The Great Problem

Again confronts us. What shall we get? After all don't you think that the best Christmas present is something useful. Some article of real value that will give pleasure throughout the year or at least for many months. Allow us to make a

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Always acceptable. We keep the Rouillion make. Fully guaranteed, Priced at \$1.10 and \$1.35.

Some beautiful creations at popular prices. \$3.85, \$4.00 and \$4.75.

Fancy Waist Lengths

Put up in fancy box. Elegant goods in variety of colors. Cream, Light Blue, Green, Grey, Grey, Cardinal, Black, etc. All wool with silk spot worked in \$1.75.

Large Variety of Fancy Collars

Just arrived. Exceptional values at 725c, 50e, 75e and \$1.00.

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Still quite a large stock of good furs. We have a number of Alaska Sable Ruffs of superior quality. Large and full around the neck. The popular length. A1 quality. Price \$17.50. Muffs to match. Also Silver Fox Ruffs. Very pretty for misses. Muffs to match. \$10.00 per set. Larger sizes \$13.00 per set.

Large variety of Collars, Stoles, Rufis, etc.

Ladies' Fur Mitts.

Electric Seal fur-lined \$3.75. Brown Beaver \$4.00 Give us a call for furs.

Black cloth, three-quarter length, furlined ladies' coat, size 38. This is a very fine garment made in the latest approved style, with Squirrel lining and Columbia Sable Collar, and is extra good value at the price asked. \$54.00.

Cloth Coats.

We have a few elegant cloth coats as described last week. \$15.00 garments to sell at \$13.00. All other Ladies', Children's and Misses coats at 20 per cent discount.

Our dress goods department is full of the good things of the season, both plain and fancy. The variety is so large, the colorings so varied, the range of prices so full that we cannot here attempt even a

For Men.

Mocha and Kid Gloves

Lined and unlined. Large variety. Good values. Special line of genuine Mecha wool lined gloves at \$1.65. Other qualities at \$1.00, \$1.25 up to \$2.00.

The largest and best stock we ever had. We think the values cannot be excelled. Very large range of the popular priced 25c. ties. Darks, Lights, Mediums, Four-inhands, Knots, Hook-on's, Puffs. At 50c, we have also a very large stock, both in the smaller and larger shapes. We have this year ventured a little higher and have some beautiful, rich, elegant ties at 75c. seeking for presents for gentleman friends don't forget our tie department.

Cloth with fur-lined bands, H. B. K. make. 50c. to \$1,25.

Fur Caps.

Persian Lamb \$5.00. Siberian Otter \$3.50, etc.

Our stock is yet quite large. We wish to call special attention to this department as we have a very large line of well made garments. Prices ranging from \$6.50 to \$10.00. Fancy mixed tweeds with nice check. Very stylish, in fact, right up to the minute, only \$10.50.

Special value mixed tweed, heavy and warm, lapped seams, \$12.00

Black Beaver.

A very stylish, dressy coat, looks to be

worth \$20.00. Our price \$10.50.

We have also a few shorter length coats just coming to the knee. Made of good quality black Beaver price \$8.50.

Other varieties which we cannot here detail, but, which are worth your critical examination.

Fishermen, Teamsters

And all others who are out in the cold, we want you to try one of our sheepskin lined duck coats. Three qualities.

\$4.75, \$5.75 and \$6,75. CLARKE @ Co., The Cash System

TENNYSON SMITH

plete for Grand Temperance Campaign.

E. Tennyson Smith will open his Temperance Crusade here Saturday wening when a reception will be tendered him in the Temperance At the convention of supporters Hall. Has Worship Mayor Henof the local government, held at nessy will preside and deliver an Dalhousie on Tuesday, William address of welcome. Temperance Currie, of Campbellton received the

held in the Opera House Sunday Currie accepted the nomination, afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. This and thanked the delegates in a meeting will be for men only and brief speech for the confidence they should be attended by every man in | had placed in him. Mr. Currie is

Alcohol will take place. This is a Other addresses were delivered by great drawing card and has been John S. Bassett and John Dickie. greeted with large houses wherever

In case there should be any misunderstanding about the terms for which Mr. Smith comes to our town we might say that the only he whole campaign. The collections taken up at the meetings are for the expenses of the local committee for hall rents advertising

HOTEL BURNED

-No loss of life.

Campbellton, N. B., Dec. 10.-A could not say. ire broke out in the well known Commercial Hotel near the I. C. R. Read McMurdo's add and go to depot about 6.30 tonight, and it him for new clothing. was completely destroyed. It was with much difficulty that a house on the west side was saved. The Royal hotel, on the east side, was aved, but not without great effort by the firemen, who kept several streams of water on the building for nearly three hours. The fire is ment, who worked nobly. There went into the station.

DALHOUSIE MAN WAS

Dalhousie, N. B., Dec. 8.—Charles Ferrenti, an Italian, was sentenced here Thursday morning by Judge McLatchy, under the speedy trials act, to serve two years at the Dorchester penitentiary for having stolen \$50 worth ol goods in one of the Reseigouche lumber

display. -D. R. McRAE, -Co.

WM. CURRIE WAS NOMINATED.

Dalhousie Unanimous In Its Choice.

A STRONG MAN.

workers and the public generally are invited to attend. This meeting will be held at 7.30 o'clock.

The first mass meeting will be Judge McLatchy to the Bench. Mr.

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Temperature currie, of Campbellotte tested to will not hold all the young people. The returns from your town show five hundred and fifty children between the ages of five and twelve years. own. carrying on a lumbering and mer-The Monday night meeting will cantile business in Restigouche and be held in the Opera House.

Tuesday afternoon Mr. Smith conduct a special children's meeting. He has been very successful in these meetings, and never fails to ber Co. Hon C. H. LaBillois made

nuterest the young people.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursthe lumber policy, education, agriday evenings the meetings will be culture and made a defence of the in the Opera House.

Ou Friday night the Trial of great success during the past year.

RESTIGOUCHE ELECTION IN JANUARY.

guarantee he requires is \$25.00 for Bye Election to Fill Vacancy In Local Leislature.

St. John, Dec. 8.-Premier etc., except the collection of one night and admission for to closing meeting of campaign, these go to Mr. Smith.

Tweedie was here eyesterday. He and Mr. Pugsley leave for Montreal tonight, after which they will go to Ottawa, thence to Washington. Premier Tweedie, said Mr. Sweeney will leave for Washington today to visit the Forestry department to learn something about the me-AT CAMPBELLTON. thods in uperations for the forestry convention which will be held tic ticket is William Clouston, who Firemen Worked Hard, to Save the in this province during the first Other Buildings in the Vicinity house. Mr. Tweedie said the Restiweek of the session of the local gouche by-election would be held January, but the exact time he

Conductor Bliss Sears and his supposed to have caught from the crew have been suspended as the electric wires in a bed room. Mr. result of an investigation into the Murray is the proprietor of this close call from a head-on collision hotel. He saved a large portion of between numbers 75 and 76 trains her, Barry Foley, Ray Irving, the contents of the building. In-between Petit Rouche and Bath-MISSION HALL SCHOO. surance, 1,500. The hotel is owned urst early in the week. Conductor Frank Matheson, insurance Sears, who was running as a spec-\$3.500. This building is valued at ial conductor on Number 76, got about six thousand dollars. Much off his train at Petit Rocher while praise is given to the fire depart- a hot box was being packed and was no loss of life. A large num-ber of sympathizers witnessed the cross No. 75 at a siding between building burning, which was about Petit Rocher and Bathurst. While 60 feet square and three stories the conductor was in the station the engineer got the signal to proceed and the train started without 8 the conductor. The engineer whose SENTENCED FOR THEFT, order read to cross at Bathurst, thinking that the conductor was on the train proceeded to run for that point. When he had gone a short examinations held for the month of distance he noticed the headlight November, but instead, written exof 75 coming towards them. The aminations covering the work of sion was narrowly averted.

McMurdo's is the place the boys go to be well clothed the man who wears a McMurdo over-coat is Christmas footwear, come see cur surê of being wel, fitted at a small price.

ISANTA CLAUS

Arrangements Are About Com- Local Government Convention At Will Meet Newcastle Children In Opera House Wednesday Dec. 26th.

> To the children of Newsastle -"I am leaving my home at the North Pole, today and expect to be in Newcastie, the evening of the 26th of December - the night after

> Christmas They tell me' that the Opera will not hold all the young people. vears.

I am very sorry but I cannot possibly invite the children of thit.

teen or over that age There may be little ones, under the school age, who would not be allowed to come alone. In such cases, I especially invite the moth ers to come with them if there i., no older brother or sister invited with whom the little ones could be trusted.

'Now we're ready -one, two, three.-very soon we'll set thing. humming-Hip hurrah! 10k out for me.

SANTA CLAUS.

MIRAMICHI MAN

WINS SUGGESS.

Wm. Clouston, Son of John Clouceston, Lower Derby, Wins U. S. Election.

Great Falls, Montana papers con contain the picture and much read. ing matter in reference to Mr. Wm. Clo. ston, who was lately elected to the Montana Legislature by a large

majority. One paper among other things savs:

"One of the best known and most popular men on the democrais running for the legislature.

Mr. Clouston is a son of Mr. John Clouston of Lower Derby and although he has been in the west for over twenty years is remembered by many who will be glad to learn of his success.

PUPILS STANDING FOR NOVEMBER

Regent street school -Grade I. Hazel McMaster, Myron Nicholson, Frederic Steeves, Teddie Snell, Fred Driscoll.

Grade II .- Alfred Snell, Nan Ni holson. Jack Rundle, Jewel Fleig MISSION HALL SCHOOL.

Grade I .- Annie Masson, Gat. land Edmonds, Annie Mathiesor Grade II.-Ethel Brooks, W. .y McDon Id, Harry LeFran .. BUIE SCHOOL.

Grade I .- Herbert Vye, Stafford Matchett, Roy Creamer. Grade II.-Nanne Stevenson, Jennie Cracker, Irene Clancey. Grade-III.-James Boyle, Mollie Murray, Hazel Vye.

Grade IV .- Frank Morell, Mainie Stevenson, James Ryan. Grade V .- Robert Crocker, Bessie McRae, Maggie Crocker.

In the Academy, there were no examinations held for the month of the rooms on the last day of the term; and there will be no prograin of closing exercises. Parents and others interested in the work of the school are invited to examine the work that is being done in the different rooms on the afternoon of Wednesday, December nine-

A meeting of the Northumber-land county Laberal Association is called to meet at Chatham on Thursday, Dec. 20th to elect delegates to attend the meetings of N. B. liberals to be held at St. John on Dec. 27th.

The maritime express was five and a half hours late Monday. The greater part of the delay was oc-casioned by a slight run-off west of

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And numerous other articles that lack of space

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