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ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 1880.

GREAT CHRISTMAS SALE

OF STAPLE AND FANCY GOODS.

McCAFFERTY & DALY,
CORNER KING & GERMAIN STREETS.

WE have made Special Reductions in the prices of all our Goods for this GREAT SALE. We offer particularly Good Bargains in the following Goods:-

GREAT BARGAINS in Blk. French Silks;
GREAT BARGAINS in Blk. French Cashmeres;
GREAT BARGAINS in Plain and Fancy Dress Goods, all New and Fashionable;

GREAT BARGAINS in Blankets, Flannel, etc., etc.;
GREAT BARGAINS in Woolen Shawls, over 500 to choose from;
GREAT BARGAINS in Berlin Wool Goods, Clouds, Breakfast Shawls, Jackets, Sontags, Scarfs, etc., etc.;
GREAT BARGAINS in Gentlemen's Silk Handkerchiefs, Silk Scarfs, Cardigan Jackets, Kid Mitts and Gloves, Cloth and Buck Gloves, etc., etc.;
GREAT BARGAINS in Ladies' Cloth Quilted Skirts, Silk Scarfs, Lace Scarfs, Kid Mitts and Gloves, Hosiery, Mantles and Mantle Cloths, etc., etc.

A Lot of Berlin Quilted Patterns at remarkably low prices.

McCAFFERTY & DALY,
Corner King & Germain Streets.

AMERICAN FURNITURE

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We will not at present advance the price of Stock on hand, but will sell at old prices!

CELEBRATED GRAND RAPIDS FURNITURE,
and of those Very Handsome PARLOR SUITS, which have been so much admired.

STEWART & WHITE,
93 to 97 Charlotte Street.

BEST REFINED IRON.

Common Bolt Iron, 10 to 12 Round
Sheet Iron and Hoop Iron, Black and Galvanized.
CAST STEEL FOR TOOLS AND DRILLS.
Extra A and Machinery Steel of Thick, First and Son's unrivaled manufacture.
Spear and Jackson's Steel, for Sleigh and Sled Shoes, Springs, Tires, and Tool-Steels.

J. & J. D. HOWE,
MANUFACTURERS OF
SETTEES
For Churches, Sunday Schools, and Public Halls, in Oak, Mahogany, and Walnut of superior quality. All kinds of
CHURCH FURNITURE
Made to order. PHOTOGRAPHS furnished on application. ESTIMATES made from Architects' Drawings. Estimates made from Architects' Drawings. Estimates made from Architects' Drawings.

JOHN D. HARRIS,
Manufacturer and Importer of Hats, Caps and Furs.
MAIN STREET, PORTLAND, (Nearby Post Office, Near Wharf).
N. B. - Good Dressing Suits, Blue Cloth, Merino Hats made to order, and a perfect fit guaranteed. Ladies' Hats made to order, and a perfect fit guaranteed. Ladies' Hats made to order, and a perfect fit guaranteed.

FRANCIS COLLINS,
Commission Merchant,
IMPORTER OF
French and English Goods,
WHOLESALE LEATHER DEALER,
Cor. Union and Smyth streets,
may 31st ST. JOHN, N. B.

M. McDONOUGH,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
2 North Market Street
(May 31st)
DOODY & TOLE,
Plumbers and Gas Fitters,
The undersigned hereby give notice that they are now in occupation of the Shop No. 20, BUCK STREET, and have in stock a large quantity of Gas, Brass, and Iron Pipe, Lead, and all the materials necessary for the trade. They are also in receipt of a large quantity of Gas, Brass, and Iron Pipe, Lead, and all the materials necessary for the trade. They are also in receipt of a large quantity of Gas, Brass, and Iron Pipe, Lead, and all the materials necessary for the trade.

J. R. CAMERON,
DEALER IN
American and Canadian Oil,
CHANDLERS, GERMAN-STUDY,
-AND-
English and American Lamps.
Burners, Chimneys, Wicks, &c.
no 17

BOILER PLATE.
Now landing at L. G. R. Warehouse, at S. S. "Ethiopia" from Liverpool.
140 Sheets Boiler Plate.
For Sale Low by
George Carvill,
Nelson street.

"Snowflake" and "City" Mills.
Landing at International, Snowflake.
100 B. FLOUR, SNOWFLAKE.
For sale by
THURGOOD & ROBERTS.

Canned Corned Beef and Tongue.
For Sale Low by
HARDING & HATFIELD,
17 and 19 South West.

NEW GOODS!

Received November 10th:

Bretagne Laces.
Plaited Bretagne Laces.
Bretagne Lace Ties.

Cheap Mantles;

Cheap Sacks;

Cheap Socks;

Cheap Suits;

JUST RECEIVED:
A LOT OF
Ladies' Cheap Cloth Suits.

Turkish Fingering Yarn,
Peacock Brand.
ALL COLORS NOW IN STOCK.
MANCHESTER,
ROBERTSON,
no 15

OUR ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SALE

WILL COMMENCE AT ONCE.

EXTRA GOODS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Agonizing Reductions
IN OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENTS.

Everyone wants a HAT, BONNET, CAP, FLOWER, FEATHER, ORNAMENTS, or any description of MILLINERY TRIMMINGS should come at once.

OUR FANCY WOOLEN GOODS,
Consisting of SQUARES, TIES, SCARFS, CLOUSE, &c., &c., will be sold at more a minimal price.
As the season is advancing the remaining stock of Fur Hats will be Marked Extremely Cheap.

All Classes of Dress Goods,

Will be offered at Lower Prices than ever.

GENTS AND LADIES'

Gloves, Hosiery and Underwear,

AT LESS THAN COST.

Everyone requiring any Dry Goods articles should send for a list of this opportunity and see for themselves the necessity of this opportunity.

JAMES MANSON,
COMMERCIAL PALACE, King Street.
no 10

Wholesale Warehouse,

Canterbury Street.

NEW GOODS!

Received at S. S. "Lucania" at Halifax:

11 Packages New Goods!

INCLUDING:
Striped Hosierys.
Blk. Coffin Cloths.
Italian Cloths.
Tailors' Trimmings.
Oxford Shirtings.
Silk Gossamers.
Clark's Reels.
Linen Threads.

HABERDASHERY AND SMALL WARES
T. R. JONES & CO.
C. & E. EVERETT,
FURRIERS,
no 11

SEASONABLE GOODS
At Reduced Prices.
FARMER'S SCARFS AND CLOTHS, Wools, Blue, Red, and Black, Navy, Pale Blue, Navy, Green, and all the latest shades.
BREAKFAST SHAWLS, CAPES.
SQUARES, SERVELETS, WAISTERS.
FOLKES, JACKETS, COMFORTS, TIES.
GATHERED, CLARKE'S, FELT MITS, MID MITS, Linen and Cloth Gloves, all sizes and colors.

SKATES! SKATES!
NOW IN STOCK:
250 Pairs Ace Skates;
450 Pairs Wood Top Skates;
5 Gross Skate Screws.

Wholesale and Retail.
CLARKE, KERR & THORNE,
no 10

1 CASE Windsor & Norton's

Colors, in Tubes.

5 Barrels Olive Oil.
5 Barrels Union Scaled Oil.
2 Cases Drop Black Dry.
2 Cases Canary Seed.
2 Cases Hemp Seed.
3 Barrels Lump Pumice Stone.

Wholesale and Retail by
T. R. BARKER & SONS,
no 10

The Weekly Freeman.

Saturday, January 24, 1880.

Irish Appeals.

We published last week the letter addressed by Mr. O'Donnell, M. P., to the people of France, in which he stated the case of Ireland as he views it, and the objects which the Irish Land League seek to attain; also Mr. Parnell's view of the case, as stated to the people of the United States in his speech at New York. We publish this week the statement made by Mr. O'Connor Power, M. P., in the Nineteenth Century, to the people of England. That part of his statement in which he treats of the proposal to establish a peasant proprietary we deal with in a separate article.

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ment or the English nation. She asks only justice, and the freedom to develop her own resources in her own way, and the power to use them for the maintenance of her own people. It is frequently stated in opposition to the demand for works of this kind, that if they could be carried out, the natural selfishness of the proprietors would induce them to invest their money in such enterprises. To this I would answer: unhesitatingly, yes, if the proprietors in Ireland were men of capital and men of enterprise. As a rule, they are neither the one nor the other. But suppose the owners of land to have capital and enterprise, they could not individually carry out these extended works of drainage and reclamation which are necessary. Hence the duty of Parliament to step in and promote by legislation an undertaking which is admittedly of national utility and importance. The waste lands would amply repay reclamation, although a small portion of the work has not been entrusted to competent hands, proprietors have undoubtedly failed to get an adequate return for their money, but this has not been the result where agricultural skill has been applied to the cultivation of the land. The proprietors have not been able to get an adequate return for their money, but this has not been the result where agricultural skill has been applied to the cultivation of the land.

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The Revenue.

After an unusual delay the revenue returns for December have been published. For the first time since 1871, the revenue for the month of December has been published. The delay has been caused by the fact that the revenue for the month of December has been published. The delay has been caused by the fact that the revenue for the month of December has been published. The delay has been caused by the fact that the revenue for the month of December has been published.

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LOCAL & PROVINCIAL.

NOTICE.—All communications, advertisements, etc., intended for insertion in the FREEMAN, should reach the office not later than Thursday morning of each week.

FIRE.—A car load of hay, valued at \$700, was destroyed on the N. B. and C. Canal by fire.

A house on Rebecca street, owned by the Irish Estate, was badly damaged by fire on an early hour on Tuesday morning.

SUDDEN DEATHS.—Two men, named Matthews and Morrison, both belonging to Paradise Row, died quite suddenly,—the former on Friday night of last week, and the other on Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Waterbury, a well-known hardware merchant of this city, died suddenly on Friday night of last week. The cause of death was paralysis of the heart.

ACCIDENTS.—James Clark, a call boy at the Grand Trunk Station, Brockville, Ont., was run over by a shifting engine in the station yard, and his head completely severed from his body.

On Saturday afternoon, a sailor named Samuel Lafferty, fell from the cross-tree to the deck of the schooner "Sarah," lying at Mackinac's Wharf, and sustained severe injuries. He was removed to the Marine Hospital.

Mrs. Geo. Fawcett, of Carleton, got into a fainting fit on Saturday last and falling broke her hip.

SAD ACCIDENT.—A very sad occurrence took place at Maria, P. E. I., on the 7th inst. A young man, Peter Barry, was chopping a tree, and while in the act he was struck on the head by one of his branches, which broke his skull and caused instant death.

A young man named Angus Melwood, of Big Bay, on the 6th inst. went out pulling a tree in the woods was struck by limb, and received a hurt which proved fatal.

George Bell, aged 55, was killed at Sheburne, on 6th inst., by falling from truck, on a wheel which had come off.

The Weymouth correspondents of the *Yarmouth Herald* writes to that journal that the County of Kent has been visited by St. Clair Jones, Esq., is still running. This mill has been busily grinding by day and partially by night since the beginning of harvest, and it is thought there is sufficient flour in the County to keep the mills going all winter. Heretofore we have frequently seen vessels discharging flour here, but we think loading flour this season—the product of our own soil. Weymouth has shipped a number of barrels of flour to its neighboring towns, which was manufactured from native wheat. It is to be hoped this increased efforts will be put forth from year to year, to stay the large importation of foreign flour, by supplying a part of the demand from our own soil.

DROWNED.—Two young men, named Miller and Morgan, were drowned in the Bay on Monday, while engaged in hauling a net full of herring in a dory ten feet long.

PEKONIAW.—Rev. Father Michaud, Butochute, Kent Co., in the City, The Rev. gentleman is looking well.

TEMPERANCE.—At a meeting of St. Mary's Society, of Cork Settlement, held on Sunday evening, Jan. 18th, the following gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year:

Wm. Murphy, President;
Michl. Donohoe, Vice-President;
John Donovan, Recr. Secretary;
John Donovan, Secy.
Thos. Donohoe, Treasurer;

Respectfully invited to attend the Annual Audit Committee.—Wm. Murphy, John Reardon and Jas. Donovan.

On Jan. 19th, Mr. P. Farrell, lat. Vice President of the Temperance Society, and other gentlemen from Predicton, visited the society, but owing to the state of foul weather, the meeting was not very large. Mr. Farrell made a speech in the course of which he related some interesting facts relative to the Union since its formation and explained its benefits. Messrs. F. J. McKeane, P. McGrath, and John E. Perks also addressed the meeting.

A regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Governors of the N. B. W. U. was held in St. Peter's Hall on Wednesday night. We understand that several measures for the advancement of the temperance cause in the City, Portland, and Carleton Place were discussed, and the members of the Board, and that the outcome of their deliberations will be placed before the public at an early date.

EXERCISES.—St. Rose O'F. S. Society, of Fairville, celebrated the anniversary of their organization by a literary and musical entertainment, held in the Catholic church of that place, on Monday evening last. Invited friends with the exception of ladies, numbered about twenty-two persons, who were seated in the hall. An address, and later in the evening, a reading was given by the President, Dr. O. C. McGinnis. Soloists were Edward O'Connor, and John Callahan, assisted by Messrs. Murphy and Gilles. Mrs. M. J. Lymbrey gave a recitation, and was greeted with great applause. Mr. J. J. Lombard read a selection which caused much merriment and amusement. The Rev. Fr. J. McGinnis presided, the organ being administered by the Rev. Fr. Gaynor. The exercises terminated at midnight, and the obligations for another year. After the termination was over, those taking part in the exercises were treated to a supper at the house of the Society. Much credit is due to the President, Mr. McGinnis, and the friends of the Society, who were instrumental in getting up the affair.

A concert in aid of the poor, in which Messrs. Campbell, Reid, Gilm, Kelly, Keogh, and others participated, was given at the Theatre Royal, on Tuesday evening. The entertainment in St. Malachi's Hall, by the Cadets of the Immaculate Conception, on Wednesday evening, was equally successful. The programme consisted in a number of pieces, and the Misses Brown and Sullivan sang several solos, which were highly appreciated. The audience, which was large, was evidently much pleased with the performances. The entertainment was given on 7th inst.

SUDDEN DEATHS.—Mrs. S. Hayes, burned to death at Napanea, Ont., on Friday night; her clothes taking fire by explosion of a coal oil lamp.

SMALL POX.—The Board of Health report that 49 cases of this disease were brought under their notice during the year. Of these 15 cases proved fatal, the remaining 34 recovered.

PROMPT TO DIE.—John McKinnon, Rocky Point, P. E. I., perished in a runaway storm. He was going home in sleigh when it upset, and being intoxicated he could not get himself out of the way from death.

The largest ship owning district is now in Hanover County, N. S., of which 271 vessels. At \$25 per ton the fleet would be worth nearly \$4,000,000. Victor MacNeil estimates that net tonnage of the Canadian fleet was 271,000 tons building during 1879. The tonnage for year increased by 15,999.

The Pilot Commissioners for 1879, who have been forwarded to Ottawa, shows that forty pilots and seven boats were licensed during the year. The entire receipts of \$227,111, expended by the Board, was as follows—
\$1398.26; balance of Dominion Fleet, \$8309.38. The Board have \$8900 funded for the benefit of retired pilots and widows and children of pilots, and during the past year three retired pilots were granted \$687.80; one widow \$300.00; and one child \$100.00. Total number of vessels piloted into St. John last year was 698, of which 335 were British and 163 foreign. These were classed as follows—ships 69; bargues 106; brigs and brigantines 86; schooners; and lighters 232. Of the former, 11 were built at St. John; 113 bargues, 80 brigs and brigs, 79 schooners and 2 steamers; the foreign 13 ships, 41 bargues, 6 brigs and brigs, .108 schooners. The gross amount of pilotage was \$281,614.31, and the net \$190,000.00, paid \$14,843.16, and the freight \$6,771.47. The receipts are much smaller than they have been for several years. In 1878 there were 739 vessels, consisting of 198 schooners, 109 brigs and brigantines, 258 bargues and ships, and 108 lighters. The gross amount of pilotage amounted to \$26,112. In 1875 there were 628 vessels, of which 121 were British and \$28,813. By deducting 25 cents per ton from the pilotage of outward bound vessels, the Board will be enabled to pay all their expenses, office, wharves, etc., and accumulate besides the benefit fund.

The *Advances* states that the quantities of fish exported from Miramichi last year to all quarters, were as follows—

	Salmón.	Smelt.	Lobsters.	Hams.	Trout.
St. John	\$1,024,126.00	\$1,268,267.00	\$80,000.00	\$1,413.00	\$1,413.00
Halifax	25,000.00	15,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Total	\$1,049,126.00	\$1,283,267.00	\$85,000.00	\$1,418.00	\$1,418.00

The fish exported from the Miramichi, therefore, to the United States and Great Britain, amounted to \$1,283,267.00, of which all but 387,000 lbs. went to the United States.

The round numbers we may place the value of the fish exported from the Miramichi, to points outside of the Dominion, at \$300,000. The exports to Great Britain were valued placed at about equal figures—say \$80,000 each. Lobsters come next at over \$10,000, followed by cod, say \$20,000, and other fish, including Mackerel, Trout, Eels, Alewives, etc., making up about \$20,000. It would not be fair to value the Smelt higher, and that it should even approach the value of the other fish, has been credited when brought to the test of actual figures.

Or the financial condition of the city of Fredericton, the *Agriculturist* says—
The sum of \$131,240, but deducted against the same, which was made up of a small sum of money on hand \$15 Oct, 1879, (and some other items) leaves \$116,047.18, amount due on ground rents, and balances of unpaid school taxes, in all \$7,571.41, leaving \$108,475.77, or nearly \$100,000, amount for 1879, say \$23,300.00, of which \$23,351 were collected when the accounts passed by the City Council, and \$75,125.77. In the defaulters list for 1879, there are some 750 names, the aggregate amount being \$97,917, against \$2,517 in 1878. For the years 1877, 8 and 9, there is a balance of taxes due the city, amounting to \$10,000.00, and \$10,000.00, respectively. Debitentres—Steam Pier Engines, Funded Debt, Railway Subsidy, City Hall, amounts to \$1,000,000.00, and \$1,000,000.00, respectively, so salaries amount to \$4,734. The balance of debt and salaries is \$115,934.00, the deficit from total assessment, leave \$16,366. But included in that amount is \$10,000.00, and \$10,000.00, respectively, for keeping up the roads and streets, the fire department, supporting the poor and for the city. But things are going so favorably as that, as, owing to defalcations, the total assessment, \$20,000, has fallen below the City's needs. The fact is, however, that only about \$24,000 have been available.

BADLY SCALDED.—A lad named Warren fell over a pot of hot water at Charlotte Street, and his face and hands badly scalded, his recovery is doubtful.

THE CHILDRAN TRUST. The Community of the Christian Brothers at St. John's, were the recipients of a collection of £254, taken at Christmas in the Catholic Church.

MR. JOHN COOPER, London Sound, Trinity Bay, has been found to be the best man in America. He weighs 352 lbs., and is a "solid man."

A house own by John Warren and his brother, situated at Open Hall, Bonaventure Bay, where the above named brother and a sister of the above named brother lived in the flames, while John and two girls escaped in their night clothes. The reason given for the fire was that the girl, who fell from the stairs, near the door leading from the bedroom to the kitchen. The girl was killed, and her body was found near the remains were found close to the fire place, partly burned in the ruins of the building. The girl was found dead, and she fearfully about the face and hands. The two girls were only slightly injured.

SOCIETIES. The various societies of the Societies marched to the residence of His Lordship Dr. Power, who addressed them on the subject of the late fire. A sad event occurred during the time the procession was on the march. A young man, who was in feeble health, having been taken ill, he died before he could reach the Cathedral.

ON THE 28th ult., the Roman Catholic Chapel at Ryans' Placenta Bay, was totally destroyed, together with the adjacent houses and furniture.

TWO TONS OF ANGELOPS HAS ON ITS LIST. A vessel with a tonnage of 27,769.

BROKERAGE.—Mr. Wm. Buchanan, job printing office, Halifax, was broken into last Saturday night, and all the office material was either wrecked or carried away.

THE ANNUAL COLLECTIONS for the St. Vincent De Paul Society, Halifax, will be taken up at the doors of all Catholic churches in that city, on Sunday next.

THE SISTERS OF CHARITY, who left Halifax for Rome some time ago, had a most successful audience with His Holiness the Pope. They returned home in triumph.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The Children of Mary, at St. Vincent's Convent, return their sincere thanks to Messrs. W. G. Lawton & Sons for their generous donation of dress goods for the poor.

NEW MACHINE.—Hanlan will go through the streets of Halifax in a new machine, being built for him. This new arrangement can be rowed on the ice. The Toronto *Mail* says that Hanlan expects it to carry him at the rate of a mile a minute.

SUED.—Dr. Christie, of Fortland, sued the Town Council for setting disaffected shoulder joints in two cases when called on to do so. On Friday last, Judge Campbell brought before the City Police Court and verdict rendered for the plaintiff. The defendant was ordered to pay costs, and engage medical services without an order from the Council. Notice of appeal was given.

THE NEWBURY BEACON.—An engineer is now surveying Lake Umbagog, with a view to drawing of the water and converting the bed of the lake into land for farming purposes.

A DARING SAIL.—On Friday morning of last week, two young boys, named Henry and William, of the village of St. N.S., in an open boat bound for St. John, with a cargo of 53 quintals of dry salt fish. For their cruise of 65 miles across the bay of Fundy they had only factory cotton for sails; they arrived safely; found a man fishing off the shore, and reached home all right last Saturday afternoon.

Those people whose hall is turning grey should use *Hall's Vegetable Sizing Hair Restorer* to restore it to its natural color and vigor.

FREDERICK NEWS.

BERNARD TO BE SINGING.—The musical society entertaining given at the City Hall last evening, for the benefit of the St. John's Hospital, was a very successful affair and proved very successful every respect. Owing to a slight indisposition, Miss Fannie Richards and Mr. C. H. Bennett were prevented from taking part, but both were announced to appear. The solos of Mrs. Currie, Mrs. E. E. Hall, Miss Robb and Miss Martin were all received and in nearly every case an encore was procured from taking part. The singing of nine males was considered by all being one of the best features of the concert. Mr. W. Wilson fully sustained previous good reputation. We may say that seldom have we heard this combination of voices so good. The accompaniment as well as on this occasion. Little Miss La Forest performed her character very admirably. A song and chorus by William Adams, W. Wilson, W. Quinn and H. Bennett, was very successful. Miss and Mrs. Lugin displayed considerable skill and taste in their manipulations of the piano. Mr. C. Power repeated his concert of "Old Mother Hubbard." Mrs. E. Hall sang a very beautiful song, the outcome as could be desired. She read a musical selection, which kept the audience in a high state of interest. The original song, "on Babes" was read by Mrs. E. Hall, which was very much appreciated to be of a high order. The singing of this young gentleman does not seem to be of a high order. The singing evinced a vast amount of intellectual ability in this particular. An entirely novel and interesting feature of the concert was the singing of the "Bells of the Bells," which was very much appreciated. During the evening the Reform Association gave a very successful concert, which must have been very satisfactory to those who were instrumental in getting up the concert. The singing of the "Bells of the Bells" also testifies that Miss Martin is held in very high esteem in this community. The singing of the "Bells of the Bells" was so kindly interested himself in the cause of St. John's Hospital, has succeeded in collecting a large sum of money for the hospital, and is going toward the rebuilding of the house destroyed by the fire.

THE REBUILDING OF THE HOUSE.—The work of rebuilding the house destroyed by the fire has been resumed with increased vigor. Already several exciting games have been played, and no doubt before the season is out, the St. John brethren will have completed and display their skill in the game.

PROF. E. H. MOORE gave exhibitions in Dunstons Hall, on Monday and Tuesday evenings last, very large audiences. His collection of interesting scenes of France, Ireland, England, and the United States, were performed some slight-of-hand tricks, which were quite amusing.

A CARNAVAL to be held in the Skating rink on the 30th inst.

Mr. J. Billou Mauger gave readings in Morgan's Hall, on Wednesday evening last, to a fair sized audience.

THE SHERBORN ROBBERY.

THE EDITOR OF THE FREEMAN:—

SIR,—Some time ago I received private information in reference to the parties concerned in the robbery of Black hills and their goods from my establishment. All the efforts of the guilty parties to prevent the recovery of the stolen goods, and the efforts of the police to prevent the recovery of the stolen goods, have proved fruitless, they are now endeavoring to place the burden of it on the shoulders of an entirely innocent man, and I have been requested, make the following communication through the medium of your valuable journal:—I have to say that I never, either directly or indirectly, did I ever receive any information of any kind, relative to the robbery of Black hills, or the robbery of my goods from my establishment. I have been requested by Mr. J. A. B. Perkins, of the firm of Perkins, C. 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the opening of the January session of the Council of the City and County of Denver, the City Council met in the City Council Chamber on Tuesday afternoon. The returns last election were read by the Secretary, H. W. Fifth, Esq. When this business passed of Wm. Jack, Esq., was appointed. The Building reported that a sufficient apparatus for the vault in the City Office after the proposed improvements are completed, could be put in at a cost of \$100. The expense for the vault and the expense for the vault for the year ending in 1900 was \$100. The Building reported that a sufficient apparatus for the vault in the City Office after the proposed improvements are completed, could be put in at a cost of \$100. The expense for the vault and the expense for the vault for the year ending in 1900 was \$100. The Building reported that a sufficient apparatus for the vault in the City Office after the proposed improvements are completed, could be put in at a cost of \$100. The expense for the vault and the expense for the vault for the year ending in 1900 was \$100.

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