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New Goods
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WHITE WHITEWARE
—IN—
Saucepans, Pudding Dishes, Pudding Bowls, Waterpitchers, Mugs, Cups and Saucers, Pie Plates, Dinner Plates, &c.
With an assortment of small goods too numerous to mention, at OUR USUAL LOW PRICES.

SHERATON & SELFRIDGE
*38 King Street, opposite Royal Hotel.*

Welsh, Hunter & Hamilton.

NEW SPRING GOODS.

We have just received a portion of our spring importations of

DRESS GOODS

of the finest quality and latest styles.

These goods are very choice and fashionable, they are now open for inspection, and we invite the Ladies to call and see them before making their spring purchase. These goods will be found to be extremely reasonable in price.

CORSETS.

We have received a fine assortment of the Celebrated American P. N. Corset, quality and fit guaranteed.

97 KING STREET.

NOW IN STOCK,
PATENT "GLACIER" WINDOW DECORATION,
for producing the effect of Stained Glass on Ordinary Windows.
The most permanent most effective, and easiest to affix of all substitutes for Stained Glass, and yet THE CHEAPEST. Circulars mailed on application.
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*KEDEY & CO.* take great pleasure in calling the attention of their customers to their large stock of New Goods now arriving, notably,
Dress Goods, Prints, Gloves, Hose, Corsets, Shaker Flannel, Towels, PillowCotton, Sheeting and Hamburgs.
IN OUR GENTS DEPARTMENT WE HAVE
Shirts Cuffs, Collars and Ties in great variety.
KEDEY & CO.,
213 Union Street.

FURNITURE.
THE BEST LINE EVER SEEN IN THE CITY.

*Fancy Chairs in Oak and Cherry; Carpet and Rattan Rockers; Work Baskets, Bamboo Easels; Music and Parlor Cabinets;*
*Ladies Desks, Book Cases; Secretaries Fancy Tables, &c.; Upholstered Easy Chairs $3 up; Children's Chairs, all styles.*

A look at the stock will convince you that it is complete.
JOHN WHITE,
*93 to 97 CHARLOTTE STREET.*

11 Bales of Room Paper just arrived.
And to arrive—A very large lot of BORDERINGS.
Our prices on Room Paper will be as usual very low, and our patterns very nice.
WATSON & CO.
To arrive—3 Cases of Musical Sundries direct from the makers. Also Fire Works, Crackers, Pistols, &c. Prices on application.
Cor. Charlotte and Union Streets.

RESTRICTED OR UN-RESTRICTED—WHICH?

In Politics we are on the Fence.
In Trade we are on Deck and at the Guns.

Opened this week, a mammoth stock of Boots for the spring trade in all the very latest novelties yet produced by the most skilled artizans in America. These goods were bought for cash, direct from the Factories; and to sell cheaper than we do is a moral impossibility. They will be retailed at wholesale prices.

Thanking the people of St. John and vicinity for the very liberal patronage received last year we are in a position this year to beat our well earned record for low prices and honest goods. A special discount for 15 days more.

20TH CENTURY STORE, 12 CHARLOTTE STREET,
TRYON WOOLEN MF'G CO. J. A. REID, Manager.

DeFOREST,
THE TAILOR.

We are not afraid to sell goods on a close margin. We have got, and want to keep a big trade. We know of but one way to do it, and that is to SELL CHEAP. We do it. Our annual sale of Men's and Boys' CLOTHING is now on. Come and get the benefit.

ROYAL CLOTHING STORE,
Only one door above Royal Hotel.
WILLIAM J. FRASER.

## FIRST EDITION.

### A TRAITOR UNMASKED.

Farrer, Chief Editor of the Toronto Globe, is the Man.

THE TRUE INWARDNESS OF THE LIBERAL CAMPAIGN EXPOSED.

**He Prepares a Paper for Use in the United States Showing How Canada can be Coerced into Annexation.**

SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.

TORONTO, Feb. 17th, 1891.—The Conservative meeting held in the Academy of Music this evening was perhaps the greatest political demonstration ever held in Canada and its effects will be far reading. It was addressed by Sir Chas. Tupper and Sir John A. Macdonald in magnificent speeches. The great sensation of the meeting was the reaching by Sir John A. Macdonald, of a paper which showed that Farrar, the chief editor of the Globe, had prepared a programme for the use of the enemies of Canada advising them as to the manner in which Canada could be coerced into becoming a part of the United States. This document was sent to a printing office in Toronto to be printed and is in Farrar's handwriting. The concluding part of it is as follows:—

"A word in conclusion about the situation in the Maritime Provinces. Outside of Halifax, the people as a body are well disposed towards the United States. The fisherman's phrase, that they should like "to see Gloucester moved East," in order that they might enjoy higher wages, commends itself to the majority. Sir John Macdonald secures the election of a Tory majority from Nova Scotia only by a system of largesse and corruption carried on without attempt at concealment. A constituency which returns an opposition member is forthwith excluded from sharing in the railway subsidies and other appropriations lavished on the rest. The fishermen have a saying that a Nova Scotia member on the wrong side at Ottawa is "a spare pump in a dry ship." In Prince Edward Island, where it is impossible to spend public money except on a few wharves and lighthouses, the people return a solid Liberal contingent to Ottawa. The islanders are exceedingly friendly to the Americans, and it is said by one who knows the state of feeling there that fully 70 per cent. of them would vote for full reciprocity or for annexation provided the question were submitted to them free from any entangling issues of a local character, and that the Ottawa Government abstained from the use of bribery. It is felt by all, that Sir John's methods of reconciling these Provinces to the vast economic loss they sustain from being severed from their natural market in New England, cannot survive the man himself. No one else could employ them with equal skill or success. He is now 75 years old. The Fishery question owes its existence not to the people but to the fish merchants and vessel owners. The traders in other lines would be glad to see the widest privileges extended to the Americans, whose custom was once, and might be again, an important factor in the business of the Provinces, more especially since the decay of the inshore fisheries has rendered it all the more essential that the coast population should be permitted to resume their former relations with the visitors. The influence of the fish merchants is far reaching; they control the newspapers, and to some extent the politics of the Provinces. The headland question, the dispute over the right of Americans to enter the Bay of Fundy which was terminated by the arbitration in the case of the vessel "Washington," and other points of controversy, were all pressed by them in the hope, to which they still cling, of being able to force Congress into yielding free fish. If their minds could be disabused of this notion, and they were made to see that free fish was not procurable through coercion, we should soon hear the last of the cry that to grant commercial privileges to the Americans would be to surrender an invaluable franchise. The imposition by the United States of a tonnage tax on all Nova Scotia vessels laden whole or in part with fish would speedily put an end to seizures and indeed to the whole controversy. Another ready way of bringing the Government and all concerned, to their senses would be to suspend the bonding privilege, or to cut the connection of the Canadian Pacific with United States territory at Sault Ste. Marie. Either of these methods would rouse the full force of Eastern Canada influence against the Government."

It would be better still to oblige Britain to withdraw her countenance and support from the Canadian contention as she did in 1871. That would secure the end desired without leaving the United States open to the charge of being animated by hatred of Canada, on which Sir John Macdonald trades. Whatever course the United States may see fit to adopt, it is plain that Sir John's disappearance from the stage is to be the signal for a movement towards annexation. The enormous debt of the Dominion ($50 per head), the virtual bankruptcy of all the Provinces except Ontario, the pressure of the American tariff upon trade and industry, the incurable issue of race, and the action of the natural forces making for the consolidation of the lesser country with the greater have already prepared the minds of most intelligent Canadians for the destiny that awaits them; and a leader will be forthcoming when the hour arrives.

## FIRST EDITION.

**Among the Shipping.**

THE LUCY P. MILLER—Since the breaking of the crank-pin in the machinery of the steamer Lucy P. Miller, she has been at Rockland waiting for the new pin, which was procured at Bath. The steamer left Rockland, yesterday, for New York and will leave New York for Bucksport on Saturday. She will in future confine her trips to the route between Bucksport and New York, as the Winthrop will take the route between New York, Eastport and this port.

CHARTER.—Advices from Batavia of Jan. 3rd say that during the past month there has been no settlement of spot tonnage to report. The inquiry for sail tonnage has entirely disappeared owing to the continued ruinous offers of European steam tonnage. A vessel is wanted to load syrups for Montreal direct at about 27s 6d and several shippers require room for coffee and light freight from Macassar to New York.

Calcutta advices say the bark Avonia has been fixed to load a full cargo there for Boston, at reserved terms.

IT IS THE STERN of the schooner James Rourke that is broken off, not the stem as the types read last evening.

BRIGT CURLEW was towed to Magee's slip yesterday where she will lay up.

BRIGT ARBUTUS, with sugar, was towed into Sand point wharf, Carleton, yesterday. She will begin discharging as soon as the weather permits.

THE DECKLOAD of the schooner Frank Herbert has been discharged and she will go on Elliott's blocks for a survey and to receive what repairs are necessary. The owner of the vessel, Mr. Quinn of Boston is in the city.

THE SCHOONER A. P. EMMERSON was towed down through the falls to-day loaded with lumber for New York.

CAPT. MUNROE, of the schooner Lizzie Dewey, which arrived at New York a few days ago from Bermuda, where she put in in distress, has arrived here.

THE STEAMER DOMINION arrived this morning from Yarmouth and went on Quinn's blocks to receive an iron shoe. She has been thoroughly overhauled and painted, inside and out, and is now a fine looking boat. She will receive freight at the blocks and will probably leave for Yarmouth and south shore ports on Saturday.

COLLISION.—The steamer Dominion collided with the schooner Glendon, while docking this morning. A portion of the latter's rail was carried away and her side chafed.

**Police Court.**

James Kelley and Charles Lienbrag, drunks, were fined $4 each.

The case of Mary Ann Patterson, charged with selling liquor without a license, and that of Amelia Francis charged with the same offence and also with assaulting Annie Lowrie, came up before the magistrate this morning. The cases were complicated and many witnesses were put on the stand to testify. Francis was fined $20 for the assault and the other charges were allowed to stand for the present. Mr. John L. Carleton appeared for the defense.

**Of Personal Interest.**

James I. Fellows left London a week sooner than he named and with his wife and daughter reached New York on Monday last. He will lie in St. John in time for the election, and while here, will be the guest of his daughter, Mrs. T. S. Adams.

Mr. G. G. King, of Salmon river, Queens Co. arrived in the city this morning.

Mr. Thomas Hetherington M. P. P., for Queens is in town.

J. D. Chapman of St. Stephen and J. DeVeber Neales of Gagetown, are registered at the Royal.

Judge Palmer has returned from New York.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—A horse owned by James Minehan of the country market, and driven by two boys nearly ended an old colored lady's term of existence this morning At the corner of Duke and Sydney street the horse was going quite fast and the driver failed to see the old lady who was crossing the street. The shaft of the pung caught her shawl and tore it from her body. She had seen the horse coming and had quickened her pace, and just in time to escape severe injury or perhaps death.

SURGICAL SKILL.—Dr. Murray McLaren recently performed a delicate surgical operation, the success of which reflects credit on his skill. A gentleman from up north arrived here a short time ago, and consulted Dr. McLaren. None of the physicians whom he had previously consulted were able to understand his case, except in the particular that he had great difficulty in breathing. On examination Dr. McLaren discovered a growth in the throat, which must have eventually resulted in death if not removed. The doctor performed the operation a few days ago, and the gentleman is now rapidly recovering.

**The Weather.**

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Forecast.—Clearing. Colder. Northwesterly winds. Cold wave.

**London Stock Markets.**

LONDON, 12.30 p m.

Consols 97 1-16 for money and 97 ¼ acct.

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| United State Fours | |
| Do, do Fours and a half | |
| Atlantic and Great Western firsts | |
| Do, do do seconds | |
| Canada Pacific | |
| Erie | 20⅞ |
| do. Seconds | 90 |
| Illinois Central | 43½ |
| Mexican ordinary | 56⅞ |
| St Paul Common | |
| New York Central | 52⅞ |
| Pennsylvania | |
| Reading | |
| Mexican Central new 4s | 75⅞ |
| Spanish Fours | |
| Bar Silver | |

Money 2 per cent.

SCIENCE states that there is no such a thing in the world as a purely black cat, if any person will call at S. Whitebone's 45 Charlotte street they will see this statement confuted. Also Flor de Perfecto's Cigars Havana filled, forty five cents per ten in a bunch.

HAMS,
Roll Bacon,
LARD,
Boneless Ham
All Choice Quality.
Now on hand and arriving
JOSEPH FINLEY,
67, 67 and 69 Dock St.

COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS.

*Plain and Fancy Dress Goods 10c per yard, former price 16c.*
*All Wool French Serge 18c, former price 28c.*
*Black French Cashmere 25c, former price 45c., extra good value.*
*Colored Cashmere all prices.*
*Stripes and Brocades marked down to 12c., former price 16c.*
*Men's Regatta and White Shirts, Braces, Collars, Ties and Under Clothing.*
*Ladies and Misses Corsets, all sizes.*
*JUST ARRIVED—1 Case Ladies and Gents Umbrellas, oxidized handles, very stylish.*
J. W. MONTGOMERY,
No. 9 King Street.

Retiring from Business.

I BEG TO NOTIFY my friends and customers that I have sold out the business heretofore carried on by me at No. 32 King street to Mr. W. H. Cochran, who will continue to carry on the business of general Boot and Shoe Dealer at the same stand. All debts due to me can be paid to W. H. Cochran.
H. COCHRAN.
St. John, N. B., 30th Jan'y, 1891.

On assuming the business of MR. H. COCHRAN, I beg to announce my purpose of leaving nothing undone that may be necessary to retain all my old customers and acquire as many new ones as possible.
MY STOCK OF
BOOTS
—AND—
SHOES
will be first-class, and always fully assorted; prices will be right.
W. H. COCHRAN.

"You Are Invited by"
ARMOUR & CO.,
OF CHICAGO, TO CALL AT
GEO. ROBERTSON & CO.'S
Grocery, 50 King Street,
And try a Cup of their celebrated
EXTRACT OF BEEF
A young lady will be in attendance to dispense the Invigorating and Strength-producing Extract. The Ladies of St. John are specially invited, and everybody else is welcome. Commencing Wednesday afternoon, the 11th inst.
—REMEMBER AT—
GEO. ROBERTSON & CO.'S
Grocery, 50 King St.

STOVES, STOVES,
Cooking and Heating Stoves of every description at
Greatly Reduced Rates during the next 30 days.
N. B.—My assortment of Mantels, Grates, Tiles, etc., is now complete. Compare prices before placing your order.
C. T. BURNS,
94 Germain St., (Masonic Building).

LAURANCE SPECTACLES
are the only ones I can see properly with.
These Spectacles are positively the BEST goods made, and can be obtained at
W. C. Rudman Allan's,
CHEMIST and DRUGGIST,
West St. John.
—OR AT—
JOSHUA STARK'S,
WATCHMAKER,
31 UNION STREET, ST. JOHN.

## SECOND EDITION.

### FARRAR, THE TRAITOR.

**SIR JOHN MACDONALD READS THE DOCUMENT OF EDITOR FARRAR.**

**Conservatives in the Liberal Ranks—The Authorship of the Article not Denied—A Yelling and Hooting Crowd.**

SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.

TORONTO, Feb. 18.—The document written by Edward Farrar, editor of the Globe which Sir John Macdonald read at the great conservative demonstration last night has created consternation in the Liberal ranks.

The pamphlet showed the Americans how they could force Canada into welcoming annexation by encouraging discontent in the Maritime Provinces, hampering the fisheries industry, refusing the bonding privileges to American railways and cutting off Canadian Pacific Railway's connections with roads on the other side of the border.

Mr. Farrar does not deny the authorship of the pamphlet but says he wrote it in his private capacity and not as a newspaper editor. He claims he made no secret of its publication but only had twelve copies printed all of which he can account for and he cannot understand how Sir John obtained a copy.

The production of this document created a tremendous sensation and after the meeting was over a great crowd surrounded the Globe building hooting and yelling. So serious did matters become that police protection was asked and a squad of men was sent to the spot where they surrounded the building to prevent any possible damage.

The feeling against Farrar today is very strong and it is claimed by many that his recent visit to Washington is now explained.

**THE FIGHT IN CHARLOTTE.**

**Mr. Clarke is Gaining Steadily in Popular Esteem.**

SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.

ST. ANDREWS, N. B., Feb. 18. — The political campaign at St. Andrews, waxes warm, and both parties are holding nightly meetings. The favorable impression made by Mr. G. J. Clarke in his address on Saturday last has won him many friends. Hon. A. H. Gillmor made his opening address to the electors of St. Andrews, from the platform in Stevenson's hall last night. G. F. Stickney Esq. was chairman. The hall was packed with Conservatives and Liberals. The speech was of the usual order that the honorable gentleman is noted for bristling with denunciations of Sir John, Sir Leonard, Sir Charles etc.

The meeting was enthusiastic to a marked degree from a liberal standpoint but Mr. Clarke is gaining steadily in spite of all.

**SUSQUEHANNA FLOODS.**

**Lumbermen Are Uneasy and Merchants are Removing their Goods.**

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Feb. 18.—Everything indicates a flood of not less than 26 feet in the Susquehanna river. The river has been rising about a foot per hour. The lumbermen are very uneasy, and many merchants have commenced to remove their goods from the lower stories of their establishments.

A flood is reported on the head waters of Pine creek at Galeton where a boom broke letting between eight and ten millon feet of logs escape.

**A STEAMER STRIKES A PIER**

**And Goes Down With All on Board—Number Doowned Unknown—One Woman Killed.**

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 18.—The steamer Sherlock with about 35 passengers and and a crew of 50 to 60 men on board struck a pier of the Chesapeake and Ohio bridge last night and went to pieces. She sank at Fifth street and her cabin floated down the river.

Mrs. J. McLean of Pittsburg was killed and it is not known how many persons are drowned. The steamer was bound for New Orleans.

**THE IRISH FACTIONS.**

**The McCarthyites Allege a Misapplication of League Funds.**

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—The financial dispute between the McCarthyite and Parnellite factions of the Irish parliamentary party continues. Of $40,000 released a month ago from the league funds $25,000 went to the campaign committee and $15,000 to the tenants defence league. The McCarthyites contend that the latter sum instead of being devoted to the evicted tenants was used to meet an over draft on the Hibernian bank.

**THE NEWFOUNDLAND QUESTION.**

**The Comments of the London Standard on the Debate.**

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Commenting on the debate on the Newfoundland question in the House of Lords, the Standard says: Lord Knutsford was no doubt bound to show a tenderness to the needs of Canadian diplomacy, but that tends rather to enhance than to diminish the anger of Newfoundlanders. The incident is very regrettable and we can only hope the papers promised will restore equanimity.

**ARREST OF AN EMBEZZLER.**

**He is Held in $30,000 Bonds in the Municipal Council.**

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—James B. Kinsley, wool commission merchant, 112 Devonshire st. was arrested this morning on a charge of embezzlement of $340,000 The arrest it is understood was made at the instigation of several banks.

In the municipal court to-day he was held in $30,000 bonds for hearing March 13.

**Arrested for Manslaughter.**

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 18.—The coroner's jury in the case of the death of W. H. Swazey, of Dover, who was killed in the collision of the Boston and Maine railway, near Scarboro beach, Jan. 22, find his death was due to the gross carelessness of Rowland, B. Bonney, engineer of the wild engine which dashed into the rear of the train. Bonney was arrested this morning on a charge of manslaughter.

**Liverpool Cotton Markets.**

LIVERPOOL, 12.30 pm—Cotton dull prices in buyers favor. American middlings 4 15-16 d sales 5000, bales spec and export 500 rects 20000. Amn 1700. Futures flat.

## THIRD EDITION.

### A ZOLLVEREIN.

**A MOTION FOR ITS ESTABLISHMENT MADE IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.**

**It is the Only Way to Obtain Imperial Federation—Sir Lyon Playfair Criticises it in opposition—Mr. Lowther and Hon. Mr. Goschen Also Speak—The Motion Withdrawn.**

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE

LONDON, Feb. 18.—In the House of Commons last evening Mr. Vincent moved the government at the earliest opportunity to invite the British Colonies to a conference in London to debate the best means of forming a Zollverein. He contended that Imperial Federation was only to be obtained through Commercial Federation.

Sir Legon Playfair criticized the motion as covering a protectionist movement. He argued that owing to the various interests of the colonies a Zollverein was impracticable. He quoted statistics showing the increase of British trade during the present regime. He contended it would be most injudicious to arrest the reaction in America against excessive protection induced by the McKinley law, by imposing differential duties against America for the benefit of the colonies. Considering all the circumstances there was no basis to justify Parliament in inviting the colonies to a conference. He expressed the hope for the ultimate union of the colonies on a free trade basis.

Mr. Lowther declared there was no real free trade party in America and that the whole world with the exception of England was becoming protectionist. He said: "Unless we give our colonies commercial facilities we had better make up our minds to advocate the imperial position."

Hon. Mr. Goschen chancellor of the exchequer said, "Whatever might be the fate of the motion England had no desire to influence the Canadian elections. He sympathized with some points of Mr. Vincent's speech. He believed the increasing desire for a closer union between England and the colonies ought to be fostered. Still he hoped that suspicion of lurking protection would not retard the union of the colonies. While he granted that the country must be prepared for some fiscal changes in the interests of that union the colonists must understand that it was impossible for England to tax corn. (Cheers.) There was no liklihood, he said, that the colonies would consent to a conference on a free trade basis, there only remained the differental duties, and he failed to see how they could be imposed. It seemed to him, therefore, that a conference would be merely an invitation to follow a "will-of-the-wisp." Mr. Vincent withdrew his motion.

The Standard, says:—"The debate on Mr. Vincent's motion in the House of Commons last night will be useful and memorable because it elicted Hon. Mr. Goschen's views on the relation of such questions to the orthodox free trade dogma and the pending questions concerning Canada, which give the highest practical interest to the discussion.

## LOCAL MATTERS.

**For additional Local News see Last age.**

POINT LEPREAUX, Feb. 18, 3 p. m.—Wind N. W., strong, clearing. Ther. 37.

PALACE RINK.—The Artillery band to-night.

THE I. C. R. POLICE, are making an effort to put a stop to the practice of coal stealing from the I. C. R. freight yard.

THE TRAINS ON TIME.—All the trains were about on time to-day except the one from Boston, which was only 40 minutes late.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.—That desirable residence on Chipman's Hill known as the Hazen house. See advertisement.

A CHILD was born at Alma, Pictou Co., N. S., last week, that has 2 great grandfathers, 2 great grandmothers, 2 grandfathers and a grandmother, all living and hale and hearty.

CARNIVAL POSTPONED.—The carnival at the Palace rink has been postponed from to-night to Tuesday, the 24th inst. The rink will be open for skating as usual, band in attendance Friday night.

CHANGE OF DATE.—The lecture on "Temperance" next in order in the Father Mathew course, will be delivered by Hon. R. J. Ritchie, on Wednesday evening next, instead to next Tuesday.

FREIGHT BUSINESS IS BRISK over the C. P. R. Specials are being run both ways nearly every day and the business between St. John and Montreal over the Short Line is showing a steady growth.

WILL PROBABLY CHANGE HANDS.—It is understood that Mr. James Hogan has purchased or intends purchasing the Belmont hotel on Mill street, now owned and occupied by Mr. John Sime, with a view to running a hotel himself. If arrangements can be made Porter's grocery store will be turned into a gentleman's waiting room.

THE NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY held an adjourned meeting last evening. President Matthew was chairman, Mr. W. B. McVey's paper on The Chemistry of the Six Days of Creation was read by the secretary. Those present discussed the paper and passed a vote of thanks to the writer. At the next monthly meeting Dr. F. Macfarlane will give an address on The Silent language of the Muscles.

THE BIJOU.—Yesterday's performance in the Bijou was another success, the house again packed to the doors. Mr. Blatt and Miss Wohlfurth performed their marvellous feats of strength. Sam and Kilth Horton were splendid in their drum drill and their dance. Collins and Welsh were exceedingly good. Tim Curran was as fine as ever, and the favorite Berwick sisters carried the house by storm.

TEMPERANCE FUNERAL.—The funeral of Miss Eva Ingram, which took place yesterday afternoon, was largely attended, Lilian Juvenile temple, Sirion Lodge and Temple, and Thorne Lodge of Good Templars, preceded the hearse. Eleven ministers of different denominations were also present in respect for the father of the deceased young lady, Rev. A. E. Ingram. A large concourse of citizens followed the remains, which were deposited in the C. of E. burying ground.

SALE IN GENTLEMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

REVISED LIST OF GOODS REMAINING AT REDUCED PRICES.

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| Kid Gloves, good shades, 8, 8 1-4, at | 50c; |
| Antelope Gloves, extra quality, | $1.25; |
| Mock Buck Gloves, lined, | 75c; |
| Genuine Napa Gloves and Mitts, lined, | $1.50; |
| French Braces | 15c; |
| Real Irish Knit Sox, dark colors, | 25c; |
| Natural Scotch Wool Shirts and Drawers, | $1.00 each; |
| Fine Scarlet Shirts and Drawers, | $1.00 each. |

SEE OUR WINDOW
of made up Ties and Four-in-Hands; an immense stock of samples and odd lots, 12 1-2c., 15c., 25c., 35c., 45c, 50c.

SPECIAL LINE OF BOYS SUITS
for school and everyday wear for boys of 4 to 12 years, mostly light mixtures, from $2.00 up.

MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON & ALLISON,

CANNED GOODS IN STOCK.
LOBSTERS, SALMON, GREEN PEAS (Little Chief)
CORN (Little Chief) BLUEBERRIES, TOMATOES,
MACKEREL, PEACHES, (Canadian). BAKED BEANS,
GREEN BEANS, LUNCH TONGUE, OX TONGUE,
POTTED MEATS, etc.

JARDINE AND CO.

CORSETS.
We ask an inspection of our CORSETS which include German, French, Canadian and American makes. All sizes now in stock.
Children's Corded Waists.
Daniel & Robertson,
LONDON HOUSE RETAIL.

SHORTHAND
*A SPECIAL EVENING COURSE AT THE*
SHORTHAND INSTITUTE
will enable all pupils to obtain a practical knowledge of SHORTHAND and TYPEWRITING, and an acquaintance with the duties of a business amanuensis. One Fee for a complete course, payable by instalments if required. EVERY EVENING (except Saturday) 7.30 to 9.30 Apply to
J. H. PEPPER, SHORTHAND INSTITUTE,
*Oddfellows Hall, St. John, N. B.*

BARNES & MURRAY.

ANNUAL CLEARING SALE.

MONDAY, Feb'y. 16th, we will offer Bargains in our several departments which must be closed out irrespective of original cost. The success attending our previous sales has clearly proven the appreciation by the public of an honest advertisement, which in the end has proved of so called cheap sales is indeed rare. Do not forget our Store is No. 17. We will not sell before Monday any of the lines at the clearing prices. Here they are:

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| Gent's Silk Scarfs 14c., former prices 35c. | |
| Gents Linen Collars 7c., " " | 18c. |
| Corsets at 34c., former prices 75c. & $1.50 | |
| Gent's Kid Gloves 75c., " $1.25 & $1.85 | |
| Ladies " " 25c., " 85c. & $1.25 | |
| Hamburg Remnants - - | Half Price |
| Frillings - - - - - | 2c. |
| Ladies Rubber Coats $1.24 formerly $2.50 | |
| Remnants Cloth - - | Half Price |
| Remnants Prints - - | Half Price |
| Linen Lowelling - - - | 6¼c. |
| Cretonnes at - - - - | 10c. |
| Check Muslins at - - - | 6c. |
| Ladies Handkerchiefs to clear - | 3c. each |
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