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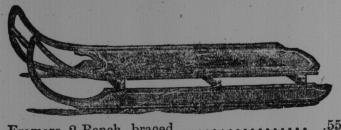
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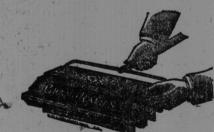
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HOWARD D. CAMP CHARGED MANSLAUGHTER.

Preliminary Examination Was Begun This Gives Morning---Mrs. Daughter Expected To Die.

Howard D. Camp, arrested with Dr. Preston in connection with the death of Miss Edith F. Clarke, was arraigned this morning in police court on the charge of manslaughter, formally made

W. WALKER CLARK.
Taken before me, etc.,
ROBERT J. RITCHIE.
The witnesses examined were Mrs.
Robt. Clarke, Dr. Addy and Dr. Scammell, Dr. Roberts and Wm. McKay.
Their testimony was practically same as given in the Preston case, except that Mrs. Clarke went a little more fully into her step-daughter's statements, signifying that she expected to die when she made the disputed ante-mortem statement.

Wm. McKay, a drug clerk, in Brown's store, said he thought seen Camp in the store but con remember when.
The court then adjourned underce of the nurses will be take the disputed ante-mortem statement. The court then adjourned until 3.30 o'cleck in the afternoon when the evidence of the nurses will be taken.

BUT FINISHED STRONG.

In witness identified the part bottle of ergot that has previously been shown in evidence, and said that it was brought to the house by Howard Camp on Monday evening, Nov. 13th. Witness knew the defendant for about flew years, he called frequently at the house by the between him and her step-daughter. When Camp brought the bottle he told witness to give it to Edith, and she told him that Edith was not so well. Mr. Macrae said it has not been proven that the bottle is the same as given by Mr. Camp on Monday night.

Continuing, witness said that she first read the writing on the bottle on Wednesday, Mr. Camp called nearly every weening to enquire about Edith. Mrs.

Last Rounds.

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Los ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 16—Kid thour contracts and informing their present eight hour contracts and informing their 1700 union men they will be asked to join the Typothete in the struggle against the eight hour contracts and informing their 1700 union men they will be asked to join the Typothete in the struggle against the eight hour contracts and informing their 1700 union men they will be asked to join the Typothete in the struggle against the eight hour contracts and informing their 1700 union men they will be asked to join the Typothete in the struggle against the eight hour contracts and informing their 1700 union men they will be asked to join the Typothete in the struggle against the eight hour contracts and informing their 1700 union men they will be asked to join the Typothete in the struggle against the eight hour contracts and informing their 1700 union men they will be asked to join the Typothete in the struggle against the eight hour contracts and informing their 1700 union men they will be dish they will be asked to join the Typothete in the struggle against the eight hour contracts and informing their 1700 union men they will be dish they will again. 1. The International Typographical Union sent out circulars to the office of the printers in the fight for an eight hour contracts and informing their 1700 union FURS

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quested witness to give a toilet set and guested witness, who told her to keep quiet and she would get better.

On the Wednesday following the operation Miss Clark said she was sure she was not going to get better, and did not want to see any of her friends. Miss Clark's uncle arrived from the country on the Sunday before she died, and saw the patient. Witness then told

country on the Sunday before she died, and saw the patient. Witness then told of the deceased asking her not to allow her body to be buried in the country. Cross-examined by Dr. Macrae, with

CAPTURE RIGA FROM REBELS.

Further JOB PRINTERS ARE ON STRIKE TODAY.

Establishments and About 20 Men Affected.

4 Similar Situation Which Exists in Chicago Threatens to Spread-Other Trades

To Dr. Macrae—Witness said that no charge of manalaughter, formation and compute and by the authorities as follows:

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hour day schedule.

Another kick that the employers make is based on their assertion that the union do not insist upon any such terms in any other city in the Maritime Provinces and that printing establishments here run on an eight hour basis could not compete with their rivals in the other towns, CHICAGO, Dec. 16—Action was taken yesterday both by the Chicago Typothetae and the International Typographical Union looking toward an extension after January 1 of the printers are stopped.

Another kick that the employers torpedo boats besides troops. He declared it was imperative that strong reinforcements be sent immediately.

"They can be sent by steamer, communication by land is interrupted. Couriers are stopped.

"According to unofficial reports Anarchy at Riga continues. The troops are powerless or unwilling to attack the rebels."

NEW YORK, Dec. 16—The special correspondent in Russia of the American cables from St. Petersburg under date sion after January 1 of the printers

Shareholders Almost Unanimously Favor Increase to \$1,000,000—No Radical

en, the additional capital is a neces- gold.

told her Edith was a very sick girl. She told Camp on Tuesday night about the operation.

Dr. G. A. B. Addy described the postmortem examination on Miss Clark's mortem examination on Miss Clark's remains. He considered death due to blood poisoning. Ergot was used for hemorrhages.

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Scenes of Horror There Beyond Description---Daily Battles---Workmen Defy Declare It Bankrupt.

sion after January 1 of the printers strike which has been in progress since September. At a meeting of the Chicago Typothetae a conference of the 700 independent employing printers was called for today when the Independent of Independe

"Every day there were terrible fights between the rebels and the few loyal troops left us, and almost every hour I heard the whirr of machine guns." "Are the authorities powerless?" I

A large number of shareholders were present and the feeling expressed was almost unanimous in expressed was and of these 3,400 were for the increase.

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when seen after the meeting said that the increase in stock did not mean any radical departure from present business methods and in fact there is no present intention of increasing the number of branches. The bank's business has so rapidly increased that, said Mr.. Kessen, the additional capital is a necestary until navigation opens in the spring.

The Empire Dramatic Club will hold a special rehearsal on Monday night at 7.45 (sharp), in the Mission church school room. The manifesto is a terrible indictment

half-past one.

Mrs. N. E. Webster's many friends are very glad to see that she is recovering from a serious illness of several Harvey's Tonight

For Bargains.

The Great Alteration Sale opened this ning.

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The Great Alteration Sale opened this Selected to the Star of the form the said she wished that her mother had not been buried in the country. On the inght that Camp brought the medicine witness, at the request of deceased, told Camp Edith would not be out that night. Witness never told Doctor Roberts about the conversation at the time of her illness. On the Monday night after the operation witness told Camp that the doctors told her Edith was a very slock girl. News was received today of the death of George Pile, formerly of the country's meeting lasted until half-past one.

This morning's meeting lasted until half-past one.

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WIGTORIA BRIDGE.

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a practical toy,

Approximate the first of the city and county of St. John, and that the said Howard Camp was a party to such unlawful act.

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the rebels."

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The special correspondent in Russia of the American cables from St. Petersburg under date of Dec. 15:

per money.

Under the provisions of the press law the editor of every paper which printed the manifesto has rendered himself liable to eight months impriscouncil, seized at the time of his arrest arative- were documents which furnish eviseize and carry off Premier Witte.

ENFORCING LIQUOR LAW IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, Dec. 15.—Col. Charles H. Cole, jr., chairman of the Boston police commission, stated tonight that the liquor license of the Touraine issued in the name of John R. Coleman had been revoked formally. Tonight Chairman Cole stated that

"Are the authorities powerless?" I asked.

"Nearly so, I fear," answered Mme. Lepeshoff. "Governor Svegintseff despatched an urgent message to St. Petersburg for additional troops, but the ersburg for additional troops, but the lepshoff. Touraine's license was not in any way brought about by the action of John B. Moran, the newly elected district attorney.

Another action of the police commission today was an order issued to druggists throughout the city, notifying the harbor would be burned should any attempt be made to use one yesel to ling the liquor laws, in maintaining.

dence.

On that Thursday before the doctor came in Edith said: "Don't you worry, it is time. When yitness was putting on her rings she said. "What will you he will be happy. There is no other article of foot covering they so the will be happy. There is no other article of foot covering they so the said. "Based of the will be happy. There is no other article of foot covering they so the said. "Based of the will was less successful in land body but was less successful in land an effective block for Hanlon's blows and seffective block for Hanlon's blows and dow the my rings when I die?" Without a mark. The eighth, ninth and eleventh rounds were the best, Hanlon appearance of the Bank of New Brunswick was held this morning and by a big majority it was decided to increase the revolutionists. The lighth, ninth and eleventh rounds were the best, Hanlon appearance of the bank to \$1,000,000.

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The Straits of Northumberland are so

hands of the directors but the directors stated at the meeting that it was their probable intention to issue \$250,000 stock at 265 at once.

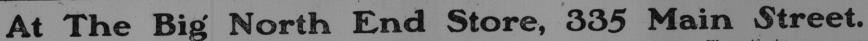
Mr. Kessen, the general manager, when seen after the meeting said that the increase in stock did not meet an anager.

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The manner is a terrible induction.

PILE—Died at Galt Hospital, Lethbridge, Alberta, of typhoid fever on

ST. JOHN STAR, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1905.



You can make your friends happy at little cost to yourself, if you choose your remembrances from our stock. We can't give you a complete list of the things we have, and we would not if we could, because we want you to call, as our stock is much presser than any description we can give you of.

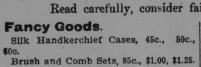


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decision was necessary. Anyway the choice was a poor one. If he surrendered he would be searched, and with that damning cargo of rifles and machine guns and ammunition under his hatches, it was not at all improbable that his captors might string him upout of hand. They would have right on their side for doing so.

The insurrectionists were not "recognized belligerents"; he would stand as a filibuster confessed; and as such would be due to suffer under that rough and ready martial law, which cannot

and ready martial law, which cannot spare time to feed and jail prisoners.

On the other hand, if he refused to heave to the result would be equally simple; the warship would sink him with her guns inside a dozen minutes; and, reckless daredevil though he might be, Kettle knew quite well there was no chance of avoiding this.

chance of avoiding this.

With another crew, he might have been tempted to lay his old steamer alongside the other and try to carry her by boarding and sheer hand to hand fighting; but, excepting for those on watch in the stokehold, his present set of men were all below packing their belongings into portable shape, and he knew quite well that nothing would please them better than to see him discomfited. Carnforth was neutral; he had only his three mates and the engineer officers to depend upon in all the available world; and he recognized, be-

available world; and he recognized, between deep drafts at his cigar, that he was in a very tight place.

Still the dark shore ashead remained unbeaconed, and the Spaniard was pacing up astern, lit for battle, with her crew at quarters, and guns run out loaded. She leapt nearer by fathoms to the second, till Kettle could hear the panting of her engines as she chased him down. His teeth shewed on the cigar butt, and dark rings grew under his eyes. He could have raged aloud at his impotence.

The war steamer ranged up alongside,, slowed to some 40 revolutions so as to keep her place, and an officer on the top of the charthouse halled in

Spanish.

"Gunboat ahoy," Kettle bawled back;

"you must speak English or I can't be eivil to you."
"What ship is that?"
"Sultan of Borneo, Kettle, master.

bay on parallel courses.

and I'll blow you out of water."

On the Sultan of Borneo's upper bridge Carnforth swore. "Eh-ho, skipper," he said, "the game's up, and there's no way out of it. Yeu won't be a fool, will you, and sacrifice the ship and the whole lot of us? Come, I say, man, ring off your engines, or that fellow will shoot, and we shall all be guaranteed to the fishing interests of lower Lutz street, owned and occupied by Samuel Gaudet, was totally destroyed by fire this afternoon. The fire originated from a defective flue and had been twice on fire previously from the same cause within the last few weks. The loss is nearly a theursand dollars. Insurance six hundred.

"That gunbeat will cut you of in a triangle burning like Blewick duraces among the trees. They're quarter of an hour if you keep on this area of an hour if you keep on the a triangle burning like Blewick duraces among the trees. They're was no more to be leared at the control of the area of the area of the area of the properties and the control of the area of the



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wince is promised.

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"We pledge ourselves, if returned to power, in one year thereafter, to cause across to the spokesman on the charthouse roof.

To his surprise they seemed to give weight to it. There was a short construction of the sale of intoxicating liquors within the province, and if a weight to it. There was a short construction of the sale of intoxicating liquors within the province, and if a weight to it. There was a short construction of the sale of intoxicating liquors within the province, and if a weight to it. There was a short construction of the sale of intoxicating liquors within the province, and if a weight to it. There was a short construction of the sale of intoxicating liquors within the province, and if a weight to it. veight to it. There was a short conliquors within the province, and if a
majority of the vote cast upon said ong over the smooth black waters of bay on parallel courses. the bay on parallel courses.

"Have you got dysentery bad board?" came the next question.

Once more Carnforth prompted, and Once more Carnforth prompted, and fisheries.

"Have you got dysentery bad the legislature after such vote is taken."

Planks are devoted to mining and the sidence at Sussex Corner, aged 62

below. I've hardly a man to stand by me."

There was more consultation among the gunboat's officers, and then came the fatal inquiry: "What's your cargo, captain?"

"O, coals," said Kettle resignedly.

"What? You're bringing Tyne coal to the Havana?"

"Just coals," said Capt. Ketle with a bitter laugh.

The tone of the Spaniard changed.

"Heave to at once," he ordered, "whilst"

"Interewas miners by reason of the occupation with his brother Harry and later carried on blacksmith work with his brother Harry and later carried on fruit raising near Sussex Corner. Deceased married Miss Stockton, daughter of the late W. A. Stockton. There were no children. Funeral on Sunday at 2.30 at his home. Interment at Sussex Corner, Rev. J. B. Gough officiating. The funeral will be in charge of the Masonic order. "Heave to at once," he ordered, "whilst is send a boat to search you. Refuse, miners and other workmen as to the payment of their wages. Adequate support and assistance is

SCHR. BASUTOLAND

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 15.-The

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 15.—The Bridgeport line steamer City of Lawrence, from New York to this port, collided with the schooner Basutoland, Capt. Ruper, bound from Chatham, N. B., to New York with a cargo of laths, tonight about 8 o'clock, off South Norwative convention will be published tomorrow morning. It condemns the partisan administration of justice by the party now in power and pledges the conservative party to a different policy and the enactment of effective laws to safeguard the franchise and secure the independence of parliament.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 15.—The Bridgeport line steamer City of Lawrence City of Lawrence and Spaniard. They were streaked with wounds, thin as skeletons, and clad more with nakedness than with rags; and so wolfsh did they look that even kettle, callous little ruffan though he was, half regretted bringing arms for such a crew to wreak vengeance on their neighbors.

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But they gave him small time for sentiment of this brand. They clustered for such a fairs of the York County Loan Company.

Locally, shareholders are becoming more anxious, and legal aid has been sought by many. One lawyer told the Spaniard. They were streaked with wounds, thin as skeletons, and clad wonds that even kettle, callous little ruffan though he was, half regretted bringing arms for such a crew to wreak vengeance on their neighbors.

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"What ship is that?"
"Sultan of Borneo, Kettle, master.

Out of Shields."
"Where for?"
"The Havana."
Promptly the query came back:
"Then what are you doin' in here?"
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tettle repeated his words: "Look at y decks," said he. "All my crew are slow. I've hardly a man to stand by a follows:

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FIRE AT MONCTON.

MONCTON, Dec. 15.-The house on guaranteed to the fishing interests of lower Lutz street, owned and occu-

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ST. JOHN HOLDERS IN YORK LOAN GO.

Have Begun to Seek Legal They were men of every tint, from the gray-black of the pure negro to the sallow lemon tint of the blue-blooded

were thrown to them.

lawyers have also been called upon. In some cases the stockholders were advised to get together, consider the matter among themselves, and decide what action they would take in view of the proposed sale of the company's assets.

Warship of their hated enemies; and they prayed him (in their florid compliment) to stay on the island and rule over them as king.

But the little sailor took them literally. "What's this?" he said: "you want me to be your blooming king?"

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gazetted a director of the City Realty Improvement Company, to which much of the York County Loan property was transferred, says he has not any knowledge of the Realty Company ever ledge of the Realty Company ever out here, so be careful in carrying out here, so be careful in carrying Effective Nov. 1st to having a meeting or doing any business, and he says he believes the transfer was made to cover up the York

Company's mortgages.

Carnforth listened with staring eyes.
What sort of broif was this truculent little scamp going to mix in next? He knew enough of Spanish character to understand clearly, that the Loan Company's mortgages. To do. Its just a sandy Watch for boys, steeng and wall made, with highly polluled made, with highly polluled mode, with highly polluled mode in postible to break. We beylled French crystal, amost impostible to break. We only ask you to sail \$1.50 work of duy eathy Cantic Casts to get this barry Watch from Write to-day sure. This GEM MOYLITY CO.

murdered uselessly. I 'tell you, the game's up."

"By James!" said Kettle, "is it? Look there"—and he pointed with outstretched arm to the hills on the shore ahead. "Three fires!" he cried. "Two above one in a triangle, burning like Elswick furnaces among the trees. They're

commanding the gunboat did not see stem crashed into the gunboat's unprotected side just abaft the sponson of her starboard quarter gun.

The steamers thrilled like kicked bistered about the boats with frenzied heater and a noise went up into one in a triangle, burning like Elswick furnaces among the trees. They're

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spare her, and she's not exactly built for a ram."

"I suppose it's a case of putting her on the beach?"

"There's nothing else for it," said Kettle with a sigh, "I should like to have carried those blessed coals into Havana if it could have been done, just to show people ours was a bona fire contract, as Mr. Gedge said, in spite of its fishy look, But this old steamboat has done her whack, and that's the square truth. It will take her all she can manage to reach shore with dry decks. Look, she's in now nearly to her forecastle head. Lucky the shore's not steep-to here, or else—"

From beneath there came a bump and a rattle, and the steamer for a moment halted in her progress, and a white crested wave surged past her rusty flanks. Then she lifted again and swooped further in, with her propeller still squattering astern; and then once the thundered down again into

swooped further in, with her propeller still squattering astern; and then once more she thundered down again into the sand; and so lifting and striking made her way in through the surf.

More than one of the hands was swept from her decks, and reached the shore by swimming; but as the ebb made, the hungry seas left her stranded dry under the morning's light, and a crowd of insurrectionists waded out and climbed on board by ropes, which were thrown to them.

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The application of Scott & Scott for a winding up order in the York County Loan case was adjourned this morning until Tuesday.

Information has been obtained to the effect that the York Loan has \$200,000 invested in the Southern Light and Power Company, whose works would now scarcely produce the cost of coal required, and \$100,000 for completion.

R. H. Sanderson of Toronto, who was gazetted a director of the City Realty



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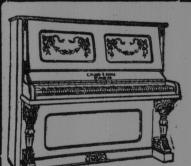
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about the contract; only it doesn't look natural. And it's my belief the coal will trip us up somewhere before we've

The Guns for Cuba

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"Haven't I? Which will you take, green chartreuse or yellow?"
"And Mr. Gedge? Can you tell me, sir, how he stands over this business?"
"O, you bet, Gedge knows when to come in out of the wet. He's got the old Sultan underwritten by the insurance and by the Cuban agents up to double her value, and nothing would suit his books better than for a Spanish cruiser to drop upon you."

Capt. Kettle got up, reached for his cap and swung it aggressively on to

"O, look here, captain," said Carn-forth, "don't get your back up."
"I'll not trade with you," replied

"I know it," said the sailor grimly.
"I've known it all my life. If I'd not been that I'd not have found myself in been that I'd not have found myself in

it's dealt out to the patriot troops. tongue like you have got."

Gad, I'd like to be somewhere on hand "I am poisonous when I spread my
"What are you going o watch you do it." self," said Kettle.
"I don't object to an audience," said "I wish I was clear of you," said "Eclored"

sallor with glib contempt. "You're not "Some people never do know when the sort that cares to risk his skin and they're well off," said Kettle. "Well,

ough to make Carnforth feel physical nausea. He had not reckoned on this complication. He was quite prepared to risk capture in Cuban waters, where the cargo. Help yourself to a cigarette."

"Then it seems to me," said Kettle, acidly, "that you'll look at me just as a hare set on to run for your amusement?"

The yacht owner laughed. "You put it brutally," he said, "but that's about the size of it. And if you want further truths, here's one; I shouldn't particularly mind if you were caught."

"Because, my dear skipper, if the sight of the suspense was vivid enough to make Carnforth feel physical nausea. He had not reckoned on this complication. He was quite prepared to risk capture in Cuban waters, where the glamor of distance and the dazzle of helping insurrectionists would cast a glow of romance over whatever occurred. But to be caught in the English channel as a vulgar smuggler for the sake of commercial profit, and to be haled back for hard labor in an English channel as a vulgar smuggler for the sake of commercial profit, and to be haled back for hard labor in an English channel as a vulgar smuggler for the sake of commercial profit, and to be haled back for hard labor in an English channel as a vulgar smuggler for the sake of commercial profit, and to be haled back for hard labor in an English channel as a vulgar smuggler for the sake of commercial profit, and to be haled back for hard labor in an English channel as a vulgar smuggler for the sake of commercial profit, and to be haled back for hard labor in an English channel as a vulgar smuggler for the sake of commercial profit, and to be haled back for hard labor in an English channel as a vulgar smuggler for the sake of commercial profit, and to be haled back for hard labor in an English channel as a vulgar smuggler for the sake of commercial profit, and to be haled back for hard labor in an English channel as a vulgar smuggler for the sake of commercial profit, and to be haled back for hard labor in an English channel as a vulgar smuggler for the sake

larly mind if you were caught."

"How's that?"

"Because, my dear skipper, if the Spanish captured this consignment, the patriots would want another, and I should get the order. Whereas, if you land the stuff safely, it will see them through to the end of the war, and my chance of making further profit will be at an end."

"You have a very clear way of puting it," said Capt. Kettle.

"Haven't I? Which will you take, green chartreuse or yellow?"

"Inceties.

But Capt. Kettle took the situation differently. The sight of the torpedo catcher stiffened all the doubt and limpness out of his complsition, his eye brightened and his lips grew stiff; the scheming to escape acted on him like a to say you like my poetry, and because I've come to see, sir, you're a gentle-man."

They came to this arrangement on the morning of the day they opened out the secluded bay in the southern Cuban shore where the contraband of war was to be run. Kettle calculated his whereabouts with niceness, and, after the midday observation, lay the steamer to for a couple of hours, and

ish cruiser to drop upon you."
Capt. Kettle got up, reached for his cap and swnng it aggressively on to one side of his head.

"Very well," he said, "that's your side of the question. Now hear mine. That cargo's going through, and those rebels or patriots, or whatever they are, shall have their guns if half the Spanish navy was there to try and stop me. You and Mr. Gedge have started about this business the wrong way. Treat me on the square and I'm a man a child might handle, but I'd not be driven by the Queen or England, no, not with the Emperor of Germany to help her."

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The cold the malcontents he was glad of the upper bridge with the was glad of the malcontents he was glad of the opportunity to give them his views on matters generally. He informed them generally that for their personal wishes he cared not one dectral of a jot. He stated plainly that he had got them on board, and intended by their help to carry out his owner's instructions wether they hated them or not. And finally he gave them his cand three red lanterns in a triangle at his foremast head. He was feeling pleasantly surprised with the easiness of it all.

But when the steamer had got well into the bight of the bay, and all the glasses on the bridge were peering at the shore in white rall of the upper ther preamble.

home to all hands at once, because beneg a British ship, the Sultan of Borneo's crew naturally spoke in five diffrom a glowing centre away between ferent languages, and few of them had the heads of the bay, and they watchsuch shady company as there is here now."

"Look here, you ruffian, if you insult me I'll kick you out of this cabin and over the side into your own boat."

"All right," said Kettle "start in."

Carnforth half rose from his seat and measured Capt. Kettle with his eye. Apparently the scrutiny impressed him, for he sank back to his seat again with an embarrassed laugh. "You are an ugly little devil," he said. "T'm all that," said Kettle.

"And I'm not going to play at rough and tumble with you here. We've neither of us anything to gain by it, and I've a lot to lose, I believe you'll run that cargo through now that you're put on your mettle, but I guess there'll be trouble for somehody hefore.

Tace as he talked, and the red torped beard which wagged beneath it, conveyed to them the tone of his speech, and for a time they did not require a more accurate translation. They had more accurate translation. They had more accurate translation of forcing him (if necessary with violence) to run the steamer there and then into an English port; they went forward again like a pack of sheep, merely because one man had let them hear they did not require a more accurate translation. They had more accurate translation. They had more accurate translation of forcing him (if necessary with violence) to run the steamer and lit her, and the ring of water on which she swam, like a ship in a lantern picture.

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you're put on your mettle, but I guess ted. "I'm a bit of a speaker myself, the other blockguards ashore have apthere'll be trouble for somebody before but I never heard a man with a gift of parently forgotten all about us. There

parently forgotten all about us. There "What are you going to do?" asked

Kettle.

"By Jove, I've half a mind to come "Whatever possessed me to leave the with you."

"You'd better not," said the little thing."

"I wish I was clear of you," said the little thing."

"Follow out Mr. Gedge's instructions, ir, and put this cargo on the beach. Whether the old Sultan goes there too, remains to be seen.

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Bay of Islands soon will be frozen over and the Latouna by leaving now will escape spending the winter there.

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The curiers expect to throw their first stones at their rink tomorrow afternoon, and the manager of the Arctic rink says that the doors of that building will be opened for skaters tomor-

Dr. McLeod of this city, was married at Cape Town, South Africa, yesterday to Maurice White, one of the leading educational officials of the Transvaal. The ceremony took place at St.

King" with it. Whatever kind of Ozone you buy you will need to use "Celery King," which is a companion rem-

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The latter subsequently saw Parent, but he refused to come to terms with the senator, remarking at the time to Sir Wilfrid: "Either Choquette is right or wrong. If he is right, let him proceed, and if he is wrong, let him apologize. I don't want his money, but I insist on my reputation."

Sir Wilfrid saw Parent again in November last, but he still insisted upon an apology. In reply to Taschereau,

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Sir Wilfrid said he was not aware liberal members of this province were opposed to the nomination of Parent as chairman of the commission. He knew Senator Choquette was not enthusiastic about the appointment and the same John, N. B. could be said of one of the liberal

his plea of reconciliation.

C. S. MCKENZIE OF Boston, Mass., says: "I have been a sufferer from Dyspepsia four or five years. Less than one large bottle of tana, from Chatham, NB. ow.

Miss Ida McLeod, daughter of Rev.

or. McLeod of this city, was married or as widely known as it deserves."

day to Maurice White, one of the leading educational officials of the Transval. The ceremeny took place at St. John's church, and was performed by Rev. Dr. Nuttal Smith. The bride has numerous friends in this city who will wish her every happiness in her new relations.

The condition of Queen street here is most disgraceful, and citizens express themselves in the most indignant terms at the slippery condition of the sidewalk. As the Christmas trade has set in the condition of the chief business street of the town should certainly be better looked after. The council seem to think it all right to spend something like one hundred thousand dollars for sewerage, but when it comes to a small expenditure of fifty cents or a dollar to spread sand along the sidewalk their economy is ineed wonderful.

The city council will meet in special session next Thursday evening to open the tenders for the sewerage contract. From all appearances there will be quite a number of tenders put in. Besides those of Mooney, Maxwell and Wilson of St. John, it is said that Williard Kitchen will submit a tender.

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He was a nephew of Dr. William MacKay, aveterant Presbyterian minister of New Bruns-will and the presbyterian minister of New Bruns-will and the presbyterian mission and Halifax; North Star, from Port Greating and Ha

SUSSEX NEWS.

SUSSEX, Dec. 15 .- The Literary Club held its last meeting for this year at OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—Members of the Canadian section of the international waterways commission had a lengthy conference with the minister of public works today on the subject of the policy of the government respecting the preservation of Niagara Falis as one of the world's natural wonders. The respective rights of the dominion and the province of Ontario are involved.

Held its last meeting for this year at the head of Certrude Sherwood. Cld, strs Philadelphia, for Southampton; Carmania, for Liverpool. Cld, strs Philadelphia, for Southampton; Carmania, for Liverpool. Cld, strs Philadelphia, for Southampton; Carmania, for Liverpool. Sld, str Bovic, for Liverpool. Sld, str Bovic, for Liverpool. The Sussex Golf Club met tonight to consider the government's offer of the military grounds and to make preparations for the spring.

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of the tariff reformers the figures given in the recently issued annual report of the local government board of plebiscite were an entertaining game and everyise like ping-pong. pauperism which marked the close of 1904 are of especial interest. In December a year ago, according to the remeans prohibition for the province.

But the Nova Scotia conservatives have taken a serious responsibility. They offer a plebiscite in which an affirmative majority of the votes cast means prohibition for the province. port, the number of paupers in England and Wales was 828,091 an increase of no fewer than 83,433 as compared with the same month in 1903, On January 1, of 1905 the number of those re-

in a few unions only. Thus the increase in West Ham amounted to 121.8 per cent, but in the remainder of Essex to only 9.1 per cent.

In London on January first one in every 31 of the population was in receipt of relief; in England and Wales one in 36. The proportion of paupers to population in London—29.8 per 1,000— was higher than in any of the preceding 24 years. For England and Wales, however, the proportion—27.6 per 1,000

Then Father puts his mittens on and rubbers on and rubbers on and says mittens on and rubbers on and his hat,

And says some more of awful words, till Ma says, "Don't say that!"

And says, "Be in the sanother whose love sleeps in the sea or beneath the dasies, and because she has not met her ideal, and would scorn to put in his place an idol of clay, she has been true to that memory through the long years.

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RUSSIA'S FINANCES LOW. The Russian Government is unable to epay to a syndicate of German capi-SPECIALS-Vice Roy, a dainty half cent, interest have fallen still further cabinet, oval or square, \$1.00 per dozen; and are now selling at 65. These two pany with \$100,000 capital is being organized.

and are now selling at 65. These two pany with \$100,000 capital is being organized.

The inventions are about six in num-MRS. HERBERT D. EVERETT an- dence in the solvency of the nation is nounces her annual sale of paintings, vanishing with alarming rapidity. needle work and other novelties at her With its foreign credit exhausted the home, 27 Brussels street, commencing MONDAY, Dec. 4th, continuing till defeat and resign or force loans from domestic sources. The latter prospect will not be relished by the Orthodox Greek Church upon whose revenues the first tax will unabtedly be levied.

Trans.

UNION IS STRENGTH. While the 'longshoremen have certainly the right to refuse to work for

KWONC LONG, 8 Portland Street.

Goods called for and delivered.. Buttons sewed on free.

1 shirt laundried 8c. 2 collars launliried 3c.

Into only apparent that they can get all the inquest today was a negro woman who was arrested some time ago on a petty case which involved Hamilton, and told the police the negro had confessed to her that he had murdered the arred editor. all the ill-feeling, strife, and destruction aged editor.

> A boycott of the Allans alone, it is evident, will for the present at least, ininduced peacably to grant it-would be Tiger Tea is pure. a general strike if there were any chance of success. But if the last effort failed when conditions were much Tiger Tea is clean, more favorable than now the prospects of winning now—as the saner officials
>
> Tiger Tea is in packets. of the organization admit-are slim ence of the dual union system, and have reasonito know how unsatisfactory it was. If the two organizations had Sold in 1lb. and 1-2 lb, pkts. not found a way to unite their strength the shiplaborers would certainly not be so well off as they are today. Nothing would please the shipping combin more than to see their forces divided again, and in no way can the 'long- Deaths must be endorsed with the

NOVA SCOTIA CONSERVATIVES

AND PROHIBITION. It will be observed that the prohibition plebiscite proposed by the Nova Scotia conservatives is not a mere academic plebiscite. The party pledges itself, so far as the convention has power to do it, that the plebiscite will CRAWFORD-At the residence of R. be held within a year after the change Addison's Hardware Store, of government, and that if a majority of the vote east is in favor of prohibi-Isaac Crawford of Springfield.

This is a definite statement which no one can fail to understand. The liberal government at Ottawa, and most plebiscite was over, and the votes showed a majority for prohibition, Sir Wilfrid was able to say that he had not promised to carry out the request of the majority. His friends then dis-POVERTY IN GREAT BRITAIN.

In connection with the coming British elections and the prominent place the problem of the unemployed will undoubtedly assume in the campaign of the tariff reformers the figures given in the recently issued annual resistion. They acted as if a selection of the recently issued annual resistion in any county. Provincial plebishing that there are so many bachelor maids. Few indeed are there among them who have not declined to be more than a "sister" to more than one ardent wooer; and had they held themselves more cheaply and been less true and exercise, like ping-pong.

But the Nova Scotia conservatives

Statement look about you, and you will means prohibition for the province.

> FATHER CLEANS THE WALKS. When father has to shovel snow he

uary 1, of 1905 the number of those re-lieved had actually risen to 932,267. He says, "Well, goodness gracious While the increase was fairly general where's that shovel, anyhow?" lieved had actually risen to 932,267.

While the increase was fairly general a heavy rise in some of the counties—notably Essex—was due mainly to the counties—on the counties

But Pa he stands there lookin', right out there on the stoop.

"Come in; you'll get the croup!"
Then Pa he swears some dreadful words and says, "I wish you'd

I ain't a-goin' to catch my death a-shovellin' this snow!" -New York World. **NEW BRUNSWICK INVENTOR**

George Bryar, the Bathurst inventor, has, during the past ten years, worked out a number of inventions which now look as if they were to be made finan-cially successful. Inventor Bryar has resided in St. John for some years and has been greatly handicapped in his work by only having one arm. Dr. J. M. Smith, of the North End, has taken a great interest in Mr. Brypromoting and patenting the inventions, and has recently arrived from

BACKED BY CAPITALISTS

been paid in promoting a company and patenting the inventions, and a comber. There is a machine for boring square holes in iron, which has bored

Boston with the result that \$25,000 had

a square hole through inch iron in half Another is a set screw, operated by hand better than by wrench.

Then there is an oil can which per ery. Others are quick acting wrench a cutter for ploughing out iron bars, a key-way cutter, a lock nut, in which washers are dispensed with; a process in plumbing without the use of solder,

dence shop.

NEGRO MURDERED EDITOR.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15 .- A coroner's jury today inquired into the death of J. H. Bompson, an editor on the New York Times, who was found dead in his room at the St. James hotel, in this city, September last, and returned a verdict that Mr. Bompson had been murdered by R. H. Hamilton, a negro, like the violation of an agreement will who was an elevator operator at the not worry that company much—it is hotel, and who committed suicide some not only apparent that they can get all weeks ago. The principal witness at

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ting such a division if it is possible to sending same.

DELANEY-In this city, on the 15th inst., Mary, widow of Patrick Delaney, leaving one daughter to mourn her loss. Funeral on Sunday at 2.30 from her Erin streets. Friends are invited to E. Lyon, Grey's Mills, Kings Co., on Dec. 10th, Mary Ann, aged 92 years and 10 months, relict of the late

SATURDAY SERMONETTE

OLD MAIDS. TFLEPHONES:—

BUSINESS OFFICE, 25.

EDITORIAL and NEWS DEPT., 1127.

With no authoritative statement of what would follow. When the federal what would follow. When the federal what would follow. When the federal so many thoughtless, heartless jibes or many thoughtless, heartless jibes and the votes. and coarse jokes have been flung at unmarried women that I do not wonder driven into the doubtful haven of mat-

with tempers so vinegary and naggy that your spinster will seem a saint be-

side them.

If the unwritten histories of these single women could be written, and read, what revelations of heroism would be made known.

exceptional amount of relief granted in a few unions only. Thus the increase in a few unions only in a few unions on a few unions of a few

a rippling brook.

I think if we only knew the trage dies that are hidden away in many these, seemingly commonplace lives, we would have a greater regard for the women who had too much brain or Till Ma goes out and says to him,

heart to marry any man just to prove to the world that they need not remain n single blessedness from necessity.

My sex precludes me from ever be ing an old maid, but I would rather be a half dozen (if I could) than marry the average man. Marriage has trou-bles enough, with love and respect and esteem—but with these wanting it is hell rather than heaven.

THADDEUS. Rich and Rare were the Gems she wore. Who Wants a Diamond Ring?

Who? Don't all speak at once for the supply a stock and am anxious to sell at prices Lamps, Rubber Articles, Gramaranging from \$10.00 to \$150. All choice phones, Phonographs, Clarionets and Finest GEMS of Antwerp and Amsterdam cut and mounted in the very as, Pipes and all small articles. Jewelbest styles and all warranted as, re-

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WHITE SWISS EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS, 10c. each up. WHITE LAWN HANDKERCHIEFS, Lace Edge, 6c. to 15c. each.
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195 Union Street,

the day.

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ing to the Increased Patronage which Advertisers are giving to the Star, we are compelled to request those who require changes in their Advertisements to have their Copy in the Star Office Before 9 a month or two at his former home in Scotland. o'elock in the Morning, to insure insertion

LOCAL NEWS

Waterproof shine, 10c. Makes boots absolutely waterproof. John de Angelus, 169 Union street and 4 Water street. The right lens wrongly placed in frame may injure an eye as much as the wrong lens rightly placed. D. Boyaner repairs all kind of spectacles and eyegiasses. Call at 651 Main St.. The Telegraph yesterday contained an excellent report of a lecture which W. L. Archibald, parole commissioner, might have delivered in St. Andrew's schoolroom. It was taken from the printed manuscript of a lecture which Mr. Archibald sometimes reads, but unfortunately the light in the hall was not suitable for reading. Mr. Archibald delivered a different address, without notes, which was reported in yesterday's Sun.

Contractor Clark is getting along the city and fredericton for Christmas.

Septiming the winter with her cousin, Mrs. W. Wells.

W. J. Durick, who has been spending a few days in the city, returned last evening. Col. H. H. McLean went to Frederic ton last evening.

F. Peters left for Montreal by C. P. R. last evening.

Miss Maybell Gould, of Chatham, has returned home after visits to friends in the city and Fredericton.

Miss Olive Stothart, of Chatham, is recovering from the attack of typhoid contracted while attending the U. N. B.

Mrs. J. S. Trites, of Moncton, is visiting friends in the city.

The Marchioness of Donegal has gone to Boston on a short visit but will return to Fredericton for Christmas.

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Contractor Clark is getting along very well with the preparatory work for the new wharf. Two cribs are under construction, one in Wiggins' slip and the other at the old fort, Carleton. One of these is built to a height of about ten feet and the other seven and a half feet. When they are eighteen feet high they will be towed around to their location. About twenty-two men are employed by Mr. Clark. Commissioner Archibald left last evening for Ottawa. Yesterday he was kept busy for a large part of the time hearing applications from people all over the province who had come to the Miss Hazel Tait, of Shediac, passed to Boston on a short visit but will return to Fredericton for Christmas.

Miss Elsie Jardine, who is studying at the Presbyterian Ladies' College is spending her Christmas vacation at her home in this city.

Miss Ena Maclaren arrived home yesterday from Halifax on her Christmas vacation.

The Misses Bertha and Marion Macaulay are home from Halifax on their Christmas vacation.

Joshua Clawson arrived home this morning on the Boston express.

James Pender returned home to-day from Boston.

Miss Hazel Tait, of Shediac, passed

hearing applications from people all over the province who had come to the city to see him. These were friends of prisoners now in the jails and penitoniative and sought to obtain fredom for these prisoners. About twenty such cases were brought to Mr. Archibald's notice and will be further investigated.

Francis Mahoney, the well known stevedore, died at his late residence, 24 Horsfield street, on Thursday morning, Dec. 14th, after a prolonged illness. Mr. and Mrs. Mahoney were married in 1851, and had two daughters, Robina, who died in 1870, and Gertrude, who died in

John Ames, T. Stewart, G. Jenkins, and Wm. Martyr, committee; C. White, inside tyler, The installing officer was R. Goodridge, district master, and F. Biderscombe and George Jenkins were deputy chiefs.

A meeting of the sub-committee of the treasury board was held yesterday afternoon to examine the list of insurance on city property with a view to reversinf and, if necessary, reducing the sohedule. A meeting of the board will be held next week and a report will be held next week and a report will be made. Ald. Bullock occupied the chair and Ald. Frink and Holder were present with the chamberlain and Director Wisely. It is understood the committee are in favor of effecting all the city's future insurance as it falls due under policies for three years, and it is hoped that a considerable saving will be the that a considerable saving will be the

that a considerable saving will be the result.

Interest has been already aroused in the civic elections. The common council of the new year is likely to be the same as this year. In the mayoralty contest there are said to be several aspirants. Ald. Bullock and Ald. Frink are mentioned as probable candidates, and another is William Shaw, formerly M. P. P., who is well versed in civil politics and has a large influence.

Rev. Mr. Foster, of St. Matthew's church will address the gospel temperance meeting in Union hall on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. There will be special music. Strangers are cordially invited.

ACETYLENE GAS PLANT

WRECKED; MAN KILLED

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HYANNIS, Mass., Dec. 15.—The Nickerson Acetylene Gas Campany's plant, which furnishes light for this town, was destroyed by an explosion which killed Osborne Crowell, who was in charge of the plant, and damaged a dozen or more buildings. Crowell entered the basement of the gas company's building, a wooden structure, to examine the gas tanks and see that everything was in order. It is supposed that Crowell's dantern ignited escaping gas. The explosion shook buildings half a mile distant and demolished windows and doors within 300 yards of the gas plant. Crawell's body was blown to pieces and little could be found except his clothing by which he could be identified. The accident extinguished practically all the lights in the town. The financial loss is estimated at \$10,000.

MARLBOROUGH LODGE.

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Marlborough Lodge, No. 207, Sons of England, have elected the following officers for 1906: B. W. Thorne, past president; T. W. Pyle, president; Thos. Bennett, vice-president; T. F. Fisher, chaplain; Chas. Ledford, secretary; R. P. Pearce, treasurer; G. A. B. Addy, physician; Geo. H. Lewis, 1st guide; F. T. Brieff, and guide: Beni. Gaskill. 3rd will explain. physician; Geo. H. Lewis, 1st guide; F.
J. Byfield, 2nd guide; Benj. Gaskill, 3rd
guide; L. H. Belyea, 4th guide; E. A.
Leonard, 5th guide; Wm. Roberts, 6th
guide; Geo. Maxwell, inside guard; W.
G. Stone, outside guard; H. Noakes,
organist. B. W. Thorne, Geo. Maxwell and A. Carloss, trustees; G. H.
Lewis, C. Calvert and Geo. Crowle, auditors; delegate to supreme lodge, C.
Ledford.

his advertisement on the second page
will explain.

BEST IN THE WORLD,

Just arrived for Christmas trade.
New improved Victor machines and classical records of best artists in the world. Call early and select your choice. JOHN FRODSHAM, Royal
Hetel.

PERSONALS.

Thomas Hetherington, ex-M. P. P. for Queens Co., arrived in the city yes-

Mrs. W. Wells.

Chief Justice Tuck on application of M. G. Teed, of the law firm of Hanington, Teed & Hanington, to put the J. W. Dumas Co., Ltd., of Grand Anse and Shippegan, Gloucester Co., in liquidation, made an order for the winding up of the company on the ground of insolvency.

Gideon lodge Thursday evening elected as Burley. W. M.; G. Marshall, D. of insolvency.
Gideon lodge Thursday evening elected a Burley, W. M.; G. Marshall, D. M.; Wm. Crabbe, chaplain; John Burley, recording secretary; W. C. Day, financial secretary; N. McNally, treasurer; J. Nash, director of ceremonies; John Ames, T. Stewart, G. Jenkins, and Wm. Martyr, committee; C. White, inside tyler, The installing officer was R. Goodridge, district master, and F. Biderscombe and George Jenkins were deputy chiefs.

Dossessions consequently who has war has broken out the reserve divisions will be mobilized, and the conditions that might occur with a naval combination operating against Great Britain will then be rehearsed simultaneously by the various divisions, the operations being part of one great war plan. A "skeleton" army of cruisers with admirals in command will be kept on the alert for weeks against the force Tact, ability and intuitive judgment of the various combination operating against Great Britain will then be rehearsed simultaneously by the various divisions, the operations being part of one great war plan. A "skeleton" army of cruisers with a demirals in command will be kept on the alert for weeks against the force Tact, ability and intuitive judgment of the various combination operating against Great Britain will then be rehearsed simultaneously by the various divisions, the operations being part of one great war plan. A "skeleton" army of cruisers with a demiral to the various combination operating against Great Britain will then be rehearsed simultaneously by the various divisions, the operations of the various combination operations against Great Britain will then be rehearsed simultaneously by the various divisions, the operations operating against Great Britain will then be rehearsed simultaneously by the various divisions, the operations operating against Great Britain will then be rehearsed simultaneously by the various divisions.

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—Hon, H. R. Emmerson says that he intends introducing and putting through his railway pension bill at the next session of parpension bill at the next session of par-liament. This will effect a large sav-ing and will aid in keeping the expen-diture for working expenses within the revenue. There are some 300 old em-ployes that can be placed on a pen-sion. It will not be necessary to sion. It will not be necessary to fill these positions, and when new appointments are made more effective work

WITH ADVERTISERS.

For Christmas gifts try O. H. Warwick Co., Ltd., King street, They have arranged their Christmas bargain counters with the choicest and largest assortment of china ever shown-at prices to suit all.

Don't fail to see their art room dis

Extraordinary Christmas Sale Silk Waists.

A special purchase—Every waist brand new. The best taffeta waists ever shown for the price.

The manufacturer confined this special to us, had to buy large quantity to secure the design—sizes 32 to 42. Silk waist sale price

\$2.58 each

Ladies' Handsome Furs at Gut Sale Prices---Very Worthy Christmas Presents.

It would never have been thought at the begining of this season that you could buy furs at such low cut prices.

But furs must be cleared out before Christmas Eve, prices are cut accordingly—Stoles—Muffs—Collars—Fancy Neck pieces—All reduced.

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Allow us to suggest to husbands and fathers that the money to buy a really pretty winter hat might be the gift most highly appreciated, especially so now, as \$3.00, 4.00 or 5.00 will buy handsome pattern hats which are really worth \$6, \$9 and \$12 respectively.

Emphasized Value in Ladies' Christmas Kid Gloves---Just Received-New, Fresh Goods, \$1

We would just like to have you reader, here that we might pour into your ear the merits of this new make of French kid gloves that came in yesterday for especially Christmas trade. It's the best yet. We don't believe these gloves are excelled anywhere this season,

New shades, new stitching, all sizes,

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the question, 'which is the best make of

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ments of manufacturers, since one and all believe they are right, and justified in saying so, claim their respective make the best.

except the one given as the best, would at once withdraw their advertising

"In view of the difficulties to a correct decision, this paper decided to make a thorough investigation, the result of which would be a decided answer as to which is the best. We fully realize the responsibility of making such a decision, since we are aware that our readers will accept it as final and worthy of fullest credence. For the benefit of our readers we wish to that the such faith our the part of state that such faith on the part of old readers is caused by their know-ledge of the invariable method pursued Let us help you by doing the heavy, hard part of the family washing by washing and ironing all the flat pieces such as towels, napkins, table covers, sheets, pillow cases, etc.

We can do this work better than you can, and at our price—50 pieces for 75c.—it's cheaper to let us do it.

Ask the man on our wason for particulars by the Reports by which we can con-scientiously give an independent and unbiased report on any article manu-factured. This method consists of extorial staff, without the knowledge any manufacturers interested, and fur-ther without making any charges, ac-cepting any gifts or soliciting any ad-vertisements from anyone whose wares

we may pass upon.

"As a result we are prepared to state that there is no make of planos on the market today equal to fhose manufactured by the Gerhard Heintzman, Ltd., of Toronto, Ont., Can. These pianos are made of the best material, are durable in use, perfect in construction and will give entire satisfaction

at all times."

THE W. H. JOHNSON CO., LTD.,

7 Market Square, St. John, N. B.

Sole agents for the Gerhard Heintzman Piano for Nova Scotia and New
Brunewick. Do not confuse with any
other Heintzman



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Remember the address.

H. GILBERT, 24 Mill St.

Bargain in Kindling Wood. The North End Fuel Company Prospect Point, will deliver kindlin and heavy wood at \$1.00 per load. Send post card or call at MacNAMARA BROS., 469 Chesley St.

Garson Coal Co.

Best American and Scotch Hard Coal. All kinds of Soft Coal. Prompt delivery. Best quality guaranteed. 'Phone 1603. 110 Water St.

Mrs. J. G. Armstrong

ART WORK at her home, 128 St. James street on Wednesday, Nov. 30th, con-tinuing until Christmas. Tel. 1483



Dressed Dolls, 10c. to \$3 Undressed Dolls, 1c. to \$6 Dolls Heads, Shoes and Stockings. Toys, 1c. to \$4.00, in Tin Toys, Iron Toys, Wood

Toys, Musical Toys, Mechanical Toys. Cups and Saucers, 5c. to \$1.00 each. Plates, Shaving Mugs, Vases, Statues, etc., 5c.

Picture Books, 1c. Games, 4c. to 80c. each; Tree Ornaments, 1c. up. We have a good assortment of Metal Novelties, also Glove and Handkerchief

Sets, Shaving Cases, Mirrors, Toilet All our Christmas goods come to us direct from the manufacturers and our customers get the benefit of the best values in town. Store open every evening until Christmas.

Arnold's Department Store, 11-15 Charlotte St.

Special From a journal called the "United States Trade Reports."

"We fully appreciate the difficulties the prospective buyer finds in obtaining a truthful and correct answer to

"Third, he cannot take his choice from reading matter and advertise-

"Fourth, he cannot expect to have this question answered by any journal devoted to the trade, for in so doing such journal would commit financial suicide, since all other manufacturers,



SLEIGH BELLS. Bells, consisting of Back, Body, Shaft and Team, also Musical Shaft Chimes which we offer at low prices:

> Fine Nickel Plated Back Bells, 45 cents Fine Nickel Plated Body Bells, \$1.20

> Fine Nickel Plated Shaft Bells, 40 cents upwards. Team Bells, all sizes, from 12 cents up-

> Headquarters for Fur Robes, Coats, Horse Clothing, and a general line of Horse Furnishings, Prices low, 9 and 11 Market Square

H. HORTON & SON Ltd. St John, N. B.

Christmas

During the Holiday Season, we will offer

Our Entire Stock of Christmas Goods

At Greatly Reduced Prices.

REMEMBER

All Goods will positively be sold at a Big Discount

BUSTIN @ WITHERS,

Let Us Help You With Your Washing

Globe Steam Laundry.

VAIL BROS., Proprietors,

'Phone 623.

Three Waggons at your Service,

99 Germain Street.

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AND SEE US!

What Shall I Give For Christmas?

We have many handsome, and attractive things, that Men and Women, admire and appreciate. FOR WOMEN.

FOR MEN. GOLD SEAL RINGS, CHAINS AND LOCKETS, FOBS AND SEALS, LINKS AND SCARFPINS, MATCH BOXES,

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THE BEST WATCHES IN THE MARKET FOR THE MONEY, PRICE \$1.75, GUARANTEED.

DIAMOND and PEARL BROOCHES DIAMOND RINGS, \$10.00 UP. NECKLETS, LOCKETS, COLLAR PINS, BRACELETS, SILVER NOVELTIES, LEATHER WRITING CASE, ETC. FOR GIRLS. GUNMETAL AND SILVER WATCH

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A Complete Line of Travellers' Samples of

Toys, Dolls and Fancy Goods AT HALF PRICE TONIGHT!

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MAH-PU Mineral Water

As a Table Water for Impaired Digestion, it has no

Mah-Pu Mineral Spring Co., Limited,

2nd Hand Show Cases.

1 Nickel Frame Show Case 7 ft. oval front, \$14.00. " " 10 ft. 20.00 1 Wood Frame, Square, 6 ft. with metal corners 14.00 1 Round Corner Case, wood Frame and metal corners 4 ft. long, 16 in. high x 27 wide

The Christie Wood Working Co. Ltd 269 City Road.

ST JOHN STAR SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1905,

ROUGHBREDS

By W. A. FRASER.

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respectfully; 'there's Alan Porter stand-in' down there in the crowd. I'll sind him up, sir, an' ye can ask him yer-

Munyon's Rheuma; tism Cure seldom fails to relieve pains in legs, arms, back, siff or swollen si in a few days; p, but drives it man's face; "arm' ye'll withdraw the self."

In Munyon's Rheuma; tism Cure seldom fails to relieve pains in legs, arms, back, siff or swollen si in a few days; p, but drives it man's face; "arm' ye'll withdraw the objection at once. If ye don't ye'll own the straight. The objection must have to do with that, he thought. "What th' 'ell's th' difference," he said in ferce, imprecating anger; "da-kid on Larcen didn't do no interferin', he jes come t'rough de openin' an' won—dey can't disqualify him."

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"De push's tryin" to steal de race; de favorite's beat, an' it's win, tie or wrangle wit' 'em. If dey take de race agoods, see? Our t'ou's up de spout.

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its mask of juvenile hilarity, and fur-rowed back into its normal condition of disgruntled bitterness. He had seen the slight mix-up when the Indian swerved in the straight. The objection

ST. JOHN TEACHERS knocker." as Langdon came down fro (To be continued.) OFF FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

EIGHTEEN NORMAL tion met in the I. O. F. Hall on Char-lotte street to tender a farewell to the STUDENIS PUT BACK Miss Minnie Fowlis. The Misses Bridges leave from Halifax on Monerreduction, Dec. 15.—The recent examination at the Normal School shows that eighteen of class one were South Africa to resume their work in set back to class two. Miss Grosvenor
Purdy of this city stands highest for
a position as teacher out west, and leaves shortly to take up her new po ronight is one of the coldest of the season, the thermometer at 11 o'clock tonight registering 6 below.

leaves shortly to take up her new position. W. J. S. Myles, president of the Teachers' Association, presided.

The following pleasing programme was rendered: Solo, Miss Edith Comben; reading, Thomas Stoddard; Solo,

In a walk—in a walk, 1 tell you!"

The buttom turn into the stretch Mike could see that White Moth and The Dutchman had closed up on the Indian, so that they swain around the order as one horse.

"Gad, she's shut oft!" he muttered with the Minks in its quivering face on the stand, in two seeds the province of the close up where raced she province of the province of the province of the close up where raced she province of the p

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cut; and into the opening he had left, flue scales. The weight was right one fluezanne.

A wild yell of Irish joy escaped Mike; then he waited. Now it would be a race; but Lauzanne was trying, trying all by himself, for the rider was as still as death. Already the elamor of many voices was splitting the air; all over the stand it was, "The favorite wins!" Even yet there was no beckoning call for Lauzanne; but Mike knew. He had said to Allish before she went out, "If ye ever get level wit' em in the straight, ye can win."

And now Lauzanne's yellow head was seyn with the others; and soon it was fa front. And then there were only two bettings—Lauzanne and The Dutchman; and on the Bay, Westley was riding with whip and spur.

def fingers, and passed quickly the scales. The weight was right. One after another the boys weighed.

Watching, Mike saw Langdon pass up to the Stewards. There was a short consultation, the hush of somethings wrong, and a nurmur of an objection. "What's the matter?" a voice question, "What's the matter?" a voice question in Mike's ear. It was Alan Porter that had spoken.

Mike pushed his way to the small sate, even through it, that led up to the Stewards' Stand. As he did so Langdon came back down the steps to the lawn. On the ground he stopped, his mind working at ever heat, changing its methods quickly.

"Let's wait till de kid's passed dequickly.

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Just call or write for two dozen sets of our beautiful

PICTURE POST CARDS to sell at 10c. a set. Four beautifully colored cards, (Xmas cards, views and comics) in every set. They are so beautiful and cheap and make such dainty Xmas Presents that you have only to show them to sell them.

Write at once for the cards so you'll

mas. Don't send a cent. Dept. 515. The Colonial Art Co., Toronto

Open Evenings
Until 10 o'clock.

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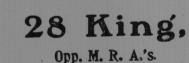
At 28 King Street

of Toys, Dolls, Games, China, Stationery, Pictures, Children's Picture Books, Framed Pictures, Soaps, Perfumes, &c.

See our great value in Dressed Dolls, at 15, 25. 35 and 50c.

Games at one half regular Price.

Remember the number.



PRINCETON WINS DEBATE.

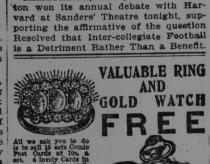
VICTORIAN ORDER OF NURSES.

H. D. McLeod, secretary-treasurer, St. John branch of Victorian Order of Nurses, begs to acknowledge receipt of the following subscriptions: Mrs. Jos. Finley, \$5.00; and donation of supplies from Vassie & Co. and A. Chipman Smith & Co., druggists.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 15—Princeton won its annual debate with Harvard at Sanders' Theatre tonight, supporting the affirmative of the question Resolved that Inter-collegiate Football is a Detriment Rather Than a Benefit. Smith & Co., druggists.

The work performed by the nurses, Miss Maxwell and Miss Muir, during the month of November was as follows: Number of new cases visited, 12; total number of cases visited, 20; number of cases to which more than one visit was made, 15; total number of visits made during the month, 193; average daily hours on duty of both nurses, 18 hours and a half.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S sig-



75c, \$1.49, 1.98 and 2.49

OPEN TONIGHT TILL II, EVERY EVENING NEXT WEEK TILL 10 O'CLOCK.

ST. JOHN, N. B., DEC. 16, 1905.

Boys' Sailor Suits,

Regular \$1 to \$3.75

The Great Alteration Sale we have been advertising for the past week opened this morning and if cut prices count—and they do---this will be the biggest thing, from a money saving standpoint, that has taken place in St. John for some time. All goods are marked plain. You can see the former price and the Sale price, see just what you are saving.

You'll Find the Prices from a Third to a Half Below the Usual Retail Prices.

A Few of the Articles That Are Reduced---Be on Hand Tonight Early.

Men's Overcoats. SALE PRICE		Youths' Overcoats. Size 32 to 35		Boys' Overcoats. Age 12 to 16 years		Boys Overcoats. Age 6 to 11.		Boys' D. B. Reefers Age 4 to 11 For		Men's Suits Regular \$5 to \$10.00.	
\$7.50 Overcoats,	5.40	\$4.50 Overcoats, \$6.50 Overcoats,		\$6 Overcoats,	\$4.49	\$6 Overcoats, \$4.50 Overcoats,	3.49	\$2.25 Reefs, 2.50 Reefs,	1.98	and 6.98	
\$12 Overcoats, \$10 Overcoats,	7.50	6.00 Overcoats,	5.25	\$5.50 Overcoats \$8 Overcoats,	\$5.49	Boys' Overcoats,	age 4 to 8	\$3.50 Reefs.	2.49	did 0.50	
\$15 Overcoats, \$13.50 Overcoats,	11.75	\$10.00 Overcoats, 9.50 Overcoats,	6.98	\$7 Overcoats,	\$3.47	\$3.85 Overcoats,	2.98	#3.50 Iteets,		SALE PRICE	

25c, 35c, 39c and 50c. Boys' Short Pants, Regular 45 to 75c. Our D. B, Reef \$2.98 3.98, 5.98 Regular, \$3.50 to \$8.00 SALE PRICE Boys' 3 Piece Suits, Regular \$3 to 5.50 98c, \$1.49, 1.98, 2.49 Boys' 2 Piece Suits, Regular \$1.75 to 3.50

\$1.00 Mufflers for 75c. 75c. and \$1.00 Gloves for Regular 1.50 and \$2.00 98c. Many Attractive and Useful Christmas Gifts in Our New Furnishing Department. Ties of every description—Flowing Ends, French Derby, the new Puffs, etc., Mufflers, made up with fancy linings. The "Earl Grey", the new Squares; Sweaters, 800 to \$1.50; Men's Sweaters, 75c to \$2.00; Cardigans, 75c to \$2.50; Umbrellas from 50c to \$5.00 each, put up in separate boxes.

N. HARVEY, Clothing, Furnishing, Hats and Caps, 199-201-207 UNION ST. OPERA HOUSE BLOCK.

ST JOHN STAR SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1903.

A Month of Bargains

The First of January we commence to take stock. We want our stock to be as low as possible. It is much larger now than it ought to be, consequently we are sacrificing profits generously. Why not take advantage of this in your next week's pnrchases. Read the list of specials.

WAIST MATERIALS DONE UP IN HANDSOME BOXES, ribboned and laced to make them appear more like Holiday Gifts. Each box contains enough for a waist. The materials consist of the moderate priced and up to the finest silk.

Pretty American Waistings 55c for Granite Waistings, something new and pretty --- washable, 69c the

Attractive Delft Stripes, satin fin-ished Waistings with fleeced back, 75c the length.
Wash Silk Waistings in white, \$1.50 for the length.
White Brocaded Silk, \$1.80 the

Pretty Tartan Plaid Pure Silk Louisine Silk, the length \$4.

Aprons.

A big let of samples, not mussed or soiled, perfectly fresh and yet they came to us as samples without duty or freight, consequently the price is one third less than the usual, 15c to 75. Some of them very handsomely trimmed with good washing hamburg.

Silk Mantel Drapes,

Extraordinary Values, \$1.50, 1.89, \$2, 2.50, 3.25 and 3.89. Add one third more to these prices and you get their regular value.

Christmas Umbrellas for Men and Women.

Self Opening Umbrellas for men at \$1, 1.25 and 1.50. Other styles

Ladies' Umbrellas

Three striking good values. Special Prices for Christmas Week, \$1, 1.25 and 1.75.

Cushion Tops

25c Cushing Tops for 10c. 50c Lithograph Cushion Tops at 25c. Art Cushion Tops with back to match, 50c quality for 30c, 90c quality for 50c.

Champlain Pillow Tops Ready for Filling, 75c quality for

Children's Furs

White Thibet at \$1.25, 1.75, 2.50 and 5.75. White Coney at 57c, 75c and 1.25. White Lamb at 30c, 50c, 75c.

Stoles. Boas

New Shapes, Black Coney from \$2.25 to 4.50. Russian Mink from \$2.25 to 11.59. Black Persian Lamb, \$15.75. Black Astrachan Storm Collars at \$4.50 and 6.75.



The \$5 quality for 3.75. The \$6.50 quality for 4.75. The \$7.50 quality for 5.50. The \$12 quality for 9.75, in black, brown, blue, myrtle and cardinal.

Walking Skirts.

Three special values for next week, \$1.69, 2.95 and 3.50. Each line in navy blue. Made in a pretty style and from good materials. These skirts are worth one half more than the prices we ask for them: Sizes run from 37 to 44 inches.



Handkerchief Values.

Ladies' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, 4 for 25c with 1-4 inch hem-stitch-

Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, special, 10c each, regular 15c quality.

Ladies' Excelda Handkerchiefs, with silk initials, 10c each. Fine Swiss Embroidered Handker-

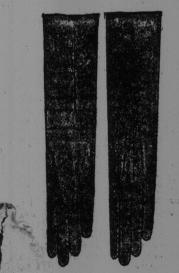
chiefs, 15c, 19c, 25c, 39c and 50c. Ladies' Silk Handkerchiefs, something special at 33c, 48c and 78c, other prices are from 10c to \$1.50. 6 Fine Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs in a neat box for 50c. These are hemstitched and worth 75c at ordinary selling.

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs with half inch hem, 2 for 25c: Finer quality at 16c, 20c, 25c, and 30c.

Men's Silk Kandkerchiefs with initials, one inch hem 25c each.

Fine Twilled Hem Stitched Initialed Silk Handkerchiefs at 50c. Extra Heavy Large Sized Twilled Silk Handkerchiefs with initials

Plain Silk Handkerchiefs at 29c, 48c



Men's Gloves.

Mocca Kid, undressed, in brown, 75c quality for 55c. Men's Undressed Kid Gloves, in

brown fine quality with soft wool lining 80c a pair.

Mocca Kid Gloves, in gray and brown with warm lining, extra good value at \$1.10, 1.25 and 1.60. Fur Lined Real Mocca Kid Gloves

Best Mocca, jersey knit lined glove Boys Mocca Gloves Lined at 550

Ladies' Kid Gloves

At 75c. in all the leading shades. All sizes. This is without doubt the best glove to be found in the city at this price.

OUR \$1.00 GLOVE IS A GUARANTEED KID GLOVE. When we say this no other recommendation is necessary. Come in all shades of tan, gray, black and

A REAL FRENCH KID GLOVE AT \$1.35. Comes in tans, browns, gray and black, is perfect fitting and guaranteed.

F. A. DYKEMAN

Charlotte

Street.

NEWS OF SPORT

That O'Brien Will Defeat Ruby Bob When They Night

THE RING

JOHN L. FAVORS O'BRIEN. an interview as to the probable result of the Fitz-O'Brien fight, declared that of the Fitz-O'Brien night, declared that if the latter won it would be a great feather for him. "But you see," said John, "O'Brien hasn't plucked the feather, not yet, and if he doesn't keep his eyes peeled when he's reaching for

TERRIBLE PAINS ACROSS BACK

Kidney Pills CURED HIM

Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, Hazeldean, Ont., writes us as follows: "I was a great sufferer from kidney trouble for eight months. I had terrible pains across the small of my back. I would have to stay in bed for three days at a time and could not do any work. I tried several remedies but of no avail, and also plasters but they were of no

One day a neighbor of mine advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I was so much discouraged I told him I was tired of trying remedies, but he urged me to try one box so I purchased one, and before I was through using it, I found a change for the better so I got five boxes more, and I have

John L. Sullivan Believes

Meet in the Ring at Frisco Next Wednesday Local Hockey Situation

he is biting off a heap of hard chewing for of all the boxers of today Fitz is the foxiest and slipperiest. Fitz usually wins his doubtful fights at the stage of the game when he seems to be all in. He is a dangerous man for O'Brien, in spite of his years, and I can tell you that if O'Brien comes out on top he will be a card for the best of them to get busy guessing about. It them to get busy guessing about. It is a gamble just when Fitz's finish will come, but it will come in the ring. He'll never admit that he's gone by, not till cond think. O'Brien is young and his fight with Kaufmann showed that he can stand the gaff in a fallow

can stand the gaff in a fairly long light. All the same, in tackling Fitz, outcome of his bout with Fitzsimmons. Several days ago O'Brien, talking to a group of friends, said:
"It has taken me nearly 11 years to

fight my way up as far as I've got on the pugilistic ladder of fame. I am now SUFFERED EIGHT MONTHS
WITH KIDNEY TROUBLE.
WOULD HAVE TO STAY IN BED
FOR THREE DAYS AT.
A TIME

DOAN'S

the pugilistic ladder of fame. I am now in the prime of life and will celebrate my 27th birthday on Jan. 27.
"My first match was with George Russell in 1896 in which I beat him in six rounds. It was an amateurish affair, but when it was over, I decided to become a pugilist. My first appearance as a professional was against Isidor Strauss of Philadelphia, in a six-round bout, the result of which was a draw. This gave me some confidence in my

"I have taken part in 147 bouts as a professional, in which only one has gone against me. This was when young Peter Jackson knocked me out in 13 rounds at 'Frisco on Feb. 14, 1900.

HAS TERRIBLE TERRY GOT COLD FEET? PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.-It be came known this afternoon that the fight between Terry McGovern and "Battling" Nelson, arranged by Bob Deady for a date in the very near fu-ture, has fallen through. John Loftis,

would be no contest in this city.

The trouble has been caused by a It can be stated positively that the It is really not difficult to cure kidney trouble in its first stages. All you have to do is to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial. They are a never-failing cure for all forms of kidney trouble. They quickly relieve the conjested, overworked kidneys, and gradually bring them back to health.

Doan's Kidney Pills 50 cents per box or three boxes for \$1.25, all dealers or The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Torente, Ont:

It can be stated positively that the boys will be matched, and may fight near this city in a 20 round battle.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Terry McGovern is eager to attend the ball of his social club in Brooklyn on Jan. 19, the night scheduled for his fight with Battling Nelson. His friends of the club wish to be at the ringside, and so McGovern is trying to have the fight postponed to Jan. 26 or Feb. 2. Joe

HERMAN DEFEATED HANLON. LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 15.-Kid

Herman, of Chicago, tonight got the decision over Eddie Hanlon, of Califor nia, in a twenty round fight.

LOST ON A FOUL. was to have been a 15-round bout be-tween Kid Pantz, of Boston, and George

WRESTLING

A LONG BOUT.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 15.—Charles Conkle, of Hamilton, Ont., and Walter Willoughby, of Buffalo, wrestled two and a half hours today without a fall liminary of the wrestling match here tonight between Frank Golch, Ameri ca's champion, and Charley (Yank)
Rogers, Golch fell on Rogers' right
ankle, wrenching it severely. Rogers
will not be able to wrestle again for

FOOTBALL.

FOOTBALL AND COMMON SENSE

(Harper's Weekly.) Football may be well worth some anfor 33 Years

Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, has been before the public, and this, together with the fact that its sales have steadily increased year by year, is the best proof of the merit of Shiloh

as a cure for Coughs, Colds, and all diseases of the lungs and air passages. Those who have used Shiloh would not be without it. Those who have never used it should know that every bottle is sold with a positive guarantee that, if it doesn't cure you, the dealer will refund what you paid for it. Shiloh

promoter Robert E. Deady, says that so far as Deady was concerned there Has Cured

"Last winter I coughed for three months and thought I was going into Consumption. I took all sorts of medicines, but nothing did me any good until I used Shilohs Consumption Gure. Four bottles cured me. This winter I had a very bad cold, was not able to speak, my langs were sore on the side and back. Six bottles of Shiloh made me well again. I have given it to several people and every one of them have been cured.—D. Joseph, St. Hyacinthe, Que. 60x

Humphreys, manager for McGovern, nual sacrifice of life and limb. The started last evening with a member-railroads kill and maim. So do the factories; so do dynamite and blasting powder; so do dynamite and blasting powder; so do runaway horses. We tolerate them all in spite of their dangers, and we cannot condemn football merely be-respectively. The executive will me day.

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cause it is a risky sport. Perhaps it is worth what it costs. A good many good judges think that it is. Nevertheless, to the general public, the game under present rules seems too dangerous, too rough, to intense and engrossing. Nearly all the moralists and many of the parents and teachers agree that it has got out of bounds

and ought to be restrained.

That forty odd thousand people should gather to see any sport is regarded with compunction by a good many observers, and that forty odd many observers, and that forty odd college boys should risk their necks and limbs and devote large shares of time and strength to the entertainment of such shouting thousands is thought to be matter for substantial deprecation. There is thought to be too much of the slaughtered-to-make-a-Romanholiday about it. The great Harvard stadium is disliked by some critics as reflecting over-much the spirit of the Roman empire.

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(3) Any intermediate league.

(4) This league to be won by the same as last year."

Says the Amherst News: The Says the Amherst News: Says the Am

As has been stated, the attendance at the game on Saturday at the Crystal Palace, London, England, when the New Zealand team beat All England 15 to 0, was around 80,000. The vastness of this number cannot be conceived adequately by one not present. A comparison, however, will serve to show it off. The attendance at the Yale-Harvard game at Cambridge, which game draws the largest football crowd in America, was 43,000, and published statements give an idea of the vastness of this number and the ever-going stream of humanity homeward bound.

stream of humanity homeward bound. This number, however, sinks into insignificance with the New Zealand All England game, where the attendance was almost double. People can talk of big crowds patronizing sport in this country, but when it comes to numbers the Englishmen have them beaten to a shadow. A similar attendance has before here recorded at English games. fore been recorded at English games. At Saturday's game seats changed hands at opera box prices, 62c. benches bringing as much as \$6. Special trains brought people from all parts of England, Scotland and Wales. Over 15,000 reserved seats in the stand were sold two weeks ago, and each one was applied for three times over. A few days ago a duke had to pay £10 for four

five-shilling seats. This is the twenty-fourth consecutive victory of the New Zealanders since they arrived in Great Britain. So far thousands of the most obstinate cases of Coughs, Colds and Lung troubles. Let it which will end on December 30

Bob Fitzsimmons is charging an adnis gymnasium work,

intermediate hockey

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE FORMED Mohawks, Beavers, Rothesay and Nep tunes Are In It.

The representatives were as follows: Neptunes-W. J. Coates. Mohawks-K. R. Creighton, HAVE A CHANCE. Dicky Boon, the well known captain of the Montreal Wanderers hockey team, was in Amherst recently on his way to Westville, where he will be Y. M. C. A.-D. Donald.

Mr. Learment was elected chairman, and Mr. Abbott secretary. The following resolutions were carformed composed of Neptunes, Mohawks, Rothesay and Beavers.

These were all carried unanimously with the exception of the second, which team the Neptunes opposed.

The executive will meet again Thursturn
day.

BOON SAYS RAMBLERS SHOULD towns" are beating the city out as far as sport goes.

FAST PLAYER GOES TO WEST-

eam, was in Amherst recently on his vay to Westville, where he will be usy with the Drummond colliery. The umherst News says:

"The News had an interesting talk with Mr. Boon relative to hockey mathers and though Moncton today on his way to the first say to the mathers and the say to the say the say to the say the say to the say with Mr. Boon relative to hockey matters, in the course of which he told us that the general idea in Montreal and in fact all over Upper Canada, with the exception of Ottawa, was that the Amherst Ramblers were fully entitled to Stepley Cup games, and the general



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DR. PRESTON COMMITTED ON CHARGE OF MURDER.

Up for Trial in January Before Chief Justice Tuck---H. D. Camp Refuses to

The afternoon session in the Preston case commenced at sharp 2 o'clock yesterday, when Dr. Macrae resumed his argument and cited cases where ment, and walked over to King street prisoners were not allowed to give evidence for or against others.

The Solicitor General submitted that you ever in Dr. Preston's office?"

the crown could compel any person other than the defendant to give evidence and mentioned that Goodspeed gave evidence against Higgins in the Doherty murder case.

The witness—Yes."

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"How long betout?"

The witness—To not remember." I saw the deceased on Monday, the 13th."

"Were you in Dr. Preston's office on that day?"

"I live at Paradise row, St. John. I have lived here all my life. My father has been dead several years. My mother is still alive. I am a core maker by occupation.

"Did you know Edith Clarke?"

"Why do the doctors bother me, Howard would them all."

Dr. Macrae thought the conclusion that the deceased referred to an instrument being used on her when she said Howard would tell them all, was very far-fetched. "Did you know Edith Clarke?"

of Miss Clarke, in respect to which Camp was now under arrest. The court overruled the objection.

"Do you know Dr. Preston?"
"I object," said Dr. Macrae.
Ruled that he should answer.

"Yes, 'I do." "How long have you known him?"
Objected to by Dr. Macrae on the ground that this question was leading towards the connection of the witness with the death of Edith Clarke.

Cuestion allowed.

"Have you ever been in his office?"
"I refuse to answer that question."
Dr. Macrae said he thought the witness could not be compelled to answer since Dr. Roberts had failed to answer certain questions and had not been compelled to. Dr. Macrae said he thought the solicitor general would not ask that one of his witnesses should be treated any different from another. If Dr. Roberts was not compelled to answer, Mr. Camp should not be compelled to answer either. He should not be discriminated against.

ence already heard had shown that the witness had brought a bottle of ergot to the deceased.

"He was not the only one," said Mr. Morrill.

The witness—"I refuse to answer the question."

The solicitor general—"I submit, your honor, that the question is a proper one and I am entitled to an answer."

Dr. Macrae said Mr. Camp had objected to being a witness and would refuse to answer these questions.

The solicitor general then said Camp might stand down.

The court said that in the case of Dr.
Roberts' evidence he had considered that it was not relevant, and on that ground had not compelled him to answer. The court ruled that the witness

might stand down.

"That is the case for the crown," said the solicitor general, "and I would ask that the accused be committed for trial"

B. L. Gerow on behalf of the pris-

"Was it the Sunday before she took The witness—"Yes. I saw her on the Saturday evening previous and went over to town with her. I parted from her at the Market Square.. I do not know where she went after I left her. I did not watch her at all after she left.

ents.

"Did you make arrangements to meet her the next night?"

Dr. Macrae objected to the question.

"Markable thing that Mrs. Clarke failed to give this evidence at the coroner's inquest. Admitting, however, that this evidence is true, it is qualified by that of Miss Reynolds, to whom the deceasand talked with her for a few mom-

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Doherty murder case.

Dr. Macrae pointed out that in that case no objection had been made.

The court ruled in favor of the crown and called on Camp to take the witness stand.

HOWARD CAMP.

HOWARD CAMP.

"Were you in Dr. The solicitor general said he thought it was relevant and would connect Dr. Preston with the death of Miss Clarke, as the deceased had said to the nurse, "why do the doctors bother me, Howard would have told them all."

Dr. Macrae said the doctors had giv-Dr. Macrae objected on the ground that the question here was the death ination which differed from their state-

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swer. The court ruled that the witness should answer this question.

"Yes, I have teen in his office."

"Do you remember how many times you had been in Dr. Preston's office during the past year?"

The witness—"I do not."

"Did you call on Miss Clarke when she was sick?"

The was sick?"

The court ruled that the witness B. L. Gerow on behalf of the prisoner, Dr. Preston, then argued against his client's committal, remarking at the outset that he did not intend calling any witnesses. He reiterated his previous contention that the evidence of Dr. Roberts, Dr. Scammell and the nurses as to conversations they had nurses as to conversations they had with the deceased should not have been admitted, and asked that his honor disregard such evidence.

Here Mr. Morrill interposed with a

remark which led the magistrate to ask with some asperity, "Do you both intend addressing the court?" her at the Market Square.. I do not know where she went after I left her. I did not watch her at all after she left me. It was about nine o'clock. I went towards Germain street after I left her. I did not see her again that evening. I do not know how far it is from Market Square to Dr. Preston's office."

Dr. Macrae said he could not see the relevancy of the question.

"I turned to the right after I left Germain street."

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"I turned to the right after I left her. I gerwal the deceased," rewards derow, "that the only chance there was of saving her life was by an operation, and then her chance of recovery was slight. While they told her that her life was in danger they did not tell her she would die. Your honor seemed to be greatly impressed with Mrs. Clarke's evidence, in the course of which she stated that her stepology and the course of the was of saving her life was of saving her with the only chance there was of saving her life was of saving her life was of saving her life was of saving her wise of saving her life was of saving her life was of saving her life was of saving her wise of saving her wise of saving her life was of saving her life was of saving her wise of saving her w "I saw the deceased on Friday night sonal effects disposed of. It is a re-nd talked with her for a few mom- markable thing that Mrs. Clarke failed

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that there was nothing of a criminal nature in this.

Evidence had been adduced to show that the deceased had said she had used various instruments with the object of producing a miscarriage, but was not successful. He submitted, however, that there was no evidence before the court to show that she had not been successful. According to the hearsay evidence admitted, the deceased and the submitted, however, that there was no evidence before the court to show that she had not been successful. According to the hearsay evidence admitted, the deceased and the purpose. Mr. Gerow also referred to the statement of Dr. Roberts made at the preliminary examination to the effect the deceased had said to him, "doctor, you may think so, but I am not going to get better." This was another of the doctor's remarkable memory feats, as he did not mention, it at the coroner's inquest.

This statement was also qualified by Miss Reyuolds' evidence.

"What does your honor think of Miss Reynolds' statement."

Mr. Gerow also commented on the fact that although the solicitor general, who again stated that he thought the prisoner should be sent up for trial.

Mr. Morrill said he regretted that Dr. Roberts name had been introduced so frequently, as he had the greatest respect for him. He concluded that he thought the prisoner the pale introduced so frequently, as he had the greatest respect for him. He concluded that he thought the prisoner that Dr. Roberts and the solicitor general, who again stated that Dr. Roberts name had been introduced so frequently, as he had the greatest respect for him. He concluded that he thought the prisoner that Dr. Preston on the charge of murder.

The magistrate said that all he had to decide was whether there was not the slightlest evidence to place the prisoner in his trial or not. He had ruled that he thought the prisoner for trial.

Dr. Preston was then requested to the prisoner's reply as well of the palent hat he thought the prisoner for trial.

Dr. Preston was then requested to the magistrate.

"Not

should have made a thorough examin

ation of the patient when he was first NOONE terrupted Mr. Gerow to say that Dr. Roberts had no reason to suspect that an abortion had been produced, as the deceased was unmarried and respectably connected. He was inclined to think that the doctor had done all that

of the girl's lungs was concerned.

Mr. Gerow also thought if the girl's condition was as grave as the doctors said, the operation should have been performed just as soon as it was found that she was suffering from blood poisoning. In conclusion he submitted that the erown had not made out a case and asked that his client be discharged. SOLICITOR GENERAL REPLIES.

The solictor general said that he would take up very little time. He submitted there had been a defense made and therefore the court should send the prisoner up for trial. It has been shown by evidence which your honor has admitted as legal that the accused used an instrument on her for the purpose of bringing on an abortion, and also that the accused used an instrument on her sortion, and also that the accused had prescribed ergot.

With reference to Mr. Gerow's argument as to the admissibility of the dying declarations, the solicitor seemeral said that since they had been admitted in evidence by the court they would have to be considered by his honor in deciding the case. He thought that Dr. Roberts had explanated his position very fully. He thought the doctor had acted in a very painstaking manner throughout. Physicians have peculiar circumstances to meet sometimes. The doctors maintained that they were justified in keeping the secrets of their ondition of the girl's lungs was con-

ed repeatedly asked the question, 'do you think I am going to die?' showing that at least there was a doubt in her mind as to whether she would die or not. Miss Reynolds assured her that she thought she would get better. It has not, therefore, I contend, been shown that at the time the deceased is alleged to have made these statements, she was without hope of recovery."

With reference to the ergot alleged

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could reasonably be asked of him, and his diagnosis had been shown by the post-mortem to be correct as far as the

alleged to have made these statements, she was without hope of recovery."

With reference to the ergot alleged to have been prescribed by Dr. Preston, Mr. Gerow contended that this drug was used for a variety of purposes, and that there was nothing of a criminal nature in this.

Fuldance had been adduced to show into court with a parrot story every time he would think their evidence more open to suspicion.

"As the case is still very fresh in your honor's mind, I will not go into the evidence at any greater length," said the solicitor general, who again stated that he thought the prisoner should be sent up for trial.

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gist, 127 Union St. THE WEATHER.

Gales off the coast, Sunday moderately cold.

Synopsis — The disturbance which moved seaward from the Southern States yesterday will pass considerably to the south of Nova Scotia. Vessels to the south of Nova Scotia. Vessels to the south of Nova Scotia. Vessels to the south of Nova Scotia. Western Mr. Kelly and Secretary Gillespie vessels.

Applicants away. This morning 56 lifes processed. There was one prisoner on the police court bench this morning, he being Michael Lynch, of the West End, who was given in charge by his son for raising a disturbance. The prisoner was remanded until further inquiries can be maded until further inquiries can be maded until further inquiries can be maded until further inquiries.

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Carleton Open Air Rink will be open Monday evening Dec. 18. Band in at-tendance, also Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. Admission 15c. Best Display Yet. Prices Low as Ever, at success in their play the other night, are considering the idea of repeating

Green's 59 King street.

The manager of the Seamen's Institute acknowledges with thanks a contribution of \$15 from H. S. Gregory toward comfort bags for the sailors. Contributions of comfort bags are solicited. Useful and comfortable articles will be disful and comfortable articles will be distributed to the sailors in port at the

The closing of the free kindgeraten for the Christmas holidays will take place on Wednesday next. The season has been a most successful one, the work accomplished greatly pleasing the work accomplished greatly pleasing the parties interested. The need of such an organization has been badly felt in St. John for years past, so that the results now accomplished have given the promoters and backers the greatest encouragement. This season's results guarantee a generous support for the coming year.

PROBATE COURT.

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miner, lumberman and trooper and has been all over the western part of this continent and a considerable part

of South America. The large advertisement of F. A. tion was granted returnable on Jan. 22.

Dykeman & Co., which appears on page 9 is most suggestive and interpage 9 is most suggestive and interpage 1. THIS EVENING. esting reading for those who are undecided as to what to purchase next week for Christmas gifts. Their ready-to-wear department of ladies' goods, such as coats, skirts, waists, etc., offers an assortment of goods which a person could not make a mistake in inspecting

on their buying tour next week.

The members of the Carleton Methodist church are to be congratulated for their energy and liberality. Within the year they have placed three furnaces in the church, and one in the parsonage, at a cost of \$400. Also a pipe organ, costing \$2.600 including electric motor. \$1,000 of this amount was donated by the late Hannah Clark. They have also called their present pastor, Rev. H. D. Marr, for the third year with a liberal increase in his salary.

On Wednesday afternoon next there will be a sale in St. John's (Stone) church school house of some very beautiful Chinese articles, consisting of carved wood frames, silver work, drawn work, silk handkerchiefs and a variety of ornamental an Chinese curios. They arrived here yes-terday, having come direct from China. The sale is in aid of Dr. Mabel Hannington's mission work in Wing-daik, China, and is being held by the Glean-ers' Union and the Woman's Auxiliary of the Stone Church. There will be afternoon tea and a candy and ice ream table. As the articles are spec-

ially suitable for Xmas presents, in-

SPLIT THREATENS LONGSHORE UNION. Liquor License Inspector Jones pre-ferred a charge against Wm. H. Mc-Quade for selling liquor on Sunday in his hotel contrary to law. Mr. McQuade

Dissentients Will Form a New Organization.

and Sails Today-Gear and Allan are Coming Monday.

The last of the loading on the A.lan would return from Halifax as he was liner Tunisian was done without any difficulty. The Allan people said this morning that they had no trouble in Forecast—Fresh winds, fair and cold. getting men and yesterday had to turn applicants away. This morning 96 men

POLICE COURT.

\$5.00.

527 Main Street,

Office Hours-9 a. m. until 9 p. m.

DR. J. D. MAHER,

to the south of Nova Scotia. Vessels going to the south or west, will experience gales.

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John C. Miles has an exhibition of water color and oil paintings in the Palmer Chambers, room 60, all of next week.

See the 8x10 photo given away with every doz. from \$3.00 up at Erb's Photo Studio, 13 Charlotte street. Have sitting early.

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A number of the officers and members of the association were seen this morning and seemed to treat with indifference the idea of the new society being formed. President Moore stated that while he was not prepared to say that the society would not be formed, he thought it would amount to very the first of next week. Store open at little and could not have a large members of the officers and members of the association were seen this morning and seemed to treat with indifference the idea of the new society of gifts, that is sensible gifts, and will be a great help to next week's buyers when they sit down to figure the matter of the officers and members of the association were seen this morning and seemed to treat with indifference the idea of the new society of gifts, that is sensible gifts, and will be a great help to next week's buyers when they sit down to figure the matter of the officers and members of the association were seen this morning and seemed to treat with indifference the idea of the new society of gifts, that is sensible gifts, and will be a great help to next week's buyers when they sit down to figure the matter. They contain pretty nearly all that a person could think of in the way of gifts, that is sensible gifts, and will be a great help to next week's buyers when they sit down to figure the matter. They contain pretty nearly all that a person could think of in the way of gifts, that is sensible gifts, and will be a great help to next week's buyers when they sit down to figure the matter. They contain pretty nearly all that a person could think of in the way of gifts, that is sensible gifts, and will be a great help to next week's buyers when they sit down to figure the matter. They contain pretty nearly all that a person could think of in the way of gifts, that is sensible gifts, and will be a great help to next week's buyers when they sit down to figure the matter. The steamer Tunisian is expected to

sail some time this afternoon, and is now loaded. The next boat of the Allan Line is the Corinthian, which is due on Monday.

THOS. E. GREENE DEAD.

The Gold Seal Certificate of the quality of the celebrated Old Mine Sydney Coal, now landing from Steamer "Restigouche" for Gibbon & Co., may be seen at our Smythe street of the came to St. John (west) over sixty years ago. He married Catherine Mc-A little better than seems necessary.
That's the way with our choice Havana cigars at 75c. a box up. Briar pipes in case with 3 inch pure amber stem, 95c. Meerschaum pipes in cases, 95c. Large variety of pipes at 50c. Louis Green's 59 King street.

years ago. He married Catherine McBride, of Weymouth, N. S., who died thirteen years ago. He leaves five sons, Herbert, Corey and George, of St. John (west); John, of Boston, and Murray, of Winnipeg; and five daughters, Mrs. John Robson, Mrs. James McLaughlin, of this city, and Mrs. Anderson, Bertha and Grace living at home. There are also twenty-six years ago. He married Catherine Mc-

FREE KINDERGARTEN CLOSES.

Petition was presented in probat court this morning by James Ready and Wm. F. Barnhill for the passing of the accounts and distribution of the estate of the late Frederick Engall. Citation was granted returnable on Jan. 22.

Meeting of maritime commercial travellers at 65 Prince William street.

Meeting of the shiplaborers in Temperance hall, West End.

Seven burial permits were issued during the week. The deaths were due to the following causes: Tuberculas meningitis Chronic intestinal nephritis..

A meeting of the board of trustees of the Y. M. C. A. was held on Monday evening when the first report on the subscriptions for the new building



Gifts Worth Giving. HOTEL CHARGED WITH SUNDAY LIQUOR SELLING.

Give your Mother a nice set of Furs, \$6.50 to \$50.00 Give your Father a nice Overcoat, from \$5.00 to \$12.00 Give your Wife one of our Costumes or Coats,

\$6.50 to \$18.00 Give your Son an Overcoat that will keep him warm, Give your Neighbor a nice Ulster Coat, \$4.00 to \$8.60

said he knew nothing about it and wanted a postponement.

Alexander Robertson, the deserter from the R. C. R., was brought in from jail and testified that he with a couple of train hands purchased liquor there in a room, He said he had \$40 mbox he were the result of Sunday morning. Give Yourself anything you like in the clothing line there in a room. He said he had \$40 when he went in on Sunday morning. He remained there all day and when he left on Monday morning he only had \$12 left. He arrived in the city on a freight train.

To Mr. McQuade he said Mr. McQuade did not serve him with llquor, He was a deserter and did not know when he would return from Hallfax as he was Give us your money and we will give it back to you if

WILCOX BROS

Market Sq. and Dock St.

Xmas Slipper Sale.

Our Xmas Slipper Sale will commence right now and continue until Xmas We have everything in Slippers for everybody and we have put special prices on our slippers that will certainly pull every slipper buyer in our di-

Note These Prices,

Can you even think of going anywhere else for Xmas Slippers? Ladies' Felt Slippers, 30c., 40c., 50c., 75c. up to \$1.25 Ladies' Bath Slippers 40c., 45c., 50c., 75c. up to \$1.00 Men's Velvet Embroidered Slippers,..... 75c. Men's Imitation Alligator Slippers,..... Men's Tan and Black Everitt 90c., \$1.00 up to \$2.00

Coady's Shoe Store,

61 Charlotte St.

HOLIDAY DINNER SETS.

..... Opening this Week. THREE NEW PATTERNS, SPECIAL PRICES, \$5.75, \$7.25, and \$11.50.

W. H. HAYWARD CO., Ltd.,

85, 87, 89, 91, 93 Princess Street.

LOOK AT THE CHRISTMAS PRICES At The 2 Barkers, Ltd., 100 Princess St.

CITRON ... 14c. pound.

LEMON AND ORANGE PEEL ... 13c. pund.

NEW MIXED NUTS ... 13c. pkg.; 2 lbs. for 25c.

BARLEY TOYS ... 10c. pound.

XMAS MIXTURE ... 10c. pound.

Diamond Rings

Diamonds as gifts are always timely, and with the continually advancing prices are a good investment. Our stock was purchased before the recent advances and it will pay to buy now.

We guarantee quality of our diamonds and prices are very close.

See our rings at \$25 each.

L. L. SHARPE @ SON.

Exquisite Under-muslins and Holiday Aprons:

Immense Collection of Aprons,

25c. to \$1.00 Each. Especially made for the holiday season. They are of Lawn, having Bibs and no Bibs. The work on them is very fine, and materials of the daintiest Plain Hemstitched Tucks, and others with Embroidery, Tucks and Insertions. Some Fancy Round Afternoon Aprons in the lot, made of Muslin and trimmed with Val Insertion, Beadings, Ribbons, Lace, etc. These are \$1.40.

Dressing Jackets and Kimonos, 85c. to \$3.50 Each. In Lawn, Grass Cloths and Muslin, White and Colored, elaborately trimmed with Laces and Embroideries. A most acceptable present for a lady friend.

Silk Dressing Jackets, \$5.40 to 8.25 These are exceedingly pretty, and sell quickly at Christmas time. Elaborately finished with Valenciennes Laces and Medallions. Bridal Sets in Silk, \$10.80 up.

Three pieces, Nightdress, Corset Cover and Drawers. One of the richest items of lingerie in our stores. The material is China Silk, the trimmingsinclude Frills and rows of fine Val-enciennes Insertion, ribbon adornments and bias bands of silk. Fine White Nightdresses, 75c. to \$4.40.

Made in the Empire model, with low neck and short sleeves, etc. Embroidery and lace trimmings. White Skirts, 55c. to \$10. ies, Hamburgs, etc., Ruffles, and so forth.

Corset Covers and Drawers. A large variety of qualities and styles. A special stock for the Covers range from 25c. to \$2.65; the Drawers from 30c. to \$3.30. LADIES' ROOM.

King Street

A re-order of Howard Chandler Christey's Pictures has arrived in the Art Room

A Re-order of that Fine Japanese China is also here. Many novelties.

Kid Gloves and Gift Handkerchief stocks have been

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