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I do not want, and to make room for Spring Goods I will sell low.
Parlor Suites \$18.00 up.
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A 6 foot Extension Table, Sideboard, Six Chairs and Tea Set for \$18.25.
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Lipped Sauce Pans 10, 14, 18 and 21 cents.
Covered Sauce Pans 25, 30 and 35 cents.
Pie Plates 4, 6 and 8 cents.
Stew Kettles 20, 25, 30 and 35 cents.
Large Wash Bowls 15 and 22 cents.
Milk Cans 2 and 3 quarts, 35 and 48 cents.
Chambers 2 cents.
Mugs 6, 7, 8, 10 and 12 cents.
Long Handled Dippers 1 quart, 20 cents.
This means about 20 per cent. off our regular price. No one can compete with these prices so you are sure of a great bargain in anything you buy at the

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Hams That Are Hams!

We have just received 1000 lbs. of M. B. McNally's famous Hams. If you have never eaten a slice of McNally's Hams let us send one of these to your home. If you know McNally's Hams all we need to do is to tell you that we have them.

Choice Dairy Butter
In tubs.
Another carload of Carleton Co. Oats to arrive:

Jas. A. Bell

FIREMEN'S TROUBLES.

The Fire Department Has Troubles of Its Own, Which the Fire Committee Sought to Investigate.

The investigation before the Fire Committee of the alleged insubordination of firemen Wright and Gillies at the McLeod fire, and for which they were dismissed, was begun last evening. Ald. Rossborough presided over the inquiry. Alds. Everett and Clark, the other members of the Committee, being present. The Chief Engineer and most all members of the Fire Department were in attendance and a large number of young men were also present.

Fireman Chas. Wright was first heard. He told of being at the fire; of being refused admission to the house by Fireman Doherty, who was on guard at the door; he denied having used insulting language to Doherty or having had any talk at the fire with the Chief Engineer. He had been accused of doing so, though, and was dismissed on that account. He had said to Doherty when some ladies went towards the door, "Be careful of the ladies," and Mr. Lipsett had become angry and told him he would attend to him later. He had no further talk at the fire with either Doherty or the Chief Engineer.

Russell Gillies related the incident of the dispute between himself and Doherty, and admitted that he had used pretty strong language on the occasion. He said that the only remark made by Wright was to Doherty, "to be careful of the ladies."

Chief Engineer Lipsett gave the history of the fire and of the unpleasant incident which had led up to the dismissal of Wright and Gillies. He said that he had overheard Wright's remark to Doherty.

mark to Doherty and told him to keep quiet and he would attend to him and Gillies later. At the request of Capt. Smith he accompanied the Hook and Ladder Co. to their station, where the two were given by Capt. Smith an opportunity to apologize and upon their refusal to do so they were dismissed.

Capt. Smith's story agreed with that of the Chief Engineer; and he went pretty fully into the rules, laws and usages of the Hook and Ladder and Salvage corps, which went to and acted as the commanding officer of the corps and he had the authority to dismiss the men for misconduct.

Capt. A. H. Woods, of the Salvage corps, was called. He was not present at the McLeod fire and knew nothing except by hearsay of what took place. He would back up Capt. Smith in dismissing any man of the corps for misconduct.

It transpired during the hearing of the evidence that Wright was dismissed before the fire occurred by virtue of a bye law of the company which provides that if a member is absent at ten roll calls he loses his place on the company. Wright was away from home for a time and lost twelve calls.

After hearing all that the interested parties had to say the committee met by itself to consider the matter. The finding of the committee was that the officers of the department be upheld in this action; and that Wright be given a place again upon the hook and ladder company at the first opportunity when a vacancy occurs, provided he makes a written apology to the Chief Engineer.



CURED OF PILES.

Mrs. H. H. Hinkley, Indianapolis, writes: "The doctor said it must be an operation costing \$800 and little chance to survive. I chose Pyramid Pile Cure and one 50 cent box made me sound and well." All druggists sell it. It never fails to cure any form of Piles, try it. Book on piles, cause and cure, free by mail. Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

NEW RIFLE CLUB.

Fredericton Civilian Rifle Club Organized With Large Membership and Bright Prospects.

A meeting was held last evening at the Barker House of a number of young men who are interested in rifle shooting matters, and if attendance at the meeting can be taken as evidence of the interest in the matter, then the future for riflemen in this city looks exceedingly bright. About thirty young men were at the meeting and sixty five have signed the roll and become members of the club which was formed. The credit for arousing the interest in the matter is due to Mr. A. E. Massie, himself one of the best shots in Canada, and who has won his laurels at the butts.

Mr. Massie explained the object of the meeting and the purposes of the proposed club and its connection with the militia and regular military. Colonel Dunbar and Loggie were present and both warmly approved of the proposed organization. The Fredericton Civilian Rifle Club was then organized with the following named officers:— Captain, A. E. Massie. Lieutenant, R. T. Mack. 2nd Lieutenant, H. H. Allen. Secretary, S. D. Simmons. Treasurer, D. Lee Babbitt. The officers were empowered to draft a set of bye-laws to be presented at a meeting of the Club to be called by the Captain.

A cup for competition was offered by Col. Loggie, and Capt. Massie offered a cup for competition among the young and inexperienced shots only, the old men who have taken part in rifle shooting not being eligible to shoot for this cup. Mr. D. J. Stockford added a second prize to the cup presented by Capt. Massie, so that the Club starts out with three good prizes. The matches will take place on the military range being built at St. Mary's, and which is to be ready for shooting by May 15th. The Militia Department furnishes every member of the club with one hundred rounds of ammunition each year, and any additional ammunition wanted can be purchased at a low price. It is probable that a number of additional members will be secured besides the following named, who joined last evening, and who took the oath of allegiance to His Majesty, the oath being administered by Justice Stockford:—

A. E. Massie	R. T. Mack
C. H. Allen	S. D. Simmons
G. W. Hoegg	Wm. Walker
Chas. A. Burchill	Arthur A. Shute
D. E. Crowe	D. H. Neill
L. Lee Babbitt	R. P. Foster
T. H. Tomlinson	R. B. Roseborough
C. E. Babbitt	A. A. Coburn
G. H. Ferguson	H. R. Babbitt
H. B. Atherton	R. P. Allen
S. L. O. Coleman	G. W. Torrens

C. H. Fowler	R. W. Clark
Jas. Thomas	D. R. Winslow
F. F. Thomas	H. C. Ratter
C. H. Allen	Rapt. Mullin
Geo. H. McKee	E. S. Sadler
K. C. Allen	F. J. Sweeney
S. B. Hatheway	M. M. Wiley
W. B. McLellan	C. A. Robinson
F. G. Edwards	A. C. Winter
F. H. Lingley	G. W. Massie
S. H. Stealing	A. V. Rowan
C. F. Randolph	D. Warren Hoegg
C. W. Hall	A. R. Wetmore
F. P. Hatt	F. E. Winslow
A. R. Tibbits	M. S. L. Richey
B. H. Kinghorn	G. E. Merrithew
Robt. M. Wilson	G. C. Torrens
Colton McKee	R. B. Haining
Lewis Parley, jr.	R. B. Veldine
R. C. Colwell	H. W. McLean
J. G. Settle	J. B. Kinghorn
Fred A. Gilman	John D. Powys

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Sackville decided against incorporation yesterday by a vote of 108 to 151. Mount Allison Academy defeated Moncton at hockey yesterday afternoon by a score of 7 to 0.

Miss Maggie Doherty, aged 35 years, died at the General Public Hospital, St. John Thursday night. Miss Doherty belonged to St. Simon River, Queens Co. It is understood the illness of W. McLeod Day, the Mill street grocer, lately assigned, are \$6,000, with assets about \$4,000—Globe.

The search of the missing Miss Sullivan still continues but no trace of her can be seen. It is supposed she became exhausted and was lost in the snow.

Nervous and Sick Headaches, and all Sleeplessness, Nervousness, Colds, Feverishness, Fatigue of Body or Mind, Exposure to Heat, etc., promptly cured by Bowman's Headache Powders. The safest and best remedy. Put up in both Wafer and Powder form. 10 and 25 cents.

Officials of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad lately furnished transportation from Chicago to Peoria on a ticket issued 1887. It was an emigrant's ticket, but it bore no limiting date and was transferable.

BACKACHE

Is only one of many distressing symptoms which point to the presence of womanly diseases. If women thoroughly understood the relation of the local womanly health to the general health, they would understand that backache, headache, nervousness, dizziness, faintness, and similar feminine ailments, cannot be cured until the womanly health is established.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures diseases peculiar to women. It establishes regularity, dries the drains which weaken women, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. In curing these local diseases, it cures the ailments which they cause; backache, headache, dizziness, faintness, nervousness, and other ills peculiarly feminine.

"I wrote you for advice February 4th, 1896," writes Mrs. Emma Halstead, of Claremore, Cherokee Nat. Ind. "I was racked with pain from the back of my head down to my heels. Had hemorrhage for weeks at a time, and was unable to sit up for long periods of time. You answered my letter, advised me to use your valuable medicines, viz., Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and 'Pleasant Pellets.' Also gave advice about injections, baths and diet. To my surprise, in four months from the time I began your treatment I was a well woman and have not had the backache since, and now I put in sixteen hours a day at hard work."

Weak and sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. The Common Sense Medical Adviser, is given away. Send 31 one-cent stamps, the expense of customs and mailing only, for the book in paper covers, or 50 stamps for the volume bound in cloth. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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These prices are for Cash Only.

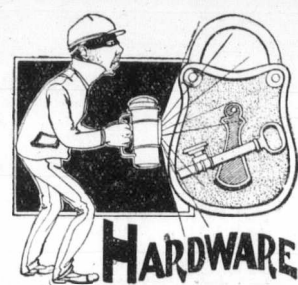
Also. There will be sold at Half Price

Ladies' Jackets, Ladies' Costumes,
Ladies' Skirts, Ladies' Waists.

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