptok Toris Bifocal is the newest thing in a spectacle lens; every attained, it is a wonderful revelation of science. Two visions—far and near—in one glass. Ground to suit all eyes by R. H. Trapnell, Eyesight Specialist.—feb23,tf

Supreme Court.

Noah Gillard, Complainant, vs. James Dower and Edward Lane, Respondents.

(Judgment of Johnson, J.)

This is a special case stated by the Magistrate at Englee at the defendants' instance, after conviction and imposition of the prescribed fine, or seven days imprisonment, with costs.

The complainant charged that the defendants hauled their codtraps, with incidental work on a Sunday, in violation of The Sunday Observance Act of 1877, (29 Car. II. c. 7.)

This Act is in part mandatory; in part prohibitory.

The defendants admitted the acts complained of, but pleaded that it is part of their creed that Saturday should be kept holy.

The only questions are whether, under the local Statute I. Vict. c. 4, the Act of Charles is applicable in Newfoundland; and whether complainant's proceedings are sufficient in form.

Imperial Act 34 & 35 Vict. C. 87 is law in this Colony; and, unless a Magistrate or other authority therein referred to takes, in Newfoundland, a view of the situation different from that which obtains in England, but few of the prohibitive sections of Cap. 7 will be put into operation.

This conviction must be quashed, with costs against the complainant, because—

(a) He has failed to comply with 34 & 35 Vict. C. 87;

(b) Fishermen are not ejusdem generis as "tradesmen, artificers, workmen, or labourers" specified in Cap. 7;

(c) Hauling codtraps and its attendant work on Sunday is not an offence against Cap. 7;

(d) There is nothing to show that this prosecution was begun within ten days after the alleged offence.

There was much in the contention of Mr. Kent, K.C., that clearing codtraps without delay is a work of necessity.

This judgment would be incomplete without reference to the mandatory provisions of Sec. 1 of Cap. 7.

These, with their penalties, were aimed to enforce conformity to the church by law established; but, like other Acts in like case offending, they have lapsed into innocuous desuetude. Modern authorities on criminal law agree that such enactments are not nowadays made ground for prosecution.

The 10th of February, 1912.
GEO. M. JOHNSON,
Judge.

"Prescription A" will relieve you of that uncomfortable feeling of the stomach after eating. mar1,tf

An Engine Derailed.

The engine which was attached to the belated Carbonear train which was to arrive here at midnight, came off the track last evening near Browning's Bridge and ran into a snow bank several feet distant from the track. The engine was considerably damaged.

Here and There.

Why do you constantly suffer for an hour after eating when "Prescription A" will cure you?—mar1,tf

MORE SCARLET FEVER.—Yesterday afternoon another case of scarlet fever was reported from Lime Street and the patient was removed to Hospital.

Headaches are a common sign of eye strain. Come in and let us test your sight. No charge for test. R. H. Trapnell, Eyesight Specialist.—feb23,tf

THE "NETHERTON."—The new auxiliary schooner Nether-ton, owned by Job Bros. & Co., has not yet left Southampton. The delay was more than likely caused in the installation of her engines.

Electric Restorer for Men
Phosphonal restores every nerve in the body to its proper tension; restores strength and vitality. Premature decay and all sexual weakness averted at once. Phosphonal will make you a new man. Price 25c. a box, or two for 50c. Mailed to any address. The Scotch Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.—Mr. F. J. King will give another Organ Recital on Wednesday, March 13th. The vocal solos of the evening will be a speciality. Particulars later.—mar1,2f

Mechanics' Society Anniversary.—The 85th Annual meeting of the St. John's, Mechanics' Society will be held in their Hall on Monday Evening, March 4th, at 8.15. All members are requested to be present as the years reports will be submitted.

JAS. A. LEAHEY, Sec.

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Universal Bread Maker \$1.50 each

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Uncle Walt THE POET PHILOSOPHER.

No odds how well you do your task, you'll hear the knocks of those who bask in mediocrity. No man e'er scaled the heights of fame but fellows jealous of his game withe sneers and gibes were free. When THE with his mighty, Jovellike brush, Mike Angelo above the KNOCKERS crush, in noble triumphlike brush, Mike Angelo above the and whines of cheap john skates who painted signs and barns and things like those. The rabble couldn't rattle Mike; he turned out works of art the like of which men had not known; he heeded not the carping jays, but went on painting fifty ways, and sculpting things in stone. Do you the same, if you would win; reply to knocking with a grin, or with seemly jest; you'll make mistakes—all men do that—but keep a cool head in your hat, and always do your best. I used to weep and walk the floor when some cold blooded critic swore that all my work was punk; but now I let the critics slide; my conscience tells me I have tried to turn out decent junk.

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ANCHOVY, Shrimp, or Sardine Paste, 18c., glass.

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Heinz Peanut Butter, 35 cents, glass.

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Kellogg's Nut Butter, 1 lb. tins, 40c.

Tomato, Catsup, 15c. btl. glass.

Valencia Oranges, 15 cts. dozen.

Pure Canadian Creamery Butter, 1-lb. Blocks.

Local Cabbage.

C. P. EAGAN, DUCKWORTH ST. & QUEEN'S ROAD.

CHAMPIONSHIP HOCKEY.—With the advent of some more frost and the improving of the ice in the rink, the Crescents and Victorias will meet in the championship game, and a fast one it promises to be.



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