ed a heavy cold about go and tried all kinds of nes and drugs recomcold or heavy cough, but help me until I com-Peruna. My age is years, and I am better been for years. I stillir great medicine, and am in health. I recommend s with coughs and colds."

Greatest Remedy Known For Catarrh.

Stevens, 97 Seventeenth Mich .. writes : "It affords ure to testify to the merita a remedy for catarrh. I ome time with chronic but after five months ring which time I used of Peruna I am pleased te entirely well, there being st trace of the catarrh left. hout doubt the greatest n for catarrh."-Chas. HL

Childhood With Catarri. Richards, Milton, Conn.

sixty-eight years of age, childhood been afflicted the head, and, for the past s been much afflicted with they being watery, would od deal, and stick together My condition was so fully our almanac that I decided

sful to say that I now conntirely free from catarrh. Peruna occasionally now cept my sincere thanks nal interest in my case. l years of age, has been for a number of weeks for head and has obtained -Elbert S. Richards.

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of such a worthy remedy s your Peruna. I had irty years from this very sease and had tried many dies but until I used Pethe desired enect. Department for the past

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#### NEW WOMAN. by Quitting Coffae.

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# CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John.

Together With Country Items from Correspondents and Exchanges.

## NOTICE TO COR-RESPONDENTS

During the present Ses- on. sions of Parliament and the Provincial Legislature, which make heavy demands on the SUN'S columns, Correspondents must condense their news letters to the smallest possible limit.

A yacht club will probably be formed at Annapolis within a few weeks.

The weather last week was dea against the maple sugar makers.

Rev. E. C. Corey of Penobsquis ha hought the Frank Robinson farm, Pet-

Rev. J. Ritchie Bell of Montreal will sing at both the morning and evening services in Portland Methodist Church. George H. McCormack, of St. John,

has opened a general grocery store in the McMahon building, at Weymouth, The tug Susie has been purchased by the Parrsboro Lumber Co., and will be used for towing on the Avon

as "the count," died at othe Gospital Friday. The late Mr. Maloney was formerly a shoemaker. He leaves one as "the count," died at othe Gospina in City for several days, the guest of Friday. The late Mr. Maloney was in H. Parks, at Mount Pleasant. Mr. formerly a shoemaker. He leaves see Toucette went to Africa as a member sister, Mrs. Hanlon of City padatori at the Late of the contingent, and while

Walter B. Dickson, who represents W. Malcolm Mackay, lumber shipper, in Albert Co., is in town. Mr. Dickson

Rev. J. deSoyres has received word of the recent death at Clifton, England, of his cousin, Francis John de-Soyres. The deceased was the head of the English branch of the family.

Bichard Ellis son of Capt. W. E Ellis, keeper of Point Prim light, has shipped as steward on board the bark Culdoon, Capt. Norval Turnbull, which is now at St. John ready to sail for the Canary Islands.-Digby Courier.

It is rumored about the city that Z. R. Everett has been apopinted fishery inspector in room of H. S. Miles, deceased. No official anonuncement has yet been made, but it seems to be the general opinion that the rumor is wel

founded.-Fredericton Herald. The Duke said to the Duchess a breakfast yesterday morning. "What good bread this is." "Yes," said the Duchess, "isn't it delicious." Having called the chief bread cook, he told their Royal Highnesses that the bread was made with BEAVER BRAND

The funeral of the late Archibald Duncan took place at half-past two Saturday afternoon and was largely attended. Services were conducted at his late residence, 23 Paradise row, and at the grave by the Rev. D. J. Fraser and interment was made in Fernhill There were no pallbearers.

Edmund Lundon of Canterbury Station. York Co., returned from Boston last Saturday night. He went to attend the Sportsmen's show and was much pleased with all he saw, He was accompanied by his daughter, Miss They stopped off at Waterwere surprised to meet the eldest son of Rev. J. E. Flewelling, who had just arrived there to canvass the town as an insurance agent.

Maggie Hartrey, aged 23, who hails from Newfoundland, is under arrest for stealing. She came here about four months ago and was given employ ment in the home of N. H. Murchie She was discharged and afterwards went to work in another family. When her reputation for light fingered work became known to this family she was paid off and sent away. Since then she has worked in a Germain street boardnig house. At this place Detective Killen arrested her Saturday afternoon In her trunks was found a great number of articles, which were the property of Mr. Murchie. There knives, forks, spoons, napkins, hand-Ferchiefs, children's dresses, collar but-

tons, and many other htings. The Wine of Tar, Honey and Wild Cherry, made by The Baird Company, nited, is free from all ingredients at cause unpleasant effects, common to many Cough Remedies, and is a perfectly safe preparation for children and adults. For all Coughs, Irritated Conditions of the Throat, Asthmatic and Bronchial Coughs, Throat and Lung Troubles, Loss of Voice. For Public Speakers and Singers, this preparation is especially valuable. At all dealers. Price, 35 cents for a bottle

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 Westmoriand Counties. John E. Austin, in Queens

County. T. E. A. Pearson in Carleton County.

DIED IN BOSTON. A telegram Saturday announced the death in Boston of Elizabeth, widow of the late Nicholas Watson of this city. Mrs. Watson leaves three sons and one daughter. The sons are Walter, of Boston, and Samuel and F. H. Watson of this city. The daughter is Mrs. Robert Dickson of Boston. The remains of the deceased lady will be brought to St. John for interment. She had been living for some time with her son, Walter, in Boston.

AUCTION SALES. A big lot of mining and other stock were put up at Chubb's corner urday, 5,000 shares of Gold King were withdrawn at 22 cents; 5,000 shares of Bear Guich were sold at 22; 5,000 shares

at 4; 1,000 shares of the bank of N. B. stock brought 28.

Co.'s, the best and cheapest method of tapping trees and saving all the juice.

A large frog sailed into Market slip Saturday upon a piece of floating special spec

Among the passengers to sall for South Africa on the Parthenia is R. P. Doucette of Montreal, who has been in the City for several days, the guest of Walter B. Dickson, who represents there secured a good position on the w. Malcolm Mackay, lumber shipper, in Albert Co., is in town. Mr. Dickson reports that the cut of loss than second district engineer, with head-district that county will asserted about been home on a visit and is now going forty millions.

> THE OLDEST PHLOT DEAD. A long line of pedestrians and sleighs followed the remains of the Miramichi's oldest pilot, Angus McEachran, to the Eachran was born in 1817, and was licensed as a branch pilot in 1837. He continued in active service till two years ago, when he retired very un willingly, preferring his work to lei-sure. St. Michael's band headed the procession.—Chatham World.

SERIOUS ACCIDENTS.

A man named Gray, 87 years old, of Pembroke, Carleton Co., fell from a wagon on Friday and was crushed between the wheel and the body of the vehicle. One of his ears was torn off and the other nearly severed, the collar bone was broken, and the skull frac-tured and laid bare for four inches, the chest was injured and the shoulder

lade loosened.

Mrs. Johnston Bearlsto, of Frederic ton, was so badly burned by the ex-plosion of a lamp early Sunday morning that she was conveyed to the ho pital for treatment.

silments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Creso-lene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists

CAME HOME TO DIE. William Johnston, aged 63 years, died at Robert Chamberlain's home, Gon-dola Point, on Thursday night, after a lengthy illness of heart failure. The deceased, a former resident of Queens county, came back to New Brunswick from Boston about three weeks ago to die and be buried in his home country. He was a brother of Mrs. Chamberlain and leaves a son, now in California and a daughter in Boston. He has bee

absent from home for sixteen years.

DEATH AT THE AGE OF 105.

Last Friday at Big Pond there pass ed away to her eternal reward another centenarian in the person of Mrs. Sarah Macnelll, who had reached the extreme age of 105 years. She was one of the few that 'yet remain in Cape Breton, of that hardy race of Scotch Highlanders that emigrated to this country in the early part of the 19th century. Born in the island of Barra, Scotland, about the year 1797, she has had the rare privilege of living in three centuries. What is most unusual with very old people, she retained all her faculties, mental and bodily unimpaired to the last. She was interred in the cemetery at Big Pond Saturday.—Syd-

No Danger.

There is no danger of heart burn or heart troubles from the use of Chew ing Tobacco, if it has been properly manufactured. Great care is taken in the manufacture of "OLD FOX" and "BOBS" Chewing Tobacco, to use only pure and wholesome ingredients, which will leave no bad after effects. If you are not already using these brands, try them. Even the tags are valuable. Save them and you can have your choice of 150 hardsome presents. Tags are good up to JANUARY 1st. 1903. Write for our new illustrated premium Catalogue. The Empire Tobacco Co., Ltd., 47 Cote St., Montreal.

THE PEDERAL LIFE.

The twentieth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Federal Life Assurance Company brought forth a report from the directors which must have been quite satisfactory to all concerned. The new business of the year amounted to 1,704 accepted applications for \$2,385,768.50, and the income for the year showed a gratifying increase over former years. The assets now amount to 11,449,925.58, exclusive of general capital. Mr. Dexter organised this company twenty years ago, and has been managing director ever since. His good judgment, careful work and safe modes have given the company the enviable position it now holds with its income of half a million, and its thirties millions of insurance now in force. Mr. Dexter's election as pressi-

nition of his faithful services. FEAR THE PEOPLE.

dent of the company was a tribute to his good judgment and a fitting recog-

FREDERICTON, March 22.-It is now the general impression here and the opinion is openly expressed by knowing ones that there will be another session of the house of assembly before the general elections. The term of the present house expires in June, 1903. The feeling prevails that there will be a short session in February next year, and that the election will be brought on immediately thereafter. The matter was discussed, it is said, at a government\_caucus the other night, and the gang almost unani mously favored the idea.

# Children Cry for OASTOR A

FATHER AND SON DROWNED. LUNENBURG, N. S., March 21 .-

sad drewning accident occurred at Black Point, about 5 miles from here, today. Reuben Selig and his nineteen year-old son went out to look after their lobster traps. A heavy squall suddenly struck their boat and cap-sized it. There was no boat near enough to render assistance and both father and son were drowned. Mr. Selig leaves a widow and a large fam-

## SAYS THEY'RE BEAVEN.BOTT

Alady in writing of her faith in Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets calle them "A HEAVEN-SOME HEALER." Chronic Dysophism was not "Groes, and the Cook, and the Cook of the Cook of the Cook, and the Cook of t

Sold By M. V. Pappook.

Ser. MARTINS.

The Society of Christian Endeavor in connection with the Presbyterian church held a very successful meeting in their church Thursday evening. The Chart was considered by Fully and Chart was considered by Fully and Chart was considered by Fully Fully and Chart was considered by Fully F chain was occupied by Frank Fulmer After devotional exercises speeche were made by Rev. Mr., Rev. Mr. Cornwall, Mr. McDiarmid and M. Kelly, interspersed by singing and readings by Miss Carson, Miss Merlin and Miss Skillen. At the close a committee was formed consisting of the clergymen and some others to meet at the call of the chairman, Rev. Mr. Bareham, to seek to further tem-

perance'-sentiment. know, should know the value of that safe, pleasant and effectual remedy, McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup, the original and only genuine worm syrup. Any onlid will take McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup. All dealers keep it.

HAVELOCK HAPPENINGS.

HAVELOCK. March 15.-Arrangements are being made for an Easter concert by the Havelock Mission

Many of the people here have not succeeded in getting out their year's wood, and are now arranging to have it chopped in the woods, that they may haul it to their homes on the

first snow next winter. The engine of the E. P. and H. railway being disabled and laid up for repairs, train service is suspended for the present.

TRANSFERRED AND PROMOTED.

Walter S. Davidson, clerk in the general I. C. R. offices here, has been transferred to St. John, and leaves today to take the position of mechanical clerk at that place, which was vacated through the death of J. W. Cameron on the 17th inst. Mr. Davidson's many young friends will be glad to learn that the transfer is in the line of promotion with an increased salary.-Moncton Times, 22nd. COPPER AT LE TETE.

The Sun's St. George correspondent writes under Saturday's date that the shaft of the Johnston copper mine at Le Tete is now down 116 feet and that drifting has commenced with favorable indications of striking high grade ore. H. H. McLean, the manager, says there is lots of lower grade stuff in sight, but under Supt. Thaddeus Dick's direction they are after the deposits of high grade metal.

DIED AT BARNESVILLE.

The death occurred at Barnesville n Wednesday, March 19th, of David Hay, in the seth years ceased was a native of Donegal, ire-land, and came to New Brunswick in 1841, and had since made this country his home, residing at Barnesville for He had al-agine her delight is unbounded. My agreement and that of others is Hay, in the 90th year of his age. Dewas highly esteemed by all who knew him. A widow, two sons, four daughters, twelve grandchildren and two great-grandchildren survive.

DEATH OF COL HENRY G.

GREENE,
Of Fitchburg, Massachusetts, a Gentle-

setts legislature the past year and was a member of the state military com-mittee of the house of representatives. He leaves a wife and two daughters, Miss Rena Mande, who is a member of Smith College, class of 1903, and Miss Mary Ethel of Vassar College, class of

Col. Greene married Miss Rena Mc Kay, a native of St. John, daughter of the late John McKay, and a sister of Mrs. John Rogerson 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 mandery Knights Templar, etc.

HOPEWELL HILL

HOPEWELL HILL, March 23.-Mrs W. J. McAlmon entertained a numb of young friends at a very enjoyal party last evening. Those present were Misses Linda Tingley, Edma West, Janle McGorman, Orpha West, Amy C. Peck, Almira Robinson, Alden Peck, Herbert L. Brewster, Will, McGorman, C. C. West, P. C. Robinson, W. H. West and E. A. Smith. Supper was

served at 10 p. ms.. The schr. Jessie sailed yesterday for Alma to load deals. She is the first of the Shepody schooners to move on of winter quarters.

As Archie Stuart was atowork yes

As Archie Stuart was allowofk from terday at his father's log brow, one of the logs rolled completely over him, inflicting severe bruises.

Della "Stevens, daughter, of a S. S. Stevens," is quite ill. Dr. Chapman is

PATENT REPORT. Following is a list of patents recently granted by the Canadian and United States, governments, secured through the agency of Marion & Marion, patent

the agency of Marion & Marien, patent attorneys, Montreal, Canada, and Washington, D. C. Information regarding any of these patents will he supplied free of charge by applying to the above named firm. Canada.—
70,036—Archibald Sharp, London, Eng., imp in cycles, spring-framed and rigid-framed.
75,051—Ignatius Thomas Lessiox, Tyy, Ont. hearrow.

United States: 694,466 Geo. C. Ferguson, Tredericton, N. B., cork extractor. 694,502—Joseph Tremblay, Ste. Cune

gonde, Que., valve. .694,950 James Dover, St. Johns, Nfid. spool cabinet.

Write for a copy of The Inventor's

WHAT SMALLPOX COST. The board of health has figured that the cost of the smallpox epidemic, in-cluding the price paid for the isolation hospital, is in the neighborhood of \$25, 000. This would make the cost forceach about \$2500 Of the total amount \$17,800 went directly to prevent the spread of the disease and to care for the patients The cost of the new isolation hospital brought the figure up to \$25,000. About \$4,000 was paid out for vaccination an vaccine. The physicians who were ap

BOSTON, March 24.—The British steame Wilster, from Flume, Austria, which stranded at Rockpert, Mass., on the night of Feb 28, and was floated on Saturday, was tower this afternoon. She will go into dry dock for examination.

pointed to do the vaccinating for the board received about \$3,000.

### A BLIND WANDERES Didn't Know That Food Could Restore

A well-known writer uses Grape Nuts as a tonic when feeling the effects of vextra work. She writes, "Grape-Nuts should be taken regularly as one would a tonic. I eat mine cold in the morning with hot milk or cream poured over it, and it is delicious nourishing and strengthening. Some time ago I said to a lady friend sia and has been an invalid for five years, and who was a mere skeleton, 'If I had only known you sooner you need not have suffered all these years." She looked at me in surprise and asked me what I would have done. 'I should have put you on Grace-Nuts Break fast Food, I replied quite confidently 'Did you ever hear of it?' Oh yes she had heard of it but never tried it as she had never had her attention called to it especially and had not thought ia applied to her needs.

'Now," I said, "If you will just set about it and try Grape-Nuts for a week, three times a day, I will guarantee you will rise up and call me She took my advice and followed it

faithfully. When I saw her about & week later she looked like a different person although she had only gained

value of a food that supplies nourishment to the system and builds up the brain and nerve centers." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

# THE FEDERAL LIFE ASSURANCE CO'Y

OF CANADA

The twentieth annual meeting of the Shareholders of this Company washeld at the Head Office, in Hamilton, Tuesday, the 4th inst. Lieut. Col. Kerns, Vice President, was appointed Chairman, and Mr. David Dexter,

#### DIRECTOR'S REPORT.

The Directors presented their Annual Report as follows:

Your Directors have the honor to present the Report and Financial Statement of the Company for the year which closed on the 31st December, 1901, duly vouched for by the Auditors.

The new business of the year consisted of seventeen hundred and ninety-three applications for insurance, aggregating \$2,479,500, of which seventeen hundred and four applicats, for \$2,385,768.50, were accepted; applications for \$93,731.50 were rejected or held for further information.

As in previous years, the income of the Company shows a gratifying increase, and the assets of the Company have been increased by \$178,584.65, and have now reached \$1,449,925.58, exclusive of guarantee capital.

The security of Policyholders, including guarantee capital, amounted at the close of the year to \$2,319,325.58, and the liabilities for reserves and all outstanding claims, \$1,290,849.94, showing a surplus of \$1,029,075.64. Exclusive of uncalled guarantee capital, the surplus to Policyholders was \$159,075.64.

Policies on fifty-six lives became claims through death, to the amount of \$126,745, of which \$5,000 was reinsured in other commanies, a rate of mor-\$126,745, of which \$5,000 was reinsured in other companies, a rate of m

liey considerably under that provided for.

Including cash dividends and dividends applied to the reduction of premiums, \$30,638.70, with annuities, the total payments to policyholders amo

ed to \$182,925.67.

Careful attention has been given to the investment of the Company's funds, in first class bonds, mortgage securities and loans on the Company's policies amply secured by eserves. Our investments have yielded results better that the average results of insurance companies doing business in

efforts for new business.

The field officers and agents of the Company are intelligent and loyal, and are entitled to much credit for their able representation of the Company's interests. The members of the office staff have also proved faithful

in the Company's service.

The assurances carried by the Company now amount to \$13,058,777.61, upon nich the Company holds reserves to the full amount required by law, and, addition thereto, a considerable surplus, as above shown. The work of the current year, now well under way has preduced results even better than for the same period last year, leading to the belief that a like advantage may be maintained throughout the year.

WM. KERNS.

BAVID DEXTER.

WM. KERNS, Vice-President.

reterrid griganali AUDITORS' REPORT. To the President and Directors of the Federal Assurance Company to Gentlemen.—We have made a careful audit of the books of your Company for the year ending 31st December, 1901, and have certified to their convectness.

The securities have been inspected and compared with the ledger accounts and found to agree therewith.

The financial position of your Company, as on list December, is indicated by the accompanying statement.

Respectfully submitted,

H. S. STEPHENS, SPORE MIT

Hamilton, 1st March, 1902.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR 1901 Income..... 430,504 65. Interest.... 57,554 64 Paid to no cyholders for death claims, endowments, serrender values and profits. 182,925 67 varies and profits. 163,537 86

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Cash in bank and other assets. safety as a restriction or and a first the

On motion of Lt.-Col. Kerns, seconded by Mr. Macpherson, the report s adopted.

The Medical Director presented a statistical report showing a favorable

mortality experience.

The retiring Directors were re-eleted, and, at a subsequent meeting.

Mr. David Dexter was elected President and Managing Director, Lt.-Col.

Kerns and Mr. Macpherson, Vice-Presidents. Head Office for New Brunswick, 62 PRINCESS STREET, Saint John. Liberal Contracts to energetic men. Apply by letter to

#### THOMAS ELLIS, deat on piles non-Provincial Manager MACHINENES MEDICAL

PARRSBORO NOTES. PARRSBORO, N. S., March 23.—
Mayor McAloney returned from Ottawa on Saturday evening. He is not in
a position to speak definitely concerning the results of his mission, but is
satisfied from the assurances he and his co-delegates received that a sub-

sidized steamer will shortly be running between Wolfville and this port. Thomas Trahey has received an advantageous offer to build a four-masted schooner at Bangor. Me., and has decided to accept. He has transferred his contract to build scows for the Parrsboro Lumber Co. to D. A. Hunt-

W. R. Huntley has stretched the keel for one of the large barges he has contracted to build for the Cumberland Railway & Coal Co. The barkentine Falmouth arrived here on Saturday to load coal for

The tern schooner Phoenix sailed on Saturday for Portland with 680 tons Miss Stella Cunnabell and Miss Mabel Smith have gone to Waverly,

Mass., to qualify as trained nurses in McLean hospital. Lumbermen at River Hebert and Shulee have lost a large number of logs and piling through the breaking of dams and booms by last week's

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WANTED-5,000 Dozen Fresh Eggs at once; also Suyers of Calf Skins and Descons. Write what you have to offer to JOHN HOPKINS, pork and beef products and produce, St. John, N. B.

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QUINCY, Mass., March 25.-A contered TROY, Ala., March 24—Bill Zeigler, a negro, was lynched Saturday night near here. He was charged with an assault on a little white girl.