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#### Liquor License Act, 1896.

THE LIQUOR LICENSE COMMIS SIONERS for the district of the City of St. John will meet in the Office of Seen Wednesdays and Saturdays. Apthe inspector, Jardine's Building, Prince William street, on WEDNESDAY, the 12th day of April next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering all applications for licenses to sell liquor in the City of Saint John, under the aforesaid act, during the ensuing year, commencing on the 1st day of May, 1905, and also for the purpose of hearing any objections that may be taken to granting said licenses.

MICHAEL COLL. T. A. LINTON Pated at the City of St. John, N. B this 27th day of March, 1905. By order of the Commissioners

JOHN B. JONES,

Mrs. J. W. Vanwart left today for Boston on the steamer St. Croix to meet her daughter, Della, who has been ding the winter in San Antonio Texas. Mrs. Vanwart will spend about

North End. TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION TO LET-Lower flat, 4 Wentworth. Contains double parlor and dining rooms, four bedrooms, bath, kitchen. ply THOS. L. BOURKE, Walker's

WANTED-A good girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. C. E. HARDING, 177 Duke street. WANTED - A good girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. C. E. HARDING, 177 Duke street. 29.3.6 WANTED-A girl for general housework. References required. Apply to

10 Mecklenburg street. LOST-This morning between Union, King and Charlotte streets, a purse ontaining \$250. Reward on returning to MRS. J. E. COX, 308 Rrussels St. TO LET-A small flat in central locality. Hot water heating and mod-ern improvements. Address P. O. Box 29-3-tf

McCann barn in Meyer's alley, where the trouble occurred in John McCann's house the other night and three weeks in Boston. A telegram house the other night and examined the head of capital account liabilities yesterday from Miss Vanwart announces her safe arrival in Washing- animal had passed its days of usefulthe same system as was adopted in l ness and so the beast will be shot.

### SALE PRICES ON MEN'S SUITS.

showed receipts but no detail statemen These Special Prices on Suits will last this week only. as to how the money was spent. Mr. Sweeny thought it should be fuller and A very great many are taking advantage of this sale and are buying their Spring Suits at the factory prices. Will you? \$5.50, \$5.00 Suits-Sale price \$3.95.

\$7.00, \$6.00 Suits-Sale price \$5.00. \$8.75, \$7.50 Suits-Sale price \$6.98. \$10.00, \$11.00, \$12.00 Suits-Sale price \$8.75.

Men's and Boys' Clothier 199 and 201 Union &t.

# REFUSE TO PAY TAXES.

Troubles Growing---Revolutionary De-Petersburg---Czar Orders Reforms in Poland.

funeral yesterday of a student named the prosperity of Poland. circulating propagandist literature, ritory during the past forty years, a hanged himself, his mind being un- series of needs has developed upon pany. hinged, was the occasion of a striking which the government is now bestowrevolutionary demonstration. Disregarding police warnings, crowds of students followed the funeral cortege, singing revolutionary songs and scattering pamphlets. The casket was covered with wreaths from socialists, revolutionaries and workmen.

discussion of the reforms for which the country is ripe, and at the same time sections of the Polish population are holding forth exorbitant claims

Disturbances in the Caucasus con-tinue. A gen d'arme was killed at Poti, ment of the state language to which ten people have been wounded at Gori, there must remain assured throughout whilst at Suchum the police are power- the empire the high importance due to district the peasants refuse to pay just exclusion of local language. The district the peasants return the states or rent lands and have elected a secret committee to manage local af-

ST. PETERSBURG, March 29.-Em- sary for the prosperity of the territory peror Nicholas has instructed M. Mam- inseparably connected with other parts movitch, governor general of Warsaw, of the Russian state."

MARVIN HART WON.

Fierce 20 Ronnd Fight

Last Night.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.-Mar-

vin Hart was awarded the decision over

Jack Johnson in a twenty round con

ing that he is qualified to meet Jim

Jeffries. Hart was as badly a punish

ed a man as has been seen in the ring

in a long time, but he was game and kept boring into the big colored man

freely, his blows did not seem to dam-

short end in the betting and every lead he made at Johnson, whether he land-

ed or not, was greeted with cheers. Hart did manage to deal the only ef-

fective blow in the 11th round when he

landed a right swing on Johnson's jaw

that staggered the black man and near-

Referee Greggains said that he gave

the decision to Hart because all through

the fight Hart did all the forcing and

leading. According to Greggains, if Hart had not pursued his tactics, there

would have been no fight, as Johnson merely contented himself with counter-

ing. Johnson did a great deal of up-

Jabez White, who arrived yesterday

from England to fight Jimmy Britt,

ed and said that he would fight Britt

the Public Accounts-Current Ex-

penses Charged to Capital.

All the members of the committee

and things became somewhat mixed.

The surveyor general was examine

PARISIAN ENQUIRY TODAY.

(Special to the Star.)

HALIFAX, N. S., March 29 .- The enquiry into the collision between the steamer Parisian and Albano has been

the asylum account.

y knocked him over.

age the white man from Kentucky.

#### FERRY IMPROVEMENTS.

tion of the reforms found to be neces

Awarded Decision Over Jack Johnson, in Alderman Decide On Extensive Pre-Election Forward Movement on West Side---Magee Wharf Troubles.

The ferry committee met in city hall this morning at eleven o'clock. Ald. limit, but he was far from demonstrat- Ald. Bullock, Christie, Hamm and Carleton and Supt. Glasgow.

Considerable time was taken up or

Magee wharf on the east side ferry slip. This Magee wharf is owned partly all through the fight. Johnson's much vaunted cleverness did not count for by the city and partly by the Magee nuch. While he was able to hit Hart estate. The city portion is under lease to the Magee estate. The whole is in The sympathies of the large crowd down and damage the piling. As it is were openly with Hart, who was at the it has already caused considerable in the betting and every lead trouble. There seems a difference of opinion as to the city's rights in the doing the damage. This property is, however, under lease to another party going there at the time. He heard a mission's report, which is expected to who have not complied with the city's noise and profanity before he went in, be complete in ten days, will be pre has been asked for an opinion as to swore very profanely and said he would aievitch and Generals Grodekoff and the best course to be followed.

and Nightwatchman Warnock for an two others, Laura Ward, who was not increase in salary were turned down. The ferry captains have continually place, and Mrs. Carney, who was left to take care of her. Mrs. Carney's hustoll house at the head of the wharf. living with McCordick. per cutting, but Hart covered up and The committee decided to move the the blows did not seem to hurt him. harbor front and to ask for an electric and the place was very filthy. was introduced prior to the main event. "Battling Nelson" also appearlight to be placed there. If the electric

#### A PAINFUL EXPERIENCE, OUEER BOOK-KEEPING,

Man Badly Injured at Bloomfield---Hauled How the Provincial Government Looks Afte 17 Miles On A Handsled To A Doctor At Westfield.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 29 .-Edward Farren, a young man, whose home is at Bloomfield, met with a very painful accident the other day while short session this morning, when the working in the woods. Young Farren, shortly after starting This account, like others, shows to work Monday morning, cut his leg badly with an axe, the blade glancing a strange system of bookkeeping. The receipts of the province show the sum off the branch of a tree. He was carof \$16,216.50, and on the expenditure side of the page is placed \$11,507.35, the ried by his companions to the camp, where an effort was made to stop the flow of blood and make him as comfortable as possible. After doing all the young fellow to Westfield, but just there they were met by a considerable the same system as was adopted in state a team could not get over

confessed that it was a peculiar me-The camp where the accident occurthod of keeping accounts. The excuse thod of keeping accounts. The excuse red was the head of the Musquash was made that the department had stream, about 17 miles from Westfield, been in different hands during the year the nearest point where medical aid could be secured. Farren's fellow workers, however, overcame the difficulty, in regard to the account of Chief Game and after several hours hard work Warden McKnight. This accoun they reached Westfield. All that weary seventeen miles they hauled Farren on a handsled over a road that was none the best. Farren suffered terribly, but gave no visible sign of his agony and talked cheerfully to his companions. At Westfield, Dr. Warwick found it

THE SMOKERS' IDEAL.

In a pipe tobacco purity is the first

# LAST READY FOR PEACE.

#### POLICE COURT.

The Unsavory Myers Alley Case Gets Another Airing in Court

An interested and attentive crowd of over fifty spectators were in attendance whether they came purely from motives of curiosity or for other reasons the Yakovleff, who, on his liberation from the emperor says: "Since the radical revival of civil life in the Vistula tercirculating propagandist literature."

In a rescript to the governor general, the emperor says: "Since the radical revival of civil life in the Vistula tercirculating propagandist literature."

> "The young men," he said, "who frequent these dens and stay at beer shops till all hours of the night, are going to the devil as fast as they can.' Not only was there a goodly crowd of spectators, but there was a full

One drunk was fined four dollars. are holding forth exorbitant claims concerning the limits in the employ-John O'Shea, the stowaway, who was lows: allowed to go yesterday on his representation that he wanted to get to Boston to find his sister, was before the court for being drunk. He said in court yesterday, that he had no money and did not know where he would get any work, but he was arrested last night on Smythe street and was fined \$8 or 30 suppressing artifically supported dis-

turbances, to proceed to the elabora-John McConnell was the next to an pear this morning to answer a charge of overloading and cruelly treating a horse on Paddock street with a load of ashes, consisting of ten barrels on a sloven wagon. The horse got stuck in a snow bank. He hit the horse twice with the whip but did not treat him

Harry Wilson said he was walking along Paddock street and saw the team stuck in the snow. He went over and helped get the horse out. He did not see McConnell hit or abuse the horse.
He saw blood in the horse's mouth, which McConnell said was caused by the horse falling and striking his head

J. King Kelly, for the S. P. C. A. said they did not wish to impose a fine, but wanted to warn this young man and other drivers to be careful in the future. He suggested that the fine be allowed

Magistrate Ritchie said the penalty was very heavy, fifty dollars. He would have to impose that penalty some the encroachment of the so-called day unless drivers were more careful. In the present case the fine would be \$10, which would be allowed to stand presidency of Grand Duke Nicholas pending future good conduct.

The case against James McCordick, John McCann and wife, John and Fred lotte street, Friday night, came up ter Lamsdorff, Generals Grodekoff and

matter. It is their property which is formed that the house in question was financial, transportation, Siberian and equest to make repairs. The recorder, and after he went in John Melanson pared by Grand Duke Nicholas Nichol have revenge if he were taken out. The application of Machinist Lewis | The prisoners were all present and or. it is difficulty to hear the bell at the band is in South Africa and she is now

bell to the end of North Rodney McCordick was the cause of the row. wharf, which will bring it out to the There were many bottles lying around John McCann said he went in about at Mukden, is dead. cannot be procured they will get a go'clock Friday night to see his little five year old girl. McCordick started to

evening and was so "full' he went to in 1898, he was made a member of the sleep only, however, to have a rude council of war. It is noteworthy that awakening by the officers. He could not remember about the profanity.

Osborne went to sleep also and knew Kuropatkin, and Kaulbers.

nothing till arrested. Fred Melanson went in "to see his brother." and was arrested. Mrs. McCann said after the cups be gan to fly Mrs. McCordick got a butcher knife and rushed at McCann, whereupon she rushed out calling back to her husband, "Look out Harry, she has

some good advice remanded them to jail and said they were liable to six months in jail with hard labor, STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS

gone west. During the voyage out difficulty as the roads were in such a two children died, one of blood poison ing and one of pneumonia. They wer The Donaldson liner Tritonia sailed today for Glasgow and Liverpool. She has besides a big general cargo 900 cat

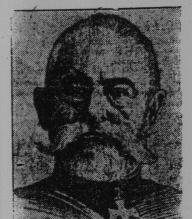
tle and 120 sheep. The S. S. Canada Cape that has been discharging cargo at the I. C. R. ter minal moved over to the West Side to day to load, as did the Manchester Merchant.

DAVID RUSSELL IN TOWN. David Russell arrived in the city on the Montreal express today and will necessary to put eleven stitches in the father. Rumor has it, however, that cut. Farren came to the city on the Mr. Russell's visit has something to oston express last night and goes do with the proposed sale of the Telegraph and Times to Hon. H. R. Em-

counsel for the Allan Co. opportunity Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco is guaran- from the coast. The lot will be sold right while landing.

### Are Under Consideration ---20,000 Russian Prisoners In Japan --- Jap Losses at Mukden 57,000.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 29, 2 p. extra staffs of the banking establismm.—Russia's attitude was described today by a prominent diplomat as follows:



known here. Appointed to succeed Kuropatkin as orces in the Far East. but continues to prepare for war." The

whole situation with reference to the prosecution of the war is being care-Main street. by a commission sitting under Nicholaievitch (inspector general of cavalry) and consisting of Minister of War Sakharoff, Vice-Admiral Avellan, head of the admiralty department,

Kamaroff, and several others. Every Sergt. Baxter said he had been in- phase of the situation, military, naval

20,000 RUSSIAN PRISONERS. TOKIO. March 29 .- Twenty thousan Russian prisoners, captured in the bat tle of Mukden, have already arrived in Japan. A revised unofficial estimate of The familiarity of Mrs. McCann with of Mukden and Tie Pass places the number at 57,000. Flags captured have been presented to the emperor. General Mayeda, who was wounded

NEW RUSSIAN GENERAL. ST. PETERSBURG, March 29.-Gen throw cups and swear. He and his ST. PETERSBURG, March 29.—Gen wife caught McCann by the throat eral Batjanoff, the new commander of and hit him, whereupon McCann beat the third Manchurian army, is one of a hasty retreat and left the scene. the old school. He is 78 years old. At a hasty retreat and left the scene. the old school. He is 78 years old Af-John Melanson went in to pass the ter his promotion to be a full general

JAPAN'S CREDIT GOOD.

LONDON, March 29 .- The portion of the Japanese loan of \$150,000,000 allotted to London was well over-subscribe within an hour after the time of the opening of the banks today. For an hour before the doors opened throngs crowded the vicinity of the issuing Magistrate Ritchie, after giving them houses, and throughout the morning a steady flood of applicants, among

subsequent deliveries gave evidence of public interest in the loan.

#### BROCKTON INQUEST BEGUN TODAY.

BROCKTON, Mass., March 29.-An nquest began in the police court today into the cause of the fatal explosion of March 20 at the shoe factory of the R. B. Grover Company. Andrew G. Lundell, one of the injured employees is dead. His death makes the fifty-eighth known to have been caused by the dis-

ST. JOHN LADY TAKES THE VEIL

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 28 .-Five sisters, among them Sister May Gertrude, of St. John, N. B., having completed the novitiate, pronounced their solemn vows and became Sisters of Mercy at Mount St. Mary's Convent

Sister May Gertrude was Miss Minnie McCarthy, a lady at one time well

Michael Connors was arrested this morning for assaulting the engineer on the steamship Canada Cape. Michael O'Donnell was arrested this morning for stealing a Daily Telegraph from the door of Eli McBeth's store on

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Sales

AT RESIDENCE. If you are going away or thinking of

selling out, it will pay you to consult WALTER S. POTTS. whom were many women, taxed the Office, North Market street. Phone 291.

### The Lake Michigan docked yesterday afternoon about five o'clock. Nearly all of her 799 steerage passengers have

You can find in our Carpet Department a variety of coverings for any oom in the house, at astonishingly low prices, as the following will shows

WOOL, 80c. and 85c. yard: HEMP. 13c., 16c., 17c., 18c., 22c., 25c. yard. UNION, 35c, and 40c, yard.

STAIR CARPETING, 10c. to 60c. yard. JAPANESE MATTING in a great variety of patterns, 12c. yard up. FLOOR OILCLOTH, in all widths, 25c., 32c., 38c., 50c. square yard. STAIR OILCLOTH, 9c. to 22c. yard. Now is the time to pick your patterns,

### Messrs. A. L. Goodwin will have landing in a day or so another car of California oranges, shipped direct to them 335 Main St., North End.

LOCAL NEWS

The annual provincial convention

Don't fail to read the great Russian story, "A Soldier of Commerce," start-ing in the Star on Saturday.

RAINBOW COUPONS.

Pipe-smokers should see that their

packages of Rainbow Cut Plug Tobac-

co contain coupons-these are valua-

Making its true merits known is the

Golden

Eagle

All notices of Births, Marriages and

Deaths must be endorsed with the

DEATHS.

DEWAR-Entered into rest at her home in Red Head, on Monday, 27th

inst., Ada, beloved wife of Andrew McK. Dewar, leaving a husband and

one child to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Thursday, 30th inst., from her late residence at 2.30 o'clock. Ser-

HUTCHINGS-Entered into rest, Mon

Funeral from the residence of Chas.

H. Hutchings, 73 Mecklenburg street

SHEPHERD-At the residence of her

son-in-law, Samuel Marsh, Ludlow

street, West End, on the 29th inst., Sarah Shepherd, widow of the late

William Shepherd, of Bambury, Eng-

Cuneral from Mr. Marsh's residence

Friday, 2.30 p. m.

on Thursday at 2.30 p. m. Service at

ings.

names and addresses of the pe

Andrew's Church school room.

of the government.

Pinaud s Eau de Quinine, Pinaud's Brilliantine, Mitchell's Areca Nut

# Royal Pharmacy,

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MEGARITY & KELLEY, MARSH BRIDGE. 'Phone 820.

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Commencing March 22, 1905, Steamers leave St. John Wednesdays at 8 a. m. (Atlantic Standard) for Eastport, Lubec, Portland and Boston. Saturdays at 6.30 p. m. for Boston direct.

Returning from Boston via Eastport

St. wohn to Boston, \$3.50

makes it more clear that an investiand Lubec, Mondays and Fridays at 9 gation of the whole matter ought to take place. Who are these people to From Portland, Mondays at 5.30 p.m.

All cargo, except live stock, via steamers of this Company is insured spainst fire and marine risk.

Take place:

who are stock are given without money and without price? Who made the allotment? What consideration, if any, in shares in the consideration of the consi

THE ST. JOHN STAR is published by or money has the attorney general him- dress, in which he defended the police

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be merely a rehash of arguments al-that he had much to do with the modi-ready presented for and against the fications in the bill. Mr. Tarte points general effect upon the vote, which group which is hostile to the Roman will end the discussion in the house, is Catholics. Evidently there is no love general effect upon the vote, which unless in the meantime some other in fluence beside speeches pro and con

a constituency where his words have
Hazen was in his best form and his
more or less weight, so that while
speech was one of the ablest heard in outside, may effect certain sections of few of the stronger passages of a few H. G. CURREY, Robinson Office, public opinion are tilted by the weight rights of people who pay the taxes. heavier issue is forced upon them in right in his statement that the

which side of the house has the more 'Phone 1,346. Cor. Clarence and St. government's extraordinary stand, outrefuse — no dirt. The best lines are forgotten and Liberals are coal on the market for cooking purposes.

The best lines are forgotten and Liberals are as earnest as Conservatives in their approval of Mr. Borden's fight for provincial rights and the Canadian convincial rights are forgotten and Liberals are sured that our roads are not in as good condition as they were ten years ago. The cooking the convinciant rights are forgotten and Liberals are sured that our roads are not in as good condition as they were ten years ago. The convinciant rights are forgotten and Liberals are sured that our roads are not in as good condition as they were ten years ago.

REVERSIBLE POLITICS.

An instance of the readiness of the Liberals to change their cry according to locality is afforded by a letter in atempted justification of the govern the Liberal member for Winnipeg and published in the Winnipeg Free Press. While Laurier and the other Quebec erals are contending that their stand the real intention of the proposed le- England. The attorney general ha gislation is to deprive those Catholics of privileges which they would otherwise have. The Winnipeg Telegran tually argues that if the new provinces

constitutional rights than they would have under the "compromise" clause. The Catholics could then "conduct separate schools on purely denominational lines." And he continues:

"This we do not want but are 'in danger of getting it, if you insist that the new provinces should have a free (?) hand, untrammelled by any constitutional limitations in the bill now be-

Mr. Bole's only object, it will be noted, is to restrict the Catholics as much as possible. He would smash the constitution and interfere with provincial rights in order to do it. Thus is he consistent with his record. Marvellous is the psychological effect of the party whip! We are confident the minority will appreciate Mr. Bole's motives—just as much as the majority

#### appreciate his logic. NOT ANSWERED.

In the legislative reports will be found the reply of Attorney General the road to the Grand Trunk Pacific is or some of them, were holders of shares in the old Central Railway Company. But it has been explained that the money advanced by the province purchased the property from the previous owners and extinguished

The answer of the attorney general

THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY curing for the railway company loans (Ltd.), at St. John, New Brunswick, and guarantees from the government every afternoon (except Sunday) at of which he is a member? What return was made to Mr. Tweedie for his services? What was the extent and character of the services for which the

for this enterprise? These are among the annual provincial convention of the questions to which a reply might the duestions to which a reply might the duestions to be held the duestions to which a reply might the due to be found by a thorough investigation, in this city on Friday next. There but which are not likely to be answer- will be a session at 3 p. m. in the Y. ed in the house by the ministers who M. C. A., and another at 8 p. m. in St. have been mixed up in the transac-

government on the autonomy question.

He also says that those who expect Mr.

Sifton to return to the ministry look

Sifton to return to the ministry look

Me have 100 dozen of this superior those, which we secured very much under the regular price. So we pass osed legislation. So far as the out that Mr. Sifton is still anxious to be regarded as the champion of the concerned, the whole of them will be lost between Mr. Tarte and Mr. Sifton.

#### LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 28 .-The house met at three o'clock. The order of the day being called, Mr. Hazen took up the budget debate. Mr.

the house for many years. He complimented the hon, member for Carleton (Flemming) on his able criticism of the government. He scorted the member for Victoria (Tweed-Springs. the electorate in such a way as to have a marked effect upon the popular vote at the next general election. Though during the next four years all but a few of the rest four years all but a last year and is heard defending the last year and is heard defending the bill this year on the floors of the house. of the greater speeches will be forgot- The opposition desired to have an imten the general effect of the discussion proved highway acc, but they could not will remain. The way the scales of support this measure. They consid-THE EMPTY COAL-BIN.

When the man of the house discovtent the way they will tilt next electent the way they will tilt next electent the way they will tilt next eleclast year only 20,410 acres of wheat were sown. The people have found

> The opposition had been taunted with advocating increased expenditure in the different departments and yet cri-The only support given to the ticising the government for extravagance. "What we do claim," said Mr. Hazen, "is that with a revenue last sen year of \$280,000 greater than in 1894 the public services are getting no be every province, save Quebec, party than they did ten years ago. I am as-

> > said that since 1894 the debt of the pro-vince had been increased by \$1,162,000. The government is paying interest or an overdrawn account to the amount of \$14,000 a year, which represents an over-draft of \$300,000. The government pay out more money than they receive vet the house is assured that there i a surplus of \$15,000, which seems inconsistent with an overdrawn bank account of \$300,000.

The provincial secretary was scored for having been on all sides of nearly every political question since 1874, when he was first elected to the house. The Grand Falls water power was to be granted away for \$1,500. The attorney general would take this for several years to pay for one trip to received from this province the sum of \$32,000 in four years. He was the most expensive man in any province Canada. Mr. Hazen showed that Dr. Pugsley's charge was greatly excess of those of Mr. King and Mr. Blair, although these men won their case while the attorney general did not. The premier himself holds two portfolios and receives pay for both. The Central Railway had been granted a large subsidy on the strength of he G. T. P. taking over the railway. Nothing could be more absurd. There was no guarantee that the road was to be taken over. The only two object tive points are Moncton and Quebec Mr. Hazen concluded a very able address by pointing out the attitude the provincial government towards the dominion government. The premie was complaining to the house that the province was not treated fairly, while just before the late elections an effort was made to put the present ministe of railways out of his office and put the attorney general in his place. Mr. Osman followed in a short ad-

dress, commending the policy of the market is firmer. The demand in New Dr. Pugsley followed in a lengthy ad- improved demand is looked for soon

Want to try an experiment?

Then take any one of the hundreds of

They come, they go, and are

Or want to be cured?

Then take a medicine that

has been tested and tried,

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been a household remedy

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Intelligent, thoughtful

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Sarsaparilla.

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Made by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

ATER'S HASE TROOR Per the heir. ATER'S FILLS-Fer constitution.
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this old standard preparation.

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# UNDERTAKING

In all its details with thorough knowledge of its requirements. N. W. BRENAN.

715 Main Street. Nights, 222 b.

New York by Schofield and Beer, reported the sale of a full cargo of cen trifugal raw sugar to the American Sugar Refining Co. at 413-16. This is an advance of 1-16 over the previous sale. Holders of Cuban sugars are asking for higher prices. The London York for refined sugar is light, but an

# DOWLING BROTHERS, KING STREET.

# character of the services for which the stockholders designated received their shares? Who got the public money which has been poured out so freely which has been pour and ha

Fine quality Winter weight, full Court North End, 567, of the Can- fashioned, high spliced heel and toe, Mr. Tarte, writing to La Patrie, in- lar meeting last evening in Union Hall, Mr. Tarte, writing to La Patrie, iniar meeting last evening in Union Han,
and of the best and most reliable
sists that Mr. Sifton did not leave the
tremely enjoyable one, and after the
manufacture. A regular 50c. hose. The schs. Ravola and Viola, owned them along to you at 35c. pair, or 3

#### by J. Willard Smith, sailed from this port yesterday for New York and Stockton, Me., respectively. Both carried lumber shipped by Stetson and Charle McCormick, the Portland star | Special White Wool Blankets

outfielder, left on Saturday for San English make with fancy colored boroutfielder, left on Saturday 15.
Francisco, where he will engage in the lumber business. Charlie's loss will be quality now \$2.50 pair. Only a few pair keenly felt on the diamond this summer, and his many friends will wish him success in his new work. left at this special price.

#### Ladies'Plain Cashmere Hose Ladies' Silk Neckwear Underpriced.

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

### White Cambric, Heavy English Make.

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

#### Heavy Linen Towels.

Large size 20x38 inches, all white or red, hemmed ends, 30 dozen of this Special Towel at 15c. each or 2 for 25c.

### DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street

The Attractions of Our Stores Are Their Low Prices.

32-36 King Square, St. John, N. B.

#### The Greatest Bargains Being Offered At This Clearing Out Sale.

YOU CAN SAVE FIFTY CENTS ON EVERY DOLLAR YOU SPEND.

Lace Curtains, Floor Rugs, Door Mats. Black Sateen Skirts, Black Sateen Waists. Dress Goods, Table Linens and Towels.

Five Hundred Pairs of Ladies' Corsets. If you have money to spend bring it here. All goods must be sold.

LOOK HERE! Cruet Stands, Pewterwear, Silverware, Lamps and Gents' Pipes and Razors,--Handles repaired.

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TO BUY

Watches, Silver Goods, Cut Glass

or anything pertain ing to the Jewelry Business. Our stock is large and we want to reduce it. You will get GOOD VALUE. Come and see for yourself.

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FRANK P. VAUGHAN. ELECTRICAL ENGINEER AND CONTRACTOR, 5 Mill St., St. John, N. B Telephone No. 319.

CROCKER & WHEELER Dynamos and Motors, Telephones, Annunciators and Bells. Wireing in all its Branches,

SPRING IN THE CITY. The city feels like spring today, The tall roofs smoke beneath the

But, O, the blue hills far away! The curtains from wide windows sway, The square has not an empty seat;

The city feels like spring today! The clean-swept avenue is gay With flimsler gown and lighter feet, But, O, the blue hills far away!

The children round the hydrants play, The flower-boy's cry floats down the The city feels like spring today!

hear some lone hand-organ's lay, Far-off, and thin and strangely But, O, the blue hills far away:

let my dreaming footsteps stray Where dusty kerb and river meet The city feels like spring today! But. O. the blue hills far away!

BREAK UP LA CRIPPE Pendleton's Panacea.

1-4 Teaspoonful Panacea. 1 Teaspoonful Sugar. 1-4 Cup Milk. 1-2 Cup Hot Water.

Mix well and sip frequently,

To the intelligent buyer why it pays to buy shoes at SANBORN'S. The variety and newness of our styles grow better every year. Nothing here stands still-al ways pressing forward. The only real competitor we have is our endeavor of yesterday.

Our new Spring Styles for Men, Women and Children are now on exhibition. Call and see them. You are welcome to look. Buy, if you please.

SANBORN'S SHOE STORE, 339 Main St.

#### FERGUSON & PAGE Men and Boys' Spring Caps. Men's Auto Caps for 30, 40, 50 and 60c. Boys' Auto Caps at 25c.

We have just opened 60 pairs of our Famous \$1.50 All Wool Working Pants. Better value than ever. All sizes. A lot of Wrapping or Baleing will be sold for 2, 3 and 4c per yard. Would be a good thing to put under Carpets or Oil Cloth.

Cor. of Waterloo and

Brussels Sts.

CARLETON'S.

### Buckwheat Flour.

Just What you have been Looking For

Black Kidney and Snowflake Potatoes. Choice Roll, Slab and Tub Butter. Hay, Oats, Straw and Feed.

### H. COTHER, 12 Sydney St.

### the Iron Work or Roof

on your Building needs repairing give us a trial. We manufacture and repair Sky Lights, Gutters, Conductors and Roofs, satisfaction guaranteed. Estimates furnished for all kinds of Iron Work for Buildings

John E. Wilson, 17 Sydney St.

P. S.-Stoves Taken Down and Stored

David Robinson and Enos Wiles, of , was united in marriage to Thomas Parker's Cove, Annapolis county, N. Archibald, son of P. McG. Archibald. S., have been arrested charged with The ceremony was performed by Rev. the manslaughter of Geo. McGarvey on Mr. Hutchings. Miss Jean Creelman, Feb. 4. The three men had been drink- daughter of Evan Creelman, was maring heavily and started to walk home ried to Malcolm Swain, of Yarmouth from Annapolis in a heavy storm, Rev. G. B. MacLeod performing the McGarvey was left at a house on the ceremony. way as he was in no condition to be out, but started on afterwards and pre-Don't fail to read the great Russian ished on the road. The other two are blamed for neglecting him.

Don't fair to read the great russian story, "A Soldier of Commerce," start-ing in the Star on Saturday.

In Truro, last evening two interest-

ing events took place. Miss Gertrude A. R. Wetmore, provincial engineer, Leaman, daughter of Geo. H. Leaman, was at the Dufferin yesterday.

### MEN'S OVERCOATS,

### READY TO WEAR, From \$10 Up.

Fresh Invoices of the excellent quality Spring Weight Overcoats that have been such successful sellers.

Thoroughly worthy in every particular. Reliable cloth, mohair linings, fit and hang just right. Grey cheviot and dark Oxford grey.

Also, Showerproofs of stylish, satisfactory materials, from \$8.50 to \$21.50.

### A. GILMOUR, FINE TAILORING AND CLOTHING

68 King Street.

You Were Looking for Parsnips We have them, and they are the finest I have ever seen. Price right. We also have Carrots, Beets, Turnips, Squash, Cabbage, Onions, Potatoes.

J. E. QUINN, City Market, Tel. 636

Choice Roll Butter 28cts., Sweet Oranges 20c, No. 1 Northern Spy Apples 50c a peck, No. 1 Baldwin 40c a pco. A full assortment of Lipton's Jelly. Also, fresh Cream daily H. R. COLEMAN, Cor. Spring & Winter Sts.

### 17 lbs. of Granulated Sugar for \$1.00.

Good Tub Butter 22cts per lb. ROBERTSON & CO., 562 and 564 MAIN STREET, TELEPHONE 775A.

#### McArthur's Big Wall Paper Sale Continues.

SPECIAL VALUES IN ALL LINES OF WALL PAPERS r new goods embrace all the leading manufacturers' lines. New and nt designs are being shown at prices that will astonish you. Remember ust reduce our very large stock and cut rates will do it.

Greatest Bargains in Wall Paper ever offered in St. John. We have still a number om Window Shades, in lace and fringe, in lots of Big Remnant and General Sale now on at

#### McARTHUR'S, 84 King Street.

#### SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived. March 27-Str Canada Cape, 2,700

from Mersey, Wm Thomson and Co,

Owen, from London and Antwerp, C P R, mdse and pass. Coastwise—Schs Agnes May, 91, Kerrigan, from St Martins; G Walter Scott, 75, McDonough, from do.

Cleared. March 28-Sch Onward, Wasson, for Coastwise-Schs Silver Wave, Good-

for do; str Hilda, Chambers, for Parrsboro; Clara Banner, Phinney, for aBck Bay.

Sailed. March 28-Str Lake Manitoba, Mur-

DOMESTIC PORTS.

HALIFAX, N. S., Mar. 28-Ard, str Laurentian, from Glasgow, and sailed Cleared, str Montevideo, for Cadiz Barcelona and Genoa, having repaired.
Sailed, str Tunisian, Braes, for Liv-

BRITISH PORTS. BERMUDA-Sld, March 25, bark Malwa, Rogers (from Rosario and Buenos Ayres), for New York (having

NEWCASTLE, NSW-Ard to March 18, bark Landskrona, Bass, from Algoa ST JOHNS, NF, March 26-Str Jupiter is 20 days out from Liverpool for St Johns, and some anxiety is felt for

MANCHESTER, Mar. 25.—Ard, str Manchester Trader, from St John, NB.

CITY ISLAND-Sld, March 26, sch Harry Miller, for St John.
PHILADELPHIA, Pa-Ard March 26,

sch W R Huntley, Rafuse, from Port SAVANNAH-Sld March 25, sch Invictus, Roberts, for Victoria Beach.

CADIZ-Sld March 18, schs Hertha, for Shippegan; Virginia, for St Johns,

ROCKLAND, Me, March 24-Ard,

vidence: F W Pickels, Patterson, fo BOSTON, Mar. 28 .- Below, schs Childe Harold, from Newport News;

Independent, from Norfolk. Sailed, strs Sarmatian, for Glasgow; Boston, for Yarmouth. VINEYARD HAVEN, Mar. 28 .- Sld,

bktn Hattie G Dixon, (from Elizabethport, N J), for Halifax; schs A J Campbell (from New Haven), for Rockland; Rescue (from Jacksonville),

Passed, schs Rebecca Palmer, from Coal port, bound east. RISOER, Mar. 23.-Sld, bark Ascaon, for New Brunswick. NEW LONDON, Conn, March 28 .-

John, for New York. PORTLAND, Me, March 28-Ard, strs

PORTSMOUTH, NH, March 28-Sld, ballot forms, enabling them to vote schs Charles W. Alcott, from Bear Riv- even if they were not able to be preer ,NS, for New York; William L El-kins, from St John, NB, for do; John Referred to the from St John, NB, for Boston. CITY ISLAND, March 28—Bound

and Halifax. HYANNIS, Mass, March 28.-Passed, bktn Hattle G Dixon, for Halifax:
The resolution that the secretary
brig Acacia, for do; sch Manuel R
should give his entire time to the work Curza, from St John, NB, for New of the board was lost.

FILLED AGAIN.

#### Another Packed House at the York.

The Sheeley-Young's Company atand admirers. The comedy musical act tor for ten cents. by The Taneans is considered the best ever seen here, while the other specialwill be given tonight. For the last three days of the week "The White Slave" is announced. It is a strong the New Brunswick Petroleum Co., was the far South and has long been considered one of the best plays of the kind

ever written.

WONDERS OF NIAGARA.

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISER

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Summer street, nine rooms each, mod-ern improvements. Seen Wednesdays Apply to B. V. MILLIDGE, Millidge

days and Thursdays. 79 Hazen street. 13-3-1 rno

TO LET-From 1st May, desirable lower flat 174 Duke street. For particulars, when to see it, etc., apply to A. GILMOUR, 68 King street, or J. S. Armstrong, 32 Charlotte street. TO LET - Newly finished, self-con-

tained flat, eight rooms, all modern improvements, 25 Broad street. TO LET-Self-contained flat 8 rooms bath room. 100 Mecklenburg street. Apply 125 Meckleaburg street.

TO LET.—Upper flat No. 15 Peters street. Modern improvements. Rooms will be reserved with or without board Tuesdays and Fridays from 3 to 5 p.

TO LET-Lower flat, 15 Brindley street, seven rooms. Can be seen Monday afternoons. Aply 149 Waterloo St. TO LET-A self contained flat, 114 room, hot and cold water. Can be seen Wednesdays and Saturdays from 3 to Richmond street. 5. Apply to G. H. INGRAHAM, 116

TO LET - Lower flat of new house, Douglas avenue. Large flat, modern conveniences, separate furnace for hot water heating. Splendid view of harbor. Sunshine all day long. Apply at 240 Main street.

#### Sewing Machines. I employ no agents

or collectors. Needles of all kinds. Machines repaired or exchanged at 105 Princess street. WM, CRAWFORD.

#### BOARD OF TRADE.

Eleven Of Schofield's Twelve Resolutions

A meeting of the board of trade was held last evening for the purpose of discussing the resolutions prepared by Samuel Schofield, with the object of increasing the membership and infinite control of the purpose of th increasing the membership and influence of the board. Only eleven members were present, and it was not until twenty-five minutes past the hour announced for the opening of the meet-ing that enough members assembled to

A few moments after the meeting began the following telegram was re-ceived by H. B. Schofield, president of

the board: Board of Trade, St. John: Under Pottinger's management th railway don't care to accommodate the public. No train in tonight, therefore

(Signed) W. B. McVEY.
In moving his resolution, of which 11 out of 12 carried, Mr. Schofield re marked that a larger membership was needed. He moved that the president

and vice-president be changed each year. Carried. The resolution advocating a change in the membership of the council from Sld, sch Sallie E. Ludlam, from St. 18 to 30 caused considerable discussion,

but was carried. The third resolution, referring to the Dominion, Mendus, from Liverpool via mailing to each member, one week previous to annual meetings, suitable

Referred to the council. The board also discussed at great length the resolution reducing the fee from ten to five dollars, and ask the south, str Silvia, from St John's, Nfld, city banks and large mercantile banks to give special annual contributions to aid in the work of the board.

> The other resolutions dealing with The whole will be referred to the coun

> > HUTCH.

It is a remedy which may safely b used for any stomach disorder and the tracted another overflowing house to only one that cures to stay cured, inthe York Theatre again last night. "A digestion, dyspepsia, constipation, sour Working Girl's Wrongs" was the bill, stomach and pain after eating. Be sure and the company presented it in a way that won for them many new friends on hand. One gives relief. It's a doc-

Don't fail to read the great Russian ties by the members of the company story, "A Soldier of Commerce," start-were much appreciated. The same bill ing in the Star on Saturday.

nelo-drama of the anti slavery days in in the city yesterday. He says that there is plenty of oil on the company's fied that the output will soon be largely increased. A considerable quan tity has already been raised, the great-er part of which is shipped in the crude

#### HOUSES TO LET.

TO LET - Upper and lower flats 20 TO LEASE-Desirable building lots

ern improvements. Seen Wednesdays and Thursdays. Apply MRS. GAVIN RAINNIE, 20 Summer street. 27.3.tf

TO LET—Flat at 35 Sewell street. Apply on the premises. 25 3—6.

TO LET—From May 1st next, splendid flat (new house), 161 Queen street; moderate improvements; separate entrance; occupied by H. L. Everett, street east: has all modern improvements.

WANTED - A brass misher. Apply to W. H. STIRLING, Britain street.

Princess street, occupied by Mr. John McLaughlin; nicdern conveniences. Seen Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Apply P. CAMPBELL & CO., 73 Prince William street.

#### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE-A baby go-cart, drop street. front and throw back. Latest pattern. Apply at 61 Spring street, any fore-

FOR SALE - Baby carriage, front and back. Nearly new. Bargain. Write or call, 34 Exmouth street. 28.3.6 FOR SALE - Go-cart carriage, in

WANTED—A neat, tidy, young girl to assist with light housework. Apply to MRS. J. S. FROST, 49 Sydney street. perfect repair. Can be seen at 27 Club—one share in this popular club.
On aplication to P. O. Box 141. 27 3—6
WANTED — A girl for general house-

FOR SALE-At a bargain, Freehold Property and House on corner of Princess and Watson streets, W. E., or will he rented. Enquire of A. G. EDGE-COMBE, Carriage Factory, telephon elephone work, in small flat, small family. Ap-25 3-6. ply to MRS. C. W. HOPE GRANT, No.

FOR SALE—A nice single seated 2 St. James street, after 7 p. m. SEWING MAOHINES.

I AM SOLE AGENT for Wheeler & Wilson, New Home, and Domestic Sewing Machines. Lemples To Sewing Buggy, almost new (can be used with-GREEN, 75 Charlotte street. Phone

> BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE-The most pleasant place on the Kennebec-casis River for summer residences. Twelve miles from the city. About twenty minutes drive from Rothesay Station on Gondola Point road. Five TON, Lancaster Heights. minutes walk to church or school house. Steamboat wharf alongside. For particulars apply to J. W. HUNTER, 38 Adelaide Road, North End, City. COAL BLACK GELDING FOR SALE

perties, 98, 100 Elliott Row. Apply Tuesdays and Thursdays, 2 to 5 p. m. JESSIE M. BROWN. 25 3-1 mo. MAN, 112 Hazen street. FOR SALE-Mantel bed, aimost new, and other furniture. Apply after March work. Apply at 105 Leinster street. 28th at 100 Mecklenburg street.

FOR SALE - Freehold property in Carleton, 31/2 lots 50 x 100 each. and a half story cottage, with ell at- avenue. tached. Basement. Modern improvements, Apply on premises to MRS. CATHERINE MONTGOMERY, 287 FOR SALE - 15 acres of land at

minutes' walk from station. Part of the money can remain on mortgage for 77 Germain street. a term of years, Apply to MRS. Mc-AFEE, 159 Paradise row.

FOR SALE—Freehold property 73 and 75 Chesley street, large store, with frost proof cellar and two flats of 7 rooms 193 Charlotte street. FOR SALE-Freehold property 73 and ch, also two barns on leas Apply to MORRILL & GEROW, Barristers, 102 Prince William street, city.

FOR SALE-1 Safe, I Walnut Tor Counter, Letter Press, Lot Photo Stock, Lot Steel Engravings, Lot Picture Mouldings, Lot Shelving, Mirror Mouldings, Lot Shelving, Mirror Plates, Cut Glass, entire stock of Fancy Goods. Sold regardless of cost. Sold regardless 'of cost. BARKER'S, 92 King street.

FOR SALE-Freehold corner lot building containing three tenements cellar under whole building. Half of purchase money may remain on mort gage. Apply to E. R. CHAPMAN, Barrister, Canterbury street.

at 340 Duke street, West End. Enquire on the premises. JAS. E. MAXWELL, FOR SALE-One hand pump, with 20 feet 3 inch suction hose. One man can handle more water with this kind

squares. Apply at Star office. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

ittings, for taking pressure on steam

COLUMBIA PHONOGRAPH RE CORDS. Just received large stock Extrad Loud, Super-hard Moulded Records—35c. each. Suitable for Columbia, Edison, or other Cylinder Talking Machine. BELL'S PIANO STORE, 79

### It's a Go Cart

you want for the baby. They take up less room in the house than the four wheel carriage. Our new line has just been opened. The designs are the latest and prices the low-



\$3,50 to \$25.00

### E. SMITH, 18 King St.

Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.

trance; occupied by H. L. Everett.
Esq.; seen Monday and Saturday afternoons between 4 and 5 o'clock. BUSTIN & PORTER, Barristers, 100 Prince

TO LET — Dwelling, No. 227 King

WANTED — Smart man to collect on outside route, also two men to take outside route, also two men to take street; can be seen Tuesday and Friorders in city. COLLIER'S WEEK-school and business college training, day afternoons. FRASER, FRASER LY, 181 Prince William street. 27.3.6 also holding a second-class teacher's license, a position as stenographer in TO LET—The lower flat for workshop or warehouse, rear 175 Princess street. Apply to H. L. & J. T. McGOWAN, Princess street.

TO LET—Nice flat, 8 rooms, ket and cold water, bath. Can be seen Tuesdays and Thursdays. 79 Hazen street.

day afternoons. FRASER, FRASER LT, 181 Frince within street. WANTED—A young man of good adsorptions of the right man. Must have opening for the right man. Must have good reference as to character; no experience needed, but must be reliable. Address J., Star Office.

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#### WANTED—Two boys to learn the carriage business, at EDGECOMBE'S

WANTED - By young lady, position as trained nurse, has had 11/2 years training. Apply 68 Mecklenburg street.

WANTED — Situation by a young lady as bookkeeper or stenographer. Has had almost two years' experience in office work. Address "S. B.," Star office. 25.3.6

WANTED—Daily employment. Understands cooking, or would help with an invalid. Address R, D., Star Office.

WANTED

WANTED - A canoe, either new sewing work, house heated by hot water. Good Star WANTED - Stock saddle. Address THOMAS, 55 Douglas avenue, 27.3.tf stating price, to "SADDLE," Star

WANTED-A girl for general housework. Apply at 25 Douglas avenue. WANTED — I want to buy a dog. Address, stating price, etc., to "FANCIER," Star office. WANTED-A girl for general house-WANTED-By lady, two or thre rooms. Unfurnished preferred. Address B. L., box 223 city.

WANTED-A girl for general house work in small family. Apoly at 173 OUTSIDE SASHES. WANTED-A girl for general house Do you want them removed? Your

Referred to the director.

berlain's office.

was granted.

come in person

Patrick McCarthy asked for back

pay, amounting to \$18.12. The direc-

ticket and drew his pay at the cham

Hereafter each man will have to be

dentified, and instead of giving tickets

The amount was ordered to be paid

W. H. Thorne wrote to the council re

garding the Walker wharf shed and re quested the council not to block the

Mr. Lantalum has received notifica

tion to leave. Some slight rebate was

The director asked for power to cal

material passed in the estimates. This

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story, "A Soldier of Commerce," start-

000, on the same day of the consoli-

ing in the Star on Saturday.

discussed, but nothing was decided up

for tenders for various quantities

work in small family. Apply to MRS. WILLIAM WHITE, 48 King Square. shop or house remodelled? If so send Carpenter and Builder, 88 Exmouth St. Shop 209 Brussels Street. WANTED-A girl for general housework. Apply at 43 Sewell street.

SITUATIONS VACANT -- MALE

WANTED-An experienced trunk

maker. Steady work. Apply Peters'

WANTED-A boy to learn the barber LAND, No. 14 Haymarket square, St

CARRIAGE FACTORY, City road.

24.3.6

SITUATIONS VACANT--FEMALE

WANTED-An assistant cook. Apply

WANTED .- A girl for general house-

WANTED-Girls wishing to learn

millinery business should call at WIL-COX BROS., Market square. 28.3.tf

work. No washing, small family. Reference required. Apply at 182 Ger-

to MRS. LOUIS NELSON, 40 Leinste

Trunk Factory, Princess street.

John, N. B.

BOARD OF WORKS. al housework. MRS. CHAS. F. TIL

Some One Drew Patrick McCarthy's WANTED-Lady bookkeeper. Apply Money and the City Pays Twice. by letter only to DAVIS BROS., Prince At a meeting of the board of works yesterday H. H. McLellan was heard WANTED-Two girls to learn milling on behalf of the Mowry Safety Nut ery, also one with one year's experience. Apply to MISS deFOREST, Company, asking for a siding on Crown

Milliner, 245 Waterloo street. 23 3-6 streets from the I. C. R. extension to WANTED-Girl for housework in their factory. family of two. No washing. 104 Car- The matter was referred to a commit 23 3-6 tee. WANTED - A cook. Reference re-Co. suggesting that the proposed by Apply to MRS. A. I. TRUE-

20.3.tf

public warehouses be modified to allow WANTED-A girl for general housesuch occupancy of the sheds as will not interfere wth the traffic. The di-18-3 tf rector said the company was placing there a considerable length of time. work in family of three. No washing or

Two attending to fires. Apply 53 Douglas They only pay five cents a ton; it WANTED—Respectable girl for general housework in family of three, no Apply tor explained that somebody else came

18.3.tf at 123 King street east. 11 3-tf to the office and got Mr. McCarthy's WANTED—At once, coal and vest makers. Apply to D. & J. PATERSON,

GENERAL GIRLS. Cooks and Housemaids always get best places

#### ROOMS TO LET.

proposed improvement. The communication was laid on the table until th next meeting, when Mr. Thorne will be asked to be present. building occupied by T. T. Lantalum on Water street in order to gain access

TO LET. - Comfortable furnished rooms, to a lady. Apply 164 Carmar-TO LET-Business rooms to let, suit-

#### ness. Apply to C. F. CLARKE, 100 TO LET.

able for tailoring or other light busi-

our House Keeper's Brand of Soft Ap- Coal, 1-2 ton will be put in your bin for cently that, while the aggregate noming. of pump than with any other. ApCoal, 1-2 ton will be put in your bin for
ply E. S. STEPHENSON & CO., 17 and
\$2.50 or 1-2 ton Broad Cove in bin, \$2.75. FOR SALE - A pressure guage, with

Germain and Church streets; suita- of water the citizens of New York who by Dr. W. O. Raymond.

(east), to be used as warehouse from Boston Monday stating that his barn, Apply to 108 Pitt street. 13-3 tf

#### MONEY TO LOAN.

security at low rate of interest. H. H. PICKETT, Canadian Life Building, Prince Wm. St., 5th floor. Take eleva-

INVESTMENTS MADE and MONEY LOANED on mortgage. TILLEY & SMITH, Barristers, Canada Life Building, Prince William street.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

HAND WASHING done at GRAVES HAND LAUNDRY, No. 6 Union Alle near Opera House, 27 3— Smooth shaving at Jackson's, corner LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S FICE, 37 Canterbury street.

#### EXCHANGE.

teur or practical mechanic. A revolving piano stool or a steam-fitter's pipe cutter. Any of the above will be given in exchange for a revolving office chair Address "CHAIR," Box 338, St. John.

#### BOARDING.

BOARDING-A small for a young lady, at MRS. NELSON'S, 40 Leinster street. BOARDING-Rooms with board. MRS. SHANKS, 156 King street, near Carmarthen street. 20-3 1 mo

Finder rewarded on returning the same to THOMAS McAVITY, 192 King street LOST-On Saturday, a bunch of keys. Finder will be rewarded by leav-

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN-On

Sunday evening from King street (east), a black spaniel pup, seven

nonths old; answeres to "Rabbie."

ng them with A. H. HANINGTON. LOST - Last February, a five dollar gold piece, with initials "R. K." and 'February 22nd, 1888" on it. Finder

### vill please leave at the Star office.

FOUND-A driving whip, owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Apply

#### Do You See Well? Spectacles and Eyeglasses from 205. up, to suit all sights. All kinds of Optical goods re-

H. GILBERT, 24 Mill Street.

For Sale at Great Bargains. Two 14k, Solid Gold Double Chair very latest pattern, at the price of old One 15 jewel Appleton Tracey Watch, in a Solid Gold Hunting Case.

Gold Hunting Case at a great bargain. These chains and watches will be sold at not much more than the price of old gold. Money absolutely refunded if not as

We will pay the highest cash prices

for Ladies' and Gents' Second Hand BICYCLES, FUR CAPES, COLLARS REMEMBER THE PLACE.

Boston Second-Hand Store, Cor. Dock and Union St., St. John

HISTORICAL SOCIETY. Interesting Lecture by Rev. Dr. Ray-

mond Last Night. A regular meeting of the New Bruns wick Historical Society was held last

sion of the old French cannon now in the ordnance department here as a recommittee, of which Col. J. R. Armwas unable to be present at the meetfore the City Club of New York re- ation of the report until the next meet-

GIBBON & CO., Smythe street and entered into the Consolidated Gas Com- and documents relating to the early 29 3-2 pany of New York in 1884 was \$17,000,- history of the province were reported TO LEASE - A lot of land situated dation this capital was raised to \$30,- ships of the River St. John, by Dr. W. off Charlotte, in rear of Furlong property, suitable for barn or warehouse. For particulars enquire at 58 Sydney except that which was transferred to it ernor of New Brunswick, with an inby the several constituent companies. | troduction by W. M. Jarvis; In other words, \$22,000,000 was made in urst's Narrative with Notes, by Prof. TO LET-From May 1st, two shops a day by those who manipulated the Ganong; Sketch of the Life and Adin basement of Ring building, corner combination, and on this vast amount ministration of Sir Thomas Carleton, Apply patronize the gas company must pay will be illustrated by a number of ble for storage. Rent, \$72. Apply patronize the gas company must pay will be illustrated by a number of to McLEAN & SWEENY, 42 Princess. interest, for all of the Consolidated Gas photographs of portions of the original TO LET—Building 268 King street (east), to be used as warehouse or

Schs Three Sisters, from St. John for New York; J Frank Seavey, from Stonington, Me, for do.

CARRABELLE, Fla, March 25—Cld, schs Frank W Benedict, Look, for Pro
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Cone of the prettiest sights at Niagstate to Montreal.

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To LET — Premises 207 Charlotte or and adminimately occupied by Dr. Macaunter of Commerce, start of General Thomas Carleton, lay, suitable for a doctor. Apply to Dr. Smoking Tobacco, Smith, 145 Charlotte street.

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Since A Monday stating that his son, Luke, died Sunday night of pneumary Cholly Noodles," remarks teresting paper on the life and adminimately occupied by Dr. Macaunter of General Thomas Carleton, lay, suitable for a doctor. Apply to Dr. Smoking Tobacco, Smith, 145 Charlotte street.

## POOR DOCUMENT

ST. JOHN STAR, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29, 1905

#### AUTONOMY BILL.

#### Bourassa, Blain and Lemieux in the Debate.

OTTAWA, March 28.-After the usual daily flood of petitions in opposition to the school clauses of the autonomy bill with a number of petitions from assa resumed the debate on the bill. He spoke for about two hours, was in good voice, and even more floridly dramatic than usual. As a phrase maker he is a success. In a pointed reference to the attitude of Dr. Sproule and the Orange Order against the school clauses he brought down the house by referring to it as what the country in its peril should regard as "the yellow hierarchy." Starting from the basis that this was the most imnesday evening. were examined.

"the yellow hierarchy." Starting from the basis that this was the most important piece of legislation before parliament for years, Bourassa contended that the future of Canada depended on the freedom of education given to every settler in the Northwest, which inside of a century would be the dominating of a century would be the dominating of the dominion. Recapitulating line about 30 yards to the west of such control in all my life."

were examined.

Wilfrid Campbell said that on Wednesday evening, March 22nd, he was sent by Cormier to deliver a verbal message to Engineer Worden, driver of engine 2,104. Cormier had asked him to tell Worden 'to come up and get order to tell Worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to tell worden 'to come up and get order to come and hammer lock. In a fair and square match, provided that part of the dominion. Recapitulating main line about 30 yards to the west of the position, especially if there is a previthis campaign utterances of the past worden's answer; witness repeated the minority in the far west as had been freely extended by the Catholics of Quebec to the Protestants of that province. The burden of his speech was that Canada owed its existence today to the loyalty of the French race, and to the loyalty of the French race, and to the loyalty of the Roman Car.

Worden's answer; witness repeated the message and Worden replied "all right, to escape. The aggressor will endeavorate to escape. The aggressor will endeavorate to force his opponent down and go to the uninitiated to require the exercise of all his strength and muscles. The under man that he is trying to escape. The aggressor will endeavorate to force his opponent down and go to the uninitiated to require the exercise of all his strength and muscles. The under man that he is trying to escape. The aggressor will endeavorate to force his opponent down and go to force his opponent down a tholic hierarchy in perilous times, thought. The accident took place about when the Protestants of Ontario were 9.30 p. m. in rebellion against the crown, and when later on there were troubles in the on the C. P. R., St. John section, was Archbishop Tache, who left the ecumenical council at Rome in response to
a heart-rending appeal from Sir John
Macdonald. Bourassa defended the autonomy bill on its merits, as prescribing the only way in which the original
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5.55. At 8.56 Bay Shore answered. The
order was sent between 8.50 and
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of the act of confederation. terms of the act of confederation guaranteeing the religious rights of must have started between 9.16 and wrestler usually has two or three such porities could be carried into effect. 9.30. It was too serious a matter to trust to the mercies of provincial legislations. He appealed to both sides of the charge must sign the order, because the education question by Sir Alexan-der Mackenzie, Sir John Macdonald, order is not valid. George Brown, Sir Charles Tupper and the other fathers of confederation. His speech was declamatory and in- to neglect his duties previous to the

"As long as the King won't go back on us we won't go back on him " had been the stand of French Canadians ever since they came under the British flag. They had preserved Canada in the past and their faith in British justice had never been shattered, hence

their unswerving loyalty today.

Blain of Peel followed. His speech was the absolute antipodes of Bour-assa's harangue. He cited a long list of resolutions and orders in the public press to show that all denominations save one were opposed to forcing separate schools on the provinces. Blain, after recess, made a strong plea for provincial rights and non-in-

terference therewith by the Dominion Solicitor General Lemieux continued the debate at 8.45, regretting the disaffection of the Toronto Globe, but race and religion cry raised by the To-ronto World, Mail and Empire, and the French were not driving the Protestants out of that province, and while
not desiring to be offensive, pointed
out the fact that the Protestant population of Quebec had been steadily delation of Quebec had be creasing for years past, and was still Ottawa and Toronto, one gets a tolerdecreasing. This incident caused some ably clear idea of what the figures excitement. Mr. Lemieux attributed really mean. to Sproule the utterance of an honest but ignorant statement based on the ness for 1904. The total amount of inauthority of the Huntington Gleaner,

ADMIRAL FISHER DID NOT **KNOW HIS BUSINESS.** 

foundland into the Dominion.

ed the hope that on top of the two

Senators Regret That Imperial Troops **Were Withdrawn From Halifax** 

and Esquimalt. OTTAWA, March 28.—In the senate ganization is \$277,290,466.48. today Hon. Mr. Power of Halifax An interesting item is the one show-brought up the withdrawals of the ing Canadian securities deposited with British troops from Halifax and Esqui- that government to secure Canadian malt and the closing of these two policy holders. These aggregate \$2,-dockyards. Power took the ground 612,495.55. that this was severing the last tie but

one that bound Canada to the empire. increase of assets from a little over McKeen said it was a matter that senti- twenty-eight million in 1904 is astoundmentally and financially affected every ing, as are all the other figures in this man in Nova Scotia. He thought Ad- remarkable statement. miral Fisher in recommending the abandonment of Halifax did not know his business, although he was an efficient and most capable officer.

A very good illustration of the company's newly completed office building—the largest in the world—situated at Madison avenue, Fourth avenue, 23rd

Miss Wood are musicians of extraoris commended to the public for careful dinary talent and have received unreading. It is calculated to convince

### ENGINEER WORDEN GOT THE ORDER.

### Cormier's Instructions Delivered and Acknowledged.

Checker Campbell Swears He Gave Cormier's Instructions to Driver of Engine 2104 who Said "All Right."

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\*\*The seco place last night and two more witnesses, Wilfrid Campbell, car checker, A hold that is the favorite grasp of

ten years, he argued that the same ten yards he hailed Worden; the first make it appear to the crowd that he is who wants to join our team. He says he accorded the Roman Catholic be accorded to the Roman Catholic be accorded the Roman Catholic be accorded the Roman Catholic be accorded to the Roman Catholic to the loyalty of the Flench lace, and that, but worden did not come to the to the work done by the Roman Ca- office. This was about 8.30 or 8.35, he toss until he is finally conquered. The BLOWN THREE HUNDRED FEET.

Northwest that could not have been downed but for the personal efforts of Archbishop Tache, who left the ecuing he had given the order for the deck on For instance, there is the old

Witness considered Cormier an efficient operator. Had never known him fiammatory, but not argumentative.
Incidentally he praised Sifton above all others for his unselfish attitude with respect to the vital principle of until this evening at 7.30.

> ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE METROPOLITAN LIFE.

A Showing of Stupendous Insurance Figures.

Company, which is peculiarly a commade unusually interesting by a num- and cause plenty of excitement. ber of graphic comparisons and illustrations employed to make its vast duced in the recent match between array of figures readily comprehensible. John Piening and H. H. Egeberg, the For example, the total amount of the company's outstanding insurance is the blood eruption is concerned. Formronto World, Mail and Empire, and the News. Dr. Sproule took issue with lemieux's statement that the Quebec ary mind. When it is added, however, wince the public that it really handi-

which was not a reliable guide in poli- \$436,570,349—an average of \$1,426,700.50 tical matters. Mr. Lemieux express- per day.

Policy holders appreciate the signifinew provinces now being created cance of figures showing claims paid, would come the admission of Newgraph in the entire statement is the one in which claim payments are reduced to the minute rate-one claim very eight hour day in the year-\$102.54 paid to beneficiaries every minute. There can be no misunderstand-

ing of figures given in that manner. The assets of the Metropolitan Life at the close of 1904 were \$128,094,315.24. Its income for 1904 was \$55,985,756.91greater by over six million dollars than the income for 1903. There were 8,029,906 policies in force on Jan. 1. The beneficiaries since the company's or-

The record of growth as shown for Senator MacDonald of B. C. sup-two and a quarter million dollars in orted Powers' contention, and Senator 1884 to more than one hundred and

The debate was continued by Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Hon. McMullen and others, when Hon. Scott promised to bring down all correspondence in his able not only for its massive proporpossession on the question. tions, but for great architectural beauty and solidity, apparently designed to typify the company itself.

The Metropolitan Life issues policies

The pupils of the High School will from \$1,000 to \$1,000,000 in its ordinary present on Friday evening, March 31st, their annual concert for the benefit of smaller amounts on all insurable perthe athletic club and the orchestra. sons. Its policies, in the words of the They have secured for this entertainment the John Thomas Concert Com-pany, consisting of John Thomas, leave nothing to the imagination, bor-

stinted praise wherever they have appeared. The concert will undoubtedly be a treat to the friends of the school.

reading. It is calculated to convince one that the Metropolitan Life deserves the confidence reposed in it by so many millions of people.

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Never get a pipe hot. Use Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco, take in the confidence reposed in it by so many millions of people.

### Sporting News.

artifice. A wrestler can give a spectator the impression that he is doing all can fall on his back in a graceful way without creating any suspicion, unless parent. Even then the spectator may

lookers, and to the uninitiated the

emergency men on his staff at a good champion and at once win the confidence of some of the leading sports of the city where the "champion" is to appear. If the confederate is suave and clever enough to induce the sport to back him, well and good. If not, he at least succeeds in proving that he is a capable opponent, a bit of information which the confederate sees becomes public property. This helps to advertise him and incidentally increase the

box office receipts. On the night of the performance the confederates take a position near the stage, and when the "champion" apand makes the ann that he is ready to meet all comers and give anybody \$10 to \$100 who can stand fifteen minutes before him the confed-The Metropolitan Life Insurance match for the following night just as the management deems proper. Some times the champion allows his man to pany of the people—"of the people, by the people, and for the people," to use its own expressive phrase—has issued its annual statement showing its present condition, and the volume of business done in 1904. The document is him in a hurry. The bouts are lively W. S. Harkins Co. Will Present a

The boil gag, the latest wrinkle introthe grappler wore trunks the wou would not be exposed until after the really mean.

Again as to the volume of new busifortunate" man had lost. Some wrestlers really suffer from water on the surance written during the year was knees, caused by constant work on the mat. The injury is painful if not attended to at once, but can be effectively

cured with a week's rest. Not long ago at a Brooklyn theatre a wrestler, well known for his lack of scruples, employed the police to help audacious fakes known in years. ponent, picked from the audience for the purpose, was his partner. were to have met for fifteen minutes at catch-as-catch-can style. pecting crowd cheered the "comer" and gave him all its sympathy, as is natural. The challenger used rough house tactics to make the bout interesting, but overdid the thing to such an extent that the spectators began to hurl into a temporary scene of riot and confusion. The curtain was lowered im mediately. Behind the footlights the match was continued, only that the ontestants, instead of wrestling, used their fists. The police were called in to be discharged with a reprimand. The event got into the newspapers, the wrestlers received the necessary advertisement and the incident was only forgotten after the challenger had completed his engagement. It is said that the police knew that the affair was prearranged and that the supposed

'comer" was really the challenger's much nowadays, because the referees insist that every wrestler must enter the ring with his body dry and smooth. Not so long ago a wrestler up the state introduced a trick that came near resulting in a tragedy. Before the bout the wrestler saturated his crop of hair, which was unusually flourishing, with a pungent and dangerous liquid. He made it his business to get down on humorist; Annie Webster Thomas, violinist, and A. Louise Wood, planist. finite conditions and make definite proing humorist and impersonator of the American stage. Mrs. Thomas and the above random extracts are taken and in a little while unconscious, causing him to lose the match. The crowd thought that he had collapsed from too

#### had collected his money and was no THOUSANDS ARE BASE BALL.

There is a clause lacking in the championship rules as formulated by the magnates of the two leagues which were conspicuous in the Boston-Pitts-burg series in 1903. There was a clause in which it is easier to fake than wrestling, and this is one of the reasons why
it is not as popular a pastime as boxing. In some instances wrestling is
just as exciting, just as nerve racking
and just as absorbing as pusilism, but

burg series in 1903. There was a clause
to the effect that no player could take
part in the games who had not been a
member of either team for at least
thirty days prior to the closing of the
season. Now there is no provision to
prevent teams picking up star players and just as absorbing as pugilism, but prevent teams picking up star players it is more susceptible to trickery and at the last minute to win out the prize

The losing team will not cut much of in his power to win when at the same time he may be only humbugging. He championship series that comes after his movements are too brazen or trans- ber is not likely to get more than \$100 if the receipts for four games amount

"All of the Cleveland pitchers who and I. B. Merriman, train despatcher, the dishonest wrestler is the half Nelwere examined.

Wilfrid Campbell said that on Wed-wilfrid Campbell

> Muggsy McGraw says: "I got a letter from a first baseman lation to better themselves.

Fatal Results Attend Powder Explosion in New York State.

TROY, N. Y., March 28 .- Three men were killed outright and another so badly injured that he died a few hours later by an explosion at the Schaghti-coke powder mills, north of this city,

The dead: James White and Charles Colburn of Hazardville, Conn., and James Sprague and Albert Bartlett, the latter being new employes.

The bodies of three of the victims tures. He appeared to both sides of the charge must sign the order, because the shunting engines have absolute freest spirit the noble stand taken on the shunting engines have absolute freest spirit the noble stand taken on the shunting engines have absolute freest spirit the noble stand taken on the shunting engines have absolute freest spirit the noble stand taken on the shunting engines have absolute freest spirit the noble stand taken on the shunting engines have absolute freest spirit the noble stand taken on the shunting engines have absolute freest spirit the noble stand taken on the shunting engines have absolute freest spirit the noble stand taken on the shunting engines have absolute freest spirit the noble stand taken on the shunting engines have absolute freest spirit the noble stand taken on the shunting engines have absolute free the shunting engines have a shunting engines have a shunting engines have a shunting engine free the shunting engines have a shunting engine free the was picked up alive, but his injuries were fatal.

The explosion occurred in the Corning mill, but no cause is known. Its force destroyed windows in Valley Falls and Shaghticoke, and the shock was felt a distance of three miles. About the mills the effect was seen everywhere. A large tree was twisted and pieces of timber, roofing and iron were found in the branches of a tree

near by.

Identification of the remains of those The buildings destroyed were prac tically new, having replaced blown up May 10 of last year, at which

time two employes were instantly killerate arises, accepts the challenge, and, ed. The plant will be rebuilt immediately. The monetary loss is several

Strong Emotional Drama.

The Maistre of Woodbarrow was thoroughly enoyed by the patrons of Opera House last evening. The play is one of the prettiest on the stage today and its presentation by the Har-kins Co. leaves little to be desired. It will be put on again at the matinee Tonight the company will appear in

scenes being laid in Paris during the pipe. Franco-German war. When originally produced in England, Kyrle-Bellew enacted the part of John Hastings. The scenes are intense. From the rise of the curtain on the first act to its fall on the last, the audience is held in rapt attenton. Capt. John Hastings, an officer who is in the pay of the French government, is entrusted with a despatch of vital importance, to the French general. Having been recently married he stops at his home before starting for the front. Eugene Lyon, a German spy, knows of this despatch and determines to get it through Capt. Hastings' wife, who has known Lyon before Now being sold by GIBBON her marriage, and believes herself to & CO. in sample lots, \$2.25 he holds. She assists him to drug her per half ton delivered in bulk husband and get a copy of the des- or \$2 50 delivered in bags patch. The second act takes place in the spy's aparements. This is the and put in the bin. strongest part ever put on the stage. The meeting of Hastings and Eugene to the end. The last act takes place during the commune in Paris. Miss Broad Cove Coal To the Electors of the City during the commune in Paris. Van Duser, Mr. Jones, Mr. Macklin, Mr. Morrison and Mr. Brooks have the at \$2.75 per half ton delivleading roles.

#### TO MEET THE VICTORIAN.

OTTAWA, March 28.A special train Gibbon & Co. with R. Prefontaine, minister of marine, Sir Montague Allan and a large number of prominent citizens on board, left tonight for Halifax to meet the torian, which is expected to arrive at

ADMIRALTY COURT.

In the case of Hatfield v. the ship Wandrain, the plaintiff has been order- on Thursday next, the 30th inst., at 165 ed to give security for costs on the ground that he resides out of the juris- a lot of household furniture, comprisfor damages alleged to have been sustained by the Helen M., of which he is rival get on top. In trying for a hold owner, through the negligence of those same having been distrained for rent. a half Nelson, the under wrestler's op-ponent came in contact with the liquid in charge of the ship Wandrain in Parrsboro harbor, N. S., last Novemand the fumes caused him to become ber, C. J. Coster for the plaintiff; Wel-

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# GOING WESTWARD

About A Thousand Families Will Leave--Many Have Already Gone --- G. P. R. Deluged With Applications.

here to western Canada this spring

No special attractions are offered. There are no reduced fares, no excursion trains, and no particular opportunities in the west. The movement is simply the desire of the farming popu-

Since the first of March the applications for information have been pouring in, and they have averaged seventy-five per day during the month, the record as stated being a hundred tive settlers ask questions on various subjects, but they do not seem to want to know very much about the western country itself. The advantages and possibilities of that land appear to be familiar to all. The writers seek knowledge as to rates for transportation of themselves and their goods and chattels. And in each case letters are sent in reply, explaining fully all that is asked, and along with these letters are namphlets giving information concerning the west.

The applications are pouring in from all parts of the three provinces. Many little villages hitherto almost unheard of are represented on the list of enone section is showing up more strongkind is noticeable in New Brunswick, it is from Albert county and along the west are not young men who have

merely a desire to wander. They are farmers and tradesmen who are going west with the intention of taking up land or of establishing themselves in business. They will carry along with them their household furniture, farming implements, and in many cases their live stock. For the accommodation of such families a special train leaves Carleton Junction, near Ottawa, on every Tuesday. On these trains there are besides the passenger coaches sufficient freight cars for the stock and goods. These cars are dropped off the train and the owners of their contents are thus not subject to any

Already many small parties of these western settlers have gone from St. John and other points, and the number is steadily increasing. Last Saturday eight or nine families came across from "IN HIS POWER" TONIGHT. Digby and left here at six o'clock.
Next Saturday twelve more families will come from southern Nova Scotia, but these represent only a small part dreds of families went west from the maritime provinces, but judging from the present outlook there will be not less than a thousand families in the westward movement during the present spring.

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Smythe St. and

6½ Charlotte St.

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> J. H. BURLEY, MASON AND BUILDER, 72 LEINSTER ST. 'Phone 1,581

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You can learn how it all turned out by reading the story which will be printed serially in the "ST. JOHN STAR" beginning next Saturday, 1st.

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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: I will be a Candidate at the coming The musical Taneans in a new spec-Civic Election for ALDERMAN FOR VICTORIA WARD It will be impossible for me to per- 20c., 30. sonally solicit your votes, but I shall be glad to be honored with your confidence and support, and, if elected, I pledge myself to work for the best interests of the City.

H. H. PICKETT. To the Electors of the City of St. John, N. B.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: At the request of many citizens, I Kings Ward on the third Tuesday in April next, and if elected will devote my time and attention to the city's in-

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Are equal to the fresh berry for making pies. In 10c. cans CHAS. A. CLARK, 49 Charlotte St., Market Building.

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Best company in years. If you have MATINEE FODAY, 2.30,

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A Working G I's Wrongs. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Saturday Matinee, the most succe

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The Number of Policies in force is greater than that of any other Company in America and greater than that of all the Regular Life Insurance Companies put together (less one) and can only be appreciated by comparison. It is a greater number than the COMBINED POPULATION of Connecticut, Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Delaware, Florida, Colorado, Oregon, Washington, Wyoming, Nevada, Montana, Idaho, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Alaska, Arizona, New Mexico, District of Columbia, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Hawaii; or as to CITIES it is as many as the population of Greater New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Cleveland, Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto combined.

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#### SIGNIFICANT FACTS

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359 per day in Number of Claims Paid. 6,297 per day in Number of Policies Issued. \$1,303,559.06 per day in New Insurance Written. \$98,582.76 per day in Payments to Policy-holders and addition to Reserve.

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The Company OF the People, BY the People, FOR the People

#### ASSETS

United States, City and R. R.	
Bonds and Stocks	\$48,175,913.27
Bonds and Mortgages	31,814,193.06
Real Estate	14,835,140.61
Cash	
Loans to Policyholders	1,850,144.14
Premiums, deferred, and in course	
of collection (Net)	3,000,401.30

Accrued Interest, Rents, etc . . 679,298.32 \$105,656,311.60

#### LIABILITIES

Reinsurance Fund and	Special	
Reserves		\$94,008,251.0
All other Liabilities .		
Capital and Surplus .		

Paid to Policyholders since Organization, plus \$238,295,968.84 the Amount now Invested for their Security, \$238,295,968.84 Amount of Insurance \$398,889,074.00 Issued in 1903 . . . \$398,889,074.00

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## The sleuths of Vanity Fair

By O. HENRY.

out. All the agencies of inquisition— the hounds of the trail, the sleuths of the city's labyrinths, the closet detec-tives of theory and induction—will be place, calling himself one of the syno-hyms of "Smith," and without memory of events up to a certain time, including his grocer's bill. Sometimes it will

polling the restaurants to see if he may be waiting for a well done sirloin, that he has moved next door.

This snuffing out of a human being like the erasure of a chalk man from a blackboard is one of the most impressive themes in dramaturgy.

The case of Mary Snyder, in point, should not be without interest. A man of middle age of the name of Meeks, came from the west to New York to find his sister, Mrs. Mary Snyder, a widow, aged 52, who had been up." living for a year in a tenement house in a crowded neighborhood.

At her address he was told that Mary Snyder had moved away longer than a month before. No one could tell him her new address.

"I forgot to suggest old

mer and explained his dilemma. "My sister is poor," he said, "and I am anxious to find her. I have recent-

iy made quite a lot of money in a lead mine and I want her to share my pros-There is no use in advertising for her, because she cannot read." The policeman pulled his moustache and looked so thoughtful and mighty that Meeks could almost feel the joyful tears of his sister Mary dropping upon his bright blue tie.

There is a few thy directory out then. Likely your sister's name and address will be in it."

Meeks rid himself of the city detective at once. On the next day someone advised him to consult Shamrock. upon his bright blue tie.

and get a job driving the biggest dray but performed miracles in the way of You can find. There's old women al- solving mysteries and crimes. getting knocked over by drays

graph of Mary Snyder that her brother had were distributed among the stations. In Mulberry street the chief rock Joines. assigned Detective Mullins to the case.

"This is not a difficult case to unraprice.

Meeks bowed his agreement to the

vel. Shave off your whiskers, fill your pockets with good cigars, and meet me in the cafe of the Waldorf at three commanded.

"You will tell all you know about your sister's disappearance," Joines commanded.

with the suddenness and completeness ter. We will try one of 'em first. You say she's 52?" "A little past," said Meeks.

The detective conducted the western

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be found after dragging the rivers and if you've got a grudge against this scheme we'll try the other one. It's a sure thing. But it'll cost you more."

Snyder had lived, and the detective demanded to be shown the room in which she had lived. It had been occupied by no tenant since her disappear. "Never mind the expense," said Meeks, "we'll try it."

This was done and the two were shown to a superb suit on the fourth floor. Meeks looked puzzled. The detective sank into a velvet armshair and

"I forgot to suggest, old man," he have stuck you so much for 'em."
"By the month!" exclaimed Meeks.

"Oh. it'll take time to work the gam this way. I told you it would cost you more. We'll have to wait till 1905. There'll be a new city directory out

"You go down in the Canal street Joines, New York's famous private designborhood," said the policeman, tective, who demanded fabulous fees.

After waiting for two hours in the down there. You might see 'er among ante-room of the great detective's apartment, Meeks was shown into his you better go 'round to headquarters' presence. Johns sat in a purple dress-and get 'em to put a fly cop on to the ing-gown at an inlaid ivory chess-ta-At police headquarters Meeks received ready assistance. A general alarm piercing eyes, and rate per word are was sent out and copies of a photo-

O'clock this afternoon."

When Meeks had concluded the great detective looked at him sternly, and here. They had a bottle of wine while said: "You have not been altogether the detective asked questions concern- frank with me. You said nothing

"How did you know about that?" hadow came over his countenance. "I will tell you how I know it," he

said, with some of the just pride of eliminates Brooklyn. No woman atgenius; "I saw her photograph at the tempts to board a car at the Brooklyn police station this morning."
"I will undertake your case, Mr Meeks," said Jolnes, finally. "The disappearance of people in this city has always been a interesting problem to

me. I remember a case that I brought door are two hooks in the wall. Upon to a successful outcome a year ago. A one of these Mrs. Snyder has hung her family bearing the name of Clark disappeared suddenly from a small flat in You will observe that the bottom of the invoked to the search. Most often the man's face will be seen no more. Sometimes he will reappear in some distant of the largest dallies. There he wrote the following "ad." and submitted it to Meeks:

"Wanted, at once—100 attractive chording the first building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the search. Wanted, at once—100 attractive chording the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the search. Wanted, at once—100 attractive chording the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the plastered to the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the flat building for two months for a soiled streak against the flat building for two months f

poorly furnished. Meeks seated himself dejected on a broken chair while the great detective searched the walls and floor and the few sticks of old rickety furniture for a clue. At the end of half an hour Joines had

collected a few seemingly unintelligible articles—a cheap black hatpin, a piece torn off a theatre programme, and the

Shamrock Joines leaned against the mantel for ten minutes, with his head resting upon his hand, and absorbed in it. It has been wrapped around a look upon his intellectual face. At the length of that time he exclaimed with animation:

"Come Mr. Meeks, the problem is solved. I can take you directly to the house where your sister is living. And bosom. The next day she disposed of you may have no fears concerning her welfare; for she is amply provided with funds-for the present at least." Meeks felt joy and wonder in equal

roportions.
"How did you manage it?" he asked, with admirartion in his tone. Perhaps Joines' only weakness was a professional pride in his wonderful achievements in deduction. He was ever ready to astonish and charm his listeners by describing his methods.

#### A Cold in the Head

doesn't seem serious but it is. It gradually works down to the air passages and causes condestion and inflammation. Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, is guaranteed to cure

"By elimination," said Jolnes, spread- No. 12, row C. left aisle." ing his claws upon a little table. "I Shamrock Joines had a far-away look ; but on glancing at the magazine a got rid of certain parts of the city to in his eyes. which Mrs. Snyder might have removed. You see this hatpin? That sult Juggins," said he.

"Who is Juggins?" asked Meeks.
"Who is Juggins?" said Joines, empts to board a car at the Brooklyn

bridge without being sure that she carries a hatpin with which to fight her way into a seat. And now I will denonstrate to you that she could not take you to him.' have gone to Harlem. Behind this They found the greater Juggins in his

that 12 Avenue C is a first-class board- Lis hat. means—as we suppose. But then I find this piece of a theatre programme dress." crumpled into an odd shape. What meaning does it convey? None to you, likely, Mr. Meeks; but it is eloquent to one whose habits and training take cognisance of the smallest things.

"You have told me that your sister was a charwoman. She scrubbing the floors of offices and hallways. Let us assume that she procured such work On coming out Mr. Meeks addressed said, "that you should have taken the policeman who was standing on the rooms by the month. They wouldn't come by the month of the word "left" and the characters valuable jewellery lost the oftenest, Mr. Meeks? In the theatre, of course Look at that piece of programme, Mr. ring-perhaps a ring of great value. Mrs. Snyder found the ring while at work in the theatre. She hastily tore

off a piece of programme, wrapped the bosom. The next day she disposed of it, and, with her increased means, looked about her for a more comfortable place in which to live. When I reach thus far in the chain I see nothing impossible about 12 Avenue C. It is there we will find your sister, Mr.

vincing speech with the smile of a suc-cessful artist. Meeks' admiration was too great for words. Together they went to 12 Avenue C. It was an oldfashioned brown stone house in a prosperous and respectable neighborhood were told that no Mrs. Snyder was known there and that not within six months had a new occupant come to

When they reached the sidewalk again Mecks examined the clues with he had brought away from his sister's

Joines as he raised the piece of theatre programme to his nose, "but it seems to me that instead of a ring having ing the missing woman.

"Now," said Mullins, "New York is abject, but we've got the detective husiness systematised. There are two mells about the mole on the left side of your back, if it doesn't.

Coughs and coids, Your money back, if it doesn't.

Show, "a to me that instead of a ring naving been wrapped in this paper it was one of those round peppermint drops. And this plece with the address on it looks to me like the end a a seat coupon—

There are two more walks better meals, "but he seen wrapped in this paper it was one of those round peppermint drops. And this plece with the address on it looks to me like the end a a seat coupon—

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"I think you would do well to con-

Their methods are different from ours, but it is said that Juggins has solved some extremely puzzling cases. I will

office. He was a small man with light hair, deeply absorbed in reading one of the bourgeois works of Nathaniel Haw-

"In fifteen minutes," he said, "I will

Shamrock Joines turned pale, but forced a smile. Within the specified time Juggins re-

turned and consulted a little slip of paper held in his hand. "Your sister, Mary Snyder," he announced calmly, "will be found at 162 Chilton street. She is living in the back hall bedroom, five flights up. house is only four blocks from here," he continued, addressing Meeks. "Suppose you go and verify the statement and then return here. Mr. Jolnes with await you, I dare say." Meeks hurried away. In twenty min-

Name your fee!"
"Two dollars," said Juggins.

hat in his hand before Juggins.
"If it would not be asking too much," he stammered—"if you would favor me so far-would you object to-" "Certainly not," said Juggins pleas-antly. "I will tell you how I did it.

You remember the description of Mrs.

nyder? Did you ever know a woman like that who wasn't paying weekly instalments on an enlarged crayon por-trait of herself? The biggest factory of that kind in the country is just around the corner. I went there and got her address off the books. That's all."

#### **RUBBER!**

**Big Canadian Concerns.** 

If the companies ever come together ness of the city, said amount not to

Don't fail to read the great Russian story, "A Soldier of Commerce," start-

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY. In the elementary lecture before the Natural History Society last evening, C. F. B. Rowe described the reptiles of New Brunswick. The speaker in an utes he was back again, with a beaming easy and interesting way, explained the structure of these animals, and "She is there and well!" he cried. went on to describe the snakes of the province, of which we have six species, "Two dollars," said Juggins.

When Meeks settled his bill and departed Shamrock Joines stood with his snakes. The tortoises were next described, including the common, snap ping, painted, and margined. The curious and interesting habits and mode of life of these animals were fully explained.

> Don't fail to read the great Russian story, "A Soldier of Commerce," starting in the Star on Saturday.

IN PORTLAND STREET CHURCH. aid of the building fund. The enter-

To cure Headache in ten minutes use the public as to why the train should Kumfort Headache Powders, 10 cents, be kept off."

### FREDERICTON.

"He is the leader," said Joines, "of a new modern school of detectives. Plan to Amalgamate Three Debt to be Paid Off by an Issue of Bonds.

of the largest dallies. There he wrote the following "ad." and submitted it the flat building for two months for a clue. One day it struck me that a certain milk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in ways walked backward when they care in ways walked backward when they care in ways walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in wilk man and a grocer's boy always walked backward when they care in the flat building for two months for a clue. One days wilk there is no fringe on the shawl. Now, was three ever a case where a wild meeks was introduced.

"State the facts," said Juggins, soing the wening a shawl boarded the flat building for two months for a clue. One of the flat building for two months for a clue. One of the flat building for two months for a clue. One of the flat ways w FREDERICTON, N. B., March 26,the combine would be a big one, and several millions capital would be inpetition of Morgan & Co. was read.
This company intends erecting a carriage factory and asks for exemption from taxation, free water and a bound plan which has been under discussion. repayable within fifteen years without nterest. W. G. Clarke and A. R. Slipp were heard in favor of the petitioners.

The council postponed consideration till the meeting next week. The council passed a resolution requesting that the exhibition place Alderman Chestnut on its executive committee; also a petition be presented to the legislature giving the council power in regard to sewerage without the necessity of a plebiscite. As the law now stands a plebiscite is first necessary.

The assessment for the year was placed at \$60,000.

DON T WASTE MATCHES.

Pipe-smokers who have trouble in getting their tobacco "going" should try Rainbow Cut Plug, which lights easily and smokes freely. 10c. packages at all dealers.

MORE KICKS AGAINST THE I. C. R.

The indignation felt by the business community and which has already been reflected in the press with reference A successful concert was given last to the withdrawal of the I. C. R. night in Portland Methodist church in train between St. John and Halifax, SCIENTISTS AND SMOKERS.
Scientists say that the rainbow shows was assisted by Roscoe Bond and he was assisted by Roscoe Bond and hiss Price, accompanist. The following numbers were given by Mr. Price: Como, Miller; A Pretty Girl. Goodwin; Isamis Superstitutes, Edwards; Capt. Baz' Story, Thanet; Just to Be Good, Rilley; if I Were Only You, Williams; Eighth Wonder, Crane; All's with his fingers," said the boarder who for walks between meals, "but he can't laugh with them."

"Oh, I don't know," rejoined the building fund. The enter-tainbow shows no sign of abating. In fact many merchants and travellers strongly resent the ignoring on the part of the lowing numbers were given by Mr. Price: Como, Miller; A Pretty Girl. Goodwin; Isamis Superstitious, Edwards; Capt. Baz' Story, Thanet; Just to Be Good, Rilley; if I Were Only You, Williams; Eighth Wonder, Crane; All's with his fingers," said the boarder who can't laugh with them."

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# POOR DOCUMENT

ST. JOHN STAR, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29, 1905.

MERELY MARY ANN

Playing It.

A dispute over the right to the dram-

Mr. Harkins had intended to put this

play, and he wired his firm of Mr. Har-

land about five months ago.

The Canadian copyright law governing this point reads as follows:—"The

conditions for obtaining such copyright shall be that the said literary, scienti-

fic, musical or artistic work shall be-fore publication elsewhere or simul-

taneously with the first production or

taken out or applied for and was not

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Linens and Cottons will be continued

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Of How Money Can Be Saved By Purchasing at This Store.

and asked us to make it up for her. It was so pretty, that her friend, thinkdid. She had it made on the premises, and everything in connection with the garment was furnished by us. She saved money, time and worry.

The above referred to the Shantung Silks which are on sale now at our

### Cotton Delaines for Shirt Waist Suits.

Pick them while the stock is fresh. Dainty patterns and fast colors, 33 inches wide. They are a soft material, which has the appearance of wool. Price is but 15c. a yard.

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Do You Appreciate Nice Goods WELL HANDLED?

If so, give us your order. These are special features of our business. MEATS, FISH AND VEGETABLES. IRA B. KEIRSTEAD, 240 Paradise Row.

BRACE UP. 25c, 35c and 50c Snappy Specimens of Spring Suspenders Just Opened at

WETMORE'S, The Young Men's Man, 154 MILL STREET

FRANK S. PURDY, 96 Wall Street.

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Do you like an easy shave? Do you Co., Cleveland. like a shave that leaves your face sof like velvet, without any smart or irri-PIERCE SHAVING PARLOR, 26 DOCK STREET.

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We have about 1,000 rolls Wall Paper 9c. papers, 6c. roll; 12c. papers, 9c. roll. These papers are bargains at our re-

Curtain Poles, wood or brass trimmings, 25c. each; Brass Curtain Rods, 5c. and 10c. each; Window Shades on Rollers, 15c, to 60c, each, Lace Curtains, 22c. to \$2.50 pair.

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

#### Regal Beef, Iron and Wine

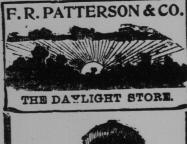
An elegant combination in which are united the nutriment of Beef, the tonic powers of Iron, and the stimulating properties of Wine. As a nutritive tonic in the treatment of impaired nutrition, impoverishment of the blood, and in all forms of general debility, it is of great value:

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### LOCAL NEWS.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Forecasts-Light to moderate winds, becoming variable; fine and mild today American Firm Claims Exclusive Rightsand on Thursday.

Synopsis—Fine, mild weather is indicated. Winds to American ports, light to moderate, variable, and to Banks, moderate to fresh northwest to

Highest temperature during past 24 Lowest temperature during past 24 hours, 36; temperature at noon, 49.

west, becoming variable.

Ten large sacks Coke put in bin \$2.25.

Phone 116 Gas Works.

Privilege of seeing the play, which is one of the most attractive on W. S.

Don't fail to read the great Russian story, "A Soldier of Commerce," start-ing in the Star on Saturday. A highly successful tea and enter-

tainment was held in Brussels street been given in Canada.

Baptist church last evening. The date Mr. Harkins had interwas the 55th anniversary of the church. The bankrupt stock of Morrell & Terry's company was also the agent Sutherland was bid in this morning by J. A. Magilton at forty-four cents, for which claims the exclusive right to the

Capt. and Mrs. J. C. Rogers and Mr. Harkins was threatened with an

Revival services are being continued

al seekers were at the altar last night.

ton street, with good interest. Sever-

Canada some years ago.

The programme for the mission services at Centenary church tomorrow is as follows: 3 and 4.15 p. m., social alleged rights under the circumstances. meeting; 8 p. m., Dr. Bates' last trouble is a dramatization of a book preaching service. All are welcome.

October 21st of this year will be the 100th anniversary of the battle of Trafalgar, and it was decided at a meeting of Marlborough lodge No. 207, Sons of England, on Monday night, to cele-brate the day this year in a fitting

McArthur's special sale of wall papers now on. Bargains in all departments. 20,000 rolls offered at half price. All

to take evidence of parties in Montreal in the case of Thomas J. Murray vs. Lucy DeBury. M. G. Teed for the plaintiff; C. J. Coster for the defend-

publication thereof elsewhere be regis-tered at the office of the minister of agriculture by the author or his loca A coach owned by Barry Clark broke representatives, and further that such down yesterday afternoon in front of work shall be printed or published and produced in Canada or reprinted and the I. C. R. depot. One of the wheels collapsed leaving the hub on the axel and tumbling the occupants about in lively shape. No one was injured.

Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Ltd., had about \$6,000 worth of goods on the eral months before the copyright was Parisian which is partly under water produced in Canada one month after it at Halifax. They have received no information as to whether it is dam aged or not. Three holds are full of water and three are dry, but they know nothing further than this.

#### RECENT DEATHS.

the residence of her son-in-law, Samuel If it should be decided in his favor i daughters, Mrs. McCordick and Mrs. March, of Carleton; Mrs. W. Stephen-son, Westfield; Mrs. Schubbert, Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. Nors, of England, and one son, J. Shepherd, of England: also twenty-two grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. The funeral will take place Friday at 2.30 o'clock, from 101 Ludlow street, West

DUNCAN KIRKPATRICK. The death took place yesterday at Duncan P. Kirkpatrick, after a lingerthirtieth year of his age, was a popular young man, and had been teaching Macaulay's decision not to be a candischool for some years. The funeral date will be officially made.

will take place tomorrow. MRS CHRISTIAN NELSON. Charles Damery, proprietor of the Park Hotel, and Mrs. Damery leave today for New Haven, Conn., to attend the funeral of Mr. Damery's sister, Mrs. Christian Nelson, who died there yesterday. Mrs. Nelson has lived in New Haven a number of years and has been ailing for some time and her death was not unexpected. She was aged 35 years and leaves five children. The funeral will be held board. omorrow afternoon.

FOR ONLY ONE TON OF COAL. A citizen who ordered some coal yeserday was surprised to find no less than four men and two two-horse

eams engaged in hauling the fuel, which was the small quantity of one When asked why so much help was necessary he was told the streets warranted it. With wheeled wagons the horses can hardly struggle along under even a small load, so two teams

BAPTISM TONIGHT.

This evening in Douglas avenue Chris- FRATERNAL TEMPLE TONIGHT. tian church the ordinance of Baptism will be administered to three candidates, and the series of special evangelistic services, which Rev. J. C. B. Ap- ple of Honor, will meet in fortnighty pel has been conducting for three weeks session. A considerable amount of will be terminated. About half a dozen persons have been added to the a full attendance of members is ex-

MAKES TROUBLE. city on official business, but is quite re-

ticent as to details.

Judge of Probate Cockburn of St. Andrews, and Col. H. Montgomery Campbell of Apohaqui, are guests at

atization of Israel Zangwill's famous book, "Merely Mary Ann," may possibly of his worship the mayor, 71 Sydney street, during his visit to St. John. E. W. Pond, of Fort Fairfield, is redeprive St. John theatre goers of the

one of the most attractive on whom the most attractive of the most attract settling in court a point on which an authoritative legal opinion has never returned home yesterday from Boston. Major D. H. Fairweather, of Sussex,

WEATHER IN THE WEST.

A letter received from C. F. Robinkins' intentions. The result was that son, formerly in the employ of the Massey-Harris Co. in St. John, and Capt. and Mrs. J. C. Rogers and family wish through the Star to express their deep thanks to the friends who have shown them sympathy and who have shown them sympathy and be reavely larger in their recent sad be reavely larger in the recent sad by the recent sad by the recent sad by the recent sad

ily withdrew the play from his pro-No rain fell between about the midgramme.

But under the Canadian copyright

Mr. Robinson says: "We had about 12 n the Reformed Baptist church, Carle-law Mr. Harkins is convinced and has inches of snow in all. The thermomebeen assured by expert lawyers that he has a perfect right to play the piece. Anyway he proposes to find out whether he has or not, and to settle this point to 25 below and a few times got down The death occurred yesterday, at his home in Beaconsfield, of William Bolt, leaving a widow and two sons and five daughters to mourn. Deceased was a native of England and came to the death occurred yesterday, at his he has or not, and to settle this point of the quarrelsome copyright question of the quarrelsome copyright question for the quarrelsome copyright question for the quarrelsome copyright question for the day night of next week, and has requested those who claim the exclusive rights air always dry."

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He also states that the snow is all

A TERROR ON TE.

One of Emerson & Fisher's slovens ed in England and later in the United States. It was dramatized in England by Liebler & Co., under the same title as the book, "Merely Mary Ann," and was first played in the United States about a year ago, and later in England below the first played in the United States about a year ago, and later in England about five months ago. loaded with hardware, became imbedand about five months ago.

Mr. Harkins procured another dramloads of slush and ice were carried atization of the same book, and played it in Nova Scotia on the 15th, 16th and buildings, but the important feature— 17th days of November last.
On the 16th of January, Liebler & Co. sidered. This is left-handed work, applied to Ottawa for an intermin copy- truly. right of the play in Canada and re-

\$5.00.



in this City was published or produced abroad. He also points to the law stating that an interim copyright anyway only lasts one month and therefore this interim copyright granted to Liebler & Co. expired on Feb. 16.

If the injunction asked for is issued. was published or produced abroad. He We make the best \$5.00 gold crown in

MRS. WILLIAM SHEPHERD.

The death occurred this morning, at the death occurred the 527 Main Street.

### MORE CANDIDATES.

Another Aspirant For Civic Honors In Guy's Ward---Meeting of Citizen's League This Evening.

The executive of the Citizens' League will meet tonight when it is expected members of the executive this morning declined to discuss the situation o say whether they had yet aranged for a candidate for Dufferin ward.

The latest aspirant for civic honors is Andrew Buist, for years a clerk in the customs house, who has announced that he will be a candidate for Guy's ward in opposition to the League candidate W. B. Baskin. Ald. Tilley i also a candidate for this ward. Mr. Buist is an experienced man having

THIS EVENING. Sheeley-Young Stock Company at

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### PERSONALS.

of His Majesty's customs, is in the

F. M. Burns, M. P. P., of Bathurst, and W. A. Park, collector of customs, of Newcastle, were at the Royal yesterday. They left in the evening for

Miss Ethel McAvity, who has been spending a few months in Jamacia, returned home yesterday. Right Rev. Bishop Kingdon and Mrs. Kingdon are the guests of W. M. Jarvis, 198 Princess street.

Rev. Dr. Kirkpatrick will be the guest

was on Monday evening given a fare-well supper at Vail's restaurant, the major being about to leave for the United States.

pointment of his patrons, he temporar- North West.

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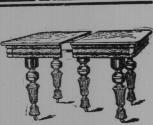
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