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THE WEATHER.



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We have just received a new line of blue and white Enameled Wares which we are offering at the very lowest prices on the market.

Galvanized Iron Work of all kinds a specialty. Repairing promptly attended to.

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#### Hams and Bacon,

Fresh Meat and Poultry, Henery Eggs, Cheese, Vegetables Creamery Butter, Maple Syrup and Sugar.

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## Straw and Linen Hats

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

The Largest Assortment in the City.

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#### Fresh Meats and Poultry, NEW CABBAGE, LETTUCE, RADISHES, CELERY, HENERY EGGS, CHEESE, VEGETABLES, ETC.

CREAMERY BUTTER, MAPLE SYRUP. WETMORE'S, Tel. 1078.

A DYING RACE. It is predicted that within a few generations the race of native Hawaiians will become extinct. The main causes, as set forth by Lucien C. Warner in the Outlook, are intermarriage and the poor state of health of the pure bloods. Their total

City Market.

HIS FIRST SMOKE KILLED HIM. McGrath.

number has been reduced from 70,000 in 1853 to less than 30,000 in 1900. Mar-PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 19.—A riages between the Hawailans and coroner's inquest upon the death of ten other races are quite frequent, and the year old William Black, who on Sunother races are quite frequent, and the year old William Black, who on Sun-number of part Hawalians is steadily day smoked his first cigar, has shown latives acted as pall bearers and the waters, as if aware of the Russian number of part Hawaiians is steadily day smoked his first cigar, has shown increasing. In 1872 the census gave but that the lad died in convulsions at a increased increased to 4.218, and in 1900 to 7.848. Increased to 4.218, and in 1900 to The larger proportion of children stump of a cigar. The boy recovered among the part Hawaiians is indicated consciousness shortly before he died, by the statistics of school attendance, and said he had swallowed it acciding the indicated consciousness shortly before he died, there parent's residence, 108 St. Patrick success, which was well expressed by the Russ, which says: "Japan's losses is treet. The service at the house and picture is a streak of bad luck like ours. The larger proportion of children stump of a cigar. The boy recovered watson was held this attendont from success, which was well expressed by the Russ, which says: "Japan's losses is conducted by Rev. Mr. Stackhouse. The pall bearers were Allowed it acciding the indicated success." In the case of Earle vs. Barnes, Jas is considered. The service at the house and picture is a streak of bad luck like ours. The larger proportion of children to a cigar. The boy recovered watson was held this attendont from success, which was well expressed by the Russ, which says: "Japan's losses jeopardize her mastery of the sea. It is a streak of bad luck like ours. The larger proportion of children to a cigar. The boy recovered watson was held this attendont from success, which was well expressed by the Russ, which says: "Japan's losses jeopardize her mastery of the sea. It is a streak of bad luck like ours. The larger proportion is a success. The larger proporti Hawaiian children to a total population the first time.

St. John, N. B., May 19, 1904.

### SUITS READY TO WEAR

WITH THE MADE-TO-ORDER LOOK.

These suits have style that will maintain their vogue throughout the season, and are made to retain their shape and appearance, and are marked at prices that are exceedingly low, quality and style considered.

MEN'S SUITS \$2.98 to \$15.00

Up to noon today, four handred have been issued from the mayor's office, which is far in excess of the number issued at this date last year. The Morning Post, which is well prompt action of the police is the principal cause for the rush toward City Hall.

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#### MINERS UNIONS SEEK REVENGE.

Rebellion is Threatened Out in Colorado.

Will Demand an Eye for an Eye.

DENVER, Colo., May 20 .- A state-The issues involved will be presented

be held at Denver next week.

Concerning "the infamy and barbar statement says: "For sixty days the When did 'military necessiition of the state, enabling a corrupt executive to deprive a man, whose cradle has been rocked beneath the dome of an American sky, of the priceless inheritance of constitutional liberty? When did it become lawful for a corporation-mortgaged governor to clothe himself in the cloak of milison an American citizen, who is guilt-less of crime, but whose sturdy and less of crime, but whose sturdy and unfinching manhood refuses to give quarter to the impeachable foes who have degreed that the Western Branch Was retained. This needs that the Western Branch Was retained. This needs that the Western Branch Was retained. This needs that the Western Branch Was retained. ave decreed that the Western Federation of Miners shall be exterminated from the boundaries of Coloado? "The governor of the state, with but sixteen soldiers on duty, in San Miguel county, continues the reign of martial

"If the life of Charles H. Moyer be sacrificed to appease the wrath of cor-porate and commercial hate, there will be forced upon the peaceful, law abiding and liberty loving membership of our organization the ancient words in the old Mosaic law "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth," and here in monument commemorating the era hen despotism met its downfall and

#### anhood its regeneration." CHINAMEN BURNED TO DEATH.

(Special to the Star). MONTREAL, May 20. Four China-nen were burned early this morning in a fire which destroyed their laundry. Two are dead, and two are dying. Many exciting scenes attended the rescue of the bodies.

CIRCULATING DEFACED COIN. st. John Being Made the Dumping Ground for Mutilated Currency.

such quantities. The most interesting is that expressed by several concerns who are called upon daily to handle a considerable amount of silver and is to the effect that a certain resident of this province makes periodical trips to Boston and from certain parties there vince puts this money in circulation.

FUNERALS TODAY.

were laid at rest today in the old Ca- ing out in the darkness, perhaps tholic cemetery. The funeral was held from the deceased's late residence, enemy, to plant mines where the from the deceased's late residence, Westmorland Road, to the Cathedral, where Rev. Fr. Carleton conducted the very residence, enemy, to plant mines where the heavier of the enmey's ships had cruised a few hours before. But, after service. The pall bearers were Thos.
Dean, Daniel O'Neill, John McDonald, big element of chance as to whether

The funeral of the late Mrs. Emma that the catastrophe which they had Boyce was held this afternoon from feared would not come about because

TYPOS ELECT OFFICERS. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 20 .- The Star today says: The present adminis-tration of the International Typographical Union was endorsed by the membership of the craft in Wednesday's election and Jas. M. Lynch was re-elected president to succeed himself as president by a majority estimated at between twelve and fifteen thou-sand. Charles E. Hawkes, of Chicago, once vice-president, opposed him.

LOTS OF DOG LICENSES.

So far this year the dog licenses are

## DRIVEN BACK FROM FENG WANG CHEN. Says He Will Run for the

Maddened by Military Rule, Miners Russians Again in Possession of Scene of First Defeat.

DENVER, Colo., May 20.— A statement has been issued by the executive board of the Federation of Miners relative to their views on the strike situation in Colorado and the imprisonment in a military "bull pen" of Chas.

H. Moyer, president of the federation.

The issues involved will be presented

Some days ago the Star made a forecast, based on good authority, of the situation with respect to provincial politics in this city. The following day the Telegraph said that not one of the Star's guesses was correct. One of the guesses of the Star was confirmed this morning in a manner that can hardly be disputed, and in all probability the other statements will be confirmed by the events. Russians Encouraged.

> The reports of the Japanese retreat to Feng Wang Cheng are officialy confirmed. The Japanese numbering 20,000 men came upon 32,000 Russians in a strong position on Monday, sixty miles west of Feng Wang Cheng. It being unwise to risk a battle the Japanese retreated in good order and with great rapidity. An unofficial Russian authority says a pitched battle was not fought, but rumor says there was con-siderable loss on both sides during the the flanks of the Japanese. This de- saved from the battleship Hatsuse.

a reliable source there.

CHE FOO, May 20, 1 p. m.—Heavy firing was heard in the direction of Port Arthur early this morning. Chinese arriving from Dalny say that the Russians regained control of the rail-

LONDON, May 20, 3.16 p. m.-The Shan (west of the mouth of the Yalu river), vesterday."

RUSSIANS ENCOURAGED. ST. PETERSBURG. May 20 .-- With the beginning of the war, Russia to-day faces the situation in the far east. The disasters sustained by the Japan-ese fleet have strengthened the national spirit, and the officials carefully point out that they restore in a measure the

The remains of the late James Kane of the Russian torpedo boats in steal-Chas. Landers, Jos. Hayes and Thos. the enemy would return. The authorities had almost come to the conclusion bert Rider, Robert Whittaker, Charles
Whittaker, Thos. Armstrong, Geo.
Shanklin and F. McFarlane.

Battle squadron. It is not for us to rejoice that it was not worth while to bring the Kasuga from Genoa to sink

ENGLISH SYMPATHY FOR JAPS. LONDON, May 20. - The English ewspapers express the greatest regret and sympathy at Japan's ill-luck sider it due purely to accident, probably to derelict mines, not believing that the Russians placed mines at such a distance. Admiration is expressed at the smartness of the Japanese saving so many lives from their vessels. Incidentally, the papers use the disasters to point out a lesson to the British political party which charges that the government is spending too much money on the navy. The re coming in in record breaking numbers.
Up to noon today, four handred have and Fuji were lost apparently rests

the Yoshino.

ground that it is all important that she The same paper suggests as an explanation of the conflicting reports of Russian doings at New Chwang that but finding the way northward blocked by Japanese decided to return to New Chwang and hold out there as long as possible in the hope of relief.

Tokio despatches to the Daily Telegraph and the Standard say that

known destination of warships and transports from Tower Hill (ten miles north of Kai Chou, Liao Tung Peninsula) and of the renewed defensive activity at New Chwang.

Wather the Kushalis with withdraw to an unknown destination of warships and Kaupautse, concentrating Kukumen, to support that it would be fatal to the cause of the two which their new bases at Kaiyenan and Tieling, whither the stores and munitions are being taken from Mukden and Liao bertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Robertson were given the plum which the government in the city if Mr. Ro sixteen soldiers on duty, in San Miguel county, continues the reign of martial law, and he will continue to defy judicial tribunals, believing that confinement and relentless persecution will ultimately bring about the death of the man who has incurred the insatiable enmity of a mine owners' association and a citizens' alliance.

"If the life of Charles H. Moyer be sacrificed to appease the wrath of corporate and commercial hate, there will ported and commercial hate, there will always and of the renewed defensive activity at New Chwang.

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> way, but lost it again. Port Arthur is well provisioned and prices are only slightly increased.
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> TOKIO, May 20.—11 a. III.—118 loss of life incured by the sinking of the cruiser Yoshino, included Capt. Sayeki, Commander Hirowateri, three first ieutenants, five second lieutenants, five LONDON, May 20, 3.16 p. m.—The leutenants, live second leutenants, live midshipmen, a paymaster, surgeon, three engineers, cadets and eight boatswain mates. Of the crew the army commenced landing at Taku number lost is unknown.

Those who went down with the battleship Hatsuse, when she foundered, were Commander Tsukamoto, Commander Viscount Wire, Commander ed, were Commander Tsukamoto, Commander Viscount Wire, Commander Arimori, five second lieutenants, five sub-engineers, two surgeons, six midshipmen, four cadet engineers and ten non-commissioned officers. It is not known yet in this case how many of the men perished. The Hatsuse was surely sunk by coming in contact with asubmerged mine and not by the attack of a submarine boat. The report that the battleship Shikisima was damaged and the battleship Fuji sunk is There is considerable kicking among city merchants and others over the large amount of mutilated silver that having been driven back to Feng Wan having been driven back to Feng Wan denied here.

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Is in circulation throughout the city and province, and it is contended that St. John is being made a dumping ground for this sort of currency.

There are numerous explanations offered as to just how this class of coin, of the Russian successes, will, it is better the Star in reference to the report of the Star in reference to the report of the committee which recently inspect. of the Russian successes, will, it is be-lieved, be apparent in the behavior of the committee which recently inspectwhich is all right if looked at from lieved, be apparent in the behavior of the Chinese, whose attitude has been decidedly hostile to the Russians and nothing to do with the manner of opmoney is good money if kept in circulation, happens to reach this city in such quantities. The most interesting ed that the Russian agents in China ed that the Russian agents in China buys this silver at a discount and through different agencies in the promore thrilling character which will appeal to the volatile side of the Rus-sian people.

EQUITY COURT. The case of Goggin vs. Goggin wa further postponed on the application of the defendant to the next regula court day. Dr. Stockton and E. B. Chapman for the defendant, and H. A. McKeown for the defendant. In the case of Ellis vs. Bain a st for the partition of certain propert situated in St. Martins, application wa made to change the title on the reco of the newspapers this morning is Stockton, H. A. McKeown and H. The funeral of the late Miss Mabel sober, while at the same time recog-watson was held this afternoon from nizing the importance of the Russian sons.

THE PENOBSCOT DELAYED. The Eastern Line stmr. Penobsci as not yet arrived in port nor has any explanation been received as to her last night. It is known that the insertion, \$1.10 each.

BASEBALL TONIGHT. At half past two the captains of the cided to play tonight, despite wet grounds. The game will start at 6.45 o'clock and the batteries will be Case and Cooper for the Clippers, and George and Foohey, for St. Joseph's.

White Lawn Waists, with bias hem-strong specific control of the cooper for the Clippers, and George and Foohey, for St. Joseph's.

DR. SMITH IS A CANDIDATE.

He is Probably After Surveyor Generalship - George Robertson's Chances are Very Small

Some days ago the Star made a forefirmed by the events.

Dr. Smith, when asked this mor

by a Star reporter if he intended to be a government candidate in the coming provincial elections, replied that most assuredly he did. He says he has received the best assurance that his candidature would be acceptable to the party in the form of a requisition to which more than one thousand the same than the tion to which more than one thousand signatures have been attached. In the face of such assured support, Dr. Smith says that he will certainly be a candidate and intends to resign his position as chairman of the liquor license commissioners when his time expires on the first of June.

The local political situation is already becoming quite a common topic about the street. Dr. Smith's name as a candidate is frequently mentioned. Varied opinions are still expressed as to who will get the surveyor-general sorrespondent of the Dally Telegraph correspondent of the Dally Telegraph says the Russians will withdraw to Kaubabase, concentrating Kulturen and mentioned to think that he is the man most entitled to it. There are undoubtedly he deserves, but which, they think, he could not safely carry Putty

A prominent Liberal, talking to the Star this morning, said that he personally would not favor Mr. Robertson for the surveyor-generalship, for the reason that Mr. Robertson has lost too much in prestige here. He thought that if Mr. Smith succeeded in win-

bye-elections will not take place till September. The reason appears to be get a strong county candidate. are others' however, who have the con trary opinion, and think that the elec

A TRADE REVIVAL.

ume of "re-stock" business, with a tendency among many merchants to spring goods. Dry goods have been particularly active with a healthy demand for both spring and fall stocks Clothing lines are also reflecting in provement, which is specially eviden throughout the west. Boots and shoe are more active with strong inquiry for the better qualities. Heavy weight goods have been consumed in such quantities as to exhaust the supply of ume in years. This has placed dealers in specially strong positions to handle seasonable goods, which they are docount of the generally milder weather.

Another combination that tends to dull boy is all work and no pay.

10 lbs. Oatmeal for 25c. Oatmeal \$5.20 bbl., 1-2 bbl. \$2.70, at

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showers today and tonight. Saturday, mode ocalities. Winds to Banks and American ports, moderate to fresh easterly, shifting to westerly. Bermuda reports rain with light southwest winds.

Every woman has a tender spot;

## Children's Headwear.

We have some new patterns in Boy's Norfolk, Golf and

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Umbrellas made, Recovered and Re-Hardware, Paints, Oils, Glass and

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We have just received a nice stock of fine GOLD BROOCHES GUARDS, NECKLETS, PENDANTS, LOCKETS

RINGS in great variety, STUDS, LINKS, COLLAR BUTTONS, Etc. We have a great stock and invite inspection. FERGUSON & PAGE At 41 King St.

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If you are going to change from wearing a cap, the Derby is the nobby up-to-date, also soft hats in all the latest shapes. J. B. Bardsley, Hat Specialist, is the man to consult about your hat. Three doors from Royal Hotel entrance.

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Styles - Dainty Colorings. White Lawn Waists, made with wide emstitch tucks, 85c. each.

White Lawn Waists, with wide hemfor St. John yesterday morning at nine o'clock and should have arrived here ast night. It is known that the veather along the coast was not the nost favorable for a quick passage.

White Lawn Waists, with wide hemstitch tucks, trimmed with hamburg insertion, \$1.10 each.

White Lawn Waists, tucked and trimmed with Yak Insertion, \$1.25 each.

Colored Waists, plain, 50c, each.

Light Colored Waists, made bias tucks, 75c, and \$1.00 each.

Colored Waists, tucked and trimmed with Yak Insertion, \$1.25 each.

White Matting Waists, made with with insertion, \$1.10 ecc box pleats, \$1.45 each.
White Lawn Waists, pleated front, St. Joseph and Clipper ball teams de- with two rows wide hamburg insertion,