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A COLD WAVE.

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 15.—The cold wave shows no sign of moderating. Reports from 24 points over Texas at seven o'clock tonight show the thermometer readings from 11 above at

Texarkana to 29 above at Houston. Zero weather is expected over northern Texas generally tonight. Severe sufferings reported from the cattle country to the Northwest of Dallas and Fort Worth.

MANCHURIAN QUESTION.

Japan Would Fight to Stop Russian Occupation.

PEKIN, Dec. 15.—The Manchurian question has reached a stage which best informed observers consider to be a crisis in Chinese history. The Chinese government is best between Russia on the one hand and Great Britain, the United States and Japan on the other. The government is helpless and will yield to that faction able to bring the strongest pressure to bear.

Prince Ching is distinctly more friendly to Great Britain than was Li Hung Chang. The British, American and Japanese representatives here have separately visited Prince Ching and insisted they be shown any treaty before it is signed. Prince Ching has submitted to them the draft of a treaty practically identical to the treaty already published. Prince Ching is now pressing Russia for more definite terms, the present form of the treaty being so vague in its important points as virtually to leave Russia a free hand.

The Japanese minister has taken a strong stand in the matter and has notified Prince Ching that Japan will require equivalent concession to all the advantages conceded to Russia in Manchuria.

The belief is general that Russia intends to ignore what she regards as mere formal objections on the part of the other powers. Japan would go to the length of war to stop the Russian occupation of Manchuria if she were assured of support, but she will not risk a repetition of the rebuff received after the China-Japanese war.

DAY BOATS TO BANGOR.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Charles W. Morse, who has a controlling interest in the Boston and Bangor Steamship company, tonight confirmed a rumor contained in a despatch from Bangor, Me., that his company proposes to run day line boats between that city and Boston.

"Yes, that is true," Mr. Morse said. "Night boats have been running between those two cities for some time past. We have decided to run a day line as well. To accomplish this one boat is now being built at Bath, Me., about the size of the Rockland, one of the night boats, and the plans and specifications for two others are ready. It has not yet been fully decided where the two additional boats are to be built; possibly one in Bath, the other here in New York or in Boston."

HER LONG LOST FAMILY.

WHITMAN, Mass., Dec. 15.—Mrs. Alice Cook of Boston, who until a week ago supposed that she had not a relative save her own child living in the world, has traced the whereabouts of her father and sister, and only for the heavy storm of today she would have met her father, from whom she was separated when five months old, and who is at present residing at Weymouth, Mass. Her sister, who now, as Mrs. Charles Mansur, is living in Richmond, Me., was adopted years ago by Mr. and Mrs. George F. Leavitt of this town, and she has remained in total ignorance of the whereabouts of her sister until within a few days.

AT THE QUEEN'S CORONATION.

Haverhill, Mass., Dec. 15.—Mark Knipe, a well known shoe manufacturer of this city, died today after a short illness. He was born in England 73 years ago, and was the only man in New England who was present at the coronation of Queen Victoria. Upon coming to this country, he established woolen mills in Rochester, N. H., Brighton and Oxford, Me., and after spending twelve years in California returned and went into the shoe business. He was one of the most prominent orthopedists and taxidermists in New England.

BASIS FOR SETTLEMENT.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—A despatch to the Times from Valparaiso says that Chile has proposed to the Argentine Republic as a basis for the settlement of the difficulties between the countries, that Chile shall disavow all intention of treating the roads in the disputed territory as evidence of previous right of possession; that the Argentine officials shall withdraw from doubtful territory and that paths to facilitate the work of the British commission shall be constructed at the joint expense of both countries.

OVERLAND ROUTE.

PARIS, Dec. 15.—Harry De Windt, the explorer, who is to attempt an overland trip from Paris to New York has completed the preparations for his expedition and will start for Siberia Dec. 19. The Russian government is actively assisting him and has telegraphed to the remote settlements in North Siberia to have reindeer and dogs in readiness for the use of the explorer. De Windt's companions on the journey will be Viconte De Clinchamps and George Harding.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Dec. 15.—West strong winds and gales northwest, decidedly colder, snow furries; Tuesday, northwesterly winds, fair and cold. Maritime east, rain, turning to snow, northwesterly winds tonight and change to colder. Tuesday northwesterly gales and decidedly colder.

HORRIBLE AND BLASPHEMOUS.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—At the Old Bailey today the grand jury returned a true bill against Theodore Jackson and Laura Jackson. "Ann O'Connell De Bar." The recorder in charging the grand jury commented upon the horrible and blasphemous character of the evidence.

POLICE COURT.

Harry Gitchall poured forth a tale of woe this morning which was calculated to soften the hardest heart, but it did not work in the police court. He was arrested on Saturday morning for being drunk and begging from house to house on Main street and endeavored to explain his conduct to the magistrate. He said that he had come from Prince Edward Island on Thursday and was going to his home in Houlton, Maine. He was turned back at Mt. Adam and reached St. John on Friday. While in the I. C. R. depot on Friday two newboys went through his pockets and took from him \$9.00 in cash and a ticket for Houlton. He is a cripple and was unable to defend himself. Then he continued drinking, which conduct he had been engaged in before the robbery, and was also begging money on Main street, but did not meet with much success. Gitchall was sentenced to eight dollars or two months. Associates with him on the bench were Mary Jane Toner, drunk on St. James street; Richard Fitzgerald, King square; Daniel Donohue, St. John street; William Harding, Sheffield street, and John Price, Sheffield street. These all admitted to being drunk and all were fined eight dollars or two months. Two other drunks released on deposit failed to show up and their deposits were forfeited.

WASHOUTS ON THE C. P. R.

Trains From Montreal and Boston Cancelled.

The exceptionally heavy rains of the past few days in this province, Quebec and the State of Maine have placed the railway people in a somewhat sorry plight. The principal sufferers are the C. P. R., Maine Central and Bangor and Aroostook roads. The Engine 713, in charge of Engineer Rosby, Fireman J. Patton, both of Farnham, Quebec, and Pilot Estey left Brownville at eight o'clock last evening and ran into a washout one mile west of Brownville. The locomotive was ditched. Rosby and Estey were severely scorched by the escaping steam, although not seriously. Fireman Patton was killed.

All available men were at once put to work repairing the road and about two o'clock this morning a special with a large gang left St. John for the scene of the trouble. Supt. Osborne and Engineer Barbour went on in the train. General Superintendent Osborne stated, before going out this morning, that from reports received he thought the line would be cleared in a few days. The express from Montreal, which should have arrived at noon today, has been held at Megantic. The express from Boston to St. John will run only to that point.

There is some talk of the C. P. R. trains running over the I. C. R. to Quebec, but this has not as yet been decided on.

TROUBLE IN ST. PHILIP'S.

The trustees of St. Philip's church are I. T. Richardson, C. E. Brackett, Philip Bushan and John Jackson. Some years ago an agreement was entered into between these trustees and the school board whereby the latter were to pay the sum of \$75 per annum for the use of the room over the church as a school-room. This amount was to be expended in repairs and whatever was left over was to be devoted to charity. St. Philip's church being given the preference. For quite a few years the trustees have paid to the church \$25 annually, and at the same time have submitted reports showing the expenditure. During the past two years no money has been paid to the church from this fund, nor has any report been submitted. The matter has become one of burning interest to the congregation, and last night after the regular service Rued McIntyre asked permission to put a question. Upon his request being granted, he asked what had become of this money, why it was not paid to the church, and why no reports were sent in. Another member of the congregation also asked the same question, and Rev. J. O. Morley replied that he had repeatedly begged the trustees to submit a report, but as yet nothing had been done. After some discussion the congregation appointed Rev. J. O. Morley and Rued McIntyre a committee with power to act in the matter and secure what information they could in regard to the missing cash.

ICE RAN OUT.

The ice on Eel river and from Woodstock to Springhill, about five miles from Fredericton, ran out this morning, carrying with it about 8,000,000 feet of lumber. This is piled up at Springhill and will probably be a total loss.

THE TURKISH BATHS.

There were twenty-eight patrons of the Turkish baths on Chipman's Hill Saturday evening. The proprietor would remind his patrons that the service would be better if they distributed their visits over other evenings of the week, with not so many to take the baths on any one evening.

Dan Littlejohn, the pugilist, left this afternoon for Halifax, where he will meet Foley, the local champion, in a four round contest next Monday. Littlejohn will also be a contestant in a preliminary bout in an exhibition tomorrow night.

Another member of the newspaper fraternity has succumbed to the charms of Cupid. In this instance the courageous scribe is H. J. Anderson, who will on Wednesday lead to the altar Miss Emma Maxwell of Portland street. After a honeymoon trip to the United States the happy couple will reside on Garden street.

Sch. Viola, at Vineyard Haven, having effected temporary repairs at Vineyard Haven, shipped her rudder Friday with the assistance of a diver and is expected here in the course of a day or two to make permanent repairs.

EDISON DOUBTS

That Marconi Received a Wireless Message Across the Ocean.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—A special to the Herald from Orange, N. J., says: Thomas A. Edison doubts the reliability and accuracy of the published statements that Marconi has received a wireless message across the ocean. The celebrated inventor was seen in Llewellyn park this evening.

"I doubt this story," said Mr. Edison. "I don't believe it. Do you think Marconi was deceived because the letter which it is alleged he received was the one which he had instructed should be sent him?"

"Oh, no," replied Mr. Edison. "I don't believe he was deceived, but I doubt the story. That letter 'S', with the three dots is a very simple one, but I have been fooled myself. Until the published reports are verified I shall doubt the accuracy of the account."

IN THE PHILIPPINES.

MANILA, Dec. 15.—General J. Franklin Bell has been exceedingly active in Bacangas province, where he intends, by every means available, to stamp out the insurrection. There are daily small fights between the insurgents and the men of General Bell's command. In which the former are almost invariably routed. Lieut. Hennessy of the 8th infantry, together with one American scout and six Filipinos, captured an insurgent major with 43 men, 20 rifles and \$50 rounds of ammunition, without the loss of a man.

The insurgent general, Torres, who was found guilty by a military commission of ordering the assassination of an American corporal and sentenced to be hanged, but whose sentence was disapproved by General Chaffee, broke down when he was released. He said it was just that his life be spared because he was innocent of the crime imputed to him.

STORM STILL CONTINUES.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 15.—Another storm, which began late last night, is sweeping over Southern Wyoming, and a railway blockade is imminent. Trains going over Sherman Hill are preceded by a rotary snow plow and a wedge blow and are in readiness for an emergency. The air is warm and heavy and are in readiness for an emergency six hours late from the east and four hours late from the west.

GREEN RIVER, Wyo., Dec. 15.—Andrew Christensen, who runs a sheep shed north of Green river, has reached here and reports that all flocks in that section are lost, together with a number of herders. The storm, he says, was the worst he ever saw in this state.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 15.—Two men were killed and another was severely injured at Delray, a suburb of Detroit, early today by a Lake Shore passenger train. The dead are Charles Desrosier, 42, Coral, Fred Weisner, Delray; Ernest Henselman, leg broken, head cut. The men who are on their way to work, were walking on the railroad track. It was very foggy and they neither saw nor heard the approaching train. Desrosier was instantly killed and Weisner died from his injuries very soon after he was picked up.

MISSING SCHOONER.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—The steamer S. Wilhelm, lumber laden, from Manitowish, came into port, vessel and cargo covered with a heavy coating of ice. Captain Roache reported that in the heavy seas off Racine, the schooner Galatea, which she had in tow, broke loose late Saturday night, and after a search for several hours he had been forced to run for shelter. The schooner, he said, was so loaded down with the ice that her decks were almost even with the water. Tugs were at once despatched in search of the missing schooner, but at a late hour no reports of her have been received.

FOUR LIVES LOST.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—A storm which for severity and destructiveness has not been equalled in this section for 25 years visited eastern and central Pennsylvania last night, causing almost unprecedented damage and resulting in the loss of at least four human lives. The havoc in the coal regions is enormous, and the loss to railroad and mining companies will amount to millions of dollars. The Schuylkill, Lehigh, Susquehanna and Juniata rivers have risen as high as 15 feet above their levels and all of their tributaries have overflowed, inundating the surrounding country in many a dozen counties.

CAN SATISFY NOBODY.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Few of the London papers comment on the findings of the Schley Court inquiry. The Standard says the court's report can satisfy nobody. "If we may venture to advise the American people," says the Standard, "we should advise them either to drop the dispute altogether or to court-martial Admiral Schley." The Chronicle commends Admiral Dewey's gallant loyalty to his comrade, but does not think his judgment upset the authority of the main report.

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ANTI-BRITISH DEMONSTRATION.

A certain portion of the German press and people have of late been particularly open in its anti-English demonstrations. A speech of Mr. Chamberlain's, and more especially a passage quoting historical precedent for greater severities in the Boer war has been made the pretext of this attack. In referring to the matter the London Telegraph says:—

Fortunately for the future of the relations between the two races, there is at the head of the Empire a ruler with the blood of Queen Victoria in his veins, who knows, understands, and appreciates the nation which has not forgotten and will never forget his sympathy with them in their hour of deepest anguish. An estrangement between Germany and Great Britain would be a calamity to the world second only in gravity to an alienation from one another of the two great branches of the Anglo-Saxon race. There are those, unhappily, in England, as well as in Germany, who would establish such a breach if it were possible. If anything could give pause to the assailants of this country in Germany, it might well be the results of the late elections in Natal. Hitherto the Germans, who constitute a considerable body of farmers in the north of that colony, have habitually voted with the Dutch. On the last occasion, only a few weeks ago, they gave their suffrages for Imperialist candidates. Could such a change of German opinion in South Africa have been effected if one hundredth part of the acts of cruelty and oppression with which they have been so basely discredited? At home a portion of the Nonconformists has been led astray by the falsehoods deliberately circulated; in South Africa it would be impossible to find a dozen representatives of Wesleyans, Baptists, Presbyterians, or Congregationalists who are not the most ardent supporters of Lord Milner and his policy. Do all men alike, German farmers, English and Scotch, lose their humanity the moment they set foot in South Africa? That is a question which our foreign critics might well ask themselves.

INTERESTING BUT PALLIATIVE.

When the bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal church was in this city some months ago, he said, in the course of an address in St. Philip's church that possibly when the white race had worn itself out with the feverish activity of life the brain of the happy-go-lucky negro would be the virgin soil through which would be developed a new and splendid civilization.

Oddly enough, a German who had been studying the question of Russian expansion in the direction of the Orient is quoted by Senator Beveridge in the Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post as making a similar remark about the Slav. The German said:—"The Russian people are hardly a people yet—they are still in the process of being compounded. Our children's children may find themselves worn out when these thick-skulled, hairy, no-nerved Slavs are just coming into their prime; and, similarly, our posterity may find themselves without markets when the future Russian may find himself in the actual possession of the only markets of the world now capable of seizure."

The weak point in the argument of both the negro bishop and the German is the assumption that while one race is developing the other will be drifting backward. There is no more reason to suppose that one will develop than that the other will also continue to improve.

At a recent meeting of the National Union of Conservative and Constitutional associations at Wolverhampton, England, at which Sir Alfred Hickman, M. P., presided, a resolution was presented calling the attention of his Majesty's government to the present inequalities in the parliamentary representation of the people of the United Kingdom, and respectfully urging upon the government the necessity of introducing into parliament a measure having for its object the abolition of the injustice occasioned thereby. All that Ireland was entitled to, it was stated, was forty-four members. Scotland provided three times as much as Ireland to the national exchequer, and yet has had thirty-one members, fewer than Ireland. If the people of England wished to be masters in their own house then they must support the resolution which he now proposed.

In the Globe office Saturday afternoon, on the fortieth anniversary of his purchase of the paper, Senator Ellis was reminded in a very pleasant and substantial manner of the esteem in which he is held by his employees. Members of the various departments of the paper waited upon him, and J. A. Clarke, on behalf of the mechanical staff, presented him with an appreciative address, accompanied by a gift of a handsomely upholstered easy chair. On behalf of the business and editorial staffs, Mr. Ellis was presented by H. B. Codner with a superb edition of Carlyle in twenty-six volumes, bound in morocco.

The meeting of the St. Stephen's Church Guild this evening will be in charge of the historical committee, and George M. Robertson will deliver a lecture on Electricity.

HOLIDAY GIFTS.

Where and What to Buy for Christmas.

W. H. Thorne & Co., are showing this year an exceptionally fine line of Christmas goods. Among the many different articles suitable for presents are pretty pieces and sets of cut glass, manicure sets, brushes and combs, mirrors and children's mugs in sterling silver; electro-plated teapots, bake dishes, side, fern and chafing dishes, and cutlery in cases. There are some beautiful desert and fish knives and forks and a number of handsome clocks. In brass ware the display is a large one and includes fancy andirons, fire irons and fenders, coal hods and wood boxes.

For younger people there is an endless variety of skis, snowshoes, skates, sleds, carts, games, dumb-bells, Indian clubs, plug-pong, and in fact almost everything which tends to gladden the hearts of the children.

Charles Baillie has sold smokers' reticettes over his own counter for twenty-five years, which means that he knows where to buy and how to buy the best class of goods for holiday as well as everyday trade. "Got it at Baillie's," is enough to say about an article to prove its good quality. In his store at 70 King street Mr. Baillie has just received a new stock of elegant things for Christmas gifts. These include Havana cigars, in boxes of 25, 50 and 100; best quality of pipes, finest leather and gun metal cigar and cigarette cases, pipe racks, tobacco jars, pouches, and other things that delight smokers. Mr. Baillie is a direct importer of Havana cigars, and of pipes of highest quality.

J. P. HOGAN. No nicer present nor one which would be more highly appreciated by a lady, could be suggested than a fashionable tailor-made coat. J. P. Hogan, of 101 Charlotte street, has in stock a large assortment of goods suitable for winter wear. The very rough cloth coats are exceedingly fine quality are decidedly the most 'chic' if one leaves furs out of the question. The special feature is that none of the shops carry a line of these coats ready made in the city. The best tailors, some of the long skirted coats are very fetching. The Norfolk jacket is decidedly graceful and is used for suit jackets rather than for outside coats, and besides being attractive has a youthful air. Some of the prettiest outing costumes are made down all around or belted across the sides and back.

EMERSON & FISHER, whose extensive business has an established reputation throughout the maritime provinces, are featuring a vast list of practical articles for the Christmas trade. Their large show-rooms on Prince William street are filled with articles which will make sensible holiday gifts. From the holiday trade the establishment of Emerson & Fisher is an advantageous place for intending purchasers of kitchen furnishings, heating apparatus or hardware.

J. N. HARVEY, the Union street clothier, whose establishment is located in the Opera House block, is offering special inducements to Christmas purchasers. By conducting his business on a cash basis and exercising special care in selecting stock Mr. Harvey has been able to give his patrons the benefit of the lowest prices. Any article in the store will make a practical holiday gift for men or boys. There are usters, overcoats, reefers, hats, caps, ties, braces, gloves, mitts, underwear and other articles almost innumerable.

T. L. BOURKE, the old established wholesale wine and spirit house of Thomas L. Bourke, 53 Water street, as heretofore, has imported stocks of the choicest beverages for the festive season's trade and is prepared to fill orders with facility.

JAMES RYAN, grocer and wholesale liquor merchant, corner of King Square and Charlotte street, offers splendid opportunities to the Christmas buyer. The firm has secured a full line of groceries and is making a specialty of wines and liquors for the Christmas trade. There are inducements presented for householders and Mr. Ryan is enjoying a brisk trade as a consequence. Country patrons will find it especially advantageous to purchase at this store, which is one of the oldest up-town establishments.

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MARCONI'S TRIUMPH.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Major Flood-Page, of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company, confirmed to a representative of the Associated Press that Mr. Marconi, at St. John's, Nfld., had received signals from the experimental station at Poldhu, Penzance. Major Flood-Page said the severe weather made continuous tests very difficult, but there was no doubt that the wireless signals had been successfully transmitted across the Atlantic. Mr. Marconi today made a further explanation of his trans-oceanic signals. He said he expected them to be stronger than they were. He was very confident that he would receive them. He attributes their faintness to mid-ocean wind currents and imperfections in his kite apparatus. He expects better tests tomorrow if the weather enables his balloons to ascend. There is some fog on the coast today. Poorly conditions will give better signals than will clear atmosphere.

THE BILL OF FARE.

A few nights ago a countryman evidently suffering from the not uncommon ignorance of the true nature and treatment of smallpox, accented the night guard at the Vincent house on Richmond street and enquired "What do you give them to eat?" Without even the faintest glimmer of a smile the guard responded: "For breakfast—Sulphur; for dinner—carbolic acid; and for supper—cream of tartar."

"Well! Well! I knew it was an aw-

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ful sickness, but never thought it was so bad as that. I have been scared of smallpox all along, but now I will be more frightened of it whatever."

A DRUNKEN SAILOR CREATES A SENSATION. HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 15.—One of the most daring crimes in the police annals of Halifax was committed at 3 o'clock Sunday morning by Private Sullivan of the Royal Canadian Regiment. He entered the home of the Good Shepherd, a Roman Catholic institution in the suburbs of the city and made his way to the room of Sister St. Paul. She was asleep, but hearing footsteps, started up. Sullivan was armed with a stick. Seeing he was discovered, he struck the sister a dreadful blow on the head with the stick, cutting her down to the eye. Blood flowed profusely. This was done apparently to prevent the giving of an alarm, and allow himself time to escape, for he at once ran away and got out of the building. The police, however, were notified by telephone from the home, and a force of men was sent out. A close watch resulted in the capture of the soldier in the yard. He had entered the building by breaking a window. Today Sullivan made a statement to the police that he did not know he committed the crime. The inference is that he was drunk. He is an ex-regular soldier, and enlisted in the Royal Canadians in Ontario.

MOUNTED RIFLES. OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—The minister of militia was notified by the British war office yesterday of an offer to increase the Mounted Rifles up to 900 men. This means an addition of two squadrons, and is made because there is sufficient accommodation available on the transport Victoria and Manhattan. One squadron will be raised from Winnipeg to Vancouver, the other in the eastern provinces. Recruiting in the west will commence on the 23rd and the dates of recruiting and quotas in the east will be begun tomorrow. The men will be chosen from the west and will be thoroughly experienced.

Infants too young to take medicine may be cured of croup, whooping cough and colds by using Vapo-Cresoleum—they breathe it. YORK CAMPAIGN. FREDERICTON, Dec. 14.—Hon. Mr. Borden, leader of the conservative party in Canada, and J. D. Hazen, leader of the provincial opposition, will address a mass meeting at the Opera House on Thursday evening in support of the candidature of Rev. Dr. McLeod. Dr. McLeod and the speakers supporting him, have done a week of effective campaigning throughout the county, and reports received are that his candidature is most enthusiastically received.

PRICE OF DEALS. Lumber operators who get lumber cut by portable mills close to railway points for shipment to St. John are now talking about contracts for their deals. Some have doubtless been made, but others are still negotiating. Of one thing they are assured—that prices will be much better than they were last year. The man on the street says \$11 to \$12 per thousand is being talked of by those who have the stuff to sell, but the large buyers are not showing their hand just yet.

ST. JOHN MEN PASSED. OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—The following candidates have passed the lower grade civil service examination: At St. John—Cosman, Geo. C.; Coughlan, T. E.; Crowley, Jos. I.; Donovan, Jeremiah; Polkina, Geo. W.; Jackson, John; Kelly, Arthur C.; Melick, Arthur K.; Morrissey, Michael; Macdonald, Wm. L.; Wallace, Harry W. B.

BATING MEAGRE FAIRE. CALAIS, Dec. 15.—A Milltown, N. B. man who is no stranger in Calais, is doing a little matter of 60 days in the county jail at St. Andrews for demolishing the windows of a neighbor's house and the peace on earth, good will to men sentiment will find little response in his breast as he sits down to the meagre fare provided by the New Brunswick authorities on Christmas day and reflects on the good time the other fellow is having. He can trace all his troubles to a desire for strong drink.

FIRE SALVAGE. (Boston Evening Record.) It was in the equity court room, in the Federal building, before Judge Aldrich, and it was an insurance case, with a witness on the stand from way up in the Berkshire hills. He was tall and cadaverous, and one would never suspect him of being humorous. After a long description of the fighting of the fire by his fellow countrymen, he was finally asked by one of the lawyers: "Well, as a matter of fact, the building was completely destroyed, wasn't it?" "Well, we managed to save the cellar!" Judge Aldrich joined in the laughter, that was general and prolonged.

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WANTED.—A Stenographer and Typewriter for business office. One with experience preferred. Address, Typewriter, Star Office.

WANTED.—Costmaker wanted at once. Apply to N. A. SHELLEY, 85 Germain street.

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GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special, accident, sickness, indemnification policies and general insurance business. Liberal terms to reliable men. Write box 228, Montreal.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

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WANTED.—By Competent Man, permanent or temporary employment at Books, half-yearly accounts, or general office work. Best references. Address, "D. E.," care of Daily Star Office.

SITUATION WANTED.—A young man engaged during the day would like to obtain work for evenings, such as keeping a small set of books, copying, etc. Address E. C. care Star Office.

WANTED.—Position as nurse during confinement or taking care of invalids. S. A., Star Office.

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WANTED.—By a woman of experience a position as Nurse or managing housekeeper. Can also well recommended. Address M. A., care STAR Office.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

ALL KINDS SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED. Needles and parts for all makes at W. H. BELLS, 28 Dock Street.

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MONEY—Advanced on mortgage in large or small sums. Apply to Chas. Macdonald, barrister, Walker Building, Canterbury St.

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SEAL SKIN COAT for sale. Apply to T. K., Star Office.

CARBIDE PLACARDS OF FLATS, ROOMS, SHOPS AND HOUSES TO LET can be had at the Sun Counting Room.

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HOTELS.

HOTEL DUFFERIN.

E. LeROY WILLIS, St. John, N. B. J. J. McCAFFREY, Manager.

Grand Division S. of T. of N. B.

The Officers and Past Officers of the Grand Division S. of T. of New Brunswick, are requested to meet at the Methodist Church, Fairville, at 2 p. m., tomorrow (Tuesday) to represent the Grand Division at the funeral of our late brother, Rev. Job Shenton. A. J. ARMSTRONG, Grand Scribe.

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It isn't polite to "look a gift horse in the mouth"—but everybody does. If you give an Oak Hall Overcoat you needn't be afraid of having it looked into by sharpest, most critical eyes. We'll be glad of the examination—and take the coat back if it doesn't please.

Overcoats \$5 to \$20.

A clear saving of at least 25 per cent. at each price.

Holiday Specials in Boys' Clothing.

There will be stirring times in the Boys' Clothing Section every day and every evening this week, where the boys will be fitted out with our splendidly made and lowly priced clothing.

If your boy has not been provided for, you should look out for him now.

Remember, a pair of Hockey Skates goes Free with every purchase amounting to \$3.00 and over.

Bring the children to see Santa Claus.

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St. John, N. B.

FALL WOOLLENS.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived. Sch. Joseph Hay, 165, Phipps, Boston, Bal. Sch. Marlon, 124, Salter, Stonington, oak. to Rhodes & Currey. Sch. Foster, Rice, 175, Diana, from Apalachicola, an pine, J. L. Lally. Sch. Domata, 91, Wilson, from Boston, fertilizer, J. W. McAlary Co. Steamer Garth Castle, Carley, from Liverpool via Halifax, cargo and passengers, Troop & Son.

Coastwise—Star, Westport, from Westport; sch. Gerlie, from Bridgetown. Cleared. Steamer State of Maine, Thompson, for Boston, cargo, W. G. Lee. Coastwise—Rich, Citizen, for Bear River; steamer Westport, for Weymouth; sch. Temple Bar, for Bridgetown.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY QUOTATIONS. (Furnished by W. S. Barker, Banker and Broker, Palmer's Building.) Dec. 16, 1901.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, etc. Includes items like Amalgam Copper, Anaconda Copper, and various metals.

BY WIRELESS TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The Cunarder Etruria, which has just arrived here, was in communication for more than five hours in mid-ocean with her sister ship, the Umbria. Long before either ship sighted the other their commanders were conversing by the Marconi wireless system. The position of each ship was known on the other hours before their main masts were fully above the horizon. The Etruria left Liverpool on Dec. 5. The same day the Umbria steamed out of New York. They were 1,630 miles east northeast of Sandy Hook when they passed each other last Wednesday, or in latitude 46.17 and longitude 51.07. Five hours before that, when they were fully 100 miles apart, the receiver on the Etruria began to click warningly. The operator replied and then the word "Umbria" was slowly spelled out on the Etruria's instrument, then followed the Umbria's location. The Etruria replied, giving her location, which showed her to be fully 100 miles away from the other vessel. The Umbria sent her number of passengers, the fact that all were well and all the latest news from New York. The Etruria sent word of the burning of the great Liverpool exchange on the quadrangle on Dec. 6, while the Etruria was lying in the Mersey.

GARTH CASTLE ARRIVES.

With About Four Hundred and Fifty Immigrants. The Elder Dempster line steamer Garth Castle, which sailed from Halifax yesterday morning did not arrive here until nearly noon today, when she docked at Sand Point. Aboard of the Garth Castle there are nearly four hundred immigrants, most of whom are bound for the United States. This afternoon these are undergoing examination by Uncle Sam's representatives who are stationed here. One steerage passenger died on the voyage. The steamer, which will ply on the direct Liverpool service, brought out about 1000 tons of freight. Coming from Halifax the steamer, which is in command of Capt. Frank Carsley, had a rough experience in the 'storm.

THE COURTS.

In re Consolidated Electric leases and the Imperial Trust Co. of Canada, Chief Justice Tuck gave judgment in the supreme court today in the matter of the costs to be charged against the fund. He disallowed all costs to the trust company on the garnishee application to Judge Forbes and on the appeal to the supreme court of N. B. and allowed costs to the solicitors and counsel on the appeal to the supreme court of Canada, but disallowed costs to the solicitor in Toronto for the Imperial Trust Co. The matter of the petition of Lorimer Berryman, calling for an examination of Charlotte Berryman, re administration of the estate of late Dr. John Berryman, is postponed in the probate court until next Monday.

HIGH PRICES.

Rolls of oats or oatmeal, is now selling at about \$2 above the normal price. This is due to the scarcity and high price of oats, which in turn is affected by the scarcity and high price of corn. Oatmeal is now much higher than best Manitoba flour. Middlings are also very high, and cost \$6 to \$7 per ton more than ordinarily at this season.

There are six grades of Red Rose tea, to sell at 25, 30, 35, 40, 45 and 50c per lb.

Bright Ohio has been fixed to load lumber at Bear River for Cluneforgs at \$5.50, American gold.

LOST.

LOST—Friday afternoon, on Charlotte street, a pug dog. Finder will please return to 25 Sewell street.

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MORNING'S NEWS.

E. N. Abbott, manager of the Dominion Express Co., St. John, had one of his feet quite badly jammed on Saturday, while at the deep water terminus, by a heavy iron bound box falling on him.

If no further cases of smallpox develop in the vicinity of Brussels street, it is the intention of the management to re-open Glad Tidings Mission, which has been closed for several weeks, next Sunday.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Clarke of Sheriff street was held yesterday afternoon from St. Luke's church, where service was conducted by Rev. P. McKim. The interment took place in the Church of England burying ground.

The debating club of the Young Men's Society of St. Peter's Church meet tonight to discuss the question as to whether the city of St. John should or should not accept Andrew Carnegie's conditional offer of \$50,000 for the improvement of the public library.

J. H. Walker, the King street east grocer, lost a valuable horse yesterday. During the night the animal in some way broke one of its legs. A veterinary was consulted, but he was unable to do anything in the matter, so the horse was destroyed.

Rev. W. H. Bullock occupied the pulpit of the Mission Church of St. John the Baptist at the morning and evening services yesterday, and also addressed the Sunday school. Dev. Mr. Bullock is the gifted Christian Science lecturer in this city. All persons interested in Christian Science are invited to attend. The chair will be taken at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Lavinia Lawson passed peacefully away at her residence on Union street on Saturday afternoon, December 14th, after a short illness from congestion of the lungs. She was the relict of the late Andrew Lawson, who pre-deceased her some years. Mrs. J. E. Ganong of Long Reach is a sister. A brother resides in Cambridge, and three sons.

The Bartenders' International League, Local 283, opened its rooms, corner of Church and Prince William streets, on Saturday evening, with a successful smoking concert, at which some 300 invited guests were present. The rooms are tastefully fitted up, and are bright and airy.

A fine pair of moose horns were exhibited on Saturday at S. Z. Dickson's stand in the Market building. They came from Cody's station, and once belonged to an animal killed by Elisha L. Perry. The horns measure 55 inches across. Mr. Dickson has been offered \$25 for the head.

On Wednesday last Baird and Peters wired for a carload of lard. The car

The Croup.

It's a terrible thing, isn't it? Somehow, that awful cough, that hard struggle for air, can never be forgotten. Be a little fore-handed and prevent it. Keep Vapo-Cresolene in the house, and when the children take cold let them breathe in the vapor during the evening. It goes right to the throat, just where the croup lies. All irritation subsides, the cough quiets down and serious trouble is prevented. It never fails to cure whooping cough.

Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. A Vapo-Cresolene outfit, including the Vaporizer and Lamp, which should last a life-time, and a bottle of Cresolene, complete, \$1.50; extra supplies of Cresolene 50 cents and account. Illustrated booklet containing physicians' testimonials free upon request. Vapo-Cresolene Co., 150 Fulton St., New York, U.S.A.

Christmas Gifts.

OUR BOYS UNDER FIRE, OR CANADIAN VOLUNTEERS IN SOUTH AFRICA, by Annie E. Melish, now selling at reduced prices in bookstores for holiday season.

BOSTON, Mass, Dec. 6, 1901.

J. R. CURRIE, Esq., Currie Business University, St. John, N. B.

Dear Mr. Currie:— I write to inform you that I have taken a position in the office of Fitzgerald, Nelson, & Benishmol, attorneys-at-law, No. 39 Court street, Boston, Mass., and I would add that I am getting along splendidly so far as my work is concerned.

The position was obtained by me through the ——— Co., by whom I was sent along with several other candidates to try, the test given by Lawyer Benishmol at his office, the result of this test you already know.

Directly and indirectly, I owe my success to you. Directly, because the training I received in your institution has fitted me for the work that is expected from me; and indirectly, because my position was obtained by you, as Mr. J. S. Currie advised me to call on the ——— Co., telling them I was from your college. I did so; and they helped me to get the position.

Hoping that you will have a large class at the college this winter, and wishing you every success in the great work you have undertaken, I remain, Very truly yours, CLARA A. M. FARREN.

was loaded that afternoon and left Hull on Thursday morning. It came by the C. P. R. and reached St. John early Saturday afternoon, being thus landed here from Hull in a little over two days—and within three days from the time it was ordered. This is fast delivery of freight, and especially so for this season of the year.

At the time of the last snow fall it was discovered that if runners were placed upon the new ladder truck they would be too wide for the track provided in No. 1 station. While the snow lasted the old truck was used. Now that the ground is bare again, the new truck is in commission and a new track is being laid in the station to accommodate the wider runners, which will be placed on the new machine as soon as necessary.

The funeral service of the late Rev. Job Shenton will be held in Fairville Methodist church at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Geo. Steel will conduct the service, and addresses will be given by Rev. G. M. Campbell, Rev. G. W. Fisher, president of the conference; Rev. Dr. Macrae and others. The procession will follow the remains as far as the Fairville railway crossing, when coaches will be taken for Fairhill, where interment will be made.

COMPLIMENTARY DINNER. The complimentary banquet to Senator Ellis at the Royal hotel tonight will be attended by one hundred and twenty citizens. Mayor Daniel will preside, while J. D. Hazen, M. P. P., Robert Thomson and Dr. Thomson will officiate as vice-chairmen. Today a telegram was received from Judge Burdidge at Ottawa regretting inability to attend. Among those who will be present at the function are:

George Addy, A. W. Adams, W. Watson Allen, J. R. Armstrong, W. C. R. Allan, C. B. Allan, George E. Barnhill, A. P. Barnhill, A. M. Belding, T. B. Blair, J. B. M. Baxter, W. H. Barnaby, Judge Barker, C. M. Bostwick, George Blake, Dr. Bridges, D. C. Clinch, Peter Clinch, C. J. Coster, E. R. Chapman, Alexander Campbell, J. H. DeBury, Hon. A. T. Dunn, Mayor Daniel, D. C. Dawson, Rev. John deSoyres, L. V. DeBury, M. B. Edwards, Dr. A. F. Emery, T. H. Estabrooks, E. J. Everett, F. Ellis, W. S. Fisher, W. E. Foster, C. Flood, G. Reed, Fairweather, Dr. F. Godsoe, Amos Godsoe, Rev. W. C. Gaynor, D. J. Hazen, W. P. Hatheway, Henry Hilliard, A. P. Hazen, R. J. Haley, G. U. Hay, George A. Hetherington, W. M. Jarvis, George W. Jones, James Jack, J. T. Knight, F. J. G. Knowlton, J. A. Lacey, G. S. Mayes, T. McAvity, George McAvity, D. J. McLaughlin, H. H. McLean, J. H. MacIntyre, Alex. Macaulay, John McMillan, H. D. McLeod, Judge McLeod, Col. Markham, Dr. MacLaren, Dr. McAvenny, S. E. Murray, Geo. MacIntyre, Hon. H. A. McKeown, George McKean, Alderman Maxwell, E. H. McAlpine, W. J. Mahoney, M. Neilson, J. E. Osborne, H. Olive, R. O'Brien, H. H. Pickett, C. H. Peters, Hon. Wm. Dugley, H. Pullen, Alfred Porter, George N. Robertson, Rev. J. A. Richardson, J. F. Robertson, Hon. R. J. Ritchie, T. B. Robinson, Geo. Robertson, M. P. P., J. M. Robinson, E. L. Rising, R. R. Ritchie, J. V. Russell, E. Shelton, W. E. Staver, J. N. Sutherland, F. P. Starr, A. O. Skinner, A. A. Stockton, Fred Sayre, John Sealy, S. D. Scott, T. H. Somerville, G. Sidney Smith, C. N. Skinner, Edward Sears, W. H. Trueman, A. I. Trueman, L. P. D. Tully, W. H. Thorne, H. D. Troop, Robert Thomson, Col. J. Tucker, J. A. Tilton, Charles Tilton, W. E. Vroom, Dr. T. Walker, Dr. T. D. Walker, Dr. W. White.

MARRIAGES.

ARMSTRONG-WHELPLEY—On Dec. 4, in St. John's church, Waterford, by the Rev. Alfred Gollmer, rector, James Armstrong of Waterford, N. Co., to Eliza Whelpley of South Branch, Kings Co., N. B.

DEATHS.

SHENTON—Suddenly, at his residence at Fairville, at noon Dec. 11th, from cerebral hemorrhage, Rev. Job Shenton. Entered into rest, aged 62 years. Funeral from the Fairville Methodist Church, Tuesday, Dec. 17th, at 2 p. m.

KIMBALL—Entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 14th, Sarah H., beloved wife of John Kimball, aged 74 years. Funeral from 45 Summer street on Tuesday, Dec. 17th inst., at 2.30. Service at 2 p. m. No flowers.

LAWSON—In this city, on Dec. 14th, of congestion of the lungs, Lavinia, widow of the late Andrew Lawson, leaving four daughters and three sons to mourn a kind and loving mother.

Funeral from the residence, 191 Union street, on Wednesday, the 18th inst., at 2 p. m. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

AUSTIN—At White's Cove, Queens Co., N. B., on Dec. 2nd, Ralph Markham, only child of John B. and Arcelia May Austin.

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Rag Dolls, Indian Dolls, Crusoe Dolls, Walking Dolls, China Dolls, Musical Dolls, Sailor Dolls, Black Dolls, White Dolls, all kinds at one kind of price—the lowest.

Clockwork Toys, 20c. to \$1.50 each.

Clockwork Railway, Clockwork Beetle, Clockwork Hens, Geese, Clown and Donkey, Nigger, Bird, Seal, Puss in Boots, Bear, Old Woman, Clown and Pig, Peacock, Duck, Squirrel, Frog, Automobile, Chicken, Doll, Tailor, Gun Boat, Monkey and Drum.

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