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DIED AND CAME TO LIFE. Resurrected Man Tells of the Happiest of Heavens. HARRISBURG, Ill., Jan. 24.—The days of miracles are not passed, according to those familiar with the death and return to life of Ulysses S. Roberts, a clearmaker and physician. He had been afflicted with consumption for nearly a year. Two weeks ago his condition became worse, and a few days later he called his wife and two children to his bedside, and kissing them good-bye, told them of the fast-approaching end. In the presence of the family, his pastor, Rev. A. S. Macey, of the First Methodist Episcopal church, of this city, Attorney R. S. Marsh, his family physician and a number of relatives, he died. An undertaker was called. Twelve hours had elapsed since the spirit had left the body, when suddenly the figure lying on the cot smiled and opened its eyes. Mr. Roberts then spoke and asked them how long he had been gone, and, when told, he said: "That's strange; it seems to me I have been gone 1,000 years. I have been in Heaven and I have been happy."

Another Cut on Overcoat Prices. Our OVERCOAT SALE has met with such great success that we have had to buy 50 Men's Overcoats left in order that all these may be cleared at once we have made another cut. Read a few of the cuts: 7.50 Overcoats, now \$ 3.75. 8.00 Overcoats, now 5.00. 8.00 Overcoats, now 5.00. 12.00 Overcoats, now 8.00. 18.00 Overcoats, now 12.00. J. N. HARVEY, TAILORING AND CLOTHING, 199 and 201 Union St.

MORE RUMORS OF COMING WAR. Russia's Reply Not Yet in Japan's Hands. Report that the Chinese Army is Moving on Manchuria—Russia Makes Preparations.

PORT ARTHUR, Jan. 25.—The highest officials here repudiate the published accusations of Russian hostility to the United States because of its Manchurian policy and the appointment of American consuls under the new treaty with China. It is officially asserted that no large reinforcement of the eastern forces is expected at present. The military authorities, however, state that otherwise arrangements are making for a large number of troops from the province of Chi-Li for the Cossacks and mounted infantry. The demoralization of passenger and freight traffic on the Manchurian railway continues, owing to the military activity and there is a large block of freight at Port Dairy on the Liao Tung peninsula.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 24.—Reports of an alarming nature concerning the situation in the far east continue to pour in. These include the statements that the Japanese are landing an army at Ma-Serona, Korea, and that three thousand Russian troops are crossing the Yalu River. The reported dispatch of a Chinese steamer, carrying European officers, beyond the great wall to preserve order in Manchuria, cannot be confirmed here and there. The ports of the Japanese at Ma-Sam-Pho and the Russians at the Yalu are discredited.

THE BODY OF SCOTT. It is said that Riel's body was found in the Red River. WINNIPEG, Jan. 23.—For 24 years the question has been asked in vain, "When Thomas Scott was shot by order of Riel, where was the body buried?" It has been generally believed that only his bones were disposed of, but it is now known that the body was found in the Red River valley. The body was found in a hole in the ice, and it was found in a hole in the ice, and it was found in a hole in the ice.

JUDGE FORBES GONE TO MONTREAL. Judge Forbes leaves this evening for Montreal and Toronto, at which places he will attend meetings of the C. C. Bible Society and the Pan-Presbyterian council. At Toronto, on Tuesday, he will be present at the annual meeting of the C. C. Bible Society, when he will speak. On Wednesday he will meet with the executive of the Pan-Presbyterian council in Montreal.

BISMARCK'S CORNS. It is related that Pinnow, the faithful servant and personal valet of the late Prince Bismarck, who recently died, once trod on his master's gouty foot. Instead of sweating at him or ever declaring he was a clumsy fool, Bismarck, noticing that Pinnow himself was frightened, said: "Consider yourself honored. No other person, my dear Pinnow, not even the Kaiser himself, would have been suffered to tread on my corns!"

A DANGEROUS DAY. The slight fall of rain Saturday left the sidewalks and streets in a glare of ice. Walking became almost an impossibility, the only place that it could be accomplished at all with ease being the middle of the street. On Saturday night the rain was falling and was spread along the sidewalks, but it was not in vain, for the rain froze over it. All day Sunday the sidewalks remained a slippery glare, no effort being made by the public works department to improve the walking by the use of sand. Not until this morning did the sand men appear, and at that somewhat tardily.

GERMAN FORCES LOSE HEAVILY. Uprising in South West Africa More Serious. Settlers Murdered—Garrison in Danger—Cause of Rebellion Was German Extortion.

BERLIN, Jan. 25.—An official despatch from Windhoek, German South West Africa, says the Germans have lost heavily in unsuccessful attempts to relieve Okahandja. The Germans and their entire families have been murdered, and that the Hereros are threatening Windhoek. A German trader which engaged the natives near Joppe Farm lost a reserve officer, four boys, one non-commissioned officer and six men killed. The garrison of Windhoek numbers 230 men, part of the force being horsemen, with two machine guns.

LYNCHED BY NEGROES. Colored Folks in Kentucky Follow the Popular Fad and Hang Negro Without Trial. GUTHRIE, Ky., Jan. 25.—Lewis Redford, negro, was lynched here last night by a mob of from thirty to forty negroes. Redford had been arrested on the charge of killing Priscilla Frodell, also colored. He confessed to having been in the woman's company and to assaulting her, but denied that he killed her. He was taken to the jail, but a mob rushed in and demanded the keys to his cell. The guard at first refused to deliver the keys but surrendered them after a pummeling. The prisoner was dragged to a tree a few yards from the jail door and hanged.

A GOVERNOR AT HIS FEED. (New York Times). Gov. Van Sant, of Minnesota, is a multi-mannered and obliging man, but after a recent incident in which he was the central figure, he remarked with sincere feeling: "It's a long worm that has no turning, and it's about time to turn when I'm made a side-show feature."

AS TO PLATFORMS. Senator Stewart, while travelling in Nevada, stood on the platform of the C. C. and was approached by a conductor. "Senator," began the employe, touching his cap respectfully, "I dislike to remind you of Rule 11, which requires passengers to ride inside the coaches."

CANADIAN PRODUCTS EXHIBIT IN JAMAICA. TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 23.—A "Canadian Manufacturers' Show-room" will be established at Kingston, Jamaica, for the purpose of pushing the sale of Canadian manufactured articles in that island. This intelligence was received by the secretary of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association yesterday in a letter from G. Gustave Burke, Canadian trade agent in Jamaica, who is the father of the project. The association is asked to make suggestions and co-operate in every way possible to make the exhibition a success. The purpose is to establish a permanent show-room and agency for Canadian goods, such as exist in the various centres of commercial activity throughout the world.

MURDERED SON AND FATHER. Awful Crime of Ontario Hired Man. Killed His Employer and Young Son on Account of a Dispute Over Wages.

Special to the Star. MONTREAL, Jan. 25.—Clement Goyette, of Montreal, yesterday killed Daniel Corrigan, a farmer, and his son Alred. Corrigan is a farmer and hired Goyette. There was trouble over wages and Goyette, who had been drinking, took the axe to the stable where the farmer was, and killed him. He then forced Mrs. Corrigan to give him what money she had. Goyette was caught in the afternoon and the preliminary trial is taking place today.

PREACHERS' MEETINGS. Methodist. The Methodist ministers met at the usual time and place, Rev. S. Howard presiding. There were present Revs. S. M. Campbell, W. N. Matthews, Dr. Howard, H. Penna, C. W. Hamilton, Dr. Wilson, W. J. Kirby, H. D. Marr, C. Comben, J. A. Clarke.

STOLE LAUNDRY. A Week's Wash Lifted From Small Boy's Sled. A rather bold case of stealing was reported to the police today by a boy named James McCluskey, who lives on St. Patrick street. The boy was taking to the laundry a large parcel of linen belonging to a lady on Carleton street, and it was impossible for the parcel to be thrown out unless the sled upset, which did not occur. On reaching the corner of Union and Sydney streets McCluskey looked to see if the bundle was all right, and was much surprised to find it missing. He at once went back over the road, but could see no trace of the lost bundle, and is convinced that it was quietly stolen from the basket.

CARLETON CURLERS HOPEFUL. The hearts of the Carleton curlers, which have been cast down since their defeat by Moncton a week or two ago, are now beating with joy, for the club has again won a game. Last year the West End men broke all previous records by winning three games, and they hope that the results this year would be even better. But in the first match with an outside team they met with defeat and mourned. Now, however, hope is renewed and the beating administered at Hanington on Saturday is taken as a sign of future good luck.

CLIFTON HOUSE TO BE CLOSED. It is stated that as soon as the lease held by the Misses Peters, of the Clifton House, at the corner of Princess and German streets, expires, the owners will make it into an apartment building, such as are rapidly growing up in all the larger American cities. The application of some people who wish to continue the hotel business there has already been refused. The hotel will cease its existence as such about May 1. George H. Davis, station agent at Annapolis, is rapidly recovering from the effects of injuries sustained a short time ago. During the cold snap Mr. Davis was engaged in thawing out a pipe when a kettle of boiling water was accidentally spilled on him. It is stated that the Star Line is negotiating with Upper Canadian people for the purchase of a steamer to replace the David Weston. There is also talk of another boat for the Fredericton-Gagetown route. P. S. MacNutt returned from Toronto on Saturday. Mrs. Macnutt, who is still in Toronto, has been in poor health. H. B. Holloway, of the C. P. R. foreign freight office is in the city today.

MEKEOWN NOT A CANDIDATE. Declines Positively to Accept Liberal Nomination. Says He is Out of Politics—His Friends Disappointed—Mr. O'Brien's Supporters Jubilant.

Hon. H. A. McKeown told the Star today that he would not be a candidate for the liberal party in the approaching election. Mr. McKeown said, "I will not think of it under any consideration. I never intended being a politician. It is an accident, which will not be followed any further. I do not care to enter Dominion politics and will not think of accepting the nomination."

UNDESIRABLE IMMIGRANTS. Turned Back from the States to Be Kept in Canada. Ten persons who were refused admission to the United States as not being fit for citizenship, were on Saturday turned loose at Sand Point to shift for themselves in Canada, where, according to the opinions of American officials, they are liable to become public charges. This is not a very common occurrence at St. John, and the immigrants are known of no port where such instances are so rare.

CITY THREATENED BY FIRE. BRAZIL, Ind., Jan. 25.—A fire is threatening the city. The Calumet block in which it originated, has been destroyed and the adjoining building is burning. Terre Haute has been asked for assistance. The water mains are broken and a strong wind is carrying the flames into the business district. Mayor Moore says there seems to be no way of stopping the fire.

NOTICE OF SALE! The estate of the late Mr. T. F. Raymond, situated at Ben Lomond, together with that well known summer resort, Ben Lomond House, will be sold at Chubb's Corner, St. John, N. B., April 2, 1904. F. L. POTTS.

Grand Evening Auction Sale! At store corner Mill and Main streets commencing Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock, and continuing every evening until whole stock is sold. The goods comprise Fancy Lamps, Crochery, Glassware, Cups, Saucers and Fine Fancy Goods, Knives, Forks, Spoons and a general assortment of fancy useful articles. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

THE WEATHER. Jan. 25. Highest temperature, 30; lowest temperature, 10; temperature at noon, 12; barometer at noon, 30.06 inches; wind at noon, N. W.; velocity, 25 miles per hour. Clear. Forecasts—Northwest to west winds, decreasing tonight and tomorrow, fair and decidedly colder; Tuesday, fine and decidedly colder.

10 p. c. to 30 p. c. REDUCTION IN FURS. Our annual January Sale of Furs begins on MONDAY, Jan. 18th. This is a splendid opportunity for bargains.

ANDERSON'S, 17 Charlotte St. After Holiday Prices! Sleds, Framers and Snow Shovels.

DUVAL'S Umbrella, Repairing and Chair Making 53-59, 17 WATERLOO STREET. A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF Toys, Carts, Express Wagons, Sleds, Framers, Skates, Etc. Also, a nice line of Cutlery. J. W. ADDISON, 44 Germain St. Phone 1074.

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At Royal Pharmacy, S. McDIARMID KING ST. Tel. 402.

TO LET.

Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c. TO LET—Ordnance and fair in building on corner of Union and Smythe streets. Electric elevator in connection. Also basement workshop on Union street. W. M. JARVIS, 121 Prince William street.

A Child Thrives Well

Good Bread and Milk.



Hygienic Bakery, 124 to 128 Milk street.

FOR SALE. Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c.

FOR SALE—A single pump and large well in good order. Situated at 7105 St. ROBINSON, warehouse, Smythe street, city.

FOR SALE—A large house with 10 rooms, 2000 sq. ft. of floor space, in the best part of the city. Apply to HARRY COX, 111 Prince William street, corner German street.

FOR SALE—A first class light sleigh for sale cheap. Apply to HARRY COX, 111 Prince William street, corner German street.

FOR SALE—An organ. For particulars apply to HARRY COX, 111 Prince William street, corner German street.

FOR SALE—A desirable situated two story and basement brick dwelling, No. 100 George street, this city, and adjoining residence of the subscriber. Can be inspected at any time. For further particulars apply to W. H. FRENCH, 111 Prince William street.

FOR SALE—One 1/2 in. Pine Down, with 1/2 in. Wool, with 1/2 in. Wool, with 1/2 in. Wool. Apply to Sun Printing Co., St. John.

FOR SALE—An easy lamp, complete, nearly new. Apply to Sun Printing Co., St. John.

HELP WANTED FEMALE. Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Small family. Apply to 7105 St. ROBINSON, warehouse, Smythe street, city.

WANTED—Good general girls and cooks. Apply to MISS MRS. WATSON, WOMAN'S BUREAU, 111 Charlotte street.

WANTED—A waitress for the BOSTON RESTAURANT. Apply to 111 Charlotte street.

WANTED—A few good machine sewers. Good pay to competent workers. Apply at once. M. ROSS, 107 Prince William street.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in a small flat. Work is light. Apply to MISS GEORGE ANDERSON, 111 King street east.

WANTED—House maid at once. Apply at a German street. MISS J. FREDERICKSON, 71.

HELP WANTED MALE. Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c.

WANTED—A young man to drive delivery wagon. Apply to D. BROWN, 107 Canterbury street.

Brydston, Nova Scotia, eruptions on the top of body, Barber's Tonic, Salt Balm, Blood Purifier, of Wounds, Ring Worm, Hives, Bedsores or Bad Skin, and all inflammatory eruptions or swellings are quickly cured by BIDDY MARTIN'S EXTRACT.

For sale by all druggists.

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INFORMATION WANTED.

Of all the bye-elections coming off during the next few weeks none will be watched with more general interest than the contest in St. John. The decision of this city with regard to the government's railway policy will be accepted by the greater part of Canada as the verdict of the maritime provinces, which, more than any other section of the Dominion, are interested in that policy. Upon that verdict will in a great measure depend the attitude of the next session of parliament toward the Grand Trunk Pacific scheme when it comes up for patching.

This responsibility is placed upon St. John largely because this port is considered to be in the best position to judge of the value of the proposed road as a provider of traffic for Canadian ports, in spite of the great claims made for the road in this respect, all Canada knows that the leading men in parliament from the maritime provinces saw in the contract, as proposed, a grave menace to the welfare of that part of the country which they represented. Mr. Blair felt so strongly in the matter that he resigned his seat rather than endorse the measure, and Mr. Borden bent every effort of the opposition toward the amendment of those sections of the bill which threatened to rob St. John and Halifax of the trade that belonged to them.

In view of the great weight that their verdict will have, the electors of St. John should strongly insist upon full information from Mr. Emmerson and the liberal candidate here regarding the present status of the deal and the modifications proposed. No silly declaration from the new minister that it is unconstitutional for him at this time to state what changes are in prospect, should be accepted for an instant. The electors of St. John are the court before which a preliminary examination of a case of vast importance to Canada is being made. If the attorney for the defense refuses to place before the court pertinent evidence in his possession it must be taken for granted that the evidence is strongly prejudicial to his side.

The government's policy as it stood at the adjournment of parliament provided for a road from Moncton to Quebec to connect with a trans-continental line, but it did not adequately provide that the traffic originating in the west should be carried over this eastern section. In spite of urgent requests for such provision; in spite of evidence given that under the contract as it stood, the Grand Trunk Pacific could and undoubtedly would divert the bulk of its winter traffic to Portland, Me., the government refused to permit any amendment to that contract. Are such amendments among the changes now proposed to do those changes rather than give the Grand Trunk people even a free hand in working against St. John? Considering that the changes to be made are requested by the company, opinion will incline toward the latter view.

But Mr. Emmerson knows and must be made to tell. If the proposed changes are favorable to this port he would have no hesitation in making them public. But knowledge concerning them, whether favorable or unfavorable, is necessary for an intelligent verdict and deliberate concealment of them renders Mr. Emmerson and his lieutenant in this constituency liable for contempt of this court.

A GUARANTEE NEEDED.

Since the announcement that the government would at once proceed with the dredging of Rodney ship, in apparent compliance with the city's request, the Star has repeatedly insisted that such assurance was worse than worthless unless backed by an order-in-council guaranteeing the completion of the work. As is well understood, under the tentative agreement with the C. P. R., the city is rendered liable for the whole of the work and if the agreement should be signed and the government should adopt the not unexpected course of abandoning the work after election day, the citizens would be under the compulsion of contributing probably a quarter of a million without hope of return.

It is obvious that the city cannot afford this and equally obvious that the negotiations with the C. P. R. can go no further until some such guarantee is received. The belief of Col. Tucker and Deputy Mayor McGoldrick that the government, having put its hand to the dredger, will not turn back, is, with all deference to those estimable gentlemen, hardly sufficient to guarantee. Neither is Sir Wilfrid Laurier's diplomatic and easily evaded assurance that the government "will stand by St. John as far as it is concerned in its duty so to do." That story about a dredge in the St. Lawrence which is coming here sometime, has also been heard before and is not so reassuring as it used to be. Unless the government is prepared

to commit itself more definitely in the matter, the base suspicion that their action so far has been little more than another pre-election bluff, will be stirred into new growth.

The dark suspicion that every hat concealed the scheming brain of an aspirant for political honors will be allayed by the Globe's assurance that Mr. O'Brien is the only man in the field. Still, it would be interesting to learn the views of a colonel or two—Telegraph.

THE ENEMY.

Unskilled in Letters, and in Arts unversed. Ignorant of empire; bounded in their view By the lone billowing veiled, where they Amid great silence; as people nursed Apart—the far-sown seed of them that rest Against the march of the majestic world. They fight and die, with dauntless bosoms bare; Craved if you will, demented, not to yield Ere all be lost! And yet it seems to me They fought as nobel Englishmen did use Against the march of the majestic world. To fight, for freedom; and not Briton he, Who to such, valor in a desperate field A knightly salutation can refuse. —Wm. Watson, "In Time of Estrangement."

GIRLS IN DANGER.

Mormon Missionaries Filling Orders for Plural Wives.

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This letter, which comes from a man who was formerly a Mormon and who is closely allied in friendship with the heads of the Mormon church, is in reply to questions on existing conditions in Utah, in the interests of the educator, in the interests of the school girls, and about a year or two ago as much in vogue as they were 25 years ago.

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Came to Halifax and Found His Wife Married to Another Man.

With a week's well-dressed man arrived here from California. He put up at a city hotel and took a stroll around the streets to see whether many of the faces were those of his old friends. He had been away from this city, where he formerly resided. He had also in so much of his wife whom he had left here. Some ten years ago the man in question had married and he left Halifax for the West to see whether he would fare better. After a ten-year struggle he finally amassed a snug little fortune, and returned to Halifax in search of his wife whom he thought was living with her parents. He learned that she had been engaged for some time as cook in a well-known hotel, and about a year or two ago had been married to another man.

The returned husband consulted a solicitor with a view to bringing an action for bigamy, but after consideration he decided not to do so, but may institute proceedings for divorce.

ALL ABOUT CANADA.

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EIGHT DROWNED IN WEEK.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Eight lives were lost in the total wreck off Quogue, L. I., of the four-masted schooner Augustus Hunt, bound for Boston from Norfolk, Va. Of the crew of 10 only two men were saved. Second Mate George Ebert, of Cleveland, Ohio, and a sailor who was unconscious when washed on the beach.

LOCAL NEWS.

The meeting of the St. Stephen's church guild this evening will be in charge of the musical committee. The programme will include Scotch music in honor of Burns.

Rev. C. W. Hamilton conducted service in the Seaside Mission last night. Harold J. Dobson presided at the organ. A number of sailors from the different steamships attended the service.

The ice which has accumulated at Miramichi has served to interfere considerably with the operation of the pulp mill. The logs cannot be pulled up owing to the ice condition of the place.

At the Cathedral yesterday morning Bishop Casey preached an able sermon on labor and capital. He clearly explained the position of employer and employee and their relation to each other. The bishop based his sermon on the pope's letter on Christian democracy. Owing to the delay of some of the pictures which were being sent from Upper Canada, the local branch of the Women's Art Association have been compelled to postpone their exhibition, which was to have been opened on Tuesday, Jan. 26. The exhibition will be one week later than planned, opening on Feb. 2nd and closing Feb. 6th.

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NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Eight lives were lost in the total wreck off Quogue, L. I., of the four-masted schooner Augustus Hunt, bound for Boston from Norfolk, Va. Of the crew of 10 only two men were saved. Second Mate George Ebert, of Cleveland, Ohio, and a sailor who was unconscious when washed on the beach.

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CHILDREN'S WOOL BOAS, regular price twenty-five cents. Now 10c.
RUBBER BARGAINS--Ladies' Wool Lined Rubbers, seventy-five cent quality, sizes 3 and 4 only. Now 25c.
LADIES' FINE QUALITY TOE CAP RUBBERS, 70c. regular price, sizes 4, 4.5 and 7 only. Now 35c.
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SKATE BARGAINS--Girls' Hockey Skates, size 9 only. Regular price 40c. Now 25c.
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GRIT FACTION FIGHTS

Laurier's Sunny Smile Can't Dispel Clouds of War in Party Ranks in Montreal.

OTTAWA, Jan. 24--Laurier will spend some time in Montreal in the near future. This is assured by the result of the liberal convention called yesterday for the purpose of nominating a candidate for St. James division of Montreal. Hon. Mr. Prefontaine presided and had all he could do to prevent the hostile factions catching one another by the throat.

TO MAKE OUR CLEAN-UP SALE NOW TO YOUR ADVANTAGE ALL BROKEN LOTS OF TROUSERS HAVE BEEN TAGGED--ONE, TWO AND THREE PAIRS OF A KIND--AND REDUCED TO \$3.

BADLY BROKEN UP.

North End Man Who Was Working Near Debec Junction Severely Injured.

A young man named Dunphy Downing, whose home is on Bedford street in this city, arrived here Saturday night on the late train from the west, having sustained serious injuries at the saw mill located near Debec Junction, in Maine. Downing had been moving around the shaft several times. The injuries sustained as far as now known consist of breaks in six places in his left arm, a cut on the body, right arm badly skinned, back severely injured. While the young man may recover, it is feared he may lose his left arm. At all events, this would seem to be the opinion of physicians who have seen him.

CASHEL CAPTURED.

OTTAWA, Jan. 24.--Comptroller White, of the Northwest Mounted Police, was gratified today on receipt of a telegram from Capt. Saunders, at Calgary, announcing the capture of the Kansas desperado Ernest Caschel, who was to have been hanged for murder on Ottawa for December 18th. For over one month Caschel has dodged the police. Time and again they were in charge of the party which terrorized settlers, managed to dodge his pursuers. For the past week it has been known that he was in the vicinity of Calgary. Details of his arrest have not been received here, but it is known that Inspector Duffus was in charge of the party which captured him and that none of the police were hurt, although Caschel was well armed. After Caschel's escape from jail Chief Justice Riton held a special court and granted the condemned man a respite. It will now be in order to hold court again and fix the date for Caschel's execution. John Caschel is to be sentenced tomorrow for assisting his brother to escape.

PARISIAN AT HALIFAX.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 24.--The mail steamer Parisian arrived at 5 o'clock this afternoon with 224 passengers, 144 of whom are steerage. The second class passengers are A. E. McIntyre, formerly of the St. John Telegraph, and his bride. They were recently married in Germany, and will reside in Quebec. The steerage passengers, with the exception of twenty, were British, the majority are bound for Toronto and the date of their departure is fixed for Sydney. The steamer was within two hours' sail of her dock on Wednesday evening, but the gale, which shut in very thick and heavy at that time, compelled her to put about and run for sea. The mail train with the first and second class passengers left at 8.35 and the others will leave at midnight. She has about 1,600 tons of freight to go.

DIED IN CHICAGO.

MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 24.--Anselmie M. Keiser, brakeman on the Intercolony, died on Saturday in Chicago on his way home from Albuquerque, New Mexico. Deceased had been in falling health for some time, and was taken to the hospital in September hoping that change of climate would be beneficial, but it did not have that effect. On his return he stopped off at Chicago to gain strength but last week work came that he was unable to do. The young man was married and had a family. He was 45 years of age and leaves a wife, one son and one daughter.

SPORTING NEWS.

HOCKEY.
Capt. Coleman Says the Team Wasn't in It Last Night.

Says the Fredericton Gleazer: The Trojans have been rescued from the landslide they ran into at St. Stephen and arrived home on the noon train. In speaking of last night's game, although it is a sad subject, Capt. Coleman said: "We went up in the air and never seemed to come down. Had Sandy Staples, who seemed to be the backbone of the team, been present the result would have been different. Almost every shot on our goal seemed to score. When we came on the ice for the second half we were greeted with hisses. There was very little rough work, although there was some tripping. The rink was too small for us to get in our combination and we were beaten, plainly beaten. I expect to beat them on our own ice."

THE GAME AT WOODSTOCK.
WOODSTOCK, Jan. 21.--A final game of hockey was played in the Century rink tonight between two local junior teams, the Orioles and the Trojans. The former winning by a score of 5 to 1. Both teams gave a good exhibition of hockey, and the game was exciting from start to finish. At the end of the last half the score was one each. It took twenty minutes of fast and furious play to decide the game. W. Lister shot the goal that won the game. This is the second game played by these teams this year. The first game was won by the Orioles, 1 to 0.

THE RING.
Munroe and Sharkey to Fight. NEW YORK, Jan. 24.--Jack Munroe and Tom Sharkey have decided to accept the offer of the National Athletic Club at Philadelphia and will box six rounds before that organization next month.

CURLING.
St. Andrews Won.
The Thistles and St. Andrews played the third and final game of the annual series on Saturday, when the St. Andrews won by a very small margin. The play was close and exciting all through. The Thistles having won the first two games, win the local championship.

Col. Tucker Home.
Col. Tucker, M. P., arrived home Saturday from Liverpool. To the Sun last night he said that he had an interview with Premier Laurier and one or two other members of the cabinet regarding harbor improvements. The government would stand by St. John, he said, as far as it considered its duty so to do. Further than that the colonel said he could not speak until the meeting of the city council to be held at an early date, at which meeting he will be heard.

Deputy Mayor McDermid had a long interview with Col. Tucker, M. P., after his return to St. John. The colonel has been absent in the west for some days, but comes with a story which would indicate that the federal government will do all the dredging required in connection with the additional wharf facilities at Sand Point. Col. Tucker said he had been accorded several interviews by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and he reported that a letter sent to him by the premier stating that he had directed the public works department to have the dredge New Dominion now located here, fitted up for immediate service in the performance of the job. Other letters given by the premier showed that he was not in a position to guarantee that the whole work would be carried out. But Sir Wilfrid indicated that everything that St. John wanted would be carried out. Parliament would have to vote the amount needed for this work and the sum would be in the neighborhood of \$20,000.

Professional--"Are you blind by nature?" asked the charitably inclined citizen. "No, sir," candidly replied the beggar. "I'm blind by profession."

Heart Palpitated.

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CHIEF JUSTICE RESIGNS.
HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 24.--Hon. Wm. McDonald, chief justice of Nova Scotia, has resigned. His lordship forwarded his resignation to Ottawa the middle of last week.

LYNCH LIBERATED.
LONDON, Jan. 25.--Col. Arthur Lynch, who commanded the Irish brigade against the British forces during the war in South Africa, and who was afterwards convicted of treason and sentenced to imprisonment for life, was liberated yesterday "on license."

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First Big Dress Event of the Season.
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Tues. Jan. 12--Lake Erie Sat. Jan. 30
Tues. Feb. 2--Lake Champlain Sat. Feb. 20
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