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NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., supposed to be about the richest young man in America, owes \$400,000 and has only \$30,000 worth of personal property, according to the statement filed with the record department of taxes and assessment. Mr. Rockefeller is assessed on \$500,000. From what could be learned at the tax office Mr. Rockefeller called there and stated that he had \$400,000 in debts and that his personal property was worth only \$30,000, but he was willing to pay taxes on an assessment of \$500,000.

EXCURSION STEAMER ASHORE.

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Feb. 10.—The Quebec steamship company's steamer Madiana, Capt. Fraser, which sailed from New York on Saturday last for a special cruise among the Caribbean

Islands with a party of excursionists, has gone ashore on the reefs off this island and is likely to prove a total loss. Tugs have left here in an endeavor to rescue the passengers.

EIGHTY-TWO MILES AN HOUR.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—A speed of over eighty-two miles an hour for a distance of fifteen miles has been maintained by the Midland Railway Company's new compound engine, with a load of 350 tons, says a London despatch to the Tribune. A Newcastle paper which records the fact claims the engine is in many respects ideal ones, and a distinct improvement on any locomotive built hitherto in this country.

When a girl giggles over a letter and says, "How silly!" be sure that the writer has paid her a compliment and she is tickled to death over it.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

St. John, N. B., February 10, 1908.

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SIR CHARLES GAVAN DUFFY.

First an Irish Agitator, Then Premier of a British Colony.

Sir Charles Gavan Duffy, K. C. M. G., the former Irish leader, man of letters and prime minister of Victoria, died yesterday at Nice. He was born at Monaghan, Ireland, April 12, 1816.

Charles Gavan Duffy was educated at Monaghan public school and Belfast Institution. When a young man he became a noted agitator and friend of O'Connell. He founded the Nation newspaper in Dublin in 1842; was tried for seditious conspiracy with O'Connell and others in 1843; liberated by house of lords on writ of error, 1844; founder of Irish Confederation, 1846; arrested for treason felony, 1848; arraigned on four separate bills, and twice tried during ten months imprisonment, but conviction impracticable; elected for New Ross against chief secretary, 1852; previously a founder of Irish Tenant League, which returned more than 50 members at general election, 1852; introduced into house of commons principle of independent opposition, members pledged to which held aloof from both political parties, and voted for measures according to their intrinsic value and usefulness to Ireland; a majority of this party having proved unfaithful to their pledges, Mr. Gavan Duffy resigned and went to Australia in 1856; minister of public works under first responsible government of Victoria, 1857; prime minister, having previously declared, 1871; unanimously elected speaker, 1877; resident in Nice since he returned to Europe in 1880. His published works are:—The Ballad Poetry of Ireland, 1845 (50 editions); Young Ireland—A Fragment of Irish History; Conversations with Carlyle; The League of North and South; Life of Thomas Davis; Bird's-Eye View of Irish History; My Life in Two Hemispheres—Memoirs, 1898.

WILL BE BRILLIANT.

Opening of Parliament on Feb. 17 is intended to be an imposing event.

When the king, accompanied by Queen Alexandra, proceeds from Buckingham Palace to Westminster on Tuesday, Feb. 17, to open in person the third session of the first parliament of his reign, London's season will officially begin.

The occasion will be marked by the same pageantry and stately ceremonial which attended the opening by his majesty of the first session. A gorgeous state coach, drawn by eight cream-colored Flemish ponies, will be used. The procession in the houses of parliament will be strikingly picturesque. Pursuivants, heralds, gentlemen ughers, equerries and grooms-in-waiting will lead the way.

Conspicuous positions will be occupied by the prime minister, the lord chancellor, and the lord high chamberlain, in their robes of office, while the sword of state will be borne by a prominent minister.

In the house of lords a brilliant assemblage will await their appearance. The peers will wear their robes, the judges of the high court their robes of scarlet and full bottom wigs. Behind the bishops will be the diplomatic corps and the peeresses.

ST. PHILLIP'S CHURCH.

Another large congregation was present last evening at St. Philip's church when H. McIntyre introduced Rev. J. C. Colman of Halifax, who lectured on Canadian Magnetism. Mr. Colman held his audience spell-bound at times and then there would come such an outburst of laughter and applause suggested the famous Black Knight's lectures. Mr. Colman in his remarks spoke of Halifax, Amherst and St. John saying many compliments to St. John and its people and their hospitality, being in advance of all other points along the line of his travels.

During the evening the Old Folks Singers and the Jubilee Singers united, making a chorus of sixteen voices. Their selections won great applause. At the close of the lecture the following set down to a well-filled table prepared for the occasion by the Ladies' Aid Society, of which Mrs. Gray and others acquitted themselves with credit. Rev. J. C. Colman, Rev. E. L. Coffin, R. H. McIntyre, John Elzard, James Cox, Thomas Love, William Ogden, Dr. Walker, Frank McLean, and Charles Stewart were present.

Mr. Colman left this morning for Amherst, thence to go to Halifax. He will visit St. John again in three months.

SEAMEN'S MISSION.

At the annual meeting of the Seamen's Mission, to be held tonight reports of interest from the various departments will be presented. The manager, Rev. Mr. Roper, will outline his plans of work for the coming year. He is personally not in favor of running a mission and a home conjointly, but it is likely that matters will remain as at present during the coming year at least.

The financial report will show a considerable deficit in spite of the great labors of the committee. This is due chiefly to the falling off in subscriptions, which were about \$300 less than the previous year. The Seamen's Mission Society wish to acknowledge with thanks the following contributions:

Robert Thompson\$25.00
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HARMONY HALL.

Harmony Hall was filled. So were the members. An air of subdued expectancy and other odorous things pervaded the room. From the cellar came the splinter of opening barrels and cheerful rustle of unwrapped wads. The campaign was on and the eyes of the back benches glistened like a two dollar and a half gold piece before the gaze of a free and unpurchasable electorate.

But one or two who sat midway between the back of the room and the Seats of the Mighty on the platform were restless. They had been hearing so many things, and they wanted to know.

"Say, Mr. President," said one, as he climbed resolutely up on his chair: "Say, I'm dizzy, an' I want to know where I'm at. I want to know—"

"Put him out," yelled the back benches. "He wants to know."

But he hung on. "Say," he yelled, "are we goin' to run this election on straight lines or crooked lines, or parallel lines, or what? Some says it's goin' to be all liberals for the government an' some says it ain't. Pugaley says it is and Tweedie says nothin'. He may be sawin' wood, but I'd like to know just what this means."

Fellow Pugaley arose and smiled benignantly. He waved his hand and smiled again.

"Fellows," he said. "Gentlemen, friends, for we are all dear friends, I trust, nay, I know that we are, friends bound together by indissoluble ties of mutual love and respect and profit."

And he smiled again.

"The question of the honorable Fellow is a just and pertinent one. It shows a true spirit of interest in the welfare of our noble party—or parties. It gives me unspeakable pleasure to be able to answer it and set his worthy doubts at rest."

The Fellows all sat up expectantly.

"Your government has long considered this momentous question, and has come to a decision—or decisions—in the matter, which I know will be pleasing to all who have the welfare of our glorious country—and jobs—at heart. It is a question of no small moment, gentlemen, Fellows; but I am in a position to state that the government after mature deliberation has decided that the division of the provincial house on the lines of federal politics—and other considerations—is a wise course. They have also decided that it is not a wise course."

The back-benches started to cheer, but stopped half way, wondering. Fellow Pugaley smiled.

"The late war," he said, "has bound the men of the empire together into a unit, working for the good of the whole. Other events of the last year have impressed upon us the tenacity of human grasp upon life and power. Look at the growth of the winter port business. Consider how other countries have suffered from cold and earthquake and famine. Think of all these things, gentlemen. Now your government, on this momentous question, brought all its combined intellect to bear, and I trust the settlement, as I have announced it, will be satisfactory. All liberals should support the government, and all conservatives should work against the opposition. Your government has so decided. The present elections will be fought on the lines of federal politics, or it will be fought on other lines. Mr. Tweedie and myself are fully agreed upon this: that the next executive council will be composed only of sincere liberals, with perhaps a few more who may or may not come under that worthy or unworthy class. The dividing line between the two parties in this province is hereafter to be the line that divides the parties. But as we would in no way bind the consciences of our supporters we leave the location of this line to individual taste. I hope my estimable and worthy friends in the middle seats will be satisfied."

He sat down and smiled. The back-benches came in again at the signal from the wings, and cheered lustily, though somewhat incoherently. But some of those in the middle benches looked slightly dazed. Fellow Ernie arose.

"Now, in New York—" he began. "Oh, close him up," shouted Fellows Crockett, D. G., MacNutt and Bowes. "What did you ever come down from New York for, anyway?"

Fellow McIntyre grinned behind his handkerchief.

ENGINE DISABLED.

C. P. R. shunting engine 514 was disabled in a peculiar manner this morning. With another engine it was pushing a heavy freight train through the yard near the Mill street crossing when the train broke in two. This immediately threw the emergency air brake into operation and the cars stopped dead. Before the rear engine could stop No. 514 had been shoved so violently against the stationary cars that her pilot was crumpled up like a piece of paper. No other damage was done.

JOSEPH WILLS INJURED.

Joseph Wills, one of the carpenters employed in fitting up the Monterey at Sand Point had a narrow escape from death last night. He fell from the deck down the hold of the vessel and had a wrist broken besides sustaining other severe injuries. He was taken to the hospital in a sleigh, coming round by way of the bridge as the ferry had stopped running. Mr. Wills is reported from the hospital as doing nicely today.

PROF. GREY HAS A FIRE.

There was a slight fire in the apartments of Prof. Paul Grey, the palmitist, in Elliott's hotel, 32 Germain street, last afternoon. The blaze started in the waste paper basket where it is supposed the professor in a fit of lofty abstraction threw a match before going out for his after dinner walk. The curtains were burnt and the carpet spoiled and the wall partly damaged. An alarm was sent in from Box 23, but the fire was put out before the department arrived.

AN \$8,000,000 BRIDGE.

Across the East River at Hell Gate, New York.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 10.—Official announcement of the building of the new bridge across the East River at Hell Gate, New York, by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, was made public last night by Colonel Joseph U. Crawford, engineer of the branch line of the Pennsylvania system. It is estimated that the new bridge will cost over \$8,000,000. When work will be started has not yet been definitely decided on. It will require about three years to complete the work. The bridge and approaches will be two miles long. The central span will be 840 feet in length. The bridge will be erected 125 feet above the water. It will extend from Port Morris, Harlem, to Randall's Island, thence to Ward's Island and from that point to Long Island.

MORE BATTLESHIPS.

Three Monsters to be Built for British Admiralty.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—A special cable to the Herald from London says: That the British admiralty is not blind to the rapid increase in the number of ships of greater displacement and improved armament which characterizes the building programmes of other maritime powers is shown by its own programme, the principal feature of which is a new type of warship surpassing all the existing battleships in size and power, designed by Mr. Watts. There will be three of these big fighting machines built. Their displacement will reach 18,000 tons, which is nearly 2,000 tons more than the King Edward class, the largest type of battleship built by any power. They will carry four 12 inch guns, placed in pairs in two barbettes, four smaller turrets, ten or twelve six-inch quick firers. As a remarkable feature they carry twelve heavy, armor piercing guns, well protected by armor; 9.2 inch gun, an extremely powerful piece, firing a 380 pound shell twice or three times a minute. The speed will be nineteen knots.

TRAGEDY OF THE SEA.

BOSTON, Feb. 7.—There is a touch of mystery and an element of tragedy of the sea in the petition which Eleanor Hebb of Hebb's Cross, West Conquer-all, county of Lunenburg, N. S., has presented to the Massachusetts great and general court.

The petition asks that she be paid from the state treasury \$2,047.37, now standing to the credit of the escheated estate of Charles Peters.

The story Eleanor Hebb tells in her petition is that she is the sister and only heir-at-law of Lucy Randall Peters, who was married to Capt. Chas. Peters about 1847. Capt. Peters owned 17 acres of the high Erie, which made voyages between Boston, New York, Nova Scotia and the West Indies and on many of these voyages his wife sailed with him.

The Erie sailed from Port au Prince for Boston, Dec. 2, 1856, with Captain Peters, his wife and daughter, Fannie Peters, eight years of age, on board. The Erie was never heard from afterward.

In 1857 Francis E. Parker of Boston, public administrator, took up the settlement of Capt. Peters' estate and no heirs appearing, the balance, after all debts were paid, of \$2,047.37, was turned in to the state treasury.

It has remained there since 1864. The petitioner represents that she had no knowledge of the administration and settlement and payment into the state treasury of the balance of the estate until many years after it had occurred, and so that Capt. Peters was a native of Holland or Germany, and had repeatedly asserted that he was without any kin whatsoever so far as he knew.

The bill has been referred to the committee on probate and chancery.

WINTER PORT.

The Elder-Dempster S. S. Lake Erie, which left Liverpool Jan. 28, arrived this morning and docked at Sand Point about ten o'clock. She had 11 first cabin, 25 second cabin and 450 steerage passengers. The immigrants are being examined and sent forward by special from the west side this afternoon.

The S. S. Lake Ontario sailed about noon today. She takes a large cargo, including 404 cattle.

The Manchester Trader sails today with 381 cattle and 429 sheep.

The Donaldson str. Concordia, Capt. Webb, sailed at 10.30 last night for Glasgow. Her cargo included 14,000 bushels of wheat, 19,000 of oats, 250 tons of flour, 70 standards of deals, 700 barrels of apples, 216 boxes meats, 200 bundles of cargo hay and 533 cattle.

PRESBYTERY ARRANGING SUMMER SCHOOL.

The Presbytery of St. John intends having a summer school for training of Sunday school teachers in the city, from July 23 to July 31, and Prof. Geo. W. Pease, of Springfield, and Rev. Prof. Faulkner of Pine Hill College, Halifax will be brought here as leading instructors. An attractive programme was drawn up at a meeting of the committee yesterday afternoon and will be published shortly.

A THOUSAND CATTLE.

One thousand head of cattle are now on the way to St. John from Montreal for shipment by the Elder-Dempster liner Monterey. A. C. Smith & Co. of Carleton, had a telegram from the shippers advising them that the cattle had left Montreal, but the message did not state which line they were coming by. Neither Supt. Ross nor the C. P. R. officials have as yet received any word of the shipment, so it is not known which way the cattle are coming.

REMOVAL SALE.

On Tuesday next I will move to my new store, 17 Charlotte St. (adjoining my present premises) and for the next few days will offer the balance of our stock of

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NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—A reduction in the retail price of anthracite from \$7.50 to \$6.50 a ton has gone into effect in the yards of the local dealers throughout Greater New York.

THE DEATH ROLL.

GENOA, Feb. 10.—Hubard T. Smith, U. S. consul general at Cairo, who has been in a hospital here for some time past suffering from a cancer of the kidneys, died this morning.

Glady—So she married him just because he owned an "auto"? Penelope—O, no! Because he never got mad when it broke down.—Pack.

STEAMERS, ETC.

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WANTED-A housemaid. Apply to Mrs. VASSIE, 28 Mecklenburg Street.

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THE ANDOVER BRIDGE.

(Carleton Sentinel.)
Work on the Andover steel bridge is now progressing quite rapidly, and there is every indication of its being used for public traffic in, perhaps, less than six weeks. The channel pier, which is the last one to finish, is well started. The hardest part being that of laying the foundation, is all complete, and the granite is being placed. About eight or ten days more and it will be all ready for the steel. Mr. Woodward, the foreman for the Dominion Steel Bridge Co., has arrived and is placing the temporary work and will be all ready to erect the steel by the time the last pier is finished.

Red Rose, the royal tea, sold from Newfoundland to Vancouver.

BILLIARDS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.-In the amateur billiard championship tournament at the Hanover Club, Brooklyn, today, William P. Foster of Revere, Mass., defeated Arthur Townsend of Brooklyn by the score of 20 to 15. His highest run was 52 and average 11.17 against Townsend's 33 and 5.87. Dr. W. Gardner of Passaic, N. J., defeated Dr. L. L. Mial of New York by the score of 20 to 17. His highest run being 43 and average 7.87 against Mial's 27 and 4.34 for Dr. Mial.

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., FEBRUARY 10, 1903.

TURN THEM OUT.

The government party in St. John have begun their campaign with a confession of weakness. Does anybody believe that if the government were worthy of support on its own merits there would be any attempt to divide on federal lines in this city, when that course is not pursued in other parts of the province? Does anybody believe the Telegraph would be pursuing its present course, but for the fact that therein appears the only possible hope of electing a government supporter in St. John? If the Tweedie-Pugsley government is a good government; if it has labored for the welfare of the province; if it is a prudent as well as a progressive government, why not appeal to the people on its record, and trust the people to recognize its worth? The answer is that it is not a good or a safe government, and in order, if possible, to snatch a victory it appeals to the liberals, hoping that they will rally to the support of its candidates.

We are to have the remarkable spectacle of a local government meeting in Berryman's Hall, taking a course exactly opposite to that laid down by Hon. H. R. Emmerson in the same hall at the last election. And the liberals of the city are asked to follow meekly in the wake of Mr. Tweedie, Dr. Pugsley and Mr. Labllois, as if these gentlemen had the right to dictate to liberals; while at the same time conservative support is being solicited in other constituencies.

If there be any merit in consistency; if political integrity counts for anything; if we are not to be mocked by those who regard it as the chief aim of the politician to be a successful trimmer; then the present combination should be defeated. Fortunately this view is held by so many liberals that the opposition candidates have no reason to doubt the result.

There is no inconsistency in turning against a government when it no longer deserves support. The elector who makes that change does not do it in the hope of reward. He is not a trimmer, but a man who is not afraid to stand by his convictions.

The elector who is told that Mr. Tweedie will get from the dominion government a large sum of money for this province may with propriety ask where that money comes from. He might also enquire what good purpose would be served by handing over a large sum to a government which has such a reckless habit of expenditure.

In today's Star a correspondent sets forth a plan which he is convinced would prevent at comparatively small cost the present congestion of traffic on the ferry. His suggestion is worth looking into.

The speakers in Berryman's Hall last evening were Hon. H. A. McKeown, John L. Carleton, W. H. Trueman, Thos. Gorman, C. J. Milligan, James Barry and E. J. Murphy. And the Telegraph says "it looked like old times about the familiar stamping ground of liberalism."

The Moncton Transcript says there will be a liberal ticket in Westmorland. But the meeting last night, while it voted confidence in Laurier, Emmerson, Robinson and Copp, refrained from eulogizing either Tweedie or Pugsley.

The Telegraph insinuates that the Sun editor's admiration for Mr. Fred. M. Sproul is due to the fact that neither of them ever visited New York. Judging from recent examples one would judge that a temporary sojourn in New York tended rather to increase self-admiration.

For sheer vindictiveness some members of the government party in this city bear the palm. Why should the Hon. Geo. E. Foster be singled out for attack in connection with a provincial election in which he has no part?

The Telegraph is beginning to realize that it undertook a very large contract when it set out to deliver the conscience of the liberal party over to the keeping of Tweedie, Pugsley and Labllois.

Hon. A. G. Blair will be here Thursday. It is reported that a specially guarded and sealed box car is attached to his private train. The price of coal won't matter so much now.

The Frederickton Gleaner has got Mr. Hansen and Mr. LaForest defeated, and will now proceed to wipe out the rest of the opposition candidates. And all before the government has got its candidates nominated.

The opposition meeting in the York Theatre on Thursday evening should strike the key-note of the campaign.

The latest rumor in business circles is that Hon. Dr. Pugsley and Mr. Geo. Robertson will organize a million dollar company to exploit the one-eyed steer. While in St. John the steer will be on exhibition in Berryman's Hall.

The liberals of St. John decline to accept Tweedie and Pugsley as leaders of the party.

The Rotheys forgers are still at large.

LIBERAL ELECTORS

Met Last Night in Pursuance of Notice, and Selected Their Ward Delegates.

In response to the call for liberal electors, several government supporters from the wards of Kings, Queens, Dukes and Sydney, about two hundred strong, met last night in Berryman's Hall. Each ward met in a different room and the following were selected as delegates to select candidates at the convention which will be held at the same place on Wednesday night:

Queens ward-Col. H. H. McLean, John Flood, James Hunter, Geo. McAvity, Jas. H. Pullen, W. V. Barbour, D. Brown, John Stanton, E. J. Armstrong, with D. J. Brown, chairman, and W. H. Trueman, secretary.

Kings ward-E. Lantulum, A. H. Lindsay, T. Lunney, W. H. Campbell, J. W. Ward, T. O'Brien, Dennis McCarthy; E. Lantulum, chairman; T. O'Brien, secretary.

Dukes ward-Dr. A. D. Smith, H. S. Daly, P. J. Mooney, Edward Johnson, Wm. Simpson, Jos. W. Doody, M. D. Sweeney, Col. Blaine, chairman; A. P. Barnhill, secretary.

Sydney ward-Thos. Gorman, Robt. O'Brien, Jos. J. Porter, John Abbott, S. E. Lordy, Geo. Lavers, Thos. Gorman, chairman; J. J. Porter, secretary.

Prince ward, in their rooms, elected delegates as follows-Jas. Barry, E. H. Flood, George A. Knodell, Arthur McHugh, Dennis McCarthy, John L. Carleton, Thos. Law, Hugh Beck, John Dolan, Harry Crawford, Jas. Minehan, J. H. Flood, J. C. Barry, chairman; E. H. Flood, secretary.

The absence of the laboring men, who in past campaigns have proved staunch workers in the Liberal cause was apparent at last night's gatherings.

The Liberals (?) who graced the occasion with their presence were smilingly received on entering by A. E. MacIntyre, or erstwhile Telegraph editor, who officiated as general usher. Vile election cigars were handed out to all by this genial conductor of the campaign.

The election of delegates was a mere matter of form, being a cut and dried affair. Enough names were offered in each ward to act as the nominations were declared closed.

IN THE NORTH END.

Lorne ward-Geo. E. Day acted as chairman and P. A. Courtney as secretary. The delegates elected were-J. Fraser Gregory, Jas. S. Gregory, Jas. Lingley, Geo. E. Day, J. L. Eagles, A. M. Rowan, John P. McGrover, Jas. Brown, A. B. Holly and G. D. Martin.

Landowne ward-Geo. R. Craigie, chairman; R. J. Coter, secretary. Delegates-Dr. Smith, G. M. Spence, Peter Mahoney, Henry Maher, P. J. McIntyre, Philip Hamm, J. R. Craigie, Capt. Kenney and R. J. Coter.

Victoria-Thos. Linton, chairman; Jacob Seeley, secretary. Delegates-J. B. McLean, Wm. Jack, Barton Gandy, David O'Neill, Thos. Linton, J. F. McKelvey, J. K. Hamm and Alex. Corbett. Substitutes-Robt. O'Shaughnessy and John Donovan.

Dufferin-J. V. Russell, chairman; John McGorman, secretary. Delegates-John Johnston, James Morgan, Hugh Campbell, John McGowan, William Kiley, James V. Russell, Benjamin Knoxies, Charles Colwell, R. T. Hayes, Alfred Haynes.

Speeches were made by the secretary, R. T. Hayes, and John McGowan, and appropriate songs given by Hugh Campbell.

Stanley-Jacob Tobin, chairman. Delegates-Jacob Tobin, Jos. Kirvin and James Donovan.

ON THE WEST SIDE.
The electors of Guys ward met in Oddfellows' Hall last night. The chair was taken by J. B. Stubbs. E. J. Murphy was elected chairman, and I. E. Smith, secretary. The following delegates were appointed: Chairman E. J. Murphy, Secretary I. E. Smith, J. B. Stubbs, W. J. Belyea, J. W. Brittain, J. M. Lyons and John Driscoll. Eloquent speeches were made by Timothy Donovan and W. C. R. Alton, and remarks by Mr. Stubbs, Mr. Smith and Mr. Lyons.

After the ward meetings in other parts of the city had closed the faithful gathered together at the headquarters in Berryman's Hall. When all were assembled the total number present did not amount to 200.

W. H. Trueman was chairman of the general meeting.

Hon. H. A. McKeown referred in spell-bound oratory to the great work the local government had done. His speech consisted principally of elucidation of the government's good work and the mistake the electorate would make in pinning anybody else in power but the present members.

W. H. Trueman followed with one of his weighty addresses, which the audience found it somewhat difficult to follow.

John L. Carleton made the speech of the night, referring to the honesty of the local government, and challenging Mr. Hansen to produce a better speaker. He said he would ask Messrs. Hatheway and McElroy how long since they had taken off their coats to show that they were workers.

Mr. Milligan of the Telegraph made a slurring reference in his address to the Hon. Geo. E. Foster. He said that the hand of Foster was shown in this election. Mr. Foster was simply guiding Hansen on in his efforts to defeat New Brunswick's local government.

A. P. Barnhill said he was a worker, not a worder.

C. J. Milligan took occasion to say that he "would like to borrow Hatheway's overalls just for a day," and if he did not wear them himself he would lend them to one of the Telegraph employees.

James Barry was called upon to speak. Mr. Barry declined the pressing invitation.

Thomas Gorman made a few remarks of a general nature.

After vigorous calls for somebody from the West End to enlighten the noble two hundred on how matters are run in provincial politics, E. J. Murphy rose to his feet and told in ejaculatory tones all he knew about bridge matters and the "all around goodness" of the local government members. He said Carleton was as solid as a cake of ice. This was Murphy's view point of the matter and was evidently not relished by a young man from Dukes ward, who disputed the right of the floor with the volatile Murphy.

Then somebody suggested singing "God Save the King." The attempt was made but it was impossible to suppress the voices of the West End and the man from Dukes.

Another meeting will be held in the same place on Wednesday night, when the delegates will select candidates, after which there will be more speeches.

There was not a surplus of enthusiasm at the local government ward meetings in the north end last evening. At Union Hall, D. J. Purdy, M. P. P., tried hard to inject "patriotic fire" into the half frozen few in attendance. Mr. Purdy stated that a strong opposition was conducive to good government, but an opposition party in the New Brunswick legislature was not needed, as the members often voted against measures that Messrs. Pugsley, Tweedie and Blair approved. As a north end man he voted with the government. The opposition had not considered the north end, and not having chosen a candidate from that section. For this reason he would expect the north end vote, if chosen as a candidate. If elected he would serve the best interests of his constituents.

Dufferin ward was the banner one among the north end divisions. James V. Russell gathered about him men and boys, with a street chorus from a mission, some thirty or forty people. After transacting the business required by them, speeches were made by a few of the faithful. Then came the grand "tout ensemble," when Hugh Campbell sang:

Waste not, want not, is a maxim I would teach;
Let your watchword be dispatch and practice what you preach.
Never let your chances like sunbeams pass you by;
For you'll never miss the water till the well runs dry.

CARLETON NEWS.

The Gymnastic Society of St. George's church will meet tonight. This society is under the management of Addington Perry and is open to young men of all denominations.

The Presbyterian church is now in possession of the finest choir on this side of the harbor. The choir, in the first place, is to be complimented on its leader, Thomas Rippey, who has a very excellent bass voice, and is a great worker. The bass singers are: Thos. Rippey, Wm. Ruddick, Mr. Williamson and Walter Pierce; the tenors are Percy Cruikshank, S. Wilber and George Bailey. The leading soprano, Miss Vera Burpee, is a recent and valuable acquisition. Miss Johnson and Miss Florence Gregory are also good sopranos. Those singing alto are the Misses Ring, Miss Wilson and Miss Johnson. The organist, Miss Mullin, is very efficient, her musical performances being much appreciated by the various members of the congregation. This choir will give a special song service on the Sabbath of February the 22nd, in the evening.

The Young People's Association of the Presbyterian church held a very pleasant social evening last night. Vocal and instrumental selections were given by the various talented members of the congregation and a few enjoyable hours spent. The association purposes holding a large sleigh drive the near future.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Free Baptist church will give a concert in the school room of that church on Thursday evening. Most of the vocal talent of the vicinity will take part and a first class programme will be carried out.

J. C. Robinson, a returned missionary from Japan, will lecture in St. George's church on Thursday evening, concerning his missionary experience in that country. Miss Etches will also speak.

TO ADVERTISERS.
Copy for CHANGE OF ADVERTISEMENTS in the STAR should be in the office not later than 10 a. m. to ensure insertion in that day's issue.

N. B. APPLES.

(Carleton Sentinel.)
Among the various reports of the meeting of the Farmers' and Dairy-men's Association, held in Woodstock recently, the reporters have overlooked the fact that there was an exhibition a splendid display of apples, grown in the province. It was a handsome display and shows what is being successfully done in the culture of fruit.

From the Experimental Farm, Nappan, was seen 38 samples. Then from this county, Mrs. J. Gill exhibited five samples; C. P. Rogers, one; C. P. Bull, three; Judson Briggs, two; A. A. Briggs, three; F. A. Hubbard, Sunbury, two; J. C. Gibson, Fredericton, eight; and H. Wilmot, Sunbury, a very fine sample of Bishop Pippins. The fruit embraced many kinds and very handsome specimens, proving conclusively the fitness of our soil and climate for the successful culture of apples.

DEAL CHARTERS.

Str. Ingrid, Horn, takes deals from the Mitchell in the spring, three trips to the U. K., at 39c.

Two large Battle liners get 35c. on deals from the Mitchell in the spring.

A steamer has been fixed to carry three cargoes of deals from the Bay Chaleur to the U. K. at 37c. 6d.

ANNUAL FEBRUARY SALE OF Men's and Boys' Clothing and Men's Furnishings

At Special and Reduced Prices. From Monday, Feb. 9th, to Feb. 16th we offer the following lines:

Men's Fancy Tweed and Cheviot Sack Suits at Special Sale Prices.

LOT No. 1-A fine range of patterns in medium and dark colors, all good, at \$2.75. The regular price of this lot was \$7.50 to \$10.00, and includes a quantity of genuine Irish Tweed Suits.

LOT No. 2-Men's Fancy Tweed and Cheviot Sack Suits, special sale price, \$3.75. None of the suits in this lot were less than \$10.00.

LOT No. 3-Men's Fancy Tweed and Cheviot Sack Suits. Special sale price, \$10.75. This lot includes many of our very best suits; former prices from \$12.00 to \$15.50.

Men's Double-Breasted Fancy Tweed Suits.

All new goods. Special Sale Prices, \$3.75 and \$10.75.

Business Men's Cutaway Suits.

In very neat Grey and Dark Mixtures, Special Sale Price, \$10.75. Also a small quantity size 36 in. only, at \$3.75.

Manchester, Robertson, Allison.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

THE FERRY SERVICE.

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir,-One frequently reads in the papers complaints and protests as to the suggestion of teams, loaded with light, at the west side ferry floats, and of the inconvenience so often caused the east side merchants thereby. These merchants say the accommodation is not sufficient and there ought to be more facilities supplied in the winter season. Some want another boat and some cry out loudly for a bridge across the harbor at Navy Island. There is no doubt the ferry traffic in the winter season has increased to an extent not even imagined when the winter port business was inaugurated some few years back. The proportions of this increase is now patent to every person except he be a C. P. R. official. It would be unwise for a C. P. R. man to concede this because it might be followed by an expressed desire on the part of our indulgent common council that such C. P. R. proceed to make good their agreement with the city in respect to wharf extension.

It is quite true that on some days the ferry boats are not able to transfer the number of teams that offer at some trips and some have to remain on the floats till the next trip, and grumblings are generally loud and long continued, and the ferry management is the subject of attack. This, however, is not just. People do not look at the matter right. They do not take into account the fact that five tracks of railway cross Rodney wharf near Union street and that the C. P. R. is very frequently using some of their tracks in shunting and making up trains. A team going to or leaving Sand Point en route to the east side, with a load, arrives at the head of Rodney wharf just as the C. P. R. engine or train is at the crossing and as the C. P. R. in this connection is not given to interrupting its own work, the team misses the trip intended. Perhaps three or four teams are thus delayed. Other teams coming along for their trip are preceded by those who missed the previous trip and so the rule "first come, first served" holds good; it can easily be seen how the congestion occurs.

Now there is a remedy for this and it is up to the city to apply such remedy. It is somewhat remarkable that it has not been put in operation before. The remedy is quite inexpensive, taking into consideration the extent of the interests served.

The idea is this-that a roadway be made from a point on Rodney wharf to the head of Rodney wharf (so called) to the east side, at the head of South Rodney wharf, a roadway of any thirty to thirty-five feet in width. There is already a space of several feet between the present track and the slip which could be utilized, so far as it extends, and a crib work or other structure, officially approved of course, could be erected, which would give a direct road for teams to and from Sand Point at all times of the year. If this were built, and it could soon be done, teams would not have to cross any railway track at all, except the N. B. Southern to South Rodney wharf, which is not so often in use as to be a material obstruction. This work, too, should have a fence or railing on each side as a protection for all persons using it. The men working on the steamers hurrying to their east side homes after the day's work would rejoice in it that their distance was shortened; the teams would not be delayed any more; there would be no more congestion; the C. P. R. would not be interfered with and peace would reign in the land.

Trusting this suggestion may be considered favorably and the remedy outlined be promptly applied by those who have authority.

Yours, etc.

St. John, N. B., Feb. 8.

AFTER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

The big bell of the Central Police Station tower failed to fulfil its function yesterday afternoon. The bell was installed in 1878 and has given excellent service ever since. Yesterday afternoon when box 124 was pulled the bell worked all right till the last round, when something happened, the round was not finished, and the "all out" blow did not sound. Investigation showed that the bar on which the hammer swung had broken.

Supt. Leonard at once removed the broken parts and will have the big bell in full working order today.

THE BATTLE LINE.

Str. Pandosia, Capt. Humphrey, arrived at Newcastle Sunday from Bremen to load coal for the U. S.

Str. Mantana, Capt. Pearce, from Cardiff with coal, reached Fall River Sunday.

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Use sure a headache in ten minutes.

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THIS WILL INTEREST YOU.

Our February Sale of Odds and Ends Will Start on Monday Morning.

A MONEY SAVING EVENT.

BARGAIN NO. 1.

LADIES' WRAPPERS, only about a dozen different styles. Lined Sleeves and Waist, made of good Cambric. Sizes 32, 34, 36 bust. \$1.50 Wrappers for 75c.; \$1.25 Wrappers for 63c.; \$1.35 Wrappers for 68c.

LACE CURTAIN BARGAIN, slightly soiled, only 13 pairs in lot.

3 yards long, 38 in. wide, 65c. for 33 pair.

3 " " 42 in. wide, 75c. for 38 pair.

3-1-2 " " 50 in. wide, 85c. for 43 pair.

3-1-2 " " 50 in. wide, \$1.00 for 50 pair.

3-1-4 " " 54 in. wide, \$1.25 for 63c. pair.

3-1-2 " " 52 in. wide, \$1.50 for 75 pair.

3-3-4 " " 54 in. wide, \$1.75 for 83 pair.

These Curtains are taped all round and good value at first price.

DOOR MATS, 20x32, in floral designs, fringed all round, 19c. each.

DOOR MATS, made of plaited oilcloth, grand for bath rooms, etc. Size 32x21. Sale price 39c. each.

FRINGED AXMINSTER TABLE COVERS, 1 3-4 yards square, in red and green grounds, with yellow floral designs. Sale price \$1.00 each.

SPECIAL SALE WHITE QUILTS, large size, at 95c., \$1.15, \$1.29 each.

LADIES' PERFECT FITTING UNLINED WALKING SKIRTS, made from Preston Cheviot. Color, Black and Oxford. Have new box pleat effect, finished with rows of silk stitching. Size 39 to 43 length. \$5.25 Skirts for \$4.25; \$3.75 Skirts for \$3.25; \$3.25 Skirts for \$2.65.

LADIES' WRAPPERS, all made from good quality Cambric, in nice new patterns, braid trimmed at 75c., \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.50, each.

CORSET BARGAIN. If your size is in the lot you are lucky, as they are a big bargain. Size 18, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29 in. 50c. Corsets for 29c.

CURTAIN ENDS or half Curtains, regular price 25 to 50c. each. Sale price 17c. each.

This Sale is for CASH ONLY, half priced goods will not be exchanged or allowed out on approval.

RUBBER BARGAINS.

WOMEN'S STORM AND CROQUET RUBBERS, narrow toes, 50c. Rubbers for 29c. pair. Sizes 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2, 6, 6 1-2, 7 only.

MEN'S PLAIN RUBBERS, narrow toe, 90c. Rubbers for 49c. Sizes 7, 7-12, 8, 8 1-2, 9, 10 only.

WOMEN'S RUBBERS, with toe cap, narrow toe, 55c. Rubbers for 39c. Sizes 3, 4, 6, and 7 only.

MEN'S BOW TIES, in neat patterns, 25c. Bows for 5c.

Our Special Selling of Cottons, Tablings, Toweling etc. is still in full swing, 10 yards of extra fine Cotton, yard wide, for 79c. Linen Towels from 15c. pr. up.

Bring this advt. with you and you will see that all goods are strictly as advertised.

Watch for our White
Wear Sale.

E. O. PARSONS,

93 and 95 LUDLOW STREET, West End.

TO COUNTRY NEWSPAPERS AND PRINTING OFFICES.

Owing to the purchase and installation of new plant, the undersigned will, in a few weeks, have the following articles for sale:

- 5 Imposing Stones with Stands.
- 1 Staple Binder.
- 1 Card Cutter.
- 2 Job Presses.
- 1 Counter, with 6 drawers, walnut top, 9 1/2 feet long.

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St. John, N. B.

SPORTING NEWS.

THE RING.

EDDIE CONNOLLY'S GREAT FIGHT.

The international contest between Eddie Connolly of America and Tommy Woodley of England, for the English welterweight championship, proved to be a stirring and interesting affair. The men met before the National Sporting Club, London, in a 15 round bout for \$250 a side and a purse. The London Mirror of Life has this to say of the battle:

Woodley scaled 150 pounds, and his opponent one pound less. The Englishman had behind him Jerry Driscoll and Arthur Guttridge, while the Canadian was equipped by James White and Billy Plummer. Connolly was most eager to begin and he soon put a light hook on the face, after a deal of feinting. In the second round, too, the American again began operations, uppercutting with the dexter fist above the mark, and swinging the left on the side of the head. Twice he got the right on the body, and a third time he landed a blow on the jaw, then on the body, and spun his man with a rare drive on the short ribs. So far it had been Connolly's fight.

"Taking the centre for the sixth time, Woodley, as the result of some punching in holds, appeared to go groggy, but he recovered, steadying his adversary with a couple of left hooks as the last named came in to administer the coup de grace. The seventh went the way of the others, that is, in favor of the stranger. The Englishman was bleeding in the next round; he took some rare snuff on the body without flinching. In the tenth round the Londoner improved remarkably; he kept his left straighter and it anything more than held his own. Both men were feeling the effect of their previous exertions, and the fighting was now not nearly so fast. In spite of the stiff thumping he had had, Woodley remained very strong, and was, strange to say, exhibiting much better form than at the start. In the twelfth and thirteenth bouts he quite did himself justice, and more than once shook his man up with vicious round-arm hits. Still, he could never get on terms, and Connolly won after a great set-to which went the Ring.

John L. Sullivan Gets Out of Chancery.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—John L. Sullivan, former champion prize fighter, was discharged in bankruptcy today. Sullivan filed a petition to be adjudged a bankrupt on Nov. 23, pleading his liabilities at \$2,650, all unsecured, and his assets \$90, in clothing.

Fought Ware of London to a Draw in Twenty Rounds.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—George Dixon, the American colored pugilist, fought a 20 round

draw with Harry Ware of London at Northampton tonight. The stake was \$1,500 and a crowd of 3,000 witnessed the contest.

Sparring on Both Sides of the Atlantic.

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Lary Temple of New York and young Peter Jackson of California fought ten hard rounds to a draw before the Health and Physical Club tonight. Billy Daly was the referee and at the end of the bout, he said that while the club rules called for a decision after bouts in this match, Al Herford, manager of Jackson, insisted that if his man went into the ring and both men were on their feet a draw must be given. Accordingly he announced a draw, greatly displeasing the audience, which yelled "Temple." On points the bout looked clearly in Temple's favor. He found no difficulty in landing on Jackson and was continually on the aggressive. Jackson was inclined to retire, and the referee finally gave up in his efforts to make the men break clear. Temple scored Jackson in the third round and in addition gave him a bad drubbing in the sixth and seventh rounds. Jackson took the punishment well, but the crowd showed their disapproval of his style of fighting.

At the Essex A. C. Geo. McFadden of New York could not be prevailed upon to go up against Patsy Sweeney of Manchester and Belfast. Walcott was substituted for eight rounds, a draw resulting. The match in the first place was over McFadden's claim that Sweeney would not weigh in at the place agreed upon, and then McFadden refused to box. The substitute bout was a hot one from start to finish and a draw was well received. In the preliminaries Tommy English of Philadelphia beat "Scotty" Coyne of Manchester, N. H., in six rounds.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—At the National Sporting Club tonight "Spiky" Sullivan of New York gained an easy victory over "Jem" Mahoney of London, who was counted out in the first five rounds of what had been arranged to be a fifteen round contest for \$1,000.

A Fought at Poughkeepsie Last Night. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 9.—The six round bout between Bob Armstrong of Chicago and George Gardner of Lowell, Mass., before the Washington Sporting Club tonight proved to be a disgraceful exhibition of boxing. Referee Rocap stopped the contest in the middle of the fourth round.

Gardner was warned again and again by the referee that he was not to touch his opponent, but he stood up and fought the bout, which was declared no contest. Armstrong made some effort to fight after the first round, but his opponent continued to take until sent to his corner.

FOOTBALL.

The Canadian Team's English Financial and Sporting Failure.

TORONTO, Feb. 9.—The Telegram's London cable says: The all Canadian football team, which was expected to play the English team at the 12th, except Marshall of Hamilton and Parrell of Halifax. The latter has got a commission in the West African frontier field force and is going there in a few days. The

tour has been a failure financially, and the team members are hit hard. The outing has been enjoyable and the hospitality splendid, but the team lost games entirely because of the superior passing of their opponents.

CURLING.

The Thistles Defeated Hampton Last Night.

Three rinks of Hampton curlers met three selected from the Thistles on the ice of the latter club last night. The local men came out victorious. The players and scores follow:

Thistles.	Hampton.
T. H. Belyea.	J. M. Scott.
T. H. Hay.	Rev. G. D. Schofield.
W. A. Shaw.	W. H. March.
J. F. Shaw.	T. McK. Stewart.
skip.....	skip.....
H. N. Sharp.	J. H. Sprout.
W. J. Shaw.	W. Langlois.
A. D. Malcolm.	R. H. Smith.
J. S. Malcolm.	W. S. Fowler.
skip.....	skip.....
H. McLellan.	H. J. Humphrey.
J. C. Chesley.	Rev. W. W. Lodge.
D. R. Willett.	H. E. Fowler.
A. W. Macaulay.	G. M. Wilson.
skip.....	skip.....
Total.....	Total.....
15.....	16.....
40.....	40.....

After the game the Thistles entertained the visitors.

The Thomson Medals.

The third series of the Thomson medals' competition will be played on the Thistle rink tonight, the contesting rinks being: G. U. Hay v. W. A. Shaw; A. D. Holly v. P. U. Hay; R. A. Courtney v. Alex. Macaulay.

HOCKEY.

St. John Mohawks Wiped Out at Fredericton.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 9.—The game here tonight was fast but was conducted on gentlemanly lines. Five hundred people saw the local men defeat St. John by a score of 2 to 0, one in each half. The play was good all through, but St. John was not in it. A year or two hence the Mohawks will be star players if they keep in practice.

YACHTING.

LIPTON SAYS OF VICTORY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—D. Barrie, who was the American agent of Sir Thomas Lipton in the international yacht races of 1899 and 1901, returned yesterday morning on the Oceanic after a two months' trip.

"I saw Watson, Fife and Sir Thomas," said Mr. Barrie, "but did not see Shamrock III.

"I know that the new boat will be fast.

"Sir Thomas I found very sanguine about the result. He believes that he is going to turn the trick this time.

"I saw Sir Thomas on the night before he left for Mentone in the Riviera. He will spend three weeks there bracing up and getting himself in ship-shape for the American hospitality which is in store for him.

"There is not very much general interest abroad in the America's cup races, but in Glasgow there is great interest.

"It has not been decided to bring Shamrock I. to this side. The matter is under discussion. Nor has it been decided to take Shamrock II. off the stilt in Robb's yard, Brooklyn, and use her on this side as a trial horse for Shamrock III. It will not take long any way, to put her in the water.

Captain Beavis will command Shamrock I. in the trail races abroad, and Captain Robert Wringe will have charge of Shamrock III. during trials and races."

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Frank R. Tucker, a nephew of John B. Herreshof, is authority for the statement that the new cup defender has been named the "Republic" according to a dispatch from Bristol, R. I. Mr. Tucker announces that the selection of a name has been made within the past few days. More than a hundred names were under consideration.

OPENING NORTON COAL MINE.

E. E. Rounds Returned to Portland, Me., From New Brunswick.

(Portland Press.)

E. E. Rounds, who has been at Norton, N. B., opening a coal mine, returned to Portland yesterday morning. He said that he had found things very satisfactory at the mine in which many Portland people are interested. He said that he had opened the shaft in the mine to a depth of thirty-four feet and the deeper he went the better coal could be found. The coal he said was a semi-anthracite and it burned freely.

He had succeeded in getting out eleven tons of this coal and it is now on its way to Portland to be exhibited to the stockholders of the mine. Mr. Rounds said that he thought that at a depth of one hundred and fifty feet the best coal yet found in Canada could be had. The company is to go ahead developing the mine, so it was stated last night. About all of it is owned by Portland men.

RECENT DEATHS.

Mrs. Richard Craig, aged 72 years, died in Truro Saturday evening, from injuries received by a fall on the ice. Patrick McQuaid, one of the oldest residents of York county, died yesterday at the home of H. W. Currie, near Fredericton.

Philip D. Donald, of Millstream King's county, is dead, aged 55 years. Geo. McKnight of Sussex Corner, is dead, aged 75 years.

Isaac Kierstead, Jr., of Sussex, died Saturday night, aged 36 years.

The death occurred in this city yesterday of Herbert V. White, a well known resident of Kings county. Mr. White was for some years in business at Sussex and his death will be learned with regret by his many friends. His father, S. H. White, of Springfield, Kings county, also his mother, two brothers and a sister survive.

WANTED.—A case of Headache that KUMFOOT POWDERS will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

THE NEPTUNE ROWING CLUB CARNIVAL.

A band of students lately arrived from Spain have been engaged by the Neptune Rowing Club to appear at their annual carnival tomorrow night at the Victoria Rink. They will have their mandolins and guitars with them and their playing will no doubt be most enjoyable. Another feature of the carnival is the big combination prize of \$25. A large number of teams are going to try for it, and there will be more good combinations on the ice than have ever been seen at a carnival in St. John before. Everything points to a grand success and all who attend are promised a very pleasant evening.

STEAMER ABANDONED.

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 10.—The British bark Crown of Gen. Any, Capt. Davidson, from San Francisco, Sept. 1, for this port, arrived today and landed thirty of the crew of the Belgian steamer Maskelyne, Capt. Tanner, from New Orleans Dec. 31, and Newport News Jan. 7, for Antwerp, which was abandoned in a sinking condition January 31.

McLELLAN CUP CURLING.

In the Thistle Curling Rink tonight the third series in the McLeellan cup series will be played. The contest will be between Skips Dr. G. U. Hay and W. A. Shaw; Skips R. A. Courtney and A. Macaulay; Skips A. B. Holly v. P. W. Robinson.

TORONTO, Feb. 9.—The clerk of the Ontario legislature today issued a revised statement giving the correct referendum returns. As there were 19,749 against and 12,541 for the referendum, 19,749-12,541 the total vote cast was 32,290. The revised statement adds 6 votes against and 9 votes to the number on the lists.

KINGSTON, Ont., Feb. 9.—Bread has advanced from 19 to 12 cents per four pound loaf.



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MORNING'S NEWS.

In times of political excitement a cup of Red Rose tea is good for the nerves. Its good tea.

A special meeting of the Thistle Curling Club will be held this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

A fine assortment of ice sticks can be found at Wilkins' cigar store, 81 King street (Victoria Hotel block).

The West India steamer Orinoco was to have left Bermuda yesterday for this port, which should bring her here Friday.

F. E. Williams was thrown from a sleigh on Sunday on Charlotte street, and was quite painfully bruised. He was confined to his house yesterday.

Steamer Aarstein is coming out to St. John from a Welsh port with a cargo of coal for shipment west over the C. P. R. After she is discharged the Aarstein will load deals for the U. K. at 33s.

The person who purchases his cigars and tobacco at Wilkins' cigar store, 81 King street, never makes a mistake. Mr. Wilkins always keeps in stock the best imported cigars as well as those of domestic manufacture.

The annual meeting of the Seamen's Mission Society will be held this evening at the mission, Prince William street. A large attendance of the managing committee and ladies' auxiliary is particularly requested. All citizens interested in the society will be welcome. Reports for the year will be presented and the election of officers will take place.

The Y. M. C. A. boys' branch sleigh drive promises to be a great success. Owing to a number of requests a third sleigh has been hired, which will accommodate a few more boys. After the drive a turkey supper will be held, with a short programme. It is hoped some of the parents will call in during the evening and see what is being done for the boys.

The order of Knights of Pythias will on the 18th inst. enter on its fortieth year and on that evening the two lodges in this city, viz., New Brunswick, No. 1, and Union, No. 2, will unite in holding an "at home" in their lodge hall, Germain street. A mass meeting was held last evening, when the above was decided on and a strong committee, representing both lodges, was appointed to carry out all arrangements.

The employees of the D. F. Brown Co. met at the residence of Miss Bessie Dunn on Monday evening and presented to her a handsome gold chain and brooch. Miss Dunn has severed her connection with the firm, having accepted a more lucrative position. The evening was very pleasantly spent with music and games.

PROVINCIAL.

It is believed that Mr. Rockefeller is willing to give Acadia College \$100,000 on condition that \$50,000 be raised from other sources.

Hon. John Costigan, on behalf of those who are opposed to the scheme to drain Chamberlain Lake into the east branch of the Penobscot, instead of at present into the Allegash, has presented their case to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and asked that the government protect at Washington against the passage of the bill in Maine.

Fireman Ord, who was injured in the C. P. R. accident near Greenville Junction yesterday, is dead. Engineer Beaton is not believed to be dangerously hurt. The track was quickly cleared, but the loss to the C. P. R. is considerable.

GENERAL.

John E. Casady, the millionaire wholesale liquor man of Boston, has assigned.

The British bark Cordelia has arrived at St. John's, Nfld., 77 days out from Glasgow.

J. H. Legris, M. P., has been appointed to the senate.

Thomas Hodgins, K. C., of Toronto, has been appointed judge of admiralty in that city.

The election in North Ontario will take place about March 10. Hon. Geo. E. Foster is conservative candidate.

MEETINGS.

The Sunday school of Portland Methodist church will hold a concert Thursday evening, under the leadership of H. H. Miller.

The annual meeting of the life, ordinary, associate (lady) and ex-officio members of the Church of England Institute, entitled to vote, will be held in the lecture hall, 121 Germain street, at 8 p. m. Thursday, for receiving accounts and reports, electing officers and transacting other business.

An entertaining and instructive lecture was given by Rev. J. C. Robinson in Trinity church school house last evening, his subject being mission work in Japan. Good stereopticon views were shown, Rev. J. A. Richardson presiding over this portion of the entertainment. There was a large attendance.

Before the Guild of St. Stephen's church last evening Rev. Dr. Macrae delivered a deeply interesting and instructive lecture on Early Jesuit Missions in Canada. He told of the important part taken in the dominion's history by these heroic, devoted missionaries, and traced the effect and progress of their labors. Incidents of their noble conduct and fortitude amid the most disturbing hardships were also related.

The regular meeting of the Unity Club took place last evening, the members meeting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. Smith, corner Westworth and Broad streets. J. D. Carpenter read a paper in reply to one given by Mr. Perkins two weeks ago, on Consideration of the Coal Strike. A discussion of the paper was participated in by all present. Solos were given by Mr. Perkins and Miss Hamlin, and Mr. Perkins read a paper on Some Questions Pertaining to the Public Schools. A very pleasant evening was spent.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Cresoline Tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

KID CARTER.

OAKLAND, Calif., Feb. 10.—Kid Carter of Brooklyn was given the decision over Jack Willie of Chicago, in a 15-round bout last night.

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Discretionary Prizes to be awarded by the judges. - 5.00

Tickets - 25c.

QUEEN'S RINK.

FRIDAY, FEB. 13th.

Mohawks vs. Fredericton.

Beavers vs. Marysville.

LAST LEAGUE GAMES.

TO LET.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

TO LET—From May 1st, next, the well-located cottage, Mount Pleasant, at present occupied by Mr. G. A. Teed, containing seven rooms, bath room and kitchen. Rent \$100. May be seen Wednesday and Friday afternoons. Apply to H. D. FORBES, agent, Room No. 2, Pacific Building, Princess st.

SHIPPING NEWS.

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TORONTO, Feb. 9.—The News cable says:
One continued sign of awakening interest in
Canada. Albert Hickman, a lecturer from
the dominion, made an address Saturday
evening in City Hall, Glasgow, where were
thousands of people, and four thousand were
able to gain admission to the lecture in the
vicinity of the hall was stopped by the crowd.

CHEAP FOOTWEAR.

Large numbers are taking ad-
vantage of the winter clearing-out sale. If you
wish a small amount of money to
do a large amount of buying, call
at 44 Brunswick Street, where you
can get Men's Good Boots for
90c, Boys' for 40c, Women's
storm boots, of superior qual-
ity for 40c, Girls' for 25c, Chil-
dren's for 20c, and a thousand and
one other bargains in fact, every-
thing in Winter Footwear must
go.

THE WEATHER.

The highest temperature today was 30; the
lowest temperature, 20; temperature at noon,
25; barometer reading at noon, 30.00 inches.
Wind at noon, direction, N. W., velocity, 10
miles per hour.

TORONTO, Feb. 10.—Forecast.—Decreasing
north-westerly winds, fine. Wednesday, mod-
erate winds, fair and a little milder.

LOCAL NEWS.

American hard coal landing. Gib-
son & Co.

The barkentine Hector from Boston,
arrived at Buenos Ayres yesterday.

The Fortnightly Club will meet at
eight o'clock this evening at 38 Elliott
Row.

An auction sale of dishes, china and
fancy goods tonight at 14 Dock street.
D. Burke, auctioneer.

A special meeting of the Thistle
Curling Club will be held tonight to
choose skips for the match with Sac-
ville next Saturday.

The L. C. R. is calling for tenders for
unloading coal here from the cars to
the sheds and for delivering it from
the sheds to the engines. Tenders close
Feb. 14.

The Y. L. A. of the Congregational
church will hold a "valentine tea" on
Thursday afternoon, Feb. 12th, at the
residence of Mrs. Crothers, Waterloo
street.

R. J. Miles, of this city, who has been
in Vancouver for fifteen years, arrived
in the city last night. He says the
grass was growing green in Vancouver
when he left there.

The special meetings in the Taber-
nacle Baptist church are meeting with
great success. Rev. Mr. Jenkins of
Onslow, who is conducting them will
remain during the rest of the week.

A party of American capitalists leave
Boston tonight in their private car on
route for Macan, N. S. What inter-
est is attracting them there is not
known. They will pass through St.
John at noon tomorrow.

Mrs. David Bath of Bridgetown, N.
S., held an auction on Thursday after-
noon of last week of all her furniture.
Mrs. Bath and Miss Georgie are shortly
to leave for St. John, where they will
reside for the future.

THE LATE REV. M. J. COUGHLAN.
His Funeral Attended by Many Old
Friends This Morning.

The funeral of the late Rev. Michael
J. Coughlan took place this forenoon
and was one of the largest seen in the
city for some time. At half-past eight
o'clock the hearse containing the body
and preceded by members of the A. O.
H. in Johnville and St. John, left Pa-
ther Coughlan's father's residence, at
22 Courtenay street, for the Cathedral
of the Immaculate Conception. At the
cathedral the office of the mass was
chanter by all the city and visiting
clergy. This was followed by pontifi-
cal high mass of requiem, pontifi-
cated by His Lordship Bishop Case,
with Rev. J. J. O'Donovan as deacon,
J. Woods, C. S. R., as sub-deacon,
and P. J. McMurray, master of cere-
monies. The funeral sermon was
preached by Bishop Casey, who spoke
of the dead priest's good work in his
different charges, of the great promise
he gave of a life of usefulness, and of
the sadness in the death of one so
young.

Shortly after eleven o'clock the pro-
cession left the cathedral for the new
Catholic cemetery, where the body was
interred in the family plot, Rev. P. J.
McMurray and attendant clergy officiat-
ing at the grave. As the funeral
left the cathedral the Dead March from
Saul was played on the chimes by Mr.
Landry.

The pallbearers were Revs. Savage
of Sussex, Chapman of Woodstock,
Collins of Fairville, Woods of St. Pe-
ter's church, Coughlan and Cormier of
the cathedral. Among the attendant
clergy, many of whom were Father
Coughlan's classmates, were Revs. J.
McDermid of Petersville, H. A.
Meehan of Moncton, Edward Byrne of
Norton, Donat LeBlanc of Kingsclear,
Frederick Pressler of St. Joseph's Col-
lege at Debec, A. Cormier of St. Mar-
tins, John Carson of St. George, An-
drew O'Neill of Silver Falls, W. C.
Gaynor, J. J. O'Donovan, Borgman
and White of the city.

MURRAY STREET MISSION.
The Murray street Mission will be
re-opened tonight at eight o'clock for
prayer and social meetings. A new
organ has been purchased and with the
assistance of a violinist a service of
song will be held at first. There will
be leaders appointed for every Tues-
day night. All Christian workers are
invited to these meetings.

NEW ST. JOHN CITY.
The Furness steamer London City,
now at London is to be thoroughly
overhauled and repaired before coming
on the Halifax service again. Another
steamer, to be named St. John City,
has been purchased by the line and
will be placed on the route. She will
be in command of Captain Paterson,
late of the London City.

A BIG LABOR MEETING.
A very interesting meeting will be
held in Labor Hall tomorrow evening.
It is a mass meeting of labor men, to
be addressed by W. B. Todd, one of
the labor leaders in the province of
Ontario, and by Geo. W. McInerney
and W. F. Hatheway. Members of
labor unions and all friends of the
labor party are invited to attend.

THIS EVENING.
"The Man from Mexico" at the Opera
House.
Annual sketch drive Boys' Branch Y. M. C.
A. O. C.
Opposition convention in Orange Hall, Fair-
ville.
Lecture by Palmira in Forester's Hall.
Chapman Festival Chorus rehearsal in York
Theatre.
Annual meeting Seamen's Mission.
Band in Victoria and Queen's Rinks.
Lecture by Hon. H. A. McKoon before
Natural History Society.
Special meeting Thistle Curling Club.
Meeting and Non-Com.
Meeting Fortnightly Club, 38 Elliott Row.

FRED GOODSPEED.

His Guards Believe That He Will Re-
form and Become a Good Boy.

The keepers of the city jail are direct-
ly opposed to the many derogatory
statements which have been made
about Fred Goodspeed and express
their faith in his ability to develop into
a good citizen. One of the officials said
today that during the year he has
been connected with the jail many boys
have come under his notice but he has
never yet had to do with a better boy
than Fred Goodspeed. No matter how
often any one passes his cell or meets
him, he is always ready with a pleas-
ant smile and a cheery "Good-day."
His conduct since the first day of his
imprisonment has been everything that
could be desired and he has succeeded
simply by being natural, in making
others trust him. "Goodspeed has been
six months in jail yesterday," said the
jailer, "and I can't say too much in
praise of him in so far as regards his
conduct with us. I don't believe the
boy is half so bad as some people try
to make out. I have watched him
closely in the past six months and
don't believe there is any reason why
the reformatory should be made a
prison on his account. If Goodspeed is
treated the same as the rest of the
boys out there I don't believe he will
ever try to escape. But if he is shown
that the others regard him as a de-
serter criminal that will undoubtedly
have an effect on him—it would on any
boy."

Goodspeed has his things all packed
and ready for removal to the reformatory.

POLICE COURT.

Gentile, Jew and Mary Dugan Before
the Magistrate Today.

Thomas Powers from Newfoundland
kept the cold out last night by pouring
liquid warmth into his system. He
brought up on Market Square—Power-
less and got a free ride to the lockup.
This morning he paid four dollars for
his fine.

Thomas Moran had also been full
and was in addition charged with in-
decent conduct on Prince William
street. His reward was thirty days.
Mary Dugan, who now spends most
of her time in jail, was full again on
Sheffield street, and was remanded.
Her children, whom she had previous-
ly conscientiously neglected, have been
given homes in different places.

Jacob Webber of Main street appear-
ed to answer the charge of cruelly
treating his horses by allowing them
to stand uncovered all night in a
stable, of which the door was open. He
gave many reasons for this condition
of affairs, and offered to bring his
horses to court to prove that he had
put blankets on them. Webber said
that fellows who were drinking had a
habit of breaking into his stable and
tossing things about. His excuses
were accepted.

A PRESENTATION.

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. George
W. Cunningham of Leinster street
were agreeably surprised by about
eighty friends, who called to spend the
evening. Several hours were passed
most enjoyably with games, songs and
instrumental music. On behalf of
these present, Mr. Mayes presented
Mrs. Cunningham with a beautiful
china tea service, and spoke of the
high place Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham
held in the regard of their friends. Mr.
Cunningham fittingly responded, and
short speeches were made by others
present.

THE DULL SEASON.

The Market ship was empty on Sun-
day forenoon for probably the first
time in the past fifteen years. There
were neither scows, tug boats nor
schooners in it, not even a log, and
seafaring men and merchants who
spend much of their time around the
slip say that they cannot recall an-
other season on which the ship was
entirely free from the sight of some
kind. Yesterday one schooner came in and
is still there.

THE CHILDREN OF H. R. H. THE
PRINCE OF WALES.

In the Montreal Star of a recent
date there appeared a picture of His
Majesty the King, and his little grand-
children, the sons and daughters of
the Prince and Princess of Wales. His
Majesty, notwithstanding his illness of
last summer, looks exceedingly well;
and the children are as robust as the
best specimens of the youth of Canada.
One cannot but remark, when ex-
amining the picture, that this coun-
try, to a considerable extent, assists
in the physical robustness of these
children. Their diet is largely drawn
from Canada; in fact, the bread for
household of H. R. H. the Prince of
Wales is made from "Ogilvie's" flour,
a product of Manitoba. The royal
check of health is always found in the
food; and there is no more desir-
able for either prince or peasant than
the bread made from "Ogilvie's" flour.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

The annual report of the Evangelical
Alliance was published. It said among
other things: "The committee have
not yet been able to report many ap-
parent results to promote objects of
the alliance, but what has been done
with reference to the observance of
the Lord's Day and correcting the im-
moral habits of society it is to be hoped
is an earnest of yet greater efforts and
still happier results."

A meeting of delegates from the vari-
ous temperance societies resolved to
have a bill prepared, petitioning for
the appointment of a board of liquor
license commissioners.

ON PALMISTRY.

In Forester's hall, Charlotte street,
last evening, Palmira Prof. Brown of
Montreal lectured on the science of
palmistry and phrenology. There was
a good sized audience present and the
lecture, which was most interesting
and instructive, was properly appre-
ciated by all present. From Prof.
Brown's how to distinguish between fake
fortune telling and scientific palmistry.
At the close of the lecture a number
of heads and hand readings were given,
the subjects being chosen from among
the audience. Prof. Brown will lecture
again in Forester's hall this evening.

POLITICAL NOTES.

An adjourned meeting of the op-
position party will be held at the Orange
hall, Fairville, this evening at 8 o'clock.
When a candidate will be nominated
from St. John county with Mr. Ander-
son. Addresses will be made by J. D.
Hazen, M. P. P., Fred M. Anderson
and J. B. M. Baxter.

Queens county opposition convention
meets at Gagetown today, those of
Westmorland and Charlotte on Wed-
nesday.

All the opposition candidates for the
city will speak at the rally in the York
Theatre on Thursday evening.

The government party is making a
desperate bid for the Catholic vote in
this city. In every ward where it was
possible last night a Catholic chair-
man was elected. Note the following:
—Edward Lantulum, Thomas Gorman,
James Barry, E. J. Murphy and W. E.
Scully as chairmen, while out of 100
delegates chosen 46 were Catholics.
Some of these were not present, but
that made no difference. The leaders
had made up their minds that they
must capture the Catholic vote, and
must give evidence of their great and
suddenly discovered affection.

An enthusiastic opposition meeting
was held in St. Andrews last evening,
and delegates were elected to attend the
convention in St. Stephen on Thursday.
The opposition candidates in Kings
county have arranged for a series of
meetings from now until Feb. 20th in
various parts of the county.

The Carleton county opposition con-
vention will be held at Woodstock on
Friday afternoon.

The liberal association of Moncton
met last evening and elected J. T.
Hawke president. It was decided to
put a straight liberal ticket in the field
in Westmorland to be led by C. W.
Robinson and A. B. Copp, two of the
present members.

Hon. A. G. Blair leaves Ottawa to-
morrow to take a hand in the N. B.
elections.

E. H. MacAlpine will speak at Thurs-
day's government convention in York
county.

Among the government ward dele-
gates elected last evening were many
who would prefer P. Mullin as the
Catholic member of the ticket.

The Moncton Times recalls the fact
that "the Transcript on one occasion
worked tooth and nail for a double-
barrelled coalition ticket in Westmor-
land, composed of two conservatives
and two liberals, two opponents of the
government and two supporters."

We want to get down first of all to
correct business principles in the ad-
ministration of the affairs of the pro-
vince and it is useless to expect this
from the men in power. Give Mr.
Hazen a trial and if he does no better
give him the same dose as his pre-
decessors. An renewal of confidence
in Tweedie and Pugsley now would
be tantamount to the admission that
there is no public opinion in this pro-
vince and that men once placed in
power are licensed to do their worst.

PERSONAL.

A. B. Carson of Rexton is in the city.
Miss Clara Gerow, who has been visit-
ing in Montreal and Ottawa, has re-
turned home.

Advices from Montreal are that Col-
lect W. A. Lockhart is steadily im-
proving.

Rev. H. A. Meahan, of Moncton, and
Rev. E. Savage, of Sussex, arrived in
the city yesterday afternoon.

James Fairbanks of the Queen Hotel,
Halifax, was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. O'Mullin of Hal-
ifax touched town yesterday from a
short western tour.

Miss Alice Allingham, who has been
visiting relatives here for a month,
returned to Boston last evening.

Professor Hammond, of Mt. Allison
art department, passed through the city
yesterday afternoon, on his way to
Montreal.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson passed
through the city yesterday on his way
to Fredericton.

F. M. Anderson of St. Martins is at
the Dufferin.

Miss Selma O'Keefe left yesterday
afternoon on a short visit to Montreal.
She will return with her father, P. J.
O'Keefe, who has been in Upper Can-
ada on C. M. B. A. business.

Edw. L. Coleman of the north end
left last evening for Sydney to accept
an excellent position there.

LeBaron Wilson, formerly assistant
resident physician at the General Pub-
lic Hospital, has been "greeting his
many friends in the city during the
past few days. Dr. Wilson is now in
the service of the Elder Dempster peo-
ple and holds the position of ship's
surgeon on board the S. S. Lake On-
tario.

Mrs. J. L. McDonald and Miss Mor-
gan of Moncton, left yesterday for
Halifax, from which place they sail on
the steamer Parisian for London. Mrs.
McDonald will be absent about two
months.

J. L. Raynor, of the McSwenney Co.,
Ltd., Moncton, who has gone to Tor-
onto, was remembered by the Presby-
terian choir with a notice of gold.

George J. Bennett, for years news
editor of the Toronto Evening Tele-
gram, has resigned for reasons of
health, and will devote himself to work
in connection with the Masonic order.
Fraser G. Marshall, maritime secre-
tary of the Y. M. C. A., is in the city
aligning in the canvass for the building
fund.

A CARELESS WORKMAN.

On Friday afternoon of last week
an electric light employee was aloft
renewing the carbon in the arc light
at the shore end of the west side ferry
float, when the globe in his hand in
some manner was broken and part of
it fell to the rail with the natural re-
sult. The light man, with a glance of
dread at the portion remaining in his
hand threw it down. It struck the rail
also and the fragments were distrib-
uted over the walk. The boat had
arrived and discharged her passengers
just before this occurred. Some per-
sons were on board for the next trip at
the time and it was interesting to note
the supreme indifference of the ferry
employees in respect to the safety of
the possible passengers or the interests
of the city. There are brooms on the
boat but no one attempted to use one
of them in sweeping up the broken
glass from the float. Had some one

Morrell & Sutherland.

HANDSOME
NEW DRESS SKIRTS,
Only \$3.98 Each.

These Skirts would be good value at \$5.00, but owing to a most advan-
tageous purchase we can afford to sell them at the above remarkable price.
They are made from good quality of black frieze cheviot, with flounce 3
inches deep in front, graduating to 14 inches at the back. Trimmed with 3
rows of tucks and 3 bands of taffeta silk. Stylish, perfect fitting skirts that
will win the admiration of any woman (or man) rightly tailored from the
right materials.

SIZES: Lengths, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43.
Waist Measures, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30.

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GRAND OPPOSITION RALLY!

YORK THEATRE

THURSDAY EVENING, 12th. Instant.

J. D. HAZEN,

The Leader of the Opposition, and the Candi-
dates opposed to the Local Government,

Messrs. Shaw, McInerney,

Hatheway and Wilson,

will address the meeting. Chair taken at 8
o'clock.

FOR THIS WEEK ONLY:

Glass Butter Dishes, 9c. each.

Glass Sugar Bowls, 9c. each.

C. F. BROWN, 501 - 5 MAIN STREET.

coming on board in a hurry cut his
foot badly such indifference to the
proprietors might well be expensive
to the city.

OFF THE TRACK.

The Boston Express Was Derailed at
McAdam.

The Montreal express went off the
track yesterday. The Boston express
did the same thing today, so matters
are now equal and there is no cause
for jealousy.

Today's accident occurred in Mc-
Adam. The Boston train, in
charge of Conductor M. Burgess and
drawn by engine 630, was pulling into
the yard at half-past nine o'clock,
when at a siding signal the engine left
the rails and ran clear of the main
line. The baggage and smoking cars
followed, but did not go quite so far.
They stopped across the track, and in
the general jumble the baggage car
was considerably damaged. The smok-
ing car is all right. No one was hurt.

Word of the accident was sent to both
ends of the division, and the Brown-
ville auxiliary train left for McAdam
to assist the section men there in
clearing the track. The line was ob-
structed for some hours, delaying the
Montreal express. The latter, due in
St. John at 11:50 a. m., is today three
hours late, and is bringing the mails
and passengers of the wrecked Boston
train. There will thus be only one
train from the west today.

The cause of the accident was a
switch set on a siding, and the target
broken off.

The engine which was damaged in
yesterday's accident has been taken to
Brownville for repairs.

VICTORIA ORDER OF NURSES.

The secretary treasurer of the St.
John Branch of V. O. N. begs to ac-
knowledge receipt of the following.

Mrs. Isaac Burpee, 5.00
Mrs. R. P. Starr, 5.00
Mrs. Prescott, 5.00
Mrs. R. B. Emerson, 5.00
Miss Maggie Murray, 5.00
Mrs. R. Keltie Jones, 5.00

THE BECKWITH CASE.

The Beckwith case still continues to
occupy most of the time in the police
court. Yesterday afternoon a number
of witnesses were examined, and this
morning J. King Kelley was on the
stand. After his examination, L. A.
Curry on behalf of the prisoner mov-
ed for a dismissal and the argument
is being continued this afternoon.

NO QUORUM.

A meeting of the N. B. Poultry, Ken-
nel and Pet Stock Association called
for last night was not held owing to
the lack of a quorum. It is understood
that the association as it at present
exists will probably be broken up in
the near future. If it re-organizes it
will be under a different management

**You Can Save
Money if You
Will. . .**

200 Pins, 1c.
25 Needles, 1c.
24 Hooks and Eyes, 1c.
24 Shirt Buttons, 1c.
18 Boot Buttons, 1c.
12 Pant Buttons, 1c.
20 Hair Pins, 1c.
3 Hat Pins, 1c.
6 Fancy Pins, 1c.
7 Boot Laces, 1c.
12 Sheets Note Paper, 1c.
10 Envelopes, 1c.
10 Buttons, 1c.
3 Pens, 1c.
3 Lead Pencils, 1c.
3 Pen Holders, 1c.
Hardwood Ruler, 1c.
Hottel Good Ink, 2c.
77 Carpet Tacks, 1c.
Valentines, 3 for 1c., 1c., 2c., 3c., 1c.

Arnold's Department Store,
18 Charlotte St.

**A LARGE SALE OF
MEN'S and BOYS'
CLOTHING.**

Men's Clay Worsted Prince Albert
Suits, \$12.00; Men's Clay Worsted
Sack Suits, \$9.00; Men's Double
Breasted Tweed Suits, \$10.00; Men's
White Dress Shirts, all sizes, 50c to
75c; Men's Pants, in Tweeds and
Worsted, from \$1