Thursday afternoon Mr. B. F. Pearson, one of the director of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company Mr. Charles Burrill of Weymouth, N. S., and Mesars. John H. Thomson, George McAvity, George W. Jones and Frank Stetson met Premier Tweedie, Attorney General Pugaley and Surveyor General Duna and discussed the matter of steel shipbuilding in New Brunswick. It was stated to the government that the industry will be established about on an equal basis at St. John and Halifax, and that probably two large plants would be established. The capital will be sbout \$5,000,000 and from 2,000 to 3,000 hands will be employed in each place; also that within six months steel plates will be made at Sydney and that within a year the shipbuilding plants will probably be under way. The promoters of the enterprise were well satisfied with their interview with the government.—Globe.

One View of an Automobile.

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It is amusing to see the disgust evinced by smart coachmen for the automobile and the begoggled man that manages it. "Wot I allers say is that a regler gen'!"m'n sticks to the hoss," a red faced portly English coachman was heard to say to an audience of admiring grooms. "And its a relief to my feelin's that Mr. E.— won't have one of them new fangled things about. Long as i've been with the family, and it's a nice place, there's no denying, with no interference and everything of the best, I'd leave quicker than wink if a steam engine was put in my stable and I had one of them fellers hangin' about. Why not learn to manage one myself? Why, James Smith, you don't know what your talkin' about! It's horses I drives, not nothin'! I'd feel like a fool a sittin' up on the box with nothin' before me. Just like little Johnny there playing gee hosse in an unhitched wagon! No, air'l a hoss's good enough for me, and I'hope that any gen'l'm'n that is a gen'l'm'n thinks the same. You say that lots of young sweels shoot about the country in them? So they do, I don't deny it, but that don't prove that they are gen'l'm'n, does it? Quite the contrary, says I, a frightenin' horses and killin' folks promiscuous; I'd have young Mr. X. and Y. and Z. all up in the perlice court if I had my say. It sain't sight, and I'm not the man to say it is if it ain't!''—Ex.

Young Meat.

Young Mast.

Haperience has shown that the most profitable age to finish off cattle is from twenty to twenty-four months. That applies to the average animal and breeder, and is a pretty safe rule for weaning, and then they should be fed as liberally as they can stand of highly concentrated food. We are not looking beyond the year and a half period, and no matter what grave results forced feeding may have later in life, the animals selected for this purpose should have it. The fiesh is sure to be rich and tender. When sucking, the mothers must also be fed liberally on rich, concentrated food.

The whole question of whether cattle raised in this way will be profitable depends largely upon the market one can send them to. They cannot be classed with ordinary cattle, but must seek a special market where fancy stock is in demand. In nearly every large city there are, butchers who make a specialty of securing fine beef cattle. They have a line of customers who demand bett er meat than can be found in the ordinary cattle yards. One must put himself in touch with this side of the market to make the most of such a specialty.—(C. W. Jones, in American Cultivator.

If You Catch Cold.

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Many things may happen when you catch cold, but the thing that usually happens first is a cough. An inflammation starts up in the bronchial tubes or in the throat, and the discharge of mucous from the head constantly poisons this. Then the very contraction of the throat muscles is the act of coughing helps t-irritate so that the more you cough the more you have to cough. It is, of course, beyond question that in many cases the irritation started in this way results in lung troubles that are called by serious names. It is in this irritated broughist the that the germ of consumption finds lodgment and breeds. Great numbers of people disregard cough at first, and pay the penalty of neglect. Cough never did any one any good. It should be dispensed with promptly. Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam is a well known remedy, and it is the surest and quickest cough cure known to-day. It doos upt deceive by drugging the throat. It soothes the irritated parts and heals them, then the cough stops of its own accord. The action of this medicine is an simple that it seems like nature's own accord. The action of this medicine is an simple that it seems like nature's own accord. The action of this medicine is an simple that it seems like nature's own accord. The action of this medicine is an simple that it seems like nature's own accord. The action of this medicine is an simple that it seems like nature's own accord. The action of this medicine is an simple that it seems like nature's own accord. The action of this medicine is an simple that it seems like nature's own accord. The action of this medicine is an simple that it seems like nature's own accord. The action of this medicine is an simple that it seems like nature's own accord. The action of this medicine is an simple that it seems like nature's own accord. The action of this medicine is an simple that it seems like nature's own accord. The action of the medican accord. The action of the medican according to the simple according to the store that the seems

News Summary.

New Zealand adopted the penny postage on New Year's day, and letters from Can-ada to New Zealand will be two cents per

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The Micmac leaves St. John the middle of next month with r.roo tons of hay and large quantities of corn beef, jam, etc., for troops in South Africa.

Minister Loomis, at Caracas, Venezuela, has advised the State department at Washington that the impending trouble over the conflicting asphalt concessions has been thwarted for the present.

A miner named A. Morrison, aged forty years, and a native of Nova Scotia, was blown to pieces on Tuesday in the power thawing house of the Sunset mine, at White Water, B. C., by a premature explosion of dynamite.

In consequence of the threatened strike of the minerar at Spring ill, N. S., the management of the I. C. R. has purchased roo, coo tons of American coal, to be delivered at at once to Montreal, Halifax and St. John.

St. John.

Freight brought to St. John by the Elder-Dempster steamship Lake Megantic and shipped to the Pacific coast on Dec. 1, was unloaded at Vancouver on the 12th — a record freight run.

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Some time ago the Canadian government sent an invitation to the Duke and Duchess of York to visit Canada during 1901. The government has been advised that the invitation has been accepted by the Queen.

The house of Ralph Steeves, at Elgiu, Albert county, was burned to the ground on December 17th. Mr. Steeves's friends have since presented him with bedding, clothing, grain and flour; also cash to the value of soout \$50.

Five more cases of small pox are reported in Northumberland, two at Derby, two at Newcastle and one at a point below Rose Bank. Proper precautions are being laken to prevent the spread of the disease, but a fear now exists that it will break out in other parts of Northumberland.

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The governor and council of Maine on Monday granted pardons to David I. Stain and Oliver Cromwell, who were convicted in 1888 for the murder of J. Wilson Baron, cashier of the savings bank of Dexter, and were serving life sentences.

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The British Foreign office expects a renewal of the modus vivendi i Newfoundland, but believes it will be immediately followed by negotiations with the view of finally settling the lengthy dispute.

F. H. Clergue, the New Ontario capitalist and pulp manufacturer, under contract with the government to bring one thousand families yearly into New Ontario, cables from England that one thousand families will sail for Canada in February and March.

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It is announced that the Marquis of Dufferin and Ava, on receiving the news that his son, Lord Frederick Temple Blackwood, had been wounded at Glenfonteln, resigned the chairmanship of the London & Globe Finance Corporation, Limited, whose suspension was announced on Saturday.

Taesday evening Mrs Grant, wife of Principal Grant, of Queen's University, died after an illness extending over a year. Besides her husband, she leaves one son, Prof. W. Grant, in Upper Canada College, Toronto. Mrs. Grant was a daughter of Mrs. William Lawson, of Halifax. N. S., and was married to Dr. Grant in 1872.

Rev. Edward Osborne, rector of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, Boston, has declared himself strongly against the act of the rector of Trinity church, Rev. Dr. E. Winchester Donald, in permitting the pastor of Kings chapel, a Unitarian, church, to conduct the funeral of ex-Governor Wolcott in Trinity.

At Irvington, N. J., Sundsy, a woman made up a bundle from some of her husbands clothing, and gave it to a tramp. When her husband came home she told him about her kind deed, and he did not complain until he found upon investigation that in the bosom of one of the shirts presented to the vagaboud he had left a valuable diamond stud.

Edinburg University is to lose its octogenarian president. Sir William Muir, who is eighty-one, will retire before the new century shall be many months old. His public service dates back to the Indian mutiny, through which he was in charge of the Intelligence department at Agar. He began life in the service of the East Indian Company, and rose step by step until he became a member of the Governor General's Council.

According to Mr. B. T. Pearson the rumors to the effect that a company is being formed with the object of promoting steel ship building in St. John, Halifax or Sydney, are premature. In answer to a question of a St. John reporter of the Sun, Mr. Pearson sa

Equity Sale.

THERE will be sold at Public Auction, as Tohubb's Corner (so-called), in the City of Saint John, in the City and 'control Saint John, in the City and 'control Saint John, in the City and 'control Saint John, in the City of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, who was a series of the City of Saint John, and the City of Saint John, and the City of Saint John and the City of Saint John McGinty and John Beely, under an Robert Seely, Trustee, is Plaintiff, will are Deiendants, and by amendment Robert Seely, Trustee, is Plaintiff, and John McGinty, M. Augusta Seely and Jean D. Seely, under an Robert Seely, dated the Fifth day of April, A. D. 1899, are Plaintiffs, and John McGinty, A. D. 1899, are Plaintiffs, and John McGinty, A. D. 1899, are Plaintiffs, and John McGinty, and March M. McCiny, its wife the Period Referee in Equity, the mortgaged premises described in said Decretal Order as-All and Control of the City of Saint John Control of the City of Saint John Control of the City of Saint John Control on the Said William Logan to one Ann Logan and more particularly described in the deed thereof irom John C. Brown to the said William Logan do one Ann Logan and more particularly described in the Control one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and duly recorded in the Registrar's office in Book. "It "unmore that is to say —All that certain lot, piece and parcel of land situate, lying and being in Wellington Ward, in the City of Saint John Marington Ward, in the City of Saint John Marington Ward, in the City of Saint John Marington Saint Saint

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Dated this Eleventh day of December, A. D. 1900

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Dr Edward Farrel of Halifax, died on New Year morning, after an illiness of some weeks with typhoid fever and pneumonis, at the age of 58. Dr. Farrell was regarded as standing at the head of his profession in Halifax, where he began to practice in 1866. He was for a time, a member of the House of Assembly. His death is deeply regretted by all classes.

Schooner Hunter arrived in St. John on Wednesday from New York with a cargo of soft coal for Downing. Patterson & Co. This is the second cargo of soft coal imported from the United States.