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and all forms of Indigestion. Quick Relief
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and \$1.00. C. K. SHORT, St. John, N. B.

THE WEATHER.

The highest temperature today was 33; the
lowest temperature, 8; temperature at noon,
33; barometer reading at noon 30.2 inches.
Wind at noon S. W., with a velocity of 20
miles per hour.
TORONTO, Jan. 27.—Forecast:—Light to
moderate south to southeast winds, fair and
mild. Wednesday, mild.
Synopsis.—Mild weather is indicated with
a thaw, but the outlook is generally unsettled.
The winds near New England promise
to be from southwest to southeast, and to
be fresh light and variable.

LOCAL NEWS.

Hard and soft coal. Gibbon & Co.
Ladies' hear Palma tomorrow in
Church of England Institute Hall.

The Goodspeed case will not come
up at Fredericton until Friday.

Ice sticks are a necessity on slippery
sidewalks just now. Buy them at R.
J. Wilkins' cigar store, 81 King street.

Rev. L. I. Donaldson has been elected
rector of Trinity church, Halifax.
He will take charge at Easter.

Don't forget Rev. Mr. Cropper's lec-
ture on Demerara, the Land of the
Victoria Regence, this evening, in St.
Andrew's church.

A horse belonging to Henry Hays
ran away on the Westmorland Road
last night and caused considerable
damage to the wagon before being
caught.

The rifle competitions in connection
with Wilkins' cigar store, 81 King
street, are open to the public. Suitable
prizes are awarded to successful com-
petitors and the shooting room is warm
and comfortable.

A grand fancy dress carnival will be
held on the Carleton open air rink on
Wednesday evening, Feb. 4th. It will
be the biggest event of the season.
Twenty dollars in gold for the most
original and fancy costumes, ladies'
and gents'. Band in attendance.

PERSONAL.

M. B. King, of Cranbrook, C. B., who
has been home visiting his father,
Senator G. G. King, at Chipman, leaves
tonight for the west again.

R. D. Wilnot of Oromocto, is in the
city.

G. B. Hastings, general manager of
the Lake of the Woods Milling Co., is
in the city visiting his brother A. O.
Hastings.

Z. C. Perley of Fredericton, is in
town.

Miss Mary Lindsay returned on Sat-
urday to Quincy, Mass., after a brief
vacation home.

Miss Louell Crosby went to Boston
Saturday to spend a few weeks.

J. B. Archibald, of the I. C. R. Rail-
way, is at the Dufferin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Peters came
home yesterday from Boston, New
York and other American cities.

Thomas P. Robertson, of St. John,
son of John M. Robertson, of Kerr &
Robertson, has become a member of
the firm of the W. F. Boardman Com-
pany, of San Francisco, one of the
largest hardware commission houses
on the Pacific coast.

Horace H. Beer, of the McClary
Manufacturing Co., is at the Dufferin.
He has been at St. John's, Nfld., for a
time.

Neil J. Morrison, of the customs
house, and Andrew Foster, engineer of
the steamer Prince Rupert, left yester-
day for Montreal as delegates to the
National Association of Marine Engi-
neers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Clements of Syd-
ney, are at the Dufferin.

Rev. Dr. Steel, of Sackville, formerly
pastor of Portland Street Methodist
church, passed through the city yester-
day afternoon on his way to Toronto
in connection with a meeting on church
discipline.

A. L. Landry has recovered from his
recent illness and will leave today to
spend a few days at his home at Dor-
chester.

Miss Lena Murray left for New York
last night to resume her studies at
music.

Miss Abbie Bell, of St. John, is visit-
ing in Moncton, the guest of her aunt,
Mrs. S. Crandall, Pleasant street.

Mrs. A. J. Gross, of Hillsboro, has
gone to Valdosta, Georgia, to spend the
winter for the benefit of her health.

Wm. Lockhart, I. C. R. truckmaster
on the eastern division, is confined to
his home in Moncton through a very
severe attack of quinsy.

Geo. S. Stanger of Fredericton re-
ceived a telegram yesterday from O. S.
Crocket at New York with reference to
Mrs. Crocket's condition, which is ac-
cepted as being very encouraging news.

Dr. A. T. McMurray, of Fredericton
leaves on Saturday to take post
graduate course in the Harvard grad-
uate college in advanced methods of
dentistry.

A ST. JOHN MAN IN HALIFAX.

J. S. Harding, of St. John, was at
the Halifax Hotel on Saturday. He
told a Chronicle man that he does not
understand why people who bake
bread are foolish enough to use ordi-
nary flour when they can get Ogilvie's.
He says that when one considers the
fact that it makes so many more loaves
to the barrel than ordinary flour and
that the bread is stronger and there-
fore has more nourishment, it will be
readily seen that there is a distinct ad-
vantage in using Ogilvie's.

Ogilvie's flour is now the favorite in
South Africa as well as in Canada,
and in Bermuda and the British West
Indies it has captured the market.

GINGHAM UNDERSKIRT

made from pretty gray and white
striped gingham with a twelve
inch frill and ruffle on the bottom,
only 50c. at F. A. Dykeman & Co.

SIXTY DOLLARS IN CASH.

Sixty dollars in cash will cause a
keen contest among the skaters at Fri-
day evening's carnival by the St. John
Trades and Labor Unions at Victoria
Rink, while a solid silver tea service
to the lucky ticket holder will prove a
drawing card that will completely fill
the old historic Victoria Rink.

The popularity of Red Rose tea is
due to the simple fact that it is good
tea.

CATTLE BY FERRY.

The Big Cattle Barge Proves
Successful This Morning.

This Method Will Probably be now
Used Altogether—St. John as
a Cattle Shipping Port.

The big barge St. Lawrence was
used for the first time this morning
and more than justified the enterprise
of its owner and constructor, John E.
Moore. It was only an experimental
trip made from Ballast wharf to Sand
Point this morning as, owing to some
hitch in the fixing of the insurance,
some of the shippers were unwilling to
run what they thought might be a
slight risk in using this new method of
transportation and sent their stock
around to Sand Point by rail last night.

The load taken over this morning
consisted of 100 cattle and 1,000 sheep,
and the ease and speed with which
they were loaded and transferred was
astonishing. It was the first time the
staging or any part of the gear had
been used, so there were found to be
a few delays. But in spite of these,
the sheep were hurried up the gang-
way to the upper deck of the big boat
in phenomenally quick time, and the
loading of the hundred cattle into the
lower section only took about fifteen
minutes. The transfer to the steamer
at the other side of the harbor was
accomplished with equal ease and de-
spatch.

It is now practically a certainty, to
judge by the expressions of some ship-
pers at Ballast wharf this morning,
that this method of transacting the
cattle across the harbor will be exclu-
sively used in the future. Mr. Moore's
charge to the shippers is 20 cents a
head for cattle and two cents a head
for sheep. As the rate for haulage
around by the bridge is \$6.25 per car
this practically cuts the expenses of
transfer here in two. Then as soon as
the I. C. R. have built the drop-in
Ballast wharf which they have prom-
ised to construct immediately, cattle
may be loaded on the barge and put
on board the ship at any time of tide,
which will prove to the vast conveni-
ence of the steamboat men.

D. Munro of Montreal, one of the
largest shippers of cattle through this
port, expresses himself as delighted
with the facilities at this port for this
purpose.

"The I. C. R. are providing us with a
splendid service," he said, "and their
accommodations here are second to
none. But there is one thing against
them in the eyes of the shippers. They
don't finish their work. They haul the
cattle here in sight of the ship and
then leave them, and we have to go to
the extra expense of getting them
across the harbor. The I. C. R. peo-
ple ought certainly to put the cattle
they bring down right alongside the
ship. If they don't do this, why, as
soon as the embargo on Portland and
Boston is removed their business, as
far as cattle are concerned, will drop
quick. They should have worked this
bargue scheme themselves, and now
that a private individual has had the
enterprise to plan such a thing on his
own account they should certainly bear
the cost of the ferryage."

"Now that western shippers have
had some experience with St. John,
will they continue to ship here after
the embargo is removed?" Mr. Moore
was asked.

"That's hard to say. A certain por-
tion of the trade will certainly go to
Portland and Boston on account of
shorter hauls and cheaper sea insur-
ance, but St. John ought to hold more
than she ever had before. With the
exception of this ferryage we can ship
here just as cheaply as at Portland.
The fast runs made by the I. C. R.
this winter have opened the eyes of
western shippers and removed consid-
erable prejudice against the port. But
that insurance business works against
St. John, for there is a half per cent
of difference between here and Port-
land, which makes an extra expense
of about 50 cents a head."

"But for the rest of this winter any-
way you ought to see about 2,000 head
of cattle being shipped from here every
week and about double that number
of sheep. The Monterey, now in Phil-
adelphia, is coming here Feb. 10 to
take 1,000 head. The Montclair next
week wants 1,000 more. Then every

**Writing Tablets.**

The Biggest Bargains in Five Years.

We have just received 2,400 Writing
Tablets, SAMPLES, in three sizes, Note,
Pocket and Letter. Prices, 4c., 5c., 10c., 20c.,
30c., 10c. each. You will find in this
papers to suit all styles of handwriting. The
qualities run from the common kind to paper
as fine as silk. 50 to 100 per cent. can be
saved.

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Clearing out Winter Pants
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A good pair of heavy WORKING-
MEN'S PANTS for \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25
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TON OVERCOAT for \$2.50. A good
Grey Frieze RAGLENETTE OVER-
COAT for \$5.75. BOYS' ULSTERS for
\$2.50. FLEECE LINED UNDER-
WEAR, 35 cents per garment. ALL-
WOOL UNDERWEAR, 35 cents per
garment at the

GLOBE—No. 9—Foot of King St.

other Donaldson boat takes a big load
and what with the other lines they
ought to take about 2,000 a week. I
intend to ship 200 a week right along
myself."

POLICE COURT.

Another man of the Lake Champlain
felt like six five cent pieces today.
George Thompson had been drinking so
hard that he couldn't keep anything on
his stomach except his hand, and even
that slipped sometimes. He was
gathered into the fold on St. John
street and went to jail for ten days.

George Christopher comes from Dart-
mouth, but this did not keep him from
getting full. He, too, was drunk on
St. John street and paid four dollars
for his fun.

Officer Avard Anderson came to the
city last night from Bridgetown, with
a warrant for Melburn Sabean, who
is wanted for stealing a coat. Sabean
was arrested on the arrival of the
Prince Edward on Saturday. He is
suffering from a bad cut in the foot,
accidentally inflicted with an axe.
Officer Anderson and his prisoner will
go to Bridgetown tomorrow.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

A young whale was seen disporting
itself between Negrotown Point and
Sand Cove. Some Carleton fishermen
went out to drop him a line.

More cases of smallpox are reported,
and the board of health use as a fum-
igator a small plate of salt on which oil
of vitriol has been poured.

A carnival was held in the Victoria
Rink, and among the skaters in cos-
tume were the following young men:
Olive Thomas—Sailor.

Peter Clinch—Highlander.

J. R. Stone—Humpty Dumpty.

R. H. McLean—Sailor.

Philip Palmer—Hamlet.

R. Murray Boyd—Traveller.

IT WENT DOWN.

Yesterday afternoon, while Mr.
Stackhouse, teamster, was moving a
safe for L. G. Crosby on North wharf,
something happened. The safe was
being lowered on the inside of the
building when the tackle gave way
and the heavy contrivance floated
gracefully to the ground floor, carry-
ing away the stairs and other similar
small obstacles which were not quick
enough in getting from under. But
the safe is down, all right.

THIS EVENING.

"Golden Giant" at Opera House this eve-
ning.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" at York Theatre.

Annual meeting of Ladies' Association of
C. B. Institute, at 3 p. m. in Trinity School-
house.

Natural History Society at 8 o'clock to-
night.

Musical Tableaux in Trinity Church School-
house tonight.

Chapman Festival Chorus rehearsal in C.
of B. Institute.

Installation and turkey supper in Court
Lancaster, I. O. F., Fairville.

Saterment in Carleton Methodist
church.

Concert in Carleton Baptist church.

Jubilee Singers Carleton Baptist church.

Willow workers entertainment Carleton
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10 Per Cent. Discount.

During January 10 per cent. discount off
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WOMEN'S UNDERVESTS,
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MISSES' DRAWERS,
MISSES' UNDERVESTS,
MISSES' COMBINATIONS.

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