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WITC THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., FEBRUARY 12, 1902.

much sympathy is felt for him over the

unfortunate disaster. The exact cause

Around the Town. FREDERICTON EXPERIENCES ONE OF

"Talking about time," remarked a busy mager of one of our large business uses, "I thought I knew local time, stern time and Atlantic standard time To the majority the very

to ever get caught, but I'm hold both hands for any old time so there is only one of it." What's nired, with tender sol as I noted his disgust over pr ntatives into the city arranging for the yes ded with a little dir what time each man's tra and had it all mentally figured out and had it an inertainly igned of lastern standard time. When the Scotia agent suggested it was near rain time, our Moncton representative ed me it was 4.30 o'clock, and I for Eastern standard time. sult he lost his train, after all, more in terested than any of the rest of us, and their labor societies should come out strongly in favor of Atlantic standard."

To the majority the very fu out to flight the

vas just a little out of the ordinary and ntiv novel enough to

Thursday's investigation, too, and that wa ation of the over what may very properly ed the expose. Their anger had an ele-ment of pained surprise about it that had that the revelation came as a gre but what's the use of talking. Even though nobody, hitherto, made a direct charge wspapers, the alleged state of affairs on the hill has been common talk everywhere for years.

eek I recorded a story of a youth-Malaprop, which was put in the an experience I had a few days not enough church societies in He is caught the sal ker's remark, but merely religious glare as a minsiterial ad as usual at the ferry ace could assume and enquired: nany more would you like to have? Don't he hackward, for if there is some nice entimental name floating round looking it can call its ion time; was al ce that home, send it round to my church. I heard a vague rumor of some new organization nd aspirants for mayor about a name. I just thought I'd ferry, matters, and tter in the general aggrega urn he would no

sympathy for your neglect by in-your salary. "But he don't be-"All the better," I said, "he THE WORST FIRES FOR YEARS.

Fickler Department Store Stock Damaged \$35,000, Says Proprietor -- Witty Fireman Escapes from Tight Place -- 'and Another Taken from Burning Building Unconscious.

worst fires which has occurred here being taken out of the building. In the meantime the firemen on the oke out at 1 o'clock this mornn M. Fickler & Co.'s large departme extent of many thousands to use axes a great deal to get at the seat damage to the extent of many thousands tollars. Thomas Howe, of base ball fame, was passing the establishment shortly be-fore 2 o'clock and noticing flames inside at once sounded an alarn. The firemen responded with commendable promptness is badly guited and presents a most des and were soon hard at work fighting the late appearance. The front room on the on hard at work fighting the late appearance. The front room on the store is a double one and third floor where carpets and new goods originated in the rear of the downtown section where realy made clothing The salvage corps saved a c and gent's furnishings are kept. It had goods from the dry goods dep made surprising headway before being carried them to the Barker discovered, having been communicated by means of stairways to the second and to the county court house. third floors. The place was filled with stock of footwear on the second floor smoke which, coupled with fierce heat, valued at \$7.000, was completely ruined smoke which made it difficult for the firemen to do and \$10,000 worth of ready effective work, but under the circun they got along; splendidly. env short space of time they had three were saved, but in a damaged condition treams of water playing upon the fire. Mr. Fickler, who finished stock taking attacking it simultaneously on the first

and second floors. The firemen affected an entrance to the second flat through the windows, carrying the hose with the "How The firemen with great difficulty succeeded in rescuing therefrom the firm's books, papers and about \$300 in cash, which was and is uninsured. Two in the drawer. n the drawer. After the flames on the second flat had been partially subdued two plucky fire-men, William Clarke and Miles Boone

me dif nade their way with a hose to the flat above. No sooner had they reached there when flames and smoke burst through the stairs, cutting off their remore or treat. Clarke made his escape by ng the hose out of a window and sliding

And that got me on the subject of con-down upon it, and Boone was rescued the fire is not known but it is suppose to have caught from the furnace pin aps again you was overcome by smoke and did not re- leading

Saint John Wholesale Market, PROVISIONS Plate beef, Extra plate beef, Cheese, factory, new, Cheese, factory, nev Butter, dairy, Butter, creamery, 22 to 121 to Sutter, ches, pure, Lard, cubs, parts, Lard, compound, Eggs, per doz, fresh, Beans, white, Beans, Y. E. Onions, per l 0 10 0 23 0 23 to 1 60 to 1 2 75 to 0 00 to half an hour after FISH, Codfish. medium, 100 lb 3 50 to
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 3 70

 Pollock, 100 lbs,
 1 60 to
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 Terring, bay, hf-bbl,
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 Herring, canso, fat, hf-bbl 3 00 to
 3 00

 Herring, Shelburne, No 1, 5 00
 5 20
 working like Troi Shad hf GRAIN. Oats, Ontario, " Provincia The salvage corps saved a quantity Split Peas, Pot Barley, Hay, pressed, carried them to the Barker House, Subsequently they were remove TOBACCO. Black, 16's, Black, 12's, short stock Black, Solace, Bright, Canadian 12's, was also destroyed. Ine shelf dry goo and a quantity of furs and ladies' RICE. Arracan, owt days ago, says there were \$45,000 Patna, Seeta, he estimates his loss at \$35,000. SUGAR. Frarulated, bb Granulated Dutch Bright Yellow No. 1 Yellow Alexander Calde windows were cracked by heat and it is thought that the total damage to the building will not be less than \$2,000. Paris lumps, Pulverized, OILS Fickler & Co. have been in business here four years and enjoyed a large and profit-able cash trade. Moses Fickler, the sole American Water ses Fickler, the so owner of the business, is a young man o

LUMBAR No 1, 5 00 to 5 25 No 2, 0 00 to 0 00 Spruce deals, Bay i City Mils 0 00 7 50 0 51 0 53 0 45 to 0 51 4 75 to 4 60 4 75 co 4 85 No. Aroos 13 00 to 13 50 0 00 to 0 00 0 64 to 0 64 0 56 to 0 60 No. 3 Laths, spruce Laths, pine Palings, spruce New York 0 39 0 44 New York laths 0 041 to 0 05 0 051 to 0 06 Barbados rikt'(50c x) no North side Cuba (gid) Boston lime non DEALS. C. D. U 051 to 0 054 Liverpoool intake meas. Clyde West Coast Ireland lect A, gal. Canadian Water Arclight, 0 171 to 0 18 0 164

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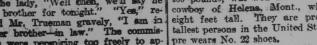
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matter exactly opposite to those held by the polosman. The crowd sympatical views on the struce, nevertheless. Ty ou were not among the fortunate fer who heard Rev. J. G. Shearer deliver his address on The Battle for the Sable for the Sabbath in tionable chiralay on both sides, sand surged in calinov of martial decist were reater would be yiew tookable. However, the inevitable end ar. The Trombly Homital Commits. The Trombly Homital Commits. tions 'n a brief chat after the lecture Mr. Shearer emphatically repeated "Um hearti-ly sick of this bigoted marrow-minied talk of the superiority of one denomination over another in the matter of Sunday observance and it's an absolutely false impression." There have been a number of social

There have been a number of social events this week, in fact the weak has been unusually gay, a sort of final flutter before Lent throws its gloomy oall over dancing and other wordly amis ments. The final dance in the assembly series last Thursday evening proved most enjoyable. The committee brought music from Mon-ton and the dancers were delichted with it. An unusually elaborate supper was survid The following are the returns for seven months with corresponding figu
 Revenue.
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 Customs.
 \$16,428,859
 \$18,237,

 Excise.
 6,130,149
 6,669,

 Post office
 1,882,303
 2,110,

 Public Works and
 2,210,

3,717, 1,790

\$32,545

Expenditure\$24,167,157 \$26,272 \$ 7,516 Capital expenditure ...\$ 5,058,659 For the month of January compared y January 1901, the returns are as follows 190 \$4,861 7,189

e	Canadian prime white Sil- ver Star,	0 154 1		0 161	Belfast Cork Quay
d	do do, raw,	0 82 1	0	0 82 0 60	
-	Turpentipe,	0 60 1		0 00 0 59	City Market
	Olive oil, gal.	3 85 1	to	0 60	The country market ized by fair business t
	No. 1 lard oil.	0 50 1	to	0 62 0 55	try is much scarcer
	Seal oil, steam refined,	0 57		0 29 0 56	is not so plentiful, bu
	do. pale, Ood oil,			0 85	be obtained at 8 cent 14 cents. Creamery but
-	RAISINS.				and there are no case
•	London Layers, Black Baskets,	0 00		0 00 1	following are corrected
	Loose Muscatel,	0 08	to	0 081	Western beef Lamb, per cut
10	Biack Baskets, Loose Muscatel, Walencia layer, Vatencia, Sultana, Onrrants, bbl. Currants, bbl. Currants, oleaned appLES	0 00	to	0 07 0 00	MILLON
	Sultana,	0 12	to	0 12 0 061	Veal Pork, by the cut, per lb Hams and bacon, per l Poultry:
	Currante, boxee,	0 071	to	0 08	Turkeys, per lb
	APPLES.	0 07	to	0 071	Fowls ···· ·
	Apples, bbl.	2 50	to	3 5)	Fowls Geese, each Ducks Vegetables:
1	Dried apples, Evaporated Apples	0 10		0 00 0 11	Turnips, per peck
	Evaporated Apricots.	0 12	to	0 12 0 10	Carrots per peck
				0 10	Parsnips, per peck Squash, per lb Oabbage, per head Celery
d,	Lemons, DOX	4 50 C 10		5 00 0 12	Celery
e	Dates, bxs	0 04	10	0 05	Tubs, per lb Tub, dairy and creame
in l	Grapes, Cal Pears, Amn	0 00 3 00	to	0 00 3 50	Eggs:
ne k,	Valencia Oranges Bananas	0 00 1 75	to	0 00 2 25	Buckwheat meal, per 10
n-	Orangea Jamacia	4 00	to	4 00	Fish Prices.
ld y.	Oranges Jamacia per bbl. Pineapples per doz.	6 00 00		6 50 0 09	With the approach for fresh fish is i
ve of	Canadian Onions, per bbl.	3 25	to	3 50	chances are that if t increase within a few
13-	MOLASSES.	(1.00		0.00	advanced.
nd er-	Barbados, new Demerara	0 28 0 00	to to	0 29 0 00	Cod and haddock, per Halibut, per lb.
)r-	New Orleans Porto Rico, new	0 28	to	0 30 0 32	Halibut, per lb Herring, per doz Smelts, per lb Pickerel, per lb
p.	FLOUR AND MEAL.			• • •	Pickerei, per ID
e-	Commeal	3 2)		3 25	BRADSTREETS
ng ge	Middlings, bags free Manitoba Patents	25 00	to	27 00	
er	Canadian High Grade Fan	D ¥ ~			Favorable 12 Conditions
er	ily Medium Patents	4 06 3 90	to	4 10 4 20	Strong Failures
ed	Oatmeal Roller	5 40	to	5 50	Fewer Canadian E
he	SALT.	1. Y -			New York, Feb. 7 will say:
al- be	Liverpool, sack er store		to	0 65	Trade developments largely favorable. Pro might be mentioned fu
atie	Butter salt, cask factory filled		to	1 10	snow covering of the belt, an improved dema
	SPICES.				and rubbers continued
	Nutmeys.	55	to	0 75	and rubbers continued demand for spring g southwestern and nort practical opening of t bing season in dry go
	Cassia per !b. ground Cloves whole	0 15 0 20	to	0 22 0 22	
re,	Cloves ground	0 22 0 18	to	0 23	larly for immediate of steel and kindred pro
	Ginger, ground Pepper, ground	0 18		0 22	A slightly but gene values, alike of food
=	COFFRE.				values, alike of food and some varieties of
	Condensed, 1 lb cans, pe	er			and some varieties of tin, copper and lead a other symptoms of the ruling. The lumber sit
	doz. Oak Brand	3 00	to	3 00	one. All the measures point January equalling
S.	Condensed 1 lb. cans, pe	79			exceeding in many th
JI	doz. Shamrock	2 50	to	2 50	ago. The general level of ly downward during J lower prices of specula and how perducts and
	Java, per lb. green Jamacia, "	0 30 0 24	to to	0 34 0 28	lower prices of specula and hog products and
ns,	1			0 40	and hog products and crude rubber and som the decline in food P
	MATCHES. Gross.	0 40	to	0 43	the decline in food p covered since Feb. 1. 'Demand is again pass
	CANDLES.				Demand is again pass and steel. There is crude pig iron as also of steel. Hardware is
nue	Mould per lb.	0 11	to	0 11	of steel. Hardware is ly all markets.
ur- ry,	TTAN				ly all markets. The world's statistic have been on the who week and coupled with
53,	Carlon	0 18	to	The second s	some strengthening.
ure	Congou, per lb common Congou " good	0 14 0 20	to to		ever.
nan	Congou, inest	0 28 0 25	to	0 30	The bulls in cotton opportunity this week
ous	1 Colong	0 30	to	0 35 0 45	ment of supplies from which is conceded to b
by \$7,-	NAILS.				Additional strengthenin the cheerful tone of trade reports and the
rre-	1 (mt 51) dz & 80 dz na	2 55	to	2 7)	Cloth.
by	Wire nails, 10 dz	2 85	to	3 10	ever, continue apart, heavy. The contrary branch, particularly in The latter are heavily partments. Plain dress their favorable positif
the	I with obread	3 20	to	4 35	branch, particularly in The latter are heavily
ires	OAKUM				partments. Plain dres their favorable position
	English Navy or b. American Navy per 1b, English hand-picked.	0 6	to	0 06	but a strike of a few w Providence has render
,850		0 06	to	0 06	parametris. Fram uncertain favorable position but a strike of a few w Providence has render operatives idle. Raw steady on moderate (supplies. Recent Lond about a present with
,833	PAINTS.			•	above a parity with
,431	White lead, Brandram's J 1 B. B. per 100 lbs.	No. 6 97	to	7 10	above a parity with The spring demand is still not active. T at Chicago and only at Boston. Shipments
,486	Yellow paint	6 50	to	7 75	at Boston. Shipments
,153	Black	7 50 0 21	to to	8 00	January, however, we cess of a year ago. I and in fair demand.
,381					and in fair demand. Business failures for as against 303 last we
vith	1 Altorig mane.	0.5	to	0 06	for the week number week.
2.	Anchors, per lb. Chain cables, per lb. Rigging chains, per lb. Yellow metals, per lb.	0 41	to	0 05	Canadian Trade Revi
,631 ,921	Rigging chains, per lb. Yellow metals, per lb.	0 15	to	0 09	New York, Feb. 7.
e in	Refined, 100 lb or ordin	ary			New York, Feb. 7. trade, R. G. Dun & C morrow will say:

trengthening of print staple cotton, how-and sales are not i true in the jobbing prints and ginghams. sold ahead in all de-woollens have held n of previous weeks, sollen mill hands near ed a large number of wool has remained emand and restricted on wool sale prices are our market. for boots and shoes rade is reported slow gradually opening up from the east during re 10 per cent. in ex-cather remains steady emains stead r the week number 247. eek. Canadian failures 29 as against 48 last ewed by Dun. -Regarding Canadian

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Show shoe races are coming into vogue in Switzerland. Traile, R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review u-morrow will say: Country roads are bad, which has curtail-

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bit has been charaoter
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church, Sunday night, was insufficient for eral strengthening of products, raw cotton cotton goods and of cotton goods and of the demand, and, in fact, it was hard to find standing room, so great was the multitude who flocked out to hear the special service in memory of a number who had passed away during the recent smallpox epidemic. The service was open-ed in the usual manner, and the pastor, Rev. H. H. Roach, read from the XI chapter of Exodus. Then another hymn was sung. The pastor took his text from the XII chapter of Exodus, and delivered a short, eloquent sermon, admirably ap-propriate to the occasion. "We ought not," said Mr. Roach, in the course of his sermon, "we who have lost loved ones by the smallpox place. mount because al strengthening of of inished products, very active at near-s of wheat movement is rather bullish this cold weather, caused uping character, how-ound a long waited-for in the reducel move-the interior, part of e due to cold weather.

It seems to be about settled that the two largest islands in the world are joth in the Arctic ocean. Greenland is un-questionably the largest—and recent ex-plorations of Baffin Land show that it is Second only the Concerlend in extent -----

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The recent remarkable advance in the dustries of Italy is owing largely to the velopment of electricity as a motive port

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bund a long waited-for in the reducel move-the interior, part of due to cold weather. g features have been foreign and domestic trengthening of print hereaster." By reason of its members having con-tracted bad colds, the Brussels street quartette was unable to be present. The choir rendered some very appropriate music. Rev. Dr. Macming was on the platform and took part in the service.

