

SOUTH AFRICA.

A Boer Lager Raided by General Bruce Hamilton.

The Matter of the Beef Supply of the British Army in Its Operations in the Field.

LADYBRAND, Orange River Colony, Jan. 23.—Colonel Seath sent a patrol of men from Mequalings Nek on Sunday night in the direction of Belmont...

LONDON, Jan. 25.—The Daily News (pro-Boer) has published the following dispatch from its correspondent at the Hague...

The same private advices assert that the British suffered a dozen defeats from September to November, 1901, continues the correspondent...

LONDON, Jan. 21.—The government has issued the text of the petition received from the Boer prisoners at Bermuda...

LONDON, Jan. 27.—The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Brussels says in a despatch that Mr. Kruger has received fresh invitations from Chicago, New York and Philadelphia...

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The capture of Gen. Viljoen, who was Gen. Botha's most able lieutenant and who has given the British great trouble in the past, has created lively satisfaction in London.

PRETORIA, Jan. 26.—Gen. Wilson, last Saturday, captured twenty Boers near Frankfort, in Orange River Colony. He was preparing at dawn the next day to move away with his captives when a superior force of Boers made a desperate effort to recapture the prisoners...

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Lord Kitchener in a despatch from Johannesburg, dated Sunday, Jan. 26, announces that Colonel Plumer captured thirty-six Boers last Saturday in the neighborhood of Spitzkop, Transvaal Colony.

PRETORIA, Jan. 27.—By a clever night march Gen. Bruce Hamilton surprised a laager between Ermelo and Bethel, in the Transvaal Colony, and charged the Boers, who fled in all directions and were pursued many miles by the British.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA.

A Premier Who Will Not be Bluffed by Laurier.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 27.—Premier Dunsmuir has addressed a long letter to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, protesting against the latter's failure to answer the memorial presented by Dunsmuir and Attorney General Eberts last winter.

Schr. Havelock, from Annapolis, which arrived at Barbados on the 15th, reports lost a small piece of her fore-top.

BIG EXPRESS ROBBERY

On the Southern Railway, Near Branchville, S. C.

A Train Held Up, the Safe Rifled, and Then Permitted to Go on Its Way.

BRANCHVILLE, S. C., Jan. 27.—A carefully planned and audacious express robbery occurred about 7 o'clock this evening on the Southern railroad when the passenger train from Charleston reached nearly the exact site of the successful robbery of two years ago, five miles from Branchville.

Seven or eight men were riding on the platform between the engine and baggage car, concealed by the darkness. None were masked. At the fifty-mile board two men crawled over the tender and covered the engineer, John Reynolds, with Winchester rifles. They fired two shots, one ball passing through Reynolds' cap.

The new contracting firm had large interests in Australia, Lord Stanley said, and given a written undertaking that, as far as possible, all metals supplied, both alive and dead, should be secured from the various British colonies.

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OTTAWA.

New York Central Purchases Canada's Best Paying Railway.

Cannot Do Much Business With Norway—The Writ for Lisgar.

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—An order in council has been passed concerning the system of licensing United States fishing vessels operating in Canadian waters on the Atlantic for the year 1902.

Application will be made to parliament at its next session to incorporate a line from Kitimat inlet, thence to Dawson.

Invitations are out for a state dinner at Government House, February 13th, the day of the opening of parliament.

A cable to the governor general announced the death of Henry Arthur of the S. A. C. from enteric fever. His father is Wm. Arthur of Oil Springs, Ont.

OTTAWA, Jan. 25.—The well known Hotel Cecil was totally destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The conflagration commenced in the storeroom and is thought to have originated from an electric wire.

When recently in New York, Mr. Blair consulted an eminent specialist, who pronounced him entirely free from any organic disease and said that his present symptoms were due to recent severe mental strain on top of the hard work he had been doing for some time.

OTTAWA, Jan. 27.—In an interview tonight Dr. Soward Webb of New York remarked: "You may say that I have had a conference lasting for an hour and a half with J. B. Booth this afternoon and that probably by tomorrow afternoon the transfer of the Canada Atlantic system to the New York Central will have been consummated. It will be a pretty good thing for Ottawa, don't you think?"

The writ for Lisgar has been issued. Nomination takes place February 11; polling 13th.

LAI'D AT REST

Obsequies of Late Mrs. Dibblee Largely Attended—Beautiful Floral Tributes.

(Fredericton Gleaser, 27th.) The remains of the late Mrs. G. Y. Dibblee, whose very sad death occurred at Milton, Mass., on Friday last, arrived here on Saturday evening in charge of Mr. Dibblee. A number of friends were at the sorrowing home to prepare it for receiving all that was mortal of its late mistress, among them being Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Allen Dibblee of Woodstock. Many friends called yesterday to extend their condolence to Mr. Dibblee in his bereavement and to proffer their sympathy.

Floral tributes lay in the drawing-room in a beautiful broadcloth covered casket with silver mountings, and were surrounded by handsome floral tributes, among them being: Broken column, staff of Mr. Dibblee's spouse.

The funeral took place from the late home at three o'clock this afternoon, and was attended by a large number of friends. After a brief service at the house the body was conveyed to the cathedral, where service was solemnized by Very Rev. Dean Partridge, assisted by Rev. Mr. Bedell, the pastor, rendering appropriate music.

The chief mourners were Geo. Y. Dibblee, J. T. A. Dibblee, J. B. Sutcliffe, Col. Marsh, John Frink, J. A. Frink, A. A. Barker, G. M. Barker, Wm. Barker, R. S. Barker, Wm. Levesque, M. Lemait, Arthur Ryan, William Milligan, Russell Gillies, John Tapley, Col. Loggie, W. T. Whitehead, John McIntosh.

WITH HOWARD'S SCOUTS.

Star Sergeant J. A. Patton, who lives near Dundalk, Ont., has arrived in the city from South Africa, in company with Sergeant Pape of Howard street. Both of them have been with the Canadian Scouts, and deny that the members of that corps have been complaining about the British officers under whom they served.

Pattin felt very sore because the papers had published the "New York despatch" that effect. He went out to South Africa with the Canadian Mounted Rifles and when that regiment returned to Canada he stayed in Africa as one of G. Howard's Canadian Scouts, expecting to remain about six months longer.

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MONTREAL.

Prefontaine Will be the Next Mayor.

Pulled the Wires and Deal the Cards.

(Special to the Sun.)

MONTREAL, Jan. 27.—The municipal election is at white heat tonight. This afternoon application was made to Judge Langelier for a mandamus ordering the city clerk to restore Mayor Prefontaine's name to the ballot paper.

The judge granted it. It will be remembered that four candidates were nominated. One, Dr. Lachapelle, was nominated in the belief that nobody but a Frenchman could beat Prefontaine.

Wilson Smith, a former mayor, was nominated because it was the turn of an English speaking mayor. James Cochrane nominated himself because he considered a scheme was on foot to force Wilson Smith on an unwilling electorate.

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EMPEROR WILLIAM

Celebrated His Forty-third Birthday, Yesterday.

BERLIN, Jan. 27.—Emperor William, who was born Jan. 27, 1859, signalized his birthday today by conferring territorial titles on all the regiments which had hitherto borne no distinctive names in an army order on the subject his Majesty says:

"In my army are united the traditions of many German races and lands. It is my endeavor, indeed my duty, to cultivate these traditions. With us the army and the nation are one. The history of my country is bound up in the army. May the new titles keep alive the remembrance that the empire was created by the capacity of its individual members, and that it is the duty of everyone belonging to the army to strive to bring honor to his race or his home, in rivalry with others. May this thought serve as an incentive to the troops to cherish the spirit which alone, in the army can bring the greatness of victory."

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DARKEST AFRICA.

A St. John Man, Now in the Niger Protectorate, Describes Life There as it Appears to a Young Canadian.

At a time when the thoughts of the people of St. John are turned to South Africa, where so many young Canadians have gone in defence of the empire...

Louis Mayfield Duval, the writer of these letters, is the eldest son of Mr. J. J. Duval, cabinet maker of this city...

The Niger Protectorate is the latest addition to the empire, and is divided into two provinces, Northern and Southern Nigeria...

The letters tell their own story and while not written for publication, are valuable as giving an insight into the life of the often abused missionaries in that country...

ATLANTIC OCEAN.

Dear Mother,—We expect to arrive at Logos tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon and I am writing this so as to mail it as soon as possible...

We have oranges, pine apples, papaws, limes, custard apples, bananas all growing in the compound. I have been fasting on fruit...

have all the mark down their forehead and nose. The same shaped canoes and paddles, of which I have tried to draw rough pictures...

The four last named places, I believe, are British, but were not formerly, each of them have a large castle, built, I was told, by the Dutch in slave trading times...

Dear Mother:—I left my last letter on board the Jehu to be mailed on board the first homeward bound steamer and hope you have already received it...

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European goods on exhibition, but the greatest exhibit was the baby, the only white baby I think ever in the place. Great crowds of men, women and children followed us around everywhere we went...

From your loving son, LOUIS M. DUVAL. (To be continued.)

A GIFT OF 500 ACRES

Would be no temptation to Mr. Beemer in exchange for Dr. Agnew's Piles of seven years standing took to themselves wings after a few applications.

BEATEN TO DEATH.

Terrible Ending of a Family Quarrel in East Boston. BOSTON, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Bridget Kilroy was beaten to death at her home in East Boston today...

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HALIFAX.

Incident to the Departure of Mounted Rifles.

A Deserter from the Royal Regiment Who Skipped Away from His Captors.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 24.—The officers and men of the Canadian Mounted Rifles are very indignant at stories of a mutiny and of trouble at the concentration camp...

SOLID FOOD MEANT AGONY

Dr. Von Stan's Pileopile Tablets cured her Indigestion—made her stomach strong and well. To-day she eats anything she wishes, enjoys it and suffers no pain.

rites, says that they are the best body of men whom he ever had any experience with, and he is sure that the 900 men he is taking to South Africa will be a thorough, well-disciplined corps...

It is said by officers and men that the saddlery issued to the Mounted Rifles is poor in every particular, that it is ill-fitting and of inferior workmanship...

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 26.—Col. Evans has received a note from Capt. H. J. Woodside, who is in command of the 9th Battalion of the Victoria Rifles...

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COULDN'T WALK FOR YEARS.

An Arnprior Man is Thankful that Now He is Able to Walk. Often found himself unable to lie down without the Greatest Pain—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Very remarkable cure of Backache and Kidney Trouble has just been brought to notice at Basin Depot near here. Mr. J. H. Martin suffered for over eighteen years with Lame Back so that he actually couldn't walk or lie down without enduring the most dreadful pain...

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

Charles Bellamy, a western railroad fireman, in 11 years of faithful service, has traveled 98,546 miles and shovelled 32,001 tons of coal on the way. He never lost a trip or received a scratch through accident...

Tendency of Catarrh is to Spread

Just a slight matter at first, and because slight, neglected; but the seed sown brings forth a dangerous harvest. Consumption, which is the worst of death, better spend a few moments each day inhaling Catarrhazone, an aromatic antiseptic that relieves at once, clears the nasal passages, and restores lost sense of taste and smell...

P. E. ISLAND.

Many Recent Marriages and Deaths.

Funeral of Late Senator Prowse—Becoming Notorious as a Place Where Men Shoot Each Other.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Jan. 26.—Geo. L. Field, formerly of Charlottetown, was a passenger on the Pacific Coast liner Walla Walla, which recently went to the bottom with forty persons on board...

P. E. Island is becoming famous as a shooting resort. Three shooting parties, two of them fatal, in about three weeks is an unfavorable record. George Gillan of Montague, the man who shot Archibald Graves at Alberton on Friday last, has been sent up to the supreme court on a charge of murder...

A. J. Biffin, cheese buyer of this city, and Gertie McEwen were married in Boston on Tuesday. The civic elections will be held here on February 12th. No particular candidates are yet in the field...

Among the recent deaths in P. E. Island are: Miss George McKean of Summerside, aged 18 years; Mrs. William Arthur of North Rustico, aged 85 years; John McNevin, aged 51 years; Mrs. George Gordon of Montrose; 67 Falmouth, Elizabeth Stark, aged 61 years; at Boston, Charles McKinnon, aged 37 years, formerly of P. E. I.; Mrs. Fidele Poirier of Nale Pond, aged 85 years; Mary McLeod, aged 40 years, wife of Angus McLeod of Glen William, Lot 63, leaving five young children to mourn...

TEMPERANCE VISIT TO PISARINCO.

St. John Co. District Division, S. of T., paid a visit to Scarlet Banner Lodge, I. O. G. T., Pisarino, on Saturday evening. A large number of the Sons present to enjoy the drive, but many of them had to remain at home, as there was no room for them in the three buses chartered for the occasion...

Every Mother who does not already know, should know the value of that safe, pleasant and effectual remedy, McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup, the original and only genuine worm syrup. Any child will take McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup. All dealers keep it.

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gone to Virginia for the benefit of his health. Mr. Reid is manager of the Tryon Woolen Co. and is speaker of the local legislature.

The funeral of the late Senator Prowse took place yesterday at the cemetery at Murray Harbor South. The attendance was very large. Senator Prowse died in Charlottetown at the residence of Benj. Heartz. Here, too, when his remains were taken to the railway station on Wednesday last, the procession of citizens was large. The pall-bearers were: Senator McDonald, Senator Ferguson, Benj. Heartz, W. A. Weeks, L. B. Beer and Arthur Peters, the four last named being associate directors with the Senator of the Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island.

Dr. Robert McDonald of Cornwall left Charlottetown for his home two weeks ago, starting to cross the North River ice. Nothing has since been seen or heard of him, and it is believed he was drowned. Dr. McDonald was a native of Cornwall, Ontario, and of late has been residing at Cornwall. He is 35 years old and unmarried.

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Among the recent marriages in P. E. Island are the following: At St. Joseph's church, Morell, on January 7th, Mr. Coffin, the popular salesman of E. W. Cox's establishment, Morell, to Annie McAuley, daughter of the late Ronald McAuley of St. Peter's. Also at the same time and place, Duncan Coffin to Miss Ella Byrne, daughter of L. J. Byrne; Arthur Kenny of Cornwall to Miss Estelle Cronin of Charlottetown; Herbert Tibbit, son of L. E. Prowse, now of Sydney Cape, to Alexandra Marion, daughter of J. L. Thompson, ticket agent of the P. E. Island railway, Charlottetown; Jennie Hale of Fox Hill, N. B., to E. Milledge Haslam, formerly of Springfield, P. E. Island; John McCabe to Annie Drumming of Chifton; Janie Carr to William Sommers, all of New London.

Word was received here tonight of the death in Vancouver of James H. Good, formerly a lawyer in this town. He went to Rossland about four years ago and to Vancouver last spring. Mr. Good contracted fever and has been in a hospital there for several weeks. His wife was a Miss Allan, a daughter of the late Rev. James Allan, formerly of Covehead, P. E. I.

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Further Evidence That Potatoes Are Way Up.

A Prosperous Farmer, Getting \$50 A Load, compares Prices With Those in 1896.

(Cor. Bangor Commercial.) Up here in the northern part of Arrostook county, 200 miles from Bangor, the great potato crop is now on the move to the markets in all parts of the country...

"Prosperous time?" he says as he looked over his little book, "let me show you the difference between now and the year '96; at that time we were getting three cents per bushel, and 30 cents per barrel this same time of year when it took 20 barrels to pay for a barrel of flour..."

TERRIBLE DISASTER

Twenty-One Miners Killed and Many Others Injured.

OSKALOOSA, I. A., Jan. 24.—As the result of a terrible mine disaster at Lost Creek this afternoon, 21 dead are in an improvised morgue, and eight are in a temporary hospital. The dead are: Jos Gaspers, Frank Gaspers, Jim Stohal, Sylvester Creighton, Joe Berte, Andy Pash, Frank Secress, John Martin, John Biron, Mike Hraha, Jack Manley, Mike Fox, Jr., Mike Fox, Sr., Boone Fish, Russ Fish, A. B. Crews, Jack Elder, Dave Malter, Sam Humphrey, Jim Humphrey, Alex. Gray.

The injured, most of them seriously, are: Ed. Secress, Ed. Swanson, Jonas Mable, Olive Mable, John Jerken, Wm. Harvey, George Gogo, Harry Berrook. The explosion was known as a "dust" explosion. The miners had just fired their usual noon shots, one of which proved to be a fizzle. The burning powder ignited the gas and the explosion followed.

POPULATION RETURNS.

OTTAWA, Jan. 24.—The second census bulletin, dealing with rural and urban population in Manitoba and Ontario, has been issued. It shows a great falling off in the rural population of Ontario during the decade. In 1891 the rural population of Ontario was 1,295,323. In 1901 it was 1,247,190, a decrease of 48,133.

CONSERVATIVE VICTORY.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The by election to fill the seat in the house of commons for Hampstead, rendered vacant by the retirement of Edward Brodie Hoare (conservative), on account of ill health, resulted as follows: T. Milvain (conservative), 3,843; G. Frost (liberal), 2,118.

Doan's Cotton Root Compound. It is successfully used monthly by over 100,000 ladies. Sufferers from Leucorrhoea, Catarrh, and other ailments should use it. Price, 50c per bottle.

MORE LOGS

To Be Diverted From St. John Waters to Past Branch.

If a plan which is now under way goes through successfully, and there is every reason to suppose that it will, the supply of the Bangor logs will be increased by from 5,000,000 to 10,000,000 feet of logs per year. This plan is nothing less than to bring the logs from Eastern Maine to St. John waters, over into Chamberlain lake and thence down the East branch of the Penobscot to Bangor.

HAVELOCK JOTTINGS.

A Sunday school convention under the direction of Field Secretary Laurance of the N. B. Sunday School Association, and Pres. A. B. Hubby of the same association, was held at Havelock on Monday afternoon and evening, Jan. 20. A very interesting and profitable afternoon session was held for S. B. workers. In the evening a concert was given by the choir of the parish of Havelock, with the following officers: Pres., C. F. Alward; vice-pres., John Branscombe of Cornwall; secretary, Miss Mamie Keith; executive committee, these officers, together with those of Lower Ridge and Miss Freeman Alward.

Pleuritic Pains a Danger Signal

Prompt treatment is essential. Bathe the region of pain immediately with Peleone's Nervine and quickly bind on a hot compress. Peleone's Nervine never known to fail. Cures almost instantly. Neuralgia, toothache, rheumatism and lumbago are cured by Nervine just as readily. Peleone's Nervine cures all pain, and is the best household liniment known. Large bottle 25c.

THE LATE MRS. WM. MACNAB.

WALLACE, N. S., Jan. 23.—The funeral of the late Mrs. William Macnab, who died on Monday at the age of 74, took place here today, and was largely attended. Rev. W. D. McIntosh, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Pugwash, officiated.

FAITH NO FACTOR

IN THIS MAN'S CURE.

Persuaded to try South American Rheumatic Cure it proved its potency. Seven years pains dispelled forever in twelve hours. I was Rheumatism victim for seven years, being confined to my bed for months at a time. I had no faith in rheumatic cures I saw advertised, but I was persuaded to try South American Rheumatic Cure and inside of twelve hours after taking the first dose I was free from pain—three bottles cured me. J. D. McLeod, Leith, Ont. GOLD BY M. V. PADDICK.

DEATH OF ALFRED MILLS.

Alfred Mills, a life-long resident of St. John and at one time prominently identified with shipping interests, died Friday, after a protracted illness, at his residence, Coburg street. He was a son of the late William Mills, well remembered by many citizens as their school teacher. In the "seventies" and early "eighties" the late Alfred Mills was a member of the firm of Mills & Jago, having extensive shipping interests. Among the vessels they managed were the barques Syrings and Veronicas, the latter now owned by Wm. Thompson, Col. Jago, and the brigantines Wanderer and Alice. In late years Mr. Mills devoted his attention to shingle, lumber and coal business. The deceased, who was never married, is survived by his mother, two unmarried sisters at home and two other sisters, one the wife of Kilgour Shives of Campbellton, the other, the widow of Col. Jago, resides at Fredericton.

A party of Indian boys and boys went out to the Kenebec mouth on Friday and caught a large number of smelt through the ice.

THE PHILIPPINES.

Civil Gov. Taft Gives His Views of the Situation.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—William H. Taft, civil governor of the Philippines, arrived in Chicago this afternoon from San Francisco. Owing to the death of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Herron, in Cincinnati, the governor denied himself to all callers except a few personal friends.

"The only answer I have to make to the ideas of individual observers who declare that the true condition in the Philippines is being concealed, or that we are hugging delusions of peace that can never be brought about, is that the government is concealing nothing and that its conclusions are not based on wild theories, but substantial facts."

"As a matter of fact," he added, "the natives are rapidly developing a genuine affection for United States institutions. The natives are rapidly developing a genuine affection for United States institutions. The natives are rapidly developing a genuine affection for United States institutions."

ENGLAND'S NEW ROYAL HOUSE.

Whitaker's almanack, the famous English year book which is almost as well known here as in its native country, has caused some sensation by recording King Edward VII. not as a ruler of the House of Hanover, but as the first British monarch to adopt the name of Saxe-Coburg, thus making the late Queen Victoria the last ruler of a line which has given to the British Empire six sovereigns.

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MYSTERY OF 6-POUND NUGGET.

Man Who Found It in a Montana Gulch Won't Tell Just Where.

A gold nugget that weighed 32.48 ounces, Troy weight, was found at the assay office at Helena, Mont., Jan. 17. It was the largest piece of virgin gold ever received at the local assay office of the government, and probably one of the largest nuggets ever found in the world. Its exact value has not been estimated, but the experts said it would be about \$1,400.

WEDDING BELLS.

St. John's church was the scene of a fashionable wedding at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, when Charles M. Boetwick, Jr., was united in marriage to Miss Helen May Jarvis, youngest daughter of W. M. Jarvis. The guests numbered about a hundred and were ushered by Arthur F. Hazen, P. D. Tilley, Guy Boetwick, and Dr. T. O. The church was filled with guests, and the bride and groom were escorted by her father and attended by her bridesmaids and maids of honor.

BOLOGNA'S TOWER MAY FALL.

Bologna has been having a sensation in the rumor that its great leaning tower, the pride of the city, is weakening and may fall. This has caused so large an influx of visitors that it is said the hotel keepers may not be wholly guiltless in regard to the rumor.

THE COURTS.

The Merritt Bros. cases were on Saturday postponed until this morning at 10. Before the chief justice on Saturday, Allen O. Earle, K. C., and E. T. C. Knowles presented the petition of J. R. Woodburn for rent for the building now occupied by the E. C. Cowell Candy Co., Ltd. E. B. Ketchum, the liquidator, claimed that the rent had been paid by notes of the company. The matter was referred to the full court by Chief Justice Tuck. The amount involved is about \$1,800. C. J. Coe appeared for the liquidator.

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CAPT. BERNIER'S POLAR PLANS.

He Expects to Be Absent Four Years in His Search for the North Pole.

A press representative had an interview with Capt. E. Bernier, the Canadian explorer, who is organizing an expedition to the north pole. Since Capt. Bernier's last visit to England, when he lectured before the Colonial Institute in January, last, he has been in Canada, where he has secured the active support and co-operation of the Dominion government for his scheme. Capt. Bernier who is devoting his services gratuitously, estimates the cost of his expedition at \$100,000. His fund has already received \$100,000, including a contribution of \$12,500 from the Dominion government, \$5,000 from Lord Brougham, \$1,000 from Hon. R. T. Doherty, Canadian minister without portfolio, and \$500 from the Earl of Hinto, the Dominion governor general. He has also received large gifts from Canadian ministers, members of parliament, merchants and others. Capt. Bernier has now come to London with the object of procuring from the English authorities the balance of \$50,000 necessary for his scheme. The learned societies of Canada, including the Royal society of Ottawa, the Quebec Geographical Society, and also the Royal Geographical Society, have all given their sanction to Capt. Bernier's scheme, and the Dominion minister of public works recently in the house of commons stated that no man was better able to accomplish the object in view than Capt. Bernier.

ROUGHLY CAPT. BERNIER'S PLAN.

to build a special ship for the expedition of about 300 tons net, and with a staff of six scientists and eight navigating officers to proceed from English waters to the north pole. The ship will be a three masted schooner, and will be equipped with the latest apparatus for the expedition. The ship will be equipped with the latest apparatus for the expedition. The ship will be equipped with the latest apparatus for the expedition.

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HARD TO BE UNDERSTOOD.

Mr. Mulock's Labor Gazette is always full of surprises. For instance, the January number contains the concluding chapter of the statistics of the woodworking trade in Canada.

CANADIAN PACIFIC EXTENSIONS.

The statement that the Canadian Pacific Company contemplates a capital expenditure of \$20,000,000 in extensions, double track, elevators, rolling stock, terminal equipment and other betterments, will be heard with interest.

THE OTHER CULTURE.

Those who heard Professor Robertson's plea for manual training in schools have their message from one who is a practical man and an idealist too, as all constructive statements must be.

IT IS DEPLORABLE.

In the legislative assembly of the province of New Brunswick, there has been in the county of Kings a seat vacant over a year.

FUTURE OF THE PHILIPPINES.

President Schurman is now a victim of the deadly parallel column. The New York Sun and other United States' empire papers are trying to make out that when Mr. Schurman made his report as chairman of the Philippine commission he was in favor of permanent United States occupation.

outlined by Thomas Jefferson for the government of the vast territory acquired by the Louisiana purchase. The New York Sun says: "We have never heard that when Jefferson outlined this policy he had in mind the ultimate independence of the region."

THE CASE OF CUBA.

The tariff on Cuban products is the question which is likely to provoke the most severe discussion in this session of the United States congress. In the Southern states the cane sugar interest, and in the north the beet sugar interest will strongly oppose a reduction in the sugar duties.

On the other side strong influence is exerted. It is held by some that the nation is pledged to favor Cuba. President Cleveland evidently takes this view. He says that the arguments in opposition to the tariff concessions that Cuba implores "cannot fail to be recognized by every honest citizen with shame and humiliation."

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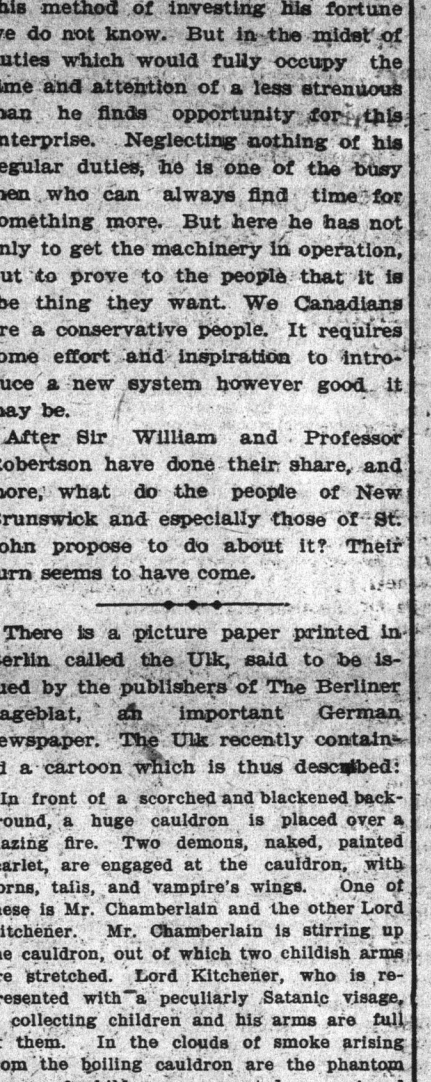
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To devise some systemic internal remedy which would reach catarrh at its source, to eradicate it permanently from the system—this has been the desire of the medical profession for a long time.

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FARMERS' MEETING AT GRAND ANSE, GLOUCESTER CO.

A farmers' institute meeting was held at Pokeshaw, Grand Anse, on Monday, Jan. 21st. The house was crowded, a large number of ladies being present. The president, Mr. Foley, introduced the first speaker, Mr. Tompkins, who spoke on some reformations that are being practiced in the labor on the farm.

The president introduced Mr. Mitchell, who spoke on Butter Making on the Farm. His remarks were closely followed by the audience. Mr. Mitchell has a thorough knowledge of his subject, and brought out many important points in producing an A1 article.

The president asked for information regarding factories, expressing the preparatory work that had been done by himself and others to secure a factory.

Mr. Dumas believed a factory would be a good thing if the people had cows enough to supply the milk. He was anxious to assist any effort that would advance the farm interests of the community.

Mr. Stoten, responding to a call, said although not a farmer, he knew from the practical arguments advanced by the speakers along lines that must be of interest to the farmers, that this meeting must result in great good to the farmers.

Mr. McCarty expressed his pleasure at being present. He had followed the speakers closely and he was satisfied there was much for our farmers to learn. He advised co-operative dairying as a means to better the present condition of our farmers. We should not put this question off from year to year, but make a start at once toward a butter or cheese factory.

Mr. Mitchell said as dairy superintendent for the maritime provinces, it would be a pleasure to him to aid them in any way in erecting and operating a cheese or butter plant. He would come here and explain the plans of building and give them information as to cost.

Mr. Tompkins on being asked for his advice in the matter, strongly urged the farmers to take up co-operative dairying. While he advised mixed agriculture, we must have some form of dairy work, as the base of our operations. He said beside Mr. Mitchell as dominion dairy superintendent, you have in the province of New Brunswick three bright, intelligent young men, being superintendents who know the dairy business of our province from A to Z, and who would be only too glad to assist them in obtaining the best means to employ in starting a factory.

The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the speakers. The president in tendering the thanks of the audience, said he considered this the most valuable farmers' meeting ever held in Grand Anse, and extended a hearty invitation to the speakers to return at some future time.

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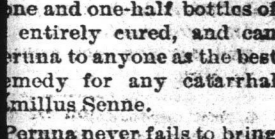
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CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John

Together With Country Items From Correspondents and Exchanges.

When ordering the address of your WEEKLY SUN to be changed...

Remember! THE NAME of the Post Office must be stated...

Queens county council elected D. O. Nickerson of Hampton parish warden...

J. H. Meredith of Calais on Friday night last broke one of his ankles...

F. X. Robideaux has been elected secretary of Kent Co. in place of V. McManney...

Edwin Brown, charged with house-breaking at Brown's Flats, has been committed for trial...

James Moreland, who sold his farm -the Howe's Lake property-

Capt. Grady, who is to take command of the new Bathon parish ward...

The future of the epidemic hospital is undetermined, but it is probable...

John E. Wilson has secured a lease of the old Everett's foundry site...

By a new regulation of the Valley Telephone Co. all operators...

Saturday was the date set for delivery of the judgment...

Business men in Wolfville have formed a new telephone company...

A. H. Learmont, the popular proprietor of the Learmont hotel...

John C. Tapley, one of the oldest residents of Sanbury county...

The Duke said to the Duchess at breakfast yesterday morning...

Hiram F. Chute of Hampton, for several years engineer of the St. John...

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MERRITT BROS' AFFAIRS.

An Interesting Examination Before Judge Forbes in Chambers.

The examination of Merritt Bros' affairs on behalf of the Royal Bank of Canada...

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To D. Mullin Mr. Jewett said that when Mr. Merritt first spoke...

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The cheque given by Mr. Jewett was put in evidence, and it was shown that it was given in payment...

The store of W. H. Fairall, 17 Charlotte street, is just now the centre of activity in St. John...

Mr. Hanington asked Mr. Merritt why he gave the note the day prior to that on which Merritt Bros...

The case is likely to continue several days.

ST. ANDREWS.

ST. ANDREWS, N. B., Jan. 27.-Mary Anne, daughter of the late James Monkley, was about 9 o'clock on Saturday morning...

The work of the Charlotte Co. Municipal Council was concluded about 10 o'clock last Friday night...

Many of the residents of the Joggins are French descendants of the hardy pioneer Acadians...

SUSSEX NEWS.

SUSSEX, Jan. 27.-The annual service of the Choral Union of the Kings- church, Sussex, on Thursday January 30th...

WHITE AND RED

Pale blood—pale face—poor health; Scott's Emulsion—red blood—rosy face—good health...

Our first lines give a condensed history of many cases, chiefly young girls at school...

Scott's Emulsion, a clean white medicine, makes rich red blood and rosy faces. It is blood food.

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A DEATH "DODGER"

Chronicle all the escapes from death and put them in letters and so forth...

It goes to the very brink and snatches from the death Angel's grip...

WHILE OFFERING PRAYER. MONCTON, Jan. 27.-William Eagles...

SAINT FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.-Foot-pads and burglars have committed so many crimes in San Francisco...

SHOULD HAVE SAID "I SHALL HAVE." "Water," said the professor...

A GOOD CHANGE.

A Change of Food Works Wonder. The wrong food and drink cause a lot of trouble in this world...

She says, "For a number of years I suffered with stomach and bowel trouble which kept getting worse until I was very ill..."

Senator Teller's Sham Philanthropy. To the Editor of the Sun: Sir-

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

ONLY TOOK PROPER PRECAUTIONS.

To the Editor of the Sun: Sir-in re the smallpox scare of Albert, referred to by a correspondent...

OLD HOME WEEK. Harvard Street Baptist Church. BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 24.

To the Editor of the Sun: Sir-It has occurred to me several times to drop the Sun a line regarding what is known in New England...

W. J. STEWART. THE BEULAH CAMP GROUNDS AND TAX EXEMPTION.

To the Editor of the Sun: Sir-It will be remembered that two years ago application was made to Kings county council...

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PROVINCIAL NEWS

DORCHESTER, N. B., Jan. 24.—Judge Hamilton has been confined to his residence for a considerable time from bronchitis. He is now convalescent and expects to attend the meeting of the full bench in Fredericton next week.

The recent heavy rain has entirely destroyed the sleighing. There is no ice in the Penikese or Dorchester rivers, a most unusual occurrence for this time of year. The want of snow is greatly hampering the local lumbering operations.

Huron Chandler of Vancouver, B. C., is in town, the guest of his mother, Mrs. George Chandler.

SACKVILLE, N. B., Jan. 24.—One of the most enjoyable at homes of the year was given at Middle Sackville on Wednesday evening by Mrs. Wm. Campbell. Progressive whist was indulged in and at 12 o'clock an elaborate luncheon was served. Nearly fifty were present, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Fred York, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Black, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. McKnight, A. B. Copp, M. P. P., and the Misses Seligra, Copp, Ethel Ayer, Jennie Black, Winnie McLurray and Thelma Smith.

At the late meeting of the Middle Sackville Lodge, No. 28, Sackville, A. F. & A. M., Right Worshipful Daniel Jordan, W. M., installed the following officers:—Daniel Jordan, W. M.; F. W. Emmerson, S. W.; Arthur W. Atkinson, J. W.; James A. Robinson, Chap.; Thos. E. Horden, Secy.; Geo. W. Curran, Treas.; Thomas Murray, S. D.; Arthur B. Copp, J. D.; J. E. Hickey (P. M.), D. C.; Miles Hoar, I. G.; Headley V. Silliker, S. S.; John A. Bowser, J. S.; C. Fred Avar, Tyler.

A handsome white owl was shot on Saturday by Mr. J. B. Beal at Middle Sackville. The bird was shipped today to W. H. Carnall and Son of St. John, where it will be dressed.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richardson of Westcott entertained about twenty-five friends at a goose supper last night. A very enjoyable evening was spent. Mrs. Alex Ford entertained a company of lady friends on Wednesday afternoon.

SUSSEX, Jan. 24.—The court of Judge Morrison was occupied this morning with the cause of the King on complaint of Joseph Mercier against David Floyd, Ernest Floyd and Andrew Floyd, all of Uplam, Kings Co. Ora P. King and F. M. Sproule appeared for the accused, and J. M. McIntyre the complainant. As the complainant did not appear or send any witnesses, Mr. McIntyre withdrew from the case and the magistrate honorably acquitted the accused. The trouble arose out of a horse race on the lake at Clover Hill on Christmas day and was intended to head off criminal Joseph Mercier made on David Floyd's son, and through the negligence of some of the officials, the warrant had not been executed on the said Joseph Mercier, and it is reported he had slipped to the States.

The Baptist people of this place intend having a musical treat in the I. O. O. F. hall on Tuesday evening, the 29th, and will be assisted by the following: Miss Idie King, soprano; Miss Louise Taylor, violinist and contralto, of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Mayes of St. John.

Rev. Mr. Nobles will conduct a series of special meetings in the E. C. Baptist Church next week and will be assisted by Rev. Mr. Beatty of the Peoples' Mission, St. John.

Hamilton McManus of Cardwell and Franklin Howe of Uplam are applicants to the Kings county council for the Scott Act in connection with the Canada Temperance Act for the county of Albert.

On account of the recent that the carnival, which was to have taken place on Thursday night, was postponed till Monday, 27th.

HOPEWELL CAPE, Albert Co., Jan. 23.—The cause of Domville v. Bennett is still before the court. Seven witnesses were examined today and plaintiff's case is not all in.

Henry A. Stiles, our new Scott Act Inspector, was in town today and took the oath of office, and issued the following card to the people of Albert county: "Having been appointed to the office of Inspector in connection with the Canada Temperance Act for the county of Albert, by the county council at its last meeting, I have assumed the duties and responsibilities of that office with a full sense of the fact that no one man can successfully enforce the 'act.' And I therefore now respectfully solicit the co-operation of all the good and law-abiding men and women within the county, and especially do I appeal to the Christian people, and the temperance people, to assist in the suppression of the unlawful disposal of intoxicating liquors within the county of Albert.

I want you to feel that I am your servant and fellow worker and will gladly receive your communications, which will be held as strictly confidential. I shall endeavor to act without the least semblance of partiality or favoritism; will not shrink from my duty on account of either the high or low standing, the wealth or poverty of any alleged violator of the law. I will endeavor to see that the law is not violated by druggists, in the filling of 'legal prescriptions,' by doctors of medicine in the issuing of prescriptions under circumstances not in strict compliance with 'the act,' by merchants in the sale of patent medicines and other articles capable of being used as beverages; and especially will I bend my energies in the direction of stopping the disposal of intoxicating liquors imported into the county by men and boys by way of the railway, and express companies, and any forgeries of names that may be procured by them in the procuring of the same.

I shall get the best legal advice within my reach. I have a right to expect and respectfully ask, the assistance of all officers of the law, especially constables and magistrates within the county, to assist me in my duties, and account me up of any and all violations of the 'Canada Temperance Act' that comes within their knowledge.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 24.—Many years ago the Church of England in Fredericton was granted by

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the crown many acres of land in what is now a large portion of the city of Fredericton, such lands being given to enable the church to maintain Protestant schools. These lands now afford the church a goodly revenue from annual rentals of lots on which much of the city is built, and the parish church is maintained almost wholly from these rents. Not a few citizens are desirous of purchasing the land on which they have erected valuable buildings, but the church refuses to sell. It is said that the legislature will be asked at its approaching session to pass legislation to compel the church to dispose of such lands as the lessees are willing to buy at a fair price, it being contended that the reasons which induced the crown to grant these lands to the church do not now exist, as the state has taken over education.

Men and teams are at work hauling logs out of the river, where they jammed at Springhill. Some one thousand pieces are already banked at the head of Douglas boom, and many thousand feet are banked along the river. Messrs. Frasse are hauling their logs out of the ice directly to their mill, and at the same time banking such logs of other owners as they can get at.

RICHBUCTO, Jan. 24.—Robert Law of Rexton died yesterday after a long illness of consumption. The deceased formerly conducted a mercantile business, but lately engaged in farming. He was a son of the late Rev. James Law, at one time pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian congregation. He leaves a daughter and three sons, besides three brothers and one sister, living in Scotland. One of the brothers is a member of the British house of commons, another a prominent physician, and a third engaged in the steel business.

RICHBUCTO, Jan. 25.—The funeral of the late Robert Law of Rexton took place this afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. D. Fraser, pastor of St. Andrew's church, and Rev. Thos. Johnston of Newcasale. The funeral procession was a large one. Interment was made in the Presbyterian cemetery. Undertaker O. K. Black had charge of the funeral.

The heavy rain on Thursday has reduced the quantity of snow. This was followed by frost and the travelling, especially on the river, is splendid. The catch of smelts this week has been the best so far this season. The price just now is two and one-quarter cents per pound. Fishermen made eight and sixty dollars in one day this week.

The performance given at Rexton last night by the Richbucto Amateur Dramatic Club was well attended. Assistant Post Office Inspector Whitaker visited here and Rexton this week. J. F. Black and Mrs. Black entertained a number of friends on Thursday evening.

HOPEWELL HILL, Jan. 23.—The heavy mild rain last night and today have destroyed the sledding on the front roads, and wheels are again being used. The marshes and fields are bare, and one would think, to judge by appearances, that it was spring instead of mid-winter.

Miss Edna M. West left yesterday on a visit to friends in Truro, N. S. Miss Gertrude Lutz of Covesdale spent a few days here this week, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Robt. McGorman.

Solomon Woodworth, who has been unwell for some time, is not improving, and is now confined to his bed. The child, who has been suffering from smallpox is practically recovered, and the doctor is fumigating the house. The quarantine will be raised at once.

Miss Mary E. Bray has returned to Moncton. Chas. W. Smith of Melrose, Mass., came by today's train on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Willard Milton, at Hopewell.

SACKVILLE, N. B., Jan. 25.—The first of a series of lectures under the auspices of the Eucharistic Society of Mt. Allison was given last night by Prof. J. W. Robertson. The students of the institution were present, as well as a number from the town. Senator Wood occupied the chair, and in introducing the speaker spoke flatteringly of the work Prof. Robertson had accomplished as dairy commissioner.

WHITE'S COVE, Queens Co., Jan. 23.—A heavy downpour of rain poured here yesterday and today. In consequence the roads and fields are bare and wheels are again in use.

a large assemblage of friends. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple retired to the home of the bride's mother, where about a hundred invited guests sat down to a sumptuous repast. The presents were costly and numerous, showing how highly the young couple are esteemed.

An agricultural meeting was held in the hall at the Narrows on the evening of the 18th. Allison E. Hensel, president of the Cambridge Agricultural Society, gave the opening address, and was followed by the Hon. G. F. Farrar, F. A. B. Anderson and Co. spoke on pork production and summer care of dairy cows, and Mr. Hare of Ottawa spoke on raising and fattening poultry. A vote of thanks was tendered the speakers, and the meeting ended with singing God Save the King.

George Palmer has a crew of men cutting pulp near Robertson's Point. He is hauling his lumber in to the Little Lake.

A large number of people in this locality are suffering from severe colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Wright are at McDonald's Point visiting Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. William Barpes. WATERVILLE, Jan. 23.—The rain of the 20th took off all the snow, leaving the roads unfit for traffic.

William Sprague has purchased the section E. A. Capt. W. C. Anderson Capt. She will be repaid at Two Rivers by Riley Copp, lately of Portland, Me.

Miss Carrie Anderson, now teaching school at New Horton, spent Sunday last at her home here. Alvin Wilbur was the guest of Mrs. W. C. Anderson on the 20th. Herbert K. Wilbur was the guest of C. W. Anderson on the 20th. Alvin Lewis has been spending the past few days at Hastings.

Cecil Jones has returned home from sea to spend the winter with Rev. S. C. Moore. It is believed the latter Mr. Moore will go to Vancouver in March.

Hazen Forsyth, who has been sick for the past two weeks, is slowly recovering. Mrs. Annie M. Dunphy, who was upset from a sleigh a short time ago and sprained one of her ankles, is improving.

Elmer Tingley of this place, while hauling hay from Harvey yesterday, upset his load, throwing him to the ground onto a barbed wire fence. He was slightly bruised.

Capt. Avery Canning has gone to Amherst, where he is lecturing on the division of winter and summer may be either into 189 or 186 days, and when the period comes that the 37 per cent of heat is distributed during the 189 days of winter, the sheets of ice from the south and north spread over the frozen portions of the earth, and an ice age ensues.

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trimming. A good crowd assembled and thoroughly enjoyed the evening. Bandmaster Dixon and A. Morritt furnished music, while A. Weeks was floor manager.

Mrs. Kempt in getting up from her chair recently pitched forward and was cut over the eye. She is doing as well as can be expected from one of advanced years.

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ICE TO BENUMB WORLD AGAIN. Sir Robert Ball Declares There Will be Another Glacial Period.

With sparkling anecdote and homely illustration, Sir Robert Ball, Lowndean professor of astronomy and geometry in Cambridge university, England, and former royal astronomer of Ireland, delivered an address on the "Cause of an Ice Age" at Columbia university, New York, the other day.

Another glacial period, Sir Robert said, is to come again, when a great field of ice will sweep across the hemisphere, crushing, grinding, denuding all things for hundreds of thousands of years, and in its nature worse than famine, flood and pestilence. "This evil, however, is not due until there appears the sign of the ice age in the configuration of Venus, Jupiter and the earth in space, and this is not to be expected for some thousands of years. Absolute indication of the time of the advent is impossible, the professor asserted, smiling, as astronomers who said they told the whole truth would have nothing then to say.

In discussing the cause of the ice age, a period which involves largely geology as well as astronomy, Sir Robert said he felt like the eminent scientist who was professor of both geology and astronomy. When he went abroad he had two sets of cards printed—one "Professor of Geology" and the other "Professor of Astronomy." Whenever he addressed a scientific body he presented his geologist card, and vice versa, doubtless believing that no other man would be likely to have much knowledge in both sciences with which to confound him.

An ice age is brought about through the attraction of the planets Venus and Jupiter for the earth and their influence on the path of its revolution, the speaker explained. The sun distributes heat to the extent of 100 per cent, and of this 63 per cent is distributed in summer and 37 per cent in winter. According to the speaker the division of winter and summer may be either into 189 or 186 days, and when the period comes that the 37 per cent of heat is distributed during the 189 days of winter, the sheets of ice from the south and north spread over the frozen portions of the earth, and an ice age ensues.

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THIS VETERAN'S FIGHT In the days of the Revolution he was on the side of victory, in later years surrendered to disease, but South American Kidney Cure gave him his liberty.

Mr. A. Williamson, of Kincardine, Ont., a veteran in the American war, and now civic officer, town clerk and a prominent citizen, says of South American Kidney Cure: "I have found it a wonderful specific in my case. I had a great deal of Bladder and Kidney troubles, and one bottle entirely cured me. I think it a boon to mankind." Cures in all stages and gives relief.

MR. M. V. PADDOCK. ORIGIN OF THE WORD "TOAST." (From The London Chronicle).

The origin of the word "toast," in drinking a health, is interesting. The drinks most in use in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries were sack, Canary, claret, sherry and others, to which it was customary to add honey, sugar, ginger, cinnamon and other ingredients, also a piece of toast, which floated on top of the liquor, and was supposed to give it an additional flavor. Later on, in the eighteenth century, Dr. Johnson relates: "A certain beauty, being at Bath, pledged a noted beauty in a glass of water taken before her bath, whereupon another roysterer cried out that he would have nothing to do with the liquor, but would have the toast—that is, the lady herself." From this incident, it is said, arose the habit of giving a lady's name to preface, or flavor, the drinking of wine. Hence, a popular lady, whose health was often drunk, became "a toast" or "a great toast." Later the word has come to mean any sentiment which prefaces a drink.

RAREST STAMP ON EARTH.

There was recently sold in London at public auction what is probably the rarest stamp in the world. It is the Roumania-Moldavia 1844 issue, eighty-one paras blue on blue, unissued, with nearly full gum and large margin. After lively competition, it was knocked down for \$1.00.

The most expensive coronation on record in the history of the world was the coronation of Edward VII. in London. It cost \$16,000,000 were spent by the government alone, and fully \$5,000,000 more by the public authorities of various Russian towns.

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THE MARKETS.

Revised Every Monday for the Semi-Weekly Sun.

Table listing market prices for various commodities such as Canadian beef, Beef butchers, Pork, Butter, etc. Columns include item name, unit, and price.

Table titled 'GRAIN, ETC.' listing prices for items like Oats, Barley, Pot barley, etc.

Table titled 'OILS' listing prices for items like White Hoses, Lined oil, etc.

GET MARRIED, BOYS.

Don't Leave a Lot of Girls to be "Left-Overs."

(Montreal Witness) That the postponement or neglect of marriage is a leading cause of the diminished increase in the absolute decrease of the Anglo-Saxon race in North America, and its recession before other races must be admitted, and it may be a question whether this conscientiousness and prudence are as great virtues as men's maiden aunts are apt to extol them into. The customary sneer at young men who marry without the means to support a wife—that is to support a wife in accordance with the prevailing standard of comfort—may have in it a great deal more of the pride of life than of the highest morality. The reason why the French-Canadian is inheriting this continent is because he never thinks of not being married. It is a matter of course with him, and as a result he generally prospers better than the average young man who does not marry. Most of the men of highest financial success have married when they had nothing, on the principle that two could succeed together better than apart. Curiously among the races which marry in this improvident fashion there seems to be always a full supply of women able to help in the struggle, while among those whose calculations are that they must be on the highway to independence before they are married, the female element contributes are scarce. It is not possible that the great difference lies in that very standard of living. Those who are, as we have said, increasing and multiplying and replenishing the earth, and are content to do without it. As for women looking to trades and professions for a living, it is not likely to diminish marriage. The woman who has learned to do something, even though that something be far removed from the art of house-keeping, is far better fitted for life's struggles than she who has really learned to do nothing, but she is certainly far less likely to marry a shiftless husband than the girl who has no aim but to get married.

The Wine of Tar, Honey and Wild Cherry, made by The Baird Company, Limited, is free from all ingredients that cause unpleasant effects, common to many Cough Remedies, and is a perfectly safe preparation for children and adults, for all Coughs, Irritated Condition of the Throat, Asthmatic and Bronchial Coughs, Throat and Lung Trouble, Loss of Voice. For Public Speakers and Singers, this preparation is especially valuable. At all dealers. Price 35 cents for a bottle containing six ounces.

MRS. UTLEY RETURNING.

Mrs. Charles E. Utley is expected home in a few days, having arrived in Vancouver last week. Mrs. Utley accompanied her late husband on the St. John bark Nellie Troop, which left New York for Sydney, N. S. W., on July 21st. Ten days before reaching Sydney Captain Utley died, and his remains were buried at sea two days previous to reaching port. Mrs. Utley was within a day or two of his death in the best of health, when he was attacked with a form of paralysis which caused his death.—Yarmouth Times.

ST. JOHN WOMAN FOUND DEAD.

An Associated Press despatch from Bath, Maine, last evening, said: The body of a woman, supposed to be Mrs. McDonough of St. John, N. B., was found in the woods about half a mile from this city today. She had been dead more than a week, and it is believed death was due to exposure. She was about 50 years of age. The woman was last seen one week last Thursday. She said her name was McDonough, that her home was in St. John, and that she had just walked from Portland and was going to Brunswick. It is supposed she lost her way in the storm and was overcome by cold.

TOURIST Annual Meeting President P Good Financial Last Year—Old Question

At the annual meeting of the Tourist Association held at W. S. Fishers of the society the past five years. He held the post of president for many years. He wished to make a point of supporting the association from him. As the executive and no immediate aid of the hope of the meeting was rather a many important question, no decision of any of them. A. Beside the president, the following were present: H. Bullock, E. J. McLaughlin, J. F. W. W. Le Baron Roberts, E. R. Brown, O. E. Bell, James W. K. Armstrong, W. E. A. M. Belding, W. B. Spill, numerous others. In presenting the report, and reviewing the year's work, it was pointed out that the association on a very successful method of of our province, employed during the winter was done a provision of local ament of our visit to the States. The committee begs to work done during the past year, and to send copies of a paper, entitled "The Tourist of America," published by the St. John Tourist Association. This booklet, illustrating information for prospective Tourists, was printed by the Printing Company, and was distributed by the various post-ers, giving tide tables, etc.

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TOURIST ASSOCIATION.

Annual Meeting Resignation of President Fisher—Reports Presented.

Good Financial Standing—Splendid Work Last Year—Old Home Week—The Time Question and Other Matters Discussed.

At the annual meeting of the New Brunswick Tourist Association Friday night, President W. S. Fisher, who has directed the affairs of the society with eminent ability for the past five years, tendered his resignation. He had held the office too long, he said, and wished to make room for new blood, but promised the members the same hearty support the association has always received from him.

In presenting to you the fifth annual report, and reviewing the work of the past season, the executive committee considers that the association is to be congratulated on a very successful year. All methods of advertising the attractions of our province abroad were similar to those employed during the past year, but much more was done in the way of improving and providing local attractions for the entertainment of the tourists.

Advertising Literature.—Twenty-five thousand copies of the "Sun" were distributed. The "Sun" is published for the association by the Sun Printing Company. Numerous other publications, such as postcards, giving a list of local attractions, etc., were distributed.

Picture Post Cards.—Of these 20,000 were issued and sold to stations in the past year. The sale of these cards was not more than 500 cards were on hand.

Magazine Articles and Illustrated Lectures.—Material for many articles and pictures were supplied to the association. Lectures by lantern slides are becoming more popular through the United States each year, and large numbers of lantern slides, if the association possessed them, could be used to great advantage.

Information Bureau.—No work ever undertaken by the association has been so successful and popular as the Tourist's Information Bureau, opened at the Board of Trade rooms, under the care of Mr. Rupert E. Olive.

WOMAN FOUND DEAD.—A woman, supposed to be the wife of a man who had been missing for some time, was found dead in the woods about half past five this morning. She had been more than a week, and it is thought was due to exposure.

NOVA SCOTIA NEWS.

TRURO.

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Up to the top of the hill, When everything is still, Both night and day, Up to the top of the hill, When people are asleep, On the crest of the hill, I tell all my work, Which I never sleep, When people are asleep.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 24th, 1902. To the Editor of the Sun: At one of the city churches on last Sunday evening, the pastor spoke on the hymn Lead Kindly Light as being the work of a Roman Catholic.

CORNWALLIS NEWS.—CORNWALLIS, N. S., Jan. 23.—Mrs. Thomas Bigelow of Kingsport, stepped and fell last week, breaking one of her arms.

BUGLAR CAUGHT.—Edward Brown of Brown's Flats, has been arrested on a warrant charged with breaking an entrance into the house of Charles Gorham at Kingsport.

STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COLD.—Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

ENLISTED AS A TROOPER.—LIEUT. J. W. WILLIS, of the R. C. A. who has enlisted as a trooper in the C. M. R. for service in South Africa, is the second son of his family to volunteer for the front.

NEWFOUNDLAND.—ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Jan. 24.—A meeting of the colonial cabinet was held tonight to discuss certain despatches received from the imperial government respecting the removal of the French shore modus vivendi.

The Baby Sick?

Then probably it's a cold. Babies catch cold so easily and recover so slowly. Not slowly, however, when you use Vapo-Cresolene. Then a single night is all that is necessary for a cure.

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BACK FROM THE CAPE.

The Story Told by a Bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Church.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The Right Rev. L. J. Coppinger, who sailed from this city about a year ago on the Umbria to take charge of the 4th Episcopal diocese of the A. M. E. church in South Africa, returned by the Philadelphia and the first bishop sent out by the A. M. E. church to take charge of this diocese, which lies south of the Gambia river and comprises two conferences, the South African and the Transvaal.

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Dated at Montreal this Sixteenth day of December, 1901. By order of the Board, CHARLES DRINKWATER, Secretary.

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Registrar Jones reports five marriages last week and twenty-one births, sixteen of them females.

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SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived. Jan. 24—Sch. Morancy, Stephenson, from New London, J. W. Smith, cap.

DOMESTIC PORTS. Arrived. At Halifax, Jan. 23, ship Damara, for Liverpool via St. John's, N.B.

BRITISH PORTS. Arrived. At San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 22, ship Marathia, Pearce, on call.

FOREIGN PORTS. Arrived. At City Island, Jan. 27, ship Ninaro, Haley, from St. John.

MEMORANDA. Passed through the mails at Buenos Ayres, Dec. 9, bark Cuba, Earle, from Rosario for Santos.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 25.—Notice is given by the Lighthouse Board that the outer buoy of Barnegat Inlet, coast of New Jersey, has dragged from its proper position.

PREACHERS AND PRESSMEN. (From the Hamilton Times.) There may be need in Toronto for a better understanding between the press and the pulpit; Rev. Mr. Hincks knows more about that than we do.

MANUAL TRAINING.

Manual Branch of Modern Education Discussed by Prof. Robertson.

Faults of Present School System and Remedies Suggested—Manual Training in the Formation of Character.

His most ardent admirers would not claim that Prof. Robertson was an orator. He makes no pretensions to the part himself. He just stands on the platform and talks straight at those in front of him with a voice to which the Scots burr still clings broadly.

On the platform in the High School assembly room was His Honor Lieut. Gov. McClellan, Hon. John V. Ellis, Geo. Robertson, M. P., Recorder Skinner, Dr. Bridges and Alderman W. W. White. His Honor Judge True-

By an easy digression he turned to that part of education of which he was to speak—Manual Training. This was entirely separate from technical education. It aimed to train the pupil for his own sake, whatever line of life he was to follow.

Continuing, he discussed the educative effect of cardboard work and wood-working and in illustrating his remarks, told of visits he had made to manual training departments and the great differences between them and ordinary schools where there was nothing to arouse the boy's curiosity—to lure him out into wonder.

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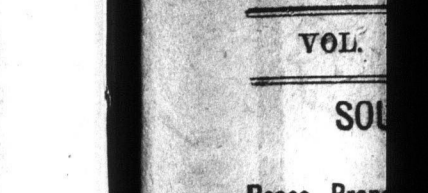
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