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TO LET—Self-contained dwelling No. 1, Elliott Row, at present occupied by Richard O'Brien, Esq. Ten rooms, bath room, and other modern improvements. May be seen Tuesday and Friday, 3 to 5 p. m. W. M. JARVIN, 118 Prince Street.

TO LET—Two flats from first of May, 206 and 208 Charlotte street. Also one store fully equipped for groceries. Rents moderate. Inquire at 202 Charlotte street.

TO LET—Flat 257 Prince William street, containing six rooms and bath room. Can be seen any time.

TO LET—Summer flats at Coldbrook, ten minutes' walk from Station. Good spring water and beautiful grounds. Apply to JAMES WILKS, or MRS. LISSMORE, 244 King street east.

TO LET—From the first of May, No. 59 Charlotte street, at present occupied by F. A. Dykeman & Co. Apply to E. T. C. KNOWLES, No. 5 Falmouth street, City.

TO LET—Lower flat of seven rooms. All well lighted. Closets and bath rooms. Hot and cold water. Pleasantly situated. Can be seen Thursday and Friday. MRS. THOS. BRUNDAGE, 306 Princess street.

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TO LET—Flat No. 135 Orange street, six rooms; rent \$30 per year, payable monthly. Apply to J. A. PAUL, Custom House, or E. W. PAUL, 106 Waterloo street.

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TO LET—Fine flat No. 29 St. David street, containing five rooms, occupied by G. M. Anderson, Esq. Also bars to let. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons.

MONEY TO LOAN on satisfactory security. Enquire of BUSTIN & PORTER, Barristers-at-Law, 106 Prince Street, or Miss Alice McKee, 29 St. David street.

TO LET—Comfortable flat of 7 rooms, at present occupied by W. L. Ingraham, Esq., No. 127 Mill street. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons.

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TO BB LET Lower flat of house, situated fronting on north side of Essex Row, No. 142.

That desirable lower flat of house, fronting on south side of Essex Row, No. 130, nine rooms, including bath room. All modern improvements.

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I Think I Can Give You Better Serv ce Than you can get elsewhere. Large 4-horse sleigh for evening parties. Horses to let of every description, also coaches at any hour.

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J. J. McCAFFREY, Manager.

Among your Saturday evening purchases include a package of Red Rose tea.

DEATHS.

POWELL—At her father's residence, 45 Acadia street, March 22, of heart trouble, Ethel May, aged 2 years and 6 months, youngest child of Cyrus and Addie Powell.

ROBERTS—Died of pneumonia, at Scotch Settlement, Moncton Parish, March 20th, Clara M., aged 21 years, youngest daughter of John N. Roberts.

FLEWELLING—On Thursday, March 13, at Kingsport, Kings Co., N. B., in the 18th year of her age, Annie A., only daughter of Ann E. and the late George Flewelling, leaving a sorrowing mother and five brothers to mourn their loss. (Fredericton and Boston papers please copy.)

ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., MARCH 22, 1902.

RECKLESS MINISTERS.

During the last five years, taking the finance minister's estimate for the present year, the total expenditure on capital and current account for the dominion has increased by almost twenty million dollars. It is true that these years have been ones of almost unexampled prosperity and the revenue has been greatly increased. But it would appear to me the wise thing during these "fat years" to use the increased income in reducing the taxation. That was the plan followed by Hon. George E. Foster and other finance ministers during the period when the conservatives were in power. Such a plan is the only wise and prudent one. Times of great prosperity cannot last forever, and it has been the experience that such periods were followed by years of almost universal depression. It is the part of a wise government to prepare for such an exceedingly probable contingency. But that is not the plan followed by Mr. Fielding and the Laurier government. They imprudently rely on continued prosperity and the more they make the more they spend. Notwithstanding the great increase in the revenue this year the finance minister will have to borrow \$6,000,000 to put him through the year. All of the surplus, concerning which there has been so much boasting, will be used up and this amount will have to be borrowed besides. This will increase the debt of the dominion more than has been done in any previous year during the present administration. Mr. Fielding is progressing rapidly, and he is well helped in this course by his brother ministers in the cabinet.

The following, from a Maine paper, contains a hint for the people of New Brunswick:—"During the past winter great sums of money have been expended in improving hotel properties in Maine, and they were never in better condition to take care of the vast army which will soon invade our borders. Maine is rapidly becoming a year-round state for the seeker after health and sport, and to many it is as interesting in winter as in summer. Ten years ago a summer cottage was seldom opened during the winter, but it is not an unusual thing now for Philadelphia, New Yorkers and Bostonians to run down for a week after Christmas, or during the Easter season."

The New Jersey mosquito has been intimately associated with the name of that state from the beginning. From time to time there have been people who have failed to see the advantage that would come to the individual and to the state by this close association. A determined war has been waged against the mosquitoes, and an attempt was made to have them abolished by an act of legislature. But the mosquito had its friends, and an attempt to obtain from the commonwealth \$10,000 to exterminate the tribe has been defeated.

The citizens of the town of Rockport, Mass., recently became dissatisfied with the manner in which their affairs were conducted. Fifteen business men were appointed at a town meeting to revise the appropriations and make recommendations. They did so, and their programme was adopted. It is evident the civic campaign does not excite any great amount of interest among the citizens. The new council will not differ greatly in complexion from the old one. If the old one has sins to answer the accounting does not threaten to be a serious one.

THE HIGH PRICE OF MEATS.

Abnormal Condition of the Markets in the United States. (Bangor Commercial.) The chief feature of the provision market in all parts of the country is the remarkably high and rapidly advancing price of beef, lamb, mutton and pork. Indeed this condition of the market has not been so noticeable at any time since the civil war when all meats, as well as breadstuffs for that matter, were abnormally high. It is said in the large cities of New England and the east that the wholesale merchants themselves hardly know what to make of the situation and are uncertain as to the future. It is true that a great shortage of beef now confronts the marketmen, and practically all local dealers in New England fear that most trying times are about to come. No dealer appears able to state with any degree of positiveness the reason for the great advancement of prices. Some of the larger dealers are of the opinion that a great combination has been formed in the west to buy up all the cattle obtainable, so that prices may be made according to a schedule. Figures show that during the present year up to date, thousands less cattle have been slaughtered than in former years at the various stock yards of the west. Hogs, too, have been scarce for the past year, to which is due the price of the extreme high prices in pork products. One of the largest dealers in beef, mutton and lamb in Faneuil hall mar-

ket, Boston, said to a Herald man on Tuesday: "The prices on beef, lamb and mutton, principally wholesale, have been going up as never before. Beef, for the fancy variety, is higher now than at any time since war times. It is going up some almost every day, and two months from now it will be almost as much again in price as it was last year in the same month." He further said that lamb and beef will soon be out of the range of what poor people want to pay.

As the season advances and more fresh truck comes upon the market less meat will be consumed and the price will naturally drop somewhat. In summer weather vegetables and cereals take the place of meats to a large extent as more agreeable for a warm weather diet. There is, however, nothing to prevent the high prices from meats to be maintained for a long time to come. Expert cattle men say we are never again to see as cheap beef as we have in years past. There is a lesson in this for every farmer in Maine. It is—raise the good calves; increase the herds of cattle; grow more steers and oxen; do not let the butcher come into your yards this spring and carry off your largest and most likely calves; keep them yourselves; raise up a good herd and be able to get the good prices for fat steers sure to be realized right here in Maine for all who make a business of producing them.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

DEATH OF COL. HENRY G. GREENE.

Of Fitchburg, Massachusetts, a Gentleman Who Had Many Friends in St. John. Fitchburg, Mass., papers of recent date, record the death there of Col. Henry G. Greene, in his 59th year. From the time when almost a boy, he enlisted as a private in Co. H, 34th Massachusetts infantry, in the war of the rebellion, to the time his earthly duties came to an end, he did his duty, says the Fitchburg Sentinel, as he saw it, with cheerfulness and courage. Col. Greene represented the 13th Worcester district in the Massachusetts legislature the past year and was a member of the state military committee of the house of representatives. He leaves a wife and two daughters, Miss Rena Maude, who is a member of Smith College, class of 1903, and Miss Mary Ethel of Vassar College, class of 1905.

Col. Greene married Miss Rena McKay, a native of St. John, daughter of the late John McKay, and a sister of Mrs. John Peterson of this city. He visited St. John on several occasions and will be remembered by many friends here. He was a disciple of the rod and enjoyed some capital fishing trips with Mr. Rogerson. His funeral was largely attended. The legislature of Massachusetts sent a special committee appointed by Speaker Myers and accompanied by the sergeant-at-arms; and there were also present delegations of officers of the 6th Regt. M. V. M., the Fitchburg druggists association, Jerusalem Cammundry Knights Templar, etc.

E. H. Green's signature and logo. This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

The bad weather affected the attendance at the inspection of the 6th Regt. M. V. M., of the 1st Div., of the 1st Army Corps, of the 1st Division of the 1st Army Corps, of the 1st Division of the 1st Army Corps.

The budget debate was continued in parliament at Ottawa yesterday. One of the speakers, Ralph Smith, of Vancouver Island, advocated the utter exclusion of the Chinese from Canada. Mr. Bell, of Pictou, moved the adjournment of the debate.

S. A. NOTES.

A series of revival meetings are to be held in the Salvation Army barracks, Carleton, commencing Sunday, March 23rd, at 11 a. m., 3 and 8 p. m., and every evening during the week. These meetings will be led by Brigadier and Mrs. Sharp, assisted by provincial headquarters staff and a number of officers and soldiers. All are cordially invited to attend.

Bark Aldo has been fixed to load deals here for a Spanish Mediterranean port at 50.

P. E. ISLAND.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., March 21.—McKinnon (liberal) took the seat today pursuant to the act assented to by the governor this afternoon. The act simply amended the writ by striking out the name of Bruce and substituting McKinnon. The premier admitted in the debate that the object of the proceedings was to relieve reported persons from the effect of the judge's finding. The government majority still neglect to enter the judge's report on the journals, although the law says the house shall do so. The premier also stated that he had taken opinions from the attorney general of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick as to the course adopted. The public accounts, tabled today, show an expenditure of \$335,632. The receipts were \$309,445, which includes \$25,000 debentures sold.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. John's church—Services tomorrow at 11 o'clock (Holy Communion); 11 and 7; Sunday school at 3. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, in Holy Week, addresses will be given by the rector upon the Last Passions of Christ. Trinity church, Rev. J. A. Richardson, rector; services at 11 o'clock; Sunday school at 3. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, in Holy Week, addresses will be given by the rector upon the Last Passions of Christ. St. John's church—Services tomorrow at 11 o'clock (Holy Communion); 11 and 7; Sunday school at 3. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, in Holy Week, addresses will be given by the rector upon the Last Passions of Christ.

WAS A WOMAN.

PETERSBURG, Va., March 21.—John Green, who had passed before the world for 35 years as a married man, died this morning, aged 75. Neighbors who were called in to prepare the remains for burial, discovered the body to be that of a woman. The wife in the partnership survives. The woman came to the village from Raleigh, N. C., about two months ago and belonged to the laboring class.

WOODSTOCK.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., March 21.—This afternoon an old man named Gray, of Pembroke, was driving on a sloop over the river bridge, when he suddenly started and was thrown between the body of the wagon and the wheels, sustaining severe injuries, including a fracture of the skull.

CARPETS! CARPETS! CARPETS!

We thoroughly dust carpets for 4c per yard. We thoroughly renovate carpets for 10c per yard; restoring the color to its natural state and removing all spots and stains. Try us this year. UNGAR'S LAUNDRY, DYEING AND CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Telephone 63.

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ST. STEPHEN.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., March 21.—Word was received here this afternoon of the wreck at Nantuxet of the schooner Flyaway, which sailed from Calais for New York on March 13rd in command of Capt. C. W. Brooks of The Ledge, who was her principal owner. The crew were two days on the wreck before they were rescued. The cook, David Tooney of Calais, was lost. He was unmarried.

CIVILIZING HIM.

Is your hair cut? It is, answered the Indian. Have you washed all the paint off your face, and instead anointed yourself with bay rum? I have. Have you cultivated habits of thrift and saved up some money? I have. Sure you have saved up money? Yes. Well, come on. You are ready for the next step in civilization. I will now teach you how to play poker.

ELECTRICITY AND LIFE.

Dr. Loeb, the eminent Chicago scientist, whose studies on the theory of life have recently created a great sensation, in a lecture in New York on Wednesday, said, regarding his conclusions upon this subject: "The present theory of life is that an electric charge keeps our protoplasm in a liquid condition so as to prevent coagulation. When we die the coagulation of the cells takes place. To sustain life this coagulation must be prevented, and the chief preventive forces are, primarily, electric charges."

CALIFORNIA'S FRUIT CROP.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., March 21.—Shipments of fruits from southern California are 1,155 cars behind the figures at this time last year, and the new crop is certain to be short. The total shipments now aggregate 9,200 cars.

Ladies' Dress Skirts for House and Street Wear.

Showing in Mantle Department. All New Goods.

- At \$3.10—Black Granite Cloth Skirts, lined and bound.
At \$3.25—Black Serge Skirt, lined and bound.
At \$4.00—Black Serge Skirt unlined and bound.
At \$5.25—Black Serge Skirt unlined and bound.
At \$5.25—Black Serge Skirt, unlined, with 12 rows of cording around bottom. Full circular flare.
At \$5.25—Black Serge Skirt unlined, 8 rows of stitching around bottom. Full circular flare.
At \$5.90—Black Canvas Cloth Skirt, trimmed with 4 bands of Satin.
At \$6.00—Black Granite Cloth Skirt, trimmed, 8 rows stitching.
At \$7.00—Black Serge Skirt, trimmed, 4 bands Satin.
At \$8.00—Black Cheviot Skirt, trimmed, 4 bands Satin.
At \$12.00—Very Handsome Black Broadcloth Skirt, full circular flounce, trimmed V shape, taffeta bands.
The above new Skirts are up-to-date in every particular as regards style and finish.

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HOT CROSS BUNS.

In keeping with our usual practice of having every good thing in the bakery line in season, we try to have an ample daily supply of fresh Hot Cross Buns, but it is well to order early, as our reputation for quality makes the demand large and the sales brisk. That's true, also, of about every thing we make and bake.

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MONEY—Advanced on mortgage in large or small sums. Apply to Chas Macdonald, barrister, Walker Building, Canterbury St.

On Freehold and Leasehold Property, repayable by monthly instalments or other wise. Apply to CHAPMAN & TILLEY, Barristers, Palmer's Building, Princess street.

ENCOURAGEMENT FOR LADIES.

Ladies who are accustomed to go through their husbands' pockets will be pleased to learn that a notable instance of the serviceability of the practice has come to light in Fyndley, Ohio.

A farmer of that town died last August from injuries received in unloading a barrel of salt from a wagon. In clearing house last week, the bereaved widow came across her husband's oldest suit of working clothes, so aged and worn, indeed, that for a long period before his demise she had not made them a subject of investigation. She determined that the clothes were fit only to be burned. But before committing them to the flames, she, true to her feminine instincts, made a hasty search of the pockets. She found nothing but a soiled document, which proved to be a life insurance policy for \$10,000, the premiums on which had been paid up subsequent to her husband's fatal collision with the barrel of salt. The lessons this incident teaches to both husbands and wives are too plain to require specific elucidation.

FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—First class Grand Square Piano, Emerson, 8 octos, also 2 Bicycles, lady's and gent's. Will sell cheap. Address "A." care Star.

FOR SALE—Fine corner house and lot. Beautifully situated in most desirable part of city. Address 102 P. O. Box.

FOR SALE—A second-hand typewriter in good condition. Address "TYPEWRITER," Star Office.

LOST.

LOST—On Thursday evening at York Theatre, or on the way there, or returning, by way of Duke street, Sydney, Kings Square, Charlotte, Union, Waterloo, a gold coin brooch with small diamond. Finder will be rewarded on leaving it at 63 King street.

LOST—Black dog skin collar, in the vicinity of King, Charlotte, Union, Waterloo, Peters or Coburg street. Finder will please leave at Star Office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ALL KINDS SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED. Needles and parts for all makes at W. H. BELLS, 28 Dock Street.

WANTED.

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WANTED—A Crayon Artist, lady or gentleman. Address ARTIST, STAR Office.

WANTED—All those who suffer with diseased eyelids to know that I have cured them. Send 1c, and particulars of the cure and I will send a package of the cure and full directions. Address "W." care of DAILY STAR.

WANTED—Cavassers, male or female, through the city to handle a rapid selling book on the war. Good commissions. Address "M.", Star Office.

Wanted—A class of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.