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with modern improvements. Can be  
seen any afternoon. Apply on the  
premises to S. A. THORNE, 178 Brit-  
tain street.

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the premises.

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ing 12 rooms, all modern im-  
provements. Can be seen, Monday,  
Wednesday and Friday afternoons. For  
further particulars inquire on the  
premises or W. S. POTTS, 3 North  
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Can be seen Tuesday and Thursday, 73  
Minnetta street, St. John (west).

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house 44 Elliott Row. Containing large  
drawing room, dining room, four bed  
rooms, bath, hot and cold water, gas,  
etc., all on one floor. Seen Saturday  
afternoons. Apply up stairs, T. A.  
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FOR SALE—Two heavy truck horses,  
two sets working harness, one set  
driving harness, two sleds, one driving  
pump, two slovens, one express wagon,  
one two-seated driving wagon. Apply  
to WM. DUNLOP & SONS, 12 Sydney  
street.

**P. E. I. ICE BOATS.**

Have Not Crossed the Straits Since

Monday.

(Special to the Star.)

SACKVILLE, Feb. 8. — The storm  
does not abate and the roads are drift-  
ed full. The train on the N. B. and  
P. E. I. Railway made no attempt to  
move yesterday nor today.  
Ice boats to Prince Edward Island  
have not crossed since Monday.

St. John, N. B., Feb. 7th, 1905.

**Two Special Prices.**  
SUITS TO MEASURE.

FROM OUR NEW SPRING CLOTHS which have just arrived we will  
take orders for this month at two special prices and make

**SUITS \$12 and \$15**

To Measure,  
Orders left now can be delivered to suit customers any time before May  
1st.

WE GUARANTEE FIT and WORKMANSHIP.

**J. N. HARVEY,** Men's and Boys' Clothier  
199 and 201 Union St.

### PRIVY COUNCIL OF GREAT BRITAIN

Severely Criticized Judge  
Caron.

For His Conduct in the Greene-Gaynor  
Extradition Case.

LONDON, Feb. 8. — The privy coun-  
cil rendered its decision this morning  
in the Greene-Gaynor case in favor of  
the American government.  
The court reversed the two judgments  
of Justice Caron (of Quebec), August  
13, 1902, and ordered the respondents  
to pay the cost of the appeal. The  
council's decision, cautiously critics  
see the action of Justice Caron in re-  
leasing Greene and Gaynor, and Caron's  
"extraordinary intervention," and adds:  
"Where a prisoner is brought  
before a competent tribunal charged  
with an extraditable offence and is  
remanded for the express purpose of  
affording the prosecution an opportu-  
nity of bringing forward evidence  
whereby the accusation is to be sup-  
ported, if in such a case upon a writ  
of habeas corpus a learned judge treats  
a remand warrant as a nullity and pro-  
ceeds to adjudicate the case as though  
the whole evidence was before him it  
would paralyze the administration of  
justice and render it impossible for  
proceedings in extradition to be effec-  
tive."

John R. Carter, second secretary of  
the United States embassy, was pres-  
ent to hear the decision and also to  
watch the appeal against the decision  
of the supreme court of Canada in the  
case of the fishing steamer *Kitty Dee*,  
captured by a Canadian cruiser on Lake  
Erie.

(Special to the Star.)

MONTREAL, Feb. 8. — Donald Mac-  
Master, Canadian counsel for the Uni-  
ted States government, received the fol-  
lowing cable today re Gaynor-Greene:  
"Decisive judgment given today in  
favor of the United States. The judi-  
cial committee of the privy council refer to  
Justice Caron's (Quebec) extraordinary  
intervention as calculated to paralyze  
the administration of justice. The com-  
mittee says he misapprehended An-  
drew's judgment and confused his rea-  
sons. Caron's two judgments are re-  
versed."

John F. Gaynor and Benj. D. Greene  
were indicted in London, Ga., Dec.  
1899, charged with embezzlement and  
defrauding the United States govern-  
ment, together with Captain Oberlin  
M. Carter, in performance of a con-  
tract made for the improvement of  
the Savannah River and other riv-  
ers and harbor work in that district, the  
illicit profits being estimated at \$2-  
000,000. Gaynor and Greene were ar-  
rested in New York and were arraigned  
before Commissioner Shields. They  
contested extradition to Justice Caron  
when the commissioner decided that  
they must go to that state and plead  
guilty to the indictments they dis-  
appeared, but were later located and  
brought back and detained on \$40-  
000 bail each and this was forfeited.  
Efforts to extradite Gaynor and  
Greene from Montreal were progress-  
ing favorably and the extradition com-  
mission was sitting in Montreal when  
Gaynor and Greene went to Quebec. A  
question arose as to whether they could  
be brought back and detained without  
being tried and taken to Montreal.  
There was a big legal fight over this  
action and a Quebec judge issued a  
writ of habeas corpus which was set-  
tled on the jailer at Montreal, who de-  
livered up the prisoners without noti-  
fication to the extradition tribunal and  
detained them to be rushed back to  
Quebec.

Efforts to quash the writ of habeas  
corpus under which they had been re-  
leased, were defeated by Justice Caron.  
After a long legal controversy, Gay-  
nor and Greene obtained their liberty  
within the limits of the province of  
Quebec. The United States govern-  
ment appealed to the privy council of  
England.

HAVE GOT ANOTHER CAT.

The Missing Pussy From the Ladder  
Station Has Been Replaced by An-  
other Tabby.

The cat came; it did not come back,  
as it was not the same cat that was  
lost, but another cat, a homely, ordi-  
nary every day cat that has no desire,  
as yet, to attend fires or do anything  
else than eat and stick close to the  
stove.  
The Star yesterday told of the great  
loss sustained by the members of No.  
1 Hook and Ladder Co. in the loss of  
their pet. The Star had been but a few  
minutes on the street when offers of  
cats of all descriptions were telephoned  
in, but none would do as they were  
not the lost pussy. Ear marks were  
missing, the color was wrong and while  
they all showed a disposition to stick  
to a warm fire none cared to turn out  
on a cold night to see how the fire is  
put out. This was all well enough, but  
when two little boys turned up with a  
cat in a basket which they let loose on  
the floor the men decided to adopt it.  
At first the strange pussy did not take  
very kindly to the premises, but this  
morning, seeing that the men were  
harmless, was perfectly at home.  
That cat that got lost, however, is  
still wanted back and the man or woman  
found harboring it will get into  
trouble.

The funeral of Arthur Doody took  
place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock  
from his late home, 47 St. James street.  
The service at St. John the Baptist  
church was conducted by the Rev. W.  
C. Gaynor. Interment was at the new  
Catholic cemetery.

### A BRITISH STEAMER

Captured By the Japanese Fleet --- Admira-  
Togo Hoists His Flag on the Mikasa--  
Crowded With Refugees.

TOKIO, Feb. 8. — A report emanating  
from London to the effect that the  
Grand Duke of Russia, determined to  
secure peace, had asked the friendly of-  
fices of Great Britain, was published in  
Tokio today. The foreign office denied  
having any knowledge of the matter.  
TOKIO, Feb. 8. — Admiral Togo ar-  
rived at Kure today and immediately  
raised his flag on the battleship Mikasa.  
TOKIO, Feb. 8, 2 p. m. — Reports from  
the Manchurian army headquarters say  
that the Russians shelled various parts  
of the Japanese lines last Monday  
and Tuesday night. Small forces of  
Russian infantry attacked at vari-  
ous points, but all were repulsed. It  
is further reported that the Russians  
continue to entrench in the direction

### FURNESS LINER

DAMARA LOST.

Struck a Ledge While Making  
Halifax Harbor.

Some of the Crew and Passengers Landed  
Were Badly Frozen and Very  
Much Exhausted.

HALIFAX, Feb. 7. — In a blinding  
snow storm at three o'clock this morn-  
ing and far out of her course, the  
Furness line steamer *Damara*, from  
Liverpool, for Halifax, via St. John's,  
Nfld., struck a ledge at Pleasant Point  
off Musquodoboit Harbor, fifty miles  
west of Halifax, and was soon aban-  
doned by the captain and crew, who  
with three passengers, who were  
aboard, left in two boats. One of these  
containing eighteen people, was in  
charge of Capt. J. D. Gorst. The first  
officer took charge of the second boat,  
and with him were seven persons, one  
of them a passenger.  
With great difficulty the two  
boats were launched and started in the  
direction of land, several miles distant.  
Only one of those boats had  
reached the shore up to this evening,  
in charge of the first officer. When  
they saw the shore the ledge it was  
only for a moment or so that the  
*Damara* remained in sight, and the  
people in the boat do not know her  
fate, the snow and murky darkness  
concealing her completely as they  
moved off.

The boat in charge of Captain Gorst  
with its slight poop had not  
reached land when the man who  
brought the news of the wreck had left  
the landing place for the Musquodoboit  
harbor telegraph station. She  
may have reached the shore at some  
distant point or she may still be at  
sea. If yet afloat her condition must  
be terrible indeed, for the brief in-  
terval of mild weather which followed  
the intense cold at the time of the  
wreck has now given place to renewed  
cold.

The *Damara* was built in Glasgow  
for the South American line in 1885  
and was acquired by the Furness line  
two years later. She is a fine vessel,  
1,770 tons gross and 1,145 tons net. For  
the past eighteen years she has been  
employed almost entirely in the Liver-  
pool trade. She carries a crew of 27.

MONTREAL, Feb. 8. — One of the  
three wrecked passengers on the *Dama-  
ra* was E. Mayer, of Montreal, com-  
mercial traveller in the employ of J.  
M. Fortier, Ltd. Before the news of the  
wreck reached here Mayer had tele-  
graphed he was safe and had reached  
a point 30 miles from Halifax.

LATEST

MISSING BOAT TURNS UP.  
HALIFAX, Feb. 8. — The missing  
boat of the wrecked *Damara* arrived  
at Pleasant Point yesterday afternoon  
at four o'clock, all well. There were  
two women passengers in the boat.

WHITNEY'S CABINET

Monteith of South Perth Minister of  
Agriculture

OTTAWA, Feb. 8. — Mr. Monteith, of  
South Perth, has been appointed min-  
ister of agriculture in the Whitney  
cabinet.  
(For list of other portfolio holders  
see page five.)

N. B. SUPREME COURT.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 8. — Dr.  
Pugsley took up the argument this  
morning on opening of court in the  
Cushing appeal case and will probably  
occupy the entire day. Messrs. Pown-  
all and Curry will follow and it may be  
the case will finish tomorrow noon.  
The case appeal will be then taken up  
and will likely occupy the rest of the  
week.

of Wanchayuanian, Litajentun, Chen-  
chiehpaio and Heikoukai.

TOKIO, Feb. 8, 3 p. m. — The British  
steamer *Easty*, bound for Vladivostok  
with coal, was captured off Hokkaido  
yesterday. She is being brought to  
Vokoku.

(The *Easty* is a steel screw steamer  
of 2,998 tons register. She was built in  
1892 at Furness and belongs to the Im-  
perial S. S. Co., Ltd., of West Hartle-  
pool. She is commanded by Captain  
W. T. Horsfield.)

SHANGHAI, Feb. 8. — This city is  
crowded with Port Arthur refugees.  
Most of them are orderly and nearly  
all have plenty of money, but many  
are sleeping in the streets. Every ef-  
fort is now making to provide the re-  
fugees with shelter pending the readi-  
ness of steamers to take them to their  
various destinations.

### SACKVILLE

Annual Meeting of Westmor-  
land Co. Orange Lodge.

The Election of Officers Was Followed  
by a Grand Banquet.

SACKVILLE, N. B., Feb. 8. — The  
annual meeting of the Westmorland  
County Orange Lodge, announced to  
take place Tuesday afternoon, was not  
held until evening, owing to the non-  
arrival of delegates from Moncton. No.  
2 express, with the Orangemen aboard,  
did not reach here until eight o'clock,  
being eight hours gone 38 miles. The  
delay was caused by a fearful snow-  
storm and to the engine of a freight  
train getting off the track at Calhoun's.  
The Orangemen met at nine o'clock,  
when reports of officers and general  
routine business was disposed of.  
The following officers were elected:  
C. M. Thomas, Grandmaster; D. C. M.  
J. W. Duke, chaplain; Rev. James Pas-  
coe, financial secretary; Charles Blake-  
more, recording secretary; H. Wadman,  
re-elected; of Moncton; D. C. M.  
Martin O. Crossman, of Sackville; lectur-  
er, Ira P. McKay; deputy lecturers, O.  
Bayley and C. Chapman. An elabo-  
rate banquet was given the Orangemen  
at the Temperance House at two this  
morning, after which the closing ses-  
sion was held. The next meeting will  
be held at Salisbury. The lodge ad-  
journd at six o'clock this morning.

ST. PETERSBURG.

Government Threatens to Close All  
Colleges and Schools.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 8. — Governor  
General Trepoft has ordered the  
closure of all educational institutions.  
The following officers were elected:  
professors in universities and teachers in  
schools of St. Petersburg to inform  
their students that academic anarchy  
must cease. Students must resume  
their studies by Feb. 18 and those re-  
fusing to do so will be expelled. If the  
majority refuse or the professors as-  
sociate themselves with the movement,  
the universities and schools, Gen. Tre-  
poft announced, would close and edu-  
cation in St. Petersburg would cease.

CURLING.

Married and Single Ladies at the  
Thistle Rink.

The return match of curling between  
the married and the single ladies at  
the Thistle rink this morning resulted  
in the lassies springing a surprise on  
their married opponents. Whether the  
approval of St. Valentine's day calls  
up emotions which make the damsel's  
eyes more true or the glory of their re-  
cent victory made the married ladies  
careless is hard to say but the un-  
married ladies demonstrated their su-  
periority and retrieved their former de-  
feat this morning. The players and re-  
sults are as follows:—

Married.	Single.
Mrs. W. J. Sinclair	Miss N. Irvine
Mrs. F. F. Isidor	Miss E. Collins
Mrs. J. Pullen	Miss G. Campbell
Mrs. W. Holley	Miss B. McLaren
Skip . . . . . 10	Skip . . . . . 14
Married.	Single.
Mrs. A. Patterson	Miss E. Parks
Mrs. Gillis	Miss M. Golding
Mrs. F. D. Miles	Miss Armstrong
Mrs. J. McLevy	Miss Robertson
Skip . . . . . 4	Skip . . . . . 11

DEATHS.

LEMON—At Hartland, N. B., on the  
6th inst., Phoebe, widow of Patrick  
Lemon, late of North End, in the 81st  
year of her age, leaving three daugh-  
ters and three sons to mourn their  
loss.  
Burial at Hartland.

### GOOD RELATIONS OF TURKEY AND FRANCE

Interrupted by Germany's Trade  
Sharpness.

Captured Contract to Re-arm All the  
Turkish Batteries.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 8. — Ger-  
many's victory in capturing the con-  
tract for the re-arming of the Tur-  
kish artillery threatens to result in a  
serious disturbance of Franco-Turkish  
political relations. The French am-  
bassador here, M. Constant, proposes  
to leave Constantinople shortly for  
Paris in order to consult with Foreign  
Minister Delcasse. In the meantime  
the ambassador has informed the Tur-  
kish government that the French mar-  
ket is closed to any fresh Turkish loan.  
Tevfik Pasha, the foreign minister,  
tried to compromise the matter, offer-  
ing to settle the Syrian railways ques-  
tion in a manner satisfactory to the  
French claimants and to purchase mil-  
itary equipment to the amount of \$2-  
300,000 in France. The ambassador,  
however, demanded the expenditure of  
\$5,000,000, being one third of the value  
of the new armament with the French  
gun factories and complete satisfaction  
of the French demands regarding the  
railroads. These terms the ambassador  
declared to be final, and not having  
received a reply Feb. 6, the ambassador  
informed the Turkish government that  
he refused to continue the negotiations,  
adding that the French market was  
closed to further Turkish loans.  
As a result of this notification the  
Ottoman Bank withdrew its proposal  
for the projected loan and notified the  
minister of finance, Reshad Pasha, that  
it would not entertain any request of  
the government for advances. The  
Deutsche Bank then came to the Porte's  
aid with an offer to assist the treasury.  
The Germans are thus for the mo-  
ment in complete possession of the  
financial field and an trade has al-  
ready been promulgated, ordering the  
purchase of all the new guns in Ger-  
man factories, but it has been decided  
only re-arm sixty batteries at pres-  
ent, instead of 142 as originally pro-  
posed.

### BRITISH TROOPS

To Be Withdrawn from the West Indies

NEW YORK, Feb. 8. — A London de-  
spatch to the Herald says: The deci-  
sion of the British government to with-  
draw all the infantry battalions from  
the West Indian colonies at an early  
date has been the occasion of consid-  
erable discussion in business circles  
during the last few days, but it does  
not appear to have come as a surprise  
to army and navy officers.  
An officer who recently relinquished  
a high military command said today  
(Tuesday) that the step now to be taken  
has been under discussion for some  
time previously. "It is in this way,"  
he continued, "the complement of what  
is being done in naval matters in the  
same locality. It appears that the Brit-  
ish government has determined to  
take President Roosevelt at his word  
and accept his definition of the Monroe  
doctrine. Why, for example, should  
we be at the expense of keeping sol-  
diers at Barbadoes, Bermuda and Ja-  
maica, when those islands are quite  
as secure from foreign invasion as is  
Cuba or Porto Rico?"

The funeral of the late Miss Janie  
Bettinson took place this afternoon at 3  
o'clock from her late residence, Bay  
Shore. Rev. R. W. Ferguson conducted  
the service. Interment at Fernhill.

The funeral of the late James Faw-  
cett took place this morning from  
Camberlain's undertaking rooms, Mill  
street. The Rev. Mr. Raymond con-  
ducted the service. Interment was in  
the Church of England cemetery.

JUST ARRIVED

One Car of Kent Flour will sell at  
\$6.15 per barrel.  
A choice lot of butter, 20c. a lb. retail  
15c. per lb. by the tub.  
Canned Corn, 10c. per can; \$1.15 per  
dozen.  
Canned Peas, 8c. per can; 90c. per  
dozen.  
Canned Tomatoes, 10c. per can; \$1.15  
per dozen.

**BARKER'S,**  
100 Princess Street.

**Ladies' Flannelette Waists**  
At Reduced Prices.

We have placed on Sale the balance of our stock of  
Flannelette Waists at greatly reduced prices.

These Waists are all of this season's importation. Good  
heavy Waists and up-to-date patterns.

\$1.80 Waists now . . . . .	\$1.00
1.25 Waists now . . . . .	.75
1.10 Waists now . . . . .	.75
90 Waists now . . . . .	.50
75 Waists now . . . . .	.50

**SHARP & McMACKIN**  
335 Main St., North End.

### THE WEATHER.

Forecasts — Strong northwesterly  
winds, fair and cold. Thursday, fresh  
wind, fair and cold.  
Synopsis—Weather continues cold and  
much disturbed throughout the Domin-  
ion. To Banks, northwesterly winds;  
to American ports, strong northwest to-  
day and southeast on Thursday.

TO LET—A basement flat, No. 141-2  
Harding street, containing 5 rooms.  
Rent \$6.00. Apply J. G. CARLETON.

## FURS!

The present is a good time to buy  
FURS—three months of fur wearing  
weather yet to come, and there is  
enough saved on the price to make it  
an inducement. For instance, I have  
about twenty BLACK MARTIN BOAS,  
ranging in price from \$5.50 to \$30.00.  
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