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Suits, Raincoats and Trousers,

For Men and Young Men.

These garments represent the highest achievement of Ready Tailored Clothing in Canada. They are characterized by quality, style and fit. Good dressers everywhere appreciate these three essentials in the selection of their clothes, and 20th Century brand which is carried exclusively by us meets every requirement. Every garment is guaranteed. An inspection will be to your advantage if you desire clothing that is truly stylish and

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# Choice Roll Butter 20c. perlb

3 packages of Puddine, Jelly Powder or Mince Meat, for 25c.

4 pounds California Prunes for 25c. 10 pounds Choice Onions for 25c.

# Pure Leaf Lard, 11c. per lb.

3 lb. tin pail, 35c., 5 lb. tin pail, 55c., 10 lb. tin pail, \$1.00, 20 lb. wood pail, \$1.95 Good Cooking Butter, 15c. per lb,

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### 562 and 564 Main Street, St. John, N. B. TELEPHONE 775 A.

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### OTTAWA NEWS,

OTTAWA, March 2. - Lt. Col. Sir

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OTTAWA, March 2. — Lt. Col. Sir William Gustavus Nicholson, K. C. B., and Lieut. Col. A. Haldane were in Ottawa today en route to joint the Japanese army. The officers left on the trans-continental train for Vancouver accompanied by Capt. Thacker, Canadian military attache to the Japanese army.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson, minister of railways, and Mr. Pottinger, left today on a trip of inspection over the government railways. Mr. Emmerson will be absent from Ottawa about a week.

R. C. Douglas, inspecting engineer of the department of railways and canais has been detailed to report upon the condition of bridges on the Dominion Atlantic railway between Annapolis and Yarmouth, as they are said to be in a defective condition.

Inquiries are being made by military experts as to troops that could be mobilized in the field for the defence of Canada in case of a grave coatingency. The instructions also apply to supplies of ammunition. It is likely that a surplus will be accumulated

AT THE LONDON HOUSE,

THURSDAY, March 3rd.

# Handsome Dress Skirts Of the Latest Designs Now Shown In Mantle Department.

Specially Fine Broadcloth Skirts. New effects in Tailored Tweed Skirts. Every Garment Guaranteed Fit.

At \$6.00 Fine Black Broadcloth Skirt, beautifully made—with row of black faggot stitching down each seam.

At \$6.75 New Yoke Effect, Black Broadcloth Skirt—fancy pointed yoke—30 rows fine stitching—outlined with very narrow straps of black taffeta silk.

At \$6.95, Very Handsome Black Dress Skirt, with 1 1-2 inch black lace insertion, flowing hip effect and graduated at bot-

### Tweed Skirts—Special Tailored Effects.

At \$5.25, Stylish Scotch Tweed Walking Skirts, trimmed with small stitched straps and large cloth covered buttons. At \$5.75, New Tailored Tweed Skirts—the finest finish with kilted panels-entirely new design-comes in brown or

\$6.25, New Tweed Skirt, with pretty hip effect, flounced of

Special Skirt No. 21. Special Walking Skirt No. 22 Extra good Cheviot Tailored Cheviot Skirt Skirt trimmed with 12 with stitched straps down straps, giving pretty hip effect, in dark grey, Price, \$3.98 blk or navy, Price \$2.98.

### Further Arrivals in Wash Suitings.

Just in yesterday—other lines of Linen and Etaminie Suit-

36 in. Pure Linen Suiting in blues, brown, grey, etc., 36 in. Union Linen Suitings, in browns, blues, greys, cadet, New "Twine Cloth" Linen Suiting, in mixed effects,

### Special Black and Half-mourning Summer Cotton Goods.

Black and White Etamines 25c. ya	
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Black and White Mercerized Matting 30c., 3	E
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Black and White Grenadines 40c., 5	0
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Bargains in Lace Curtain Corners. Sample half-prices of Lace Curtains that are very useful for small windows.

20c. to 35c. each.

	New	Shopping Bags, leather, 60c. to \$1.90
	New	Wrist Bags, in black, tan, or grey 65c. to \$1.85
	New	Lace Neckwear-collars and stocks-grey lace stocks
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	Velv	et Hair Bows, black or colors 250., 35c.

# Ladies' Belts. Ladies' Belts.

The newest designs.

Immense Variety.

# F. W. DANIEL & 60.,

London House, Charlotte St.

# SPORTING NEWS.

At the Queen's rink last night the Trojan half each side added two more. Extra time was played and the Trojans succeeded in

was the referee. Teams:

Trojans—A. Finnamore, goal; Frank Staples, point; Sandy Staples, cover; F. MoMinmanin, rover; C. Coleman, centre; F.
Rowan, left wing; G. Morrison, right wing;
F. Ryan, A. Johnson, F. Hughes, spare men.
Mohawks—Carlisle, goal; Fairweather,
peint; Inches, cover; W. Rising, centre; MoLeod, rover; Haley, left wing; Mooney, right
wing.

challengers, was played here tonight, and resulted in each team scoring five goals. The next game will be played in Ottawa on Saturday night. The cup will go to the

Some thirty members of the Thistie club competed on Tuesday for the Klondike medal. The average scores went up to 33 points. Six of them made over 40. D. R. Willett was the victor with 49. The six who exceeded 40 points were the winner, J. S. Malcolm, W. A. Shaw, J. F. Shaw, A. G. Stevens and O. J. Milighn.

A meeting of the finance committee of the St. John Cricket Clüb was held yesterday morning. Frank Phitweather, Capt. Marshall and Rupert Walker were present. It was decided to approach the football players of the city with a view to amalgamating cricket and football players in one club, and Capt. Marshall, as secretary-treasurer, was authorized to take the necessary steps. In order to obtain the necessary funds to entertain the Zingari next season and for general purposes, Mr. Walker was commissioned to organize a dramatic performance, and it was further decided to fix the membership fee at \$2 for the season.

both leagues last season will be retained during the coming season.

A post season of seven games for the na-tional championship will be arranged be-tween the pennant winners of both leagues. Two coaches will be allowed with one man or more on bases.

These were the three important matte

passed upon by the rules committees, and after they adjourned the American League delegates held a brief session at the Fifth Avenue hotel, at which the changes

The club of Knobo Lights of Carvill Hall gave proprietor John H. Bond a sieigh drive and dianer at Newcombe's on Tuesday night. The banquet was served in Mr. Newcombe's best style. Capt. L. W. Peters, president of the club, occupied the chair, having for his vice W. M. Angers. The list of toasts included the King, and the Guest. Songs were sung by S. C. Gates, A. Rawlings, plano solo by Mr. Dodd, duett by F. Fraser and S. McClellan, a recitation by Mr. Stewart, etc. The toast of the Ladles was responded to by E. C. McLeod, F. Fraser and A. M. Angers. Taken as a whole it was a jolly function and testified to the high esteem in which Mr. Bond is held by

Major and Mrs. Howell suitably replied. Major Howell is going to Tor onto to take charge of the transportation department there.

### SEAMEN'S MISSION. An entertainment was given last night in the Seamen's Mission under

the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary.
The programme was as follows: reading, Miss Maxwell; song with organ accompaniment, Miss Comben; song, A. Burnham; reading, Miss Crawford; song and reading were given by the following seamen: T. Finnigan, J. Kelly, J. Dawson, from the county.

Chronic Constipation surely cured or money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS Finnigan, J. Kelly, J. Dawson, from the str. Lake Erie; R. Doyle from str. Canada; A. Scott, G. Gallagher, E. McElroy, from str. Almona; J. Green, from str. Mount Temple; S. Burgess, from str. Burcia. God save the King followed and after cheers for the ladies

MONTREAL, March 2.—The first game for the Stanley cup between the Ottawa team champions) and the Wanderers of Montreal,

Klondike Medal.

### BASE BALL

NEW YORK, March 2.—After two protracted sessions, which were held in the offices of the National League in the St. James Building today, the National League and the American League committees on rules came to an agreement as to certain changes, but the committees on schedule will meet again tomorrow in order to adopt, as far as possible, non-conflicting playing dates for the coming season. The general opinion tonight is that they will have little difficulty in arriving at an amicable arrangement, and it riving at an amicable arrangement, and it was stated on good authority that the American League schedule will be announced tomorrow evening and that of the National League the following day.

The foul strike rule which was adopted by

DRIVE AND DINNER.

MAJOR HOWELL'S FAREWELL

A farewell meeting to Major and Mrs. Howell was held last night in the Salvation Army barracks, Colonel Sharp conducting.

Major and Mrs. Howell have been in St. John for nearly two and a half years, and the following speakers all spoke very highly of their work in this spoke very highly of their work in the county for the the the Telestrage Mr. Milligan instruction. Steward Foster, of the lightship Lurcher, was today sentenced to twelve months' hard labor in the county jail for the theft of a ham on board the Lurcher.

Milligan, recently manager of the Telestrage Mr. Milligan instruction. Steward Foster, of the lightship Lurcher, was today sentenced to

night at which a party organization for the parish of Lancaster was formed and the following officers elected:
Benjamin Ogden, president; William
Terry, vice-president; Benjamin F.
Linton, secretary. Robert Catherwood

money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS
never fail. Small, chocolate coated,

Home for Incurables met yesterday, Dr. Walker presiding. The Home was found to be in a flourishing state and the public are BESSEMER, Mich., March 2.—Jas. Colgate, who received a legacy of \$1.,000,000 from his grandfather, James Colgate, Sr., of New York, has been to find the public are giving every evidence of their interest in it by practical assistance in the nature of money contributions and gifts of necessary articles. ture of money contributions and gifts of necessary articles.

### Classified Advertisements.

### HELP WANTED-FEMALE. WANTED-A girl at the ROYAL DAIRY

LUNCH, 52 Mill street WANTED—At once, a capable girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. R. CRUIKSHANK, 10 Mechlenburg street. WANTED-A good plain cook. Apply to MRS. LOUIS NELSON, 40 Leinster street. WANTED—A young girl to assist in light housework in adult family of three. Apply between 8 and 9 p. m. MRS. JOHN EDGE-COMBE, 10 Sydney street.

### HELP WANTED, MALE. BOY WANTED-One that can make him-

self generally useful in office and store. Apply immediately to J. HUNTER WHITE, No. 3 North Wharf, City. WANTED-Men, women, girls and boys to sell Silver Ball Metal Polish. Best on the market. Over 100 per cent. commission to introduce. Apply ST. JOHN NOVELITY CO., P. O. Box 262, or third floor Lake of the Woods Building, Market square, city. WANTED-Boy, fifteen or sixteen years old, to learn baking. Apply before 10 a. m. at bakery, rear 80 City road.

WANTED—A boy to carry parcels and make himself generally useful around a store. Apply at DAVIDSON'S VARIETY STORE, 176 Union street. WANTED-Smart boy to assist in office

and shipping work generally. Must be willing and reliable. Apply to DOMINION MILLING CO., LTD., Clyde street, city. WANTED-Two retail dry goods salemen with a couple of years' experience. Apply by letter. Address SALESMAN, care of Star Office.

WANTED - To rent, furnished, a small

ulars, to Z., care of Daily Star Office. WHO DOES'NT LIKE TOAST?



Bread of our baking toasted properly

There was a story about town yesterday to the effect that the Gazette

spoke very highly of their work in this city and expressed their regret at losing them, wishing them all success for the future. The speakers were Messrs. Barnes. Manney, Wonacott, Mrs. Lane, Mrs. Staff Capt. McLeod, Capt. MacDonald, Ensign Allen and Adj. Wiggins.

Major and for the speakers were Messrs. Entry and the transfer is now definitely arranged. The News will be liberal in politics.

ENTHUSIASTIC CONSESS.

An enthusiastic Liberal-Conscervative meeting was held in Fairville last Speeches were made by Miles E. Agar, Beverley R. Armstrong, J. King Kelley, Ald. Baxter and B. F. Linton.

The board of management of the

# FLATS TO LET.

TO LET.—Two or three small commodious dats on Eridge street, North End, at low rents. Enquire of J. E. PORTER, 75 Main street.

## FLAT TO LET—At 45 Erin street, of 7 rcome. Also at 46 Erin street, a flat of six rooms. Can be seen every day from 2 to 6. Apply on premises. A Barn at 65 Elliott Row. Apply to 45 Erin street. HOUSES TO LET.

TO LET—The house and premises, No. 57
Dorchester street, from May 1st. Can be
seen Wednesday and Friday atternoons, from
4 to 5 o'clook. Modern improvements. Hot
and cold water. Self-contained. Hot-air furnace. JAMES PRINCE, 57 Dorchester street. TO LET.—May ist, self-contained house, \$ Charles street, occupied by present tenant seven years. Can be seen Friday from 3 to 6. Also house No, 6 Charles street, one door from Garden street. Can be seen Wednesfrom Garden street. Can be seen Wedne day and Friday afternoons. For terms, &c &c., apply MRS. GILLIS, 109 Union street

STORES TO LET. TO LETT-From first of May next, store No. 25½ Brussels street, now occupied by T. J. Cochran druggist. Apply on premises or to 7 Exmouth street.

## ROOMS TO LET.

TO LET-From 1st of May, seven rooms, modern improvements, No. 267 Charlotte street, opposite Queen square. Wednesday FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET at 113 Elliot Row. Apply on premises.

COTTAGES TO LET. TO LET.—A cottage containing eight rooms. Enquire of M. J. WILKINS, 391 Haymarket Square.

TO LET—May 1st premises situated on St. David's street, now occupied by the St. John Ice Co., Ltd. For particulars apply to W. S. Vaughan, 108 Pitt street. FOR SALE. A GREAT PIANO BARGAIN.

FOR SALE—NEWCOMBE PIANO at balf regular price. We have just received for immediate sale a Cabinet Grand "Newcombe" Plano in choice Burl Wainut Case, but a short time in use. Cost originally \$450, will be cold for \$275.00. This is a great snap. C. FLOOD & SON. FOR SALE—A farm, containing ninety-six acres, with a good house and two barns thereon, facing on Lattimore's Lake. For particulars enquire at 13 runswick street any evening after 7.30 o'clock. FOR SALE—The City Road Carriage Fac-tory; best located carriage factory in the city. Will be sold cheap. Enquire of W. H. NASE, at P. Nase & Son's, North End.

### FOR SALE —An arc lamp, complete, near new. Apply to Sun Printing Co.

MRS. STOTT, ladies' sick nurse, late of Montreal, P. Q. Open for engagements. Apply at 58 Sydney street.

# 79 Germain street.

YARMOUTH, N. S., March 2.—Three boys were arrested today for breaking into and robbing Crosby & Darkee's meat market last Sunday morning. The evening newspaper was to be converted into a morning paper and that C. J.

Milligan, recently manager of the Telegraph, was to take observed. men made the arrest and they will be brought up on Saturday for examina-

Was All Run Down.

Had No Appetite.

FOOD WOULD NOT DIGEST.

### Mrs. I. W. Warner, Riverdale, N.S., is glad there is such a remedy as Burdock

**Blood Bitters** IT CURED HER AND WILL CURB YOU.

colgate, Sr., of New York, has been taken to the insane asylum at Newberry. Colgate was working here as a mine teamster when he received the news of the legacy. The news turned his brain and he may never recover sufficiently to enjoy his wealth.

James Colgate, Sr., and Charles L. Colby were the original owners of the Colby Mine, one of the greatest producers in this region. Young Colgate came here to work in the mines. He is twenty years old.

WANTED—A case of Headache that RUMFORT Powders will not cure in from tax to tweaty minutes.

There are now 25 patients at the mony to the many others who have spoken so highly as to the unfailing virtues of Burdock Blood Bitters. I was all run down, had no appetite, lost all ambition, could not sleep much and had terrible headache and backache, and my food did not digest propedly. I saw B.B.B. advertised, so concluded to give it a trial, thinking if it did no good it could do no harm. But after using one bottle I began to feel better, and by the time I had used three bottles I was feeling like a new person. I necessity arise.

Four hundred troops were also ordered to China to raise the local stations in the could be concluded to give it a trial, thinking if it did no good it could do no harm. But after using one bottle I began to feel better, and by the time I had used three bottles I was feeling like a new person. I am so glad there is such a remedy provided for suffering humanity, and cannot praise it enough for I think there is an medicine like it on the market."