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## Royal Baking Powder

is indispensable to the preparation of the finest cake, hot-breads, rolls and muffins.

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### Back From the North.

The S. S. Prospero arrived at six o'clock last evening from Griguet and intermediate ports, bringing a large freight and as passengers:—Messrs. J. Martin, J. Noble, S. Norris, J. Burke, T. Manuel, Earle, Rev. Wilson, H. Gibbons, W. Housell, H. Brown, H. Kean, B. House, W. Rideout, W. Dwyer, Capt. A. Carter, A. Feehan, N. Penny, R. Penny, W. Lockyer, E. Moore, J. Noonan, J. Tucker, J. Greene, J. O'Neill, T. Benson, J. Avery, S. Jones, D. Norris, N. Barrett, Mesdames Burke, Noonan, Stone, Misses Middleton, Burke, Hall, Hiseock, Miller, Jacobs and 15 in steerage.

Going north the steamer made every port but coming south she had to omit all ports of call in White Bay owing to the places being blocked with ice which was very thick. During the past week the officers of the Prospero say that the weather north was intensely cold the temperature being frequently down to zero.

### Curling Notes.

In the play-off contest last night between the Natives and All-Comers, the latter won by 7 points. The scores made were:—

| Natives.          | All-Comers.    |
|-------------------|----------------|
| W. Shirran        | F. V. Chesman  |
| H. J. Duder       | A. Montgomerie |
| T. Winters        | A. Robertson   |
| W. H. Duder (sk.) | J. Jackson     |
| Total—11          | Total—18       |

Today the Reds and Blues will play for the Bonavista Trophy.

**\$22** for a first-class Overcoat, made from the famous warmth-without-weight material in our beautiful double-breasted effect. Order one at be comfortable and stylish for the winter months. SPURRIE BROS., 365 Water Street, 11 door to Parker & Monroe's Phone 574—nov22.eod,tf

**MERCANTILE GAMES.**—The different mercantile hockey teams are now practicing for their games which will commence next month.

### Woman Gets Six Months.

There arrived by the S. S. Prospero last evening from Greenspond Constable Tucker in charge of a female prisoner who was consigned to the Penitentiary to serve a term of imprisonment. The accused is a young woman, belonging to Greenspond, who was arrested recently for stealing a sum of money. She was tried by Magistrate Milford, convicted and sentenced to six months imprisonment without the option of a fine.

### Hockey Notes.

Enthusiasm in hockey circles is on the increase. At 6.30 last night the Bulldogs had a practice at the rink. The Crescents went on at 10.30. The players of both teams seemed to be in good form. The opening game of the League series will take place next week between the Victorias and Crescents. The probable line up of the Crescents will be: C. Thomas, goal; G. Herder, point; G. Marshall, cover; R. Stick, Rover; L. Stick, right; G. Ayre, centre; W. Hutchings, left.

### Personal.

Rev. Fr. Cacciola left by last evening's express en route to his parish, Bar Haven, P. B.

Mr. P. F. Mansfield, of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., left for Bonavista by yesterday's express.

Mr. R. B. Job and wife arrived by the Florizel, yesterday.

Mrs. R. C. and Mr. E. Ayre returned by the Florizel yesterday.

The duties of Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod of the Legislative Chamber, were creditably performed yesterday by Mr. E. S. Pilsent, in the absence of his father who is indisposed.

**Stafford's Phorator Cough Cure** is a fine remedy for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Troubles. Price 25c; postage 5c. extra.—jan3,tf

## Fresh Supply Pure Table Butter!

Just received ex s.s. Mongolian, viz:  
IRISH, in 28 lb. boxes and 1 lb. blocks.  
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FRESH CODFISH.  
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### M.C.L.I. Debate.

The debate held in the M.C.L.I. Rooms last night, proved highly interesting. The question of debate, was "Would Government by Commission be preferable to our present Municipal system?" The supporters of the former were Messrs. W. White, G. Grimes, and J. W. Bartlett, and for the latter, Messrs. I. C. Morris, W. Butt and R. P. Holloway. The arguments on both sides were very clear and after an interesting discussion the decision was given in favor of the Commission form of Government. Mr. E. M. Jackman, who was present, spoke at the request of the Chairman. He outlined the duties of citizenship in an interesting manner. The debate for next week will be on the question of an Educational department.

### Some Good Advice.

"Why do you go on suffering from the intolerable itching and general discomfort of that eczema you told me about; why don't you do as I did?"

"I went to my Druggist, and he recommended me to try Zylex, a new Ointment which he said had done remarkable work in the cure of Eczema. At any rate it cured me."

"I'll try Zylex, then."

Zylex is sold by all druggists at 50 cents a box. Zylex Soap, 25 cents a cake.—jan14.eod, tf

### Here and There.

**HERRINGS IN PLACENTIA BAY.**—Herrings are fairly plentiful in Placentia Bay at present, particularly at Red Island and Ragged Island. Good prices are being offered by a Halifax buyer, and several local agents are also purchasing cargoes.

**DR. SILLIKER** wishes to announce to his patients that the Harris fire did very little damage to his Dental Offices and that in a couple of days he will be able to attend to his patients again.—jan15,2i

**FLORIZEL'S CARGO.**—The s.s. Florizel will remove from the Red Cross Line pier this afternoon and berth at Morey & Co's premises where she will discharge 1000 tons of anthracite coal which was brought from New York.

**FREIGHT ARRANGEMENT.**—It has been decided that on her next trip, the steamer Prospero will not accept freight for north of Tilt Cove, owing to the heavy ice conditions north and the possibilities of the steamer being frozen in.

**LEFT FOR DESTINATION.**—The S. S. Manchester Commerce, which was bound to Manchester from Montreal with a general cargo when she struck an iceberg in the Straits and came here for permanent repairs, sailed this morning after getting her bunkers filled.

**Mrs. C. Buckley** wishes to announce continuation of Dancing Class in British Hall, Thursday, Jan. 15, at 8 p.m. Myron-O-Grady Orchestra.—jan15,2i

**EXPRESS HORSE BOLTED.**—At 6 p.m. yesterday, Stott's express horse bolted, dashing along King's Road and up to Rawlin's Cross, where the sleigh runners became caught in the car rails, upsetting the sleigh and throwing the parcels into the street. The animal was captured before any damage was done.

**PUT INTO AQUAFORTE.**—The schooner Mary Duff, Capt. Janes, was reported last evening at Aquaforte. She was bound to Carbonear from Bahia, in ballast, and was 48 days on the passage. The vessel must have met adverse weather yesterday which would account for her sheltering on the Southern Shore.

### Headaches and Heart Trouble

**Nervous Prostration of Three Years' Standing Cured a Year Ago by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.**

Anyone who knows the discouragement and despair which accompanies the helplessness of nervous prostration will appreciate the gratitude felt by the writer of this letter.

Mrs. H. C. Jones, Scotch Lake, C. B., writes: "I suffered from nervous prostration for nearly three years. I had frequent headaches, had no appetite and was troubled with my heart. After consulting two doctors, without obtaining satisfactory results, I began the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and was completely cured by this treatment. It is nearly a year since I was cured, and I want others to know of this splendid medicine. I now attend to my housework with pleasure and comfort, and am glad to have the opportunity of recommending Dr. Chase's Nerve Food."

At least some benefit is bound to be derived from each dose of this great food cure, as day by day it forms new blood, and builds up the system 50 cents a box, for \$2.50, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

## The Crescent Picture Palace, 5th Week.

5 GREAT PICTURES FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—5

"MONA"—A stirring Western Indian romance.  
"DOLLY AND THE BURGLAR"—Showing how Dolly saved the cash box.  
"THE WAR OF THE BEETLES"—A wonderful achievement in moving pictures.  
CARTOONS—By Hy. Mayer.  
"COLLEGE CHUMS"—A fine comedy with a baseball match.  
MR. DAVE PARKS, Baritone, sings an illustrated song, "I've been thro' the mill."

Afternoon, 2.30; 5c. Evening, 7.15; 10c.

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