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SCHOONER SANK FROM VIEW JUST AS BEATEN-OUT CREW LEFT HER.

With No Food, Subsisting Solely on Water, Their Boat Gone, the Men of the Five-master John B. Prescott Were in Sore Straits.

St. John, N. B., March 1.—Captain Harding and the five-master schooner John B. Prescott, which was abandoned at sea in a bad condition Feb. 28, arrived here this afternoon from Vineyard Haven, where they were last seen on the morning of Feb. 28, and on the following night when to the northward of Bearsgate, the vessel was seen to be in a very perilous position. The vessel was seen to be in a very perilous position. The vessel was seen to be in a very perilous position.

was at hand and this doubtless saved the lives of the men. The John B. Prescott was a five-master vessel, 2,240 tons net, and 2,454 tons gross. Her dimensions were: Length 300 feet, beam 44 1/2 feet and depth of hold 21 1/2 feet. She was built at Camden in 1869 and was owned by John G. Crow, of this city and others. The vessel was valued at about \$75,000 and was insured principally in this city. On this trip she was loaded with about 200 tons of cargo, consisting of various kinds of goods, and was bound for New York, where she was to discharge her cargo and return to her home port.

BIG CAPTURES REPORTED BY BOTH SIDES.

British Receive Surrender of Four Hundred Boers.

OUR SOLDIERS TAKEN.

Escort of Convoy to Number of More Than Four Hundred and Fifty Fell Into Enemy's Hands—Censorship Again Strict.

London, Feb. 28.—In response to an inquiry by the government as to the fate of the escort of a convoy of empty wagons which Lord Kitchener had captured and taken to the north of the Orange River, the following information has been received: "A report has just been received that 16 officers and 400 men were taken prisoners. Of these one officer and 106 men have been released. Col. Anderson, of the Imperial Yeomanry, who commanded, is still a prisoner. Major Enderby, who commanded the infantry, was wounded. Hence the delay in obtaining definite information.

PEOPLE OF NEWFOUNDLAND, GOVERNMENT CANDIDATE CARRIES KINGS.

CENSUS RETURNS ANNOUNCED IN LEGISLATURE.

Population Has Increased Nine Per Cent. in Ten Years—Falling Off in Labrador—Interesting Statistics Given of Numbers of Various Religious Denominations.

St. John's, Nfld., March 3.—In the Legislature this afternoon, Premier Bond placed upon the table the statement of the census returns for the colony for 1901, which had only now been tabulated because of the difficulty in reaching the remote sections of the colony. The census figures follow: Total population 220,249, of which Newfoundland has 216,615 and Labrador 3,634. According to the figures of 1891 Newfoundland had 197,830 inhabitants, while Labrador had 4,106. The increase shown by the last report equals about nine per cent. of the total population in 1891 which is rather better than Canada, considering that Newfoundland is absolutely without immigration, while having heavy emigration, whereas Canada has had a large influx of settlers during the last ten years. The census returns show that the religious denominations are as follows: Catholics, 72,987; Anglicans, 68,834; Methodists, 60,812. In 1891 the same creeds showed the following numerical strength: Catholics, 72,987; Anglicans, 68,834; Methodists, 60,812. Members of the Salvation Army were unknown in 1891; their number 6,500 now.

WON AN HONEST FIGHT.

Mr. King Addresses Electors at Susssex After the Battle—Hon. Dr. Pugsley, Interviewed, Expresses His Pleasure and Tells of Conditions.

Interesting Contest With Fred M. Sproul Again Second Best.

Hampton, March 1.—(Special)—The provincial government scored another victory on Saturday, when Kings returned as its representative Ora P. King, of Susssex, the candidate of the government party. With a small district, Kingston, No. 2, to beat from Mr. King has a majority of 131 votes. This being Mr. Sproul's home considerable interest was manifested in the election. The opposition party made a big fight for a substantial majority from this parish but, although Mr. Sproul gained many votes on account of personal considerations, the friends of the government showed Mr. Sproul's majority to be but eight votes. In the outlying parishes the fight was interesting and the probable result of the election was the principal topic of conversation all day. The returns as reported are: Westfield No. 1, King, 87, Sproul, 83; Westfield No. 2, King, 148, Sproul, 140; Susssex No. 1 (Apostrophe), King, 275, Sproul, 270; Susssex No. 2, King, 15, Sproul, 15; Susssex No. 3, King, 127, Sproul, 127; Susssex No. 4, King, 61, Sproul, 61; Susssex No. 5, King, 94, Sproul, 94; Susssex No. 6, King, 145, Sproul, 145; Susssex No. 7, King, 129, Sproul, 129; Susssex No. 8, King, 103, Sproul, 103; Susssex No. 9, King, 38, Sproul, 38; Susssex No. 10, King, 70, Sproul, 70; Susssex No. 11, King, 189, Sproul, 178.

HON. WILLIAM PUGSLEY TO BRING ACTION FOR CRIMINAL LIBEL.

Opportunity Which Arose Friday Quickly Taken by Attorney General—Telegram Shown by Opposition Candidate in Kings Starts Matters.

St. John, Feb. 28, 1902.

To the Editor of The Telegraph: Dear Sir—As our opponents are endeavoring to divert the attention of the electors of Kings county from the real issues involved by seeking to fasten upon me, and through me upon the government candidate, a certain degree of responsibility for the bogus Rothery electoral list, it will no doubt be a matter of interest to your readers to know that at last an opportunity has been afforded me of laying an information for criminal libel in respect to the matter. This morning, on the train, Mr. Sproul, the opposition candidate, showed me a telegram which he had received on the 21st inst., from Samuel T. Miller, of Bathurst, and of which he permitted me to take a copy. The telegram is as follows: "Bathurst, N. B., Feb. 21. Fred M. Sproul, Hampton. Will you please ask William Pugsley openly, not privately, why he don't take proceedings against me for criminal libel. I charged him before Magistrate Ritchie in your city with being the promoter of the bogus Rothery list. Answer my expression. "SAMUEL T. MILLER." Having no recollection of the incident referred to, I on my arrival in the city, communicated with Hon. R. J. Ritchie, police magistrate, enclosing him a copy of Mr. Miller's telegram and asking him if it was true, as stated by Mr. Miller, that the charge referred to had been made in his presence, and I have his reply stating that no such charge was ever made before him. It is as your readers will thoroughly understand, most unfair.

CAPT. BERNIER IS BACK FROM ENGLAND.

Canadian Has Been Booming His North Pole Expedition—Came to Halifax on Corinthian.

Halifax, N. S., March 3.—(Special)—Mail steamer Corinthian arrived this morning from Liverpool. She had good weather, though it was very thick during the past three days. She came via the southern route. Her daily runs were 193 (Atlantic), 293, 291, 295, 278, 290, 276, 260, 300. She brought 18 first class, 102 second, and 180 steerage passengers. Among the passengers was Captain Bernier, the Canadian who is preparing for an expedition to the North Pole. Captain Bernier has been in England since December, and while there endeavored, with some success, to enlist capital for his proposed expedition, which he expects will start next year. During his stay in England, about \$100,000 more is required to complete the fund which the captain figures will be sufficient. Lord Kitchener expects Bernier to come forward and assist the cause. He is anxious that the expedition shall be a Canadian one and said if it was not for this desire he could give some support. He hoped that in the future when any of his party was again in the field that the voters of Susssex would give the same loyal support that they have given him. Much applause marked the close of Mr. King's remarks. Some one called for "three cheers for Ora!" and the crowd cheered to the accompaniment of the playing of the national anthem. Mr. King's speech was well received and his supporters of other government. When the news came that Mr. King was triumphant there was much jubilation among his supporters and as much chagrin among those who had prophesied the election of his opponent. Probably one of the best pleased of all was Attorney General Pugsley, who since the writ was issued for the election has actively identified himself with the campaign. When a Telegram reporter called on him he found the doctor occupied in seeking rest after his labors of the past few weeks. Dr. Pugsley expressed himself as well satisfied with the result of the fight. He said the election of Mr. King showed conclusively that the people of Kings approved of the course of the government in the development of the agricultural and mineral resources of the county and they consequently supported the administration which had so well guarded their interests in common with the best interests of the province. "The opposition," said Dr. Pugsley, "were thoroughly organized. They had the eloquence of Mr. Fowler, H. P., J. D. Hazen, M. P.; Geo. W. McInerney and others while the Sun newspaper did its best to secure Mr. Sproul's election. An effort was made

REBELLION IN TURKEY.

Twenty-six Albanian Towns Resolve to Pay No more Taxes to Sultan.

Vienna, March 3.—The political correspondent reports alarming conditions in Albania, European Turkey. A formidable force of rebels is said to be besieging the seaport of Avlona, which is entirely cut off from the outside world. Twenty-six Albanian towns have resolved to demonstrate their independence of the rule of the Sultan of Turkey by refusing to pay taxes. Anarchy prevails in the districts of El Bassan and Tirana, according to the reports, where the insurgents have compelled the authorities to open the jails and release the prisoners.

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PROMINENT LONDONERS DOWN WITH INFLUENZA.

Balfour, Lord Roberts, Sir Thomas Lipton, Lord Halsbury Among the Victims.

London, March 1.—Influenza has London at its mercy. Half a dozen members of the government, including A. J. Balfour, the government leader in the house of commons, and Lord Halsbury, the lord chancellor, are laid up. Sir Thomas Lipton, Lord Roberts and about thirty members of the house of commons and other notable people are among the patients to whom the papers daily devote reports of their condition. The Earl of Perth, whose demise was announced in these despatches last night, is the latest notable victim.

SUICIDE OF MRS. FRASER OF TRURO.

Body Found in the Water Near Home—Left Money for Funeral Expenses.

Truro, Feb. 28.—(Special)—Mrs. Jessie McE. Fraser was drowned last night. She had not had good health for some time and in a fit of temporary insanity committed suicide in Salmon River. Under a pillow a note was found saying that she was about to end her tired life. Left a sum of money for funeral expenses. Dr. D. H. Muir held an inquest this afternoon. Deceased was 60 years of age and was secretary of the W. O. T. U. and conducted an intelligence bureau in town. She was a widow, and daughter of the late Rev. John I. Baxter, Miss Ellen Baxter, Truro, Mrs. D. E. Dunlop, Middle Stewiack, and Mrs. J. K. Munns are sisters.

SMALLPOX IN ONTARIO.

More Than 700 Cases in February, But Only One Death.

Toronto, March 1.—(Special)—The provincial board of health announces that during February 707 cases of smallpox were reported in Ontario. The disease is of an extraordinarily mild type, for but one death occurred. Twenty-two counties were affected. Colombian Insurgents Defeated. Colon, Colombia, March 2.—Liberal forces under the command of General Villa appeared at Rio Frio Feb. 21. After a fight with government troops for four hours the rebels were routed with 50 killed or wounded.

SESSION OF PARLIAMENT OCCUPIED WITH MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE.

Relation of Provinces and Dominion in Fisheries—A Number of Bills Passed—Mr. Tarte's Bright Hopes for Canada's Future.

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—(Special)—The marine and fisheries department estimates were considered in the house today. Before they were reached, however, a number of bills were read first time. Mr. Costigan introduced a bill respecting the Edmonton and Pacific Company Railway. Mr. O'Brien introduced a bill respecting the Canadian & Michigan Bridge & Tunnel Company; Dr. Belland one respecting the St. Clair Railway Bridge Tunnel Company; Dr. Douglas one respecting the Manitoba & Northwestern Railway Company; Mr. Morrison one respecting the Lake Bennett Railway Company; Mr. Galbraith one to incorporate the Velvet Mine & Railway Company. In reply to Dr. Sproule, Mr. Sutherland said no progress had apparently been made with determining the exact position of the dominion and the provinces in respect to the fisheries. This would probably be the subject of a reference to the courts whose decision should be accepted by all parties or by an agreement between the provinces and the dominion. At present matters were in a very unsatisfactory position. Under the decision of the Privy Council the duty of regulating and protecting the fisheries remained within the jurisdiction of the dominion, and everyone was agreed as to the importance of its fisheries. With regard to apparent cost of service, the minister, anticipating a decrease expenditure when the decision was given, made a reduction of \$25,000 in the vote, but experience had not justified this action and it was necessary to increase the vote to the former amount. Mr. R. L. Borden pressed upon the minister the desirability of having the differences between the provinces and the dominion settled at once, especially in view of the statement by the attorney general of New Brunswick that he proposed making, or had made information upon the government for a portion of the fisheries award given the province. If the government of the dominion was to be subjected to that claim it was possibly not pursuing a very wise course. He suggested that the department cooperate in the effort to obtain a settlement. On the vote of \$120,000 for fishery in

CARLETON COUNTY MAN COMMITS SUICIDE.

Newman Shaw Drank Carbolic Acid—Left Note Saying No One Was to Blame.

Woodstock, N. B., Feb. 28.—(Special)—Newman Shaw, aged 39, married, committed suicide at Windsor, county, yesterday, by drinking carbolic acid. He left a note saying it was his own act and no one was to blame. He was the son of Matthew Shaw, now in Aroostook county.

ANOTHER SUICIDE.

A Canadian Express Company Driver the Third Person to Take His Life in Montreal Within a Week.

Montreal, March 3.—(Special)—Montreal tonight had its third suicide within a week. The victim is Chris. Archibald, a driver of the Canadian Express Company, who shot himself in the head while suffering from the effects of a debauch. He is dying at the General Hospital.

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HON. A. G. BLAIR WIRES DENIAL OF THE RESIGNATION STORY.

The following telegram, received Sunday evening, will be read with a great deal of interest:

New York, March 2. To C. J. Milligan, St. John, You may state, as authorized by me, that the newspaper reports respecting my health and intended resignation from the government are entirely incorrect. My health, I am happy to say, has greatly improved, and I have not the remotest intention of resigning. A. G. BLAIR.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE. Owing to the considerable number of communications as to the misstatements of letters alleged to contain money remitted to this office we have to request our subscribers and agents when sending money for The Telegraph to do so by post office order or registered letter, in which case the remittance will be at our risk.

FACTS FOR SUBSCRIBERS. Without exception, names of new subscribers will not be entered until the money is received.

REBLES FOR CORRESPONDENCE. Write plainly and take special pains with names. Write on one side of your paper only.

MR. KING'S ELECTION. The election of Mr. Ora P. King to the local legislature in Kings county on Saturday by a very handsome majority is just what the people of Kings county have long been waiting for.

NEWFOUNDLAND'S POVERTY. With the progress of the winter come the regular stories of destitution and distress about the shores of Newfoundland.

LOCAL OPPOSITION IS SORE. The Sun is very sore over the defeat in Kings county and as was to have been expected, exhibits its soreness by all sorts of invective against the victors instead of squarely admitting its defeat.

THE BOERS' GREAT CHANCE. If the Boers all migrated to Patagonia, and Cronje and De Wet and the others became full-fledged Patagonian chiefs, and took a notion to dispute matters with Chili and Argentina, what fun they could have!

SAVINGS BANKS. The governor of Massachusetts has recommended the total separation of savings banks from national banks and a measure is now before the state legislature to that effect.

PEACE OVERTURES RUMORED. The rumor seems to gain ground in London, although it has doubtless been exaggerated by the Pro-Boer Americans, that strong efforts are being made to establish peace in South Africa before King Edward's coronation in June.

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also lent their vigorous aid, but it was all to no avail and Kings stands today in line with the local government, satisfied and smiling.

PROVINCIAL SUBSIDIES. A matter which may possibly merit future consideration has been brought up by a resolution in the Quebec legislature demanding a revision of the Confederation Act of 1867, so that Quebec may receive a larger annual subsidy from the Dominion treasury than 80 cents per head of the population of 1861 which is now alleged to be insufficient.

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CRISIS IN THE TIME QUESTION. If the city and province are to have the benefit of the inauguration of Atlantic Standard time the coming summer it is desirable that no days be lost in declaring for the measure. It was brought to public notice in this paper recently that the railways are now preparing their summer time-tables and have evinced a willingness to change to Atlantic Standard in them if the civic and provincial authorities express themselves as desirous of the change.

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so far as to recommend that no quarter be given them, that expatriation if not extermination is their due and that they cannot be trusted to appreciate any leniency. It must be borne in mind, however, that the worst fault of the Boers is their gross ignorance and misguidance, which compares with the days of witchcraft, stake-burning and slave holding. When the Boers have learned more and become impressed with that admiration for British institutions which has always grown in natives under British colonization, their rising generation at least may become good citizens and as patriotic for their new flag as for that which they so mistakenly flaunted in the face of freedom.

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Boys' Clothing--Big Reductions.

If we hadn't such peculiar notions as to how new and fresh a Clothing stock should be at the beginning of every season, we'd sell all we could of these Clothes at full prices and keep the rest till next fall and winter.

But we've got that peculiar notion, and besides we want the trade of Men and Boys who want good clothes, but haven't found out yet where they are, and so we are willing to lose some money on the balance of stocks.

You will need to take quick advantage of such pricings as these--

- Vestee Suits--These suits are for boys 3 to 9 years old, and are made in tweeds, serges, chevots and worsteds. We have grouped them into three lots, with a full range of sizes in each lot, and priced them as follows: Lot 1--Former prices, \$2.50, 2.75, 3.00; Your choice, \$2.00. Lot 2--Former prices, \$3.50, 3.75, 4.00, 4.50; Your choice, \$3.00. Lot 3--Former prices, \$5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 6.50, 7.00, 7.50; Your choice, \$4.00.

You can't afford to miss this sale if your Boy needs Winter Clothing for this season or next.

GREATER OAK HALL, SCOVIL RBOS. & CO

King Street, Cor. Germain.

WRECKAGE ASHORE TELLS OF LOSS OF STEAMER TIBER OFF NOVA SCOTIA.

Halifax, March 3.—(Special)—There has been anxiety tonight as to the fate of the steamer Tiber, which sailed from Lunenburg Wednesday for Halifax with a cargo of coal.

When news was received here tonight from Canso that a large quantity of wreckage had been picked up at the western entrance of that place today, consisting of a steamer's deck house, with planks attached, also an easy chair and lounge, at Port Felix, West Whitehead, fishermen picked up a large wheel, two chairs, lounge and side of a ship's boat and at Goldboro, 15 miles west of Canso, two life buoys marked "Tiber, Montreal," and other wreckage was found.

Fishermen searched the shoals and islands of Canso in hopes of finding some trace of the crew, but nothing further was discovered up to late tonight. It is thought the steamer broke down after leaving Lunenburg and in the storm which raged on the coast Sunday night was driven to her doom.

The Tiber was under command Capt. Boulanger. The owners are Ald. Archibald of this city, and M. Dohell, of Quebec. The Tiber was from here to Philadelphia, and was loaded with brick for Cape Breton. She recently brought a cargo of pine from Georgia to Sydney.

The passengers of the steamers Necker and Karlsruhe are being landed here the first train load of about 200 eastern bound passengers left tonight for New York and the second train of western bound passengers will follow tonight or tomorrow morning. The third will leave tomorrow evening and the fourth during the night. There are about 2,300 passengers in all. The I. C. R. will take them from Halifax to Western Junction, near Montreal, where they will be turned over to the C. P. R. The Necker was towed up by three tugs this morning and docked at the I. C. R. pier.

Yarmouth, N. S., March 3.—(Special)—U. S. Consul Carter today received a telephone message from Lockport, stating that the American fishing schooner Reliance, with crew of 18 men, was ashore eight miles off that port and that she will be a total loss. The crew were all safely landed and are on the way here.

in congress. But then what the gentlemen of South Carolina say is of no more importance than the utterances from North Carolina, and they are both Democratic.

There is one thing that that proposed combination of Russia, Germany and France against England and Japan feels short in, which is the merchant fleet for the transportation of supplies and of troops. Britain has demonstrated her ability in that line to the astonishment of the world, and could also probably in the way of finances call any opponents bluff.

Rather an extraordinary dictum from the pulpit seems to be that of a Presbyterian clergyman Sunday according to our report, that "the healing of bodily disease was no part of Christ's mission on earth," was no part of Christ's mission on earth, Surely we have Christ's example, which was the best of his teaching, that care for the sick is one of the highest Christian virtues. Would the reverend gentleman deny that prayer for the sick is desirable?

"Does farming pay?" asks a country contemporary. Why should it not pay? Everything that a farm produces is salable for cash and it is only a matter of business as to whether the balance shall be upon the right side of the ledger or not. With good natural conditions and farming conducted upon a proper business system with intelligent modern methods, it cannot fail to pay.

India exports only 14 per cent of its wheat in the best of years, while in Argentina the exportable surplus of wheat in normal years is more than two-thirds of the crop. This means in Argentina an export of 1,100 to 1,500 pounds of wheat per head of the population, and in India only 53 pounds, but in bad years in India only 2 to 4 per cent of its wheat is exported. The harvests in both countries are contemporaneous.

RYHMES OF THE DAY.

The Busy Man.
I black my shoes and brush my hair,
I nearly tumble down the stairs;

A Ladies' Wedding.
She was a stylish sales-lady,
A night-watch-gentleman was he;

The White Lad.
Who does the office chores so well,
Uplifts the ink when better to sleep;

Our Future.
When men are no more slaves of circum-
stances
And taught shall satisfy that godlike way;

Take out every surplus letter—
Fewer syllables the better—
Mend your manuscript as you press it

Midnight in Egypt.
The midnight sleeps and into dreaming
Sinks,
And the white moon, a big newly-blown

Living and Giving.
There's nothing so easy as giving,
When you're sure you're giving to give;

There once was a fellow named Green,
Who grew so amazingly fat and green,
That his back touched his chest,

Difficultly About Getting It to the Landings—
Cut Very Large.

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Augusta, Me., March 1.—A serious problem is now confronting the lumbermen of the Kennebec waters—how to get the entire cut of logs to the landings. It appears that only about two-fifths of the cut has been hauled to the landings, and that it will take until well along into April to get the balance there.

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"VIGILANT NEST"
(Advertisement for a birdhouse or nest)
The only nest in the world which positively prevents the entrance of any pest.

DEPEATED IN BLOODY FIGHT.
Thousand Colombians Frustrated in New Invasion of Venezuela.

Man Who Wrote "Goo-Go Eyes" is Dead.
New York, Feb. 27.—John Queen, a minister and well-known writer of negro songs, died from pneumonia on Sunday at St. Vincent's Hospital.

Willemsstad, March 1.—According to advices from Caracas, the Moschis leader Garbin, with a 1,000 men, nearly all of them Colombians, attempted a new invasion of Venezuela near La Esia on Feb. 24.

MONTREAL HARBOR FRONT.
Proposition to Run Surface and Elevated Tracks.

A Curious Walking Stick.
An old lady in Scotland has in her possession a walking-stick made entirely of old used postage stamps.

That Spot.
Did you ever have that little tickling spot in your throat? Felt as if you could almost touch it with your finger, didn't it?

A Spider's Appetite.
A spider has a tremendous appetite, and his gourmandizing defies all human competition.

Breaks Monte Carlo Bank.
Monte Carlo, Feb. 28.—The bank at the Casino here was broken three times yesterday afternoon, chiefly owing to Mr. Laudau, an American, winning nearly \$7,000 at baccarat.

An Impertinent Prescription.
The announcement is made that Mrs. Monie Wallace Walker-Ketchum, of Chicago, will devote her ducats to the care of crippled children, who presumably can't walk up and catch 'em.—Toronto Star.

That Spot.
Did you ever have that little tickling spot in your throat? Felt as if you could almost touch it with your finger, didn't it? How hard you tried to reach it, but couldn't! It's easy with Vapo-Cresolene, for you breathe it. There's nothing in the world equal to it for stopping these tickling coughs; and it's so pleasant, too.

Big Clergy Enterprise Incorporated.
Toronto, March 4.—(Special)—Letters of incorporation were issued today for the largest of Clergy companies at Sault Ste. Marie, with a capital of \$30,000,000.

MARKET REPORTS.

Table with columns: PROVISIONS, Am clear pork, Pork, P. E. prime mess, etc.

Table with columns: FISH, Codfish, medium, larger, Pollock, etc.

Table with columns: GRAIN, Oats, Provincial, Split Peas, etc.

Table with columns: OILS, American Water White, Canadian Water White, etc.

Table with columns: RAUBINS, Liver, Lard, etc.

Table with columns: APPLES, Dried Apples, Evaporated Apples, etc.

Table with columns: FLOUR AND MEAL, Cornmeal, Middlings, etc.

Table with columns: SALT, Liverpool, sack, etc.

Table with columns: SPOICES, Nutmegs, Cloves, etc.

Table with columns: COFFEY, Condensed, 1 lb cans, etc.

Table with columns: MATCHEES, Gross, CANDLEES, Mould per lb, etc.

Table with columns: LIME, Casks, 0 85 to 1 00, etc.

Table with columns: TAR AND PITCH, Domestic coal tar, Coal tar pitch, etc.

Table with columns: COALS, Old Mines Sydney per chald, etc.

Table with columns: LUMBER, Spruce deals, Bay Fundy 100 to 10 50, etc.

Table with columns: DEALS, C. D., Liverpool intake mess, etc.

Table with columns: Country Market—Retail, Western beef, Lamb, etc.

Table with columns: Fresh Fish, Halibut, per lb, etc.

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Table with columns: Dry Fish, Codfish, large, etc.

Table with columns: A SATISFACTORY MONTH, Dun's Trade Review—New England Footwear, etc.

AROUND THE TOWN.

There is an English immigrant who has a poor opinion of St. John meat shops and of the English language as written by the proprietors thereof—that is of the meat shops. He was passing up Portland on the story goes, when he spied a sign in a meat store window: "Horse for sale."

From a distance the young man saw the young woman and straightway admitted to the full extent of his meek and retiring personality. For his mildness was perfection, and a heartiness of modesty held in check the execution of certain thoughts that sometimes came to him. However, in the eye he accepted thirteenth of his mind's gift, he pondered deeply and by and by decided on a step of surpassing grandeur that could never have been brought about except through the uncontrollable growth of amorous influences.

LIFTED BRAIN OF MAN FROM ITS SEAT.
Remainable Surgical Operation Likely to Prove Successful.

I have two clowns who made their first entry into commercial life last week. These youthful business men, aged 5 and 7 respectively, have had a rude shock to their humanitarian views of the methods of business men. An ideal has been destroyed. The elder had remarked to me that it was easy to become a millionaire and he intended to be one. He and his brother formed a partnership and having collected 200 old newspapers started out to make a sale. They carried their stock in trade with them on a sled, and decided the market a likely place to sell old newspapers for wrapping purposes.

SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH'S PICTURE PUZZLES



NOT A ST. JOHN MAN. John L. Carleton Thinks Man Injured in Train Wreck Was Not His Brother.



EDITH HAS LOST HER KITTEN. WHERE IS IT?

TORONTO HAS \$150,000 FIRE.

Union Loan Building Guttered—Civil Engineers Ask Recognition by Legislature.



TO ARREST ENGINEER.

Grand Jury's Action in Connection With New York Tunnel Disaster.



JOHN, HAVE YOU RAKED THE GARDEN? FIND JOHN.

Big Slate Pencil Contract.

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 1.—A contract has been made by the London agent of the D. M. Steward Manufacturing Company of this city, to furnish all the slates of that city with slate pencils. It will require 5,000,000 pencils annually to supply the demand.



A SATISFACTORY MONTH. Dun's Trade Review—New England Footwear, Outlook Not So Bright—Canadian Business.

Advertisement for Shiloh's Consumption Cure, featuring an illustration of a man and a dog, and text describing the cure's benefits for coughs and colds.

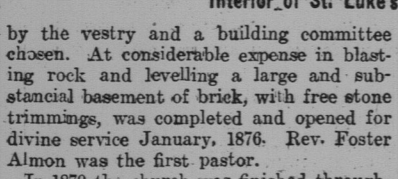
THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., MARCH 5, 1902.

YEARS OF GROWTH AND BUSY WORK IN ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

First Building Destroyed in Disastrous Fire, Which Burned Many Structures—Present Edifice Described—Those Who Have Had Spiritual Care of the Congregation.

On October 24th, 1828, tenders were asked for the erection of a church in the parish of Portland, near Fort Howe...

friend, and the blow to the congregation may be well remembered. The church was insured for \$8,000 and the loss was about \$17,000. It had but a short time before undergone extensive repairs.



Interior of St. Luke's Church, Main Street.

By the vestry and a building committee chosen. At considerable expense in blasting rock and leveling a large and substantial basement of brick with free stone trimmings, was completed and opened for divine service January, 1876. Rev. Foster Almon was the first pastor.

The exterior of the church is plain, but nothing has been spared to make the interior very beautiful. The chancel proper is approached from the basement vestibule by broad, easy stairways, with pined panels in oak, and richly worked black walnut newels and handrails.

considered by competent judges especially good, while the workmanship is thorough. This church has been called 'one of the chastest and best proportioned churches in the diocese.'

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GOVERNMENT CANDIDATE CARRIES KINGS.

Continued from page 13) to introduce the baggy Railway lists into the campaign but, as we easily proved that Mr. King or the government were not responsible for the occurrence, their introduction was without effect.

Want the President at Charleston.

Washington, March 3—A delegation of prominent citizens of Charleston, S. C., had a conference with President Roosevelt and strongly urged him to keep his engagement to visit the exposition, and assured him a most cordial welcome.

TO BREAK UP A COOLD

all you require is a glass of hot water, a little sugar, and thirty drops of Polano's Nervine. Take it real hot, and in the morning you will wake up without a cold.

Surviving Twin Getting Better.

Paris, March 2—Radica, the survivor of the Hindoo twins, is making such rapid progress to recovery that she is now able to leave her bed for several hours daily.

THE TURF.

Race for Provincial Bred Runners. To the Sporting Editor of the Telegraph: Sir,—Being of the opinion that there must be a number of provincial bred running colts and aged horses owned in the provinces...

THE HOSPITAL DEAD

Undertaker Tells of Some Things He Has Seen at Local Institution.

THE MORGUE VISITED.

Telegraph Went There Friday Night, Found It Open, and Was Unhindered in Examination—Suggestion of Reform.

The citizens have been learning more about the General Public Hospital in the past few weeks than they have ever known before, also the grievances would have been rectified. A citizen speaking to the Telegraph Friday remarked that the public had not been slow in expressing its appreciation of the paper's fearless course in exposing the system of the hospital.

man passed around to the front door and found there two nurses whom he had seen when he entered the premises. In response to the reporter's question if Dr. Bayfield was within, one of the nurses said, "Ring the bell." He did so and a minute afterwards was ushered into the presence of Dr. Lunney.

A GREAT INCREASING ARMY, composed of men and women that spend heart and soul in the vain effort to overcome a lack of vigor in the body, to place inertia by vigor, to make good, red blood that will build up the system, to have strong nerves, you must eat more, digest more, assimilate more. How can you do this? By using Ferronzo. It invigorates, strengthens, possesses magical health giving power. Get Ferronzo today and make yourself strong and well.

UNNECESSARY TO SUFFER FROM ASTHMA. This distressing complaint can be perfectly cured by inhaling Catarrhazone, a vegetable antiseptic that destroys the germs which cause the disease. Catarrhazone is inhaled at the mouth from a convenient pocket inhaler, and after permeating the minutest air cells, is exhaled slowly through the nostrils. It stops the cough, makes breathing regular, and eradicates the Asthma so thoroughly from the system that it never returns. Don't suffer from Asthma; use Catarrhazone; it will speedily cure you. Large outfit, \$1. Small outfit, 50 cents. Druggists, or by mail, from Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Money to loan on city, town, village or country property in amounts to suit the rate of interest. H. H. Pickett, solicitor, 50 Princess street, St. John. 1-13-02.

FOR SALE.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE or Rent, in Sussex, Canada, with excellent Farm. For particulars inquire of T. Sefton, Moncton, N. B.

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Dr. J. Collis Browne's Chlorodyne.

IS THE GREAT SPECIFIC FOR Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Cholera, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis.

THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS, Sept. 28, 1885, says: "If I were asked which simple medicine I should prefer to take abroad with me, I should likely be most generally useful, to the exclusion of all others, I should say CHLOROXYNE. I never travel without it, and its general applicability to the relief of a large number of simple ailments forms its best recommendation."

Dr. J. Collis Browne's Chlorodyne is a liquid medicine which assuages PAIN of EVERY KIND, affords a calm, refreshing sleep, WITHOUT DRUGS, and invigorates the nervous system when exhausted.

Dr. J. Collis Browne's Chlorodyne Rapidly cuts short all attacks of Epilepsy, Spasms, Colic, Palpitation, Hysteria.

IMPORTANT CAUTION—The IMMENSE SALES of this REMEDY has given rise to many UNSCRUPULOUS IMITATIONS. Be careful to observe trade mark. Of all Chemists, 1s. 1-2d., 6s. 1-8 and 4s. 6d.

SOLE MANUFACTURER—J. T. DAVENPORT, 31, Great Union Street, London, W.C.

WANTED. Agents, Send for Circulars of our new line of illustrated and self-promoting Bibles. They are low in price and sell readily. Best terms guaranteed. Full particulars on application. J. W. Stankhouse, Trustee, Upper Loch Lomond School, District No. 20, St. John Co., N. B.

WANTED—A first or second class female or a second class male teacher in Dist. No. 8, Parish of McAdam. Apply, stamped and by return, to Trustees, Valenceboro, Maine. 1-21-02.

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SHARP'S BALSAM OF Eucalypti and Aniseed cures Croup, Coughs, Colds, 50 YEARS IN USE Price 25 cts a bottle.

Malay kites are being used on the French river Moselle for towing boats. An experiment was tried with a kite six feet long, which towed a boat containing six persons and made good headway against a strong current.

To Lumbermen and others! The Cushing Sulphite Fibre Co., Ltd., of St. John, N. B., are open to contract with Lumbermen and others for a supply of Spruce Pulp Wood for delivery next spring in large or small quantities. Apply to MR JAMES BEVERIDGE, St. John, N. B., or to the Company at Fairville, N. B.

FEED FLOUR. Barley Chop, Wheat Chop, Pork, Molasses, Fish, Butter, Lard, etc.

JAMES COLLINS, 208 and 210 Union Street, St. John, N. B.

EPPS'S COCOA THE MOST NUTRITIOUS Prepared from the finest selected Cocoa, and distinguished everywhere for its purity, richness, and nutritive properties. Sold in quarter-pound tins, labelled "EPPS'S COCOA," and in 4-ounce tins, labelled "EPPS'S COCOA," London, England.

EPPS'S COCOA BREAKFAST-SUPPER.

BoneGrinders Portable Forge, Drilling Machine Manufactured by JAMES EPPS & CO., Ltd., 45-53 Smythe Street, St. John, N. B., Tel. No.