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All the shop fixtures, including a large Hall's combination safe, for sale cheap.

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OTTAWA NEWS.

OTTAWA, March 28.—No word has been received from the British war office or colonial secretary concerning the proposed next contingent. The minister of militia is in New York.

Arthur Lindsay, chief clerk in the postmaster general's department, has not been seen for more than a week. He was last in his office on Thursday, 20th inst., and no explanation of his absence has been received. His family are very anxious about him. Mr. Lindsay has been thirty-eight years in the civil service and has never before been out of the city without the knowledge of the department and of his friends. The deputy minister says there is nothing wrong with Lindsay's work.

The Yukon delegates, who were here to oppose the Treadgold concessions and mining monopoly, are making things lively for the minister. Chief Commissioner Ross is here supporting the concession with some changes. As a result of conferences with Mr. Ross, it is understood that a bill will be introduced this session to provide for the election of one or perhaps two members of the commons for the Yukon district, writs to be issued at the close of the session.

The statement is made that a bill will be introduced this session making the 24th of May the day for the celebration of the King's birthday hereafter. This rumor seems to want authority.

For twenty-four years Vapo-Cresolene has been extensively used for all forms of throat and bronchial troubles. All Druggists.

Floods have done enormous damage in Alabama and Mississippi. Railway traffic is impeded, bridges have been washed away and much other damage been done.

COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, March 28.—Bar silver quiet at 2 15-16; per ounce. Money, 2% to 3 per cent. Discount rates, short bills 2 11-16 to 2 3/4 per cent; three months' bills 2 1/2 per cent.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Prime mercantile papers 4 1/2 to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange nominal at 4 1/2 to 5 per cent. For demand and at 4.85% to 5% for 60 days. Posted rates 4.85 and 4.88%. Commercial bills 4.84% to 4.85%.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.
Str Buata, Pederson, Montego Bay, D J Seely, fruit.
Str Manchester City, 3721, from Manchester via Halifax.
Sch Harry Knovilton, 277, Stewart, Stonington, plaster, timber.
Sch Vm Jones, 264, McLean, Gloucester.
R C Ekin, bel. bel.
Sch Georgia, 291, Longmire, Mobile, J W Smith, pine.

Coastwise—Sch Hustler, 44, Thompson, Musquash; Klondike, 78, Williger, Parrsboro; Mildred K, 35, Thompson, Westport; L M Ellis, 34, Lent, Westport; Evelyn, 89, Cassidy, Leppaux; Temple Bar, 44, Amberman, Annapolis; Packet, 49, Longmire, Bridgetown; Bear River, 37, Woodworth, Port George; Helen M, 62, Mills, Port George; Grace and Ethel, 16, Ingersoll, Grand Harbor.

Cleared.
Sch Romeo, 111, Williams, New Haven.
Str Virginia, 2789, Flawse, Cape Town.
Str St Hugo, 2289, Stabb, Cape Town.
Sch Priscilla, 101, Granville, Newport.

SPORTING NEWS.

THE WHEEL.
ATLANTA, Ga., March 28.—"Billy" Ruiz, of New Haven, Conn., five mile motor-paced champion of the world, was defeated here by Bobby Walthour, of this city, in two straight heats of a five mile motor-paced race.

LOOKS LIKE MURDER.

Mysterious Death of a Woman 76 Years Old.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 28.—The body of an aged woman, found floating in the Genesee river, at Charlotte yesterday, has been identified as that of Henrietta Pasch, aged 76 years, who resided with a nephew at No. 362 Joseph avenue. As a result of the autopsy, which lasted the greater portion of the night last night, it is shown that the police of this city have another murder mystery to solve. The autopsy revealed the fact that the aged woman was dead before reaching the water, but the physicians conducting the autopsy according to precedent, will not commit themselves as to manner of death, before making official report to the coroner. The physicians present at the autopsy, believe however, that the case can bear investigation and the sheriff was notified and today detailed men on the case.

RACE HORSES BURNED.

About \$30,000 Worth of Them Cremated Today.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Seventeen race horses and promising colts were burned to death today in a fire which destroyed the training stable of Frank H. Coby, a well known driver and trainer, in Highland Park. Among the horses were the following: Red Royal, 2,241-4, a five-year-old trotting stallion valued at \$5,000; Harry P., trotter, 2,231-4, \$2,500; The King, trotter, 2,261-2, \$2,000; Maiden Queen, pacer, 2,131-4, \$2,000; Monco, 2,321-2, trotting stallion, \$2,000. The total loss is about \$30,000.

WILL DISCUSS RECIPROCITY.

BOSTON, March 28.—An important question of closer commercial relations between the United States and Canada will be discussed at the annual banquet of the Canadian Club of Boston at the Copley Square Hotel, April 8.

The speakers will include: Hon. John V. Ellis of St. John, N. B., member of the Canadian senate; Hon. J. Wilberforce Longley, attorney general of Nova Scotia; Secretary E. G. Preston of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, Osborn Howes of the Boston Board of Fire Underwriters, and Rev. Dr. S. H. Roblin. Mayor Collins is among the invited guests.

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

J. M. Johnson was nominated by acclamation for mayor by the Republicans of Calais at their caucus held on Thursday evening.

George McGuire, who has served efficiently for the past year as Western Union operator, at St. Stephen, has been placed in charge of the company's large office at Sydney, C. B. Miss Murphy, of New Glasgow, N. S., succeeds Mr. McGuire in the St. Stephen office. A choir of 20 Calais and St. Stephen singers will give the Resurrection, an Easter cantata, at a vesper service to be held in the Union church in this city Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Knights Templar of Calais and St. Stephen will attend the service.

Frank Wry, St. Stephen, has been appointed operator for the Western Union Telegraph company in this city, succeeding H. A. Black, who recently accepted a situation in New York.

Pneumonia is very prevalent in St. Stephen and vicinity, 72 cases being reported. Quite a number of persons on this side of the line have been having a touch of the same malady.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—Every effort is being made by the navy department to have the entire revenue patrol and resume the duties of patrolling that district at an earlier date than usual. An influx of miners to Nome and other mining camps of Alaska is expected this season which will render the presence of the cutters imperative, as the only representation of federal authority.

LOWELL, Mass., March 28.—On every mill race in the city where the strike is going into effect, notices appeared yesterday stating that the mills would not open Monday and that work would not be resumed until the operatives decided to come back of their own volition.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL.

Str. Carliste City left London yesterday for Halifax and St. John. Str. Marquette, from South Africa, which is coming here to load horses for South Africa, was at Baltimore on Thursday. The ship will be here within a few days to load horses for South Africa.

The Calgary Daily Herald of March 22 announces that Wm. Henry Scovill of St. John has arrived there to open up a manufacturers' agency business. Mrs. Scovill will set out to join her husband in May. They will occupy the residence of the late Judge Rouleau.

A Fredericton despatch last night says: "The weather has been cloudy yet mild. A large quantity of ice and logs ran out early this morning and more this afternoon. The river is now clear to Springhill."

The cruiser Curlew will go into commission about April 15. The local florists have been compelled, owing to the prevalence of cloudy weather of late, to import many Easter flowers from Boston and New York.

PROVINCIAL.

Alexander Black of Upper Dorchester, died Thursday night, aged 68 years.

GENERAL.

Three Russian nobles have been executed for the murder of over one hundred persons in Trans-Caucasia. They were at the head of a bandit organization.

Schooner I. V. Dexter, put into Boston yesterday with her pumps choked with the corn of her cargo, and water in the hold increasing as a result of damages in a hurricane off Cape Cod.

Dr. Orin S. Sargent, a wealthy young physician, died in Philadelphia yesterday as a result of an excessive use of morphine.

Colonel Grimm, a Russian officer, charged with revealing military secrets to Germany, has been imprisoned at St. Petersburg, and will be brought to trial.

E. H. Brown

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CANADIAN NIGHT.

NEW YORK, March 28.—This was Canadian night at the military show, and the troops were reviewed by the Hon. F. W. Borden, Canadian minister of militia and defense. When the minister arrived at Madison Square Garden he walked down the centre of the arena accompanied by his staff and preceded by the detachment of the 48th Highlanders and their pipers. The box of honor was decorated with British flags. The house rose en masse as the band played God Save the King.

The exhibition musical drill of the Canadian militia was received with great applause.

Before coming to the garden the executive officers of the Military Athletic League entertained the Canadian visitors at the Lawyers' Club. The guests included Lord Aylmer, Adjutant General Maude, Col. Pellet, Col. Charles E. Turner and Major Robertson.

This party, including Dr. Borden's wife, and Gen. McLeer, Col. Baines of the 2nd regiment and Lieut. Col. Brady of the same regiment, sat in the reviewing box.

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Adornments For Monuments to Canadian Soldiers Who Fell in South Africa.

(Ottawa Citizen.)

A large and influential gathering assembled at the studio of Hamilton MacCarthy, Stafford house, Monday, to inspect the full-sized models of two statues that are intended to surmount the monuments to Canadian soldiers killed in South Africa, to be erected in bronze in Ottawa and Charlottetown, P. E. I., respectively.

Both figures now finished in the clay are ready for the moulders' hands. On entering the studio the beholder is impressed by the spirit infused into their life-like attitudes. The designs are entirely opposite in character. That intended for the capital represents a soldier of the Royal Canadian regiment in full khaki uniform with bandolier, haversack, belt, water bottle and puttees. He is posed in the attitude of cheering a victory as with uplifted arm he holds his helmet aloft. The expression of the face is excellent and in-

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spring, and the figure is gracefully yet firmly modeled and every detail of uniform perfect in every respect. The conception is particularly happy and eminently suitable for the monument subscribed for by the children of Ottawa.

The statue for the P. E. I. monument represents a soldier similarly attired, standing at the charge defending a dismantled cannon with a broken wheel on the ground, over which he strides. The determined expression of the man in a fighting attitude with fixed bayonet is well expressed. The modeling is also excellent. A distinguished company including Lord Aylmer and other military men were in the studio, and all expressed their admiration of the composite and workmanship of the statues. The company afterwards attended the reception given by Mr. MacCarthy, and listened to music rendered by his sons and daughters.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

A DISGRACEFUL AFFAIR.

Brutal Fight Witnessed by 400 Men on the Maine and N. B. Border.

A brutal fight between two men took place early on Good Friday morning on the border line of Maine and Canada, near Fort Fairfield. Billy Wilson of Bar Harbor, and a man named Clayton of Ashland came together in an old barn. After 11 rounds of vicious fighting in the dead of night before some 400 of the dyed-in-the-wool sports of northern Maine Wilson was declared the winner, after completely knocking out his opponent.

For some time it had been generally understood among the sporting fraternity that a big fight was soon to be pulled off in Aroostook county, and so when the word was passed around Thursday afternoon that the fight would take place that night a large crowd of sporting men from the larger towns was soon on the way to the ring side.

A special train was run by the Canadian Pacific railroad from Presque Isle and Carleton Place, after reaching Fort Fairfield and thence proceeding to the line the cars were filled by a crowd of some 300, about 80 having come from Houlton on the 8 o'clock train.

Proceeding down the track to the border line between Maine and Canada a large barn was reached, in which the ring had been pitched. Before anyone was allowed to enter, however, an admission fee of \$2 was collected. The crowd seemed much dissatisfied at the close, and cries of "fake" filled the barn. Soon a free fight was in progress among the hundreds of spectators and many persons will carry reminders of the "scrap" in the shape of bruised faces and black eyes.

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