

SOUTH AFRICA.

Sharp Fighting and Continued British Successes.

Several Prominent Boers Captured—Another Batch of Prisoners Arrive in the West Indies.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The war office has issued another long despatch received from Lord Kitchener...

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Telegrams received here from South Africa still refer to the probable decision of the Boers to surrender...

LONDON, Dec. 23.—A despatch in the Daily Mail from Sydney announces that Joseph Chamberlain, the colonial secretary...

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Lord Kitchener in a despatch from Johannesburg, dated Saturday, Dec. 22, sends reports of sharp fighting in the Orange River...

In the eastern part of the Transvaal colony, Col. Mackenzie attacked Commandant Smith's force of Boers at Lake Benagha...

A force of Boers during the night of Dec. 19, attacked the British post at Strand Spruit...

OTTAWA, Dec. 23.—Major H. D. Johnston of Charlottetown gets a captaincy in the field hospital for South Africa...

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DRY DOCK COMMISSION. Civic Committee to Inspect U. S. Dry Docks, Returns.

Mr. Robertson Talks of His Trip—He is Greatly Encouraged by What He Saw—Found Wooden Docks in Favor.

The committee appointed by the common council to accompany Gen. Robertson, M. P. P., promoter of the Imperial Dry Dock Co., on a tour of inspection of the docks on the Atlantic seaboard returned Monday...

Dismissing the tour in detail after commenting on the great amount of ground covered in so short a time, Mr. Robertson spoke of the committee's visit, first to the docks on the East Coast in New York...

GOOD WORK OF MOLLER'S BOOTS. (Special Cable to the Mail and Empire.) LONDON, Dec. 19.—A despatch from Bloemfontein says: "Civil supplies in the Orange River Colony have been placed under the control of the civil administration..."

GERMANY. His Plans With regard to Venezuela. Berlin, Dec. 22.—The German press is full of reports...

MISS STONE ALIVE. CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 22.—A correspondent here of the Associated Press was today informed that the American legation...

MARCONI HAPPY. ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Dec. 22.—There was no news development today in the situation here...

MARCONI TO SAIL. ST. JOHN'S, N. B., Dec. 20.—Marconi announced tonight that according to his present plans, he will sail for England next Monday on the Allan line steamer Sirdinian...

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THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN

ST. JOHN, N. B., DECEMBER 25, 1901.

WILL THE BARGAIN BE KEPT?

Though Mr. Gibson was not expected to take a prominent part in the nomination meeting...

When the present campaign began Dr. McLeod made his position clear, and has not failed to keep it clear at any meeting since.

Several others have been engaged to appear later. Dr. McLeod should be a proud man to find a government machine, combined with a princely one-man power...

Mr. Gibson has also issued a card, but it does not mention the important condition to which he agreed.

His two organs have been filled with appeals to the electors, but they have not sold the election that there will be no sum and money on the government side in this election.

Now Dr. McLeod is only one of many who say that the people generally in York laugh at the idea that this promise will be kept.

The feeling on this point would have been very different if Mr. Gibson and his campaign had at the beginning of his campaign, and all through it, seemed to be understood that they intended to run a clean election.

They could by this time have prepared their own friends throughout the parishes to accept the contract as the law of the campaign.

It can hardly be expected that an organization which appeals to the world in this tone would win adherents in the mother country of the local colonies.

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wear wig, as they were obliged to do eighty years ago when Mr. Wickstead was first concerned with the law.

The reformer got the ear of Judge Gwynne, who was called to the bar sixty-five years ago, and has some regard for ancient usage.

But it happened that while Mr. Wickstead was lingering about a court house corridor, which is reserved for judges, where he awaited the leisure of Judge Gwynne, the comparatively juvenile chief justice came along and compelled him to depart.

Ottawa's police magistrate discovered reasons for refusing to issue a warrant for the chief justice, who is yet at large.

What makes the affair more remarkable is the fact that Sir Henry Strong is accused of breaking the peace just at a time when he has been selected as a peace-maker by the government of Salvador.

The other arbitrators in the case between that government and the Salvador Commercial Company are Hon. Don Dickinson, a former cabinet minister of the United States, and the chief justice of Salvador.

Unless Mr. Wickstead's case stands in the way the Salvador reference will be heard at Washington during the winter.

AN INTERESTING HOLIDAY. (Daily Sun, Dec. 21st.) One of the Gibsons organs in Fredericton recently made complaint that Dr. McLeod was disturbing the harmony of the Christmas season by carrying on a campaign at Christmas time.

Notice now the list of disturbers of the peace whom the government managers have turned loose in York to increase the tumult, and incidentally to beg the people not to elect Dr. McLeod:

D. C. Fraser, M. P. E. M. MacDonald, M. P. P. H. A. McKewen, M. P. P. E. H. McAlpine, Esq. F. B. Carvell, ex-M. P. P. W. T. Whitehead, M. P. P. G. W. Allen, M. P. P. Hon. F. P. Thompson. J. D. Philney, ex-M. P. P. C. J. Milligan, liberal organizer. N. W. Brown. R. W. McLellan.

Several others have been engaged to appear later. Dr. McLeod should be a proud man to find a government machine, combined with a princely one-man power, and all this array of talent, banded together in the attempt to crush him.

And yet the liberal conservative candidate appears to be enjoying his holiday better than Mr. Gibson.

WANTED, ANOTHER PARNELL. Many in Canada sympathize with that portion of the Irish people who desire a greater measure of self-government.

But the number in this country who support the cause of the Irish nationalist party is not so large as it was some years ago.

We do not need to go far to discover the reason. Mr. Parnell would never have allowed his political party at a time like this to offend the loyal instincts of every true British subject.

He was wise enough to know that the great body of the Irish people in Canada and the other colonies do not desire the complete separation of Ireland from the Empire, and do not rejoice over the defeat and slaughter of British soldiers.

Mr. D'Arcy Scott, a son of the secretary of state, who presided over Mr. Redmond's meeting at Ottawa, will perhaps not do so again, now that he has read the accounts of Canadian sentiment which the delegates gave on their return.

At all events, Mr. Scott will be glad that his name is not attached to the appeal of the American executive, which says of Ireland:

Who she in a position to draw the sword or use the rifle, with even a reasonable chance of success, we would prefer that method of obtaining her rights and avenging the insults heaped upon her by a senseless government, to any other.

But we know that she is not at present untrained, unarmed and without formidable allies as her people are in a position to cope with the land and sea forces, command her sea ports and can be heavily reinforced within a few hours, from the military depots and naval reserves of her oppressor.

It can hardly be expected that an organization which appeals to the world in this tone would win adherents in the mother country of the local colonies.

Not thus did Justin McCarthy talk when he made that visit to St. John, which many citizens pleasantly remember.

THE ATTACKS ON DR. McLEOD. If Dr. McLeod had committed some grave offence against the law of the land, or the moral sentiment of the country, he might deceive some of the abuse which is heaped upon him from day to day by the managers of the party which is trying to defeat him.

As he is not a criminal, but a respectable and honorable man, and one who is well known and highly esteemed, he can afford to hear and read this abuse with cheerfulness.

Nor is it a bad thing for Dr. McLeod for the Laurier-Tarte organs to say that his speeches are wretched exhibitions, or that he is a mere stammerer in debate compared with Mr. D. C. Fraser.

member of the prohibition commission. The report that commission with the evidence is available.

Anyone who wishes can see how large a share of the enquiry fell to Dr. McLeod. While the other commissioners relieved each other, Dr. McLeod remained at his post from the beginning to the end.

While the liquor interests provided an agent and gave him all the help he could use, Dr. McLeod had to do a great deal of the work of procuring evidence on the other side.

He cross-examined closely all the witnesses hostile to prohibition. He was diligent in collecting data from all sources.

His minority report, covering nearly two hundred pages of the blue book, is a valuable treatise, summing up the results of the enquiry from his point of view in a masterly fashion.

Of course Dr. McLeod received the same rate of pay as his colleagues. It was about one-tenth as much per day as Attorney General Pugsley claims when he works for the public.

It is the same, less expenses, as Mr. McAlpine gets when he goes out to hold an enquiry into the partnership of a ten dollar a year postmaster.

The whole amount paid by the commissioners for salary and expenses for the enquiry covering two or three years was very much less than was expended to pay the Canadian bills for the series of punches held at Washington and Quebec and called the international commission.

The whole cost of the prohibition commission, including the printing of the reports, was a mere fraction of the cost of the plebiscite to the treasury and the people of Canada.

Not only was Dr. McLeod's share in that important enquiry free from blame, but it was a distinct and important service, in which he displayed those qualities of independence, energy, courage and industry which have always characterized him.

He accepted that position with the purpose of assisting a cause which he has always aided in other ways, and for which he has given more labor without reward than his opponent has performed in all lines of activity in his life.

Thousands of people in York and all over New Brunswick can testify that Dr. McLeod is a capable man, an unselfish man, and a conscientious man.

What then is the advantage of defaming him? Will one more vote be got for Mr. Gibson by this means?

GALLANT OFFICER. The death of Major Oglivy from the effect of wounds received last week at Kilgpat, cut short a military career of great promise.

Major Oglivy went to Africa with the first contingent as adjutant, after service in the Yukon. At Peardberg and in subsequent actions his conduct was such as to merit special mention.

Accepting an imperial commission, he received a staff appointment under General Smith-Dorrien, where also he won distinction. More recently still he was assigned a position in the South African constabulary, and not long ago was spoken of as having performed some important service.

No details have reached here of the action in which he fell.

The fine compliment paid to New Brunswick teachers by the South African authorities is highly satisfactory. It is not so pleasant to lose some of the best members of the teaching staff of the province, though it is the penalty of excellence.

It must be paid South Africa has hitherto met a cheerful response in St. John to all the demands upon our patriotism, but the citizens may feel like drawing the line at Dr. Bridges. We seem to need him here.

Toronto city is represented by four of the ablest and most influential members of the house of commons. Mr. Brock is one of the leading merchants in Canada.

Mr. Ooster is a leading broker and financier. Mr. Clarke is a newspaper man, and has been four times mayor of the city.

These four have joined with Mr. Foster in a message of encouragement and congratulation to Dr. McLeod.

Mr. Long, secretary of the United States navy, has endorsed the finding of the majority of the commission against Schley. Where Admiral Dewey disagrees with his colleagues, the minister disagrees with him and condemns Schley.

As the commission and the minister and Schley guilty of cowardice, insubordination, and official falsehood, as well as inefficiency, one would expect something else to follow the discontinuance of proceedings.

Mr. C. J. Milligan is one of the twelve imported speakers who are trying to induce the York people not to elect Dr. McLeod.

The Chatham World claims to have been the one to discover and the first to announce that the Prince of Wales was an orator, a fact which the English people only learned a few days ago.

The World made the announcement on the strength of the Duke of Cornwall's reply to the address in St. John.

Mr. Emmerson will not be minister of marine. Neither will Mr. Farrington. The appointment is going to Mr. Sutherland, who is now in charge of the department.

Mr. Tarte's Patrie says so, and what that organ says on the subject of appointments comes to fact.

Mr. Rockefeller has lately been somewhat effaced by Mr. Carnegie. He has, however, done something to keep his end up by handing over to Chicago University another million, for the establishment of a law school and other purposes.

The Telegraph must not quote the Sun as the paper which speaks of "the pernicious one-man power." The term is the Gleaser's, which knew something about it then and knows a good deal more now.

Some of the United States officers in the Philippines say that 50,000 men will be needed there for at least five years more. It is strongly felt by the people of those islands that governments only exist by the consent of the governed.

Mr. Tarte's Patrie has expressed strong approval of Mr. Fraser's first speech at Fredericton. The clear Mr. Fraser's way to the bench.

THEIR LATE JOB SHENTON. A correspondent writes: Perhaps there is no more striking testimony of the fact that the world respects—if it loves—a truly noble life and character than has been seen in the numerous tributes that have in various ways been paid to the late Rev. Job Shenton.

The Queen's Square Church, where he labored for six years; Broomfield street, where for five years he faithfully ministered to his people; Fredericton and Charlottetown, where he has been living in Boston for some time, is visiting her home in Alma, Miss Frances Hoar, teacher at Margrethe, is spending the holidays at her home at Waterside.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Amos Treeman of Point de Bute will be the guests for the winter of their daughter, Mrs. Fred T. Tingley.

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Mr. Bickerton came out from Hants, England, when a small boy and lived with his parents on Beach Hill. In 1837 he married Mary Mitton, whose death occurred in 1888.

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Paralysis of the brain was the immediate cause of death. Mr. Bickerton was a consistent and active member of the Methodist church, being for many years superintendent of Fairfield Sunday school. He leaves a family of two sons and six daughters.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Watson officiated. The funeral took place this afternoon at one o'clock. Rev. Dr. Sprague officiated.

HOPPEWELL HILL. HOPPEWELL HILL, Dec. 21.—The concert which was given on Friday evening by the departments of the superior school here was largely attended and a decided success in every way.

The pupils showing good abilities and careful training. The programme consisted of dialogues, exercises, choruses, tableaux, readings by Ruth Mitton, Alice East, Mary Russell, Fred Newcomb, Maggie Ashbird and Henry Newcomb, solo by Marjorie Tingley and Ella Tingley, duet by Mary Russell and Mattie Tingley.

At the close of the entertainment refreshments were furnished. About \$21 was realized.

The remains of the late Mrs. Angus McFadden were brought from Pettitcodiac by Friday's train and interred in the new cemetery at this place.

The funeral services, which were very largely attended, were held in the Presbyterian church at Riverside, in which the deceased was married only six months ago.

Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved husband and relatives.

Lt. Gov. McClellan returned from Fredericton on Friday. Principal Stuart of the superior school here left yesterday for Fredericton Junction to meet Christmas Eve Law, principal of the school at the Mines, and John Abingham of the Lower Cape school left by yesterday's train for their homes in Gaspotown.

Miss O. J. Moore from St. John, Miss Margaret McCormack, Salsbury, W. H. West, Dawson Settlement, teachers, have arrived at their homes here to spend the Christmas vacation.

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TWO STATE SENATORS ENDORSE PE-RU-NA.

HON. J. H. SAUER.



Hon. J. H. Sauer, State Senator from Douglas Co., to the Nebraska Legislature, writes from Frank's Hotel, Omaha, Neb., as follows:

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amusement and entertainment. The children have done exceedingly well under her teaching, as yesterday showed, and the electors are very sorry they are going to lose her.

Dr. M. H. MacDonald and wife and also the teacher gave all a rest. There was a good attendance.

The following is a list of the programme carried out in the entertainment: "Songs" by the school; recitation, "Welcome," by Charlie Rathburn; recitation, "Temperance," by Jessie E. Vanwart; recitation, "A Surprise for Santa Claus," James Rathburn; recitation, "When Papa Was a Boy," Nasse Vanwart; recitation, "A Catastrophe," Charlie Rathburn; recitation, "The Two Stockings," Sarah Smith; recitation, "In Santa Claus Land," Ida Vanwart; recitation, "Too Little and Too Big," Mabel MacDonald; song, "Happy Greetings," by school; recitation, "Full Pure," James Thomson; recitation, "Writing to Santa Claus," James Smith; recitation, "A Loving Little Girl," Ella Vanwart; recitation, "Christmas," Ida Vanwart; recitation, "Christmas Morning," Lily Wagon; recitation, "The Bashful Boy's Price," James Ross; recitation, "Charlie's View," Charlie Watson; song, "Christmas Bells," school; recitation, "The Stocking's Christmas," James Ross; recitation, "Kitty at School," Ella Vanwart; solo, "The First Christmas," Sarah Thomson; recitation, "A Little French for a Little Girl," Ida Vanwart; trio, "It is Coming," Ella Vanwart, Mabel MacDonald and Sarah Thomson; recitation, "Harry's Mistake," Beverly Ferris; recitation, "After Vacation," James Smith; dialogue, "Where Are You Going Little Birdie?" Ella Vanwart and Mabel MacDonald; recitation, "The New Mittens," Beverly Ferris; dialogue, "The Months of the Year," Ella Vanwart; recitation, "Vacation," Charlie Watson; "God Save the King."

On Magnetic Healing. Much is spoken and written during these times about this mysterious method of treating disease.

The most truly remarkable cases of magnetic healing which have come under the notice of the writer have been those in which Dr. Chase's Ointment was used.

This preparation seems to have magical powers in stopping the dreadful itching, burning sensations of Salt Rheum and Eczema, and when used regularly makes the cure thorough and permanent.

PRIZED CHRISTMAS GIFT. COMODORI, N. H., Dec. 21.—Very Rev. E. M. O'Connell, rector of St. John's Roman Catholic church in this city and vicar general of the diocese of New Hampshire, is the recipient of a highly prized Christmas gift from Admiral Ureux, consisting of a cabinet containing autograph portraits of the admiral and members of his family.

The gift is a gold plate, inscribed with the names of the admiral and his family. It was presented to the admiral by the writer, who is in charge of the parish of Portsmouth, and all in his power for their removal, and well as for their spiritual well being, and his efforts were greatly appreciated.

PRICH, Dec. 21.—Paul Fessner, the Russian plenipotentiary, Prince Oshang and Wang Wen Shiao present their objections to the Russian treaty, which was discussed here between Mr. Lebar and the Chinese representatives last Saturday, in writing for transmission to the government.

The minister of the foreign power here, who opposes this treaty, considers the request a sign that Russia is willing to modify her demands.

HAMPSTEAD NEWS. HAMPSTEAD, QUEENS CO., Dec. 21.—The school here under the skillful management of Miss Strong of Fredericton closed yesterday with an ex-

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Ignatius Roth, agent of the C. P. on Saturday, and west at once.

The employees of railway have organized a numerical strength, and in numerical strength, smoker the sum of

In spite of the cold, John Biddington, yesterday. No doubt since last summer, December it certain

R. F. Burton, the H. K. Mulford left Saturday evening. Mr. Burton securing a verdict company in the test

A Sydney, Cape the Sun Sunday Stack, a native of heart failure on Deceased was em one of the hotels. age. He remains John for interment

Rev. Joseph Noble old last August, a of Carlton Free years ago, preach Sunday evening, that were surprised yanced in years. E to his home in W

A Charlottetown records the death the wife of Oliver John. Mrs. Emery viving member of family of St. John, E. and Robert R. to the grave by

Among the Winn Second Mounted can McDonald, son of Manitou, H. county of Charlott of age and unmarried private in Strathe

What promises of cool has been North Mountain, another found at properties have been in the spring.

The Duke said breakfast yesterday good bread this is called the chief by their Royal Highness was made with HOPS.

A city correspondent campaign is on would like to know not called on D. L. have no doubt the seeking the same an Orangeman from land.

Fred Turner of home from South A Waters' Landing. Evidently he is quiet, from a climatic rate. A photograph gimentals, taken in sent a friend, show excellent physique. E of the Royal Hotel

STOPS AND WORKS. Laxative Bore-Qu in one day. 25 cents.

St. John comrades, at the inster, have remitted Jeffries of Sandy recent sad bereavement of her husband at token of sympathy, merical men are al cal way of showing Mrs. Jeffries in her

John Cullinan, the Westfield, which some days since, dowed above near word that the ve broken up. The n saved, along with birch plank. This Digby and forward another vessel.

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PROVINCIAL NEWS

MILLTOWN, N. B., Dec. 18.—Last week the cotton mill was unable to run on account of the low water, while this week, so far, it is unable to run on account of the high water and ice.

The Christmas school examinations are being held this week in the different school rooms. Schools will close on Friday for the Christmas holidays.

Chas. and Horace Murelle, formerly of Milltown, were called here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Alex. McFarlane, which took place on Wednesday last. The services were conducted by the Rev. Messrs. Robertson and McAuliffe.

The death of Allan Lunn, a promising young man of Milltown, Maine, took place Monday evening, consumption being the cause of his death. He was 19 years of age.

A son of William Foley of Barleyville was severely bitten by a horse last week. A part of one ear was taken off.

The death of John Kelley took place on Monday evening.

Angus M. Dewar, who has just ended a successful term as school teacher at Hopewell Hill, has been engaged as principal of the Fairville, St. John, High School.

William Hanson, brother of Charles Hanson, the blacksmith, who has been absent for 20 years, has returned home on a visit from Colorado.

YOUR FOOTSTEPS

By the depth of his footsteps in the earth the Indians tell the weight of a man. Do you tread shallow or deep? Perhaps you would like to weigh more? If you are below weight and find that ordinary food does not build you up try Scott's Emulsion.

It is not a drug but a food that time has shown to have a real value in such cases as yours.

We'll send you a little to try, if you like. SCOTT'S EMULSION, Toronto.

Arrangements to that end are being advanced, and it is thought that in the course of a week we may revel in aquatic "on tap."

Large supplies of beef and mutton as well as limited quantities of poultry are being brought into town.

Backville, N. B., Dec. 20.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Richardson of Woodville was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday afternoon, when their daughter, Mabel Louisa, was united in marriage with Benjamin R. Snowdon of Amherst.

Norton Spanton, Dec. 19.—It is reported that Mr. J. Robertson has the contract for getting out a million of pulp wood for the Miramich. The lumber was purchased by Mooney Bros. from James Byrne of St. John.

Dr. Bishop, who had a hard siege attending the smallpox patients, is around again, looking well after his sad experience.

George W. Robertson will soon have his two new stores completed.

Rev. Fr. Byrne is erecting a house adjoining the Sacred Heart church, that will be a credit to Norton. It is situated on an eminence that commands a view of the village, and his people are daily to help in the good work.

CHRISTMAS CLASS LISTS

Of Theological Department of Mount Allison University, 1901-1902.

Systematic theology (senior)—Class I: Curtis, Hookin (A. B.), Matthews, Class II: Barrett, Cressy, Johnson, Hoggins, Parker, Shanklin.

Systematic theology (junior)—Class I: Hookin (A. B.), Class II: Seller, Maddock, Saint, Ayers, Passed: Curry, Stroud, Hoggins, Matthews.

Church history (senior)—Class I: Barrett, Curtis, Rice (A. B.), Tuttle, Barrett (Hennings), Matthews, Class II: Hookin (A. B.), Saint, Maddock.

Church history (junior)—Class I: Barrett, Curtis, Rice (A. B.), Tuttle, Barrett (Hennings), Matthews, Class II: Hookin (A. B.), Saint, Maddock.

Hebrew (senior)—Class I: Curtis, Hookin (A. B.), Class II: Hookin (A. B.), Class III: Hookin (A. B.), Class IV: Hookin (A. B.).

Hebrew (junior)—Class I: Curtis, Hookin (A. B.), Class II: Hookin (A. B.), Class III: Hookin (A. B.), Class IV: Hookin (A. B.).

Classical Greek (senior)—Class I: Hookin (A. B.), Class II: Hookin (A. B.), Class III: Hookin (A. B.), Class IV: Hookin (A. B.).

Classical Greek (junior)—Class I: Hookin (A. B.), Class II: Hookin (A. B.), Class III: Hookin (A. B.), Class IV: Hookin (A. B.).

SUICIDE OF W. VAN SLOOTEN

A Man Once Well Known in St. John as a Pioneer Dock Expert.

There are men men in St. John who will regret to hear of the sad end of W. Van Slooten of Brooklyn, N. Y., who, according to the account given below from the New York Sun, killed himself with a revolver some days ago.

Mr. Van Slooten was the pioneer dock promoter in St. John, and his labors ante-dated the present J. D. Leary. To a Sun reporter Friday night after blocking the dock, he expressed regret on being told of Mr. Van Slooten's death. It was a surprise to him, he said, to hear such news. Mr. Van Slooten, as he knew him, was a genuine business man, well represented as a group of wealthy New York capitalists.

William Van Slooten, 41 years old, a well-known engineering, with an office at 25 Wall street, New York, was killed after 5 o'clock last evening, at his home in Brooklyn, by the presence of his wife and Dr. Lawrence J. Morton of 36 Henry street, who had been attending him for months, trouble and nervous prostration.

For a few weeks past, Mr. Van Slooten had been in such a nervous and excitable condition as to be unable to attend to business except at intervals of two or three days. Although he was evidently bordering on insanity, his wife insisted on taking any steps to place him under medical treatment that a rest and a trip south which she contemplated would result in his recovery.

Yesterday afternoon he was so restless that Mrs. Van Slooten summoned Dr. Morton. When the doctor called Mr. Van Slooten and his wife were seated in the parlor on the second floor of the house, which had been vacated by the doctor, a few minutes after the doctor's arrival and they were talking about the weather Mr. Van Slooten got up and walked quietly in a desk near one of the windows, took from a drawer a big revolver of the Mauser-constructive pattern, and instantly placing the muzzle close to his head, discharged it. The bullet passed through the top of the head.

Mr. Van Slooten was born in New Orleans in 1860. His father, John Van Slooten, participated in the revolutionary movement in Germany in 1848 and was a refugee. He was acquainted with Carl Schurz and other German revolutionaries who settled in New York.

After leaving college he studied law in the office of James B. Minor in New Orleans, but soon abandoned his law studies to follow the profession of an engineer. Shortly after reaching his majority, he was appointed assistant assessor of the mint in New Orleans and held that office for some time.

He was engaged for several years in mining operations in New Mexico, Colorado, Arizona and Nova Scotia, in the latter place as the representative of a London syndicate. He came to St. John in 1881 and established himself as a mining engineer. He was connected with the firm of Van Slooten & Co., which was a mining and engineering company.

PATIENCE AND PURSE GONE

And still suffered the untold sufferings that are a part of some of the more violent phases of kidney disease.

It is a common error to suppose that kidney disease is a disease of old people. It is a disease of all ages, and its symptoms are often mistaken for those of other diseases.

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BLACKS FOR NOVA SCOTIA

American Steel Barons Shipping Them Down by the Car Load.

BATH, Me., Dec. 20.—Sixty negroes were landed here today on their way from Birmingham, Ala., to Cape Breton via Bangor. Owing to interrupted railway traffic they were sent by way of Bath. The negroes are engaged to work in the steel plant at Sydney.

SYDNEY, C. B., Dec. 20.—An Associated Press despatch, stating that Mr. Means was now on the way to Sydney with three carloads of negroes, being shown to an official of the Steel Company tonight, he said the company found it absolutely necessary to import these negroes for work in connection with the Cape Breton works, which Mr. Means is superintendent of the blast furnaces. There are now about fifty negroes working in connection with these departments of the work.

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DEATH AT HARCOURT

Mr. William Campbell, formerly of Bass River, but who of late years has been residing at Harcourt, died at her home on Dec. 19th.

Mr. Campbell was 81 years of age at her last birthday, and until a year ago was enjoying good health. She suffered greatly during the last week of her illness, yet her mental powers were little, if any, weakened. She was buried at Bass River on Friday, the 12th.—Times.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Dec. 20.—Prof. Caven, for 21 years in the office of Wales College, read today. The students presented him with an address and a cheque for \$17.

WANTED—A case of Headache that KUMPORT Powders will cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

ST. JOHN MEN. Inspecting Cramp's Shipyard at Philadelphia.

According to an Associated Press despatch to the Upper Province papers, which despatch the A. F. failed to send to St. John, a party of prominent Canadians on the 18th visited Cramp's shipyards at Philadelphia and made a thorough inspection of the big plant.

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W. VAN SLOOTEN. Well Known in St. John near Dock Expert.

Men in St. John who hear of the sad end of a New York Sun, killed a revolver some days ago...

Mr. Van Sloan had a nervous and excitable countenance, and he was a man of two or three days' rest, and he was a man of two or three days' rest...

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THE UNCROWNED KING'S \$7,000,000 CORONATION.

His Most Excellent and Christian Majesty King Edward VII. will not be any more king after he is crowned than he is now...

As nearly as can be estimated, the coronation will cost about \$7,000,000 out of the pockets of government and people...

But the lords and ladies who see and take part in this wonderful show will have to pay dearly for the privilege...

As the king is the head of the state church, his garments will have to some extent an ecclesiastical character...

These garments must never be worn a second time, and all this product of the skill of hundreds of workmen...

As Queen Alexandra is not the head of the church, all of the ecclesiastical minutiae of the mantle placed upon Queen Victoria's shoulders...

The king and queen are not so much concerned about their clothes for this occasion, however, as are the lesser lords and ladies...

These tablets do not contain any injurious drug, and they are pleasant to use...

COL. LESSARD ON WAR'S LESSON. Value of Mounted Infantry Proved in South Africa.

The Military Institute promises a splendid series of lectures on the subject of the mounted rifles...

Some people imagined, said Col. Lessard, that the war had shown that the cavalry feature was to disappear entirely...

It is the story of a crown on which the Lord Milner of Cape Town is preparing to spend some of his pocket money...

There was a tendency to decry the value of discipline and training in the more modern warfare...

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MEXICO. Fifty People Burned to Death by Destruction of Zacaferas Market.

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FOR SALE.—A farm consisting of 150 acres upland, 15 acres lowland, in the Parish of Kings, N. B.

MONEY TO LOAN.—Money to loan in city, town, village or country property in amount of \$500 to \$10,000.

NETHERWOOD. The Cushing Sulphite Fibre Co. Ltd. of St. John, N. B.

The Cushing Sulphite Fibre Co. Ltd. of St. John, N. B. are open to contract with Lumbermen and others for a supply of Spruce Pulp Wood for delivery next Spring...

WE PROVE IT. Catarrh and Colds can be Relieved in 10 Minutes Permanently Cured.

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SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Dec 18-Str Etrivria, 2,850, Mulcahy, from Liverpool, Wm Thomson and Co. bal. Str Dunmore, 1,200, Buxton, from Belfast, Wm Thomson and Co. bal. Str St. John, 800, Fike, from Boston, W. G. Lee, mch and pass. Str Alceda, 2,181, Horeburgh, from Glasgow, Schindler and Co. gm. Str Hutton, 2,180, Dorwood, from Newcastle, Eng. Schofield and Co. Ltd-to load horses for Cape Town. Coastwise-Sch Temperance Bell, 78, Tutts, from River Hebert; James Barber, 50, Ellis, from Quaco; barge No. 1, 44, Warlock, from Farnboro. Dec 18-Coastwise-Sch Alma, 8, Day, from Point Wolfe; str Westport, 28, Powell, from Westport; str Centerville, 25, Graham, from Sandy Cove; schs Lena, 16, Rait, from Walton; barge No. 1, 43, Wadman, from Farnboro. Dec 18-Coastwise-Sch Lenzie and Edna, 30, Stuart, from Beaver Harbor; Greenville, 30, Baird, from Westville; Ruby, 15, O'Brien, from Massachusetts; barge No. 4, 40, McLeod, from Farnboro. Dec 18-Coastwise, 2,385, from Liverpool via Halifax, Wm Thomson and Co. pass and general cargo. Dec 18-Str Manchester Commerce, 3,422, Baxter, from Manchester via Halifax, Wm Thomson and Co. general. Dec 18-Coastwise-Sch W. Back, 24, Ingersoll, from North Head; Alph B. Parker, 9, Out-house, from Thiverson; Augusta, 12, from North Head; from North Head; Annie Blanche, 68, Randall, from Farnboro. Dec 18-Str Ida May, Gayle, from Boston. Sch Nellie Wallace, 10, from Boston. Sch Synara, Larkin, from St. George, Grenada. Dec 18-Str Pydas, Crossley, from Cape Town via Norfolk. Str Kentigern, Parker, from Cape Town via Sydney. Str Garth Castle, Carey, for Liverpool. Str St. Croix, Allan, for Boston. Sch Sebago, Hunter, for Bridgeport. Sch Tay, Cochran, for Boston. Sch Klota, Kirtland, for Boston. Sch Annie M. Allan, Reicker, for City Island, N. Y. Dec 18-Coastwise-Sch Garfield White, Matthews, for Apple River; Gertrude Ogilvie, for Hamilton; Dea, Harker, for St. George; str Westport, Powell, for Westport; str Beaver, Tupper, for Canim; barge No. 5, Warlock, for Farnboro; schs Yarmouth Packet, Shaw, for Yarmouth; Lone Star, Richardson, for North Head; Edna, Miller, for Annapolis. Dec 18-Str Corinthian, Nunan, for Liverpool via Halifax. Sch Manuel R. Cuza, Spragg, for Philadelphia. Sch Romeo, Stevens, for Boston. Sch Alma, Lent, for New York. Dec 18-Coastwise-Sch Foster Rice, Dionna, for Annapolis; Lena Holt, for Noel; Marian, Sailer, for Farnboro; Gertrude Baird, for Westville; str Centerville, 25, Graham, from Sandy Cove; schs Annie Blanche, Randall, for Port Williams. Dec 18-Sch Otis Miller, Miller, for Boston. Coastwise-Sch Bear River, Woodworth, for Port George.

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DOMESTIC PORTS.

Arrived. At Farnboro, Dec 18, schs No. 2, Saller; No. 4, McLeod, from St. John; Annie Blanche, Randall, from Westville; Boba, Sterling, from Yarmouth; Durant, from Windsor. At Hillsboro, Dec 17, schs Hattie McKay, Cord, from Farnboro, and Eldo for return. At Quaco, Dec 18, schs James Barber, Ellis; Nellie B. Gray, Smith; Rex, Smart, from St. John. At Hillsboro, Dec 19, str Gypsum Empress, from New York. HALIFAX, Dec 19-Ard, strs Manchester Commerce, from Manchester; Beranda, from Summers and West; Lenzie and Edna, from Halifax. Dec 19-Ard, str Ontario, from Glasgow. HALIFAX, Dec 20-Ard, strs Parisian, from Liverpool, and bid for St. John; Mary, from New York; York, from New York; str Hawkensbury, for Boston, for repairs; towing tug Roebeling as a cutter (in for ship). HALIFAX, Dec 22-Ard, str Evangeline, from London. Cleared. At Farnboro, Dec 18, schs Ray H. Wagstaff, for Boston; Boba, Sterling, for Westville; No. 2, Saller, for St. John; Annie Blanche, Randall, for Westville; Boba, Sterling, for Westville; Boba, Sterling, for Westville. At Quaco, Dec 19, schs James Barber, Ellis; Nellie B. Gray, Smith; Rex, Smart, from St. John. At Hillsboro, Dec 19, schs Newburgh, Demers; for Staten Island; Dec 19, schs M. Soley, wason, for Farnboro. Sailed. From Farnboro, Dec 18, brig Iona, Duran; for Havana; schs Maurice, Slobom, for do. HALIFAX, Dec 18-19-Strs Duncan, for St. John, N. F. From Halifax, 19th inst, str Danara, for Liverpool via St. John, N. F. From Halifax, 20th inst, strs Ketchikan, from New Orleans; for Nantes and Rotterdam; Dakota, for London; Fulda, from Halifax, 21st inst, strs Opataria, for Philadelphia; Sisseton Commerce, for Philadelphia. From Halifax, 22nd inst, str Hackney, for Nantes and Rotterdam; Demers, for St. John, N. B. BRITISH PORTS. Arrived. At Norfolk, Dec 18, strs Pharsalia and Canana, from St. John for Cape Town (for bunkers). LONDON, Dec 18-Ard, str Loyalist, from St. John, N. B. and Halifax. GREENOCK, Dec 17-Ard, brig Lennox, from Farnboro. LEVERPOOL, Dec 18-Ard, str Ionian, from St. John and Halifax. HONG KONG, Dec 18 (via C. P. R. Tel Co.) -Str Empress of Japan left here for Vancouver at 12:30 this afternoon. SOUTHAMPTON, Dec 18-Ard, str St. Paul, from New York. LYONS, Dec 18-Ard, strs Droaming Sophie, from Campbell, N. B. LEVERPOOL, Dec 18-Ard, Lake Superior, from St. John. MELBOURNE, Dec 20-Ard previously, ship Orton, from St. John. From New York, Dec 18, schs Brockton Sophie, Olsen, from Campbell, N. B. Westland, from Chatham, N. B. At Greenock, Dec 17, brig Lennox, Danube, from Liverpool. From Tyne, Dec 21, str Tanagers, for St. John. Sailed. From Hong Kong, Dec 18, str Empress of Japan, for Vancouver. MANCHESTER, Dec 17-18-Ard, strs Manchester City, for St. John. From Ankerland, Dec 18, strs Bark of the East, Hill, for New York. From Cardiff, Dec 17, str Minotaur, for St. John. LEVERPOOL, Dec 18-19-Strs Numidian, for Halifax and St. John. MOVILLE, Dec 18-19-Strs Namidian (from Liverpool), for Halifax and St. John. FOREIGN PORTS. Arrived. PORTLAND, Me, Dec 18-Ard, schs Laura Goss (started seams and is leaking, having struck ledge while coming up the coast), from Windsor, N. S. for Boston; Silvio Spray, from St. John for New York. CHERBOURG, Dec 18-Ard, str Deutchland, from New York via Plymouth, for Hamburg, and proceeded. PORTSMOUTH, Dec 18-Ard, schs Ernest T. Lee, from Calais for Newark; Wm Durs, from Calais for Boston; Valotta, from St. John. VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Dec 18-Ard, schs Sarah Eaton, from New York for Calais; Hyannis, from St. John for Calais; Newell, from New York for Newport; Orontimo, from Calais for western port, and (for bunkers). VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Dec 18-Ard, schs Annie A. Booth, from Port Johnson for St. John. VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Dec 20-Ard, str VINEYARD HAVEN, from South Amboy for Rocke; VINEYARD HAVEN, from South Amboy for Rocke; Flyaway, from South Amboy for do; Lanie Reed, from Perth Amboy for do; Lanie

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MEMORANDA.

Passed Sydney Light, Dec 18, str Mitanas, Fraser, from Sydney for Cape Town. NEW YORK, Dec 18-Strs Santiago, Hattaway, from Havana; schs J. Walker, Dec 18, between lat 47.40, lon 64.1, and lat 38.21, lon 74.38, passing a large quantity of ice.

REPORTS.

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