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Together With Country Items from Correspondants and Exchanges.

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EVERY LUMBERMAN KNOWS the value of Kendrick's Linimett. There is no remedy more valuable to have at

'At Titusville Corner, Kings Co., on the 10th inst., C. L. Titus was severely kicked in the stomach while shoeing kicked in the stomach while a horse.

The death of Mrs. Catherine Logan, wife of James P. Logan, ship-builder, occurred Wednesday at her home on Portland street. She was 67 years of

The congregation of St. Paul's Hal-Max, is about to erest the finest Sun-day school building in Canada, at a cost of \$25,000. The number enrolled in

Members of the Board of Trade cal obtain copies of Illustrated Board of Trade Edition of St. John, N. B., by applying to the secretary at the board ns, 85 Prince William street.

J. M. Johnson of Calais has now a stable of twenty-five trotters at Madison square, New York, where Mr. Johnbid in several fast ones. He disposed of two of his purchases at a pro-fit of \$500.

Miss Minnie Branscombe, daughter of A. D. Branscombe of this city, will leave next Monday for Chicago, where she will be married on the 24th to Rev P. J. Stackhouse, formerly pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church.

During the recent heavy rain, followed by sharp frosts, the street car tracks on Main street, near the Baptist church, spread several inches Foreman Charles Strang had a gang of men at work yesterday straighten-

Sch Westfield, which was driver ashore near Digby the other day after being capsized in the bay, went to pieces Wednesday night. Almost all the lumber went adrift. John Cullinan, the owner, has returned to St. John.

St. Stephen is not alone in he N. W. Winslow, a Woodstock barrister, refuses to pay his taxes, and announces his intention of quashing the assessments in that town for the past two years.—Courier.

At the meeting of the quarterly board of Centenary church, the question of ebtaining individual communion cups was raised. The matter was left over for a meeting to be held the

arst of January. home of John Watson, Lowe Salmon Creek, was sorrowfully stricken on Dec. 6th by the death of his daughter, Melissa Jane. Her father, one sister and three brothers survive, two of whom are home and one in

The postal authorities at Ottawa have decided to establish a way office at LeBlancville, Moncton parish. This is a large farming and lumbering dis-trict. Maurice Melanson has been appointed postmaster.

The Baptist church of Charlettetown has extended a call to Rev. Joseph L. Miner, B. A., pastor of the First Bap-tist church, Plymouth, Mass. Mr. Miner is a Nova Scotian and was formorly associated with Dr. Steele at Am-

The Duke said to the Duchess at breakfast yesterday morning, "What good bread this is." "Yes," said the Duchess, "is'nt it delicious." Having called the chief bread coek, he told their Royal Highnesses that the bread was made with BEAVER BRAND

The mill at Mispec is turning ou on an average over thirty tons of pull daily, all of which is readily disposed The big manufactory is not much hampered now by scarcity of water as it was during the drought of last fall, and everything is running re-gularly and satisfactorily.

Albert Ferguson of Lakeville Corier Sunbury county, who for the past fif-teen years has been a government sur-veyor of lumber, has been dismissed Frank McGowan of Fredericton has been appointed and will cover the tertitory formerly travelled by Mr. Ferguson, that in Sunbury county and on the

Manager E. G. Russell of the Inter-olonial railway was in the city yes terday on his way back to Monoton from York county. During his stop over he inspected the terminal facili ties in company with L. R. Ross, station master and superintendent of ter-minals, also the additional track room being made at the middle of the yard, near Gilbert's "Island."

10 CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets, All druggists refund money if it falls to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. Sc.

At the annual meeting of the Petiticodiac Cheese and Butter Co. on Saturday the following officers for the coming year were elected: D. S. Mann, president: H. F. Hughes, secretary; C. W. Robinson, Herbert Trites, Harry Douglass and John Hughes, directors; Mr. McCully and Harry Douglass, auditors. Seventy patrons supplied 1,213,-176 pounds of milk, bringing the receipts up to \$11,039.51.

A fw days ago a paragraph, evidently inspired, appeared in several of the

government organs, announcing that B. Skillen of St. Martins would be a candidate for the vacancy in the representation of St. John county. Mr. Skillen had been cultivating this constituting for some time and has for years been one of the surveyor gener-al's most faithful adherents. A few Skillen's candidature was not acceptable to many who have hitherto supported the local government, it was stated that Thomas Dunning would robably be the government candidate It was generally understood the Dunning scheme was being engineered by a gentleman very much in Colonel Tucker's confidence, but the movement was not received with favor by the

talwarts in the county, who dema ed a local man, and the rumor was then circulated that if Mr. Dunning entered the field it would be as an inwhich did not meet with success was made to induce Joseph Lee to a candidate, and it is now said that Mr. Dunn and Mr. Pugsley have offered the nomination of Dr. Ruddock of St. Martins. One thing is quite certain, and that is that Mr. Skillen's long party services are to go for nothing, and that he will be turned aside

from his ambition to represent the county at Fredericton.

In Kings county, despite the desperate efforts that have been made to secure another candidate, it has been found impossible to get any one to take Mr. King's place as the govern

DEATH OF ALEX. CAIRNS.

The citizens learned with Wednesday that A. Cairns, who has conducted a grocery store at the corner of Sydney and Britain street for the last thirty years, had passed away. Mr. Cairns was 75 years old. leaves a widow, formerly Miss Mc-Leod, of Albert Co., and seven daughters and four sons. The daughters are Mrs. R. B. Emerson, Mrs. Capt. A. G. Potter of the steamer Prince Rupert, Miss Clara, in Boston, and Misses Amy, May and Fanny. The sons are Joseph, of Boston; William, of Fitchurg, Mass.; and DeWitt and Fred, with the Pender Co. in this city. Mr. Cairns will be greatly missed, especial ly in the section of the city where he ducted business so many years.

BLOOMFIELD. Kings Co. Engineer Who is Working

for the Rothschilds. BLOOMFIELD, Kings Co., Dec. 12. George Raymond left home on Monbrother Robert, a mining engineer in the employ of the Rothschilds, since leaving South Africa last summer has een in China, but not meeting with anything promising, expects to go on Wm. Denniston, a former resident of

Passekeag and lately of Bloomfield.
has taken up his abode for the winter
with Mr. Burnett of Midland. He will
be much missed at Bloomfield.

REMOVING TO MONTREAL. The people of St. John are about to lose the services of Dr. Grimmer, who only a few weeks ago established himself in practice here as a specialist, and took the offices formerly occupied by the late Dr. J. H. Morrison. Grimmer left this week for Monteal, where he will receive an import ant hospital appointment, with all that this implies in the way of private practice. During his short residence in St. John Dr. Grimmer made many friends and maintained the high professional reputation which he obtained abroad.

RICHIBUCTO NOTES.

RICHIBUCTO, Dec. 11.-John Kelly, lighthouse inspector, is here looking after some of the lights on the south which were damaged in the reent high tides and storms. Smelts are coming in slowly. The price is very low, being only one cent

firewardens have purchased 150 feet of rubber lined hose.
One of the engines of the Kent Northern railway has been thoroughly overhauled and repaired by J. P. Weir of Moncton.

Fredericton Herald: Miss Stewart, the St. John nurse, who attended the late Geo. E. Coburn during his illness, admitted to the Victoria Hospital on, Friday, suffering from a mild attack of diphtheria.

DON'T GO HOME, if you have not got at least one bottle of Kendrick's Liniment in the house. Don't go home without it. There is nothing better (if equal) to Kendrick's as a household

site of Barnhill's destroyed mill, Pleasant Point; by John E. Moore and others will be commenced after the first of the year. The debris, including machinery, boiler, etc., is to be re-

The Bishop of Fredericton visited imonds on Dunday last, Dec. 8. In the morning he drove to All Saints' church, Loch Lomond, and held confir-mation and celebrated the Holy Communion. The rector of Simonds, Rev. L. A. Hoyt, presented thirteen candidates for confirmation. All Saints' church shows signs of having been renovated and repaired; much has been done, but there is still opportunity for the faithful to show their con-tinued love for their church. In the evening His Lordship drove to the new Church of the Ascension, at Red Head, and held confirmation. Rev. Mr. Hoyt presented nine men and two women for confirmation.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN on city, town, village or country property in amounts to suit low rate of interest. H. H. PICKETT, sicitor, 50 Princess street, St. John.

The canvassers and collectors for the SEMI-WEEK-LY SUN are now making their rounds as mentioned below. The Manager hopes that all subscribers in arrears will pay when called

F. C Chapman, Kings Co. Edgar Canning, in Albert and Westmorland Counties. John E. Austin, in Queens County.

T. E. A. Pearson in Carleton County.

EXCESSIVE CHARGES.

The following is clipped from an American paper: Shipping interests com-plain that the port charges at all the ports in the River Platte are excessive. A shipmaster who has recently returned from South America, and who formerly traded regularly there, states that the port charges have increased more than double what they were a few years ago. Formerly the charges were paid in the paper currency, but now American gold is de-manded in payment. Labor unions have secured control of the stevedoring business and the rates for discharging and loading vessels have more doubled. On his own vessel, where formerly the charges amounted to about \$700, they are now over \$1,600 gold. At Buenos Ayres the wharfage alone is 11-2 cents per registered ton per day, or \$15 per day on a vessel of 1,000 tons, which is considerably higher than the rates at New York, where the charges are more than at any port in the United States.

SUSSEX. SUSSEX. Dec. 12.—The funeral of the late Charles W. Morrison, which took day to spend another winter in the tended. The service was conducted by south on account of his health. His Rev. Frank Baird. The pallbearers were Fred Morrison, Will King, Bliss Freeze, Harry Chipman, Geo. Suffrer and J. R. Bradley. The flowers were handsome and consisted of the follow Crescent from the family with "Our brother" on the top. Crescent from L. A. Keith and J. P. Bradley. Cross, O. P. King. An anchor of white mums on a pedestal of white and pale pink carna-tions from the expres messengers. E. B. Harnett shipped three horses on this morning's freight to Bermuda via Halifax. While the train was shunting in the yard one of the span of horses was thrown and both of its badly tore near the ankle, the legs badly tore near the ankle, the flesh being scraped off to the bone. The horse had to be taken from the

car. It will never be of much use. DIGBY NEWS.

The Sun's Digby correspondent wrote yesterday as follows: E. Walker, at one time keeping ourists' hotel in Digby, is now in jail here, charged with indecent assault on a widow named Francis, living near

Bark Carrie L. Smith, Irvin, mas ter, towed from Annapolis and an-chored here awaiting a chance to sail. Her cargo is lumber and her destina John Cullinan, owner of sch. West field, arrived on Monday's boat and

went to Culloden Cove, where the derelict went ashore. He found her in a very had state, practically a total loss. What cargo is left, he says, may be saved. No insurance to help re oup the loss.

COL. TUCKER AND LOBSTERS.

OTTAWA, Dec. 10.-Col. Tueker, M P. for St. John Co., was in the city today and had an interview with the acting minister of marine regarding lobster fishing in St. John county, the upshot of which was that for the county lobster fishing will commence one month earlier than in previou years, namely, on Dec. 15th, but no lobster of less size than 101-2 inches it to be taken. The colonel did not tell the department how many lobsters have been caught in St. John county waters in recent years, or what lob-ster canneries exist on the St. John coast.

WEDDED AT GERMAIN STREET PARSONAGE. It was the privilege of Rev. J. D. Freeman to perform the marriage ceremony for a brother minister at the parsonage this week. The groom was the Rev. J. G. A. Belyes, B. A., now paster of the Baptist church at Westhester. The bride was Mary E. Sweet chester. The bride was Mary H. Sweet, formerly of Nova Scotia, but lately resident in Chicago, where she has been engaged in missionary work. Mr. Belyea came from Nova Scotia and met the prospective bride on her arrival from the west.

A FORTUNATE YOUNG LADY.

A Fredericton young lady who left St. John on Tuesday afternoon's train discovered the loss of her purse shortly after her departure. Conductor Thompson wired back to town from Westfield, stating the loss, and Officer Collins of the depot staff took a look if the ladies' waiting room for the miss ing cash holder. He found it lying one of the seats. A return wire to Welsford caught the train, and the young lady was told her money had been located. She at once telegraphed back her thanks and directions for forwarding the purse, which contained a good round sum.

OFF FOR AFRICA.

Saturday last, was reported to the board of health Wednesday night. The patient is a six weeks old child of Geo. Mason, laborer, living at '26 Southwark street. Two other families live in the same house, and there are four other children in Mr. Mason's family, all of whom have been vaccinated. The sick child was vaccinated nine days ago.

Three more patients, Mrs. Jos. Corbett, Mrs. Stack and Mrs. Byron, were rembyed to the isolation hospital, which how contlains eight. This clears the disease from Erin and St Patrick streets, although the houses occupied by these people will remain in quarantine for two weeks yet at the least. Dr. Morris has reported ten more complete recayeries from smallpox. These are Rose, Wesley and Hanford Parker of 35 Marsh street, Jose Hamilton, who is in the epidemic hospital; Harold Hamilton, '56 Marsh street; James Marks, 34' City Road; Brneet Alward, the infant child of the late Mrs. H. B. Alward of Haymarket square; Marion Fraser, 12 Richmond street, and Alfred and William Leonard of \$5 Marsh street. Their respective homes will be kept some time lenger in quarantine. This reduces the number ill with the disease to 45, 18 of which are in the old epidemic hospital and 8 in the new. The majority of these are doing rell. last, was reported to the board o

number it with the disease to 30, 18 of which are in the old epidemic hospital and 8 in the new. The majority of these are doing well.

The inspector completed Wednesday the fumigation of the Gallagher house, 15 St. Patrick street, and the quarantine will be formally removed today. The work of disinfecting the Dunlop house on Erin street is nearly completed. A new formaldehyde generator to assist in the fumigation was received by the board yesterday. Dr. Price, the new inspector, is rooming with Rev. H. H. Roach on Haymarket square.

A Miss Powell, servant in Miss Eliza R. Haggerty's house, Mount Pleasant, has been taken to the isolation hospital. She had been at the Peckham house and had not been vaccinated. She is isolated away from the smallpox patients.

The reports that reached the Fredericton papers that a brother of Miss Currie of Wentworth street is quarantined at Jemseg is said to be incorrect. A prominent merchant is in receipt of a letter from W. H. Currie, and he says that Br. Caswell, representing the board of health, called to see him, but he did not quarantine him as he was able to show that he had not seen his sisten for six menths, and did not even know where she was living in St. John.

Nine more recovered patients were released from the General Public Hospital Wednesday leaving only twelve patients now in that institution. The authorities have decided that when the institution is reopened after its quarantine none will be admitted unless they show proof of having been successfully vaccinated.

The discharge of the patients in the public hospital is accompanied by considerable trouble for both the authorities and those who are being allowed out. Some of the number, though cured, are as yet unfit to immediately commence work; others, who were boarding before they were taken to the hospital, are unable now to obtain boarding places on account of the fear of smallpox contagion. The authorities are doing all that they can to obtain places where the discharged patients may board and to provide, in

Smallpox at Annapolis.

A Salvation Army captain who had beet in Maine sick with typhoid fever and on he way home, visited a few days in St. John was taken sick soon after reaching Annapolis, at was at first thought it might be a relapse of the fever, but the doctor having doubts about the case, quarantined the whole army. He called in Dr. Reid, the provincial health officer, who pronounced it a well developed case of smallpox.

From Friday's Daily Sun. Mrs. Mary Boone, who was removed from her home on 3 Brindley street to the isolation hospital on Monday last, died there yesterday afternoon fatal in her case by age and general debility. Her remains will be buried toady in the new Catholic cemetery.

muel Patterson of Watson stre Carleton, and William Mumford of Simonds street, north end, were taken

Havelock Parker, a smallpox patien at the epidemic hospital, was dis-charged yesterday afternoon complete-

The Mason child was baptized ye erday morning. It will be allowed to main at home, and will not be take o the isolation hospital.

It would seem from despatches

ceived here yesterday that the auto quarantine all vessels going the from St. John. The captain of the schr. A. B. Parker, which loaded here for Tiverton, was asked yesterday to take on some goods for a Westport nerchant. Later on Capt. Powell of the str. Westport, which makes week-ly trips between St. John and West-port, telegraphed from Yarmouth that his boat would not be here this week. No. 3 barge is still at anchor in th harbor with Capt. McNamara and two men on board. It is not known when the vessel will be disinfected. Early this week the department of agricul-ture gave Dr. March, the port physician, instructions to use the govern-ment steamer for the purpose, and Dr. March is ready at any time to carry out these instructions. He was to ha out these instructions are wastern superintended the work himself. The Ottawa authorities held from the first that the municipality or the board of health should remove the three men and look after them. This the local and look after them. This the local authorities did not care to undertake, and this fact was reported to Ottawa. The department of agriculture maintain that they can not be called upon to look after a vessel from a Canadian port on which a case of smallpox develops in this port, and this also applies to her crew. The local people would not agree to pay the expense of disinfecting the barge, so this has been undertaken by the Cumberland Railway and Coal Company, who own tailway and Coal Company, who own the barge. Dr. March says he canno take the men off and care for them at island, as the instructions of the artment at Ottawa are against any such idea. The board of health, it is thought, will have to do that before the barge is attended to. The three were vaccinated, but the opera tion was successful only with two of

DON'T LEAVE IT TO CHANCE You may need to use Kendrick's Lini-ment at any time in the house, or perhaps in the stable. Always have a bottle or two on hand.

THE YORK CAMPAIGN.

FREDERICTON, Dec. 11.-The lib ral conservative campaign opened tonight with a rousing meeting in Y. M. C. A. hall, which has been secured as campaign headquarters. C. H. Thomas was chairman, and the meeting was addressed by A. D. Thomas, H. F. Mo-Leod, O. S. Crocket and Fred M. Sproul of Kings Co. Mr. Sproul will speak throughout the county during the campaign.

ick's 25 Men for the 2nd

C. M. R. Given a Hearty Send Off. The twenty men who left St. John Thursday for Halifax en route to service with the 2nd C. M. R. in South Africa were given a royal farewell. Their orders had been to assemble at the I. C. R. station at ten o'clock local time, and the majority of them obeyed But their families, sweethearts and friends, whose name was legion, gathered long before that, and from early in the evening until the hour of de-parture filled the station with a goodparture filled the station with a good-natured jostling throng, crowding about the several departing men for a good-bye shake and a hearty "good luck" for each of them during their adventures of the coming year. Among the number present were his worship Mayor Daniel and several of the aldermen, Lt. Col. McLean, Lt. Col. Jones Lt. Col. Markham, Lt. Col. A. J. Armstrong, Lt. Col. J. R. Armstrong and several other officers of local militia

nouth street, formerly of Canadian Mounted Rifles. John R. McCully, surveyor, Chatham, John H. Williams, fireman, St. Ste-hen, formerly of G Co., 2nd R. C. R. Alfred Simpson, laborer, St. John, formerly G Co., 2nd R. C. R.

John N. Rawlings, fireman, \$5 Doug-as avenue, formenly G Co., 2nd R. C. R. Roland Penny, laborer, St. John, fornerly G Co., 2nd R. C. R. Frederick W. Addy, farmer, 147 Union Martin J. Burns, plumber, 280 Duke

Henry T. Comeau, carpenter, 38 John C. Dalzell, wireworker, 34 St. Claude McDavidson, railway clerk, Hopewell Cape. Chalmer A. Darrah, blacksmith,

Hantland N. B. Robert M. Fairfowl, stevedore, Edinburgh, Scotland. Samuel E. Fox, farmer, 249 Brussels street. James McD. Gilchrist, farmer, Cam-

bridge, Queens county.

Christopher Graham, street railway conductor, Lakewood, St. John county. Herbert MoIntyre, teamster, Murray's Mills. William Parry, guide, Gagetown.

Wales, N. B. A few of them wore the faded khaki of those who had fought in South Africa before, one or two wore the uniforms of city militia corps, but the N. B. Caldwell, St. John, N. B. great majority were clad in ordinary \$20,000.

contingent, Mesers, Finnamore, Tib-bitts, Phillips, Jones and Ryan. Nearly all of the boys bore some

The train left the station sharp on time, and as it rolled out the doors of 410 tons, and was owned by E. I. the shed was followed by a roar of hearty cheers, the memory of which should remind the departing soldiers during the work and danger to come (chency frozens) which began the come of the of the eager interest with which their yesterday, came to an end this mornevery movement and accomplishment ing. It is announced that the strike is watched by the folk at home. They was due to a missinderstanding on the

until they embark.

The Montreal contingent left last night and will reach Halifax several hours behind the St. John crowd.

The Sun's Halifax correspondent

by the Intercolonial to Halifax.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness; and other thros, ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Creso-lene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

The death is reported of Henry M. Danaher, the sixteen-year-old son of William Danaher, which occurred yesterday morning at his father's residence, 74 St. James street. Death was due to pneumonia. The funeral will take place on Saturday morning.

Mamma.—For goodness sake, Elsie why are you shouting in that disgrace ful fashion. Why can't you be quiet like While? Elsie—He has to be quiet the way we're playing. He's papa coming home late, and I'm you.—Phil-adelphia Press.

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AFTERNOON DESPATCHES

Interesting News from Various Parts of the Mail

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.-The London orrespondent of the Tribune says that the Yerkes system of electrification of London for both systems is estimated at \$10,000,000, and two years will elapse before the work in district section, which is the shorter of the two, is completed. Mr. Yerkes proposes to build the biggest generating station in the world. It will be of 70,000 horse power and will work all bie Yerkes London tubes in the districts of Brompton and Piccadilly, the great Strand and Charing Cross, and Hamp-

LONDON, Dec. 12.-The Times in its. second edition today publishes a despatch from Valparaiso, under today's date, which says: "The first symptom at the present juncture of a possible awakening of warlike excitement among the Chilian public is, the announcement that a mass meeting of working people is to be held at Santiago, Dec. 27, to express approval of the action of the government in dealing with the Argentine question. Even this, apparently, is merely an offset to another meeting promoted by the ad-vocates of peace at any price. The buying of ships to take the place of vessels of questionable efficiency, the mobilation of the fleet for manoeuvres, and the strengthening of relations with friendly neighbors. Colombia and Ecu-ador, are not regarded here as signs of aggressive intentions on Chill's part, but only as naturall precautions avoked by the unexpectedly threatenevoked by the unexpectedly threaten-

ing demeanor of Argentina."

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Three children of Tunis Ponce, an employe of a steel manufacturing company at Compton Lake, N. J., were drowned last night in a small body of water near their home, known as Skaters' Pond. The children were Clara, Lizzie and Benjamin, respectively 16, 14 and 12 years old. They were skating togeed, and before they could get to a place of safety were plunged into the tention of people on the shore, but all three disappeared under the ice be-fore aid could reach them. The bodies

FORD CITY, Pa., Dec. 12.—The Fifth Avenue hotel of this place was de-stroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. One man named Dumont is missing, and it is feared was burned to James A. Rose, laborer, Prince of

CADIZ. Dec. 12.-This city was in a civilian clothes. Lieut, Ralph Markham, in command, wore his Hussars'
uniform with his Transvaai medal with
its five bars on the breast of his tunic.
He had considerable difficulty in assembling his men from the well-wishing crowd, but before the Boston express arrived, for which the Halifax
train was waiting, had them all gathered in the comfortable colonist sleeping the col ered in the comfortable colonist sleep-er provided by the I. C. R. On the Boston express came the Fredericton contingent, Messrs, Finnamore, Tib-NASSAU, N. P., Dec. 12.—The three

masted schooner Br F. White, Capt.
Mitchell, which sailed from Philadel-Nearly all of the boys bore some substantial tribute of the affection of their friends. Fred Bettle, who had served with B squadron, C. M. R., had been presented by several of his friends with a pipe, tobacco, a compass and a revolver on Wednesday night, when a farewell supper in his honor had been held.

masted schooner Et E. White, Cap... Mitchell, which sailed from Philadelphia Nov. 26 for Cardenas, was wrecked in Gingerbread ground (a dangerous reef off the Bahama islands, 35 miles south of Great Bahama) December 7, and became a total loss. Two of the crew were drowned. The survivors have arrived here. The E. I. White was built in 1895 at Harrington, Maine her sailing port: She registered

will reach Halifax about nine o'clock this morning and will be drilled there ers returned to work with no offer of CINCINNATI, Dec. 12:-The large carpet house of owry & Goebel, 413 and 417 Elm street, was burned today. The loss is close to \$100,000; well insured. No one is able to account for the origin

wired as follows last night:

OTNAWA, Dec. 12.—A number of officers at present holding commissions in the militia are so anxious to go to the front that they have enlisted in the mounted rifles as privates. Col. Evans thinks there will be fully a dozen officers serving in the ranks.

TORONTO, Dec. 11—Ontario recruits for the third contingent will leave tomorrow evening for Montreal, being conveyed from that point in specials by the Intercolonial to Halifax. ready at hand in case his services are needed. It appears that the brigands are now complaining that Miss Stone is attempting to convert them to Christianity. While recognizing the illegality of the abduction of Miss Stone and Madame Tsilka, the brigands content that their action was in the interest of a sacred calse, and therefore justifiable.

ST. GEORGE. Barn and Contents Burned-Chinese Laundry Opened.

ST. GEORGE, N. B., Dec. 11.—On saturday evening, the 7th inst., the ern and contents of Mr. Wilcox were destroyed by fire; no insurance.
On Monday of this week a Chinaman (Sing Kee) started a laundry busi-

(Sing Kee) started a laundry business in the town.

On Tuesday evening a happy event took place at Mrs. Pery's, when her daughter, Miss Annie Perry, was united in marriage to Samuel Spinney. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Donald Fraser, the pastor of the Presbyterian obtred.

The people hereabouts are much dissatisfied with the government's action in allowing such a prominent bridge as the Dideguash to be down for nine months without much exertion on their part to have it rebuilt.

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WANTED.—A Second Class Male or Female Teacher for School District No. 6, Pennfield, Charlotte Codinty. Post district. Apply stating lowest scaling to MATTHEW HARDING, Secretary to Trustees, Seeler's Cove, Pennfield, N. B.