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N. B. LEGISLATURE OPENED IN STATE.

Fine Weather Adds to a Brilliant Scene.

The Speech from the Throne Shows Few Signs of Age After All These Years.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 9.—The N. B. Legislature was opened this afternoon at five o'clock with the usual ceremonies. At that hour His Honor Lt. Governor Snowball proceeded to the legislature accompanied by his staff which consisted of Col. White, Col. Wadmore, Coroner Mullin, Sheriff Sterling, Private Secretary Baker, and aide-de-camp, Capt. Carlin. The large assembly room at the legislature was filled with an amiable and bright scene. The speaker presented a brilliant one. The first battalion headed by their band under Captain Gray, acted as a guard of honor, and the Newcastle field battery fired the usual salute.

In the speech from the throne delivered by his honor, reference was made to the departure of Lord Minto and his amiable consort, and to the appointment of Earl Grey as governor general. Reference of the usual indefiniteness was also made to the appeal to the judicial committee of the privy council in the representation question. The usual prosperity clause claimed that the province had been prosperous regardless of a slight depression in the lumber business.

The speech contained a reference to the development of the coal areas in Queens, Simsbury and Kent counties. The legislature was again congratulated on the always probable readjustment of provincial subsidies. One clause was devoted to factory legislation and reference was made to the scheme for utilizing the water power of Grand Falls, the government apparently having credit for the existence of this power as well as for its proposed utilization by an American company.

Issue W. Carpenter, M. P. for Queens, will move the address in reply to the speech. It was seconded by James Lowell, M. P. for St. John county.

The day was a beautiful one and the streets through which the governor, staff and guard passed were lined with crowds. A great many arrived on the morning trains and the hotels are all now well filled.

N. Y. STRIKE STILL ON.

Subway Working Better Today but Elevated Line is Still Almost Completely Tied Up.

NEW YORK, Mar. 9.—With the opening of the third day in the Interborough strike, there appeared to be a marked improvement in the operations of trains in the subway. Only a few little changes were noted. Traffic on the east side elevated lines during the early hours was almost at a standstill.

On the surface lines, the same crowding which prevailed morning and night since Monday, was in evidence.

Only isolated disturbances occurred during the night and were limited to a few fist encounters on elevated trains. Guards are maintained about the power house to prevent any attempt on the part of the strikers to reach the engineers and firemen. It has been decided by the strikers' executive committee to ask the court for an injunction compelling the Interborough management to restore emergency brake cords and other safety appliances alleged to have been removed from many of the cars. The company has declared. In event of the company's failure to restore these appliances, the strikers declare they would ask the city authorities to interfere also.

While General Manager Hedley states that many old men have returned to their old work, the strikers declare that not a man has deserted.

COL. McLEAN A PEACEMAKER.

MONTREAL, March 9.—At the annual meeting here of the West India Electric Co. the old board of directors retired without a contest owing to a disagreement regarding the advisability of commencing to pay dividends. James Hutchison, a director in favor of paying dividends, secured proxies sufficient to elect a board in agreement with him. Col. McLean, of St. John, who represents St. John interests in the company, moved a vote of thanks to the old board, which was carried in spite of objections raised by Hutchison.

CONSERVATIVES IN CAUCUS

(Special to the Star.) OTTAWA, Ont. March 9.—No confirmation has reached London of the report that Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron is returning from Madagascar to Jibuti, nor are there any despatches printed in the morning newspapers throwing further light on the position of affairs in Manchuria.

MUKDEN EVACUATED?

ST. PETERSBURG, Mar. 9.—A veil is drawn over the progress of General Kuropatkin's heroic effort to extricate his beaten army, but the general insists that while he has been defeated there has been no disaster.

The peril of the whole army, especially of the rear guard, is admitted and Mukden may have been evacuated during last night, although nothing definite has been received on this point. Yesterday, General Biderling's army, which held the centre, fell back upon the Hun River, clinging all the day to the left bank of the river at the apex southwest of the city.

RUSSIAN LINE OF RETREAT CUT OFF.

Japs Have Destroyed h Railway Between Mukden and Tie Pass ---Battle's Slaughter Totals Now 100,000---Worse to Come.

CHINESE BANDITS KILL RUSSIANS.

Two Young Soldiers Beheaded As Spies. Bandits Flew the Japanese Flag—They Attacked Russian Scouting Party and Killed 27.

NEW CHWANG, March 8, noon, via Tien Tsin.—With the Japanese flags flying, a band of Chinese bandits beheaded two young Russians who were believed to be spies at Simlinitin. The first one executed was evidently an officer, but he was wearing a Chinese overcoat. The second captive was dressed in Chinese clothing throughout. He whimpered for a moment, but regained his nerve and struggled fiercely. He was thrown and killed while long trumpets fanfare. The chief of the bandits was a mild-mannered old man, wearing a Japanese sword. He watched the executions unmoved. "They are spies," he said, "and we should kill them. Besides it is difficult to transport them."

On last Monday night the bandits surprised a small body of Russian scouts and killed 27, besides capturing the two that were beheaded.

The bandits suffered a slight loss. Today the whole band, consisting of 200 cavalry and 100 infantry formed a great circle on the outskirts of Simlinitin. The bronzed and stern featured Chinese dismounted and held their gaily trapped and shaggy ponies. The men were armed to the teeth with long rifles and Mauser pistols. The infantry were mostly turbaned, but many wore Russian caps. The Russian captives were brought to the centre of the circle with a flourish of trumpets. They were stripped and their arms bound together behind their bodies. They were then turned over to a six foot executioner who skillfully drew his red sheath sword, afterward wiping the blade on the clothing of the dead men. When the executions were finished, the corpses were left lying on the summit. Bugles were sounded and the bandit cavalry swung into their saddles while the infantry fell into line and departed from the scene of the execution.

General Kuropatkin, according to the latest authentic Russian reports, has already reached a point opposite the station of Soudaial, half way between Mukden and Tie Pass, but it is believed that his left is swinging still further north for a blow at the line of communications, which realize Field Marshal Oyama's plan for closing the front.

The Tokio report that the railroad is actually cut is not confirmed here, the telegraph office, on the contrary, declaring that communication with General Kuropatkin is still open.

The losses already exceed those of any battle of the war. The fanaticism displayed by the Japanese is shown in an instance mentioned by a Russian correspondent, who describes how a captured Japanese broke away from his captors and threw himself head foremost into a Chinese well.

While the defeat of Kuropatkin has revived the talk of peace, it is too early yet to measure its full effect. If Kuropatkin succeeds in drawing off his army, no matter how badly shattered, the war office insists that the situation will be unchanged.

ON THE LEFT WING. WITH THE JAPANESE LEFT ARMIES, Tuesday night, Mar. 7, via Pusan, Mar. 9.—The day's fighting of the left armies, although severe, has not changed the situation so far as those armies are concerned. The attack on Mukden from the northwest is gradually progressing. The Russians, east of the railroad and near the Shaikta river seem to be gradually retreating.

In diplomatic circles, unless Oyama has crushed the Russian army, little hope is held out that the imperial resolution to continue the war will be altered. Much, it is agreed, will depend upon the internal developments which follow when the full magnitude of the reverse is known. Naturally the city is full of rumors, the most persistent of which is that the Russian west front, which practically extends north and south to protect the line of retreat, has been broken and that the bulk of the Russes Russian army has been forced eastward in the direction of Fushun. Should this prove to be true, General Biderling's part of General Linevitch's army is certain to be trapped.

BALFOUR'S TROUBLES.

Difficulty in Filling Cabinet Vacancies—Rumors That Arnold Forster is Planning to Resign.

LONDON, March 9.—It again is reported that Premier Balfour is experiencing difficulty in filling the vacancies in the cabinet. It is rumored that Walter Hume Long and others have declined the post of chief secretary for Ireland and that fresh trouble has arisen in the war office, which it is not unlikely will involve the resignation of Secretary Arnold Forster. Gossip in the lobby of the house of commons is to the effect that Antony MacDonnell, under secretary to the lord lieutenant of Ireland, will be appointed to an important post outside of Ireland.

CHILD MURDERER CHEATS SENTENCE.

Irene Cole's Slayer Commits Suicide in His Cell.

Was Sentenced Last Night to Life Imprisonment With Lashes—Was African Veteran.

BRANTFORD, Ont., March 6.—Joseph Kennedy, who was found guilty last night of criminal intimacy with Irene Cole, the nine years old daughter of Peter Cole, and who received sentence of life imprisonment and seventy-five lashes, hanged himself in jail this morning. Kennedy, who was an Irishman, served in the South African war and had only been a short time in Brantford when arrested and tried on the charge of murdering Irene Cole, who was found murdered and brutally mutilated. Through the perjured evidence of Joseph Drummond, Kennedy was acquitted. Subsequently Drummond was sentenced to three years on the charge of perjury. Kennedy was re-arrested, but could not be re-tried on the murder charge.

MRS. STANFORD'S DEATH STILL MYSTERY

HONOLULU, March 9.—The Stanford into the death of Mrs. Jane L. Stanford has been postponed until tomorrow. The police surround the case with mystery. High Sheriff Henry says that the inquest was postponed because the stenographer's transcript of the testimony was not ready and the Hawaiian law requires the witness to read and sign their testimony in the presence of the jury.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast—Moderate, variable winds, fair and moderately cold. Friday, becoming unsettled again. Synopsis—Very disturbed conditions prevail this morning, consequently the weather in the Maritime Provinces is unlikely to remain fine long. Winds to Banks and American Ports, moderate becoming variable. Highest temperature during the past 24 hours, 28; lowest temperature during the past 24 hours, 22; temperature, at noon, 24.

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L. H. Higgins, of Moncton, was in the city yesterday, on his way home from Montreal.

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A PUT UP JOB.

In this separate school business Laurier is either acting with an insane disregard of consequences to his party and the country generally or with consummate cunning; and this journal is inclined to accept the latter view.

We believe that Laurier, under the influence of his counselors in Quebec, has determined to perpetuate the system of denominational schools in the new Northwest provinces. In the light of his career as a politician which has been chiefly characterized by what has been euphemistically termed "sunny ways"—a pretty name for the most deliberate kind of opportunism—is it not natural that he would plan to do this with as little offense as possible to those who are opposed on principle to that system? And do not the developments of the past few weeks fit cleverly into the execution of such a plan?

It was well known that this school question must come up for settlement in the granting of autonomy to the territories. By the act which framed those territories the minority in any district were allowed to establish schools of their own, and it was well known that the Catholic church was bringing all its influence to bear for a perpetuation of this system by federal authority, with increased privileges, if possible. It was equally apparent that the great majority in the territories were just as anxious that the matter should be left to the decision of the new provinces, as provided by the educational clauses in the Confederation Act. Note how Laurier met the question.

He did not leave the matter for provincial settlement though it was practically certain that this would result in a continuance of the existing system. Neither was he content to ensure this continuance by simply re-affirming the privilege in the autonomy bills. He went much farther than this by providing that the new provinces must divide the revenue from public school lands in equitable shares or proportion between the public and separate schools. He is too shrewd a politician not to have known that federal interference even to the extent of merely guaranteeing present privileges would have stirred up a storm and he must have understood what a hurricane the extension he proposed to grant would arouse.

The storm came. A minister resigned. A few members made general protest. Party organs all over the land, never known before to find any fault with government policy began to hint that the premier had gone a little too far, began to gently suggest that some recession, some compromise would be advisable. Is it possible that these members and these papers had been given the tip that this would be the proper course to pursue?

Then came whispers of compromise, reports that the western Liberal members were drawing up amendments to the bills. Then came the unlooked-for announcement that Laurier had suggested an amendment which would involve the dropping of the proposed financial assistance to the separate schools and would content itself with confirming the system which obtains under the territorial act, which amendment, it is said, the western members will agree to accept as a compromise though they know that in so doing they are agreeing to the infringement upon provincial rights which was the real ground of their protest. By this compromise, so the ostensibly protesting government organs assert, all classes will be pacified if not pleased.

It's all too thin. Unless Laurier's political sense has been utterly destroyed by too much power, he is not the man to take honestly such a politically foolish stand as he did. It is far more probable that he went that far as a part of a pre-arranged plan which arranged for all this take protest and a subsequent withdrawal from the advanced position to another which, while it may be accepted as a compromise by the Liberal rank and file, would never have been agreed to had it been presented by itself. But cunning has its limitations, and while Laurier's strategy—if this theory be the correct one—is calculated to break as gently as possible the news that the Liberal government which won to power by a campaign against coercion, has decided, now that it is in power to fight on the other side, we believe that Laurier has underestimated the depth of public opinion on this question and that unless he entirely abandons the policy, his government will meet the fate of a better one that with more sincerity and far far stronger reason took a similar stand nine years ago.

In Woodstock, Ont., the practice of suspending sentence pending good behavior in cases of drunkenness is having two effects—the town treasury is saving the fines and prosecutions for drunkenness are declining. Fines of a man \$1 and costs meant that he would be back to be fined again in a short time; the suspended sentences and the promise of imprisonment keeps him away. The treasury can afford to do without the fines.—Montreal Gazette.

The Blair incident being more or less fresh in his memory, Mr. Fiddings' reply to the meeting Mr. Russell was not as enthusiastic as it might have been.—Montreal Standard.

THE SOLICITOR GENERAL. This is the day of the opening of the legislature at Fredericton. One of the first things which the two law officers of the crown should take up is the theft of the Carleton by-election. There is no doubt that Solicitor General Jones was returned by acclamation by one contemptible and criminal device, and one unjust and illegal proceeding on the part of the returning officer. He could not have been elected in that way if one of his friends had not stolen the court house Bible. Nor could he, after the theft, have been elected by acclamation if the sheriff had not improperly refused to accept the nomination of his opponent. That is a pretty mean way for a man who expects to administer law and justice to be sent to the legislature. If Mr. Jones is satisfied with it, and the attorney general is not, it is time that honor and decency should be admitted into the justice department. Mr. Jones should either give up the seat of honor, or he should be sent to the law school by stealing the Bible. That gentleman and the sheriff appear to be the men whom Mr. Jones is best sending to the legislature. It would be interesting to know what he will have to say on behalf of his two constituents.—Sun.

THE TOLLER. He ever tolled for others With courage high and strong; He led them to the sunlight And cheered them with a song; And he lived alone—forgotten, When the dark day came along.

There, on his loveless dwelling He saw the storm descending, And in the blinding shadows He groped to find a friend; And the bitter world was friendless, And the shadows without end. And he made him friends of shadows, Whose song the world had lost; The darkness brought the dreams to him; He crept to it for rest— The shadows on his breast.—Frank L. Stanton.

IN SUNNY ALBERTA. St. John Man Tells of the Summer They're Having There Now.

CALGARY, Alberta, Mar. 3, 1905. To the Daily Star, St. John, N. B. Dear Sir:—As I saw in the latest paper I had from St. John that you were still having big storms in and around St. John, I thought I would drop you a line and let you know what kind of weather we are having out here in Sunny Alberta.

I left St. John Feb. 23rd and arrived in Winnipeg on the 25th, and found the weather there just like spring, and instead of lots of snow on the streets, there was lots of mud. I arrived in Calgary on the 27th and found they were having summer weather here some days so high as 70 and 80 degrees and instead of snow on the streets we have dry dust in clouds.

A farmer at Nose Creek started plowing yesterday and found the ground in first class shape for tilling. It is about five weeks earlier than around Calgary in a day or two. The plow land may not be ready for a day or two yet, but the high lands are in first class shape. At Medicine Hat, the first of the week a farmer sowed forty acres, sowing is also going on south of Calgary around Lethbridge.

Yours Sincerely, H. FORBES.

CHILDREN'S DISEASES. If your little boy or girl comes home from school or play with a stomachic headache, the first thing to do is to give the little one a Hutch Tablet. There isn't a bit of danger in using it freely, as it contains nothing that is injurious. It doesn't gripe or pain their little stomachs either. Children like to take it, because it looks, smells and tastes so nice. It is chocolate coated. Mothers ought to remember that "A stitch in time saves nine," and keep a bottle of Hutch Tablets in the house all the time. A bottle of it in the house is a necessity in every home, and a safeguard much the same as a lock on the door. You may not need it often, but when you do you need it. One gives relief. Buy it at your druggist.

GEORGE F. THOMPSON DEAD. The late George F. Thompson, Sr., who died at his residence, Princess street, last evening, was for many years a respected resident of this city. In his younger days he took an active part in matters pertaining to the welfare of St. John, and for years conducted a paint factory on Princess street. Though his bodily strength has been failing for some time he was not confined to his bed, and his mind and memory were active to the last, he being able to recall many interesting events of the past. He was a devoted member and one of the trustees of Queen square Methodist church. He was twice married. By his first wife (Miss Darnham) he leaves three children, George G. Thompson, Mrs. Lowndes, of Ottawa, and Mrs. Elward, of Boston. Miss Beattie Thompson is his daughter by his second wife, who was Miss Mogg, daughter of James Hogg, editor of the "Reporter," at Fredericton.

O. H. SALES IN JAPAN. A San Francisco man last night was telling of the various customs the Japanese which had come under his observation.

The auctioneer exhibits the article which he proposes to sell and asks for bids upon it. He does not shoo or call out and there is no excited clamoring of bidders. Lawyer Marks would be impossible in Japan, for each man who desires to make a bid draws from his pocket a slip of paper, writes upon it the highest figure he will pay and deposits his slip in a box. After the bids are in the auctioneer opens the box, glances at the bids and promptly awards the article to the man who has offered the greatest sum.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

LOCAL NEWS.

Dr. F. H. Lunnon will speak tonight before the Fabian League on Personal Health and Public Sanitation. The meeting begins at 8 o'clock.

The regular monthly meeting of the N. B. Military Veterans' Association will be held this evening in Foresters' hall. Final arrangements will be made for the annual dinner.

The following have been elected to the executive of the C. of E. Institute: Mrs. L. H. Harrison, Chairman; J. E. Coup (secretary), Roland Frith (treasurer), J. E. Secord (librarian).

At the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. G. O. Gates, D. D., yesterday, Thomas H. Taylor, of Boston, was married to Miss Ellen Hicks, of Stratford-on-Avon, England. Miss Hicks arrived on the steamer Bavarian and Mr. Taylor was at the boat to meet her.

At a meeting of the board of health yesterday, George Lewis, the small-pox patient at the epidemic hospital, was reported to be progressing favorably. Several doctors were present. Dr. Andrew Long's house on Lancaster Heights, where Mr. Lewis was ill, will be removed some time this week. The day will be fixed by the physician in charge of the case.

Capt. Sippell of H Co., 62nd Fusiliers, entertained the company at an oyster supper at the Alexandra last evening. Several toasts were drunk and responded to with enthusiasm, after which the following programme was carried out: Duet by Pina, Ingram and Ferris; song, Corp. Emery; recitation by Rev. G. O. Gates, D. D. "Whitaker; piano solo, Pina, Ingram; stump speech, Corp. Betsy; cake walk, Sgt. Dorman and Pina Maxwell.

Passengers in street car No. 21, and there were six or eight of them, got a bad scare between nine and ten o'clock last night. When near the corner of Princess and Charlotte streets the gear case of the car broke, the heavy wheels being thrown upwards. It broke through the flooring of the car and lifted several of the passengers from their seats, but nobody was hurt and was carried through all were frightened. Traffic was delayed for some time.

A very enjoyable piano concert and comedy sale was given by the scholars and friends of Mrs. P. H. Green's Sunday school class of young ladies at the Baptist church, at the home of J. E. Dean, Elliott row, last evening. Rev. C. Burnett occupied the chair. Mrs. Green gave an interesting account of her trip to India at this time on account of the famine prevailing there, after which a choice programme of recitations, piano selections and songs was carried out. The sum of \$17 was realized to go toward the fund.

BAD ACCIDENT AT WOODSTOCK. (Special to the Star.) WOODSTOCK, N. B., March 9.—Percey Bourne, employed in the freight yard of the C. P. R. here, met with a serious accident last evening. In tending to a car he became caught between the shed and engine, and sustained severe injuries, including a broken collar bone and several ribs and some internal trouble.

Gritz makes porridge. Gritz makes pancakes. Gritz makes fat. Gritz makes muffins. See the receipts on each 5 lb. sack, 25 cts.

MARRIAGES. TAYLOR-HICKS—At the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. G. O. Gates, D. D., on the 6th inst., Thomas H. Taylor, of Boston, was married to Miss Ellen Hicks, of Stratford-on-Avon, Eng.

DEATHS. DYKEMAN—In this city on March 8th, of consumption, Louise R., second daughter of Abram and the late Maria E. Dykeman, aged 30 years. Funeral on Saturday, March 11th, from the residence of her brother-in-law, F. R. Rogers, 88 Acadia street, at 2:30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

DALTON—In this city, March 7th, Margaret J., beloved wife of Robert Dalton, aged 72 years, leaving a sorrowing husband, three daughters and one son to mourn their loss. Funeral service from her late residence, 23 Victoria street at 2:30 Friday, 10th.

BRODERICK—Wednesday afternoon the 8th inst., Gerald, infant son of Dr. E. J. and Mary Broderick, aged 12 days.

MORIARITY—In this city at 41 Marsh street, on the 8th inst., Dennis Moriarity, leaving his wife, son and one daughter to mourn their loss. Funeral from his late residence, 143 Princess street, on the evening of March 9th, George F. Thompson, Jr., in the 8th year of his age. Funeral from his late residence on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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Ladies' Silk Neckwear Underpriced. 100 dozen Ladies' Stock Collars and Bows; goods worth up to 50c., now all one dozen price—25c. each. Stock Collars with Tabs, Bows, Flowing ends, Hem Stitched, Lace Trimmed, Corded with ruche tops, fagotting stitched, Embroidered and silk port hole Collars; all the latest shapes; a large variety to choose from at 25c. each.

White Cambric, Heavy English Make. 38 inches wide, regular 12c. cloth. Special 10 yards for \$1.00. At the price cottons are selling today this is a bargain. Only a limited quantity left.

Heavy Linen Towels, Large size 20x38 inches, all white or red, hemmed ends, 30 dozen of this Special Towel at 15c. each or 2 for 35c.

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The Attractions of Our Stores Are Their Low Prices. D. A. KENNEDY, (Successor to WALTER SCOTT.) 32-36 King Square, St. John, N. B. 'IMPORTANT SALE AT HALF PRICE' Of Floor Rugs, 35c, 45c, 75c; Door Mats, 15c, 35c. each; Lace Tains, 30c, 40c, 60c, 75c. up to \$1.75 per pair. A great sale of Linen Towelling at 7c, 8c, 10c, 12c. yard. All made of the best Irish flax. Guaranteed to wear. 3c on hand early and see them. All kinds of Table Linens in white, half bleached and Turkey red, at 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c, 60c. yard, for pure linen. A quick clean-up sale of Crotonets, in single or double fold, at 2c, 12c, 15c, 22c. yard. Suitable for lounge coverings and easy corners. Pretty dainty colors. Five thousand yards of pretty English Cambrics, FAST COLOUR, only 10c. yard.

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Now is the Time TO BUY JEWELRY, Watches, Silver Goods, Cut Glass

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An excellent concert was given last night in the school room of Bernouth street church. A. W. McInnes was the chair and a very enjoyable programme of vocal and instrumental solos, readings, recitations, etc., was given. The following took part: Mrs. W. E. Tennant, Miss Sandall, Miss W. Stammers, Miss Knott, C. Sandall, Miss Maxwell, C. Coates, Mrs. Turf, Miss C. Leach and Miss Cassley. The Bernouth street church male quartette also gave a selection. Not the least interesting item on the programme was the club singing by Physical Director Totham of the Y. M. C. A. and the exhibition of dumb-bell and wand drill and pyramid building by Y. M. C. A. boys.

WHY RAINBOW? All the qualities of light are revealed in a rainbow. All the qualities of good tobacco are revealed in Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco.

One must advertise to make business, to hold it, and to increase it.—Chas. H. Slack, Grocer, Chicago.

BREAK UP LA CRIPPE OR A COLD WITH Pendleton's Panacea.

Directions: 1-4 Teaspoonful Panacea. 1 Teaspoonful Sugar. 1-4 Cup Milk. 1-2 Cup Hot Water. Mix well and sip frequently.

YOURSELF on a good footing with the world. Get some snap—your walk—some style on your feet. Our special Box Calf Blucher or oxford does it for you. Price, \$2.50 Pair. A Large Stock of Children's Shoes, priced from 25c. up. SANBORN'S SHOE STORE, 339 BROAD ST.

Floor Oil Cloth at Fine Prices. We are showing a full range of Floor Oil Cloth yard wide at 24c yard, 1 1-2 yards wide at 35c yard, 2 yards wide at 40c yard, 2 1-2 yards wide at 45c yard. New Patterns. Fresh Stock. No Seconds.

Also, a First-class line of WALL PAPER at Dry Goods Prices, 3c. to 12c. per roll.

Cor. of Waterloo and Brussels Sts. CARLETON'S Apples, Apples. Choice Potatoes.

A new lot. Call and see them. \$1.25 to \$3.50 per bushel. R. H. COTTER, 12 Sydney Street. Telephone 1194. Prompt Delivery.

IMPORTANT! You Can Save Money on Wall Paper by Calling at McArthur's, 84 King St.

Our new stock of Fine Wall Papers now ready for inspection. In all grades we offer a large variety and best values in the city. Beginning Wednesday the 9th inst. we offer at Special Sale a large assortment of Remnants of from 6 to 20 rolls each, at Half-price to clear.

Also, 25 dozen odd Window Shades, in Lace and Fringe, at 25c and 35c each. Come early for bargains, at McARTHUR'S, 84 King Street.

A FUNNY PLAY. That ever pleasing and funny play, McKenna's Flirtation, delighted a large audience at the Opera House last night. The Fiske Stock Company have done some good work this season, but in this play they are seen to particular advantage.

Mr. Huxtable, as McKenna, Sr., and Mr. Holland, as Ryan, made much fun. Both played the characters with the proper swing and were very successful. McKenna, Jr., received good attention from Mr. Tremor, and the society chaplain was done excellently by Mr. Cooke. Miss Grace Hamilton, as Mrs. Ryan, and Miss Lyell, as Mrs. Ryan, did good work, as also did Miss Bryan and Miss Fraser. The specialties included enjoyable singing and dancing by Misses Randall, Lyell and Hanson, musical

No business can prove a perfect success without advertising.—Charles Broadway Rous, N. Y. FANCY BISCUIT. Something very nice at the low price of two pounds for 25c. Telephone 803. CHAS. A. CLARK, 49 Charlotte St., Market Building. Telephone 803.



ST. JOHN STAR, THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1905.

Spring Raincoats READY TO WEAR.

Weather like yesterday's suggests the importance of having a Raincoat handy.

Indications point to raincoats being more popular than ever this year. Such advance has been made in the designing and finishing of these garments that they surpass in style the productions of any previous season.

Our stock is bigger this season than ever before and a greater range of prices—many very fine garments are in the selection.

SPECIAL.—Several lines, with and without belted back, we desire to sell quickly to make room for finer grades and have marked them at a very slight advance. Prices, \$8.50 and \$10.

A. GILMOUR, FINE TAILORING AND CLOTHING 68 King Street.

CLOSE AT SIX O'CLOCK; SATURDAY AT TEN O'CLOCK.

SUPERIOR SAUSAGE.

Our Sausage pleases the most fastidious. It is not overloaded with herbs and spices. Made fresh every day. For sale at nearly all Grocers and Meat Dealers.

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After all there is nothing nicer than our fresh made rightly seasoned Sausage Meat. You will find our home made HEAD CHEESE tastes well, too.

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If they are fresh and new. Can supply you with the best Telephone 636 and give us a trial.

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AGAINST MRS. CHADWICK.

Interesting Evidence Heard Yesterday Afternoon—The Case For Prosecution is Completed

STICK OF DYNAMITE

Sent to Salvation Army Among Other Things.

FAST RAILROADING.

They had been speaking of fast runs on railroads.

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ROOMS TO LET.

TO LET—Business rooms to let, suitable for tailoring or other light business. Apply to C. P. CLARKE, 100 King street.

TO LET.

TO LET—Storage room for furniture, etc. in brick building, clean and dry. Apply to H. H. HARRISON, 522 Main street, N. E.

TO LET—Warehouse, shop and light storage in brick building, Lawton's street, near the city hall. Mount Pleasant avenue. Telephone 990.

TO LET—Premises 207 Charlotte street formerly occupied by Dr. Macaulay, suitable for a doctor. Apply to Dr. Smith, 146 Charlotte street.

BARN TO LET—At 24 Peters street, 50 ft. by 22 ft., two stories, eight bay windows, carriage rooms, yard and wagon sheds. Could be used as a warehouse. A. CHRISTIE Wood Working Company.

TO LET—A corner shop—also several flats, Enquire (afternoons or evenings) of M. J. WILKINS, 381 Haymarket Square.

PRESENCE OF MIND.

(New York Times.) At a recent gathering of notables, ex-Gov. Taylor, of Tennessee, and the late President McKinley, when the Spanish war broke out Gov. Taylor offered his services.

ONE STATESMAN'S SPECIALTY.

(New York Tribune.) The president, John Burroughs, John Muir, two or three "statesmen" and a camp-fire in the West, "swapping" anecdotes.

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THE SMOKERS' IDEAL.

In a pipe tobacco purity is the first essential. Every package of Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco is guaranteed.

If you select your servants from the class who read and answer want ads you will at least have intelligent help—and you know from experience that nine out of ten of the poor servants are ignorant ones.

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People who are utter strangers to you at this moment may be doing business with you before many hours have passed if you put your proposition in one of these small ads. Rate:—12 cent a word, six insertions for price of four. No advt. less than 25 cents.

FLATS TO LET.

TO LET—Two flats in new house, containing six rooms each, with modern improvements. Grained throughout, at 24 Duke street, West. I. A. GRIF-FITH.

TO LET—From 1st May, desirable lower flat 174 Duke street. For particulars, when to see it, etc., apply to A. GILMOUR, 68 King street, or J. S. Armstrong, 24 Duke street.

TO LET—Newly finished, self-contained flat, eight rooms, all modern improvements, 25 Broad street.

TO LET—A basement flat of six rooms and bath. Can be seen Tuesdays and Fridays. Apply to MRS. WILSON, 275 Princess street.

TO LET—Self-contained flat, 8 rooms, bath room, 100 Mecklenburg street. Apply 125 Mecklenburg street.

TO LET—Upper flat No. 15 Peters street. Modern improvements. Room will be reserved with or without board if agreeable to tenant. Can be seen Tuesdays and Fridays from 3 to 5 p. m.

TO LET—Lower flat, 15 Brimley street, with bath, can be seen Monday afternoons. Apply 149 Waterloo St.

TO LET—A self-contained flat, 114 Elliott Row, eight rooms and bath room, hot and cold water. Can be seen Wednesdays and Thursdays from 3 to 5. Apply to G. H. INGRAHAM, 118 Elliott Row.

TO LET—Some self-contained flats with modern improvements. Can be seen on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Apply to WILLIAM HUMPHREYS, 118 St. James street.

AGAINST SEPARATE SCHOOLS.

WOODSTOCK, N. B. Mar. 8.—The L. O. L. lodges in this county are strongly opposed to the separate school clause in the Autonomy Bill before parliament. At a special meeting of Carleton L. O. L. last night a resolution was passed urging the member for Carleton, Frank B. Carvell, to take a firm stand against the school clause, and expressing in strongest terms its condemnation of the principle.

A copy will be sent to Mr. Carvell, R. L. Borden, K. C. leader of the opposition, and George W. Fowler, past grand master of the L. O. L. of New Brunswick.

At a regular meeting of Woodstock L. O. L. a resolution was passed condemning the principle of separate schools and expressing their opposition to Hon. Clifford Sifton in his stand against this interference in provincial rights.

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"Why, doctor, my folks wouldn't stand such a thing for a minute! Don't you know that I am a prohibitionist?"

"That's the difficulty may be overcome. I'll send you a jug of excellent liquor. You'll take it in hot water from three to four times a day."

"But, doctor," persisted the prohibitionist, "when I send for the hot water, the family may suspect something."

"You shave, don't you?" suggested the physician. "Send your shaving-mug downstairs. The hot water may be sent to you in that."

A short time after, the physician called to see how his patient was getting on. Every one in the house appeared to be greatly perturbed. In response to the doctor's surprised query, the family chorused:

"Oh, he's all right physically, doctor, but we really think he's quite out of his mind. Why, he's been shaving himself every hour for a week."

SCIENTISTS AND SMOKERS.

Scientists say that the rainbow shows what constitutes a perfect ray of light. Smokers say that Rainbow Cut Plug shows what constitutes a perfect smoking tobacco.

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"It reminds me," said he, "of the former house and barns were picked up by a cyclone and blown into the Mississippi river. The farmer landed on top of a saw-log. As he came to the surface, blew the water out of his nose, wiped his eyes, and got a better grip on the log, he said: 'Well, that was so danged sudden it is ridiculous.'"

HOUSES TO LET.

TO LET—Brick building Paradise Row—near Main street—suitable for warehouse—or can be let in flats. Apply to M. E. AGAR, Union street.

TO LET—House of seven rooms, near the city. Will be let for the summer. For particulars apply to 94 Newmarket street any evening after five.

TO LET—Flat 58 Spring street, occupied by S. Devine, Esq., 11 rooms, separate entrance. Tuesdays and Thursdays, 3 to 5. Apply to MRS. WM. BRAMHALL, 395 Main street.

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ST JOHN STAR, THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1906.

BITTER ATTACK  
ON CHAMBERLAIN.

Long Speech Made by  
Winston Churchill.

His Motion Was Defeated by 42 Majority—  
Colonial Conference Fixed  
For 1906.

LONDON, March 8.—Winston Churchill led tonight what was probably the last full dress debate session on the fiscal question in the house of commons. The debate was on a resolution declaring that in the opinion of the house, permanent unity of the British Empire could not be secured through a system of preferential duties based on protective taxation of food. The galleries were crowded and there were few empty places on either side of the house. Mr. Churchill's motion being regarded as the most serious attack on the government majority since the opening of parliament. It was aimed to force the unionist free-traders into the opposition lobby and divide the house, not party lines, but upon the Chamberlain fiscal policy.

From the outset, the motion was doomed to defeat, and avowedly the opposition had no expectation of defeating the government. It was a feint move intended to demonstrate to the country the strength of Chamberlain's following.

Mr. Churchill spoke at considerable length, directing himself exclusively to Mr. Chamberlain's fiscal policy. In fact, in the course of his speech, he announced that he was not attacking the government, but was aiming the spear of his blow at Chamberlain. Colonial Secretary Lyttleton said a vote for Mr. Churchill's motion would not benefit anyone. It was a foolish, he said, to discuss abstractly until the conference should be held the government did not expect to defeat a free-trade measure. It was a question of fiscal policy, and the resolution was not put, in order to defeat a free-trade measure.

Lord George Hamilton regretted that the government moved the previous question, because it showed that it was not prepared to discuss the motion. He supported Mr. Churchill's motion because it represented his own views.

Joseph Chamberlain followed. He said he had been invited to speak in moral courage, because he had not submitted his fiscal proposals for discussion before the public, but he had ultimately would have to be settled by the country, and he declined to waste the time of the house by uttering barren resolutions. Mr. Chamberlain's motion was not a protest against Mr. Chamberlain, but he declined to vote for the motion.

Premier Balfour followed. He said that the carrying of Mr. Churchill's motion would create a false impression in the country and the colonies. Mr. Balfour insisted that the motion was not an attack on Mr. Chamberlain, but on the government.

H. H. Asquith, in winding up the debate, accused the premier of a policy of evasion and a procedure of evasion. He said that Mr. Chamberlain, the missionary of a new creed, when his doctrine was challenged, covered behind the previous question.

The house divided, and Mr. Lyttleton's motion was carried, 302 to 260, thus defeating Mr. Churchill's resolution. The result was greeted with loud cheering by the ministerials.

WILL PLAY SACKVILLE.

Sussex Hockey Team in Game Tonight—Weekly Meeting of Sussex Town Council.

SUSSEX, March 8.—The Sackville hockey team will play the Sussex team in the Alhambra rink here on Thursday evening 9th. Those wishing to see the local team lined up against the league championship holders will have an opportunity.

The weekly meeting of the Town Council was held on Tuesday evening, March 7th. Those present were the mayor and Aldermen Murray, Miller, Criggs, Mills and McArthur.

Ald. Mills of the street committee reported to Council the several places in the town where street lights are proposed to be installed, and further reported progress.

On motion, the street committee was instructed to arrange for a contract with the Electric Light Company for a number of lights, not exceeding 34, at the rate of 4 cents per night for each 32 candle power light, for a period of two years.

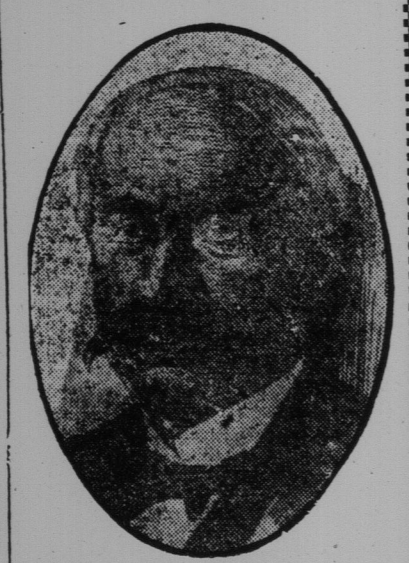
A number of accounts were passed and ordered to be paid. The matter of arranging the lighting was one of considerable difficulty, and, apart from the accounts, occupied the attention of the Council throughout the evening.

The Sussex Lumber Company met at the office of H. H. Parlee on Tuesday and organized. H. M. Bane of the Nova Scotia Carriage Company, Kentville, N. S., and H. E. Noonan, commercial traveller of Truro, N. S., together with a number of local gentlemen, were present. J. A. McArthur was elected president and Hugh McKillop of Calgary, B. C., secretary.

The capital is twenty-four thousand dollars. The company will do business at Birkmoor, B. C. H. Parlee is solicitor for.

Near the Brick School House, in Studholm, about five miles above Sussex, there has been quite a slaughter of deer by two young men, five being killed. Major O. B. Arnold, game warden here, has employed O. P. King, M. P. P., and laid information before the stipendiary magistrate for their arrest. The young men, however, have left for Boston within two days. Game Warden Knight of St. John gave instructions to have the law enforced against parties accused.

FOUR GREAT MEN WHO ARE UNDER SENTENCE OF DEATH.



COUNT IGNATIEFF, new governor-general of Poland, made notorious by his acts of cruelty and marked by the Terrorists for death.



GRAND DUKE VLADIMIR, who will probably be the next victim of a Terrorist bomb.



GRAND DUKE ALEXIS, another uncle of the czar and who is said to be among those slated for "removal" by Russian Terrorists.



PRESIDENT WM. R. HARPER, OF CHICAGO UNIVERSITY, who recently underwent an operation for cancer. The physicians say he may live a year.

FOR THE Y. M. C. A. FUND.

A Big Entertainment Will be held During the Autumn.

A meeting of the ladies from the different churches of the city was held in the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon for the purpose of deciding on a plan for the purpose of raising money to aid in the construction of the new Y. M. C. A. building to be begun next summer. A large number of ladies were present, perhaps a hundred, representing nearly all the city churches. It was decided that arrangements should be made for a monster entertainment of some sort to be held some time during the autumn or early winter. Mrs. Dr. White was chosen president of the committee, Mrs. Geo. Henderson, secretary, and a vice president was chosen from each church in the city. Then each vice president was asked to choose ten or twelve ladies from her own congregation as members of the committee. As to the nature of the entertainment to be given, nothing definite was decided upon, but the matter will probably be settled at the next meeting to be held in the Y. M. C. A. on the afternoon of Wednesday, 22nd inst.

Lady Tilley is now in town and has expressed her willingness to do all she can to assist the committee in their work. It has been suggested that the entertainment be something of a national character, and that booths be gotten up to represent the different nations of the world. The affair will probably be held in the Y. M. C. A. building.

I increased my advertising immediately and have been doing so ever since. A. A. Hendrickson, Hendrickson Wrist Machine Co., N. Y.

DIED AT AGE OF 100.

Maurice Gillespie, of Roxbury, Never Had Doctor Until a Few Days Ago

Maurice Gillespie, for years a resident of this city, died Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jas. Flood, 79 Center street, Roxbury, aged 100 years and 7 months.

Mr. Gillespie had always enjoyed the services of a physician until he was stricken five days before his death. Although advanced in age, Mr. Gillespie was remarkably well preserved, and was possessed of all his faculties with the exception of being slightly deaf. He had a lovable disposition and was particularly fond of young folks, with whom he was a great favorite. He often entered into their enjoyments, and he entertained them with songs of his younger days.

He was a great believer in the virtues of tobacco, using it every day of his life. He said he was a great cure for nervousness, and was never without it.

In the company of friends he took pleasure in relating stories of his youth in Canada, where he learned his trade as a carpenter. He enjoyed seeing new faces and forming new friendships, and was particularly pleased when a stranger inquired about him. He was invariably asked the stranger to guess his age, and he would always say he was 80, and he would say he was probably 80 in reply he would say he was 80.

He learned that many years ago. Since the death of his wife five years ago, he had made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Flood. He had six daughters, four of whom survive him. Of the grandchildren, there are 19 living and 11 dead, and of great-grandchildren 14 living and 4 dead.

PIPE-SMOKERS SHOULD KNOW That a big package of Rainbow Cut that Smoking Tobacco costs only 10c and the quality is wonderfully good.

NEWS OF SPORT

U. N. B. Hockey Team Won from Neptunes—Sackville and Trojans Draw—Curling Records.

The U. N. B. hockey team signalled their first trip to this city by administering a defeat of 5 goals to 4 to the Neptunes. The latter team was assisted by Ken Inches of the Mohawks who played a strong game at point, and his rushes materially aided the rowing club boys. So close was the struggle that 30 minutes overtime had to be played before Malloy notched the winning goal for the collegians.

The line up was as follows: Neptunes, 4. U. N. B., 5. Miller, Goal. Lunney, Smith, Brown, Cover. Gregory, McNeil, Rover. Robinson, Bilsard, R. W. Malloy, Petrie, L. W. Trites. Referee, Harry Dunn.

Scoring—First Half. 1. U. N. B.—Robinson, 3 minutes. 2. U. N. B.—Winslow, 6 minutes. 3. U. N. B.—Winslow, 7 minutes. 4. Neptunes—Townsend, 11 minutes. 5. Neptunes—McNeil, 19 minutes. 6. Neptunes—Bilsard, 20 minutes. 7. U. N. B.—Inches, 23 minutes. 8. Neptunes—McNeil, 34-1/2 minutes. 9. U. N. B.—Malloy, 30 minutes overtime.

THE SEASON'S CURLING. With the close of the curling season the records of local clubs will be found very interesting. The Thistles not only take first place in the city, but in the maritime provinces, having an unbroken string of victories.

THISTLE CURLING CLUB. Played 14; won, 14; lost, 0; per cent, 100. Dec. 26—Presidents, 102; Vice Presidents, 119; majority, 17 points. Jan. 11—Thistles, 65; Fredericton, 60; Thistles' majority, 5 points. Jan. 12—S. W. Palmer won Milligan points medal. Jan. 14—St. Andrew's, 213; Thistles, 229; Thistle majority, 26 points. Jan. 21—St. Andrew's, 213; Thistles, 250; Thistle majority, 37 points. Jan. 22—Halifax, 83; Thistles, 86; Thistle majority, 3 points. Jan. 24—Amherst, 48; Thistles 86. Thistle majority, 38 points. Feb. 7—Thistles, 125; Carleton, 114; Thistle majority, 11 points. Feb. 8—Sackville, 57; Thistles, 77; Thistle majority, 20 points. Feb. 12—Ladies, 27; New-comers, 25. Feb. 13—Thistles, 87; Truro, 43; Thistle majority, 1 point. Feb. 17—Carleton, 108; Thistles, 167; Thistle majority, 59 points. Feb. 18—Hampton, 57; Thistles, 76; Thistle majority, 19 points. Feb. 27—Fredericton, 59; Thistles, 67; Thistle majority, 8 points. Feb. 27—New-comers' match begun. Feb. 27—Malcolm won Dover Handles competition. March 2—H. C. Olive's rink, composed of Jos. Court, skip, won the finals in the New-comers' match. The points competition for medal will take place tomorrow.

ST. ANDREW'S CLUB. Played, 14; Won, 7; Lost 7; P. C. 500. Jan. 4—St. Andrew's, 213; Thistles, 239; St. Andrew's defeated by 26 points. Jan. 10—St. Andrew's, 213; Thistles, 78; St. Andrew's defeated by 17 points. Jan. 21—St. Andrew's, 213; Thistles, 250; St. Andrew's defeated by 37 points. Feb. 2—St. Andrew's, 213; Thistles, 250; St. Andrew's defeated by 37 points. Feb. 7—Thistles, 152; Carleton, 114; Carleton defeated by 38 points. Feb. 12—Carleton, 56; St. Stephen, 54; Carleton majority, 2 points. Feb. 17—Thistles, 167; Carleton, 108; Thistles defeated by 59 points. (Continued on page 6.)

BOWLING. The second game of the series for the Richey prizes was bowled at the Richey alley Wednesday night, resulting in Capt. W. Johnston's team winning from Capt. F. Fitzgerald. The scores were as follows: Total. Capt. W. Johnston . . . . . 81 83 260 W. Archibald . . . . . 89 79 85 J. Matthews . . . . . 77 84 77 C. Smith . . . . . 83 115 276 C. Graham . . . . . 72 89 74 1145 Total. Capt. F. Fitzgerald, . . . . . 83 77 233 E. Mulholland . . . . . 66 77 214 S. Patchell . . . . . 81 77 246 B. Hoyt . . . . . 72 77 232 N. Nobles . . . . . 76 81 75 1145 Total. The third game in the series will be played Saturday night between Capt. A. King and Capt. A. McBeath's team. Great interest is being taken in the games, as the bowlers with the highest average go to Eastport to play a return match with that city's team.

FOOTBALL. NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 8.—The Yale football management announced today that Nov. 8 has been decided on as the date for the Yale-Princeton football game at Cambridge.

SACKVILLE V. NEPTUNES. The close of the hockey season in Queen's rink tomorrow evening should draw one of the best audiences the Sackville team will play in Sussex this evening.

THE ROYAL GAZETTE NOTICES. Important List This Week—Several St. John Parties Interested.

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Letters patent have also been issued to incorporate Thomas McAvity, A. H. Hanington, J. G. Knowlton and W. A. McLaughlin, all of St. John, for the purpose of acquiring and carrying on the business at present carried on by Geo. A. Horton in this city. The new company will be known as The Floods Company, Ltd.

Letters patent have been issued for the incorporation of Frederick E. Sayre, J. Walter Holly, John E. Sayre, Kate E. Sayre and Regina M. Holly, all of St. John, for the purpose of carrying on a lumbering, milling and shipping business, etc., under the name of F. E. Sayre & Co., Ltd.

Letters patent have been issued for the incorporation of Timothy Lynch and Margaret Lynch of Fredericton, Peter B. Millie of Glasville, Car. Co., Timothy L. Lynch, Fredericton, Thos. McMillan, under the name of Timothy Lynch & Co., Ltd., for the purpose of carrying on a general wholesale and retail mercantile business.

Also notice has been given of the application for the incorporation of the York and Sunbury Milling Co., Ltd., for the purpose of carrying on a general manufacturing business. The company will be controlled by the York and Sunbury Milling Co., Ltd., for the purpose of carrying on a general manufacturing business. The company will be controlled by the York and Sunbury Milling Co., Ltd., for the purpose of carrying on a general manufacturing business.

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JURY DISAGREE

In Case of Rev. W. R. Calder at Sydney—A Terrible Record.

HALIFAX, March 8.—After being out ten hours and twenty-five minutes the jury in the Rev. W. R. Calder case at Sydney, returned to the court at eleven o'clock tonight and reported having failed to agree upon the verdict. The jury stood six to six in favor of insanity. Although several ballots were taken during the day, court invariably stood six to six with the exception of once when ballot stood ten to two in favor of verdict of mental derangement. The charge against Calder was indecent exposure and evidence adduced by witnesses was of the most disgusting and abominable character. The defence produced medical testimony in support of a plea of insanity, doctors testifying to the man's utter unfitness to be allowed at large, that the lunatic asylum was the only fit and proper place for him. The jury were discharged and the accused remanded to jail until the June term of the criminal court. Calder will be tried tomorrow on a second count for which he was indicted, namely, aggravated assault on his wife.

N. S. LEGISLATURE.

Government Urged to Enable Nova Scotia Coal to Reach Ontario Markets.

HALIFAX, March 8.—Premier Murray brought down the financial returns in the house of assembly this afternoon. The total revenue for the year was \$1,194,755, which is \$41,000 less than last year. The royalties from coal amounted to \$385,263, half of the entire revenue. Succession duties yielded \$46,901. The premier showed a surplus of \$289,000. C. E. Tanner, opposition leader, asked the government to take energetic measures to enable Nova Scotia coal to reach the Ontario market. He urged on them that they press the dominion government to make better transportation facilities for coal shipments, to increase the duty, and the provincial government was recommended to remit the royalty of ten cents a ton for five years on coal going to Ontario, and to make a further period of five years. Mr. Tanner said he did this on the ground that it was more important to cultivate interprovincial than foreign trade. The failure of the hay crop and the state of the roads in Nova Scotia has put the farming community in a bad plight, and Mr. Tanner asked for a grant to assist the farmers in procuring seed and purchasing hay, for the lack of which in many cases the cattle were starving.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

Domestic Ports. HALIFAX, March 8—Ard, str Pro Patria, from St Pierre, Miq. Cld, str Meaton, Kaisen, for Jamaica, via Cuban ports. Sid, str Mount Temple, Foster, for London; Baker, Schoawandt, for Boston.

Foreign Ports. KINSALE, March 7—Passed, str Montcalm, from St John, NB, for Avonmouth. MALIN HEAD, March 7—Passed, str Parisian, from St John, NB, and Halifax, for Liverpool. LIVERPOOL, March 7—Ard, str Dominion, from Portland, for Liverpool. GLASGOW, March 7—Ard, str Furnessian, from New York; 8th, str Pommeranian, from Boston. ALEXANDRIA, March 8—Ard, str Arabie, from New York (on cruise); Canopic, from Naples, for Boston. BROW HEAD, March 8—Passed, str Ivernia, from Boston, for Liverpool. LIVERPOOL, March 8—Sid, str Manchester Merchant, for St John. PRESTON, March 8—Ard, str Nancy Lee, from Port Medway, NS.

Foreign Ports. PORTLAND, Me, March 8—Ard, str North Star, Bragg, from New York; sch W E and W L Tuok, Smith, from New York, for Backport (had most of her sails blown away in equal of Cape Cod). NEW LONDON, Conn, March 8—Ard, sch Perry Zeber, from North Boothbay, for Philadelphia. BOSTON, March 8—Ard, str Winfredian, from Liverpool; Verona, from Boston; SD; Tordenskjold, from Lunenburg, CB; schs Henry Waller, from Charleston; T Charlton Henry, from Baltimore; Elizabeth Palmer, from do; Gardinet G Deering, from do; Sagamore, from Philadelphia; Rebecca Palmer, (not Baker Palmer), from Newport news (latter and 7th). CATALON, for Louisa, CB. CITY ISLAND, March 8—Bound south, str Manhattan, from Portland, Me; schs Clifford I White, from Calais Me; Charles H Kinck, from New London.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, March 8—Ard, tug Fred E Richards, towing barge No 3, from New York, for Rockport; Gettysburg, towing barges Kinberton and Girard, from Boston. CHATHAM, Mass, March 8—Fresh wind with fog at sunset. Fresh fog all day and no observations. SALEM, Mass, March 8—Ard, schs Eugene Bird, from Hurdstone Island, Me, for New York; Cumberland, from Portland, for do. PORTSMOUTH, NH, March 8—Ard, sch Ben Hur, from Portland, for Boston.

NEW YORK, March 8—Ard, bktn Milton, from Santa Cruz, Cuba; bktn Carrie A. Buckman, from Gonaves; William T. Donnell, from Fernandez; Jessie L. Leach, from Virginia; John W. Ham, from Jacksonville. Sid, str Teutonic, for Liverpool; sch Geo D Edmonds, for Boston.

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Opera House.

WEEK OF MARCH 6th, FISKE STOCK CO., BAND AND ORCHESTRA, Presenting Miss Grace Hamilton AND A COMPANY OF 30 -- PEOPLE -- 30 IN A LIST OF NEW PLAYS. Monday and Tuesday Nights—"The Two Orphans." Wednesday and Thursday Nights—"McKenna's Filtration." Friday Night and Saturday Matinee—"Hazel Kirke." Saturday Night—"Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." BIG VAUDEVILLE FEATURES BETWEEN ACTS. Prices:—Nights, 50c, 35c, 25c, 15c. Matinee—All Seats, 25c.

YORK THEATRE.

Three Nights, Commencing MONDAY, March 13th, DALE'S FAMOUS English Opera Singers

In their Novel, Musical and Humorous Entertainment. "Gems of the Light Operas," —WITH— MISS EDITH SERPELL, Soprano, from St. James Hall Ballad Concerts, 1892, '93, '94. MISS GWENDOLINE PHILLIPS, the Famous Contralto from Daly's Theatre, London. MR. CLAUDE ANDERSON, Tenor, Queen's Hall and Alexandra Palace Concerts. MR. FREDERIC DALE, Baritone and Humorous Musical Sketches. MR. H. COLLMAN, Solo Pianist and Accompanist. PRICES:—25c, 35c, and 50c.

Hockey.

QUEEN'S RINK, Friday, March 10. Sackville. The League Champions, VS. Neptunes. Admission, 25 cents.

CANADIAN PACIFIC Atlantic Steamship Service From Liverpool to St. John, N. B. Mar. 7, Lake Erie . . . . . Mar. 11 Mar. 7, Lake Manitoba . . . . . Mar. 25 Mar. 21, Lake Champlain . . . . . Apr. 2 Apr. 4, Lake Erie . . . . . Apr. 2 Apr. 11, Lake Manitoba . . . . . Apr. 29 FIRST CABIN—To Liverpool, \$47.50 and \$50 upward, according to steamer. Round Trip Tickets at reduced rates. Second Cabin—To Liverpool, \$7.50; London, \$40.00. Third Class—To Liverpool, London, Glasgow, Belfast, Londonderry and Queenstown, \$18.50. From Liverpool to Londonderry, \$27.50. To and from all other points at equally low rates. In the passenger list: ST. JOHN TO LONDON. S. S. Montrose, Mar. 14. Second class only. S. S. Lake Michigan, Apr. 13. Third class only. Rates same as via Liverpool. For Tickets and further information apply to W. H. C. MACKAY or write F. R. PERRY, Acting P. A. ST. JOHN, N. B.

BUTTER!

As every one knows Tub Butter is of uncertain quality. Much of the Print Butter comes first in the tub. Where it is made, how many hands it has passed through since leaving the dairy, is something the buyers don't know. With our butter all doubt is ended. Made in the cleanest creameries in Canada, then packed.

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158 POND STREET. Telephone 622. NOTICE! GARRIAGE AND SLEIGH PAINTING AND REPAIRING. Christopher McDade has moved to his new building, Marsh Bridge, where he will do all kinds of carriage repair and painting. Only best quality of paint and varnishes used. All orders promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed. He has engaged Mr. H. McBeath to take charge of the paint shop.

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Has Your Hard Coal Experience Been Satisfactory?

A THOUSAND VOICES ANSWER "NO"! We paid our good money for had Hard Coal and had to keep warm this winter working with the fires and digging out clinkers and shale, and will have to pay more money for hauling away a big pile of ashes in the Spring.

BUT ANOTHER THOUSAND VOICES SAY "YES"! We burned Gibbon & Co's Triple X Hard Coal and enjoyed solid comfort all winter. It is the brightest and cleanest Hard Coal we ever saw—lasts longer and makes very little ash. GIBBON & CO. have 700 tons of Triple X Hard Coal landing now and if you want to know what kind of Coal to fill your bin with in the Spring and Summer, when Coal gets cheap, try Gibbon & Co's Triple X Hard Coal now and prove for yourself by comparing it with the Hard Coal you have been using.

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THE COURIER OF THE CZAR

By Jules Verne

open for any information. She could hear nothing. By an instinctive feeling of prudence, she had not changed between Nadia and Marfa Strogoff.

At THE "LONDON HOUSE," Thursday, March 9th.



Beautiful Cottons for Spring, 1905

A very large selection of the newest things for the coming season. Voiles, Etamines and Lustre Suitings are most popular.

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PARENT'S RETIREMENT. JOGGINS MINES SOLD. A Way Opened for Quebec's Premier to Get Out With the Honors of War. QUEBEC, March 8.—In the legislature today another move was made in the game which is to end in the retirement of Premier Parent.

Laurier has long talk with his followers

But the School Crisis Remains Unchanged—Fielding Disgruntled Because Premier Introduced Bill Before His Arrival.

OTTAWA, March 8.—The school crisis remains tonight as it has for many days, all tales of compromise and the contrary. Modifications are still asked for and other modifications are proffered in exchange on the premier's behalf, but the gap is no narrower than from the outset.

NEWS OF SPORT.

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CHAPTER XII.

THE next day, the 16th of August, the loud trumpets sounded through the camp. The Tartar soldiers sprang at once to arms. Ivan Ogareff, after having quitted Zabeleiro, arrived, accompanied by a numerous staff of Tartar officers.

O. D. HANSON'S AFFAIRS.

Committee of Creditors Chosen to Look into the Business. A meeting of the creditors of O. D. Hanson, Fairville, was held yesterday afternoon in E. R. Chapman's office.

COUPONS FOR SMOKERS.

Valuable coupons are in every package of Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco.

MRS. ROBERT DALTON.

Mrs. Robt. Dalton, who died on Tuesday at her home on Victoria street, was one of the charter members of the W. C. T. U. of St. John (north).

CAN HAVE LONG TALKS.

The Victorian and Virginian, the two new turbine boats just completed for the Allan line, will sail from Liverpool for St. John on March 23rd and April 6th respectively.

ALL THROUGH.

The winter and spring Short's "Cherry Choler" (25 cts., 50 cts.) will prove the most reliable remedy for all cases of cholera, dysentery, and other ailments.

LAWTON CO., LTD.

The annual meeting of the Lawton Co., Ltd., was held at the office of the company on Erin street. President W. E. Earle, was in the chair.

HEAVY LOSERS.

HALIFAX, March 8.—It is stated in semi-official authority in Yarmouth that W. H. Redding and Sons owe the defunct Bank of Yarmouth \$500,000, which will be reduced not more than \$50,000 by the firm's assets.

GEN. BOOTH AT JERUSALEM.

JERUSALEM, March 8.—General Booth of the Salvation Army has arrived here. He intends to hold a series of meetings. The Porte has directed the local authorities to prohibit Turkish subjects from attending these meetings.

WHAT ONE MAN HAS DONE.

The Remarkable Achievement of a Remarkable Man. A Splendid Example of What Uniring Devotion Can Do. For years Dr. J. S. Leonard, of Lincoln, Neb., studied the problem of how best to prevent and cure disease.

BASE BALL.

Sixty Tigers Report. PRINCETON, N. J., March 7.—Briske baseball practice was indulged in today at University Field, though the condition of the ground is not yet favorable for good work.



Free Hemming on all Household Linens and Cottons will be continued until the end of March.

Exceptional Values in New Spring Suitings and Dress Materials.

Homespuns bid fair to be in great favor, and after all what makes up prettier and will give better service than a pure wool, pretty gray homespun. We have them in all shades, 56 inches wide, at 95c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.29. GRAY HOMESPUNS at 75c a Yard, English make, 50 in. wide CANVAS SUITINGS, 52 inches wide, at 79c a yard. Tweed effect, yet a canvas weave, and a combination which makes a most effective appearance. Cloth that will wear well and make a serviceable suit. CANVAS SUITING IN HEATHER MIXTURES, 40 inches wide, 47c a yard. An excellent weighty material suitable for separate skirts or shirt waist suits. VENETIANS, English make, 52 inches wide, in navy blue and black. A special line at \$1.00 a yard. A fine finished material which makes a very pretty tailored suit or separate skirt. BLACK AND NAVY KERSEY, 55c a yard. This is 56 inches wide, is thoroughly shrunken, fast color, and a most excellent material for general use.

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P. E. I. STEAMER ICEBOUND. The steamer Stanley, which left Georgetown, P. E. I., Monday for the ice barrier to attempt a transfer with the Minto, became stuck in the ice and has not been able to get clear yet. The boat had a full cargo and the intention was to transfer with the Minto, which left Pictou with a full cargo for Georgetown. The Minto arrived at the barrier, but as the Stanley could not get to the barrier the Minto returned to Pictou.

FOG ALARM NOT SOUNDING. There was a paragraph in a morning paper today to the effect that the fog whistle on Partridge Island did not sound yesterday morning for a time and also last evening when the alarm was badly needed. F. S. Harding, of the marine and fisheries department said this morning that he had had no information on the matter. He intends to investigate the report.

NEW GOODS. White Spot Muslin 7c, 8c, 10c, 12c, yard. Lace Frill Muslin, 12c, 13c, 15c, yard. Net Insertion and Frill, 14c. to 18c, yard. Lace Curtains, 25c. to \$2.50 pair. Art Muslin, 6c., 10c., 12c. yard. Cretannes, 8c. to 16c. yard. Beautiful Assortment Whitewear Lowest Prices. Arnold's Department Store, 11-15 Charlotte street.

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LOCAL NEWS.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS. All changes of Ads Must be in Star Office, Not Later than 10 o'clock in the Morning, to insure insertion Same Evening.

Large sacks of coke delivered in bin, 30c.; 10 sacks for \$2.50. Telephone 333 or 118, Gas Works. Last night the police found the door of White's Express office and T. B. & H. B. Robinson's insurance office open. Special services are being held each evening in the Carmarthen street Methodist church. The pastor is being assisted in the meetings by the Rev. A. B. Higgins, of Digby, N. S. The officers of the Grand Temple of Honor of New Brunswick will pay a special visit to Alexandra Temple tonight at 8.15. All brother templars of the jurisdiction are invited to be present.

The Free Kindergarten committee acknowledge with thanks \$3 from the Young People's W. C. T. U. of North End, through Miss Myrtle O. Hawhurst. To increase the kindergarten funds, a concert will be given in Orange Hall, German street, on Monday, 13th instant, at which some of the best talent of the city will take part.

The death took place yesterday in this city of Miss Louise R. Dykeman, second daughter of Abram and the late late Maria E. Dykeman, aged 30 years. Death was due to consumption. The funeral will take place at 2.30 Saturday afternoon from the residence of her brother-in-law, F. R. Rogers, 93 Acadia street.

The death occurred yesterday afternoon of Miss Venie M., oldest daughter of Sylvester Yarnward, 95 Newman street. She was in her fifteenth year. The funeral service will be held at her home at 8 o'clock this evening; the remains will be taken to Hampstead tomorrow for burial.

At a meeting of the quarterly board of the Carleton street church, a further invitation was extended their pastor, Rev. H. D. Marr. The reports were very gratifying to the officers and pastors, showing increasing interest in all matters pertaining to the church.

W. M. Kingston will resume the leadership of the Bible study class at the close of the Prayer service in Exmouth street church tomorrow (Friday) evening. Sunday school officers and teachers are urged to attend, while all others will be welcome.

The annual meeting of the city Sunday School Association will be held tonight in the Portland street Methodist church. Reports from the various committees will be received and the officers elected for the coming year. Addresses will be given by Rev. Geo. M. Young and Rev. Mr. Colpitts.

FUNERALS TODAY. The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Humphreys, widow of John Humphreys, for many years tide waiter at the customs house took place this morning on the arrival of the Boston train, which brought her remains from Boston, where she has resided since the death of her husband. The service was conducted by Dr. G. O. Gates. Interment was at Fernhill.

The funeral of the late Margaret Powell took place at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon from the residence of S. Howard conducted the service. Interment was at Cedarhill.

The funeral of the late Miss Mamie Cochran took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the residence of A. Harned, Water street. Rev. R. W. Ferguson conducted the service. Interment was at Cedar Hill.

BRIGHT LAD'S DEATH. The death occurred about five o'clock this morning, after a short illness of diphtheria, of Charles Curran, manager of the Canadian News Co., at his father's residence in the North End. Deceased was a particularly bright lad, and when taken ill had been but a short time at a trade that he was ambitious to learn, that of a machinist. He was fourteen years of age and a general favorite with all his acquaintances. Mr. and Mrs. Curran have the heartfelt sympathy of their many friends.

WINTER PORT NOTES. The C. P. R. steamer Lake Manitoba is due on the eighteenth from Liverpool. The Manitoba has 35 first-class passengers, 122 second cabin and 654 steerage passengers. The steamer Manchester Merchant sailed from Liverpool yesterday for this port. The C. P. R. steamer Mount Temple sailed from Halifax yesterday for London. She had in addition to a big general cargo almost 1,000 head of cattle, the largest shipment from Canada this winter.

LADY CURLERS PLAY TODAY. The competition for the Holly pins among the Thistle lady curlers has resulted so far as follows: Mrs. T. McLaren, skip, 5; Miss L. L. Robertson, skip, 9; Mrs. W. Campbell, skip, 13; Mrs. F. E. Williams, skip, 7; Mrs. F. D. Miles, skip, 11; Mrs. Walter Holly, skip, 10; Mrs. Campbell, 9; Miss McLaren, 3; Mrs. Miles and Miss Robertson play this afternoon.

RECEIVED DIPLOMAS. The following students received diplomas yesterday in the shorthand department of the City Business University, Limited: Winnifred M. Dalton, Lot 7, P. E. I.; Mary M. Driscoll, Fairville; Alice A. Carson, Louise DeBow, Rose M. Walsh and Vera L. Cusack, city.

RUSSELL SAGE IS BETTER. NEW YORK, Mar. 9. - The condition of Russell Sage, who has been ill for several days, is reported today as much better. He has been suffering from a heavy cold, but his physicians hopes for his speedy recovery.

MARRIAGES. MORRIS-BOYCE-At St. Peter's church on March 7th, by the Rev. J. Borgmann, Arthur Morris, of Millish, to Ellen Boyce, of North End.

SUPT. PRICE IN TOWN.

Says the New Round House Will Be Lighted by Electricity--Freight Delayed by Snow.

J. E. Price, general superintendent of the L. C. R. arrived in the city from Moncton this morning and in company with the superintendent of terminals, L. R. Ross, spent the forenoon in looking over the yards and the company's terminal facilities here. Mr. Price in conversation with a Star reporter this morning said that his visit had no particular significance in fact he had not seen here for some time and was only following out his routine work. "You have plenty of snow here," said Mr. Price, "but don't think other parts of the country have been neglected. East there is lots, in fact there is more snow than there has been any winter for thirty years. North it has not been so bad and there has hardly been any trouble between Quebec and Montreal."

"Our trouble just now is moving delayed freight caused by the blocking of sidings and yards, many of which are not yet clear despite the fact that we have thousands of men at work. The very minute people see passenger and express trains running on schedule they demand immediate delivery of freight. They will say, 'Why your line is open, I see your passenger trains running, give me my goods.' Well it is correct that the passenger trains may be running it does not always follow that all sidings are clear. It takes time to shovel out freight cars but we are doing all possible to relieve the tangle." Mr. Price stated that it had been decided to install an electric light plant in the new round house and the work would be pushed rapidly forward.

RUNAWAY BOY STOPPED.

Fourteen Year Old Halifax Lad Caught Here on His Way to the United States.

Joseph Tobin, a Halifax lad of about 14 years of age, kept Detective Killen company about town this morning. Tobin appreciated the officer's attention ever if it was unavoidable, and bade him a hearty goodbye when the Atlantic express pulled out.

Tobin worked in a hotel in Halifax as a bell boy, and decided that he could do better in the United States, so saved some thirty dollars and bought a ticket for this city, intending to go from here to Boston. He neglected to notify his parents of his movements and the result is that he has listened to the advice given him by Chief Clark, and has gone home.

The youngster arrived here last night and put up at the Dufferin Hotel. Some of the hotel people notified Chief Clark, and Detective Killen invited the kid to call on the chief, which he did with the result that he agreed to go home.

The chief at once notified the Halifax authorities so that the lad's parents would know that he was all right and would soon return to the parental fold. Before leaving, young Tobin said that he had had no intention of going to Uncle Sam's domain, but would wait till the spring when he would go by steamer.

MILLMAN'S TERRIBLE INJURY.

Face Horribly Mangled by Flying Saw from Bursting Saw in a Grand Bay Mill.

Frederick Mercer, aged twenty-five, of Grand Bay, was brought to the hospital last night as a result of a serious accident which occurred at Kennedy's portable saw mill at Nerepis yesterday. Mercer was feeding logs to the rotary saw when by some accident an iron dog used in holding the logs in place came in contact with the saw and the saw burst.

Mercer was struck in the face by a flying piece of steel and sustained very grave injuries. His nose and upper jaw were broken and the left side of his face crushed in. Mercer was taken immediately to Westfield where Dr. Warwick dressed his wounds.

At the hospital Drs. Grant, Benesty and MacLaren dressed his face and at present today he was doing as well as could be expected and resting comfortably. Mr. Mercer's wife resides at Grand Bay.

HARD WORKING CLERGYMEN.

The local papers the other day told of the difficulty that Rev. Mr. Daniel had in making the rounds of his parish in consequence of the deep snow. The friends of the Rev. C. A. D. Warneford, of Cady's, Queens county, while admitting that Mr. Daniel's record is a good one, say that their parson went him one better. During one week this winter Rev. Mr. Warneford, in addition to the miles he drove, walked over thirty miles on snowshoes in the discharge of his duties.

THIS EVENING.

Pike Stock Company at the Opera House. Meeting of the Fabian League. Entertainment by Gurney Division, S. of T. Women's Missionary Society at Centenary church. Basket ball at Y. M. C. A. Annual meeting of the City S. S. Association in Portland Methodist church. Meeting of Military Veterans. Meeting of High School Alumnae at 55 Pitt street.

POLICE COURT.

In the police court this morning one drunk was fined four dollars. Fred Kelly and Charles Thomas who were arrested for fighting on Brussels street were remanded till tomorrow as it was city court day and there seemed to be some question as to who was at fault. Thomas pleaded guilty but Kelly denied that he was fighting.

PERSONALS.

The many friends of Miss Martha A. Morton will be pleased to learn that she has successfully passed her examinations at the Hartford Hospital and is now a graduate of that institution. Miss Morton will make a short visit with relatives in New York after which she will take up professional work in Hartford.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Shipp, of Douglas avenue, left last evening for Denver, Col. They expect to be absent from the city for several months. R. T. Hayes returned yesterday from Montreal.

Colonel Tucker arrived home yesterday from Ottawa. Duncan Cameron, inspector of the Royal Bank, who has been in the city for the past week, went to Halifax yesterday.

Mrs. James H. Doody, of this city, was the guest of Mrs. William Emerson at the annual reception and ball of the Young Men's Catholic Association in Boston last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Montgomery are home again after visiting New York and Philadelphia. They went to Washington and witnessed the inauguration of President Roosevelt.

Mrs. A. F. Powers has returned home after a pleasant visit to friends in Boston. The many friends of Mrs. F. R. McKiel will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from a severe illness that has confined her to her residence for the past three months.

Miss Minnie Lynch, of Boston, with her friend, Miss Annie Coyle, St. John West, left by steamer Calvin Austin this morning for her home, after spending a short vacation in this city with her friends.

WEST SIDE WEDDING.

On Tuesday evening, St. Jude's church was the scene of a quiet but pretty wedding, when Miss Clara Donner was united in marriage to Avard Clarke, both of the West End. The bride looked charming in a costume of cream voile, with large picture hat to match and carried a white prayer book. The bridesmaid was Miss Annie Cogwell, who wore a suit of brown broadcloth with white trimmings and hat to match. The groomsmen were Fred Brown.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. G. Scovill. The presents were pretty and numerous. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke will reside in the West End.

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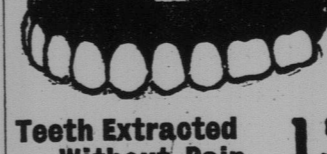
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