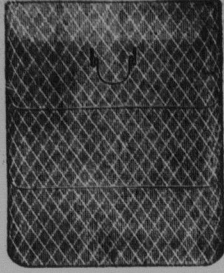


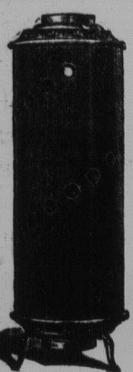
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McLEAN'S DEPT. STORES, 565 Main Street and 14 Dock Street.

ANOTHER LUMBER DEAL.

TRURO, N. S., Jan. 5.—The lumber property and steam mill, South Maitland, owned by T. G. McMullen, ex-M. P., has been sold to C. E. Crowe, a rising lumberman of Clifton.

made her way to the boy, cracking the ice once or twice, but pluckily persevering. At last she seized his collar, and with a "Steady, now!" was hauled back to a place of safety.

REV. MIE WARING IN HALIFAX.

(Monday's Echo.)

Rev. H. P. Waring, recently from St. John, where he was pastor of the Brunswick street Baptist church, began his pastorate of the First Baptist church of this city yesterday, preaching at both services.

HER REWARD A KISS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Miss Carrie Schermerhorn, of Norristown, Pa., eighteen years old, was taking off her skates on a pond near Brookdale yesterday, when a cry of "Drowning boy!" was raised.

The saved boy's gratitude took the form of an ardent kiss.

St. John, N. B., January 5, 1903.

We Want Money.

Do You Want Clothing?

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BOER GENERALS

Join in Pretoria's Welcome to Joseph Chamberlain.

PRETORIA, Transvaal, Jan. 6.—All doubts as to whether the Boers would participate in the entertainment given in honor of Colonial Secretary Chamberlain were dissipated by the appearance of Generals Botha, Delarey, Cronje and Smuts at the garden party given by the governor yesterday.

THE DEATH ROLL.

MADRID, Jan. 5.—Former Premier Sagasta died at 11 o'clock tonight. CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Richard Mansill, astronomer, scientist and author, is dead at Rock Island Falls of Bright's disease, aged 74 years.

TOPEKA, Kas., Jan. 6.—Word was received yesterday of the death at Juneau, Alaska, of Robert A. Fredony, formerly of Topeka, Kas., attorney for the first district of Alaska.

THE SCOTS DEFEATED.

St. John Curlers Won the Laurels in This Morning's Play.

Last night's frost while not by any means severe was sufficient to harden the ice in both the St. Andrews and Thistle rinks today and the Scotch visitors are able to enjoy at least one day's good play.

The program this morning was that the visitors were to play two rinks in the Thistle rink against Carleton and Campbellton and two in the St. Andrews rink against St. Stephen and St. Andrew's Club.

The games in St. Andrew's rink attracted by far the most attention, hundreds of spectators eagerly watching the sport, and here in the match against St. Andrew's Club the most exciting game was found. John White for St. Andrew's and Mr. Bramwell for the visitors played their teams well but victory finally settled on the home club.

The St. Stephen men had no difficulty in defeating the team pitted against them and although some good plays were made this was an easy victory for the New Brunswickers.

In the Thistle Rink, the Carleton match was the most closely contested and they as well as the Campbellton men were successful.

The whole play was much in favor of the home teams and the Scotchmen have been repaid for their victory yesterday, being defeated in the four rinks in at total score of 35-72.

The players and individual scores are as follows:

Table with 4 columns: Team, Player, Position, Score. Includes St. Andrews Rink, Thistle Rink, and Campbellton.

THISTLE RINK.

A lady who was at one of the rinks this morning said:

USED HER GUN TO GET COAL.

Determined Boarding House Keeper in Detroit Obtained Supply.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 5.—"Here is \$7.50. Write me out an order on the yard for a ton of coal."

Samuel Boden, clerk for the coal firm of Stanley B. Smith & Co., looked up from his books to gaze into the barrel of a revolver held in the hand of a woman on whose face was a determined expression.

"You said that you would not be asleep if I attempted to get coal in your yard. Now I want to tell you that this gun won't be asleep if you don't write out the order and write it out mighty quick."

BOTH FORTUNATE.

The late Baron de Hirsch was once a guest at a well-known German nobleman's mansion, where he met Prince Halberstam, who was noted for a fierce anti-Semite. The prince treated the baron with marked disrespect.

The guests became pale with consternation, but Baron de Hirsch, maintaining his composure, turned to the prince with the retort, "How fortunate you and I don't live there!"

VENEZUELA.

British Commodore Tells of Bombardment of Port Cabello.

The Only Men Hurt Broke Their Thighs Trying to get Away.

(Correspondent of Associated Press.) LAGUAYRA, Venez., Dec. 23.—The British Commodore Montgomery, who directed the Anglo-German bombardment of the fortifications at Porto Cabello on December 14, gives the following account of the operations.

"After declaring that not a single person was killed or wounded in the bombardment, the commodore says: 'Considerable misapprehension exists as to the action of the Charybdis of the royal navy and the Vireta of the Imperial German navy at Porto Cabello. A British merchant ship, the Topas, which was peacefully lying at anchor in the harbor, was boarded at night by the Venezuelans and the crew in their night shirts, were hurried ashore, marched through the streets and cast into a filthy prison, where they remained without food or water. Under a strong guard, they marched back to their ship the next day and were compelled to lower the colors flying at her stern. When I arrived at Port Cabello, I immediately demanded an apology and assurances that the act would not be repeated and that British subjects and their interests would not be maltreated or injured. In case the demands were not complied with I announced that I should bombard the fort, a thick wall structure, within easy range of our guns, and another battery mounting a few Krupp guns some distance away. In reply I was informed that a mob was responsible for the outrage and the matter would be referred to higher authority. I replied that if a dog I owned bit another man I should certainly be morally obliged to give satisfaction. Through the American consul I arranged to receive the answer to my demands.

"If he hoisted the American ensign I should know that the demand had been complied with. When the hour came I saw the ensign hoisted, but it was hauled down again. I waited seven minutes and then opened fire on the fort and the battery. Before opening fire I gave ample notice to the military authorities to remove the political prisoners, and assured the inhabitants of the town that no injury would be done them. There was a feeble response to our fire from the fort, but none from the battery, the soldiers in which fled like rats. They left behind a general, twelve other officers and a number of criminal prisoners. After bombarding nineteen minutes and making very good practice we ceased firing and a guard was landed and took possession of the forts, receiving the surrender of the general and his men. They were immediately paroled. The criminal prisoners were held and turned over to responsible authorities. The affair lasted but a short time and the party returned to the ships. The Vireta participated in the bombardment. Instead of a number of persons being killed, only two men were injured and they broke their thigh bones in attempting to escape from the forts."

WELL DONE, SYDNEY.

Monday marked an important epoch in the history of Sydney, as the steamer Bergehus, Capt. J. H. Svendsen, steamed out the harbor, having on board the largest cargo of steel ever shipped in the world's history. Six days ago the Bergehus began loading, and yesterday morning she cleared for Philadelphia with a full cargo of 5,252 tons of steel, which is the largest one shipment ever made. Sydney is yet only in its infancy as a shipping port, and from the fact that today's shipment leads the world, some idea may be formed of what it will be in the course of even one year, when the manufacturing of steel will be much larger than it is at present—Sydney Post.

FOUR AT A BIRTH.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Jan. 5.—Rivals of the famous Ormsby "Quads" were born in Toledo yesterday and today. Mrs. Stanislaus Szybalak is the mother of the infants. Three of them were born last night and the fourth today.

WHERE BEARS ARE COMMON.

Congressman Page Morris of Duluth is a hunter of renown and a fisherman of equal fame. The other morning he said to a friend, after reading a letter just received from Duluth: "I hope the next time President Roosevelt goes hunting he will avoid Mississippi and go up to my town. Why, this letter tells me that several bears have been killed recently within the city limits! and here the president tramped all over the State of Arkansas and never got a smell. Why, all he has to do is to go out into one of the back streets in my town and find what he's looking for."

NEW ZEALAND.

The statistics of the colony of New Zealand for the year 1900 have just appeared and show the rapid progress of this enterprising little state. The increase of population for five years was from 696,331 to 765,668, and the revenue per inhabitant from £5 10s 10d to £7 14s 6d. The annual expenditure on old age pensions has reached £197,283 and will probably increase. The vital statistics are very full. They show, it may be remarked in passing, a marked increase of deaths from cancer and a slight diminution of deaths from tuberculosis.

A HOTEL FIRE

Caused the Death of Four Persons in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Three persons lost their lives and a fourth was fatally injured in a fire at the Hotel Somerset, an eight story brick structure at Wabash avenue and Twelfth street early today. Three of the victims, Mrs. E. T. Perry, aged 35, and her two daughters, eight and nine years old, respectively, were burned or suffocated to death in their room on the fourth floor. The fourth victim, a woman whose name has not been learned, jumped from the window of a room on the same floor to the street and was fatally hurt. William A. Parker, a guest, jumped from the window of a room on the fourth floor to the roof of a two story building adjoining the hotel. He sustained a broken leg and severe bruises. Loss about \$2,000.

A GOLD SEEKER

Died of Joy When He at Last Struck Wealth.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—David Thompson, one of the best known prospectors in the Black Hills, over which country he had hunted gold for 17 years, yesterday struck a ledge of great richness, and after ten minutes of demonstrations of delight, fell dead, says a despatch to the Tribune from Roubidoux, S. D. An examination made later by physicians showed a blood vessel in the brain to have been ruptured.

PERSONAL.

Miss Minnie Blizard, daughter of F. W. Blizard, who has been ill with typhoid in the hospital in which she is employed in New York, is recovering rapidly. Miss Blizard was home for Christmas and was taken ill immediately after returning to New York.

A. H. Collins, advance agent for Madame Alban in the city. A. Perry, of Washademoak, is in St. John on his way to Yale University, where he will take an M. A. course.

David Liberty, Ed. Ryan, Donald Malcolm and N. Allison left for McGill University yesterday. H. Tarbox of Portland, Me., who has been visiting friends in this city, left for home last night.

Wm. Roberts, son of Canon Roberts of Fredericton, arrived from Liverpool, Eng., yesterday. Miss Emily McAvilly, who spent the holidays at home, returned to Harvard yesterday afternoon.

L. A. Currey went to Fredericton yesterday afternoon. He will defend Mrs. Marsten in the poisoning case to come before the court at the capital today. Attorney General Fugatey went to Fredericton last evening to act as prosecutor in the same case.

George Robertson, of Wm. Thomson & Co.'s offices, left yesterday for Norfolk, Va., where he will take the Battle line steamer Leucra, on a cruise to South America. The trip is taken for the good of his health.

Miss Clara Grant, who has been visiting her parents during the holiday season, left last night for Fredericton to resume her studies at the Normal School.

Miss Hattie Smith of the west end, who has been visiting friends in Boston, returned home last night. The engagement is announced of Miss Frances H. Smith, daughter of Wm. H. Smith, of Douglas avenue, to Herbert G. Beresford, maritime manager of the Labatt Brewing & Malting Company.

John de Snyres is suffering from illness which came on at the close of the Sunday evening service. H. A. Powell of Sackville is at the Victoria on his way home from the west.

Senator McSwenny of Moncton is at the Dufferin. G. B. Boatwick, who has been home for the holidays, returned to his studies in Boston yesterday afternoon. Mr. Boatwick is greatly improved in health.

The engagement of Miss Louise C. Dunn, daughter of George B. Dunn of Halifax, to H. W. Sawyer, Jr., of Bangor, has been announced. Stanley Elkin continues to recover from his attack of typhoid fever at St. Louis.

Mrs. Cyrus Burt of Fredericton, who has been visiting Miss Gertrude McDonald, returned to the capital last evening. Miss McDonald accompanied Mrs. Burt and will spend a few days in Fredericton.

Rev. B. N. Noble of the west side leaves tonight for Montreal, where he will receive medical treatment. I. C. B. Trueman, Scammon, who has been ill, is recovering, says the Moncton Transcript.

The many friends of Chas. H. Hatt, of Marysville, will be sorry to learn that his condition is not as encouraging as it might be wished for.—Fredericton Gleaner.

Miss Minnie Calder of Truro, accompanied by her sister, Hattie, has come to St. John, N. B., where they will visit their mother.

PLEASANT NEWS.

To those interested in truly scientific character reading the fact that Palma, Prof. Brown of Montreal will be at the Dufferin will be agreeable news. He is well known throughout the maritime provinces and has written extensively in the scientific journals upon palmistry. He is also the author of the fascinating little work known as Photographs of the Inner Man, which is with his name copyrighted.

HUMAN MYSTERY.

Wife—That young man who calls on our daughter has me guessing. Husband—How's that? Wife—I don't know whether he is economical or has a grudge against the gas company.—Chicago News.

Men's Winter Goods:

Winter Hats in grey and black, new shapes. Prices \$1.50 and \$2. Winter Capes, from a good blue cloth driver at 35c. up to one at 1.75 Winter Gloves, wool and fur lined, from 50c. to \$3.

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PALMA.

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NEWFOUNDLAND.

The Halifax Chronicle has issued a sixteen page illustrated special edition on fine paper dealing with Newfoundland. It is accompanied by a splendid map of colors, and will prove of much value to all who are interested in the island colony.

STEAMERS, ETC. EASTERN STEAMSHIP CO. (International Division) WINTER REDUCED RATES.

In effect November 1, 1902, to May 1, 1903. Commencing December 1, 1902, at 8 a. m., THURSDAY for Lunenburg, Eastport, Portland and Boston. Returning from Boston via Portland, Eastport and Lunenburg Mondays at 8.15 a. m.

HELP WANTED, MALE.

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

WANTED—Travelling salesman. Must be good house-to-house canvasser, energetic, temperate, reliable and of good appearance. Good pay, weekly. Expenses advanced. Apply personally to FRANCES HOLLOWAY, Grand Union Hotel, City.

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WANTED—A young girl to help with housework; one accustomed to children. Apply evenings to MISS GEO. CORSE, 21 Goding street.

WANTED—An experienced dining room girl. Apply at once to ORVILLE HALL.

WANTED—A competent cook. Apply to MISS THORNE, 75 McAdam Terrace.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A competent cook, male or female, at Hotel Albert, North Sydney, C. B. Apply to M. Cowan, 13 Cedar street, North End, St. John. Apply between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Anyone requiring the services of a person to write up their books or make out accounts of any kind can do so at a competent man by addressing A. B. care Star Office.

BOARDERS WANTED—First class board and rooms may be obtained at reasonable rates at 75 King street, just over Macaulay Brook's store.

COUGH CURE. McCreary's Cough Remedy, and will cure a cough, when the best in the world fails. Try it. Only 10 cents for a large bottle. Sold only at 137 Charlotte street.

SHOW-CASES. A bargain for some one. Nicker Cases for sale cheap. Call and see them at W. TREMAYNE GARDY, Jeweler and Optician, 65 King street.

FOR SALE.

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

FOR SALE—A mandolin, originally cost \$30, will be sold at a bargain. Address A. B., Star office.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

Advertisements under this head inserted free of charge.

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MOTELS.

HOTEL DUFFERIN.

E. LEROY WILLIS, Prop.,

ST. JOHN, N. B. Police Officer George of Halifax, while running to catch a car on Saturday evening, slipped and fell, striking the back of his head and inflicting a severe cut, requiring several stitches to close.

A burglar was discovered in F. Edson's house on Hazel street, Halifax, early Sunday morning. The thief was searching Mr. Edson's clothing in his bedroom when discovered. He escaped with 85 cents in change without his identity being discovered.

MARRIAGES.

ROSE-LOGAN—in this city, Jan. 5th, by Rev. T. J. Delaney, John Rose, to Miss Margaret A. Logan, both of this city. (American papers please copy.)

DEATHS.

NOBLE—On Tuesday morning, Jan. 6th, 1903, Matilda, wife of Jos. I. Noble, St. John, N. B. Funeral from her late residence, 56 Wall street on Thursday afternoon at 2.30. No flowers, by request.

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., JANUARY 6, 1903.

THE HUMBURG POLICY.

The Gazette last evening contained an editorial, evidently inspired, dealing with the relations of the Globe to the provincial government. While the article accuses Mr. Ellis of grave inconsistency it does not attack him in the customary ferocious style the Gazette displays when dealing with his course. The most interesting statement in the article, however, is the following, with reference to the proposed division on federal lines:

"The drift of public opinion rendered some action on the part of the liberal party in this constituency necessary and the executive of that party met and decided to contest the elections in these two constituencies on federal lines. As a party the liberals had a perfect right to take this stand. The action of the executive of the liberal party did not necessarily change the conditions in other constituencies throughout the province."

There is no suggestion that Mr. Tweedie, who is supposed to be premier, was consulted at all in reference to this double-barrelled programme, which would make a division on federal lines in St. John, and leave the government supporters in other constituencies to do as they choose. Under this plan, conservatives might be denounced in St. John and cajoled in Kings county, in the interests of the same government. Apparently, the government is afraid to face the issue, either on straight federal lines, or coalition, taking the province as a whole. But by turning the campaign into a separate vote-hunt in each county, adapting themselves to any conditions which they think will be for their benefit, they hope to pull out a majority. This is the policy of the opportunist, who knows he cannot succeed on his merits.

It now remains to be seen what response will be given by those liberal papers, like the Globe and Moncton Transcript, which have favored a division on federal lines all over the province. It will of course occur to them that if Mr. Pugsley and Mr. Tweedie are not good enough liberals to make the fight all along the line they are no great addition to the ranks of that party. But whatever those journals think, the majority of the electors will probably decide that a government which confesses itself beaten on its record, and shifts its ground to snatch if possible an unfair verdict, is a very good sort of government to defeat. And liberals and conservatives will join in this very necessary work.

GOVERNMENTS AND PROSPERITY.

The people of the United States owe a great debt to the members of the Canadian government, and it should occasion no surprise if the thanks of congress were unanimously voted to Sir Wilfrid Hon. Mr. Fielding and their colleagues. For times have been good in the United States, and we all know that it was merely the overflow of the prosperity in Canada, which is entirely owing to the fact that a liberal government is in power. As an illustration of the great business activity in the United States, we may cite the fact that although the production of iron and steel in that country was greater in 1902 than ever before, it was nevertheless necessary to import more in the first eleven months of that year than in any full year for a decade. The total value of the imports of iron and steel for the eleven months was about \$40,000,000. In 1899 the total for twelve months was only \$32,000,000. The items include pig iron, ingots, blooms, bars, etc., machinery, tin plates, terné plates, etc., iron ore, cutlery, bar iron, railway bars, scrap iron and steel, firearms, wire rods, wire and articles made from sheet, plate and tappers iron, needles, shotgun barrels, hoop, band or scroll, files, file blanks, etc., chains, anvils, etc.

Referring to the increase last year a Washington letter says:— This increase is the more remarkable in view of the fact that the pig iron production and the iron and steel production generally in the United States was far greater in the year 1902 than in any preceding year, the total production of pig iron being estimated at fully 17,500,000 tons, against 15,375,000 in 1901, which was the highest figure ever recorded prior to 1902. The increase in imports occurs in practically all classes of iron and steel manufactures. Pig iron increased from \$1,500,000 to nearly \$3,000,000 in value; ingots, blooms and bars from a little over \$1,000,000 to over \$7,000,000, and machinery from \$2,715,000 to \$3,831,000. In a single item, tin plates, there is a reduction in the value of tin plate imported in the eleven months being \$3,603,426, against \$4,594,736, and the quantity, 120,000,000 pounds in 1902, against 150,000,000 in the same months of 1901.

The explanation of the falling off in the importation of tin plates is of course due to the fact that under liberal rule in Canada nothing so common as tin would be considered of any value, unless the collapse of the demand for them for emergency rations;

and the United States followed our lead. But it is cheering to be able to reflect that our noble rulers have been so good to our neighbors, and brought to their shores so wonderful a wave of prosperity. And yet there are some people who will argue that even Canada's prosperity did not come as a result of liberal rule—but in spite of it. Even Mr. Tarte thinks our rulers might have done more than they did.

It has been decided by members of Plymouth church and Society of Brooklyn to remove the remains of Henry Ward Beecher from their resting place in Greenwood to a burial place on the lots adjoining Plymouth church, and to erect there a memorial building in which will be placed various relics of the Beecher family. The latter are now preserved elsewhere. It is proposed to raise a fund of \$100,000. Nearly \$8,000 was subscribed at the first meeting held to discuss the question.

The Dutch, German and American caricaturists, who have delighted to picture Mr. Chamberlain as a fiend gloating over South African graveyards, will please observe that the people of South Africa regard him in quite a different light. Time brings its revenges. Even Major McBride's photo has disappeared from the pages of the magazines, while Paul Kruger is very seldom mentioned.

The Telegraph and the Gazette both denounce the Rotheray forgery. They also denounce the Sun for repeating the history of the crime. They have not yet denounced those whose duty it is to bring the guilty to justice. It is pertinent to enquire what plot the forgers are now hatching for the coming campaign.

A man who was the valedictorian of his class at college met his death a few days ago because he did not know it was not safe to blow out the gas. Such an accident has been so often recorded that the repetition seems inexplicable.

VISITED THE ABATTOIR SITES.

The Slaughter House Commissioners drove out from the city yesterday afternoon and inspected the three sites on which it is proposed to erect a modern abattoir such as growing St. John needs. The New Brunswick abattoir company's site at the corner of the Red Head road and the Gilbert property was visited by the gentlemen in whom has been vested the power to make the decision in favor of the most acceptable place. Property number two was next sought out. It is that of Messrs. Kane & McGrath, situated on the top of the hill between Damery's and McCarthy's.

The Carrite abattoir location, two miles out between Coggie and McLean's, was also inspected. No definite action was taken in the matter. None of the gentlemen composing the Slaughter House Commission will express themselves as to the selection of one property as over the other. The matter is in their hands and may be fully threshed out at their meeting, which will be held on the first Friday in February.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS ELECTED.

Brussels street Baptist church Sunday school has elected: Superintendent, A. H. Chipman; assistant superintendent, Chas. E. Vall; secretary, J. E. B. Herd; assistant secretary, Avarad Stevenson; librarians, Misses Mary Bettle and Gertrude Beltra; treasurer, Mr. McRoberts; committee of management, E. M. Sippell, I. B. Kierstead, G. H. Burnett, A. H. Chipman and J. E. B. Herd.

Main street Baptist Sunday school has elected: Superintendent, Jas. A. Andrew; assistant superintendent, W. E. Noble; secretary, Miss Ella McAlary; treasurer, L. H. Thorne; pianist, Miss E. Vincent; assistant pianist, Miss Nellie Cowan; librarian, W. G. Thorne; assistant librarian, Stanley Goding.

WANT AD.—A case of Headache that KUMFORD POWDERS will cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

SCHOOL CHANGES.

The city schools re-opened yesterday morning after the Christmas vacation of two weeks with a large attendance. There were not many new pupils. In the High School Miss Whittaker, who had been teaching in a rural district, assumed the duties of principal's assistant, in place of Miss Beckwith, resigned, and Miss Estabrooks of Carleton was placed on the reserve staff.

In Fairville, Angus Dewar, the principal, was succeeded by Miss Sadie Sterling of Fredericton, daughter of Sheriff Sterling. Mr. Dewar had been head master for a year, coming from Charlotte county.

Miss Beatrice Smith of Oak Bay, Charlotte Co., assumed charge of the Milford school.

ODDFELLOWSHIP.

Deputy District Master Elliott on Monday night installed the officers of Silton lodge, L. O. E., as follows: Angus McDonald, N. G. James B. McLean, V. G.; George B. Drake, R. S.; H. E. Codner, F. S.; John Jackson, T.; A. T. Boyer, W. G.; George H. Worden, C.; F. A. Wright, R. S. N. G.; F. S. Heals, L. S. N. G.; John Walker, R. S. V. G.; T. B. Reynolds, L. S. V. G.; Hugh B. Tait, R. S. S.; Edward Lawson, L. S. S.; W. F. Hatheway, Chap.; C. J. Stammers, J. G.; E. J. Lyons, O. G.; A. G. Blaksee, J. P. G.

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AT THE ROYAL.

Complimentary Dinner to Visiting Scottish Curlers.

The dinner given at the Royal Hotel last night in honor of the visiting Scottish curlers was a brilliant affair. At 9 o'clock the guests filed into the large dining hall of the hotel, tastefully decorated for the occasion with flags and bunting, and sat down to a bountiful repast. There was feasting, drinking, speechmaking, singing and reciting. The speeches were eloquent and interesting, and the recitations and songs were rendered in a manner that was creditable to those who gave them. J. D. Chipman of St. Stephen occupied the chair. On his right was Rev. John Kerr, M. A., captain of the visiting team from Scotland, and on his left Mayor White of St. John. R. Kettle Jones was vice chairman. Following is the list of the invited guests, a few of whom were unable to be present.

Premier Tweedie, J. D. Chipman, Mayor White, Dr. Kirk, Hon. A. T. Dunn, Major Davidson, C. N. Skinner, H. H. Hazen, M. P. P., Provost Ballantyne, Hon. H. A. McKeown, Rev. J. Kerr, Mr. Thompson, Hon. E. F. Hill, Major Bertram, Hon. J. V. Ellis, J. A. Simpson, H. C. Read, P. A. Clark, Frank Rankine, A. P. Barnhill, C. B. Allan, P. C. Beauty, C. D. Ritchie, H. C. Rutter, F. S. White, P. W. Thomson, A. Watson, D. H. Murray, A. Muggill, E. A. Scotford, D. Cameron, Mr. Sanderson, C. W. Bell, J. McGregor, N. E. Fowler, R. Johnson, W. E. Foster, M. F. Moorey, H. S. Ritchie, J. T. White, T. White, A. G. H. Warwick, W. J. S. Myles, D. J. Bruce, H. B. Robinson, A. Cameron, F. A. Jones, A. H. Campbell, Thomas Campbell, C. Purris, Hay, R. Orchard, W. H. Harrison, J. Montgomery, W. P. Robinson, R. H. Smith, A. Ship, J. S. Gregory, W. H. Macdonald, R. Willet, G. R. Kennedy, H. P. Margus, A. Malcolm, E. H. Flewelling, A. Gibson, J. W. Cameron, H. Murchie, W. L. Dwyer, C. H. McDonald, J. W. Holly, E. E. Burpee, F. Miles, J. H. Pullen, J. Chesley, E. Watson, P. Shaw, N. Muggill, E. L. Ritchie, G. U. Hay, Dr. MacLaren, W. M. Rivers, A. B. Holly, J. H. Thomson, A. Macaulay, H. E. Courney, A. E. Campbell, A. J. Jones, J. A. Sinclair, Dr. Macdonald, M. Wilson, H. Prain, A. O. Skinner, J. E. Wilson, E. E. Shaw, Dr. Day, Wm. Sproule, J. E. Leitch, J. S. Gregory, W. H. Macdonald, R. Warner, T. P. Pugsley, C. McL. Troop, James Scott, N. H. Shary, F. L. Harrison, A. E. Wilson, Dr. Macaulay, G. V. Beley, C. A. Lindon, G. F. Fisher, R. Brownell, John Black, John White, D. Murray, E. Taylor, F. S. Mudge, R. S. Ritchie, Provost Gordon, W. S. Fisher, R. Brownell, R. Cousin, Percy Westmore, T. E. G. Armstrong, R. M. Magee, D. Provost, A. M. Colwell, J. R. Ferguson, J. U. Thomas, A. G. Blair, Jr., R. Randolph, W. S. Barker, J. E. Gannon, J. H. Thilston, W. C. Purris, C. S. Robertson, T. M. Stewart, E. M. Murray, A. T. Simon, T. MacMillan, J. K. Breen, E. R. Vickery, W. B. Snowball.

The menu card was in the shape of a curling stone, with coat of arms. Page two showed a harbor view of St. John, and the obverse contained the following verses:

Nae game can mak' your blood run quick As when ye draw a port or wick, Or run the winner out, and stick Upon the tee, that's curlin'.

Oh, hapless wretch who ne'er has known The music of the curlin' stone, That's what ye'll lose, no curlin'.

Then came the following menu: "Tak' time an' mak' sure o' it." Sliced Lemon. Queen Olives. Lettuce. Scotch Broth. Chicken Halibut, aux Carotes. Creamed Potatoes. Macaroni au Gratin. Pineapple Fritters, Port Wine Sauce. Boiled Sugar-Cured Ham, Sauce a la Essence. Boiled Leg of Mutton, Capers Sauce. Roast Turkey, Cranberry Jelly. Roast Lamb of Beef, au Jus. Loiner Sals. Radishes. Roast Grouse, Dressed and Larded. Roast Red Deer, Black Currant Jelly. Mashed Potatoes, French Green Peas. Celery and Cheese. Plum Pudding, Brandy Sauce. Snow Pudding, Soft Custard. Apple Pie. Lemon Pie. Madeira Jelly. Maraschino Cream. Strawberry Ice Cream. Apples. Oranges. Malaga Grapes. Nuts. Raisins. Confectionery. Coffee. Sauterne. Port. Claret. Sherry, etc. "Man, that's curlin'! Noo, gie's a sang."

The obverse showed a picture of the falls, and on the last page was the Royal Hotel coat of arms.

John D. Chipman of St. Stephen, the chairman, announced the time of the games today and then read letters of Premier Tweedie, C. H. Lablino and Attorney General Pugsley, who were not able to attend. Mr. Chipman then expressed his gratitude for the honor conferred upon him by being selected to act as chairman, and in a neat and patriotic speech he proposed the toast of "The King, to which there were hearty cheers.

The next toast was His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and the Members of the Local Legislature, proposed by W. S. Fisher. The toast was responded to by Hon. H. A. McKeown, Hon. A. T. Dunn, Hon. Mr. Hill and J. D. Hazen, M. P. P. Other toasts were: Royal Caledonian Curling Club, proposed by Andrew Malcolm, responded to by Rev. Mr. Kerr and Mr. Husband; the City of St. John, proposed by Senator Ellis and responded to by Mayor White and Hon. C. N. Skinner; Our Guests, proposed by J. D. Hazen, responded to by Provost Ballantyne, Messrs. Frane and Henderson; The Imperial Forces, proposed by J. D. Chipman, responded to by Majors Bertram and Davidson and Capt. Simpson; The Ladies, proposed by the chairman, responded to by Mr. Barker and Provost Gordon. Speeches were also made by John H. Thompson, Dr. Kirk and others, and there were songs by Messrs. Ritchie, Simpson and others.

TO ADVERTISERS.

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

NEWFOUNDLAND.

LYNN, Mass., Jan. 5.—The fourteenth case of smallpox directly traceable to the lodging house where Bloncome, the first victim, was found several weeks ago, was reported to the board of health today and tonight general vaccination in the city was ordered. The case reported to day was that of W. C. Quimby, a plumber.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

New seats have been provided for the members of St. Peter's church choir. The seats, which number 50, are of oriental wood, commodious and fitted with swing backs.

REMNANT SALE

IN DRESS GOODS ROOM.

Stock-taking is now completed, and we have put together all Remnants accumulated during this season's selling.

THERE ARE:

- Remnants of Plain, Colored Dress Goods. In lengths from 1-2 to 5 yards. Remnants of Fancy Flannellets. Remnants of Cotton Velours. Remnants of Plain and Fancy Flannels. Remnants of Printed Satens. Remnants of Printed Muslins. Remnants of Plain Black Dress Goods. Remnants of Black Figured Dress Goods. In lengths from 11-2 to 6 yards.

We advise customers to come early, as all Remnants are marked at temptingly low prices to compel absolute clearance quickly.

Sale Commences Wednesday morning, Jan. 7th, in Dress Goods Room, Ground Floor.



St. John Star.

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What better New Year's Gift for an absent friend than a year's subscription to the newspaper that gives the \$3.00.

TO COUNTRY NEWSPAPERS AND PRINTING OFFICES.

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

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

SUN PRINTING COMPANY

St. John, N. B.

The Elder-Dempster str. Lake Champlain, from St. John, reached Liverpool yesterday.

The Allain liner Tunisian docked at Sand Point yesterday afternoon. She will land a lot of cargo here.

The Donaldson str. Kastalia will probably sail for Glasgow Wednesday. Her live stock, 374 cattle, and 745 sheep, are expected here from Montreal by the L. C. R. at 5 o'clock this morning. They will be taken aboard at Sand Point.

The Elder-Dempster str. Lake Erie, Capt. Carey, arrived yesterday afternoon from Liverpool with some 500 passengers and a lot of general cargo. Of the 500 immigrants 315 were for United States ports. Sixty of these people were held by the U. S. Immigration people because of a want of money and 17 were detained on account of sickness. Some of these 17 will probably be deported. A special train conveyed the others intended for the United States to their destinations last night.

ACCIDENT AT SAND POINT.

Michael Walsh of the west end fell down a hatch of the Lake Erie yesterday afternoon. He slightly broke his fall by attempting to grasp an iron crosspiece during his descent. He had been working with Herbert Clarke, and together they were moving a piece of the hatch cover when Walsh slipped and fell down the hatch the entire depth of the steamer. Help was quickly summoned and he was hoisted up to the deck in a coal bucket. He was not entirely unconscious at any time. Walsh was then carried into an office in warehouse No. 3 and carefully attended to by the ship's doctor of the Lake Erie. Upon examination it was found that no bones were broken and that with the exception of a bad gash over the right eye and a number of severe bruises he was not apparently much the worse for his severe shaking up. A couple of stitches were put in the wound over the eye, when he was taken to his home. Mr. Walsh is a returned hero from South Africa and a very popular bicyclist and skater.

CHAPMAN FESTIVAL CONCERTS.

The Chapman festival chorus concerts in the York Theatre next Monday and Tuesday evenings will appeal to a wide musical range. One of the star attractions will be Miss Truax, the celebrated whistler, with a great New York reputation, and another is Hans Kronold, the world renowned cellist. Then there is Miss Welsh, a very finished contralto, who is engaged to sing in several musical events in the future. Reserved seats will be placed on sale at Miss Gray's on Wednesday morning. The chorus will rehearse in the York Theatre this evening.

To cure a headache in ten minutes, use KUMFORD Headache Powders.

A PLEASANT GATHERING

D. Arnold Fox, the new organist at St. John's (stone) church, was welcomed by the members of the congregation last evening. The rector, Rev. John de Soyres, was unable to attend through illness, and Miss Gladys Shawan and Beverly R. Armstrong acted as a reception committee. The programme was made up as follows: Piano solo, Miss Joan Coster; song, Miss Manning; song, Wm. Holder; piano selection, Miss Amy Adams. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening spent.



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Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Croup, Colds, Grippe and Hay Fever. The Vaporizer and Lamp, which should last a lifetime, together with a bottle of Cresolene, \$1.50. Extra supplies of Cresolene 25 cents and 50 cents. Write for descriptive booklet containing highest testimony as to its value.

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COMMON COUNCIL.

Members Vote in Favor of Doubling Their Pay, Etc.

Mayor White presided at the regular meeting of the Common Council yesterday afternoon and a long session it was. Ald. Allan and Hilyard were absent.

The treasury board reported the payment of bills and recommended that others be paid. They recommended further that the chamberlain make arrangements for the payment of \$1,825.85, the award and costs in the W. J. Knox expropriation matter; that the account of John McKulkin of \$70.88, amount lost by him in connection with the purchase of a house for the fire department, be paid; that the estate of John Longmaid be returned \$12.32 wrongly assessed against them; that \$7.75 be refunded I. T. Richardson, that amount having been assessed in error.

The report was adopted without discussion. The board of works recommended the acceptance of the tender of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. for coal for the crushers and rollers and the dredge at \$4.30 and \$4.20—Adopted.

The safety board made the following recommendations: That they be authorized to purchase 50 new covers for Salvage Corps Co. No. 1; that Policemen Robt. Hamilton and Crawford and Sergt. Hastings be allowed half pay for time lost through illness; that renewal leases issue to Mary Quinlan of lot in Brooks ward, and James O'Leary of lot in Guys ward; that beginning Jan. 1st, the water and sewerage board be charged at the rate of \$20 per annum for the use of the offices in the public hall at Carleton occupied by them; that legislation be sought for at the coming session of the legislature to place the control and appointment of the police force in a committee consisting of three members of the Common Council, one of whom shall be the chairman of the board of public safety for the time being, who shall be chairman of said committee. The board submitted a by-law entitled "A law in amendment of a law relating to the fire department of the city of St. John and to protection against fires and to provide for the better extinguishing of fires in the city of St. John, passed on the 26th day of May, A. D. 1892." They recommended that the same be read.

The report was considered section by section. Ald. Maxwell in moving the adoption of the first section stated that the covers would be divided between the two salvage corps companies. The covers would cost \$12 each, so that the expense would be \$600. The need of additional rubber covers has been recognized as was shown at recent fires. The section was adopted with the understanding that the covers would be for the two salvage corps companies. The second, third and fourth sections were adopted. Finally the section relative to the police department was fully considered.

Ald. Maxwell moved the adoption of the section. He said the matter was discussed at the safety board. As the city paid the police force, he thought the council should have a say as to the men who composed it. Ratepayers should go on the force and ratepayers only. Fault was found with the way investigations were held relative to policemen.

Ald. Bullock moved the recommendation should give the committee power to act.

Ald. Christie held that this matter should be left in the hands of the Common Council, and they should have the appointment of the chief of police and the police magistrate. It was stated that in the appointments made to the police force the members of the government had the say and the supporters of the government were said to have a say too. Let the council make the appointments. It was safe to leave it with them, as they represented the people.

Ald. Robinson thought the council should appoint the chief of police. Now the chief was the appointee of the local government, but he would not go in for selecting the policemen when the chief was not appointed by the city.

Ald. Baxter opposed the proposition. He would go in for vesting in the city the control of the whole police force. He objected to any question of patronage being mixed up with the police force. This proposition was to place the appointment of the policemen in the hands of the council while the head of the department was an appointee of another body. Let the chief of police be appointed by a commission named by the leader of the government, another by the leader of the opposition and the third by the council. Then a man would be obtained who would not be controlled by any particular party. If this could not be accomplished let the council appoint the chief. He deprecated the appointment of policemen by the council. The vesting of this power in the aldermen would not give them any better judgment in the selection of men to serve as policemen. Let the chief do it. Then he would be responsible for the men on the force and he would be the only one responsible. There would be no discipline if the government appointed the chief while the council appointed the policemen. The greatest evils had happened in other cities from legislation of this sort. Let St. John avoid it if possible. He was much opposed to this suggestion. He would like to see the police force removed from the hands of any political party.

Ald. Lewis mentioned facts which had happened which showed that the council should not appoint the policemen. The chief should have full control of his men. No man could handle properly the men under him when they were appointed by another body. It was charged that the council appointed the men on the force who came from outside. What was there against this if they paid their taxes? He objected to laborers coming in from outside. But when policemen were on the force they had to pay their taxes. If the council had the appointment of the policemen aldermen would go to policemen and say you must not do this or

that. There would be trouble all the time.

Ald. Christie was surprised at Ald. Lewis. Were the council not as competent to select a chief of police as the local government were? Were the aldermen not as well fitted to appoint policemen as the government? St. John was a small city, and where wrongs were perpetrated the public would demand their correction. If the chief were named by the city would he not appoint to the force the men the council wanted on it? When the city named its chamberlain, who handled half a million dollars a year, why should the council not appoint its own chief of police and the policemen?

Ald. Maxwell was willing to make the section provide for the appointment of the chief of police and the policemen by the council.

Ald. McGoldrick said there was a feeling that the police force was not properly run. St. John men who wished to go on the force were overlooked and outsiders placed on the force. Citizens must make better police officers than strangers, as they knew the town. He saw no reason why the council should not have a committee to control the police force. The intent was not to throw the chief of police down. The resolution passed at the safety board was a sensible move and a proper one. The government, he thought, would give the city the right to appoint the chief of police. The men in the fire department were appointed by the council on the recommendation of the chief of that department. No trouble was found there. Why should this not apply to the police force? Surely the council had the right to say who should serve here as policemen. The chief of police could suggest men and then let the council decide as to them. He was anxious to have the question settled by the council now.

Ald. Tufts was favorable to the council vesting in the city the right to appoint the chief of police. But he was opposed to the council asking that a committee of that body be given the control of the police force. There was no reason now why the council should not have a committee to look after police affairs. The chief of police in his opinion had done very well as far as he went, serving two masters. It was only natural that he should cater to the people who appointed him rather than the council, who paid him. He advocated asking the government to give the council the right to appoint the chief.

Ald. Stackhouse was opposed to the council asking for the right to appoint the policemen while the chief was an appointee of the local government. There would be trouble all the time.

Ald. Macrae pointed out that commissioners for the control of the police elsewhere were outside of the city government and they were paid. He did not think any advantage would accrue from the change proposed. Why was this suggested? Simply because men who had only recently taken up their residence here were made policemen. This would overcome by stipulating that men must have been citizens for a certain period before going on the force. The city, he thought, could get the appointment of the chief of police if they sought it at the hands of the government. The committee proposed was undesirable, and he condemned it in strong terms. Why should three aldermen undertake the control of the police force?

Ald. Christie moved that the bills and by-laws committee be instructed to take the necessary steps to ask the government to vest in the city of St. John the right to appoint the chief of police.

Finally Ald. Christie agreed to the following amendment: "That this council memorialize the local government to vest the appointment of the chief of police in the Common Council, and that the bills and by-laws committee prepare a bill providing for the vesting of such appointment in the Common Council."

Ald. Bullock did not see what was to be gained by this. It was urged that now the government influenced the chief of police. What would be the difference if the aldermen had control?

Ald. Maxwell was anxious that all the officials of the city should be under the control of the city. The council had no control of the chief of police or the men who served under him. The police who used to report street lights which were not lighted had lights which were not lighted. When young men who returned from South Africa after fighting for the old flag sought positions on the police force, the chief of police asked that the signatures of Hon. A. Dunn and Hon. H. A. McKewen be got. Why was this? The city of St. John paid the policemen. Why should the local government determine who should go on the force?

The amendment of Ald. Christie passed.

The rules of order were suspended to permit of the following motion, which was moved by Ald. Christie: Whereas, the membership of the common council has been reduced by act of local parliament from 26 to 15, thereby largely increasing the duties of present aldermen; therefore Resolved, that this council request the bills and by-laws committee to prepare a bill to go before the house for enactment to increase the indemnity of the aldermen of the city of St. John from \$100 to \$200 per year.

Ald. Christie pointed out that \$200 was small pay. The aldermen earned \$500 at the least for the services they gave the city.

Ald. McGoldrick seconded the motion. He said Ald. Christie was an economical man and was entitled to hundreds of dollars every year for giving his time to the city's business. It did not pay to be an alderman, as it took up many days of a man's time. The aldermen were clearly entitled to what Ald. Christie advocated.

Ald. Bullock did not want a cent out of the city. If this passed the officials would ask for an increase in their pay and some of them were entitled to more pay. He would oppose this motion and as far as was concerned he would see that his \$100 would go back to the city in some way.

Ald. Macrae supported the motion, stating that it was originally intended to have a council of 25 members. Elsewhere the indemnity was larger and as long as the principle of indemnity was recognized, as it was in New Brunswick and Canada, it should be a fair thing.

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Ald. Maxwell said this would not affect this council. The local legislature and the dominion parliament had increased their indemnities at times, but the council did not propose to vote themselves additional. It was a move for the allowances of a reasonable amount to future aldermen. This change might lead men who had hitherto refused to go into civic politics to go into the council.

Ald. Lewis pointed out that an alderman attended 150 meetings a year. Their hands were always in their pockets and they were called upon at all times to do what they could for people. Not a cent of the hundred dollars he drew as an alderman ever found its way into his pocket.

The motion passed.

The matter of the injunction placed upon the city forbidding them to cut off the supply of water to the lunatic asylum was discussed and the matter referred back to the war and sewerage board to confer with the asylum commissioners and report back to the council. Various other matters of minor importance were considered before the council adjourned.

ANOTHER LIBERAL PAPER.

That Refuses to Worship the New Gods—It Quotes Mr. Tweedie.

(Hartland Advocate.)

At a recent meeting of the local supporters in St. John it was decided that that constituency should nominate only liberal candidates for their party. The telegraph says the government has given in to the opposition's former demand to conduct provincial politics on federal issues and that the government calls itself a "liberal government." The Advertiser is a liberal newspaper but it doubts the sincerity of the change of policy as being altogether too thin. The St. John Globe mentions that the liberal papers but they, too, put no faith in the "opportunist." Two years ago Premier Tweedie said before a Hartland audience: "Only stronger partisanship can result from the running of provincial politics on dominating lines; and the legislature would become a mere machinery for the utterance of a mere slogan. Today things and prospects are different and the government leaders find an opportunity in a direct reversal of their principles."

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POLICE COURT.

The Assault Case Further Postponed—Harrington Fined.

In the case against Fred. King and Theodore Morrison for assaulting Petersen and Fred G. Globe, the prisoners were further remanded until tomorrow. Formal information has been laid by Mr. Gibbs against King and John Carlin, who is thought to be the fair haired man who was mixed up in the assault. Carlin has not yet been arrested.

Walter Harrington, who was arrested on a warrant charging him with assault on Mr. Benner on Nov. 23rd, was fined twenty dollars.

Joseph Addison from Montreal announced his intention of leaving the city this afternoon. Joseph was mistaken. He had been full on Water street and loafed around until his coat became of many colors. Then he was arrested, and this morning was sent into Egypt for ten days.

Henry Dickinson, another drunk, was also fined four or ten days.

HARVEY ATKINSON

Removes From Moncton to British Columbia. (Moncton Transcript.)

The departure on Wednesday of Harvey Atkinson from Moncton for British Columbia, where he intends establishing a new home, breaks a relationship between the city of Moncton and a gentleman who has been actively identified with public affairs.

For more than a generation Mr. Atkinson has been a prominent citizen, and has served the public most acceptably in many capacities including the important position of mayor. His influence as a citizen has been on the moral side of public questions, and has told for the betterment of civic administration. Mr. Atkinson is of the class of men whom the community can ill afford to lose, and especially so the liberal party, with whose interests he has been actively identified. All classes of citizens will join in the expression of regret at his departure and wish him every possible success in his new home.

THIS EVENING.

McCutcheon and Ellis Co. at the Opera House. Meeting Dominion L. O. L. Meeting I and 2 Scots' Co. Meeting of Natural History Society this morning. Band, Victoria Rink. Officers of Grand Division visit Granite Rock Division. Curling at St. Andrew's Rink. Week of Prayer—evening services, 8 p. m., St. Andrew's church, leader, Rev. L. G. Macneil; speaker, Rev. Dr. W. O. Raymond, 8 p. m., Victoria street F. C. Baptist church, leader, Rev. A. H. Foster; speaker, Rev. S. Howard, 7:30 p. m., F. C. Baptist church (West End), speaker, Rev. Henry Penna.

The death occurred at 3 Union street, Halifax, yesterday morning, of Edward J. Shiers, laborer. The deceased was 57 years of age, and was a native of Eastern Passage.

The death is announced of Robt. Brigham of Halifax, which occurred Sunday night from old age. The deceased, who was 75 years old, was well known, having for years worked on the city works.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived.

S. S. Aurora, 182, Ingersoll, from Campbell.

Cleared.

Schr. John C. Gregory, 323, Barnes, for City Island.

Consul—Schr. Exenia, 18, Barry, for Windsor.

SPORTING NEWS.

HOCKEY. Off to St. Stephen This Morning to Play First League Match.

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Ken. Incheb, point.

Ken. Hiley, cover point.

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E. Money, rover.

Gordon Sanction and P. Howard, wings.

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Canadians Beat Another English Team.

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THE RING.

Benny Yanger Was the Best Man in Six Rounds.

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The Dominion Day of Prayer will be observed by the St. John W. C. T. U. today in Orange hall, Germain street. All are welcome.

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