

TORONTO, Noon.—Strong westerly winds with local snow flurries, but generally fair and a little colder to-day and on Tuesday.
 WINDS, Noon.—Bar. 29.25; ther. 40.

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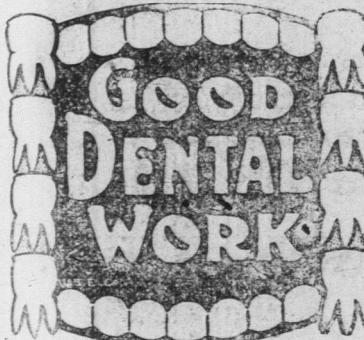
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NEWFOUNDLAND AGRICULTURAL BOARD.
 dec17,61

NOTICE.

Tenders will be received up to and including Tuesday, December 21st, for that desirable Freehold Business Premises known as Grace Building, and lately occupied by Hon. J. Anderson, situated at the corner of Water Street and O'Dwyer's Cove, corresponding with the new Bank of Nova Scotia Building. The vicinity is without doubt the finest business part of Water St. The highest or any other Tender may not be necessarily accepted. Tenders to be addressed to

P. C. O'DRISCOLL,
 nov23,eod.t

NOTICE!

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- Lemons, Oranges,
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- Finnan Haddies,
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Ex Stephano To-day.
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Xmas Presents for Boys—10 pairs Young Flemish Giant Rabbits, from imported stock. M. A. BASTOW. dec17,21,eod

LOST—On Thursday afternoon, between Anderson's dry goods store and the West End Bazaar Store, a Purse, containing a sum of money. Finder please leave it at this office and get reward. dec20,11

LOST—Between Anderson's new store and Goodridge's, a Purse, containing a small sum of money, the property of a poor woman. Finder please leave same at No. 7 Spencer St. and get reward. dec20,11

LOST—On Thursday afternoon, a Lady's Gold Watch, between Maxse Street and Parade Street, by way of McDougall St., Allandale and Newtown Roads. Finder will be rewarded on leaving same at this office. dec18,t

LOST—A Black Pointer Dog, with brown legs. Finder please return to H. YABSLEY, Bowings' Retail Store, and get reward. dec18,t

Help Wanted!

WANTED—A Good General Girl, in small family, references required; apply 49 Monkstown Road. dec20,21

WANTED—A Young Girl to come by day to take care of baby; apply by letter to A.B.C., care this office. dec20,21

WANTED—A Steady Experienced Young Man for the Grocery Department; must have good reference; apply by letter only. GEO. KNOWLING. dec18,t

WANTED—Immediately, a General Servant; apply 51 Cochrane Street. dec17,31

WANTED—A Young Man with a knowledge of the Book and Stationery Business; apply this office. dec16,t

WANTED—A number of second-hand Iron Workers' Lathes. State location, size, style, maker, condition and price wanted. NEWFOUNDLAND SHELL CO., LTD. dec15,61

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