ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7, 1903.

COAL SITUATION.

Prospect of More Anthracite Coming Forward Very Soon.

The contract independents argued that it was unfair that they should be bound by an arbitrary price when they could get fully fifty per cent better prices, and particularly when other independents were getting all that the law of supply and demand allows

the improvements upon the property, including breakers, stores, shops and tenement houses.

"From the time of my first connection with the business, in 1880, there have always been a resident physician and assistant physicians upon the property until recently, with the exception of a short interval, The firm selected the head physician, who chose his assistants, and we collected 75 cents a amonth from the married men and 50 cents a month from the married men and 50 cents a month from the married men over 21. The amount collected was paid over to the physician. This arrangement was not compulsory upon the men or families.

"In the early part of 1898 my wife employed at her own expense a trained nurse to look after the sick, and later, when this nurse rettred, another nurse from St. Luke's Hospital in Bethlehem introduced the system of district nursing in the borough of Jeddo and in the neighboring districts.

"Stores for the sale of miners' supplies have always been maintained upon the property, and are an accommodation to the men and their families. The men have never been required to deal there.

"By the terms of the coal leases G. B. Markle & Co. are required to ap all the taxes upon the property. The taxes paid by the coal operators' constitute the largest portion of the taxes collected in the county."

Continuing, the answer says a sliding scale basis of habor had been agreed upon in 1875, and had from that time been generally in force in the Letigh region. In September, 1897, a committee of miners presented certain demands to the firm. An agreement was then in existence between the company and men to settle differences by arbitration. The company replied to the demands and received no further communication from the miners. Work at the mines continued uninterrupted until the latter part of 1900,

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Skates made by the Starr Mig. Co always give satisfaction. See that this name is stamped on every pair and take

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W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd.

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at Hazleton and endeavored to organize the Markle employes.

In September, 1900, another list of grievances was furnished the firm, the company's answer being that if the men were not satisfied with the reply the officials would be willing to arbitrate. The next communication from the men demanded arbitration, but the committee selected by the employes reported that the latter had broken their agreement with the company by striking before their grievances had been submitted to arbitration.

and the New England

States—Some Evic ence That Will Go
Before the United Sta es Commission
at Once.

SCRANTON, Pa., Jan. 4.—Follow
the lead of the Lehigh Valley, the
Jersey Central and the Reading companies, the Delaware, Lackawaman &
Western Co. vesterday acceded to the
domand of its contract shippers to
suspend the 65-35 per cent contract
until circular and actual market
prices again conform.

Only about haif of the independent
optrators are selling under the 65-35
on small sizes, the arbitrary figure
fixed by the carriers for coal at tidewaters. The independents who were
under contract terms have sold their
coal at the breaker for at least \$5 a
ton and the purchaser looked after the
freight.

The contract independents argued
that it was unfair that they should be
bound by an arbitrary price whem
they could get fully fifty per cent better prices, and particularly when
other independents of the company by striking before their grievances had been submitted to
arbitration.
Finally, on Oct. 27, 1900, a committee of
the men applied to the firm for an adjustment of the differences. This was accompolished, and on Oct. 22 work was resumed
at the mines.

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bound by an arbitrary price when they could get fully fifty per cent better prices, and particularly when other independents were getting all that the law of supply and demand allows.

This means that the independents now agree to sell their coal at the breaker at the best prices they can secure, leaving it to the purchaser to deal with the carrier about freight charges.

In return for the concessions the independents have promised to favor the east and New England, where coal is most needed, and with this end in view they have already announced that no more coal will be sold by them at retail. To generally discourage local consumers from buying more coal than is actually needed, an advance in prices was agreed upon and tomorrow Scrantonians who want coal.

"Meanwhile I had been informed that the was continued that the men should be required to sign an ironclad agreement, as a condition of soing to work. Many of the notices were the melghborhood of the office and along the lines of the road to preven the men coming to the office, where they might have learned the truth and arranged for a resumption of work.

"Meanwhile I had been informed that the

of certain contract miners during eleven and one half months, including eleven of the highest earners and five of the lowest, the highest receiving \$4,000 and the lowest, \$400.

FAR BELOW BRITISH NAVY RECORDS.

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—After waiting for two days for good weather, the torpedo boat de-stroyer MacDonough, built by the Fore River Salp and Engine Co., Quincy, Mass... was successfully speeded over a measured mile off Wood End, Provincetown, today, She exceeded her contract requirement of 28 knots, making one leg at the rate of 28.56; The best two runs over the mile averaged 28.02, which was the speed which gained her The trial was so encouraging that at the conclusion it was decided to try another government test, that of an endurance run of one hour at continued speed of 26 knots. This was attempted on the trip back to Boston across Cape Cod Bay, but after three-quarters of the time had been consum-

ed, a small valve blew out and the test was postponed until Tuesday. The high speed trial was made under The high speed trial was made under somewhat adverse conditions, there being a heavy cross sea and considerable wind. At the conclusion some of the government officials did not hesitate to say that had the run been made under the conditions usually attending government trials, the boat would have gone well over 25 knots. ASPHYXIATED.

Young Woman Looses Her Life at a Broad Street Residence.

in a Bad Way-Qas From Soft

Asphyxiated by gas from bitumin ous coal—St. John people, with millions of others, have read of such ocvictims thoughtless, ignorant, or perhaps only careless, and ridiculed the idea that anyme in this community would be so foolish as to be endangered by soft coal.

result that on Saturday morning, a young girl was found dead and her bed fellow in a precarious condition, the accident being caused by coal gas.

The eircumstances are simple. In the rear of 49 Broad street resides Mrs. Francis Duggett, the police report of the case says the lady is Mary mile not she floor above the street, one a living room and the other a kitchen These premises were very small, the bringing his brother, Mulai Moham-

g he made an interesting statement. As Honor is Understood in Saxony and

Coroner Berryman is a man of excellent judgment, one who does not jump at conclusions and who does not

ST. STEPHEN.

The Abbott Farmhouse Burned—Death of Captain Miles Hannah of

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Jan. 4.- The farmhouse known as the Abbott place, and now occupied by Mr. Smith, located at Burnt Hill, above Milltown, was destroyed by fire on Saturday morning. It was on high ground and could be plainly seen from all parts of the valley. Mr. Smith had boarded up the doors and windows the day before and gone away on the Wash-ington County train. The house and contents were destroyed, but the

barns were saved.
Captain Miles Hannah of Dufferin dled very suddenly at his home on Saturday morning at 3 o'clock. He was awake and spoke to his wife, who was soon afterwards alarmed by his heavy breathing. Realizing that something was wrong, she tried to arouse him, but was unable to do so, and, hast-ily dressing, she left the house to pro-cure assistance. On her return the vital spark had fled, heart trouble, from which he had suffered, being the cause. Capt. Hannah was sixty-three years of age and was widely known and respected. He had been master mariner for many years, retiring a few years ago on account of his strave, where they had been superintenable. He had been at work in his tending the replacing of a broken wood lot on Friday. His remains will girder in the approach to the ferry few years ago on account of his health. He had been at work in his wood lot on Friday. His remains will be interned with Masonic honors on Tuesday afternoon. He leaves no

REED'S POINT DISTURBANCE.

There was a lively racket at Reed's Point Saturday evening, and as a result Frederick King and Theodore Morrison are occupants of cells in the central police station. King is charged with having assaulted and beaten

currences, some fatal, others serious, for a time, but his arms becoming beand, as a rule, have considered the numbed with the cold, he found it necessary to grasp the rope with his teeth. Finally he was pulled up to the deck of the Yarmouth. Globe seemed none the worse yesterday for the duck Kipling says:

"The fool was stripped to his foolish hide," and it seems that people in our own midst, in this enlightened age, have failed to take warning, with the result that an Science manning a front of his house.

MOROCCO.

he front of his house,

The Rebellion is Practically Over-Tribes Swear Fealty to the Sultan

TANGIER, Morocco, Jan. 4,-According to official news received here from Fez, the adroit move of the Suitan in These premises were very small, the living loom being ten by ten feet, and the kitchen not more than 10x12. The stove that caused the trouble, an ordinary kitchen one, was near the door communicating between the two rooms. Mrs. Duggett's companion was Gertrude Orr, 16 years old. of Sheriff street, who was found dead was Gertrude Off, to years old. of Sheriff street, who was found dead when an entrance was effected to the premises.

Mrs. Francis Duggett who is shown.

Greater Austria,

cellent judgment, one who does not jump at conclusions and who does not allow himself to be carried away by excited or interested parties. He is logical in all things and must know "the reason why." To the Sun last evenling he said that while he had not decided definitely upon an inquest, he thought it would be a good idea to hold one, as it would bring not only the people of St. John, but those of the province, to a proper realization of the danger 'hey ran in using soft coal, unless they fully understood how to handle it.

This was the first fatal case in St. John, but medical journals reported others in other countries, so that if any action the crown authorities to their danger, and the taking of necessary precautions, he believed the inquest would be extremely beneficial. However, the coroner has not yet deficied as to the inquest.

ST. SIFPHEN

VIENNA. Jan. 4—Reports have been received there from sources closely connected with the court of Saxony concerning a possible with the court of Saxony and her husband. The family of the Crown Prince are especially concerned with the future of the Princess in born child, desiring its birth to eccur under to hold one, as it would be a good idea to hand to prevent possible substitution, which it is supposed the Princess might attempt if the Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atempted to claim the child. The Crown Prince's family atem

sionally.

No effort will be made to negotiate with M. Giron, who is regarded as a raw student but it is thought that the Princess might be induced to accept the foregoing proposal on account of her love for her children.

SHEDIAC.

MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 4 .- A young man named Joseph Bourque has been arrested at Shediac on suspicion of having set the fire discovered in the rear of the Weldon house on Tuesday night last. He was up for examina-tion before Magistrate McQueen yesterday and was committed for trial The principal witnesses for the pro-secution were Raymond Gallant and his sister, who testified to seeing the man leaving the rear of the Weldon house and going to his own home. They enquired who the man was and learned it was Bourque. Bourque was committed for trial. The people of Shediac are thoroughly aroused at this dastardly attempt to destroy pro-

perty, following so close on the dis-astrous fire of last fall. MONCTON. MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 4.- General Moncron, N. B., Jan. 4.— General Manager Pottinger, General Supt. Price, Assistant Manager Simpson, Chief Engineer Mackenzie, Engineer of Maintenance Burpee, and Inspector steamer. They were accompanied by a retinue of secretaries and minor of-

ficials.
Alfred Peters, manager of the Record Foundry and Machine Co., met with a severe accident on Saturday, when a piece of iron that was being broken flew and struck him in the

HONOLULU, Jan. 5.—Bishop Gulstan F. Robert, head of the Roman Cacholic church in the Hawalian Islands, died late last night.

Louis Peterson in his house on St. John N. B. Jany. 7th., 1903.

The windows in his house on St. John N. B. Jany. 7th., 1903.

Will be called upon to answer a charge of assaulting and beating Fred G. Globe on the D. A. R. wharf. The story as reported to the pollee is that to meet a friend who was coming over to the Yarmouth. King and Morrison attacked him and knocked him over into the harbor at a time when the water was very low. Globe, it is said, fell over 20 feet before he struck the water. A little boy and girl who saw (lobe fall into the water informed the crew of the Yarmouth of the fact, and said.)

St. John N. B. Jany. 7th., 1903.

Clothing Prices Cut.

If you want genuine bargains in Men's and Boys' Cl themat this store now. All our heavy stock must go out as quickly as possible—Read a few of the cuts. Men's \$15 Overcoats, large and small sizes only.

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\$12.00 Overcoats now ... \$10.00 \$8.50 ... Ulsters now ... \$5.00 crew of the Yarmouth of the fact, and \$30.00 overcoats now ... \$8.00 \$4.75 ... Ulsters now ... \$4.00 crew of the Yarmouth of the fact, and \$8.00 overcoats now ... \$6.00 \$4.75 ... Ulsters now ... \$8.00 crew of \$4.75 ... Ulsters now ... \$8.00 crew of \$4.75 ... Ulsters now ... \$8.00 crew of \$4.75 ... \$8.00 crew of \$4.75 ... Ulsters now ... \$8.00 crew of \$8.00 crew of \$8.00 crew of \$4.75 ... \$8.00 crew of \$8.00 crew of \$4.75 ... Ulsters now ... \$8.00 crew of \$8.00 crew of \$8.00 crew of \$8.00 crew of \$4.75 ... \$8.00 crew of \$8 crew of the Yarmouth of the fact, and \$8.00 Overcoats now .. \$6.00 \$4.75 ... Ulsters now ... \$8.00 \$6.50 Overcoats now ... \$5.00 \$2.75 Boys' Reefers now .. \$2.00

Remember these prices are cut from former low cash prices which were at least 25 per cent. lower than other stores,

J. N. HARVEY, - Men's and Boys' Clothier.
199 Union Street, St. John, N. B. MONROE DUCTRINE

Regarded By German Press as Con- Official Apologies for the Dangerous jectural Politics,

And Not in Any Way Belonging to International Law-Harking Back

BERLIN, Jan. 4.-The government is without information regarding the landing of German marines at Puerto Cabello, Venezuela. The foreign office Rev. Mr. Hutcheon of the church of says that if such landing occurred it Our Father, Unitarian. The following

Several newspapers today in their stearly political reviews devote much attention to Venezuela and the Monroe would be impossible and inconsistent,

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peat the effort to establish itself in the western hemisphere. The Monroe doctrine does not be long to international law, but to con-jectural politics. It binds nobody and

endows nobody with rights. Germany has no obligations to recognize and no occasion to dispute the Monroe doc-

"Germany will establish its claims considerately in form and energetical-The Taeglische Rundschau plains that the hard realist, the Yan-

kee, does not appreciate courtesies like the visit of Prince Henry and the gift of the statue of Frederick the Great, "but blows a few notes into the rusty and hoarse Monroe trumpet and Germany must let that impudent trickster, President Castro, alone, while he laughs in his fist."

WOODSTOCK.

leath of Miss Mina Fisher in a North

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Jan. 5.—Word was received today of the death of Miss Mina Fisher, last surviving daughter of the late Jas. Fisher and niece of Williamson Fisher of this town. Deceased had been in ill health for some time and finally developed consumption. She went to North Carolina to a sanitarium in November, accompanied by her brother Edwin. The disease had made rapid strides, and the announcement was not a surand the announcement was not a sur-prise. Miss Fisher was a graduate of the Normal school, and for some years taught one of the grades in this town, continuing in this calling till ill health prevented. She was of an amiable disposition and had made many friends in town, who mourn her early death. The remains will be brought to Woodstock for burial, probably reaching here the latter part of the

week. Two brothers survive, Fred, now in British Columbia, and Edwin of this town.

O. J. McCULLY, M. D.

M. R. C S., LONDON; PRACTICE I IMITED TO DISPASES OF BYE, BAR, NOSE AND THROAT 163 GERMAIN STREET.

Wise Hours-28 to 12; 2 to 4: 7 to 2.

OTTAWA.

St. Lawrence Route.

OTTAWA, Jan. 5-The Ottawa Ministerial Association today decided that it would not admit to membership must certainly have been transient resolution was unanimously agreed and regards the reported seizure of upon: "The association having received the application of Rev. Hutcheon, realizes that as the asso would be impossible and inconsistent, both for the asssociation and for Mr Hutcheon, to receive him as a regular member; but at the same time they would cordially invite him to attend the meetings of the association and to

enjoy all the privileges of a corres-ponding member." It is announced there will be no appeal by the government to the supreme court in the suit of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. v. the King, for payment

of bounty. It is rumored here today that Tarte has sent a reply to the liberal commit-tee which asked him if he would allow La Patrie to pass under the manage ment of a small committee gamed by the premier, and that his reply is a point blank refusal.

The department of agriculture has

what it calls the "wild noise" in a portion of the American press, which declares that Germany has no right under the Monroe doctrine to take forcible action in Venezuela and that Germany has not even recognized the rigidly enforced against Canada.

Monroe doctrine. "The latter asser-Germany has not even recognized the rigidity enforced against Canada. Monroe doctrine. "The latter assertion is correct," says the journal. "No other European state ever recognized on account of the existence of the foot this doctrine and we believe no European country will ever do so. The made that no vessels could call at a Monroe doctrine is not adapted to be- British port until 21 days had elapsed Monroe doctrine is not adapted to be-come a subject of diplomatic negotia-tion and the document hardly exists in which this doctrine is laid before and Portland could not call at St. any European power with the request John or Halifax en route for Liverthat this power make declaration pool. The other day a steamer from

> against Canada.
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> Commander Spain, who conducted
> the enquiry into eleven shipping disasters on the St. Lawrence route during the past season, has reported to the marine department. The evidence has been forwarded to the British board of trade to take action thereon board of trade to take action thereon-with regard to the certificates of those concerned. The commissioner says of the mishaps of the ten fol-lowing vessels: Montesgle, Manches-ter Importer, Manchester Engineer, Sahara, Iberian, Loango, Rustington, Indiana, Bengore Head, and Silician, that these were not caused by any de-ficiencies or inefficiencies in aids to navigation, either on the ships themficiencies or inefficiencies in aids to navigation, either on the ships themselves or on the route. They were caused by the inexperience or care-lessness of some one or more of the captains, officers or pilots. The commissioner recommends that owners employ only careful, experienced officers, and that the pilotage system on the St. Lawrence be brought under government control. government control. The state of Vermont commissioner

charge Canada with breach of faith in flot carrying out an agreement to stop netting in waters contiguous to that state and the Dominion, especially Lake Champlain.

Coughs, colds, nourseness and other throst ilments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Creso ene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggiste TOOK CARBOLIC ACID.

NAUGATUCK, Conn., Jan. t.—August Weinert, 35 years old, sent his little daughter to a drug store this afterneen to purchase some carbolic acid. When the child returned he locked her with three other children in a closet and drank the acid. He children and when they discovered what their father had done they ran for assistance. Two doctors werked over the man for some time, but he died two hours later. Weinert's wife was away from home when he took his life.

FOUR OF A KIND. The Mother of the Quartette is Boing as Well as Can Be Expected.

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

RANDOLPH, Vt., Jan. 5.—Edward S. Conant, well known as an educator in Vermont, died at his home in Randolph Centre today.

Cenuine arter's Liver Pills

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OF EVERY

TILE OF

MHMORANDA.

TICE TO MARINERS.
RE BREAKWATER, Det. Dec 28

SIGNATURE

HCK HEAMARHE

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HAGUE TRIBUNAL The World's Latest Court of International Arbitration.

(Toronto Mail and Empire.) As a subject of current interest The Hague tribunal of arbitration is brought into prominence by the reference to it of the differences between venezuela and the allies. Though this portant case referred to it—is settly international court has not loss been portant case referred to it—is settly international court has not loss been portant case referred to it—is settly international court has not loss been portant case referred to it—is settly international court has not loss been part time all the other nations taking part in the conference adopted it.

MAY BECOME MORE ACTIVE.

If the Venezuela dispute with By taking the conference adopted it. the great powers found it necessary to send large armed contingents into China to establish order there. In neither of these cases did The Hague tribunal take any part. There were suggestions that it should adjudicate controversy between Great Britain and the Transvaal, and that it should fix the indemnities due from China to the powers, but they were not entertained. Little surprise was felt at these proofs of its small influence to prevent war, for, from the outset, there was scant hope that it would be of much service as a peace-maker, it exists, and the rules of its procedure are prescribed, but no case can be brought before it until the disputants join in an agreement of reference. It has no initiative, and none of the partage of t fix the indemnities due from China to

estimation and the rules of its procedure as a concentraliser, it can be also also the procedure of the particles of of the part

CONSTITUTION OF THE COURT.

Who are the judges forming this international court? They are all supposed to be men both of high public estimation and of recognized authority on constitutional law. For such jurists were chosen by each of the signatory powers. This does not mean that the court is to consist of 104 judges, or four-times as many as there are signatory powers, for the treaty allows any party to it to appoint the same men as any other party has appointed. The court is an of signatory powers agreed on the same four men, well and good. It would only make the court the smaller. The appointees hold office for six years. Now, the whole personnel of this permanent court is not to be engaged upon any case brought to arbitration. Each party to a referred case is supposed to choose two members from the court, but these must be jointly agreed upon. The aribtrators select an umpire. If they cannot find one who is mutually acceptable, a third power is asked to name one. But if the disputants agree to establish a made quilety at the pastor's hotel.

ment commencing at 8.30. The chair was filled by Descon A. W. Fownes, and cholce programme was carried and cholce programme was carried the habelition of the land and for speeches befitting the consisting of one who is mutually acceptable, a bonaid stuart, with a pair of otter third power is asked to name one. But if the disputants agree to establish a special tribunal of arbitraion their freedom to do so is left to them by the ter to any board, irrespective of the the friends of her daughter, Miss question whether the persons on it are Ethel, in a social manner on New or are not members of the permanent tribunal. Thus, though they are all The W. C. T. U. held their annual parties to the peace convention, Brileave the differences and Venezuela to the adjustment of President Rossevelt, in spite of the fact that he is not a member of The Hague tribunal. Before a case can be tried the parties must unite in a statement of the difference and in a speci-fication of the points upon which they ask judgment to be passed. Then they must submit to its finding.

MANAGEMENT OF THE COURT. It would not be convenient for the large number of eminent men who compose the court to be constantly absent from their several countries to reside in a city selected for the meetings of arbitration boards. They remain at home engage in their various main at home, engage in their various public and private duties, until a quespublic and private duties, until a question has been decided, when the particular five of them selected will meet at the place agreed upon for the trial of the case. Thus, Seth Low, mayor of New York, and until lately president of Columbia University, continues in the public life of his own city, tagget he is a member of the internathough he is a member of the interna ional tribunal of arbitration. eadquarters of the court are at The Hague. There it has a bureau, whose the business of collecting data and arranging details. This bureau is under the authority of a permanent interna-tional council made up of the diplo-matic agents of the signatory powers represented at The Hague. Of this council the Dutch minister for foreign affairs is president.

Britain, Germany, Russia, Austria DAWSON, Y. T., Jan. 4.—Hon. J. H. Ross' and Hungary, France, Italy, Spain, all points heard from.

Portugal, Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Sweden, and Norway, Roumania, Bul-garia, Persia, Siam, and the United States ratified the convention soon after it had been signed by their delegates to the conference, and in a short time all the other nations taking

If the Venezuela dispute with Britain, Germany and Italy—the first im-Venezuela and the allies. Though this international court has not long been constituted, the general recollection of its nature, jurisdiction and composition is probably rather faint, for it has done little to bring it into notice and keep it in mind. Since it was formed, force has been resorted to in two very serious crises in foreign relations. Britain was three years at war with the Rock Republic of Scattering to the state of the effect of the Rock Republic of Scattering the same and Italy—the first important case referred to it—is settled with despatch and with acceptance of all the parties to it, the court may become a more useful balance wheel in international affairs than it has so far promised to be. Of course an aggressive power will not be less disposed to resort to force, nor a false dealing power more persuaded to uprightness by any sense of the efficacy of the tain was three years at war with the Boer Republics of South Africa, and court, but one or two wise and peacepreserving verdicts from it will produce in favor of pacific methods an international public opinion that will be a restraint on warlike spirits.

ST. MARTINS.

Watchnight Service and Presentation in Holy Trinity Church—The Bap-

convention. They may refer the mat-

parties to the peace convention, Bri-social on the evening of Jan. 1st at tain, Germany and Italy were free to between them Ruddick. A large number were pre

THE NEW SPRINGFIELD.

New Boat For Bellisle Route-Will Named Beatrice Waring.

The new steamer which is to tak the place of the Springfield on the Bellisle route is under construction at the Old Fort, Carleton. The keel is laid and the frame half completed and it is expected that she will be launched March 20th.

The new boat is to be named the The new boat is to be named the Beatrice E. Waring, after Miss Waring, one of the principal shareholders and managers of the Springfield Steamship Company. She will be 140 feet long, 25 feet wide and 31 feet over all, with a capacity for about 600 passengers. Like the old Springfield she will be a stern wheel boat, as this type, on account of the shallow draft, is found most satisfactory for a service like that of the Bellisle. The draft of the Beatrice E. Waring will be draft of the Beatrice E. Waring will be only about two and one-half feet.

The plates for the boiler have arrived and the machinery is under officers attend to correspondence and rapid construction at the St. John Iron Works. The hull is being built by A.

Harnet. Children Cry for CASTORIA

AT DELHI.

King Edward is Proclaimed Emperor of India.

Magnificent Pageant Witnessed By Tens of Thousands - The Royal Message.

DELHI, Jan. 1.—The tens of thousands people from the city of Delhi and from vil-lages far and near began gathering at day-break this morning on the great plain outside the city. There they waited patiently for the supreme announcement of the Dur-bar that King Edward was emperor of India. Soon the plain was filled with crowding masses of people, and the brightly colored clothing of the vast throng covered the space with gorgeous hues. The crowd on space with gorgeous hues. The crowd on the plain was composed largely of the common people, but among it could be seen the retainers of the various rajahs who had assembled for the function. The attention of all was fixed upon the white amphitheatre in the centre of the plain, where the announcement was to be made.

The amphitheatre was adorned with gilded cupolas and surrounded by bateries, squadrons and battalions of the indian army. Beyond the amphitheatre in the distance could be seen numbers of elephants, camels and horses. So vast was the multitude that the troops appeared as mere splashes of color.

Willimantic, Me., Man Had Started to Move It 27 Miles.

DOVER, Me., Dec. 31.-Samuel Mc. Kenney of Willimantic started Sunday morning to break all records of long-distance building moving by slid-ing his home from Willimantic to Milo, a distance of 27 miles. The house, which is a well-built, two-story structure with ell, was mounted on huge runners. Twelve pairs of horses and 10 men constituted the working force under the command

of the owner.

The route lay for the first 12 miles on Sebec Lake, and everything moved along beautifully with prospects of a grand success, when suddenly, when about one mile down the lake from the starting point, the ice suddenly gave way and the house dropped into the water, floating at the level of the second-story windows. The horses and men narrowly escaped. The problem of getting the house back upon the ice has up to the present time been beyound the grasp of local engineering skill, and it is probable that Mr. Mc-Kenney will wait until summer, tow his house back to Willimantic and make another try for the record next winter after the ice is safe beyond

CAT GAVE ALARM OF FIRE.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Dec. 31,-11 was the antics of a cat that saved the family of Alfred Mansfield from burning to death this morning. Mr. Mansfield was awakened by the cat's scratching at the bedroom door. Opening the door, he discovered flames leaping up the stairway. Mansfield awakened his wife and then ran to the room where his two children were sleeping. Taking them in his arms, he rushed down the blazing stairway in his night clothes, followed by his wife, and staggered through the snow to the home of a neighbor.

(Brooklyn Eagle.) Two men were walking behind an elegantly dressed woman on Fulton street the other day.
"Did you ever see me hypnotize a woman?" asked one.

HYPNOTIZING THE LADY.

"Nonsense!" the other sneered.
"Bet you \$2 I can make that woman ahead of us touch both her ears before she has gone half a block." "Do you know her?",
"No. Never saw her before."

"What would you do to her?" "Nothing; not a word." "And you'll make her put both her hands to her ears without touching her or speaking to her?"
"Yes, sir."

"Well, it'll be worth \$2 to see you do it. I'll have to go you." "Very well! Watch now!" In a tone loud enough for the woman to hear, he said to his companion: "Charley, how do you like the new fashion the women have of wearing only one ear-Instantly the woman clapped on

ears to see if she had lost one of her sparklers. "It'll work every time," said the winner. "You can make good wages betting on it if you can find suckers enough to take you up."

gloved hand and then the other to her

prevention is by far the best plan. The timely use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills is certain to prevent any serious developments of kidney disorders, and by taking them just as soon as you feel ackache or notice any urinary irregu a ities you will in a few hours be re lieved of pain and anxiety, and can soon thoroughly restore the kidneys to health and activity.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills have the reputation of being the most effec-tive kidney medicine extant, and they have by far the largest sale of any llar medicine. One pill à dose, 25 ents a bot. At all dealers, or Edmanon, Bates & Co., Toronto.

TO CROSS THE SAHARA

Two Frenchmen to Make Preliminary Experiments at Tunis, Preparatory to Trying the Desert.

PARIS, Dec. 31 .- MM. De Euraux and Castillon de Saint-Victor embark ed at Marseilles today for Tunis, where they propose to send up two small balloons for the purpose of ascertaining whether the winds which prevail in winter will carry the airships across the Sahara desert. If this experiment is successful, th

two explorers propose to attempt to cross the unexplored portion of the This plan receives the support of

the French government, which supplies the balloons. The airships which are to be used first are furnished with automati registering instruments, and carrying requests, written in several languages, asking the finders to return them to the authorities at Tunis. Maj. Marchand of Fashoda fame is to meet the explorers at Gabes, from which point the two balloons will be

WOMAN KILLED NEGRO.

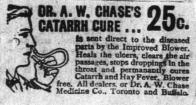
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DEATSVILLE, Ala., Jan. 1.-Mrs. B. Lane today shot and killed John Watkins, a negro ex-convict, at the home of her father. Watkins had entered the house, sup-

posedly with the intention of robbery. Discovered by Mrs. Lane, he fired upon her, but missed.

Mrs. Lane then emptied both barrels of a shotgun into the negro's body, killing him instantly.

LANCASTER, Pa., Jan. 4.—Jacob Zook, a farmer residing near Eden, was driving from church with his two daughters. Fanny, aged 18, and Katie, aged 9, at noon today, when a trolley car crashed into his team, killing Fanny instantly and inflicting serious injuries on Mr. Zook and the younger daughter.



A pure hard Soap

TO DORCHESTER.

MAKES CHILD'S PLAY

Frank Higgins Quietly Taken to Penitentiary.

Dan Taylor Accompanies Him-Deputy Jenkins and Turnkey Cunningham in Charge - Nobody Knew of Removal.

Frank Higgins left Saturday morning for Dorchester, where behind the dull stone walls of the penitentiary he must During the rest of the week the polwait until the death which he eluded on December the eighteenth at last case with the result that Higgins and Goodspeed, frightened by the revela-

long breath of the out-door air and jumped into the cab. A few moments later dusky Dan Taylor followed and the horses started. At the station there was the same

lack of stir. The cab drove to one of the side doors of the train shed and the prisoners were kept in it till just a minute or so before the train started. Then they were taken quietly to their car without attracting the attention of

half a dozen people.

The murder for which Higgins was convicted was committed Friday. Aug.

1. On the following Monday afternoon Willie Doberty's battered body was found in the park, and at the first session of the inquest Wednesday night it was found that he was murdered by bullet wounds and blows on the head. tions published in the papers, attempt-With him went the celebrated Dan Taylor of Blood Alley, who for the misappropriation of \$30 from a casual boro that night and brought back to



FRANK HIGGINS

spend five years in similar incarcera-In charge of the two were Deputy

Chief of Police Jenkins and Turnkey Cunningham. According to the plans of Sheriff Ritchie, who wished to avoid all publicity, the removal was made very quietly and without the knowl-edge of any beyond those immediately concerned. The morning express for Halifax leaves St. John at ten min-utes to eight. About half an hour befort that, when on this murky morning it was scarcely daylight, a cab drove up to the front door of the jail. There was a wait of only a few moments when in the grasp of the burly police officials the slight figure of the

guest at his hospitable domicile will St. John Saturday, Coronation Day. Monday night the inquest was completed when Goodspeed told his start-

ling story of the cruel murder of Doherty by Higgins.

Tuesday, August 19, the preliminary examination was completed and Higgins was committed for trial, Goodspeed being held as a witness. A month's respite was secured by Higgins's counsel and the regular trial began Sept. 16, continuing its dramatic course until Wednesday, Sept. 24, when the jury brought in a verdict of guilty.

A few days later Higgins was sentenced to die Dec. 18. Mr. Mullin, after appealing unsuccessfully for a new trial, devoted his efforts to securing a commutation of the sentence. After a visit to Ottawa with a petition he sucpolice officials the slight figure of the boy murderer appeared. It was his first step beyond the confines of the judge steadily in the face as he condemned him to be hanged on Dec. 18. His looks were little changed and as usual his impassive face showed no trace of the strain he must have until the same amile that greeted his trace of the strain he must have undergone. He stepped lightly down the
jall steps, lifted his head and drew a
room during the trial.

BURGLAR OBEYED HER.

Miss Jeannette M. Thurber of Naw York Tells of Encounter With Armed Intruder

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.-Miss Jeannette M. Thurber, the pretty 20-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis R. Thurber of 49 West 25th street, related today her experience, with a burglar Tuesday night. This is Miss Thurber's own narra-

tion of her nerve-racking experience: his features.
"Before I start in to tell my story "He had want to express a wish that my burglar may come and talk with me un-der circumstances different from our esting. His face was the kind you last meeting.

"My room is on the third floor back, and I retired there after dinner. We had a gentleman from Georgia as a guest that night, and after dining he and papa went out for the evening.
"I intended to sleep late the next morning and I wanted to leave a note morning and I wanted to leave a note for papa telling him this. About 9 o'clock I came downstairs to the second floor and went into his room to write it. I had written the note and was about to lay it on the bed when I saw a man near the dresser.

After I had promised to sit still I saw for the first time that there was another man in the room. He came out of the alcove near the bed.

"My burglar said: 'Say, Billy, you go upstairs and tell Jack to get out. I'll take care of this laddy.' Wasn't he polite to call me a laddy. I saw a man near the dresser.
"When I saw the man I thought it

the nerve to smile at me and say, "Mrter waiting for a few minutes I went to mamma's room and told her, and we called out the man told her, and we called out the mamma's room. "It was just like a play on the stage. Mr. Thurber reported to the police."

Of course he crossed the room and I that the burglars got \$60 in cash and saw he had been opening two of papa's a revolver.

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"As he straightened up, like a flash, his arm shot over the bed for a rehis arm shot over the bed for a re-

volver, and before I knew it he was standing over me and had the end of the revolver pressed in my hair.
"I asked him if he would please take the revolver away, that it made me

nervous, and if he would take it

away I would not attempt to arouse

"In the centre of the room was a table, with a rocking chair by it. He motioned me to sit there, hissing at me, 'If you make a sound I will kill

"I don't know how long I sat there, but I had a good opportunity to study

"He had funny little eyes. They were small and flittered around in a esting. His face was the kind you would call intelligent. He was well dressed, and I really believe he was fully surprised as I was." "'If you dare to utter a cry,' he re-

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"One feature of the work will me with peculiar force is part played by the sons of Me men. We have found them, the parsonage—east, west nor now grown into men of weal eager to give to the cause.

"The father of one man \$400,000 was a poor Methodi whose largest salary was \$400 son is worth \$20,000,000 today, stroke of his pen has given what his father would have thousand years.

"Another interesting thing that, averaged up, the fund increased by any great gift gifts, it has come from the rathe church. For instance, the conference in Minnesota, mad men, leads the list, with an a \$32 a member, while the Germ of Oregon comes second, with \$20 a member.

Of the fund, Rev. Dr. Mi \$7,850,000 has been raised in purposes. More than \$6 un schools would be its beneficiar University leads with gifts \$1,176,800, and Ohio Wesleyan \$1,02,206.

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FUND COMPLETE.

Methodist Thank Offering of \$20,000 000.

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SPRINGFIELD, Dec. 30.—On the stroke of 12 at the watch-night service in Trinity Methodist Church tomorrow night formal announcement will be made of the completion of the \$20,000,000 fund, known as "the twentieth century Methodist thank offer-

Among prominent Methodist clergymen who will take part in the exercises are Rev. Edmund, H. Mills of Elmira, N. Y., secretary of the thanks offering committee; Bishop Charles H. Fowler, Rev. Dr. W. F. McDowell of New York, secretary of the

Methodist Episcopal board of education, and Rev. Dr. S. F. Upham of Drew Theological Seminary.

The thank offering movement had its inception at a meeting of the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Trinity Church in this city, Nov. 1, 1888, and for this reason Trinity Church has been accorded the honor of this most notable watch night service in the history of the Methodist Church in the United States.

The \$20,000,000 thank offering is in many respects the most notable financial undertaking of the Protestant Church in America. Briefly stated, the purposes of the fund are the endowment of the Methodist educational institutions, the providing of an endowment for city evangelization, the maintenance of invested funds for the assistance of superannuated ministers, the endowment of charitable and philanthropic work, and the payment of the debts of Methodist churches throughout the country.

The honor of being secretary of a commission to raise \$20,000,000 appalled the first man who was chosen. Finally Dr. Mills, a presiding elder in the New York central conference, was selected.

In his efforts to advance the work Dr. Mills visited every conference in the United States, making personal appeals to the supporters of the church in every state in the union.

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Besides the big fund, it is the aim of Dr. Mills to secure \$1,500,000, which will be devoted to a permanent fund for the support of wornout Methodist clergymen. Over \$600,000 has already been subscribed, and on Sunday, Jan. 4, a collection will be taken up in every Methodist church in the country toward swelling the fund.

In New York city, John E. Andrus, the son of a Methodist clergyman, has offered \$50,000, if the conference will raise \$100,000, and it is understood that \$70,000 of the amount needed has already been subscribed.

The fund is apportioned among the specified bemeficiaries, and each educational brobber institution will govern the expenditure of its portion.

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EXCHEDS \$21,000,000.

LAPORTE, Ind., Dec. 30.—Histop Joyce Minacapolic, who has just dedicated a sw Mcthedist church here, will sail Jan. 6 om New York for Bouth America, where will greside over two important Mcthediconferences. Histop Joyce said today at toxorrow night would see the completen of the "20th century thank offering" of the Mcthedist Church, which exceeds \$21,000,00, the largest fund ever raised by a single meministion as a thank offering.

MONCTON SHIPPING

For the Twelve Months " ust Ended.

MONCTON, Jan. 1.—The statistics MONCTON, Jan. 1.—The statistics of the export trade of Moncton and outports for the calendar year 1902, as furnished the Sun by Collector Briuney and staff, show some gain as compared with 1901, though they are sugar trade will occur tomorrow when the so-called equality or factor plan will be done away with by the American sugar Refining Co. and the national and still below the total of 1900, which was 5025,048. The total value of exports

last year was \$498,548, as compared with \$443,269 the previous year. There was a slight falling off in the export plaster trade at Hillsboro, but the values are higher. The exports by ports in the last two years have been as follows:

.\$443,269 \$498,548 The details of the exports are as follows:

MONCTON. To the United States. F. W. James, 3 vessels, 369 tons, 352 ords wood; value, \$1,758.

J. Nelson Smith, 1 vessel, 96 tons, 92
1-2 m. feet boards; value, \$694.

Totals, 4 vessels, 465 tons, 352 cords wood, 921-2 m. feet voards; value, \$2,-

Totals, 9 vessels, 9,924 tons, 3,149 st.

Life Off the Rugged Coast of Soap you have the fact. Penobscot Bay.

Not So Bad in Summar, But Replete With Hardships During the Fieres Storms of Winter.

(Maine Cor. Springfield Republican.) lying islands of Penobscot Bay, Me., does not fail to observe, far out to sea, a huge cylinder-like towers, rising abruptly from the ocean. Under this rock, nearly 25 miles from the mainland, wind-buffeted and storm besieged, there stands one of the most important light stations on the dangerous coast of Maine, as well as one of the most wood, 92 1-2 m. feet voards; value, \$2,452.

SHEDIAC.

To Great Britain:

J. L. Black & Sons, 8 vessels, 4,307
tons, 1,978 st. h. deals, 628 m. feet
boards and scantling; value, \$37,005.

E. J. Smith, 3 vessels, 1,543 tons, 553
st. h. deals; value, \$14,631.

George McKean, 2 vessels, 1,112 tons, 305 st. h. deals, 219 m. boards and scantling; value, \$11,132.

M. Wood & Son, 1 vessel, 586 tons, 170 st. h. deals, 14 m. feet boards and scantling; value, \$5,107.

Totals, 14 vessels, 7,548 tons, 2,106 st. h. deals, 861 m. feet boards and scantling; value, \$67,875.

DORCHESTER.

To United States:

James Anderson & Son, 5 vessels, 561 tons, 633 m. boards and scantling, 435 m. laths; value, \$8,395.

T. B. Calhoun, 1 vessel, 124 tons, 159 m. boards and scantling; value, \$1,584.

Totals, 6 vessels, 685 tons, 792 m. boards and scantling; value, \$1,585.

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To United States:

A. G. Bishop, 3 vessels, 372 tons, 255 m. feet boards, 700 m. laths; value, \$2,783.

J. W. Matthews, 2 vessels, 198 tons, 130 m. feet boards, 700 m. laths; value, \$2,783.

A. J. Daly, 2 vessels, 192 tons, 690 m. laths, 200 m. laths; value, \$4,776.

Chas. T. White, 2 vessels, 193 tons, 91 m. feet boards, 1,015 m. laths; value, \$1,783.

C. W. Rockwell, 1 vessel, 95 tons, 256 m. feet boards, 2,105 m. laths; value, \$1,783.

C. W. Rockwell, 1 vessel, 99 tons, 25 m. feet boards, 2,015 m. laths; value, \$1,783.

To United States:

L. L. Richardson, 2 vessels, 72 tons, 76 cords wood; value, \$120.

WATERSHDE.
To United States:

L. L. Richardson, 2 vessels, 188 tons, 140 cords wood; value, \$224.

W. H. Martin, 1 vessel, 36 tons, 40 cords wood; value, \$224.

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NEW YORK, Jan. 2—An important measure in the sugar trade will occur tomorrow when the so-called equality or factor plan will be done away with by the American Sugar Refning Co. and the national and granulated will be quoted at 4,66c, per pound net, 20 days, less one per cent for cash, without rebate.

MATINICUS ROCK LIGHT. "Pure soap!" You've heard BOSTON LETTER. the words. In Sunlight

> AP REDUCES EXPENSE Ask for the Octagon Bar.

to the life. But among them all, none are more heroic than the keepers, on these ionely ocean outposts, of those lights which guide the homing sailor on his course and warn him off the treacherous reefs and ledges with which our coast abounds.

THIS FOX WAS WISE

How He Got the Better of a Party of

Well-Equipped Hunters. (Philadelphia North American.)

The Radnor Hunt went a-hunting vesterday and came near to catching a fox. It was the annual Christmas hase. The snowclad hills and meadows, the sharp air and the "spread" in the great old dining room afterward were as good as anything of the kind in an old-fashioned English novel. The riders, among whom were many wo-men, gathered at the clubhouse at 10 J'clock and a few minutes later John P. Valentine, the M. F. H., gave the signal for the start. David Sharp was the huntsman and Harry Harrison the whipper-in. Out spread the pack of about forty hounds and with a loud

blast they were off. At Kimball's farm, a mile away, the hounds took up a scent and presently dislodged a large and lively fox. Then the fun began. He set off in full view of the hunters and in an instant they were all galloping hot on his trail. Through the Ellison and Drexel estates the chase led, skirted the place of Rudolph Ellis and finally reached the farm of Stewart Wood. Hardpressed by the hounds the fox here made straight for a big old tree, went up it like a brown streak and nestled

comfortably on one of the upper branches. The unsportsmanlike behavior nonne unsportsmanlike behavior non-plussed the hunters for a while. They sat and looked at one another. The horses pawed the air impatiently. Round the base of the tree the hounds huddled and yelped hungrily. Then Paul Dencia Mills swung a leg over the side of his horse and continued the chase along. He climbed upon sed opinious on customs and habits in come out. He did in half a minute, ed the ground again and found his companions staring at one another harder than ever, some of them with

the suspicion of a smile.

When everybody had recovered, L. C. Attemus and George McFadden took three of the hounds and set out again. They found the scent, but did not get within speaking distance of the fox, who merrily tripped along un-til lost to sight in the offing.

He finally found cover in the Lewis farm, and the hunters could not start him again, so they went back to the clubhouse and to luncheon. Reynard won the hunt.

ONE CONSCIENCE-STRICKEN PASSENGER (Pittsburg, Penn., 'Chronicle-Tele-

graph.) When the steamer Queen City arrived in port this morning the chief chief A B Bron handed Captain MacGregor Macdonald, the chief captain and was captured, and then he enlistrived in port this morning the chief clerk, A. B. Bron, handed Captain James A. Henderson a letter from a New Martinsville, West Va., resident, enclosing \$1. The sender, who did not give his name, said that it rightly be-longed to the boat, he having ridden on the vessel and not paid for his fare. The passenger evidently had become conscience-stricken. Capt. Henderson said he had been identified with the river interests for years, has heard thousands of hard luck stories told by persons who would beg for transpor-tation, saying that is soon as they got home they would send the money, but no money was ever paid in the many instances he knows of. Capt. Hender-son said that the letter received today is the first one of the kind he ever knew to be received by any steamboat and as the incident is so rare, the let-ter and the dollar bill will be framed and hung in the office of the steamer.

NO CHANCE TO BUY.

(Brooklyn Eagle.) It happened in the South-not the new South, but the old South, where they lived in the same old way. The enterprising Yankee thought h

saw some "opportunities." "This looks like good land," he com-"It is," replied the native, carelessly.
"But the people here don't make the

"They don't," admitted the native.
"I could make three times as much out of it as they do."

A CURIOSITY. Mrs. C. F. Regan of 37 Brittain street
is the possessor of a sample of dust
from La Soufriere volcano. The dust
fell on the island of Barbadoes at the
time of the last eruptions, having travelled over a hundred miles through
willer Fisher, formerly of Truro, N.

S. where interment occurs.

An Enormous Slump in the City's Export Trade.

U. S. Consul General at Montreal Has Made Himself Very Unpopular With Canadians.

Recent Weddings-Blew Out the Gas With Usual Result-Deaths of Former Provincialists-The Small pex. Epidemic-Coasting Trade Declining-Lumber and Fish Markets.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) BOSTON, Jan. 3.—The figures just made public showing an enormous slump last year in Boston's export trade, has afforded business men and others interested in the welfare of the port ample opportunity to consider how they can be useful to the city. The decline in grain exports has been so pronounced that a really satisfactory explanation is not readily obtainable.

no reason to change the opinion pre-

viously expressed that the treaty will be squelched by the senate. Col. John L. Bittinger, United States consul general at Montreal, who is now on leave of absence, appears to have on leave of absence, appears to have made himself unpopular with the Canadians; in fact the attention of President Roosevelt has been called to find the carried and Georges are held by jobbers at \$6: 50 and medium at \$5 to 5.25. Large dry bank are worth \$5.50 to \$5.75, and the carried and Georges are held by jobbers at \$6: 50 and medium at \$5 to 5.25. Large dry bank are worth \$5.50 to \$5.75, and

the side of his horse and continued sed opinious on customs and habits in the chase along. He climbed up as Canada and the United States, to the near the fox as he could get, shook the boughs with all the strength of his arms and yelled lustily to the fox to keepers, and also said that the food he and he was away before Mills reach- ate at the Montreal hotel where he stayed was very poor. It appears that Bittinger was able to obtain board at the hotel in question at reduced rates,

which were lower than those paid by any other guest. The wedding occurred recently at St. Stephen's Episcopal church here of Reginald H. Welling of Shediac and Miss Ethel V. Cockle of Wellesley. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Frederick W. Fitts.Mr. Welling, who was formerly with T. McAvity & Sons,

the Sumner Company, wholesale plumbers' supplies, of this city.

Among other recent weddings here was that of Robie Crafton Cumming of New Glasgow, N. S., and Miss Annie Bell Macleod of Pictou, N. S. Rev. Alexander D. MacKinnon officiated, and complexion, but that made no. The same minister also recently mar- difference.

putative heir to millions in Scotland, ed in the 102nd, Ohio volunteer who died in Providence this week, fantry. came to New England from Pictou, N. came to New England from Pictou, N.
S. Investigation shows beyond a
doubt that the "fortune" was a myth.
Macdonald was a carpenter. He was
eccentric at thmes, believed to be due
to a fall sustained several years ago.
Of late he had been a quite heavy
drinker, and there is a theory that he
met this death by felling down striker.

When the boat blew up he landed insensible on a raft of driftwood, and met his death by falling down stairs.

Some, however, still think that while drinking he became involved in a quarrel and then received the injuries which caused death. Contractor Dobson, for whom Macdonald worked, says he never heard the man say anything about a fortune in Scotland. The

widow knows nothing of it.

It looks as if some of the Canadians coming to Uncle Sam's territory are ignorant of the deadly nature of illuminating gas and are in need of in-minating gas and are in need of in-minating gas and are in need of instructions how to extinguish it. Dur-ing the past few days several cases, two of them fatal, have been recorded. One fatal case occurred in Boston. The victim was Alexander D. McKay of Mabou, C. B., who came to spend

"You could, if you could get it."

"Can't I get it?"

"Well, hardly."

"Not if I pay twice what it's worth to the present owners?"

"You couldn't buy it for ten times what it's worth to them."

"Why not?"

"Stranger," said the native, wearily, "Stranger," said the native, wearily, "of course."

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"Stranger, native of Prince Edward of Prince Edward Island; in Stoughton, Jan. 1, Thos. Dowden, aged 40 years, formerly of P. E. Island (Dowden was burned to death in a mill fire); in Norwood, Dec. 29, Hugh Albert Palmer, formerly of New London, P. E. I. (Palmer was brakeman on the New Haven road and was crushed between a car and shed); killed in Chelsea, Archibald Warner, aged 32, formerly of Hallfax; in this city, Dec. 19, and he was taken to the Yorkylle ponce court.

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the air. It is very fine and of a greyish color. Mrs. Regan received the dust from her aunt, Mrs. Hinkson, who lives in Barbadoes.

His Honor Judge Forbes has also received from his daughter who now resides in Trinidad a bottle of the same kind of dust.

Massachusetts last year, and 773 in the city of Boston. There are still 29 cases in the Boston pest house.

There is no likelihood of J. Wilfrid Blondin, the convicted wife-murderer. kind of dust.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Jan. 4.—Lewis B. Beaulieu, 11 years old, was drowned today in the Westport river, on which he was attempting to cross upon thin ice.

Inter is no intended of J. Wilfrid Blondin, the convicted wife-murderer, being released from the state prison. It is said Blondin's counsel will ask the new governor, Hon. John L. Bates, for a pardon, but it is stated

elect granting the petition.

Fewer coastwise vessels by about
2,000 entered Boston harbor during last
year than in 1901, the respective figures being 8,516 and 10,415. The falling off in numbers shows a decrease in tonnage of 1,500,000 tons, for the gross-tonnage in 1902 was 7,291,931 against 8,724,118 in 1901. Schooners take first place in the number of vessels tering port during the year, with 2,382 as a grand total.

On Christmas day, Miss Minnie

Graham disappeared from Taunton, where she was employed. She and a young man named George Nieforth, belong in Halifax. The two were practically engaged to be married. When the girl left she wrote a letter to-Nieforth stating that her body would be found in the water. He says he cannot account for her action. The day she disappeared she returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Robert Ervin of South Boston and appeared to be in excellent spirits. The police are searching the ponds in the vicinity of Taunton, but think the young woman may not have ended her life. The supply of spruce lumber here is small. The demand continues fair, for are fully sustained. Laths are perhaps a little weaker, due to a fall in New York, but as yet the market here has not been greatly affected. Ten and 12-in. dimensions are yet pronounced that a really satisfactory explanation is not readily obtainable. Regarding the falling off in corn shipments, the cause is attributed to a poor crop. The cattle embargo is also affecting the city considerably and will make quite a hole in the figures for the present year.

A meeting of the salt and fresh fish matched heards 18 to 18.50; 5-in. and up merchantable boards, \$17. for the present year.

A meeting of the salt and fresh fish dealers and handlers of this city was held today, to assist the Hay-Bond treaty with Newfoundland. Many Boston fish handlers are in favor of the arrangement, although it is being the arrangement, although it is being the arrangement. Boston fish handlers are in layor of the arrangement, although it is being to 32. Cedar shingles are steady at bitterly opposed by fishing interests in \$3.50 for extras, \$3 for clears, \$2.50 for extra No.

The fish market has not been active, due to the holiday season, but at wholesale, trade is good again and salt fish are firm. Codfish are scarce and some of his expressions of opinion. A large pickled bank \$5.50. Pickled herlarge pickled bank \$5.50. Pickled herring continue in small supply, with a who made the complaint, and it is good demand. Large split are worth said he expressed the opinion that any \$6.75 to 7.50, and medium, \$5.50 to 6. Canned lobsters are steady and unchanged. For one pound talls, \$3 to 3.25 is asked by wholesale, and for 1-1b. flats, \$3.25 to 3.50. Live lobsters are 20 cents. Extra frozen smelts fro

Medium, 10 cents, and native, fresh, 20. Children Cry for CASTORIA.

PENSION CLAIM A THRILLER.

Dime Novel Story Told in This History of a Soldier's Life. A strange story is related in the case of Mrs. Leander Merchand of Steu-

benville, O., whose claim has just been secured. The facts form a weird-St. John, is a travelling salesman for the Sumner Company, wholesale plumMerchand, her husband, was born in Florida, his father being a white man, and his mother an Indian. His mother died when he was young, and a trader took him to South Carolina and

ried Hector Maclean Fraser of Nova
Scotia and Miss Sarah Simons of Mississippi planter, but escaped, and

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says he never heard the man say any thing about a fortune in Scotland. The widow knows nothing of it.

It looks as if some of the Canadians became a harmless lunate, and wan-

New York Journal. HE'S WORN SKIRTS 20 YEARS.

"Becker" Says He did It So as to Hold His Job as a Cook. Mabou, C. B., who came to spend Christmas with his son, Neil J. Mc-Kay, sexton of the Scotch Presbyterian church, on Berkley street. A few days ago Miss Clara Larkill, aged 21, who reached the city on Monday from Charlottetown, blew out the gas at a south end lodging house, but she was rescued before life was extinct.

The following deaths of former provincialists are announced: In this city, Dec. 9, Mrs. Margaret M. Sanderson, widow of Charles Sanderson, aged 70 years, native of Prince Ed-



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THE LUMBER TRADE.

One of the most interesting annual publications issued in this province is the wood trade circular of the Ja B. Snowball Company, Limited, which is first printed in the Chatham Advance. The circular for 1902 is at hand, and we learn from it that the shipments from this province exceed those of last year by 53,000,000 feet. The Snowball Company regret this and advocate a more conservative attitude. Consolation is, however, found in the fact that the shipments were 36,000,000 feet larger in 1900 and 41,000,-000 larger in 1897. Haif the increase logs were got out of brooks which had been left there the previous year. The company reports small increases on the Miramichi and looks for diminished shipments next year. Nova Scotia shows a falling off of 15,000 standards, and the author of the circular intention was to have these games in expects a constant degreese in future. the authorized election list for Kings, Following is the record of Miramichi so that in the by-election to be held

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Following are the totals for New Brunswick; pt as well

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were 153,000,000 feet, which is 29,000,000 less than in 1901.

John, W. Malcolm Mackay shipped ,106,000,000, The Gibson Company, 37,-4000,000, and George McKean 28,000,000.

From the Miramichi the Snewball Company shipped 28,000,000, F. E. Neale 41,000,000, D. & J. Ritchie, 12,-000,000, W. M. Mackay 9,000,000, Ernest. Hutchison 7,000,000, with smaller quantities by other shippers.

From Dalhousie the total shipments were 26,000,000, out of which George Moffatt & Co. and King Bros. each have been first to protect the honest shipped 8,000,000, the Prescott Company nearly 3,000,000, and W. S. Mont- fraud, even though he and his govern-

gomery over 2,000,000. From Campbellton 24,800,000 feet were shipped, of which F. E. Neale handled 16,000,000, and Kilgour Shives He declared that he would do his duty 7,000,000,

From Harvey 10,000,000 feet of lum- of his organs, but not the one with ber was shipped by George McKean, which Mr. Milligan is connected, pro-W. M. Mackay, J. Nelson Smith and M. Wood & Son. J. L. Black & Son The attorney general stated that steps shipped 4,000,000 feet and E. J. Smith Would be taken to quash the bogus 1,500,000 from Shediac, W. M. Mackay shipped 18,000,000 and S. G. Mahoney 2,000,000 feet from Bathurst. Of the investigation. The attorney general 16,500,000 feet sent from Sackville took no steps to quash the bogus list. nearly half was by George McKean. The particular revisor in whose hand chief commissioner pointing out that gether on county boundaries, tem-

feet, J. &. C. Hickman and M. Wood & Son. W. M. Mackay and J. Nelson nith shipped nearly 14,000,000 feet com Hopewell, J. & T. Jardine over 5,000,000 feet, and Edward Walker 1,-Of the Nova Scotia exports 97,000. 000 is credited to Ship Harbor, Musquodoboit and Tusket, 19,000,000 to Pugwash and 16,000,000 to Parrsboro.

THE ROTHESAY FORGERY.

The prevince of Ontario was startle when Hen. S. H. Bake came out the other day with a vehement demand for the punishment of the election frauds perpetrated in the interest of Blake has hitherto supported. Mr. Blake contends that the Ross government profited by the offences and has not sought to punish the perpetrators. The case connecting the New Bruns wick government with the Rothesay affair is stronger than the one which Mr. Blair makes out against the On-

tario ministers. When Dr. Pugsley became attorney eneral he secured his own election cause there was no organized opposition, but Mr. Sproul got so large a vote in parishes where a campaign was made that Dr. Pugsley and his friends became alarmed about the next election. The Rothesay forgery as the result of that scare in the ocal government ranks.

It was a neat plot. The genuine list containing the names of all the qualified persons, less than one hundred, we believe, had been duly prepared. At the foot of the list was the signed and sworn statement of the revisors This candidate set forth that Dr. Pugsthat the list was correct. The document thus completed was entrusted to one of the revisors to be given to the

The history of the document after that is known to several persons, and they are all friends and supporters of the attorney general. Between the time when the paper left the revisors, duly attested and containing about one hundred names, and its receipt by Mr. Otty it was in the hands of forgers. They separated the affidavit of

is due to St. John, due to the fact that the revisors from the genuine list, added the names of four hundred persons, mostly St. John men whom they supposed to be friends of the government, and then attached the affirmation so as to make the sworn statement include these forged names. The on this registration the genuine electors might be swamped by the bogus

> By a mere accident the crime was discovered. Mr. Otty remarked to one of the revisors, not in the secret that bert said that it had been prepared clerk in a letter addressed in Mr. Gilli- 1902. land's writing. It had been registered at the St. John post office in the name in some minds that at last the guilty Westmorland's loss was mostly in of Mr. C. J. Milligan, who was govern-

printed a copy of the bogus list.

gan had not been connected with the knowing ones predicted that this disaffair, and the Telegraph treated the scheme as a great joke. But the bet- and that there would be no hearing ter men among those whose names had been forged did not take so cheerful a view of the crime. Many of them wrote denouncing the offence and indignantly repudiating all connection

with it. The facts concerning the connection ents last year of Mr. Gilliland with the affair, and Of the quantity shipped from St. closed when the Kings County Coungeneral if he had been disposed to do

> begin an investigation. The next was investigation and not hold it; promise to take measures to remove the forged to punish and not do it; reward those names from the list. This was not who knew the facts and refused to only due from him as the law officer of the crown, but as a representative of the county of Kings. He should fotal frustration of the plot. The elecelectors of his own county from this ment were to receive the chief benefit from the crime.

Dr. Pugsley was lavish in protests to bring the criminals to justice. Some mised an immediate investigation.

That was two years ago. No one has been punished. There has been no

dressed; the man who knew where it cate the loss in ten years of over nine clerk; the man who knew where to look for it when it was enquired for, has refused to tell what he knows, His reward has been, not a hard time in the witness box, not even a stern stion from the attorney general but a profusion of government contracts, some without competition, and place. This will fully appear in this some when there were other tenders whose name the bogus list was registered, and who is quite equal to the task of discovering and revealing the whole truth, has refused to throw any light on it. He has been almost crazy for investigations into other real or imaginary wrongs. But this one does a provincial government which Mr. not distress him. Yet Attorney General Pugsley is in sweet and kindly relations with Mr. Milligan, and it is certain that no government influence has been exerted to obtain the truth from that source a least not for pub-

The bogus list was prepared for the benefit of the government and in the mmediate interest of Mr. Ora P. King Dr. Pussley's candidate for the byelection. Even after the exposure, when honest people everywhere had denounced the scheme, after all the promises of the attorney general, every effort was made to perpetuate the fraud. It was left to Mr. Hazen to take steps to quash the bogus list.

Then all manner of obstacles were placed in his way. Councillor Ora P. King, the candidate in whose behalf the bogus list was to be voted, wanted the copy of the genuine list, by which alone the extent of the forgery could be known, sent back to the revisors. ley would make the list right if it were only left to him.

The event did not show that the at torney general had such intention. It was necessary for Mr. Hazen to take it to the supreme court. When he asked that the bogus list be quashed C. N. Skinner, K. C., was there to op pose him.

Mr. Skinner did not go there on his own account or on his own charges. He was well paid, and the people of New Brunswick were the unwilling paymasters. The attorney general whose duty it was to see that the bogus list was quashed, engaged Mr. Skinner, who resisted the proceedings. In the Public Accounts for the year 1901, page 20, appears the following entry: "Warrant 273, C. N. Skinner, "Services Elector Lists, Rothesay: 1 \$184."

But the list was quashed by judges, who expressed in strong language their opinion of the "perjury; forgery and theft," and also thei opinion of the duty of the law officer of the province.

But if the government could not get the whole benefit of their crime, the tand explained to Mr. Otty that the elected during the last confided to him had been given to was not done. The county of Kings tially distributed. Grand Falls had elected during the first session. This

A recent event encouraged the hope parties in the original offence might from 235 to 39. ment organizer and is now manager be named. Mr. Milligan sued the proof the chief government organ.

It was no part of the plan that the clerk should have a copy of the gent.

The connecting him prisonally with the forgery. Mr. Crossett professed himine list. But he had it, and the forgery self ready to justify anything he had became evident. The St. John Globe said, and it was understood that he had summoned persons who were sup-At that time the name of Mr. Milli- posed to know the facts. But the more closure would not be allowed to go on, of evidence in the case, at least before the election. The knowing ones are right. The case has been postponed.

From first to last the Rothesay forgery was, as the chief justice declared, a crime "whose enormity was churches, this matter seems to be "country." No one can follow the chain the registration of the forged list in of circumstances and conclude that the name of Mr. Milligan, were dis- the attorney general has shown sericil met. Enough was then known to What conduct would have been exmake plain sailing for the attorney pected from an attorney general who was satisfied with the plot, and was his duty as the chief prosecutor, only sorry that it failed? Such a pub-The first duty of Mr. Pugsley was to lic man would probably promise an disclose them, and endeavor by indirect means to prevent or delay the tors of New Brunswick can decide for themselves how far this conduct is removed from that of Attorney General Pugsley.

FREE BAPTISTS AND THE CENSUS.

The first volume of the census, now at hand, enables one to investigate the complaint of the Free Baptists in this province that they have not been correctly counted. It will be remembered that the census of 1891 returned 24,674 Free Baptists in New Brunswick. In the Kings ticket will probably be Scovil, census of 1901 people of that demonination are made to number only 15,-

the total number of adherents. Bu Mr. Blue defended his figures.

The publication of the religious figures by counties and parishes shows that Dr. McLeod is quite right in his by the census statement has not taker table of the Free Baptist population lower than his. The man in by counties as given in the returns of

Queens and Sunbury No one will believe that such changes

have occurred as those reported say from Albert, Carleton, St. John or Victoria. But whether the fault is with the census of 1891 or that of 1901 will be better known by a study of some of the parish returns. To begin with Albert, we find that i

1891 the number of Free Baptists re ported in Elgin parish was 880. In 1902 this number was reduced to a bare two persons. This one parish return explains the loss in Albert

Taking Carleton county next, we find the Free Baptists of Aberdeen reduced from 324 to 147, those of Brighton from 1907 to 1039, while those of Northampton have sunk from 375 to only 4. Wakefield shows a decrease from 579 to 168, Wicklow from 1060 to 166. In Woodstock town the demonimation has decreased from 597 to 354, while the 302 Free Baptists in Woodstock parish have all disappeared.

The loss in Charlotte county is part ly explained by a decrease from 816 to 470 on Grand Manan. Pennfield, on the other hand, gained from 7 to 139. Kings county shows some remarkable fluctuations. The 70 Free Baptists of Havelock have become 410, while the 322 at Sussex have been reduced to 194. Upham and Waterford have lost all the Free Baptists they had.

In Queens county there are some in creases, but Petersville has only seven left of 104 Free Baptists in 1891, and Wickham's 477 are reduced to 258. In the Sunbury end of the constituency some catastrophe has swept away all the 113 Free Baptists of Lincoln, well as the 35 of Northfield.

In St. John on the west side ther were in 1891 a group of 388 Free Bap tists, but the enumerators of 1901 could find only 95, of whom 88 were in Guys and seven in Brooks. In 1891 there were 56 in Rings, 14 in Prince, and 38 in Queens ward. In 1901 only six were reported in the three wards, two bert said that it had been prepared offence was not whelly unproductive. and in 1901 had not one; Lorne had and in 1901 had not one; Lorne had S. Kepp & Son,

a fellow to mail and he had placed it in his desk and forgot it. Still later the sworn but forged list reached the 1900, the whole of 1901, and part of no survivors of the 128 of ten years. no survivors of the 138 of ten years before.

Moncton city, which shows a decrease

While a decrease, is reported in York, the number of Free Baptists in Fredericton increased from 274 to 519. But en the other hand there is a total disappearance of Free Baptists from Marysville, where in 1891 there were 362. Two-thirds of the Free Baptists were lost from Prince William, onehalf from St. Mary's, one-third or nearly 300, from Southampton, and one-third from Stanley.

As the value of the religious censu depends upon its accuracy, and as there seems to be no more reason for mistakes with regard to the Free Bapworth a little further investigation.

A VARIETY

election should be contested on federal party lines raises a question connow in the field.

In Restigouche they are Labillois, conservative, and McLatchy, variable and uncertain. In Gloucester the government ticket is Burns, conservative, Young and Porier, who voted consertive, but are down as liberals in the last Parliamentary Companion. In Northumberland it is said that the old ticket will be in the field. It comprises. Tweedie, conservative on the North Shore, liberal elsewhere, Fish and O'Brien, conservatives, and Bur-

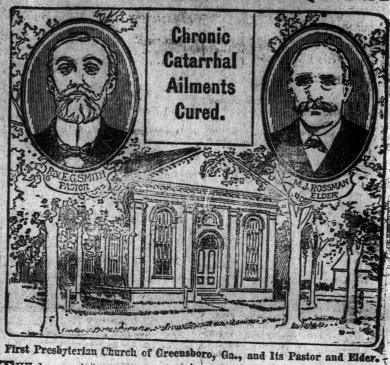
chill, a liberal who votes conservative. The Kent candidates are not named. The two government members for Westmorland, who will perhaps be renominated, are liberals. In Albert Osman is a conservative who votes liberal, while Ryan is a liberal but under the Transcript's suspicions. The liberal, King of fluctuating, indistinct and temporary politics, and Pugsley, nearly half was by George McKean.

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The highest men in our nation have given Peruna a strong endorsement. Men representing all classes and stations are equally represented.

A dignified representative of the Presbyterian church in the person of Rev. E. G. Smith does not hesitate to state Rev. Smith is supported by an elder in

Rev. E. G. Smith, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Greensboro, Ga., writes "Having used Peruna in my family for some time it gives me pleasure to testify to its true worth,

been suffering for some time with catarrh of the lower bowels. Other reme-vice gratis. dies had failed, but after taking two Address Dr. Hartman, President of bottles of Peruna the trouble almost en- The Hartman Sanitarium, Coh tirely disappeared. For this special Ohio.

We will try hard

tory of the Province.

The big game season which closed on Wednesday has been by long odds the most successful in the history of the province. The exact number of mose killed is not known, but those qualified to judge say it is somewhere in the vicinity of four hundred. It is safe to say that the number taken by non-resident sportsmen alone was in excess of two hundred, and they got some exceptionally fine heads. The some exceptionally fine heads. The number of caribou, deer and bear killed during the season is also said to have been larger than in former years. As no record is kept of the big game killed is liable to to tame at any in the province, it is impossible to get at the exact figures. The receipts

BRUTAL CAPTAIN'S BLOW.

(The Star, 5th.)

A young sailor named Douglas McAdams fell in a fit on Middle street, west end, this morning. Capt. Pidgeon, who was the only person at hand, called John Hamm, and they carried the man into Mr. Hamm's house and sent for Dr. Wheeler. After great difficulty the man, who seemed to be unconscious, was revived, but later he again went into convulsions. The ambulance was called, and Edmund Howard went along with it to attend the sick man to the hospital, where he now is.

The young man said, while he was conscious, that he is a native of Campbellton, and had sailed from there on the bark Elma for Cork. From Cork they sailed for Cliswitch, and on the voyage the captain beat him brutally, fracturing his skull with a spike. Ever since that time he has been liable to these convulsions. The ship was wrecked at Stickesholm, 52 miles from Reykjavick, Iceland, and the crew sent to Leith, Scotland. Thence McAdams was sent to Glasgow, and has just arrived here from that port. He is about 19 years old. It is said than an operation on his skull will be necessary before he will be free from such fits as that which attacked him today. (The Star, 5th.)

Peruna has become so justly famous, its merits are known to so many people of high and low stations, that no one hesletter to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, writes as follows:

"For a long time I was troubled with catarrh of the kidneys and tried many remedies, all of which gave me no relief. Peruna was recor by several friends, and after using a few bottles I am pleased to say that the long looked for relief was found and fam now publicly that he has used Peruna in his cojoying better health than I have for family and found it cured when other remedies failed. In this statement the Rev. Smith is supported by an elder in

Catarrh is essentially the same whereever located. Peruna cures caterri wherever located.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna. write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a "My little boy seven years of age had full statement of your case and he will

January 5th, Green

Oddfellow's Hall

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Most Successful Game Season in His-

(Fredericton Herald.)

from the sale of game licenses will be close to \$11,000, which is nearly \$2,000 greater than last year.

Makes Life Miserable For a Youth From Campbellton.

RAILWAY MEN TO RETIRE. Conductor William Hagerman of the edericton branch of the C. P. R. William McKinnon, car repairer d from the head office that the are to be retired on superdinuational on the first days are roll was built, over thirty years ago.

FOR SALE

ity ticket will probably be two liberals, while the city quartette will include Mr. McKeown, who has been twice a liberal, and once a conservative, and is not yet easy to place, and Mr. Robertson, who says he is what he is, but is now engaged in investigating liberal cattle guards. Nothing is decided about the other counties, except that Mr. Farris, liberal, will contest Queens. On the whole the contingent is a sort of political mixture which can hardly satisfy those who are ordered to take their politics straight.

A RECORD BREAKER.

Most Successful Game Season in History of the Province.

King Square, St. John, known as the "American House" and the store two shops on the ground fine refeat House. The lot is 40x100 feet. The building in the builders and two shops on the ground floor, rented separately. The Hetel contains at bedroom, large dring from, known as the "American House" and two shops on the ground floor, rented separately. The Hetel contains at bedroom, large dring from, known as the "American House" and two shops on the ground floor, rented separately. The Hetel contains at bedroom, large dring from, known as the "American House" and two shops on the ground floor, rented separately. The Hetel contains at bedroom, large dring from, known as the "American House" the tot is softon the sufficient mixture plants and two shops on the ground floor, rented separately. The Hetel contains at bedroom, large dring from, known as the "American House" the United Supply hetel was shorted and two shops on the ground floor, rented separately. The Hetel contains at bedroom, large dring from, known as the "American House" the Calles and two shops on the ground floor, rented separately. The Hetel contains at bedroom, large dring from, known and two shops on the ground floor, rented separately. The Hetel contains at bedroom, large dring from, and the Hotel and two shops on the ground floor, rented separately. The Hetel contains at bedrooms two plants and the floor in the building in the Hetel value in the clusters and t

St. John, N. B.

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Recent Events

Together With from Corres and Excha

To cure Headache in KUMFORT Headache A rolling mill is to Toronto to use the Co.'s products.

Str. August Korff, w into Falmouth Dec 23 abled, left there Thurs Nordenhum. This was t the Battle liner Albue

C. J. Thomson of who was appointed by lers and accompany tour through Canada, hotel, St. John.

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and 2,400 pounds each. str. Kastalia is ready They are fine looking have attracted no little Samuel Taylor, the con eller, of Sackville, who injured in the Intercolo

Belmont some weeks ag been able to leave his be was very severely cut as is glad he is alive. The new cable of the Pacific Cable Compan Francisco to Honolulu fo day, Jan. 5th. The ra Brunswick and Nova Sc lulu is 62 cents per wor pany is associated with Pacific and Postal Telegr

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westerly gales. It was Severn was lost. A chance to get some values in clothing is now it by J. N. Harvey, the U clothier. The prices at the always marked very low, ness is strictly cash, and is made the public are asstraordinary bargains. Revertisement on the first p issue.

The remains of Hugh Kensington, P. E. I., accor two sisters of the decease through the city yesterday sachusetts. Mr. Palmer, a on the New York, New Hartford Railway, was kille rible manner on the track wood, Mass., during last w

A PASTOR'S CONTRAD

Bedeque, P. E. I., Ja. To the Editor of the Sun: Sir-I would like to corr mistake concerning myself peared in your paper of De sue. It was there stated t merside Methodist Church. know the source of your in but I would like you to item, as no such invitation received by me.

> Very truly yours, T. A. WIGH LETTER OF CONDOLE From L. O. Lodge,

BATHURST, N. B., Jan. officers and members of t lodge wish to take this oppo-convey to their old friend an Orangeman, the Rev. Josep and family, now of Guysbor their sincere sympathy with their recent sad bereavement the death of their son and John R. Seller in Philadelp shorn lamb be with them in day of sore trial, and if hun pathy can assuage pain, m feel that they have that also Lodge committee:

A. J. EDDY, W. R. JOHN BALFOUR SUPPORTS BRO

And the War Secretary takes self a Wife. LONDON, Jan. 5.-War Brodrick and Madeleine daughter of Lady Jeuene, wried at St. George's church,

Square, this afternoon. The was a brilliant one. The chu crowded with fashionable per the center aisle was fined w commissioned officers and men Surrey yeomanry, of which M rick is honorary colonel. Premier Balfour was the be The bride, who was given a her step-father, Justice Jeuer supported by seven bridesmai A FAMILY GATHERIN

Mrs Geo. S. Grimmer, with sons and their wives, sat down er together in Kennedy's h Tuesday. The following day graphs of the good-looking grotaken by McKay.—St. Andrew

PASTOR PE-RU-NA.



and Its Pastor and Elder. onsider it well nigh a specific. tonic for weak and worn oit has few or no equals."---Smith.

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OR SALE.

property on the North Side of s. St. John, known as the "Am-40x100 feet. The building in-lotel and two shops on the ground om, large dining room, littchen, h room, closets and storerooms, contiguous to the Country March Hotel business is well established on in the build-ards of thirty years. In it is pleasant, fronting on the central and convenient, the ay cars passing within 100 feet ay cars passing within 100 feet, while the cars running outh cross at the head of King a little farther away, ty will be sold at about three-s assessed value, if disposed of the January. The owner resides vishes to close out his real estin St. John.

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CITY NEWS.

St. John,

Together With Country Ites

from Correspondents

and Exchanges.

To cure Headache in ten minute KUMFORT Headache Powders.

A rolling mill is to be erected Toronto to use the Dominion St Co.'s products.

Str. August Korff, which was towe into Falmouth Dec 23 with rudder dis-abled, left there Thursday in tow for Nordenhum. This was the vessel which

Battle liner Albuera had in tow for

C. J. Thomson of Virden, Manitobs who was appointed by the Dominio

government to meet the Scotch cur lers and accompany them on the tour through Canada, is at the Roya hotel, St. John.

A beautiful steam yacht is now unler construction at the "Old Fort,"
Carleton. The yacht is owned by R.
C. Elkin and will cost about \$7,000.
Messrs. Harned, the builders, are do-

ing good work, but will not launch he

Two bulls, weinghing between 2,30

and 2,400 pounds each, are being kept at the lower I. C. R. terminus till the str. Kastalia is ready to go to sea. They are fine looking animals and

have attracted no little amount of at-

Samuel Taylor, the commercial trav-eller, of Sackville, who was one of the injured in the Intercolonial disaster at

Belmont some weeks ago, has not yet been able to leave his bed. Mr. Taylor

was very severely cut and bruised, but is glad he is alive.

received by me.

Very truly yours,

LETTER OF CONDOLENCE.

From L. O. Lodge, No. 123,

BATHURST, N. B., Jan. 1.- The

officers and members of the above, lodge wish to take this opportunity to

convey to their old friend and brother Orangeman, the Rev. Joseph Seller, and family, now of Guysboro, N. S.

day of sore trial, and if human syn

pathy can assuage pain, may they feel that they have that also.

BALFOUR SUPPORTS BRODRICK

And the War Secretary takes to Hin

self a Wife.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—War Secretary Brodrick and Madeleine Stanley, daughter of Lady Jeuene, were mar-ried at St. George's church, Hanover Square, this afternoon. The scene was a briffliant one. The church was

her step-father, Justice Jeuene, supported by seven bridesmaids.

A FAMILY GATHERING.

A. J. EDDY, W. R. JOHNSON.

T. A. WIGHTMAN.

Recent Events in and Around The canvassers collectors for the SEMI-WEEKLY SUN are now making their rounds as mentioned below. The Manager hopes that all subscribers in arrears will

ALBERT COUNTY.

County N. B. J. E. Austin in the Counties of Queens and Sunbury, N. B.

BIG APPLE CROP. in disposing of the entire crop at pricer ranging from \$1 to \$3 per barrel.

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A BAD BLAZE.

Destroyed W. J. Noble's Depot

William John Noble, who lumbers in Maine for Cushing & Co., of St. John, returned to Fredericton Friday evening, and confirms the report of the destruction by fire of his depot camp a short time ago. The camp was located on Baker Lake and was destroyed with all its contents. A blan-The new cable of the Commercial Pacific Cable Company from San Francisco to Honolulu for business to-Francisco to Honolulu for business to-day, Jan. 5th. The rate from New Brunswick and Nova Scotia to Hono-lulu is 62 cents per word. This com-pany is associated with the Canadian Pacific and Postal Telegraph Companlulu is 62 cents per word. This company is associated with the Canadian Pacific and Postal Telegraph Companies.

WANTED—A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

D. C. Mulhall of Liverpool, N. S., received a cable on Monday from Capt. J. D. Manthorn of the schooner Severn, announcing her arrival at St. Thomas, W. I. The Severn left New York for Weymouth in ballast five weeks ago, and no doubt was carried to the southward during the heavy westerly gales. It was thought the Severn was lost.

A change to get some very special values in clothing is now being offered by J. N. Harvey, the Union street clothier. The release of the canadian was destroyed with all tits contents. A blanket which had been hung up near the stove pipe took fire during the temporary absence of the cook, and when he returned he found the flames leaped in a box on a shelf were exploded by the heat, and so alarmed the cook and others, who were attracted to the scene, that they made no attempt to remove the contents of the camp Besides a quantity of provisions, clothing and lumbering tools, Mr. Noble ing and lumbering tools, Mr. Noble reports about 18 inches of snow in the section of country where he operates.

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FED THE PROFESSOR.

their sincer: sympathy with them in their recent sad bereavement through the death of their son and brother, John R. Seller in Philadelphia, U. S. May He who tempers the wind to the shorn lamb be with them in this their You must feed the professors and teachers right or they can't do justice to pupils. They should, of all people, possess a healthy nervous and mental organization. The teacher with weak nerves cannot obtain as good results as the one who has a perfect mental polse.

'It had been for me a most difficult problem," said a professor connected with a prominent college of the South, "how to keep the nerves in proper condition and the brain in good working order. Lack of proper opportunity to take exercise, an irregular diet and improper food brought on a general break-down in the health. I became irritable and restless and at night would dream of more terrible things than any of Dr. Holmes' visions of 'The Comet.'

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The commenced to Dr. Kirk, who, after the singing of He's a Jolly Good Fellow, made a pleasing response. dition and the brain in good working George's Society, welcomed the visit-

crowded with fashionable people and the center aisle was lined with noncommissioned officers and men of the Surrey yeomanry, of which Mr. Brod-rick is honorary colonel. Premier Balfour was the best man. The Comet.'
Upon the suggestion of a frient' a abusy business man, I commenced to eat Grape-Nuts every day, and found in a short time a great improvement in my health; the food contained just the right kind of nourishment for my body and brain that was lacking. The testlessness disappeared The bride, who was given away by Mrsp Geo. S. Grimmer, with her five sons and their wives, sat down to dinsons and their with the sons and the sons and

SCOTCH CURLERS

Preached Two Sermons Yesterday

Edgar Canning is in

LBERT COUNTY.

F, S. Chapman in Kings

County N. B.

The Scottish curiers arrived in the city Saturday afternoon from Halifax, and although the weather is such that curling is out of the question, they seem to be thoroughly enjoying themselves and say that the kindness extended to them is far beyond what they even dared to expect.

The party travelled from Halifax in the handsome and comfortable car Calgary, attached to the fast express. pay when called on.

John Gilman, an enterprising and successful Kingsclear farmer, raised last year no less than 850 barrels of apples. A large proportion were win-fer varieties, and he had no difficulty

Further Particulars of the Fire Which

Sir-I would like to correct a little mistake concerning myself which appeared in your paper of Dec. 27th insue. It was there stated that I had accepted an invitation from the Sum-merside Methodist Church. I do not know the source of your information, but I would like you to correct the item, as no such invitation has been

body and brain that was lacking. The restlessness disappeared, my stomach ceased to trouble me, mental vigor returned and I am now able to do more and better work than ever before.

When friends express surprise to find me so well, it is necessary only to mention the merits of Grape-Nuts." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

AT ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH.

At the eleven o'clock service at St. Stephen's church, yesterday morning, the preacher was Rev. J. Kerr, M. A., captain of the Scottish curlers. Dr. Kerr is a very prominent member of the Church of Scotland, filling a number of important positions, and is looked upon as a leader tion in the city. graphs of the good-looking group were taken by McKay.—St. Andrews Bea-

Given a Hearty Welcome By the St. John Brethren.

intertained at a Smoking Concert at St. Andrew's Rink Saturday Night - Rev. Dr. Kerr

The Scottish curlers arrived in the

Calgary, attached to the fast express, Calgary, attached to the fast express, and arrived sharply on time at 5.40 p. m. Alex. Macauiay and R. A. Courtney of the Thistic Curling Club and R. K. Jones, Dr. J. M. Magee and John Tillotson of the St. Andrew's Club, met the party some miles up the line. At the depot there was a large gathering of St. Andrew's Society, who extended an enthusiastic reception to the visitors when they reception to the visitors when they stepped off the train. The party is composed of the follow-

Rev. J. Kerr, M. A., F. R. S. A., (Scot.), hev. J. Kerr, M. A., F. R. S. A.,
Dirieton, captain.
Provost Ballantyne, Peebles.
Major Bertram, Medwin.
R. Branwell, Upper Nithsdale.
Robert Cousin, Mershiston.
A. E. Campbell, Gourock.
Major Scott Davidson, Hercules.
Provost Gordon, Bathgate.
E. Gibson, Biggar.
R. Husband, hon. secretary and trounfermline.

Henderson, Kinnochtry,
Johnston, Upper Annandale.
Kirk, Bathgate.
Bentley Murray, Airthery Castle.
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T. MacMillan, Glencairn.
D. Murray, Kelvindock.
James McGregor, Camperdown,
Henry Prain, Castle Huntly.
D. Provan, Craighlockhart.
G. Deans Ritchie, Proughton United.
Mark Sanderson, Duddington.
A. T. Simson, Elidon Grove.
J. Simson, Orwell.
And. F. Smith, Stenhouse and Carron.
Immediately upon arrival theory.

Immediately upon arrival they wen driven in hacks to the Royal Hotel, which will be their headquarters while in the city. Here another contingent of loyal Scotsmen greeted them. Rev. Dr. Kerr was at once taken in hand by Rev. Df. Fraser and Rev. L. G. Macneill, who extended to him a

SMOKING CONCERT.

ager, passed into the hands of Donald Provost Ballantine, who is accompanied on the trip by his wife and manager.—Woodstock Dispatch. his warm appreciation of their kind-ness. They did not come here merely to curl, but to make friends with beir

This One Had "Dreams More Terrible brothers.

President Sinclair of the Thistle Club, on behalf of Rev. Dr. Fraser, extended an invitation to the visitors to attend divine service at St. Stephto attend divine service at St. Stephen's church on Sunday morning. The chairman extended a similar invitation to the visitors to go to St. Andrew's church in the evening.

R. S. Ritchie sang Plenty's Horn.

Ralph March, on behalf of the Hamp-ton Club, extended a welcome to the visitors and delighted his hearers with

Dr. Thomas Walker, president of St

pleasing response.

During the evening refreshments
were served and the gathering broke up in the usual manner shortly after

in church work. He has for two years been treasurer of the Church Service Society. The object of this society is the study of the liturgles—ancient and modern—of the Christian church, with a view to the preparation and publication of forms of prayer for public worship, and services for the administration of the sacraments, the celebration of marriage the public services.

tration of the sacraments, the celebration of marriage, the burial of the dead, etc. The society numbers upwards of 600 members and was founded on January 31, 1865.

Dr. Kerr took for his text Isaiah 33 and 17, "Thine eyes shall see the King in His beauty. They shall behold a far stretching land."

"In the course of an able and eloquent address the speaker referred to the purpose of the visit of the Sottish curlers as not only to enjoy curling but also to clasp hands with their brethren in Canada, and he expressed the hope that their visit would serve the interest of true religion, which is the interest of true religion, which is love, and would draw Canada and the United Kingdom more closely together in the bonds of affection. He referred to Canada sending men to behold King Edward in the beauty of his coronation robes. They were disappointed, but later on saw him clothed in greater beauty and with brighter in-terest, when their king, on a sick bed thought not of himself but of the trou-ble he was causing his people. Since that time great thoughtfulness had manifested itself in the King's life, tender solicitude for those in suffering. Here Mr. Kerr related an incident that occurred during a recent visit of His Majesty to Balmoral. A boy, whose parents resided on the estate, was sick, and the king hearing of it, went in person to see him, and recognizing how attend the lad and did everything possible for the boy, who, however, died. His Majesty shows that spirit of affection for his people that so characterized his great mother, Continuing, Dr. Kerr said he brought

to the church in Canada the greeting of the mother Church of Scotland; to the Canadian curlers a message of good will from the Royal Caledonian Club, and also from His Majesty the assurance of his love and care for his Canadian people. Dr. Kerr also refer red to the kindness met with so far which surpassed even their expecta-tions. He was sure the visit would help to promote the spirit of imperial

Dr. Kerr has a delightful personality and preached a sermon manly and of fine spirit.

IN ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. Rev. John Kerr, M. A., preached in St. Andrew's church last night to a large congregation, taking for his text John 15:15: "Henceforth I call you not servants; for the servant knoweth not what his lord doeth; but I have called you friends, for all things that I have heard of my father I have made known

Leigh Ebbett, meaning a deer. Mrs. Bulyea is upwards of the worship regreted the unfavorable weather, which he's hoped would not continue, and extended a hearty will transport to the Crow's Nest, and with such a modern outfit will been five a good account of themselves in the far west.

ACQUIRED NEW PROPERTY.

Acquir

cellent shape for the first game in the provincial league, to be played here on Thursday night between St. Stephen and Fredericton.

W. E. Smith, manager and secretary of the N. B. Telephone Company, is quite ill at his home here.

A GOOD WINTER.

Less Poverty and Suffering Than Ever Known in St. John.

Mrs. Chas. H. Hall, secretary of the Associated Charities, whose position keeps her in close touch with all of poverty and suffering that there is in the city, reports that in spite of seemingly adverse conditions, this has been the easiest winter that has come into her experience of eighteen years' ac-tive work with the poor of St. John. The cause of this is the abundance of work for men, which has continued so steadily that the demands for relief

steadily that the demands for relief have been very few.

In spite of the high price of coal, which might be expected to cause great hardships, the requests for aid in that direction have been less than ever before. At the beginning of the season the Associated Charities laid in a supply of 200 tons of coal for distribution through the churches and charitable organizations and this, it is expected, will be sufficient to meet all

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE THE SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1902. A dire

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uilding. The stood, got all at place. The Leroy Payne 105 feet and 'ed with a two is suil occu-So Declares Physician, Who Says System of Milling Is to mpany pur-rom Themas 0,000 Blame.

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]—The Liv-ort, has sold ay and For-

HANGES in milling processes are responsible for appendicitis, according to a physician who has been in the practice of medicine for fifty years and who has observed the spread of the disease. This physician, Dr. H. C. Howard of Champaign. Ill., asserts that until the trade demand for exceedingly white flour changed the methods of griading wheat there was no appendicitis.

To prove this assertion the physician points to the fact that where coarse breads are used the disease is unknown, but that as seen as the fine breadstuffs are introduced appendicitis comes along assequence.

By this reasoning it is shown that the people of agricultural communities who secured their flour from small mills did not have the disease until the small mills were crywded out by the large ones and fine white flour supplanted the coarse.

Then the negroes of the south so long as the communities of the court so long as

Then the negroes of the south so long as they ate corn bread were free from the disease, but when the new process flour began to be used the disease came among them. The same results attended the departure of the German folks from their coarse bread to the refined flour.

Disease Rare Before 1875. I can remember that prior to about 1875," said Dr. Heward, "that there was little or

none of the ailment among the people. In twenty-nve years of practice among the people. In twenty-nve years of practice among the people before that 'time I'do not think I saw more than forty cases of appendictis. Now they are common.

they are common.

"Large and extended changes in the diet of people has contributed to this. For example, about the date mentioned there began to be a general change from the old method of grinding grain to the present method of roller mills and excessively ine botting cloths. This plan of milling began first in the large cities, and appendicitis began to increase first there. Later the new process crowded out the small mills in the country, and the people could not get flour made by the old processes. They bought products of the large milling establishments, and then the farmers began to have appendicitie."

Still the newpoon of the second cities.

Still the negroes of the south did not have it, but in time they began to get away from their plain corn bread, and they, teo, began to have appendicitis in Germany until they began to eat our fine white fleur and put in the new process of milling after our fashion. Now they have appendicitis in Germany just as we do. Desarranges Digestive Organs.

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ing, but me mainsified by the old process, but the trade demands it chiefly on account of its whiteness. On account of its indigestibility the
disarrangement of the digestive organs of
the people eating it has greatly increased.
The prime cause of appendicitis is found in
this clearrangement.

"Quite small children have it. I know one
boy who has had thirteen well defined attacks of the disease and came out of all of
them without surgical operations. He
changed his food to corn bread and much
with coarse breads in general, vegetables,
ittle meat, and some fruit, and he has taken
on "Transdividual
in Treas."

"The lack of phosphates in the food is "

A little white bread is safe.

A man who had appendicitis brought on by the use of starchy food, that kept up a continual irritation of the intestinal tract, because he experimented for about two years in (in other words, go through the first

not suffer therefrom. This was the origin of Grape-Nuts, and the man followed exactly in the line of Nature in changing the starch

form of digestion) so that he could

have the required elements of food and

of the cereals into grape sugar. There are absolutely no foreign ngredients in or about Grape-Nuts. It consists entirely and wholly of wheat and barley, containing all of the valuable food elements of these nour-

ishing grains. The food is granular in shape, pur osely made a little hard in order to bring down the digestive juices from the gums and preserve the teeth by proper use. It is softened by cream and is one of the most delicious dishes

ever placed on the table. We unhesitatingly say, and the statement will be verified by the great majority of physicians all over the world, that Grape-Nuts is the most scientifically prepared food in existence. Made for a purpose, it accom-

plishes its purpose, It furnishes the system the valuable, much needed carbo-hydrates, the a little slice of meat, if thought best elements that make brain, nerve and brawn, and it is presented in a form ready for immediate and easy digestion.

It can be handled by the weakest stomachs. It is used by thousands of

Sacred E A meeting o Och 14, at the North State Az gives an "Author The formal op

and ball was give The first meet Matheon club wat Ogden avenue and I day afternoon. The An interesting been arranged below. The mextra day, when the she yote itself to the a Publications." O. T. Bright, win Extension," At he
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afternoon consisted on "Historic Cassi dvals of France," by "Round the We entertainment the boulevard, and the visitors and give

An Armenian we tainment. The nebe London, whee-court, and the lactostume. Here bers of the co At t Mrs. Bessie

"The lack of phosphates in the food is visible in the people, and physicians have greatly increased the use of medicines containing phosphates. It is a necessity Children are brought to me suffering from earditions resulting from a lack of material in their systems to form their teeth. Ten days of treatment, giving phosphates, will bring relief, and the teeth will begin to grow They are suffering breause the ingenuity of men and the foolish demands of trade have resulted in taking from their food the material which nature put in it for their growth."

The new process which is held accountable for disease takes from the grain the phosphates chiefly existing in the germ or the wheat and just under the bran, and leaves only the starch and glutan.

mothers for infant's food, and the athletes for their nourishment Much, is a menace and danger It requires no cooking, having been thoroughly and skillfully cooked by pert bakers. It is ready for immediate service. It is economical, for but facer heaping teaspoonfuls are required for couldn't digest the starch, worked and the cereal portion of the meal.

perfecting a food in which the starch tire meal of four heaping teaspoonsmis-This dees not mean make your enshould be first changed to grape sugar of Grape-Nuts; it means that is the proper amount for that part of the meal, and you may depend upon it the system will absorb more valuable nourishment from that four heaping teaspoonfuls than from many times the

weight of other food. It is particularly intended to take the place of the quantities of white bread now in too free use by most

Our remarks on white bread may displease some, but we stand for a principle in this matter and know exactly whereof we speak. There are on file in our office mad nundreds but thousands of letters from

people in all parts of the world giving descriptions of distress, disease, and ill-health from the use of improper food, and detailing the health and comfort that has come from a re-arrange ment of their diet along our Hoes. We advise for breakfast a little fruit, cooked or raw, a dish of Grape-

Nuts and cream, two soft boiled care and a cup of Postum Coffee. - Let it go at that. At the mid-day meal repeat, adding

At night have a good, generous mixed meal with a dessert made from one of the many recipes in the Grape-Nuts book found in each package Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek,

PROVINCIAL NEWS,

MAMPSTEAD, Queens Co., Dec. 26.— A number of the friends of Rev. S. J. Perry and wife, who belong to his circuit, met at their residence on Christmas eve to celebrate their 25th mas eve to celebrate their 25th marriage anniversary. Bradford Palmer was chosen chairman for the evening and calling on D. C. Slipp, he presented them on behalf of the circuit with an address and purse of \$21.50, which will be increased when the amount raised by two of the churches which, on account of the travelling, were not able to connect with the ex-Speeches were made by several of the gentlemen present, after which there were recitations and singing, and also refreshments.

Last night at the Central Hamp-

stead Church an entertainment and treat was given by the Sabbath school, consisting of singing, recitations, dia-logues and addresses by the superin-tendent, in which he presented the organist of the church and Sunday ool, Miss Laura Slipp, with a purse of \$20.50, and the sexton, John A. Dougan, with a beautiful Bagster's Bible, on behalf of church and school. After this refreshments were served. The committee who had charge of the affair deserve praise and credit in the beautiful appearance of the church in its evergreen trimmings and decora-

30.-Court Woodville, No. 1842, Dec. 30.—Court Woodville, No. 1842, I. O. F., on Saturday night elected the following officers: D. O. Nickerson, C. R.; Geo. B. Slipp. V. C. R.; Geo. J. Rathburn, Rec. Sec.; Wm. J. Nickerson, Fin. Sec.; B. T. Clarke, Treas.; John Delong, Chap.; Jos. Gardner, S. J. C.; T. T. H. Scovil, P. C. R.; Frederick Hamilton, S. W.: Wellesley

home from New York. Alderman W.
K. Gross and Mrs. Gross returned to
Moncton tolay.

The Salisbury and Harvey rallway
management have degraded the station at this village to the position of
a flag station or siding, and have
dispensed with the services of a station
master. This appears something like
retrogression. Passengers who patronize the Daniels siding, where the
sheep pen that passed for a station, is
rapidly falling into decay, are grateful for the comforts afforded by the
McCleian lumber camp situated near,
where they can await the arrival of the
train.

And continued until the wee sma'
hours. Mr. and Mrs. Scott were unceasing in their efforts toward their
guests. Your correspondent has been
requested to extend to Mr. and Mrs.
Scott, through the columns of the
Sun, their guests' best wishes for a
happy New Year.

APOHAQUI, Jan. 2.—The remains of
the late Hanford Kierstead, son of
Henry Kierstead of Collina, who was
drowned at Providence, R. I., on
Carlstmas day arrived here Tuesday,
morning and were interred at Kierstead Mountain. The young man was
32 years of age and was a student in
Providence.

ANDOVER, N. B., Jan. 1.-Miss Ger-

R. Chesley Smith returned today from Haverhill, Mass., where he spent to say that justice was done the goo things by the assembled guests. After the luncheon, the merriment was renewed and continued until the wee smith the say that justice was done the goo things by the assembled guests. After the luncheon, the merriment was renewed and continued until the wee smith the same that the same th luncheon, the merriment was renewed and continued until the wee sma hours. Mr. and Mrs. Scott were un-

W. H. Heine, Scott Act inspector, trude Henderson has gone to Wolf-ville to spend the winter, and to re-sume her medical studies at the Aca-Marr of Jordan Mountain.

Alfred Walker of Mt. Middleton has

P. E. ISLAND.

Enforcing the Liquor Prohibitory Law in Charlottetown.

Organize a Board of Trade-Recent Marriages and Deaths - General Local News

CHARLOTTETOWN, Dec. 31.-Last week a man from Boston secured a special sale from five different parties and laid sworn

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information to that effect. These cases are still pending. On Tuesday a young man named Emmet McGulgan began selling openly on Queen street. McGulgan had previously been committed to jail in default ville to spend the winter, and to resume her medical studies at the Acadia Seminary.

Miss Annie Smith and Miss Neille Smith of Harvey Station are visiting in Miss Annie Smith and a most considered on the Milistream. Mr. McLeod will continue to reside on the Milistream, having purchased some land from Henry Corbet, on which he will build a house and barn.

Curry and Mrs. H. H. Tibbits.

H. H. Tibbits is spending New Year's with his mother, Mrs. James Tibbits of Fredericton.

On Monday evening Miss Gertrude Tibbits gave a party to her young friends. About fifty were present and a most enjoyable evening was spent been given by Senator and Mrs. Baird bonk of the senator and his family.

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The stripping of the beautiful and heavily laden tree was a time of great interest to all and Santa manifested wonderful skill, for every bridge.

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B. HISTORICAL & OCIETY.

al Society Tuesday evening, on of S. D. Scott, resolutions were especting the late W. K. Reytrious members of the society of its best authorities on matocal history. Mr. Reynolds was er of the executive of the pubmittee. His services to local the author of biographical nd historical sketches and ts, and as editor of the New k Magazine were of great and nt value. The resolutions will icated to the press and to ily of Mr. Reynolds through

usiness of the meeting relane Winslow papers. resting paper was read by O. Raymond concerning the opean occupation on the St. er. Mr. Raymond does not that Champlain was the first seaman to visit the mouth st. John. The coast of Nova and New England had been less frequented by fishermen ers for nearly a century, and reasonable to suppose that them sailed up the bay and nded the river so far as it gable. This also was to be from the fact that the Indineighborhood had learned hite men before Champlain's But the De Monts party and in were the first to as the disco gave a brief sketch of the ortant statements made by to quote more extensively.

Jesuit Relations. The secof his paper dealt with the the struggle between La Charnisay. Incidentally it a spirited but inconclusive cerning the site of La Tour's Dole still holds to the besed by him years ago that erin was the spot, Dr. Rayes not appear to think that Fort Fredrick site is the exbut is not yet prepared to view of either Professor or Dr. Dole. It has been that the evidence submitted Ganong, Dr. Hannay, Dr. others be collated and the

CREASE YOUR WEIGHT.

e thin, weak and emaciated crease your flesh and should try Dr. Chase's ou should try be. od. You can feel it doing you day to day, as it strikes at trouble and creates new You can prove that it igh yourself each week while

mitted to arbitrators who

Howe was chairman of the

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OCK BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.

District Association is one st active in Kings county. quarterly convention was ves Settlement church on and evening of Jan. Dr. Brown opened the af-ession and President C. F. as in the chair.

of schools, followed by ad-Mutual Duties of Home and e given in Revs. Dr. Brown esident James Murray, and

cretary, arrived by train r the afternoon session. Howie opened the evening mie Keith read the Mr. Murray spoke on as-principles, the relation of its v. Dr. Brown gave one of al Lessons of Christ's Min-Lucas spoke on encouragehool could give to its comhow it could cultivate ten neiples in the young, and am in religion for future The following were elected par: President, Thos. Perry: F. Alward; secretary, Miss eith; additional members, noun and Thos. Scribner. tion on April 7th will be

PRIEST WILL WED DIVORCED WOMAN.

Father Charles McNelis Leaves His Church for Love of Mrs. Fleming,

Now in Rochester ; Jail - Declares There Can Be No Reconciliation **Between His Companion** and Husband.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 27.—70 love of a woman legally bound to an other Father Charles McKells, until recently assistant to Father Dunnstell Programment of the Seven-masted Schooner Thomas will be an other Father Charles McKells, until recently assistant to Father Dunnstell Programment of the Seven-masted schooner Thomas will be an according to the seven-masted schooner Thomas will be an according to the seven-masted schooner Thomas will be a seven-masted schooner thomas will be a

Mrs. Williams told me there was a good field in Rochester for the teachgood field in Rochester for the teaching of music, and at her solicitation I came here. In fact, Mrs. Willians, her daughter, Mrs. Fleming and I, all four, came here together. We arrived in this city on December 17. Mrs. stria, of Mrs. Poldy McPhee, the great-striang went to live with her mother

WILL NOT BE RECONCILED.

"Mrs. Fleming says she will never again live with him, and that she has no affection for him. He has said he would never live with her; that he would not recognize her in the street. He refused to talk over the telephone to her friends. She, I know, would die rather than live again with him. He declines even to allow her to visit her

2.13 3-4; Wig Wag, 2.16 1-4, purchased only two weeks ago and now en route; Arline, 2.14 1-2; Dick Miller, Bravo, 2.12 1-2; Col. Kluser, two mile record of 4.28; Derego, 2.19 1-2; Minnie Burchwood, 2.13 3-4; Miss Sidney, 2.16 1-4, purchased only two weeks ago and now en route; Arline, 2.14 1-2; Dick Miller, Bravo, 2.12 1-2; Col. Kluser, two mile record of 4.28; Derego, 2.19 1-2; Minnie Burchwood, 2.13 3-4; Miss Sidney, 2.16 1-4, purchased only two weeks ago and now en route; Arline, 2.14 1-2; Dick Miller, Bravo, 2.12 1-2; Col. Kluser, two mile record of 4.28; Derego, 2.19 1-2; Minnie Burchwood, 2.13 3-4; Miss Sidney, 2.16 1-4, purchased only two weeks ago and now en route; Arline, 2.14 1-2; Dick Miller, Bravo, 2.12 1-2; Col. Kluser, two mile record of 4.28; Derego, 2.19 1-2; Minnie Burchwood, 2.13 3-4; Miss Sidney, 2.10, and others. She was the leading winner in Austria this season, and it is said she was instrumental in having the government secure the American how only two weeks ago and now en route; Arline, 2.14 1-2; Dick Miller, Bravo, 2.12 1-2; Col. Kluser, two mile record of 4.28; Derego, 2.19 1-2; Minnie Burchwood, 2.13 3-4; Miss Sidney, 2.10, and others.

Mrs. Fleming has visited me since I was locked up, as has her mother. Her people are friendly to me. Eventually I intend to marry Mrs. Fleming, if she is willing, but it can't be done now. I know marriage to a divorced woman is self-excommunication from the church, but the ecclesiastical law does not recognize a civil marriage in

STILL A CATHOLIC.

"I am still a Catholic, still a priest.

I give it up of my own free will and accord. I do not wish to bring any disgrace upon the priesthood or upon the religion, but I believe it nobler to has the scent of a local election.

live as one believes than live against the dictates of one's conscience, "Mrs. Fleming did not elope with me. She left a week after I did. She was 'leaslien' with was 'lesallien' with her husband, I with my vocation. We are free agents, and both of us left, which we had a perfect right to do. I believe her husband is back of the prosecution in

his case.
"I will never return to the priest rood. Nothing can force me to do so. I had rather die first. For all time I have absolved myself from it." have absolved myself from it."
Father McNells says he will stay in Rochester, near Mrs. Fleming, and earn an honest living waiting for her to secure her freedom to marry him.

TOO BIG FOR COAL PORTS.

Greatest Woman Owner and Cam-paigner of Trotters in

Fleming went to live with her mother and I took up lodgings at No. 3 Sophia street. I sought employment in musle stores and intended to open a music studio in this city.

"I do not know why I was arrested unless I theorize that certair persons wanted me to go my way alone and May to go back to her husband.

Stria, of Mrs. Poldy. McPhee, the greatest woman trotting horse owner and campaigner in the world, reached here tonight through a letter from John Splan, her American agent.

Mrs. McPhee had imported into Austria over \$100,000 worth of trotters, including Henrietta, 2.12 1-2; Axmer, 2.13 3-4; Wig Wag, 2.16 1-4, purchased only two weeks ago and now en route;

ning American horses were Dick Miller, which left America a green trotter, and Arline, that had only a slow mark.

THE THIEF AND THE JUDGE. BELLEVILLE, N. J., Dec. 31.-Justice John C. La Fancherie was beaten in a footrace early this morning by a thief whom he discovered in his cellar devouring his mince ples and washing the church, but the ecclesiastical law does not recognize a civil marriage.

"When I was a priest I struggled always with myself to honor the garb and I did so, but at times a terrible struggle waged within me. I tried to reconcise myself to the life, but could not. The sacrifice was too great. I felt that I could not be a priest without being a hypocrite at the same time, nor could I be a hypocrite at any time. I resolved to forsake the cloth. It was not the religion but the cloth I could not live.

In a lootrace early this mothing by the whom he discovered in his cellar devouring his mince ples and washing them down with milk. When the intruder found he was cornered he made a quick dive for a window, taking the sash with him in his efforts to escape.

Justice La Fancherie, who is noted as quite an athlete, followed the thief and chased him for over a mile, going over fences and through private ground on the way. But the burglar made his escape by crawling in between two brick buildings, where the justice couldn't, go because of his avoirdupois.

The air smells like soft coal; it also

Vireless Telegraphy—Halifax Inventors Yet to Be Heard

BOSTON, Jan. 2.-Ten years before Mar coni read his first paper on wireless tele-graphy, and that was in 1896, the "coherer," which is to wireless telegraphy what the heart is to the human system, was discov-ered by A. C. Carey, a Massachusetts man who in his time has taken out as many as 100 patents. The original instrument does not differ widely from the one now used at the Table Bay station in Cape Breton by the Marconi company to gather in and make known the tidings vibrated across the Atlantic from the Poldhu station in Cornwall, Eng.

AHEAD OF MARCONI.

At the regular meeting of St. George lodge, No. 12, on Dec. 27th, the following officers were installed by Past Master James Dodds for the ensuing year: George Craig, W. M. John A. Crickard, S. W.; James Grey, J. W.; Martin Magowen (P. M), treas.; Chas. Johnson, sec.; Allan Grant, S. D.; Jas. Boyd, J. D.; G. W. McKay, S. S.; Philo Hanson, J. S.; Robert Grey, D. of C.; Emery Grearson, I. G.; R. J. Dodds (P. M.), tyler.

THE SKIN ON FIRE. So dreadful are the sensations of burning, itching eczema that victims frequently describe their sufferings by

I. C. R.

without scar or blemish. A DISCOVERY IN JUPITER.

A discovery of considerable importance in astronomical circles has recently been made, which is arousing much interest among astronomers. The planet Jupiter is the body upon which the discovery has been made. Several peculiar pyramid-shaped spots have been observed on Jupiter, and the astronomers who have been watching them have observed that as they trayel with great velocity towards the object known to astronomers as the object known to astronomers as the offerat Red Spot, they disappear and reappear at the other side of the Great Red Spot. This seems to indicate that the Great Red Spot. This seems to indicate that the Great Red Spot is effected and the Rathbun Company, of Deserved and a woman was found dead in the discovery has been made, which is arousing much interest among astronomers. The planet Jupiter is the body upon which the discovery has been made. Several peculiar pyramid-shaped spots have been observed on Jupiter, and the astronomers who have been watching them have observed that as they trayel with great velocity towards the object known to astronomers as the object kn vated-something which known before.

Jenuine Casteria always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Casteria When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria When she became Miss, she clung to Castons When she had Children sie we them Castor

QUEEN'S COUNTY.

Valuable Coal Discovery Mouth of Jemseg.

Central Railway Train Irregularity -Good Ice on Grand Lake-General News From Young's Cove, White's Cove and Other Places.

MOUTH OF JEMSEG, Jan. 2.-The Meth odist and Episcopal churches were hand-somely decorated for the Christmas season.

challed has described for street and problems of the problems

At the regular meeting of St. George sporting centre was fought with remarkable vigor. Horse owners, train-

HON. A. G. BLAIR

saying that the skin is all on fire."

The stinging, biting fires of eczems are quenched by the use of Dr. Chase's Ointment. The first few applications may cause a little uneasiness, but cure is sure to result and the skin is healed four hundred thousand dollars in without sear or hlemien. amount, to be divided between Messrs. Rhodes, Curry & Co., of Amherst, N. S., and the Rathbun Company, of Deser-onto. Nearly 500 of these cars are re-

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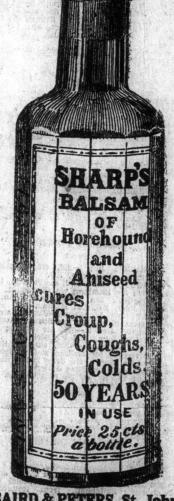
The Page Wire Fence Co., Limited, Walkerville, Ontar Montreal, P.Q., and St. John, N.B.

MONCTON, N. B., Dec. 31.- James McDermott, I. C. R. engineer has received announcement that his son, F. J. McDermott, had been killed in a railway wreck at Trimdad, Colorado He was twenty-three years old and formerly worked in St. John. (Moncton Transcript.)

Fred J. McDermott was 23 years old and was born in Moncton. About four years ago he was night clerk in the Brunswick Hotel in this city. He left here and went to St. John, where he here and went to St. John, where he worked for a short time, subsequently proceeding to Boston. A little over a year ago he left Boston for Colorado, where he met his fate. His many young friends in Moncton will learn with extreme regret of his death.

BOSTON'S SUNDAY SUICIDES.

BOSTON, Jan. 4.—Two men took their lives in lodging houses today because of despondency, and a woman was found dead in bed in a Hanover street hotel under circumstances indicating suicide. Wm. Graffe, a German, 68 years old, shot himself, and Frank Stone, 22 years old, swallowed a dose of carbolic acid. The woman, about 28 years of age, supposed from letters in her pocket to be Nettle Colsen, it is, thought, committed suleide, as friends say she had threatened to do so.



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SHIP NEWS PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived 2.—Sir Cacouna, McPhail, from Syd 2. P and W F Starr soal 3. Onward, 95. Wassen, from Stonington, 3. It is, oak. 3. It is, oak. 3. It is, oak. 4. It is, oak. 5. It is, oak. 6. It is, oak. Str Cacouna, 931, McPhail, from Louisbarg, R P and W F Starr, coal. Constrince—Tug Springhill, 96, Chambers, with barge No 3, from Pairsboro, both cid ar return; sch Allee May, 13, Murray, from faing, and cid. Jam 4 Str Tritonia, 2,750, Stitt, from Glastow, S Schofield and Co, gen cargo. Jan 5 Str Lanke Erie, 4,611, Carey, from Liverpool, Troop and Son, general. twise Sens Hattle McKay, Card, for sort: Meteor, Kingston, for Quaco Wave, McLean, for do; barge No 4 d, for Parrsboro; str Brunswick, Pot T Canning; schs Effort, Apt, for An Fleetwing, Goucher, for Por n 5 Coastwise Sch Exema, Barry, for DOMESTIC PORTS. Arrivad ADUISBURG, Jan 1 And, sir Tanagra, Abbott, from Swansea for New York. HALIFAX, NS. Jan 14 Ard, sir Cartharemain, from Liverpool via St Johns, NF. Set, str Ask, Hansen, for Jamaica. HALIFAX, Jan 2. Ard, sechs Arabia roum New York; Helena Maud, from Bosroum. From Louisburg, Jan 3, str Tanagra, Ab-BRITISH PORTS. Arrived. LIVERPOOL, Jan 1-Sid, sir Corinthian, or Halifax and St. John, NB. FLYMOUTH, Jan 1-Ard, str Patricia, from New York for Hamburg via Cheriourg. LIVERPOOL, Jan 1-Ard, str Pretorian, from St. John, NB, and Halifax. SCILLY, Jan 1, 3.30 pm-Passed, str St. Leais, from New York for Southampton. GLASGOW, Deo 31-Sid, str Buenos Ayeras, for St Johns and Philadelphia. MOVILLE, Jan. 2.—Sid, str Corinthian, from Liverpool for Halifax and St. John. At Bublin, Jan 1, str Bray Head, Burns, from Galveston and New Orleans. At Cape Town, Nov 22, chip Canada, Mestride, from Cardiff. Salled.

From Liverpoof, Dec 31 str Lake Megantic, Naylor, for St John. From East London, Nov (not Dec) 17, Jark Landskrona, Burgess, for St Thomas.

ROCKLAND, Me, Jan I-Sid, barkin Cuba, Parrisboro, NS; sch Hattie C, for do. BOSTON, Jan I-Ard, strs Arcadia, from subneng: Dalohhall, from Botterdam; ostic, from Louisburg (B; Boston, from armonti, NS; schs, Genevieve, from St. aha, NB; Chas L Jeffrey, from South Am-

Ard, scha Jane, from Culais for New Suffacile. 14.

Ard, scha Ja Coiwell, from Port Johnson Sar Si John, NB: Demozelle, from Port Greville. NS, for New York.

Passed, str Rosalind, from St Johns, NF, via Halifax, NS, for New York: Sch Island City, from Hillsboro, NB, for New York: Sch Island City, from Hillsboro, NB, for New York: Sch Island City, from Hillsboro, NB, for New York: Sch Island City, from Calais.

HYANNIS, Mass, Jan 1—Ard, sch Abbie and Eva Hooper, from a coal port.

JPORTIAAND, Me, Jan 1—Ard, str Gransia, from Sydney, CB.

A Pascagoula, Dec 31, sch Lady of Avon, librie, from Havana via Mobile.

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BOOTHRAY, Jan. 2—Sid, schs Keeway-dist, for Portland; S A Pownes, for St John, N E, H A Holder, for do.

TATLARS, Me, Jan. 2—Ard, sch William Dobb, from Narfolk.

BASTPORT, Me, Jan. 2—Ard, sch William Dobb, from Narfolk.

FOREIGN PORTS.

BIRTHS.

ILLIAMS—Born at Shediac on Sunday Dec. 28th, to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wil Hams, a son.

MARRIAGES.

REPORTS.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

lar Repented.

What a Quarter Did.

Mass.
LONG.—At City Hospital, Boston, Mass., of typhoid feves, Maggie O. Long, a native of Kings county, N. B., in the 23rd year of her age, leaving a father, mother, brother and two sisters to mourn their sad loss.

PURCHASE.—On January 2nd, 1902, in her 74th year, Eliza Annie, wife of William Purchase, St. John, N. B.

BICHARDSON—In this city, Jan. 3rd. RICHARDSON—In this city, Jan. 3rd, Thomas G. Richardson, aged 39 years, leav-ing a wife and eight children. From New York, Dec 31, sch Alexander, for St Croix.
From Brunswick, Ga, Jan 1, sch Brooklyn, O'Hara, for Jacksonville.
From Pensacola, Fla, Jan 1, bark Valona, Burnley, for Whitehaven.
From City Island, Jan 2, sch Hunter, Hamliton, for Providence.
From Macoris, Dec 17, sch Helen Shaffner, Publicover, for New York.
From City Island, Jan 3, sch Virginian, Publicover, for Halifax. Macksrel, ht bbl.
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Gr. Manan herring, hf-bbls.
Bay herring, hf-bbl.
Cod (fresh)... NEW HAVEN, Conn, Jan 1—Second Mate Conrad Thorsen and sailors George Anderson and Hams Ansen of the three mested schooner Coral Leat, Captain Barkhouse, are held in the police station on a charge of ship desertion. They will be given a hearing before U S Commissioner Wright on Saturday. The schooner came here from Yarmouth, NS.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Jan. 2.—Schr J L Colwell, from Port Johnson for St. John, broke mainboom and tore mainseil while leaving New York on the 29th uit. She made temporary repairs.

ANTWERP, Jan. 2.—The British str Hornby Castle, Capt. Jackman, has arrived here from Galveston and landed the crew of the sohr Jessie of St Johns, N F, which vessel sank. GROCERIES. Passed Sydney Light, Jan 2, strs Britan-nic. Gilsen, from Portland for Sydney; ist, str Gustav, Nordahl, from Sydney for Gotstr Gustav, Neruani, Holl Systemburg.

Passed Sydney Light, Jan 3, strs Nordpol. Stoltz, from Philadelphia for Sydney; Sif, Hermansen, from Sydney for Porbland. In port at Demerara, Dec 17, sch Britannia, Nickerson, from Wilmington, NC, arrived 19th from Ship Island.

In port at Macoris, Dec 25, sch Maple Leaf, Arenburg, for New York, to sail about 27th. WASHINGTON, DC, Jan 2-Notice is given by the Lighthouse Board that on Dec 2, 1902, Scotland fight vessel No 7, stationed of the entrance to New York Bay and the searcoast of New Jersey, just southwesterly of the southeasterly prolongation of the axis of FRUITS, ETC. Serious Illness of Leonard Allison at Torquay, England-The Burg-SUSSEX, Jan. 5.—Mrs. Leonard Allison received a cablegram from Mr. Allison's dector at Torquay, south of England, saying he was dangerously A small robbery took place here yesteriay afternoon, when James Robinson's house was broken into in his absence and his money stolen. This morning when he arose and went out of doors he found the bills tied to the door latch. nerves actively needs food to rebuild them and replace the waste, and should

both of "redericton."

MELLETT-POND—At the Manse, Fredericton, Dec. 3ist, 1902, by the Rev. Willard Macdonald, John A. Mellett the Gertrude Pond, both of that city.

McDONOUGH-BURGESS.—At the residence of the bride's father, on Dec. 24th, by the Rev. C. W. Townsend, George Edward McDonough of St. Martins to Eliza Jane Burgess of Fairview, St. John, N. B. RCWE-RUSK—On Jan. 1st, at Exmouth street, Methodist church by Rev. T. J. Deinstadt, Richard H. W. Rowe to Gertrude Edma, youngest daughter of John W. Rusk. Veal, per lb...

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MILLTOWN NEWS.

MILLTOWN, N. B., Jan. 2.- The MILITOWN, N. B., Jan. 2.— The news of the quarrel between Henry Barry ("Pluck") and Adam Bell at the latter's office in St. John, greatly surprised the people here. Barry is well-known here, having filled lucrative positions in two of Militown's leading grocery stores. He was also connected with the Ware-motor invented by E. J. Ryons of this place, being business manager, and was a leading favorite in the four places. He is also a horse doctor.

At about 3 o'clock this morning as

a horse doctor.

At about 3 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the Eaton block on the corner by Hazen Blactin, son of Mrs. Alice Blactin, who lives across a yard from the block. Young Blactin, half dressed, ran down and rang in the alarm. The department responded promptly. The block is taken up as follows: B. H. Kerr and H. H. Butler & Co., grocery stores, and P. L. Lord's drug store on the ground floor; K. of P. hall over the drug store; reading room over H. H. Butler & Co.'s, and a store room over Kerr's. The fire is supposed to have originated in Kerr's & Co.'s, and a store room over Kerr's. The fire is supposed to have originated in Kerr's, as it is the most burned. Butlers', Kerr's and the reading room were badly gutted. The K. of P. hall was damaged by water and smoke. The drug stone was only smoked.

Miss Aggie Rey, daughter of Mrs. John Roy, a speeder in the card-room of the cotton mill, had one of her

of the cotton mill, had one of her fingers taken off this afternoon by the machine.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler of Bangor and Dr. and Mrs. Percy E. Butler of Bolling Dam, spent Christmas with T. W. Butler of Water street. Mr. and Mrs. John W. Stevens and daughter of Daywoodston, have been visiting Mr. Edmundsten, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McKenzie, Queen street, the past week.

F. A. Sharpe, druggist, is visiting his home at Norten, Kings Co. A good time was had at the congregational vestry last evening. The leading features were games, music, leading features were games, music, recitations and refreshments. The M. G. C. enjoyed an oyster supper at their hall last Tuesday evening.

Gerald Blaney lies in a very critical condition at his home at Little Ridge-

ton.

P. F. Casey and John McGarrity are visiting Weodstock this week. Miss Jennie Sherman, Marysville, is visiting Mrs. Frank Parks, Queen street. Miss Laura Caswell has arrived home from Boston, where she has been preparing for a trained nurse, to visit her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Caswell parents. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Caswell parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Caswell of Main street

Mr. and Mrs. John Huntley are re Mr. and Mrs. John Huntley are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a young stranger at their home.

J. E. Osborne, town treasurer, who has been confined to his home with illness, is once more able to be out.

A small number attended watchnight services in the Methodist vestry Wednesday evening. Rev. Wm. Lawson was assisted by Rev. Messrs. Pinkerton and Buchanan.

"Be ye therefore ready also." It was an eloquent tribute to the character and work of the late rector, whose christian virtues and faithful work were recognized and appreciated by the reverend speaker as well as Mr. Covert's friends and former parishioners. The churches were suitably draped in black, the emblem of a mourning people.

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Turner Wooster, ex-collector of custems at Grand Harbor, died at his old hame on the 28th ult, and was buried two days later, Rev. Dr. Hunter conducting the funeral services. Mr. Weoster, was in his 84th year. He leaves two sons—Albert, who resides

Weoster was in his 34th year. He leaves two sons—Albert, who resides on the homestead at Grand Harbor, and Frank T. who is an the Pacific coast.

Friends and relatives of Rev. G. W. McDonald were grieved to hear of his death on the 31st uit. He was a man any native of this island might well any native of this island might well

any native of this island might well feel proud of.

The Ashburton Club of North Head held a successful dance on the 31st. The Foresters of Woodward's Cove held a hop on New Year's night, which was a most enjoyable dance and well patronized by the public at large.

The Free Baptist Church members and Sunday school children gave a fine concert in the school house hall, Grand Harbor, on New Year's eve.

A watch meating service was held in St. Paul's Church on New Year's eve, when an appropriate address was delivered by the pector.

St. Paul's Church on New Year's eve, when an appropriate address was delivered by the rector. The old year was solemnly tolled out and the new year joyously ushered in by the ringing of the church hell.

Lobster fishing is reported fair, and good catches of herring have been taken in the nets at North Head the past week. Some herrings have been taken in a weir at White Head.

A petition for the institution of a lodge of the Knights of Pythias at North Head is being largely signed.

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CHARTERS.

The following charters are reported: Ship Geo. T. Hay, New York to Havre and Rouen, naphtha, 2s. 3d. and 2s. 5d respectively, Jan. Feb.; barks Reform, Portland to Buenos Ayres, lumber, p. t.; bark Belmont, Boston to Buenos Ayres, lumber, p. t.; bark Belmont, Boston to Buenos Ayres, lumber, p. t.; bark Belmont, Boston to Buenos Ayres, lumber, Y.; bark Polmont, Polmont, Polmont, Polmont, Polmont, Polmont, Polmont

St. John, coal, \$2.50; Ambition, Guttenburg to Halifax coal, \$2.35; W. L. El-kins, Perth. Amboy to Portsmouth, coal, \$3.50 and lay days; Ada. G. Shortland, Hoboken to Salem, coal, \$3.50 bark Albertina, Rosario to New York, hides, p. t.

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