## SHIPPING NEWS FOR THE WEEK

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N.B.

Feb. 10—Sch. Jessie Lena (Am.), 279, Maxwell, New York, R. C. Elkin, 502 tons coal, St. John Railway Co. S.S. Shenandoah, Trinisk, London via Hallfax, Wm. Thomson and Co.,

W. Smith, bal.
S.S. Adventure, 826, Couch, Sydney,
R. P. and W. F. Starr, coal, and cld.
Ceastwise—Str. Connors Bros., 49,
Warnock, Chance Harbor, and cld. Feb. 11-Sch Laura C Hall, 99, Rockwell, from St Andrews, C M Kerrison

Sch Domain, 91, Stewart, from Boston, C M Kerrison, 103 tons fertilizer, W N Edgett, Moncton. Feb. 13—Str. Dunmore Head, Ardros-

Feb. 13—Str. Dunmore Head, Ardrossan, Wm. Thomson and Co.
Feb 13—Str Dunmore Head, 1,459.
McFarren, from Ardrossan, GB, Wm.
Thomson and Co, ballast.
Feb 14—Str Sobo, 2,312, Bridges, from
Demerara, West Indies, etc. Wm.
Thomson and Co, mails, mase and

Thomson and Co. mails, make and pass, and cid.

Str Bonavista, Mc. from Louise burg R P and W F Starr, coal.

Feb. 15—Str. Tunisian, 6802, Fairfoul, from Liverpool via Halifax, Wm. Thomson and Co., pass, and make.

Str. Louisburg, 1181, Marsters, Louisburg, R. P. and W. F. Starr, coal and cid.

Str. Diana (Nor.), 691, Corboe, Nor-folk, Wm. Thomson and Co., 616,190 ft.

Str. Calvin Austin, Allan, Boston via Maine ports, W. G. Lee, mdse. and Sch. Eva C., 250, Hawx, Port Johnson, A. W. Adams, 433 tons coal, R. P. and

W. F. Starr.
Coastwise—Sch. Granville, 49, Collins,
Annapolis, and cld. Str. Bear River.
70, Woodworth, Bear River, and cld.
Sch. Clara A. Benner, 36, French, Back Feb. 16-Str. Manchester Importer

2538, Haworth, Manchester via Halifax Wm. Thomson and Co., general. St. Lake Michigan, Parry, London and Antwerp, via Hallfax.
Str. Coban, 869, Hardt, Louisburg, R. P. and W. F. Starr, coal.

Cleared.

Feb. 10&S.S. Calcin Austin, Allan Boston via Maine ports, W. G. Lee. Feb. 11—Coastwise — Sch. Emily Saulnier, for Meteghan. Feb. 12—Str. Salacia, McKelvie, Glas-

gow, Robt. Reford Co. Str. Cacouna, 931, Holmes, Sydney, R. P. and W. F. Starr, and cld. Feb. 15—Str. Canada Cape, Williams, uth African ports, J. H. Scamme Str. Lake Michigan, Parry, Londor and Antwerp, via Halifax, C.P.R.

Feb. 15-Str. Manchester Marine Linton, Manchester, Wm. Thomson and Str. Soho, Bridges, West Indies via

Feb. 11-SS Dageld (Nor), Olsen, for New York, Stetson, Cutler and Co SS Empress of Britain, Murray, Liverpool via Halifax, C P R. SS Shenandoah, Trinick, for London Feb. 12-Str. Adventure, Couch, Syd-

reb 14-Str Adventure, Couch, for

Domestic Ports.

MANCHESTER, Feb 9—Ard, str Manchester Shipper, from St John. MOVILLE, Feb. 11—Sld, str Grampian, for Halifax and St. John, N B. FASTNET, Feb. 11.—Passed, str Inhowen Head, from St John, NB, for

LEITH, Feb. 10-Sld, str Cambria, SCILLY, Feb. 11-Passed, str Cairn-

rona for London. MANCHESTER, Feb. 10-Ard, str Dart, from Philadelphia via Halifax. LIVERPOOL, Feb. 11-Sld, str Em press of Ireland, for St. John, N. B. HALIFAX, Feb 16-Ard, str Ontarian, from Glasgow for Boston.

British Ports.

HALIFAX, Feb 10—Ard, str Ind 1s-iry, bound for Philadelphia (short of coal); Almeriana, from Liverpool. BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 12—Arrived; Schrs. Margaret May Riley (Br.), St John, N.B., for New York; Silver Spray St. John, N.B. for New York (both hored below for a harbor). couth: Schrs. Harold J. McCarthy, St. John, N.B. for New York; George Churchman, Weymouth, N.S. for .ew

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Feb. 12-Ar-

### Everyone Thought She Was Going Into Consumption. Gained Ten Pounds in Two ceks by the Use of Burdeck cod Bitters.

Mrs. Fred. Biggs, Kingston, Ont., writes:—"I was completely run down, my blood was out of order, and I used to set so weak I would be compelled to stay bed for weeks at a time. I could not eat, was pale and thin; every one thought I was going into consumption I tried everything and different doctor until a friend advised me to use Burdock Ritters. I did not have one bottled. Blood Bitters. I did not have one bottle Blood Bitters. I did not have one bottle used when my appetite began to improve. I used six bottles. I gained ten pounds in two weeks. When I began to take it only weighed ninety-three pounds. It just seemed to pull me from the grave as I never expected to be strong again. I will tell every sufferer of your wonderful

The blood reaches every portion of the body to distribute nutriment and remove effete matter and waste products. Clearly then, any influence, good or bad, affecting the blood, must necessarily affect the en-tire system for good or evil as the case

Get pure blood and keep it pure by noving every trace of impure morbid atter from the system by using Burdock and Bitters. It exerts a curative in-

rived: Sch. Preference (BL),
N.B. for New York.
PORTSMOUTH, N.H., Feb. 12 - Arrived: Schrs. Helen Montagus, St.
John, N.B. for Bridgepart; Peerless
(Br.), Weymouth, N.S. for Bostor.
SAUNDERSTOWN, R.L., Feb. 12—
arrived; Schrs, Harold B. Cousens, St.
New York; Rescue, (Br.)

John, N.B. for New York; Manue Cuza, St. John, N.B. for Ciff Island PORTSMOUTH, N.H., Frb., 12—Sailed: Schrs. Helen Montague, St. John, N.B. for Bridgeport: Peerless (Br.) Weymouth, N.S. for Boston.

HARWICH, Feb. 13—Sailed: S.S. Trebia, for Hull and Hamburg and

Pandosia, for Hull, Stettin and River GLASGOW, Feb. 13—Arrived: Str. Athenia, from St. John, N.B. LONDON, Feb. 13—Arrived: Str. Kanawha, from St. John, N.B., and

KINSALE, Feb. 15—Passed, Str. Cor-nishman, from Portland for Liverpool, GLASGOW, Feb 16—Ard, str On-LIVERPOOL, Feb 16-Ard, strs Sag

amore, from Boston; Cornishman, from Portland, LONDON, Feb 16—Sld, str Pomeran an, for Halifax and St John.

Foreign Ports.

BOOTHBAY, Me., Feb. 11-Sld, schs ens Gertrude, for do; Sadie A Kimball. Mayflower, for Maitland, NS; Jessie Ashley, for do.

ROCKLAND, Me., Feb. 11-Sld, sch EASTPORT, Me., Feb. 11-Sid, sch Fred P Balano, for Weymouth, NS, for

Arrived, schs Manie Saunders, from Barren Island for Boston; O D Witherall, from South Amboy for Portland; Roger Drury, from do for Salem; No-rombega, from St George for Rockland. Sailed, schs George Churchman, from from Stonington, for do; Annie Ainslie, from do for do; Luther T Garret-son, from Rockport for do; Frank M stranding of his vessel.

CITY ISLAND, N.Y., Feb. 11.-Bound

SALEM. Mass., Feb. 14.-Arrived:

Sch. Silver Spray, Machias for New Sailed: Schrs. Lois V. Chaples, from New York, Lubec; Tay (Br.), from Boston for St. John, N.B.

Boston for St. John, N.B.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 13—Arrived:
Strs. Wyneric (Br.), Shanghai, Hong
Kong, etc.; Limon (Br.), Port Limon.
Schrs. William L. Douglas, Baltimore;
Elizabeth Palmer, Newport News;
Prescott Palmer, Newport News; Nathanlei T. Palmer, Norfolk; Peerless outh, N.S.

Sailed. Str Varzin (Ger.), New York Schrs. John J. Hanson, Hugmacoa Margaret May Riley, from St. John, N.B. for New York; Edward J. Lawrence, Hampton Roads; Governor Brooks, Hampton Roads; Thelma, Sayannah; Henry O. Barrett, Malcolm Baxter, jr., Newport News; Edward

B. Winslow, Newport News; Theoline, Jacksonville. CITY ISLAND, NY, Feb 15-Bound south, str Dageid, from St John.

ANTWERP, Feb. 15—Sailed: Str. Montcalm, St. John, N.B. BOSTON, Feb 16—Ard, strs St Michael, from Calcutta via Malta; Do-CADIZ, Feb 16-Ard, str Grosser

Kurfurst, from New York. GLOUCESTER, Mess, Feb 16—Ard, schs Maggie Todd, from South Amboy for Calais; Sarah A Reed, from do for do; T W Allen, from Perth Amboy for

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Feb 16 Ard, sch George W Wells, from ort-land for Baltimore (and sailed); schs Ladysmith, from Halifax, NS, for New York; Preference, from St John for do; Margaret May Riley, from do for do; Helen Montague, from do for Bridge-port; Minnie Slauson, from do for Greenwich; Thelma, from Boston for vannah: Julia A Berkels, from Nan-

tucket for New York.

Sch. Jennie N. Huddell, from Norfolk for New York, went ashore near Cape Charles, Va., and became a total loss; orew saved. Vessel had a cargo of lumber consigned to the Richmond

Cedar Works. of a direct steamship line between t city and Cuba was announced to-day. The first departure will be on Feb. 19. when a steamer from St. John, N.B., NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 9.-The fire in Str. Virgil (Br.) from New Orleans and Charleston, S.C., for Antwerp, has been extinguished: 250 bales cotton dam

vessel undamaged, and has cleared for destination. Life savers who boarded Sch. Carrie A. Norton, ashore at False Cape, report vessel driven by late gale to with-in 100 yards of beach at low tide, and is full of water and strained; saving difficult, and in their opinion probably

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The fire in Str. Satsuma (Br.) at Perim from Manilla, etc., for New York, before reported, has been extinguished; no damage to

cargo anticipated; has been surveyed and found perfectly seaworthy. The Satsuma steamed to-day.

Str. Cyclops (Br.), Harris, from Liverpool Jan. 22 for Tacoma, is ashore near Jeddah; has No. 1 hold and tank No. 2 full of water.

Str. Cornilios (Greek), from Antwerp for Govorossisk, has been wrecked of Farilloes, a group of islands off the coast of Portugal. The English trawler Tenby Castle rescued the crew and landed them at Lisbon, but the steamer, with her cargo, is a total loss.

Ship Norwood (Br.), Howe, from Buenos Ayres via Barbados for Boston was spoken Feb. 3, lat. 27 N., long. 72 W., partially dismasted.

Ship Avoil, from Boston, arrived at Buenos Ayres Jan. 28 with loss of deckload and also smashed two boats.

The Ulunda, now on her way to St. John's, Nfid., to take home a cargo of 1,200 tons of pulp and paper, will leave London on March 3rd for St. John's, Nfid., to return with a still larger cargo of the same material.

The schooner Evs C., Capt. Haux, arrived to-day from Port Johnson, N.Y., coal laden. The schooner made the run down in the quick time of 67 hours, which is a remarkable winter passage.

which is a remarkable winter passage The West India Line S.S. Sobo, Capt Bridges, sailed yesterday morning fo the West Indies, etc., via Halifax. The steamer Diana arrived yesterday morning from Norfolk, Va., with a cargo of oak lumber.

PORTSMOUTH, N.H., Fen. 12—Sch.,

Peerless (Br.), Weymouth, N.S. 1er Boston, reports that while entering this harbor last night, she collided with the Boston schooner Evelyn M. Thempson, carrying away her own main tep-mast. The Thompson was but injured. Mr. John F. Liscomb, manager of the nie A Stubbs, for New York; Wil- Fastern Steamship Company at Portland; says there is no truth in the runi for Portland; Lawrence Murdock, for or that the names of steamers Ransom B. Fuller and Bay State were 15 be changed to that of Riverton and Underwood respectively. The Fuller was launched at East Boston Friday, after

having been lengthened. Captains Lugar, Hall, and Cole. at Halifax, Friday, gave their decision regarding the stranding of the Allan Line S.S. Corinthian on George's Island, Halifax harbour, last December. They say the stranding was caused by an error of judgment on the part of the master in estimating his distance from a schooner showing no lights, and Sailed, schs George Churchman, from also from the shoal on the northwest point of George's Island. They were also of the opinion that the master, Rescue, from do, for do; Harold B Cousens, from do for do; Edward Stewart, fied in manoeuvring the Gerinthian in the manner he did and therefore should

Low, from Boston, for Newport News; Boston Advertiser: Her mainmast Flora Kimball, from do for Promised shattered by a bolt of lightning, which Land; Samuel Castner, jr, for New struck her at 1 a.m. when over 100 miles east of Boston, the steamer De vonian, Capt. Trant, arrived Thursday storm at sea. The lightning shartered

giving her considerable list.

DANGERS TO NAVIGATION.

Str. Prins Willem III. (Dutch), New York from Port au Prince, etc., reports PM Feb. 6, lat. 37 52 N., lon. 73 54 W., passed a waterlogged wreck of a schooner, fore and mainmast partially gone, spars projecting out of the water and fields of lumber drifting around the wreck; should be blown up mmediately, as it is a great danger to navigation; position correct; true

Str. Coppename (Dutch) reports Feb. 5, lat, 33 25 N., lon. 70 05 W., passed a mast with crosstrees attached, apparently not long in the water.

Etr. Vigilancia, from Nassau, etc., reports Feb. 2, of Fenwick Island shoals, passed a large quantity of driftwood

and large spars.
Str. Merida reports Jan. 28, lat. 35
27 N., lon. 75 10 W., passed a large quantity of sawn lumber and several broken beams and knees. Sch. Daisy reports Feb. 2, Cape Henry bearing SSWWW (true). about 4 miles distant, passed a number of poles about 35 feet long.

minion, from Louisburg, CB.

BREMEN, Feb 15—Ard, str Kaiser
Wilhelm der Grosse, from New York
via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

Sch. Katte reports Feb. 1, Bodies Island bearing W%S (true), about 4 miles distant, passed four logs about 20 feet long and more than 18 inches in diameter at the butt.

Sch. Ben Tait reports Jan. 30, Hateras bearing SWAS (true), about 84

SPOKEN

Sch. Catherine (Br.), Turk's Island for Meteghan, N.S., Feb. 6, lat. 41 04, lon. 64 57 (by Str. Idaho.) Barque Foohng Suey, New York for Honolulu, Dec. 29, lat. 44 S., lon. 61 W.;

"LOST HIS GRIP" Grew Dull, Lost Snap, Vim

A man never realizes the strain of life until failing ability to work brings it sharply home to him. "I am an insurance agent," writes Mr. W. E. Nemino, of Montreat, and to make commissions a man must have both energy and snap. My digestive organs began to give out; first a sluggish ac-tion of the bowels filled my blood with humors. A little scratch would fester, and my face get red and pimply. Hot rushes of blood to the head made me very irritable and prevented sleep. I thought I could exercise it off, but the more I did the more strength I lost. Finally I asked my druggist to recommend a pill that would cure constipa-tion and slow acting liver; he endorsed me he had hit it right. So active yet so mild in action; no trouble to take Dr. Hamilton's Pills. I think them a won-I am now as fat as ever, blues all gone, energy enough to get business and give me pleasure and interest in life. Dr. Hamilton's Pills I consider

Barque Earl Derby (Ital.), Bear River, N.S., for Bahla Banca, Dec. 20, lat. 10 N., ion. 25, W.

tow of tug Ivanhoe, ret

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BROW HEAD, Feb 13—Signaled, str Montezuma, from St John and Haliax for London.

Barque Lovisa, Lewis, Montevideo via Barbados for Boston, has put into St. Thomas with rigging damaged and s of some sails. Sermuda—In port Feb. 12, Sch. Min-F. Crosby, Zinck, for Halifax, load-MONTREAL, Feb. 16—Str. Monteau left Houg Kong at 5.30 p.m. Tuesda, Feb. 15th.

Lord Douglas Says He's Proud of It

PASSIONATE SCENE Cross-Examined in Libel Suit

> Brought by Manners-Sutton

LONDON, Feb. 16.-"I knew Oscar Wilde was not innocent, but I did no years. I helped him, and I am not ashamed I did so. And the man who rakes it up now after eighteen years

Those words came from Lord Alfred Willena Gertrude, from St. John, NB, from Liverpool. At midnight the De- Douglas, who thrilled the Old Bailey for New York; Jennie A Stubbs, from vonian ran into heavy rains and her this afternoon with his fierce defense masts were covered with St. Elmo's of himself and his friendship for the fire, a phosphorescent phenomenon poet and playwright Wilde. He also that sometimes precedes an electric gave some new details of Oscar Wilde's

for a distance of eight feet above the steel cap. Fragments flew about the deck, just missing Second Officer Hagstad, for London, Numidian, for Glasgow; Menominee, for Antwerp via Philadelphia, Sloterdy (Dutch, for Philadelphia, and Rotterdam; schs Jane Palmer, for Newport News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, and Rotterdam; schs Jane Palmer, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia, schs Jane Palmer, for News; Mary F. Barrett, for Philadelphia,

and into prison, disgrace and death on alarm system, cargo of hard pine, which is to be used brated on the dreariest and most account of his association with Lord. The Norwegian bark Madeira, from in the lengthening and widening of brated on the dreariest and most brated on the dreariest and most

not write to his father threatening to ber, is anchored in the Basin waiting steamer to dock at the new pier. he end his friendship with Oscar

Lord Alfred Douglas replied with neat that his father wrote him in a manner that was unjustifiable, since the ordinary relations of father and son had ceased between them when he was very young. Glowering at the counsel, he added: "My letter was foolish, doubtless, but none but a brute would rake it up now." "Of course, at that time you knew

othing of Wilde's character?" continued the counsel unruffled. "I believed him innnocent," returned Lord Alfred.

stirred him, and the young lord added with a tone of stinging bitterness: "I will admit more than that. I had villa at Naples. Wilde came and stayed with me. I'm not a bit ashamed of it. When he came out of prison, he came to me, a broken, dying man, saying I was the only friend he

"'If you leave me," he said, 'I shall "He declared he believed I was the only decent friend he had left. I sion which began yesterday was restayed with him till he died, and I moved to-day by an official assurance another immediate general election, paid his funeral expenses. I am 12t from Arthur J. Balfour, one of the ashamed that I did."

"And you still believe in his innocence?" asked the counsel quietly.

"The very to-day by an official assurance another immediate general election, which would be necessary were the budget rejected again, would precipitate a panic, which the Conservatives cence?" asked the counsel quietly.

"No, I did not. But I didn't care. He had been a good friend for years. I admired him. I killed myself by so doing. For years my life was made a hell upon earth for it."

MRS. MARGARET WOODS.

Announcement was made Saturday of the death at Nauwigewauk at the home of her son-in-law, John Ryan, of Mrs. Margaret Woods, widow of Bartholomew Woods. The deceased in the son tholomew Woods. The deceased lady, who had reached the great age of 91 years, passed peacefully away in her sleep. She had not been ill previously and as she retained all her faculties she was able to talk interestingly of old times in Ireland, where she was born, and in this province. Mrs. Woods is survived by four children, Mrs. Bren-nan of Randolph, Mass.; Mrs. Nolan of Boston, Mass.; Mrs. John Ryan, Nauwigewauk, and Mr. Wm. Woods of this city, and five grandchildren—Miss Teresa Ryan, Nauwigewauk; Miss Lena Nolan, Boston; Mrs. John Hanley, Randolph, and Mr. Joseph Nolan, of Montreal She was much esteemed and loved by her many friends on account of her bright and kindly disposition and the news of her death was heard Refuse any other pill but Dr. Hamilton's, 25c. per box, all dealers, or The Catarrhozone Co. Kingston, Ont.

Of her bright and kindly disposition

Jeff has Cot the the theatrical game for the fight which he confidently thought it a mighty fine sport, and the news of her death was heard bigger game, to his way of thinking. In other words, the retired champion expects will bring the championship that in a snowy country it might prove more than a useful training mathematical game for the fight which he confidently thought it a mighty fine sport, and the news of her death was heard bigger game, to his way of thinking. In other words, the retired champion back to the white race. Jeff appears more than a useful training mathematical game for the fight which he confidently thought it a mighty fine sport, and the news of her death was heard bigger game, to his way of thinking. In other words, the retired champion back to the white race. Jeff appears more than a useful training mathematical game for the fight which he confidently that in a snowy country it might prove more than a useful training mathematical game for the fight which he confidently that in a snowy country it might prove more than a useful training mathematical game for the fight which he confidently that in a snowy country it might prove more than a useful training mathematical game for the fight which he confidently that in a snowy country it might prove more than a useful training mathematical game for the fight which he confidently that in a snowy country it might prove more than a standard mathematical game for the fight which he confidently that in a snowy country it might prove mathematical game for the fight which he confidently that in a snowy country it might be at the confidently that in a snowy country it might be at the confidently that it is a might be at the confidently that it is a might be at the confidently that it is a might be at the confidently that the confidently that it is a might be at the confidently that the confidently that the

No. 2 Hose Company Reorganized - World Beating Pullets Imported ... Mr. John Hawks and Nettie Doyle Married

SUSSEX, Feb. 16 .- A reorganization | Robert Johnson is visiting friends in meeting of No. 2 hose company, Sus- St. John. rooms last night. Following is a list of officers and members: Captain, H. E. Golding; Ist lieutenant, John Knox; 2nd lieutenant, Murray Gamblin, regulars, H. A. McArthur, M. A. McLeod, E. DeB. Balley, J. J. Ross, John O'Dell, Fred O'Dell, Dan. Shrieves, Abner Tribe and Arthur Long, spars, S. Gamblin, Percy Worlman and Geo. O. Maggs. sex fire department, was held in their

Wm. McTiern is pressing hay for tively.

Hawks of Springfield, Mass., but form- day and Wednesday. orly of Waterford, this county. The eremony was performed by Rev. Frank Baird of the Sussex Presovchurch at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. X. C.

Rev. Father Savage of Moncton was

Thos. A Kyle, Sussex Corner, has imported a pair of world besting S. C. Rhode Island red pullets from Ira Crother of Ohio. The boys will have to sit up and take notice when the season for fall fairs arrive, for you cannot keep a good man down.

Mrs. H. W. Folkins will go to Fredericton next week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Smith, who is recovering from an illness that necessitated an operation in the Fredericton hospital.

Maple Rebecca Lodge is planning to buy a new plano for their lodge room. The lodge is rapidly galning in membership and an active interest is taken by members individually and collec-

Farmers wishing to help boost their professional interests should attend The marriage took place this fter-the farmers' and dairymen's conven-yisiting the sufferers and seeing to thou at Fredericton next Monday, Tues-their comforts himself.

The Chalmers Presbyterian manse

has been bought by W. C. Elliott. A French family belonging to Monc-Doyle. The happy couple left on the ton that resided here for the past few C. P. R. for their future home at months were transported back to Springfield, Mass., and will be toi- Moncton today by the Sussex authoriowed by the good wishes of a large ties as they did not give an evidence of becoming desirable citizens.

New Fire Alarm System for Digby-Nor-

wegian Bark Awaiting a Crew

-Is it the Master Stroke of a

Tactician?

LONDON, Feb. 16,—All fear of a Par-liamentary deadlock on the passage which were thrown into chaos when

Balfour declares that the Conserva- port the budget makes it practically

get as ever, but they are unwilling to first thing taken up when Parliament

ST. PAUL, Feb. 16.-James J. Jef- into shape for his championship bat-

of the budget in the Parliamentary ses- the budget was rejected last fall.

pass the Lloyd George budget.

tives are as much opposed to the bud-

assume responsibility for continuing re-convenes.

which were thrown into chaos when

The Conservatives' agreement to sup-

certain that the budget will be the

From St. John

ed towards the poorer districts and where artists abide. A woman painter with a small studio in the Latin quar-Mrs. H. W. Folkins will go to Fredter found herself one morning con-fronted by a messenger from the em-tersy asking if there was anything that could be done for her. She was just off to friends, so there was no need in her case for the kindly inter-

to be housed and looked after for the being. He was most active in his ministrations in several instances

grief for the loss of her father in her duty, and when the season does open will hold certain receptions. The duties of an ambassador's wife are almost identical with the duties of a queen who, whatever her sorrow, must appear in public at times. I saw a letter which Mrs. Reid wrote to one of

In the circumstances it shows how fully alive Mrs. Reid is to her posi-tion as the wife of the American ambassador when she is generous enough to try to lose sight of her sorrow so that the American belle may not be disappointed when she comes this way to make her bow. Not until May, how-

American embassy has been the happy hunting ground of American girls who yould never be well launched were it not for the opportunities they get within its hospitable walls. To be in-vited to functions at Dorchester House immediately gives newcomers a certain cachet, which admits them practically anywhere. Like all good hostesses, Mrs. Reid is a kind woman and by no means so "stand-offish" as a few insinuate. She upholds the dig-(From The Sun's Own Reporter.) for a crew from St. John, It is hree function last year, she resented her months since the Madeira came in name being mentioned after that of a

he refused to lend Douglas \$2,500 Crossiland published a series of articles declaring that the plaintiff in this case, though a religious publisher, issued be just what is wanted. One of the claring that the plaintiff in this case, the plaintiff in this shrill blasts caused a farmer's horse, at St. John, has only part cargo for Phillips. All her friends and acquaint Lord Alfred Douglas is the brother standing on Water street, to take Rhodes, Curry & Co., Amherst. After ances were very much perturbed over of the present Marquis of Queensbury fright and make for his home at Jog-discharging theirs the Diana comes and son of the late marquis who gin Bridge. For a town of its size across to Port Wade, opposite Digby, few invited a journey of nearly fifty hounded Oscar Wilde out of society Digby now has a good electric fire and discharges the balance of her miles from London to Rogate, the little cargo of hard pine, which is to be used village where the nuptials were cele-Annapolis for Buenos Ayres, loaded the new deep water pier there. The crable day we have yet had this win-Counsel asked Lord Alfred if he did with a million and a half feet of lum- Diana will be the first ocean going ter. Society in London had been lookday as about the biggest ordeal it is

possible for a man to have to go The bride and bridegroom have taken a sweet little place in Kent, "the gar-den of England," where they intend to spend their honeymoon. They had no end of offers of palatial mansions Conservative Leader Causes Some Surprise in which to pass the next few weeks, but they declined them all, the bride saying that she wanted to know what it was like to have "her very own house." Mrs. Ogilvie Haig's health re-

> Mrs. James Henry Smith gave a big dinner party at the Ritz the night of Mrs. Anthony Drexel's dance in Grosvenor Square. Mrs. Drexel was one of the guests, and was enjoying herself and talking away merrily apparently oblivious of the fact that time be in her own house before eleven p.m. to receive her guests. Suddenly she realized the situation and dashed off. not having time to get her cloak. She arrived home just before the first of the dancers and looked as charming and trim as if she had only just left her dressing room.

It was quite an innovation to give a dance at this time of the year, such festivities being almost unheard of. But for all that it was a big success,

# NEWSY NOTES

What London Society is Doing

The Asquith-King Edward Episode the Talk of Society

LONDON, Feb. 5 .- "Mr. Bacon is a ountryman of mine of whom I am real proud," an enthusiastic woman who was in Paris during the floods was telling everyone yesterday after-

One of the first things Mr. Bacon did was to find out if there were any Americans inconvenienced by the state gave instructions that the American inhabitants of inundated quarters were

her friends shortly after the death of Mr. Ogden Mills, in which she said: "I never realized how deeply I should

ever, will there be anything going on Dorchester House. It would be im-

possible to expect Mrs. Reid to do any-thing socially before then.
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DIGBY, Feb. 16.-The new fire alarm through Digby Gut for her crgo, and famous dancer. ing forward to a town wedding, and the excitement and hospitality which iz associated with such an event, But the bride would not "face the music" in a London church, She determined to have a rural wedding, far from the madding crowd. The bridegroom was quite in accord with her in her wish to be married away from London. He is a great lover of privacy, and he regards the fashionable wedding of the

> mains rather indifferent and now that the wedding is over she means to go abroad.

All this week nothing has been talked of in society but the reported refusal of Mr. Asquith to accept the King's "command" to visit him last Saturday to Monday at Windsor. In the annals of politics, diplomacy, and society such an incident is unknown save in the case of some sudden or serious illness. It is true Mr. Asquith explained that his doctor wished him to have "rest and change," but many people declare that this was the poorest of excuses and one which the King would take for what it was worth

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