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Adds that the vessel will not leave Rotterdam for the present.

RUSSIA HAS A NEW

FOREIGN MINISTER

Petrograd, Dec. 14.—The semi-official news agency announces that M. Pokrovsky, controller of the empire, has been appointed foreign minister.

He was appointed controller on February 8, 1916. He was formerly a member of the imperial council

BOLDING SALE.

The Ladies' Aid of Carmarthen street Methodist church are conducting their annual Christmas pantry sale of home made cooking and fancy articles this afternoon in Christie's creamery, 207 Charlotter of the empire, has been appointed foreign minister.

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LOCAL NEWS

ANOTHER LARGE GAIN. The St. John bank clearings for the reck ending today were \$2,041,119; coresponding week, 1915, \$1,456,934.

NO COMMITTEE MEETING The committee meeting of the com-

EXCHEQUER COURT.
The case of James D. LeBlanc vs. the King is being continued in the Exchequer Court today. The first witness for the respondent is still being examined.

TO CONTINUE AS PASTOR Rev. Hammond Johnson has accepted n unanimous invitation of the congre-ation of Queen Square Methodist hurch to remain pastor for another

LOST HER ANCHORS
J. Willard Smith received word this morning that the schooner Coral Leaf lost her anchors near Spencer's Island a few days ago during a heavy storm and beached at West Bay. She is now at Parrsboro, N.S., where she will be down the hatch of the steamer S. S. Memling, now in port at West St. John.

THE EVANGELINE HOME. Apparently some of the citizens

light-saving plan, and threatens to boycott this paper if an explanation or the
letter itself is not promptly forthcomng. The Times will publish signed
etters, confined briefly to the restlet letters, confined briefly to the merits of any case, if in the judgment of the coltror the publication will serve any useful purpose.

SUMMERSIDE FIRE INSURANCE St. John insurance offices are interest-SUMMERSIDE FIRE INSURANCE
St. John insurance offices are interested to a considerable total in the policies covering Sinclair & Stewart, the heaviest losers in the Summerside fire yesterday. Among the policies placed here are the following:—C. E. L. Jarvis & Sons, \$6,000, British Crown, and \$5,000 Canada Accident; Knowlton & Gilchrist, \$2,000, Phoenix of Hartford and \$1,500 Springfield; J. M. & C. W. Hope Grant, \$3,000. Scottish Union. Companies represented by R. W. W. Frink are interested also in the Summerside fire, but details have not yet been received. H. W. Frink left at noon today for Summerside to look after the interests of the companies affected.

A combined chemical engine and hose truck purchased in the United States for

A FATALITY

AT SAND POINT First Officer of Memling Dies

After Fall Down Hatch

HIS SKULL FRACTURED

Wm. W. Williams of North End Has lcy Bath in Harbor---Falls Over Wharf at Sand Point in Early Morning

refitted.

PARADE OF 211TH.

The 211th Battalion will parade in heavy marching order tonight at 6-80 o'clock through the city. The battalion has made a fine showing here and there is no doubt but when their time comes to occupy the trenches in France or Belgium their names will be added to the list of brave soldiers from Canada.

The arms of the steamer S. S. Memling, now in port at West St. John. A little before three q'clock Mr. Geddes, who was chief officer, was descending a ladder, which leads from hold to hold, when his hand slipped from one of the rungs and, losing his hold, he fell some thirty feet. He was picked up unconscious and taken to the General Public Hospital, where he died last night at an early hour, without gaining consciousness. Death was done

old address. The matron desires all friends to know that the address now is 260 Princess street.

THE CLIMBERS CAST

Last evening the cast of the Climbers called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wilson and met in reunion. A most enjoyable and pleasant time was spent. Mrs. Wilson was made the recipient of a beautiful bouquet in appreciation of her efforts and the results attained in the successful presentation of the play.

SLEIGH; FAIRVILLE MAN IS INJURED

Car Driver Said to Have Driven
Away Without Even Making

Inquiry

LOCAL NEWS OF SOLDERS

LOCAL NEWS OF

BOOT LEGGING

A combined chemical engine and hose truck purchased in the United States for the fire department has arrived and will be tested this week.

CHAPLAIN OF THE

KILTIES IS TO WED

Captain Godfrey, chaplain of the 286th Battalion, is to be married in Sackville on December 27 to Miss C. M. Pickard, daughter of H. F. Pickard.

CAUGHT TRYING TO GET

FOODSTUFFS INTO GERMANY

Amsterdam, Dec. 18—A despatch to the Telegraaf from Rotterdam says the German steamer Pylos, which has been in Rotterdam harbor since the outbreak of the war, was getting ready to leave for Germany, when a search by river police revealed the fact that she was stocked with great quantities of foodstuffs and other goods the export of which is forbidden. The correspondent adds that the vessel will not leave Rotterdam for the present.

BOOT LEGGING

In the police court this morning William Hillan was charged with lying and lurking in an alley off Union street and also suspected of supplying liquor to soldiers.

Policeman Fitzpatrick said that he was in Union street last evening and saw the defendant and a soldier come out of a restaurant together. They crossed to the other side of the street and went into Powers' Alley. A few minutes later, the witness said, he saw Hillan enter a saloon, leave it, and go back into the alley, where the soldier was. With this the policeman placed the defendant under arrest on susplicion of bootlegging. A bottle was found on the defendant. The witness did not see the bottle being passed to the soldier. The prisoner was remanded pending further investigation.

Another prisoner, a soldier, was charged with drunkenness in Water street. He pleaded guilty and was remanded.

HOLDING SALE.

The Ladies' Aid of Carmathen street was conducting their

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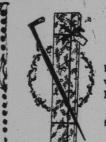
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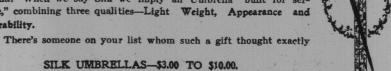
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