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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., NOVEMBER 17, 1908.

Rumor from Ottawa again points to an early election. Probably nobody may the three or four men who control the machine know the precise date, if even they have made up their minds; but, since it is certain that in the ssuing of the write nothing except arty convenience will be considered, t is more than likely that rumor is not

For it is sure that the government's chances for success are waning with every day of delay. Public distrust of its leaders and their methods is growing. The campaign of the free pressand the clery for a regeneration of our political system has not been without its effect. The unprecedented extravalance of the present content of the present c nce of the recent session is regarded with increasing alarm as the shallow enthusiasm for the gaudy fakes which dies away. The country is still pros-perous but present conditions cannot be depended upon to remain much longer. Taking it altogether it is im-probable that the government will dare delay longer than next spring at the

be surer next year, the conservatives will enter the fight at any time with confidence. From Nova Scotia come signs of a notable overturn. In New Brunswick the hand of Mr. Blair will be greatly missed in the handling of now scattered without a leader, will sick and disgusted with the brand of to return a greater conservative and the territories are sure and in British Columbia the success of the provincial conservatives foretells the ederal result. There remains only Quebec, where the liberals pin their

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anybody. The man who shuts his business inside the cover of his desk never has nervous prostration. It is the one who takes his eating and resting and sleeping hours, his home time, for the planning of strategic coups the next day who comes down in the morning brain-weary and spurs himself with black coffee, strong cigars and stimulating liquors and who finally drops, nerve-shattered, when he should have been at his best.

Ease up! Ease up a little, man alive. There is more in this world than dollars and cents. The race can only end one way. The prizes you think you see at the finish are tinsel and when you do reach them you will see another stretch of the track ahead of you and more prizes, which also are tinsel, at the apparent end of that. So look around as you run. There are pleasant things to see and pleasant places for resting at and you will run the better for the looking and the rest. And you will neep just as soundly and as long at the end of it all.

Premier Seddon of New Zealand is one of Chamberlain's most agressive disciples. His preferential bill now under consideration in the New Zealand parliament is modeled in accordance with Chamberlain's proposals and will undoubtedly lend strength to the campaign in Great Britain. Nearly every board of trade in Canada has placed itself on record as endorsing the preferself on record as endorsing the prefer ential policy but the government re mains discreetly silent.

Of course it never occurred to any member of the St. John delegation to spend twenty-five cents in a telegraphic enquiry to find out, before they went to Montreal, if Sir Thomas Shaughness they planned to be there. That would be too simple and business like a sug-gestion to be worthy of aldermanic consideration for a minute

Sir Thomas Shaughnessey has proised before to come to St. John to talk

A NOVEMBER EVENING.

The sun has passed to other skies and

The work of day is ended. Shadow rise Out of the empty fields, and softly move
To the far hills where yet the daylight lies.

head
Faint bands of cloud trail in the pale
clear blue;
One great star pours its glory through
the dusk,
Witness to light that shines beyond
our view.

trees stand out above the stark gray fields; year's spent life is garnered otherwhere, tender darkness draws its peace

"Polygamy."
"What is it when he has only one?"
"Monotony," the urchin shouted,
roving that his knowledge of married
fic was not confined to the classroom."
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There is not a kidney trouble from Backache to Bright's Disease that Doan's Kidney Pills will not relieve or cure. The price is 50 cts. per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25 and may be procured at all dealers or from

LOCAL NEWS.

All members of No. 2 Scots company are requested to meet at their drill room tonight at 7.30 sharp.

S. A. Fowler, the well known horse-man and liveryman, will leave for New York in a few days to attend a horse sale, with a view to purchasing some good animals for the St. John market and for his own use.

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A special car, the Lake Park, passed through the city yesterday at noon bound for Mount Uniacke via Windsor Jupction, in charge of a Mr. Kearney. On board were a number of gentlemen who are considerably interested in gold mining in Nova Scotta.

WEST ST. JOHN, Nov. 16,, 1903. Editor Star:—
Dear Sir,—I would like, through the medium of your paper, to call the attention of the authorities to the inconvenience caused Carleton people by the shunting back and forth of trains across the head of Rodney wharf. Only the other morning a long train shunted first one way and then the other, completely barring the passage to the ferry floats. People gathered at the crossing in ones and twos and threes all in a hurry to catch that particular trip of the ferry, but when they got thus far they had, perforce, to stop short. The train would go almost far enough in one direction to allow a passage in the other, and the waiting crowd would start hopefully towards that side of the wharf, only to find that as they neared it the train had begun to go backwards again, and they were obliged to retreat, tuming inwardly—and some of them outwardly. For fully five minutes—long enough to allow the waiting pedestrians to pass.

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A very heavy Black Curled Cloth Driving Coat, cut good length. Storm Cellar. Ordinary pockets, Frogs for Fastening. Quilted Lining. Has Rubber Interlining down to the hips. nsequently a very warm and durable coat. Is the nearest to

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BANK AMALGAMATION.

TORONTO, Nov. 16.-Graham Fra ser, general manager of the Nova Scotte Steel and Coal Company, was in the Steel and Coal Company, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Fraser is intimately connected with the reported amaigamation of the Alliance Bank of Railfax, the People's Bank of Nova Sootia, and the People's Bank of New Brunswick, with the Metropolitan Bank. His visit to the city revived re-

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