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The average daily circulation of the Maritime Nail works fire.

The average daily circulation of the Maritime Nail works fire. Star for January was 4,433; for February it was 5,313. Now guess what it will be for March and if your guess is Sancton, fell on the street today and the nearest right you will get the broke his ankle.

St. John, N. B., March 11, 1904.

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Any later information,

WITNESSES ARE

CONTRADICTORY

Queer Evidence in the Johnson

Assault Case.

Complainant and Her Aunt Flatly

Deny Statements of Witnesses

She also told witness that that was not the first time she was in trouble. A year previous an incident similar to that with which Johnson as now charged occurred. Miss Calder declared she loved Johnson and would have him in spite of hell or put him somewhere he would not like. Witness had known Miss Calder for three years.

Mrs. Lena Blair was next called. She said a single shell while standing on the bridge. Captains Matsumura's description asked her to write a letter for her to

Johnson, asking him to call.

Johnson responded to the letter.

This closed the case for the defence.

Mr. McKeown then called the complainant,
Miss Calder, in rebuttal. She denied ever
telling Mrs. Ward that she was the first to

was charged whether the evidence was such as to make the prisoner guilty. He argued that there was consent, if not by words, by conduct. As regards the young man's promise to marry her, he said that the evidence ise to marry her, he said that the evidence ise to marry her, he said that the evidence commissioned officers, 1 man; seriously wounded—2 officers, 1 moncommissioned officer, 4 midshipmen commissioned officer, 4 midshipmen Nomination of Messrs. Crand 18 men; slightly wounded—4 offiand Sproul Confi wards the young lady could mean nothing more than what he said in his evidence, to

The liability of the prisoner for the assault turned largely on the question whether there actually was a promise of marriage or not. The relations of the prisoner with the complainant strongly suggested the inference that there was such a promise of marriage. Johnson knew that the girl was contemplating marriage. To whom? To no other person than the prisoner himself. If then what was contemplation of marriage on the girl's part, the prisoner was guilty of assault. Hereferred to the prisoner's demeanor on the referred to the prisoner's demeanor on the stand. In a half laughing tone the prisoner the prisoner than the prisoner th csumed. His honor is charging the jury

PORT ARTHUR BATTLES GRAPHICALLY DESCRIBED.

No Details Yet of Yesterday's Bombardment-It Was Probably Only a Japanese Strategic Move.

behaved to indicate that the Japanese were afraid to risk a frontal attack under the guns of the land batteries aunt. Her evidence was unof the guns of the Russian batteries important.

Mrs. Cella Ward, who also lives in the sames house in Brindley street, testified that Miss Calder admitted to her that witness was the first person to whom she told her trouble. She also told witness that that was not the

Miss Calder for three years.

Under cross-examination witness said she had never before disclosed what she gave during the first attack on Port Arthur, out in her evidence.

His honor asked witness how she accounted for her presence in court as a witness and how others had found out what she knew of the case.

Witness then became slightly confused. She said that the prisoner's lawyer sent for her yesterday. Mr. Morrell accounted for the vitness's presence in court by the fact that it had been suggested by others, who knew of Miss Calder's trouble with Johnson that probably witness knew something about it. Witness, continuing her testimony, said that Miss Calder had relieved herself of her first trouble by administering medicine. In her recent trouble she got witness to buy some gin and tansy for her.

Mrs. Lena Blair was next called. She said she knew the complainant, who on one occasion asked witness to buy single shell while standing on the bridge. Captains Matsumura's decided by a single shell while standing on the bridge. Captains Matsumura's decided by a single shell while standing on the bridge. Captains Matsumura's decided by a single shell while standing on the bridge. Captains Matsumura's decided by a single shell while standing on the bridge. Captains Matsumura's decided by a single shell while standing on the bridge. BURNED TO DEATH

whom she disclosed her troubles. She de-nied as well that she told Mrs. Ward that her aunt had administered to her medicine. She also denied that she got Mrs. Ward to She also denied that she got Mrs. Ward to purchase any drugs for her. Other statements made by Mrs. Ward were contradicted. She never told Mrs. Ward that she was in trouble a year ago, and as a matter of fact this was the first time. She admitted that Mrs. Blair, another witness, had written that Mrs. Blair, another witness, had written a letter for her, asking that Johnson call upon her.

His honor at this stage thought that Mrs. Wilson, the complainant's aunt, should be

Wilson, the complainant's aunt, should be the forts' guns. The Mikasa fired first recalled in reference to the statement of and then raised the attacking flag, Mrs. Ward that Mrs. Wilson had administered medicine to the complainant at the time of her first trouble. Mrs. Wilson was recalled and declared that she never knew of fortress damaged the fleet slightly. any such thing. The girl was not in trouble a year ago, and that she did not give her medicine as stated by Mrs. Ward.

This closed the case in rebuttal.

Mr. Morrell then addressed the jury. He the shells from the shore batteries was a state of the state of the shells from the shore batteries.

A RUSSIAN VERSION.

the prisoner.

Mr. McKeown prefaced his address to the jury by stating the law with reference to assault. He pointed out that violence was not necersary to constitute in the eye of the law. He submitted that the circumstances of the incident in the park constituted all the clements of assault. The law, he said, draws a distinction between consent and submission. Submission obtained by fraud or inducement did not amount to willing consent. The fraud or the inducement in the present case was the promise of marriage made by the prisoner.

The liability of the prisoner for the assault.

To find the prisoner and submission of the naval battle at Port Arthur on Feb. 9. It says:

"The Rusian squadron which was special meeting of the council every Thursday night until after the civic elections.

Tonight the regular meeting of the council takes place, when the matter council takes place, when the matter of the bill for the extension of the franchise will be dealt with. A deputation will be appointed to lay the matter before the government. The Champlain ter-centenary will also be dealt with tonight.

WE ARE SHOWING LINE OF LINE OF LADY SUICIDE KNOWN HERE.

"Toward the end of the engagement a column of steam and smoke poured out of one of the Japanese vessels and it is believed she woman's exchange. 154 Charlotte with Japanese vessels and it is believed she sank."

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On Wednesday afternoon a young man with dark eyes, wearing a light overcoat and a slouch hat, entered Mrs. Mary Defaney's location.

LEATHER SCHOOL BAGS—22c., 30c., 85c. each.

THE TAX ON LAUNDRIES.

Discuss a Measure to Curtail Spread of Chinese Laundries

pose a special tax will be thoroughly threshed out. It is understood that the

tional ones starting in business. The fee proposed is fifty dollars.

One well-known laundryman, however, stated to the Star that he thought it decidedly unfair to ask taxpayers to pay any such fee. He objected strongly to Chinamen coming into the country and favored any and all restrictions being placed on them but he personally objected to pay any fee himself.

Ald Macrae, who brought the matter to the attention of the council said today that he did so at the request of the big laundry proprietors and was satsfied all were agreed to pay the license fee. No descrimination could be made and if a bill was put through the house all would have to pay, white and Chinamen alike.

The pay roll of each of the large city laundries was about \$15,000 a year.

Narrowly Escape.

(Special to the Star.) gras, twenty-five years old was burned to death this morning in the fire which destroyed a house on St. John street occupied by his step-father, J. Lalibert, cabinet maker. Several other inmates had narrow escapes.

POLICE COURT. Another Sheffield Street Frequenter Put to Work.

Candy Mine crew and for the next three months can be counted on to do received his commission this morning from Magistrate Ritchie. Cairns was locked up by Officers Marshall and Mc-Namee charged with being a vagrant and an habitual frequenter of disrepu-table houses on Sheffield street. He pleaded guilty and was given the op-tion of paying \$30 or going to jail with hard labor for three months. He did not have the ninety.

LABOR CANDIDATES.

Nomination of Messrs. Cameron Daly and Sproul Confirmed.

more than what he said in his evidence, to board the young lady until the birth of the child. As to the alleged assault it came down to the simple question, which side was telling the truth? He believed that if the lury were governed by their convictions they would have just arrived here conjury were governed by their convictions they have just arrived here conjury were governed by their convictions they be tain the first detailed Russian description. No

against the Golden Hill and Electric search-light station batteries, upon which the Japthing has taken place in that vicinity

THE WEATHER. OPENING OF

PARLIAMENT.

Lord Minto Reads Speech from the Throne.

Some Important Legislation Indi-

cated, Including Militia Changes -A Short Session is Predicted

(Special to the Star.)
OTTAWA, Ont., March 11.—At the formal OTTAWA, Ont., March 11.

our first duty to express our heartfelt thank to a beneficent Providence for the abundan harvest with which the country has bee

ly increasing trade of Canada which has bee so marked a feature of the past six year gives no indication of any abatement, whi

allel in the history of the country.

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"The sum of \$5,000,000 in cash has been deposited in the Bank of Montreal in accordance with the provisions contained in the original and supplemental agreements with the company.
"A militia bill will be introduced con

Fatal Fire in Quebec—Young Man ing several important amendments to the present law rendered necessary by the growth of the force and calculated to promote its

of the force and calculated to promote its efficiency.

"A copy of the award defining the boundary between the Dominion and Alaska, and other papers connected with the controversy will be laid before you.

"In view of the widely extended settlements now forming in the territories it will become necessary to increase the strength of the Northwest mounted police force and authority will be asked for that purpose.

Skates, Etc.

Also, a nice line of the Northwest mounted police force and authority will be asked for that purpose.

"The accounts of the past year will be laid before you. I am glad to say that the revenue will exceed the expenditure, leaving a balance to be applied in reduction of the pub-

"The estimates for the coming year will "The estimates for the coming year will be laid before you at an early date.
"Hon. Gentlemen of the Senate:
"Gentlemen of the House of Commons:
"After the long protracted session of the last year, when so many important matters were dealt with, it is not probable that your duties will involve your being detained on the present occasion for any lengthened period. I commend, however, to your best consideration the subjects to which I have re-

medicine as stated by Mrs. Ward.

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THE CASUALTIES.

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THIS EVENING. Meeting of the Trades and Labor Meeting of the Teachers' Association n Foresters' Hall. International Musical Brigade of the Salvation Army at Brindley stret Bar-

Synopsis—Cold weather prevails again in all parts of Canada with little prospect of much change at pre-sent. Winds to Banks and American



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against the Golden Hill and Electric searchight to regard the complainant's disgrades as a joke. This and all other circumstances connected with the case strongly led to the connected with the case strongly led to the connected with the prisoner was guilty.

The court then adjourned and at 2.15 o'clock this honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first time that such a thin honor is charging the jury at the first and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a man who threatened in the hours of eight and nine was stopped by a \$1.30 each. HAND SATCHELS-60c., 75c., 90c., \$1.00, 1.35, 1.65, 1.75, 1.85,

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ST. JOHN, N. B. MARCH 11, 1904. AN INTERESTING COMPETI-

It looks as if some prize of patronge had been offered to the machine hings about the Globe. Here are the

ource of weakness, but a menace .-Miramichi Advance. It would be attaching too much im ortance to the Globe for anybody to raise a prejudice against every poliician who declines to bow to its mandates, are fully understood by the prominent Liberals of the province. The
Liberals have treated the Globe and
its proprietors with more than generosity, and they are repaid by being
stabbed in the back.—Fredericton Her-

THE CAMPAIGN CONTINUES

An Associated Press despatch from London a few days ago reported Premier Balfour as stating that Mr. Chamberlain had come to agree with him that a tax on food was outside the

that day, declined to accept it as truthful, believing that the Associated Press. Gazette-seized upon the report greed-

signed his cabinet position to enter upon his fight for a closer union of the empire, that he would never give up until he had accomplished his purpose. He may not succeed in convincing the English people of the merits of his scheme before the next general electric signals.

Along Brussels street a large portable boiler, just lately purchased, is being used. It is capable of thowing four streams of steam at once and is doing some very effective work.

In Carleton a boiler is being kept on the constant move. There is also an additional boiler in the city proper which is being used for emergency cases.

had made a bargain highly favorable continue to freeze until the end of the cylinder head, which caused the The fact remains that the contract was ratified and that every officer and all the prominent men of the company who were in a position to know the ins and outs of the affair were eagerly in

men as are in every company who kick against every proposition favorable or nfavorable, with cheerful impartiality,

just for the pleasure of making the kick.

The sentiment of those who knew what they were talking about was expressed by General Manager Hays who resed by General Manager Hays, who clared that the Grand Trunk Pacific sion a committee had been appointed the shareholders that if they did not take the matter up he knew of people

gain between the government and the ompany, whether they be favorable to people of Canada have to the Grand Frunk Pacific deal; which is, that the overnment by that deal proposes to

The report of the provincial auditor New Brunswick last year, in addition to his regular salary and travelling expenses, about \$6,000. Mr. Pugsley's ex-

LAUS MORTIS. Nay, why should I fear Death, Who gives us life, and in exchange

He is like cordial Spring That lifts above the soil each buried

Like Autumn, kind and brief-The frost that chills the branches frees

Like Winter's stormy hours That spread their fleece of snow

save the flowers; The lordliest of all things!-Life lends us only feet, Death gives

us wings. Fearing no covert thrust, Let me walk onward, armed in va-liant trust—

Dreading no unseen knife, life to life!

O all ye frightened folk, Whether ye wear a crown or bear

Laid in one equal bed, When once your coverlet of grass

Love will rule you there that gui-

Where Life, the sower, stands, Scattering the ages from his swinging

Thou waitest, Reaper lone, Mrs. Manr Until the multitudinous grain bath the chair.

Scythbearer, when thy blade Harvests my flesh, let me be unafraid.

-Frederic Lawrence Knowles in Har-

THAWING WATER PIPES.

Water and Sewerage People Have 150 Cases to Attend to-Great Difficulties Encountered

The water and sewerage department are still busy at work thawing frozen pipes in different parts of the city. The

ly and gloated over the collapse of the preferential campaign.

Later reports show that Mr. Balfour's remarks had only to do with the attitude of the government on the question and that instead of giving up the camberlain's adherents

partment, and these nave to be tended to in turn.

The greatest trouble continues to be in the North End. Two boilers are being kept constantly at work there. These boilers, until very recently, were kept at work thawing service pipes, but in consequence of the main becoming frozen they had to be re-

which is being used for emergency cases.

Men are still working at the Salvation Maternity Home, Reed's Point.

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While the cotton was cornered there were many rumors as to the shutting down of the mills, but the recent break which sent the price down to thirteen cents has settled matters definitely.

Thomas W. Finley, the furnace man in McLean & Holt's foundry, City road, was painfully burned yesterday while is being tused for a whole block. Another very bad case of freezing is at the Lorne Hotel, North End.

In clay soils the thawing soarce as sumply of raw cotton to keep the mills tooms for a long time to come.

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Local Government Will Consider in

This Session-A Highway Act. FREDERIGTON, N. B., March 10. In the provincial legislature today, Hon. Mr. Labillois introduced his bill relating to highways, making a number of changes in the present system.
Statute labor is to be abolished, and
each county is to be divided into highway divisions under superintendents

Hon. Mr. Tweedie said that last sesof which he was chairman, to prepare a measure for the purpose of amending the election act in regard to a secret ballot. He desired to notify the members of this committee that he would call them together tomorrow so that the matter might be disposed of

LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Alice Jack read a paper on Ancient Pottery before the Ladies' Natural History Society yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Mathews presiding.

A meeting of the High School Alumnae was held last evening at the residence of Charles A. Clark, 20 City. road, Mrs. Gray Murdock being in charge.

Miss Maggie Baxter entertained a number of her friends at her home in Leinster street, last evening. General amusements were indulged in and a pleasant time was spent.

Word has been received here of the death in South Orange, New Jersey, of Alice Barr Puddington, the little daughter of Archer C. Puddington, formerly of this city and now of New York

freight office yesterday from the management of the Caraquet and Gulf Shore railroad to the effect that that road would be opened within a couple of days. Freight for points on the line will be accepted on and after

Col. A. J. Armstrong has moved from his place of residence in the Barracks building at the foot of Sydney street. building at the foot of Sydney street to No. 12 Wellington row. Col. Armstrong has occupied the house in the Barracks since 1886. The building was erected immediately after the fire and stands on the site of the old imperial soldiers' barracks, in which the colonel had an armory, but which was destroyed by the fire.

Meetings of the Women's Baptist Missionary Society of St, John were held yesterday afternoon and evening in the Leinster street Baptist church. Mrs. Manning, the president, occupied the chair.

the chair.

The young ladies' auxiliary of the Congregational Church held a five o'clock tea and candy sale yesterday at the residence of Miss Aline Fowler, 103 Wright street. There was a large attendance and the sale was highly successful. It has been decided to hold a fancy sale in connection with the church shortly.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S LINIMENT to keep their

Maritime Axe Workers Suffering From

Representatives of the edge tool manufacturing industries in the maritime provinces and upper Canada held meetings yesterday in St. John to oppose the threatened invasion of Canadian markets by American manufacturers.

thawing operations are necessarily slow owing to the limited means for the work at the disposal of the department and also to the unusual difficulties to be overcome. Up to date there have been one hundred and fifty complaints sent to the sewerage department, and these have to be attended to in turn. ing the Welland Vale concern.

At yesterday's meeting no definite course of action was decided upon. The opinion that the way to bring about the desired result is the payment of a bonus to American manufacturers to induce them to discontinue to export their goods to Canada.

> tion in the United States, and if it were allowed to continue it would drive COTTON MILLS WILL CONTINUE

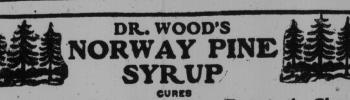
Chronic Constipation surely cured or money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS never fail. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price, 35 cents. At drug-

RECENT DEATHS. TRAVELLERS' GUIDE The death took place Tuesday at DEPARTURES. By Canadian Pacific.

ness. The deceased is sixty-five years old and is survived by her husband and one son, Joseph J. Brownell.

Mrs. Margaret Kirkpatrick, of Hampstead, who has been fiving with D. C. Slipp, her nephew, died Sunday morning at six o'clock, She was 79 years of age. She leaves two brothers and

PUDDINGTON-At South Orange, New Jersey, on March 8th, Alice Barr, daughter of Archer C. and Margaret Puddington, in



Coughs, Colds, Bronchitts, Pain in the Chest, Croup, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Quinsey, and all Throat and Lung Troubles. It is pleasant to take and is soothing and healing to the lungs. There is nothing to equal it for stopping that tickling sensation in the throat, and the persistent cough that keeps you awake at night.

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Medium Grey Check and Plain Bronzes. Very serviceable for school wear. Dark Heather Mixtures and Medium Green Stripes. Light Grey Stripes; Browns and Greys; Checks and Plaids.

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MEN'S ALL LINEN COLLARS; standing or turn down (Tooke's make). LADIES' MEDIUM WEIGHT UNDERVESTS-Worth 35c. each. For

WE SELL DRY GOODS AT LOW PRICES.

By Intercolonial.

Mixed for Moncton 6.30 a. m. Express for Halifax, Campbellton, 7.00 a. m. Express for Moncton and Point du Chene, Pictou and Halifax 11.15 p. m. Express for Moncton 6.10 p. m. 5.10 p. m. Express for Sussex 6.00 p. m. Express for Quebec and Montreal 6.00 p. m. Express for Halifax and Sydney. 11.25 p. m. Express for Halifax and Sydney. 11.25 p. m.

By New Brunswick Southern, s for St. Stephen 7.

ARRIVALS.

By Canadian Pacific.

STEAMBOAT SERVICE.

S. S. Yarmouth leaves St. John every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7.45 o'clock, arriving from Digby at 5 p. m.

By Dominion Atlantic.

LADIES' CORSETS at cost for Saturday only. Seventy-five cent quality 49c. pair. This is a good opportunity to save money. BIG HOSIERY SALE ON SATURDAY-We will offer our Best English

ALL KINDS OF DRESS GOODS at big reductions. For Saturday only,



Empire Richmond

I can lift off all nickle bands range. The ovens bake evenly either with new or old fire. Fitted with flat deck, ash or triple grates.

PHILIP GRANNAN,

Choice Roll Butter 20c. perlb 3 packages of Puddine, Jelly Powder or Mince

By Intercolonial.

Express from Holitax and Sydney. 5.20 a. m. 19.00 a. m. 19.

3 lb. tin pail, 35c., 5 lb. tin pail, 55c., 10 lb. tin pail, \$1.00, 20 lb. wood pail, \$1.95

Steamer leaves St. John at 8.00 a. m. on Thursdays for Lubec, Eastport, Portland and Boston.

Good Gooking Butter, 15c. per lb.

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ST. JOHN STAR, FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 190 .

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Made to Measure

The young man of today is characterized by smart, well fitting clothes, We are especially equipped to please young men. We have suitings that meet the young man's ideas. Our cutter produces these clever effects that the young man desires. The prices are consistent with fine cloths, linings and tailoring.

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You can save 50 p. c. on your purchase by attending our Bargain-Day Sale.

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During the week we gather all odds and start again until June. All that remains to be done is to dig the pits and install the necessary machinery. It is expected the house will be ready for use next September. ends, and reserve them for Saturday, when we sell them at unheard of prices, so as to make room for new goods arriving.

TOMORROW'S BARGAINS!

about 25 dozen. Don't miss them. Odd Plates for 3c. each, or 35c. dozen

For Five Cents:

Tea Pot, 10c. Mixing Bowl, 10c. Bath Sponge, 10c.

Wine Glasses, 10c.

Egg Cups, 10c. Screw Driver, 10c.

By Auction, at 10 O'clock, at Store Directly Opposite,

15,000 Rolls Best Wall Paper.

North End Dep't Stores, 565 and 600 Main st.

F. C. MCLEAN,

appeal from New Brunswick, judg-

This suit has been followed here with great interest. It was the contention of heirs-at-law of the late Bishop Sweeney that he did not by his hop Sweeney that he did not by his will leave to the church the whole of the property claimed under it, but that certain private properties were included to revert to the family. This Barry, K. C.

contention was not sustained by Jus-tice Barker, judge in equity, before whom the case was taken from the whom the case was taken from the probate court for the purpose of construction of the will. From his decision, which was in favor of Bishop Casey, an appeal was taken to the supreme court of this province, which also decided in favor of Bishop Casey. From this decision appeal was taken to the supreme court of this province, which also decided in favor of Bishop Casey.

LOG DRIVING

At a meeting held Wednesday morning at Vanburen, Me., the following were elected as the directorate of the Madawaska Driving Co.: John Sweeney, W. Cunliffe, Neil McLean, John Kilburn and F. Brown. Four of these men represent the St. John lumber concerns, which means that the logs of the Madawaska Driving Co. will in future as in the past, be subervicient to the logs of the lower waters of the St. John. A great many lumber-men of this province will doubtless be very much interested in the success of the meeting held on Wednesday. The contract for the driving of the logs this year was awarded to L. W. and

D. W. Rand.

At this meeting the milling company endeavored to obtain control of the directorate in order that they might when driving the logs from the headwaters to Grand Falls stop them at Vanhurga until their own were nick-Vanburen until their own were picked out. Mr. Cunliffe who attended the meeting, had proxies for all the St. John millmen and has evidently been

CONSERVATIVE VICTORIES.

QUEBEC, March 10.—Four provin-cial by-elections held today in Berthier, Port Neuf, Shefford and Maskinonge show net gains for conservatives of two seats, Maskinonge and Port Neuf. At the last general election the liberal candidates were elected in these four

Following are today's results:

Berthier — Joseph Lafontaine, liberal, elected by 110 majority.

Port Neuf-Louis Naud, conservative, elected by 250 majority.

Shefford — Dr. A. Mathieu, liberal, elected by 400 majority.

Maskinonge—George Lafontaine, conservative, elected by 200 majority.

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Two of these are conservative gains and the other two seats remain as before. In Behthier, which the liberals have carried by 110, Chenevert, liberal, was elected in 1900 by acclamation. He had also been elected in 1897.

Shefford has been liberal the last two elections. Port Neuf has elected liberals in five successive elections and

The same thing has happened in Maskinonge which elected the late lib-eral member in 1892, 1897 and in 1900. The four counties are represented in the house of commons by liberals. Berthier by Archambault, majority, 294; Shefford by Parmalee, majority, 430; Maskinonge, by Legris, majority, 499, and Port Neuf, by Delisle, majority, 435. Port Neuf was Sir Henri Joly's county.

DIED AT EDMONTON. Word Received Here Yesterday of

oWrd reached here yesterday of the death of Mary B. wife of Moore Cross-hill, at Edmonton, Alberta. Mrs. death of Mary B, wife of Moore Cross-hill, at Edmonton, Alberta. Mrs. Crosshill was the youngest daughter of the late Major W. B. Robinson of this city, and was but thirty years of age. Her husband went west about five or six years ago, and she joined him there shortly after. He is engaged in business at Edmonton. Deceased leaves

ROLLISON ACQUITTED.

Returned Verdict of Not Guilty.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 10.—
The trial of Walter Rollison of Sunbury county, who was accused of forgery, was concluded today. The trial has extended over a period of three days and has attracted a great deal of interest. The jury after being out for one hour returned a verdict of not guilty.

NEW COMPANY BOYS' BRIGADE. is soon to be started in connection with the Portland Street Methodist Church. Rev. Mr. Howard the pastor, is taking a deep interest in the matter and is doing all he can to make it a success. Col. James Buchanan will have charge of the formation of the company and expects to have it regularly organized in a short time. A meeting of all interested will be held on Monday evening.

NEW BRUNSWICK VETERANS. A meeting of the New Brunswick Veterans was held last evening. After considerable routine business was transacted it was decided to hold the annual dinner at the Alexandria Cafe on March 22nd. It was intended to elect the South African veterans to the association, but owing to the late-ness of the hour the matter was left

COLONIST SPECIAL TRAINS FOR CANADIAN NORTHWEST.

Every Tuesday during March and April the Canadian Pacific Railway expect to run a colonist special train to leave Carleton Junction, Ontario, adian Northwest points.

A Settlers' Guide, showing passenger and freight rates, etc., has been issued, and copy can be obtained on application to Canadian Pacific Railway officials

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Men's Tweed **Business** Suits.

Single and Double Breasted, in a Large Variety of Patterns, for

# Only\$5.00 per Suit

We have, also, a fine line of

### Blue Serge Suits For \$5.00 per Suit.

These Suits should appeal to the BUSINESS MAN, the MECHANIC, and the MAN with a SMALL INCOME and LARGE FAMILY.

You would pay \$8.00 and \$10.00 for them at other stores, but we offer them as

### Spring Leaders For \$5,00 per Suit.

Come Early and get First Choice, and while we have your size.

Some of these Suits are in our window,-take a look at them, and come inside and examine them.

REMEMBER:

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Satisfaction or your money back.

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40 and 42 King Street.

#### Advertisements. Classified

Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 25 cents.

HELP WANTED-FEMALE.

WANTED .- A respectable woman for the WANTED-Kitchen and Upstairs Girl. Apply UNION HOTEL, 184 Union street. WANTED.—At once a cook for a small family. Wages \$3.00 a week. Apply to MISS HANSON, Woman's Exchange, 154 Charlotte

WANTED—Experienced girls to sew by hand and machine. Apply EMPIRE CLOAK CO., opposite J. V. Russell's boot and shoe store. Main street.

WANTED-A girl for general house work.
Apply to MRS. R. N. DEANE, 72 St. James WANTED-A vest maker. A. GILMOUR, 68 King street.

HELP WANTED, MALE. WANTED.—At once, a Boy. Apply to F. C. WESLEY CO., 59 Water street.

WANTED.—A Stenographer, a young man. Apply by letter, giving references. T. H. ESTABROOKS, P. O. Box 101. WANTED.—A boy to learn House Painting. Apply to H. L. & J. T. McGOWAN,

to act as porter. Apply between 6 and 7 in the evening. SCOVIL BROS. CO. WANTED-At the 2 Barkers' Store, 100 Princess street, one clerk and one teamster.

WANTED

HOUSES TO LET.

TO LET-The house and premises, No. 57 Dorchester street, from May lat. Can be seen Wednesday and Friday afternoons, from t to 5 o'clock. Modern improvements. Hot nace. JAMES FRINGS, or TO LET.—May 1st, self-contained house, 8 Charles street, occupied by present tenant Charles street, and be seen Friday from 3 to seven years. Can be seen Friday from 3 to an door

WHO DOES'NT LIKE TOAST



covered with boiling water or boiling milk, there's not a man, woman or child not fond of good toast. See that HIEATT'S HYGIENIC BREAD is the

Hygienic Bakery,

PART WAS MISSING. essman Reeder, of Kansas, sav Congressman Reeder, of Kansas, saw a five-cent piece on the floor of a Pennsylvania avenue car recently in Washington, while he was on his way from the Capitol. He picked the nickel up, and said: "Is there anybody in the car who has lost a ten-dollar gold piece?" Several people, white and black, promptly said in chorus: "I did." "Al right," said Reeder, as he slid for the door: "I just found a nickel of it. I don't know where the other nine dollars and ninety-five cents

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Five Months.

Was Weak and Miserable.

Thought She Would Die. Dootor Could Do No Good.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve

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She sayst "It affords me great pleasure to speak about what your Heart and Nerve Pills have done for me. About a year ago I was taken ill with heart trouble and got so bad that I was unable to do any work for four or five months. I got so weak and miserable that my friends thought I was going to die. The doctor attended me for some time but I continued to grow worse. At last I decided to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and after taking two boxes they made me well and strong again. I cannot praise them too highly to those suffering from nervous weakness and heart troubles."

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Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are so cents per box, or 3 for \$1.25 at all head out'n the window." dealers, or

THE T. MILBURN CO., Limited,

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FLATS TO LET.

TO LET.—Small flat of 3 rooms and square hall; water and all conveniences with wood-bouse under cover. None need apply without satisfactory references. Rent \$4.00 per month. Apply at store Cor. Union and St. David Streets.

TO LET.—From the first of May next, the flat of eight rooms, 45 Garden street, with hot and cold water, and electric light fixtures.

TO LET.—Flat at present occupied by Hon.
J. G. Forbes, 227 King street. Has all mod-

ern improvements. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons. FRASER, FRASER & CO., 71 Germain street, corner King. TO LET—A pleasant two tenement flat, No. 268 Duke street, contains seven rooms, with patent closet. Cars pass going both ways. Rent \$110. Apply on premises to E. E. EVANS.

TO LET.—Two or three small commodious flats on Bridge street, North End, at low rents, Enquire of J. E. PORTER, 75 Main street.

TO LET.

TO LET—A tenement opposite Queen square, containing seven rooms, modern im-provements. Can be seen on Fridays from 3 to 5. Enquire at 164 Sydney street.

TO LETT-Tenement and stable on Car-marthen street, between Union street and Eiliott row. W. M. JARVIS, 118 Prince

ROOMS TO LET.

FOR SALE-STEAM ENGINE AND BOIL-

A GREAT PIANO BARGAIN.

MISCELLANEOUS

LADIES DESIRING AN EXPERIENCED

GREAT BARGAINS in good Second Hand lachines, including New Williams, Ray

Patti's career through the States in a private car recalls to the Memphis Scimitar an incident of one of her

cars.
Patti was scheduled to sing in small East Tennessee town not far distant from Chattanooga, and her manager wired several days in advance to the proprietor of the best hotel to reserve for her a parlor and two rooms with bath. As bath tubs were unknown in this particular hotel, the landlord wired back that the rooms had been reserved, but Patti must take the bath before she came.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powders.

AN ILLUMINATIVE OCCURRENCE. George Vanderbilt was reading in the smoking room of his \$2,000,000 home at Baltimore, North Carolina, recently, when looking up from his paper he saw a seedy-looking individual standing down on the carolanguage head through down on the carriageway, head thrown back, eyes dilated, and mouth wide

WANTED-A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in

from ten to twenty minutes.

ST. JOHN STAR, FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 1904

# DYKEMAN'S MARITIME NAIL WORKS

#### SQLE AGENTS FOR STANDARD PATTERN'S

An Exceptional Offering in Hamburg Embroideries of the street were completely destroyed by fire. The loss is a severe one to the city as well as to the company as, while undoubtedly the company will rebuild as soon as possible, for the present many men will be out of empresent m Wider Widths,

5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 inches wide. They are placed on sale at two special prices,

### 10c. and 121-2c.

per. yard. The lot contains about 1500 yards, This is the greatest Hamburg Embroidery offer we have had for a long time.

REMNANTS OF HAMBURG EM-BROIDERIES in lengths suitable for Trimming Skirts, Children's Dresses, at about half their regular price.

### F. A. DYKEMAN & CO. Our Big Wall Paper Sale

Take a Little of

A Bbl. of Choice St. Andrew Turnips,
A Bbl. of XXX Bishop Pippin Apples,
A Bbl. of Snowflake Potatoes,
A Bbl. Campbell's own Flour,
and an assorted Bbl. of Coffee, Tea, Dates, Appricots, Prunes, Peaches, Etc., Etc., at

Campbell's Cash Grocery, Germain Street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Celebrated Broad Gove coal, \$7.00 per chaldron delivered, at Watters', Walker's wharf. Tel. 612.

There will be a band on the Carleton

The Furness liner Evangeline, Capt. Heely,: from London, arrived in port this morning and dooked at the Furness line wharf. She brings a large

Policeman John Smith, of the North End division, was operated upon in the General Public Hospital Wednesday. Mr. Smith was resting easily yester-

W. M. Kingston delivered a lecture before the Y. M. C. A. last night on the Church of Russia. He pointed out how the czar practically rules the Russian church. He was listened to by an at-

#### STOCK COLLARS.

Silk Stock Collars, 25c. to 60c. each,
WHITEWEAR SALE.
At Special Prices, about 100 doz.
rset Covers, 14c., 25c., 33c., 50c. to \$1.10

Arnold's Department Store, 11 and 15 Oharlotte St.

#### Dr. A. H. Merrill, DENTIST.

Cor. King and Charlotte Sts. Entrance, 75 Charlotte Street. Phone 1631.

GEO. S. WETMORE, Produce Commission Merchant. .... DEALER IN....

BUTTER, EGGS, POTATOES, FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY, GAME. ETC.

Stall No. 1, City Market, ST. JOHN, N. B.

A Choice Upright American Piano in a Mahogany Case at a Great Bargain. A high grade New York Plano, 71-3 Oct., beached us slightly damaged in the case, and will be sold at a great bargain. Regular price \$375; we will sell it for \$225 cash. O. FLOOD & SONS, Plano Rooms, 31 and \$3 King street.

ROBINSON'S.

CANDY. Some Saturday Special BARGAINS.

WITH ADVERTISERS. Bargain sale of remnants of wall pa-Big wall paper sale of remnants at McArthur's Book Store, \$4 King street.

There will be an auction sale of wall paper at 608 Main street, on Saturday morning at ten o'clock (sharp). 1,500 rolls will be sold regardless of cost.

Inight, when death came. Deceased was sixty-four years old, and leaves his wife and three children. He was a veteran of the Crimean war. Mr. Smith had the respect of a very large circle of friends.

the whole vicinity was brilliantly finantiated.

As fast at the different companies arrived, the third slarm bringing out host, between put to work to the best possible advantage considering the indifferent supply of water. Despite the best efforts of the fire fighters, the flames steadily gained till the entire premises were consumed, with the result that what a few hours before what was a flourishing hive of industry.

A large assortment of REMNANTS—all styles and qualities.

Come Early and avoid the rush.

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Come Early and avoid the rush.

MCARTHUR, Street.

String Street.

When the roof collapsed the office fighters ago, while the third was but recently stored to install a plant for the manufacture of screws, the machinery for which is now on its way here.

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The lowest temperature in the city today was eight above. The temperature in the city today was eight above. The temperature in the city today was eight above. The temperature in the city today was eight above.

Your Bbl. of Money and get

of Choice St. Andrew Turnips,
A Bbl. of Snowflake Potatoes,
A Bbl. Oampbell'e own Flour,
n assorted Bbl. of Coffee, Tea, Dates, Appricots, Prunes,

pleted on the installation of a massive engine that had been built in Pitts-field, Mass. A powerful pump recent-ly imported was also destroyed. This pump had never been used. In addition to the machinery, a big in addition to the machinery, a big lot of stock and manufactured goods were destroyed. In the new building there was stored a big quantity of wire upon which the salvage will be slight. The entire premises were valued at between \$75,000 and \$90,000, while the insurance is but \$20,500. divided

# DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Three Buildings Burned to the Ground -Loss About \$90,000 --- Insurance Only \$29,500.

rebuild as soon as possible, for the present many men will be out of employment.

The fire was discovered about five minutes after five o'clock by the night watchman, Perkins by name, who at once sent in an alarm from box 142, which was promptly responded to. A few minutes later a second alarm was sent in which was quickly followed by a third.

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When the firemen axrived, the buildings were a seething mass of flames and volumes of smoke and flames were pouring through the roof. It looks very much as if the fire had been under way for some time before discovered and the general opinion of the firemen is that it originated in the engine room, which was located near the face of the wharf.

The mills were owned and operated by a joint stock company. Jas. Manchester is president and following are the directors: R. C. Elkin, vice-president; Eben Perkins, secreary-treasurer; D. J. Purdy, John Robertson, Jos. Allison, Fred E. Marvin and Fred Elkin.

The supply of water at the fire this morning was unsatisfactory. When the city and are staying at Mrs. Seeds, 145 Duke street. Mr. Ross preached last Sunday in St. Andrew's church, and will occupy that pulpit next Sunday also.

Mrs. William Pugsley and son, John A., have arrived from St. John. They will be at the Queen during the session. Fredericton Gleaner.

Mrs. James Minnehan, who was called to Fredericton by the illness of her sister, Miss Annie Boyle, has returned to St. John.

the face of the wharf.

The flames spread rapidly and it No. 5 fire engine was first attached to was soon realized that no human the plug little water was obtainable. The water service, however, seemed to truction of the premises. Minute after minute the flames mounted higher and higher, and it was not long before the whole vicinity was brilliantly il-

FUNERALS TODAY.

feet. The firemen made an effort to get it out of the ruins, but the flames were too much for them. Later on it was found that the safe was intact,

A NEW HYMN BOOK.

T. S. Sims, chairman of the executive committee of the Sunday School Association, received a copy of the hymn book which will be used on the Sunday school tour to take place between May 8 and June 8, in which period conventions wil be held in every county in the tions will be held in every county in the province. This hymn book is now in use on a similar tour in South Carolina. It will be provided free for delegates. The publishers, I. H. Meredith and T. C. Tullar, will take part in the tour and lead the singing.

### Daylight Store

Men's Wool Hose, special tomorrow 19c. pair

A quiet wedding took place last Wednesday evening at the home of George Briggs, French Lake, when his eldest daughter, Miss Annie, was Men's Col'd Shirts, united in marriage to Horace Randall, of the firm of Randall Bros., fruit special tomorrow,

News.

Great sale all day Saturday at the "Daylight" store, cor. Duke and Charlotte streets. See advertisement on page four. If you want to get good goods at a low price attend this sale of White Cotton, Walst Silks, Holsery and other goods. Men's Handk'chfs, special tomorrow, 6 for 25c

Men's Underwear, special tomorrow, young man who was caught in the belting at the St. John Iron Works yes-95c. Suit

terday, received more serious injuries than was at first suspected. His condi-tion today is causing his friends some Major and Mrs. Howell, of the Salvation Army, left last evening for Toronto. Yesterday afternoon at the morrow. sidence of adjutant Wiggins, 84 Gerpresented to Mrs. Howell, and to Major Howell an encyclopedia. The presentations were made by Adjutant Wiggins, on behalf of the local officers. At the

depot there was a large assembly of army friends to farewell the major and Robert Smith, an old and respected resident of Fairville, and foreman of the C. P. R. coal sheds there, was seiznesday night. He was carried to the home of his son-in-law, James A. Mc-Kinnon, where he lingered until last



# Look Down

A Sale at Money-Saving Prices Tomorrow. Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, special tomorrow, 4 for 10c

Dish Cloths, special tomorrow, 3 for 10c A Sale at Money Saving Prices To-Waist Silks.



Cor. Duke and Charlotte Sts. STORE OPEN EVENINGS.

Edgar Dickson, who has been visiting, his father, S. Z. Dickson, left last evening to return to Calgary.

Hon, James Holly has returned after a visit to his daughter at Cambridge, Mass. Mrs. Holly will not be home for some time.

day afternoon.

Dr. McInerney and Geo. V. McInerney returned to the city yesterday by the Halifax express.

evening.

Geo. Jenkins returned to the city last night from St. Stephen.

W. L. Wallace, photographer, who has lately undergone a successful surgical operation under the care of Dr. Roberts, is rapidly recovering, and his friends will be glad to hear that he is doing so well and that he will be around again in a short time.

Miss Lily Shewan, who has been visiting

her sister, Mrs. Dr. Frank Smith, leaves on return to Montreal tomorrow. W. S. Fisher left for Boston yesterday on a business trip in connection with the Enter-prise foundry. He intends to visit the foun-dries of the neighboring states and will at the same time keep an eye on their general business interests.
Dr. J. W. Manchester of Sussex, who has just returned from London, Eng., where he

took a post graduate course in medicine, wa land, Nova Scotia, are spending a week in the city and are staying at Mrs. Seeds, 145

ST. JOHN MAN SUSPECTED. Two Detectives on the Trail of the St

Mr. Merritt, the Pinkerton detective who is employed upon the bank of Nova Scotia robbery case in St. Anon business connnected with the case
The parties concerned in the robbery are well known and one of them is under lock and key at Portland, Me. for a break at the post office in Lewiston. He is William Hudell, alias Wm. O'Brien, alias Wm. Brown. He be-longs in Montreal, and has a brother Jo. Hudell, serving a sentence in the Massachusetts state prison at Charles-town for similar work. Their father followed the same profession.

Another one implicated is Michael
Rourke, alias Michael O'Rourke, alias
James Murray, who has not yet been
apprehended though his whereabouts are pretty well known and two detec tives are on his track. Rourke has been a frequent visitor to St. Stepher and is a native of St. John.—St. Croix

GOOD FOR ST. JOHN. Prize Steer Fattened in the Heart of

Thos. McDonald, of the city market commissioner of agriculture. It was as fine a looking piece of beef as has been the steer was fed and fattened in the heart of the city. In a barn off Exmouth street this prize animal was reared and enjoyed many happy days till led away to be slaughtered. Ontario send plenty of good beef and various sections of the province boast of their facilities and fitness for fattening cattle but right here in the city this top has been done successfully. this job has been done successfully. the carcass dressed at 700 pounds.

ST. JOHN'S OPPORTUNITY. When the Dailey company open their return engagement here on Monday evening next, they will be greeted by a house similar to that of last Christmas. You can judge by the rapidity with which seats are being bought. On that evening Manager Dailey has selected the piece he is to play next year ected the piece he is to play next year in all the large American cities, the great English melo-drama "The Black Mask." This will be the first performance of this piece in America, and it will be a record-breaker, owing to the fact that St. John will see the play before Boston, New York or the other large American cities. New scenery will be used and an enjoyable evening may be looked for. Seats are selling

LUMBER KING HURT. at his residence at Marysville last evening and in addition to receiving a

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THE MAINE FESTIVAL

Mme, Schumann-Heink will be the prima donna of the Maine music festiumber king fell down a flight of stairs val, which will be held in Bangor on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June \$21,956.

The steamer Almora, Capt. Abernethy, which sailed for Glasgow last

bad shaking up, fractured his collar bone. Mr. Gibson, though in his 85th year, has had excellent health, and his numerous friends hope to see him around again in a short time.

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eral cargo, valued at \$403,388. Her cargo included 606 sheep and 518 cattle.

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