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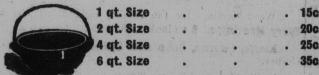
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DEATH OF JAMES COSGROVE. HELENA, Montana, Feb. 2.—James Cosgrove, a well-known resident of Helena and Clancy, was found dead in bod in the Clancy, was found dead in bod in the Clancy hotel yesterday morning. The body was brought to Helena last evening and will remain mere until relatives are heard from. Mr. Cosgrove died of heart fallure. He was shout 40 years of age, During his residence in this city he became a member of the Knights of Fythias lodge. He was born at Prince Edward Island, where he was brought up and received his early education. Many years ago he came West. A mother and sister survive him at his old home. They like been communicated with as to the

disposal of the body. Mr. Cosgrove held

During the sale of white wear which will last all through Febru ary at F. A. Dykeman & Co's., you can buy two well made corset covers for 25c.

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Swarms of locusts which swept over Krugerstorp, Transvall, recently, destroyed all the vegetables planted by the troops sta-tioned there.

St. John, N. B., February 14, 1903.

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CAMPAIGN NOTES

The Opposition Will Get Four in Charlotte.

Some Suggestions to D. C. Fraser The Government Ferces

Demoralized.

NAPOLEON'S FAREWELL. The Gazette and Telegraph are publishing paragraphs from Hon. Mr. Tweedle's manifesto in very black type or with a mourning, border around them. This is functed but fitting. It is Napoleon's Farewell.

If Mr. Blair is delayed again to local government managers in this cliwill throw fits.

Mr. Hill's resignation makes a nivelentine for Mr. Tweedle.

On the same night that E. J. Murphy was thrown out of the chairman ship on the west side an attempt w. made to throw down Chairman Ge R. Craigle in Dufferin ward, but falled. Mr. Craigle declined to be sterificed.

RALLY TO THE WORK.

Every man in sympathy with the opposition should visit the ward rooms and headquarters and take a hand in the fray. The government forces are demoralized and now is the time to strike and strike home. Enthusiasm is infectious. Let every man line up and carry the banner to victory with a rueh. The thing can be done. Do it.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Feb. 13.—The olitical pot has boiled fast and furiusly here today, but tonight there is ot even a simmer and all the fires ave been drawn from beneath it. Out the stew the Tweedie-Pugsley commation have drawn disappointment ad despair. FOUR IN CHARLOTTE.

bination have drawn disappointment and despair.

The first surprise of the day came when R. E. Armstrong awoke from his troubled slumbers and announced that the night had brought him a change of heart. Last night he appeared at the opposition convention and with Hon. Mr. Hill accepted the nomination on the composite ticket and pledged himself te stand by it to the end of the fight. This morning he thought that he had made a mistake and announced his abandonment of the ticket and his retirement from the fight.

Hon. Mr. Hill and his friends stood Hon. Mr. Hill and his friends stood

ion. Mr. Mill and his friends stood are to their agreement and used in best endeavors to secure anoth-desirable man to run will him on ticket with Clarke and Grimmer.

In the meantime the liberal delection who had yesterday turned down Hill, were still with troubles of ir own, and waited with what lence they could for the arrival of n. Mr. Tweedle and Hon. Mr. Mcown, who were coming down to try sunny ways' treatment on their lowers.

followers.
When the fragment of the liberal convention got together in front of the ministers, the gathering was chiefly distinguishable for the notable absence of every influential man in the party excepting three who were anxious to secure the nomination. In answer to pointed questions, the premier told the meeting that he would recognize their voice as his authority, and would also have to ask Hon. Mr. Hill for his resignation as a member of the government.

This announcement opened wide the

Hon. Mr. Hill for his resignation as a member of the government.

This announcement opened wide the breach between Mr. Hill's liberal friends, who form practically the entire influential membership of the liberal party, and the other section.

Mr. Hill himself wasted no time in placing his resignation in the hands of Mr. Tweedle.

The fragmentary convention continued a stormy session, and finally nominated as their ticket N. Marks Mills of St. Stephen, Warden Vaughan Dewar of St. George, and George Eyron of Campobello, three young men, and the best available uandidates. For their fourth man they played a bold card by going into the opposition ranks and nominating M. N. Cockburn of St. Andrews, relying upon the disappointment of St. Andrews conservalence of St.

This tooked like a straight fight and the opposition assembled in caucus, They had scarcely got together when they were waited upon by Hon. Mr. Hill's friends in a body, comprising all the influential members of the liberal party, and including W. F. Todd, M. P. P., who stated to them that Mr. Hill felt physically unable to enter a campaign, but that they, one and all, pledged their support in time, money and every other way from now until the close of the polls, to the election of a straight ticket to go to Fredericton in opposition to the Tweedle government. This was here and a reposition of the fact that the opposition party had fought fair and had stood to the agreement entered by the leaders of both parties.

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Thos. A. Hartt was at once communicated with and offered a position on the ticket.

In the meantime the three Tweedle candidates had been in communication with Mr. Cockburn at St. Andrews, but had got from him the assurance that he had authorized no man to use his name as a candidate, and that he positively declined to accept the nomination.

This was a thunderboit and a whole train load of dynamite backed into them at once.

Realizing now that their fight was hopeless, with their former leaders opposed to them, they threw up the sponge and tonlight told your correspondent that they and their party would make no further fight.

The immediate result will be that

on. Mr. Hill, Geo. J. Clarke, W. C. Grimmer and Thos. A. Hartt will returned from Charlotte as out and topponents of the government.

A. HITCH IN WESTMORLAND.

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The mich advertised liberal convention for Westmorland county yestersty falled to nominate candidates, and
ad to adjourn until Monday. Resoluions were adopted declaring confidence
i Laurier, Blair and Emmerson, and
i favor of liberal candidates supportig Tweedle rather than those supsembers supporting the government.
Johnson and Copp, Dr. Gaudet of
cenramocok, Dr. Smith of Shediac,
red Mages of Fort Elgin, and F. J.
veeney of Moncton. Some of those
we positively de lined to run. Among
mors on the afrect is one that Mr.
air is to be communicated with with
view to having A. E. Killam resign
to I. C. R. bridge inspectorship to const the county, and be re-appointed in
ase of defeat. It is not believed, howier, that Killam would consent to any
the arrangement, if proposed.

MR. McINTYRETS QUEST.

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The government party in the city are re preased for supporters. As a conquence every imaginable scheme has seen set on foot to capture votes.

The latest move was that of the local organizer, A. E. Maciniyre, who yesteday aftermon addressed the members of the Ship Laborer's Society in the Water street rooms.

Mr. Mcantyre told what a great and tood government the present local administration was, what an able, clever and versatile man was Pugsley. Then there was a laugh.

There was not much enthusiasm at the meeting, owing no doubt to the absence of some of the government candidates. Mr. McKeown was out of town on pressing business. Mr. Purdy was busy in the North End; Mr. Lantalum has his hands full trying to capture the old Ship Laborer's Culon vote.

The government has lost the laboring men's support on account of the shabby tréatment meted out to them by the leaders. Now an effort is being made to capture a vote that has always been a solid opposition. Mr. Macintyre tried hard to put up an effective argument, but his efforts were unavailing.

CARLETON CO ALL EIGHT.

Pour hundred men, representing every parish in Carleton county, met yesterday. In Woodstock and with great enthusiasm nominated J. K. Flemming, J. C. Hartley and B. Frank Smith. It is a very strong ticket, and with such discensions in the government ranks as shown at their convention it is a winner. The candidates held a big meeting in the Opera House at Woodstock last night.

AH THERE! FRASER.

It is stated that D. C. Fraser, M. P., is coming down to make some speeches in the interests of Tweede-Pugsley liberalism.

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There are several matters Mr. Fraser tould discuss which would no doubt prove very interesting.

The last time he spoke here was as a guest at a St. Andrew's Society banquet. It is stated that he got 440 for that speech. How much will he get this time and who pays it? And what is a fair charge for an after dinner or other speech?

If he were to tell exactly how much he got as a Yukon commissioner it would perhaps be interesting.

His views on the general status of the political handyman would be worth noting.

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"Why I never got a Judgeship in Nova Scotia—or Elsewhere," would be a very good topic for one address.

If the matter of the Eastern Extension railway should be mentioned, the story of a \$6,00 deal would be worth telling.

icton are mentioned as among those from whom the ticket will be formed

AN ASTOUNDING STORY.

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Speaking at Grand Falls last Thursday, T. J. Carter, one of the opposition candidates, told an astouading story about the government's action in connection with the property of Daniel Bell, of Bristol, Capteon Co., who was taken to the lunatic asylum in February, 1899, and died in August, 1901. Mr. Carter, who was Mrs. Bell's solicitor, says Mr. Bell was worth \$10,000, but his property was sold out by the lunatic asylum commissioners (the government) at forced sales for a total of \$1,329.45, of which \$52,70 had to go for solicitor's costs and expenses. After Mr. Belt died Mr. Carter tried to get a settlement, and had to take the case into the equity court. There was an amount of \$246.45 not accounted for, and after fighting the case Mrs. Bell got \$134.02. It is not stated in the report of Mr. Carter's speech how much she received of the original \$1,429.45, 4f any, but the whole story is of such an astounding nature that the government must either explain it or stand condemsed in the mind of every citizen of the province. Mr. Carter stated that he had the documents to prove every statement he made.

MR. LANTALUM.

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VENEZUELA.

The Protocols Signed and Blockade to be Raised.

The Whole Matter in a Fair Way for an Amicable Adjustment.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The Associated Press is informed that instructions have been telegraphed to the commanders of the blockading squadrons off Venezuela to withdraw their ships in consequence of arrangements completed at Washington. The blockade, therefore, will be immediately raised.

BERLIN, Feb. 14.—The government is telegraphing instructions today, for raising the blockade of the Venezuelan coast immediately. The instructions cannot reach all the blockading vessels today, but it is expected that the blockade will be fully raised by to-morrow or Monday, especially since Commodore Scheder has been expecting such instructions and had arranged for their prompt transmission.

BERLIN, Feb. 14.—Two memoranda explaining the protocol were signed by Minister Bowen. The text of the first is as follows:

"As the imperial German government holds that the claims-originating from the Venezuela civil wars of 1888 to 1990 are no more apt to be submifted to arbitration, the government of Venezuela has to acknowledge at once these claims amount to 1,780,815 boilvars, approximately \$250,000 and either to pay said amount in cash without any delay, or should this be impossible, to guarantee the speedy payment of them by guarantees which are deemed sufficient by the imperial German government."

A BRITISH FORCE.

A BRITISH FURCE.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—Advices received here today from Nigeria say that the British punitive expedition commanded by Colonel Morland and consisting of 1,200 men belonging to the West African frontier force occupied Kano February 3, after sharp fighting. Only two British officers, were wounded. The enemy lost heavily, but the city was uninjured. The Emirof Kano fied to Sokato. An official despatch to the colonial office adds that twelve of the British rank and file were wounded and three hundred of the enemy killed. The Emir was accompanied in his flight by 1,000 horsemen.

POLICE COURT.

A Maiden's Hopeless Love for a Policeman.

Policeman.

Maud Lester has at last succumbed to Cupid's darts and has fallen in love. She admits it herself and with what may be a lack of bashfulaes naively confessed her feelings this morning. Mead was drunk last night, and it is possible that some of her remarks to the object of her adoration were caused by the vanishing effects of Booze, but the fact remains that Maud says she feels the divine fire. Officer Marshall is the lucky man, but it is to be regretted that he does not properly appreciate his position. He found Maud "spificated" on Sheffield street last night and this morning she confessed her love for him—and in a courtroom full of people, too.

Maud also remarked that she did not want to go to jali for six months. She had just come out of hospital and was sure that six months in jali would be the death of her. As the magistrate was not inclined to cause the young lady's death he gave her only two months.

John Crawford and James Duffy were

months.

John Crawford and James Duffy were fined four dollars each for drusken-

HARMONY HALL

In one corner of Harmony Ball last evening sat Fellows Hill and Fodd, of St. Stephen, Armstrong of St. Andrews, Appleby of Woodstock, and quite a number of others. They wore a fierce expression, and held themselves aloof. "Charlotte county has been disgraced," said Fellow Ernie.

Then the three Fellows from Charlotte county got up and went out, Fellow Appleby followed them.

"These differences of opinion are restrettable," sighed the President, "And

"These differences of opinion are respectable." sighed the President. "And they seem to be more the vidence every day."

"Has the wad come yet?" shouted a back-bencher.

"I regret to say," said the president, "that it has not yet been received."

"It's the only thing that'll save us," said the back-bencher.

"I think," said the President, "that we are all agreed on that point."

"What's that I see in the Globe about the government usin' up \$585,892.-18 of extra money in two years?" demanded an inquisitive Fellow.

"You ought to know," said the President seversly. "You got your share of it."

"Oh! Did I?" said the Fellow. "Then, it's all right. What's the matter with Globe, anyway?"
"The Globe is a fraitors' said Fellow.

"The Globe is a traitory and Fellow. Bowes,
"But I regret to say," said Fellow. Trueman," that it is dealing heavy blows, at Fellows Tweedle and Pugs-ley,"
"That is indeed true," said the President.
"How can I get elected with the

ident.
"How can I get elected with the Globe against the ticket?" demanded Fellow Lantalum.
"You can't be," said the President.
"But it wouldn't do to say so."
An adjournment was made, pending further news of the wad.

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TWO SUDDEN DEATHS IN HALI-

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 13.—Two sudden deaths occurred here yesterday. One was that of Thomas Fenerty, an I. C. R. brakeman, who was killed between two moving cars at Richmond. Fenerty was married, but had no family. The other was William Ryan, chief messenger of the legislative council, who dropped dead in a store while making some purchases.

ON THE OCAMO.

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Feb. 12.—Sixteen of the passengers of the wrecked excursion steamer Madiana will continue their cruise southward on board the steamer Ocamo, which salis for the West Indies tomorrow. Ten others will sali on the steamer Pretoria for New York tomorrow. The Madiana is daily settling down and is a total loss.

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., FEBRUARY 14, 1903.

FOR GOOD GOVERNMENT.

Amid the confusing clamor raised by speakers and organs of the government party let the people keep one thought clearly in mind. The real is ue is not between liberals and conervatives, but between men who have en who always subordinate such condictions as they may have to their pernal ambition

It is not enough that a man should be clever. He should also be reliable. The government of New Brunswick tolay is notoriously a government trimmers. Turn them out and give better men an opportunity at the head of affairs.

There is also a question which lib-Are they so weak that they need the support of Mr. Tweedie? Does it strengthen their self-respect to have Mr. Tweedie declare himself a liberal in good standing? Do they trust him? What will they do with him? How long would he or Dr. Pugsley remain suggested some other course?

This is a fight for good government It is a struggle against the trimmer and political fence jumper. It is an effort to get back to right principles of administration. The people of province know perfectly well that they are not well-governed. It is idle for that Mesers. Tweedie and Pugsley are safe men to have at the head of affairs.

But it may be taken for granted that no stone will be left unturned by them and the recipients of their bounty to secure another lease of power and profit. This is the people's fight. Now that the candidates are in the field it is plain that Mr. Hazen will have excellent material from which to form a government worthy of confidence and respect. Let us have a clean sweep Happily the indications grow more and more favorable. The quarrelling in the government ranks, the attempt to hoodwink the liberals, are evidences of weakness and collapse. The oppo sition have only to pursue the vigorous fight they have begun and theirs will be the victory.

MR. BLAIR.

The Hon. Mr. Blair is a resourceful campaigner, and in relation to federal politics is a strong man in this con stituency. If the present struggle in New Brunswick were between the two federal parties, one could understand would be ready to take a hand. But there is no such division. Premier Tweedie has not declared himself in favor of su h a division, and one of his colleagues has openly appealed for support on the ground that

pealed for support on the ground that he is a conservative. The attempt made by a few persons in St. John to force a division on federal lines has been repudiated by the Globe and a large section of the liberal party. This is a struggle for good government and not for the supremacy of a federal party. Therefore if Mr. Blair comes here and throws himself into the fight in the interests of a government that is not liberal and that is thoroughly discredited in the province, he has no moral right to expect liberals to rally around him. His personal influence will of course have some effect, even if exerted for a bad cause, but he should not interfere at all. And if Mr. D. C. Fraser comes here to speak in favor of such liberals as Tweedle and Pugsley, he need not be surprised to learn that he, too, has made a serious mistake. The people of the province do not require any outside interference in a purely provinside interference in a purely provincial contest.

The statement that the labor men The statement that the labor men will not as a body support their candidates is being persistently made by government heelers. It is made with a purpose, which is to influence any who may be thought to be in down who may be thought to be in down. who may be thought to be in doubt. But having put up candidates the labor unions will not permit those candidates to be defeated. It is more their interest, as showing their strength and influence, to elect their men than to have them defeated. The labor candidates were not nominated for the fun of the thing. The unions felt that they needed representation at Fredericton, and they are going to have it. That's the fact of the matter.

Every man in sympathy with the apposition should throw himself into the fight with all his vigor. The campaign will be short and there will not be a great loss of time. The enthusible a great loss of time. The attree on sed at the York Theatre on Thursday evening should spread to every part of the constituency. The candidates are worthy men, the cause is worthy of earnest effort, and the OVER 50 YEARS IN USE indications from other sections of the province point to a general success for the opposition party. St. John should make no mistake, nor be mistaked by any false cries.

he bar'l got lost and the great mass neeting at the Opera House had to be alled off, then came the row in Carleton county, which will make the as-surance of the election of the full op-position ticket, doubly sure; then the flasco in Westmorland. And now comes the landside in Charlotte Co, the worst split that has ever rulned the chances of a government in this prov-ince. The cabinet has lost its most inhave utterly repudiated the machine and formed an alliance that will result in its complete overthrow. The opportunists are on the run. Panic is opportunists are on the run. Panic is paralyzing the hearts of their erst-while supporters. There is no main body. "The stars in their courses fought against Sisera."

The Globe last evening, in a leading editorial, exposed the reckless extravagance of the government, showing that they had added \$310,000 to the funded debt in a single year, and that in two years they had received and spent \$585,692.18 over and above the ordinary revenue of the province.

ment organs to attempt to play the role of injured innocence, either in their own behalf or in behalf of Messrs. Tweedle and Pugsley. The province has been badly governed by wasteful and extravagant men. It is time for

What's the matter in Westmorland? where. Even the government leaders oncede four opposition seats here, but a semblance of a contest must be put up, for the sake of the moral effect on other constituencies

If Mr. Tweedle comes to St. John t speak he will perhaps be less high and nighty than he was on the occasion of the royal visit. Leading citizens of were very insignificant per sons on that occasion.

When neither Tweedie's Napoleonic autocracy nor McKeown's Pugsleyesque suavity could quell the storm no allay the troubled waters, the dis turbance must have been deep-seated.

It is stated that in adidtion to free tickets there was considerable free liquor in connection with the government convention at Hampton.

The Hill in Charlotte Co. will prov a precipice for the Tweedie govern-

"Better lose all four after a hard fight," said the Telegraph yesterday. Will there even be a hard fight?"

Did you hear something drop in

CARLETON NEWS.

JAMES YEO DEAD.

Many Years Member of House Commons from P. E. Island.

WOMAN CRUSHED TO DEATH.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Feb. 13.—A sad and extraordinary accident befell Mrs. Bell, wife of A. S. Bell of Briscol, yesterday. She went to the barn to feed the cattle and while there the roof of the barn collapsed and the poor woman was crushed to death. It was over an hour before the body was discovered.

nic constipation surely cured or back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS fail. Small, chocolate coated, take. Price 35 cents. At drug-

DEATHS.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL.

Monday evening at 8 o'clock, to consider the celebration of Paardeberg day.

A buoy of the Trinity pattern was anchored at the eastern end of Partridge Island yesterday in place of the bell buoy which disappeared the day previous. Efforts to recover the missing buoy have as yet been unavailing. William Barnes, J. P., of Hampton, died on Friday morning. Mr. Barnes until a year ago lived at Titusville, where he was a prominent farmer. He leaves a large family. One daughter is the wife of Conductor Crockett of the I. C. R. Mrs. Barnes was a daughter of the late Capt. Allan McLean of Crouchville, St. John. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon from his late residence.

An arrangement has been made by which permanent men in the fire department will be able to attend divine service on Sunday.

The Bartenders' Union will have their annual sleigh drive to the Clairmont House next Wednesday evening. The Methodist Sunday school at Fairville has raised \$29 for the family of Mr. Tolland, who had his hand crushed in Cushing's mill.

PROVINCIAL.

The hardware firm of Dewolfe and Dinsmore, of St. Stephen, has dissolved partnership. Messrs. Dewolfe continue the business.
Daniel Crilley, police magistrate of St. Stephen, is dangerously ill.

GENERAL.

The Montreal Star's London cable says there is a possibility of the C. P. R. buying the Elder-Dempster steam-

ers.
A land slide caused a wreck on the Baltimore and Ohio Railway nea Baltimore and Ohio Railway nea Washington, Pa., yesterday. Thre men were killed and others injured,

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WINTER PORT NEWS.

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The Allan line steamer Mongolian arrived off the island this morning. She docks at Sand Point this afternoon. The Mongolian has 11 second cabin and 6 steerage passengers to land here. She will also put out a large amount of cargo.

The Donaldson boat Kastalia arrived from Glasgow this morning and will dock at the I. C. R. pier. She brings 2.500 tons of cargo. included in which is over 1,000 tons of anthractic coal.

The Elder-Dempster str. Montercy, at No. 4 berth, took in last night 488 cattle and 412 sheep, which came down over the I. C. R. and were shipped to Sand Point on the barge. The remainder of her live stock will go on board today.

A Bermuda cable of the 7th inst. says: The bark Samaritan, Captain Dexter, from Port Tampa for Yokohama, is in port. Thirteen of her crew refused duty and an investigation is being held.

SLIGHTLY DEFECTIVE

No doubt some of our customers are still in want of Household Linens and Cottons to be made up for the coming season. Consequently we make this announcement so that all who require Sheets, Pillow Cases, Table Cloths, Napkins, Towels and Bedspreads made up in our usual excellent manner, free of charge, can avail themselves of the opportunity on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

NO ORDERS TAKEN FOR HEMMING AFTER WEDNESDAY, FEB-RUARY 18TH.

Manchester, Robertson,

CITY OF SAINT JOHN.

Ward Meetings for the coming election will be held Every Meeting at 8 o'clock as follows :

Kings, Queens, Duke and Sydney Wards at Foster's Corner

Wellington and Prince Wards at Bricklayers' and Ma-

Guys and Brooks Wards at City Hall, West End.

Dufferin Ward at Segee's Hall. Victoria Ward at Victoria Rink, City Road.

Lorne and Lansdowne Wards at Temple of Honor Hall.

asked the government for an export duty of \$1.50 per cord on pulp wood.

The election in North Ontario, with Hon. Geo. E. Foster as candidate, will take place on March 10.

Canadian pulp manufacturers have als have been condemned and destroy-

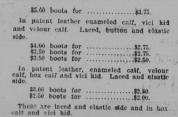
Laxative Bromo Quinine C. M. Grove box. 25c Laxative Bromo Quinine

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Dollars Do

We prefer to have the dollars to put into new Shoewear for Spring rather than keep the old goods on our shelves. We don't hang to old prices at times like the present. We are having a tremendous sale. Everything in the store at from 10 per cent. to 30 per cent. reduction. One pair of shoes or rubbers bought here now makes you a store friend for life,

MEN'S.



WOMEN'S.

\$4.50 boots for\$2.50. We have these in the popular and reliable box calf and vici kld, and in both laced and \$2.50 boots for \$1.50, \$2.50 boots for \$2.00. \$2.00 see in lace and button with heavy and light soles. 00 tan boots reduced to \$1.50. \$3.75 and \$5.. Specials. \$1.00 Oxfords and \$50 cents.

A Word About Rubbers.

We admit that we are selling rubbers and overshoes at about half regular price, but we maintain the high quality of our goods. We sell only first quality, highest grade rubbers, and we are here to stand back of every sale we make.

MISSES'.

WOMEN'S.

\$2.25 Oversohes reduced to ..\$1,00. \$2.00 Overshoes reduced to ..\$1.25. Alaskas at 50c. and 75c. Caiters and Leggins at 20 per cent. dicount. CHILDREN'S.

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SPORTING NEWS.

THE RING.

HOW JOE GANS FIGHTS.

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Among the ranks of the black fighters Joe Gans stands almost without a peer. The only ones that class with aim are the famous little feather, George Dizon, and the "Black Demon," Joe Walcott. Glans' record is a wonderful one. His list of battles contains hundreds of victories, while it is marred only by four defeats and but few draws. Dal. Hawkins, Frank Erne, George McFadden and Terry McGovern are the fighters who have at various times dangled the Gans scalpock at their belts. Of these Gans has since knocked out three, Hawkins, McFadden and Erne. By defeating the latter Glans won the lightweight championship of the world.

The fight in which he lost to Terry McGovern in six rounds in Chicago was undoubtedly a fake, in which McGovern himself was in no way concerned. That Gans "laid down" on that occasion was proved by all the attending circumstances.

Gans is a remarkable boxer, and a remarkable fighter as well. There are no boxer-fighters in the game more clever than the black champion. In build he is far superior to any other fighter in his class, He has the lightings of his race, that taper evenly from the belt up Gans has the build of a well-treased and but few days of the record of strength into the head not started yet to use his full speed. He falled to retire out or range. Cans saw his opening in a flash. He put every ounce of strength into the note bow that he let go. His glove days saw his opening in a flash. He put every ounce of strength into the note bow that he let go. His glove days for hand to been prepared to send over a hand to been prepared to send over a funckout upon the instant when the first opening offered the fight might be a many counce of strength into the hand not started yet to use his full speed. He falled to retire outse his full spe

the hip to the knee, and are very thin in the calf. His waist is thin. From the belt up Gans hus the build of a wolterweight, yet the muscles are so evenly distributed that he is symmetrical in appearance. So far as build goes he is an absolutely perfect fighting machine.

In the whirl of battle there is not a cooler man in the world than Gans. No matter how things are coming he moves with the same deliberation, fights on the same plan, takes as sudden advantage of any opening that occurs. He has a faw that is proof against any common blow. His body is strong.

I have seen Cans fight many a battle, and I have ever seen him lose his temper or make a mistake in general-ship. He has often been accused of having a "yellow streak" because when things are coming too hard his attack slackens. He stope mixing things for the moment, and until opportunity offers for turning the tables he gestautions of the moment, and until opportunity offers for turning the defensive.

Gans is one of the leading judges of distance in the ring. He uses his head ont finally in feinting, bobbing in and out, drawing his enemy's fire, blocking frequently with his clows.

Most of Gans' battles have been won in very few rounds. More than half of them have resulted in knockouts.

Gardner of Lowell Won in the Second Round.

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—George Gardner of Lowell was far too good a fighter for Allowed and well with the remove and came up were respected by the second common moment, and until opportunity offers for turning the defensive.

Gans can fight a cautious fight when caution second necessary. He can take as quick advantage of a chance to win in a hurry as any other fighter in the second continually in feet and the second continually in feet and the second continually in feetings.

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St. Stephen Fredericton Mohawks. .

Beavers. . Marysvillė. . The games were witnessed by a large







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and keenly interested crowd.

The Beavers and Marysville teams played first. The teams lined up as follows:

follows:
Marysville—Smith, goal; Harvey,
point; Kane, cover point; forwards,
Stephenson, Biack, Brown and Frith. Beavers — Rogers, goal,; Fowler, point; M. Peters, cover point; forwards, Macnelll, O'Neill, Watson and

wards, Macneill, O'Neill, Watson and Blizard.

K. Inches refereed the Marysville-Beaver game and gave thorough satisfaction. About four minutes after the face off, Marysville scored. The Beavers' defence played well to check the rush, but the forwards were slow.

The visitors scored again in nine minutes, and in less than one-half minute later O'Neill, on a pass from Watson, made the score 2 to 1. Just after the start of the second half Watson scored again for the Beavers and three and one-half minutes later Watson, Blizard and O'Neill, by fast combination play, put the rubber into the Marysville net. This goal won the game. Some minutes later the Marysville goal keeper knocked out the puck from between and back of the posts, but as it did not reach the net, the count was not allowed.

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In the second game the Mohawks, though coming out winners, were in hard luck. An incident in a previous game weakened the team somewhat, and after about sixteen minutes' play, Mooney was accidently hit with a etick and his nose broken, obliging him to retire from the game. He was replaced by Gordon Sancton, who, though not in the best of condition, played a splendid game and did much toward the Mohawks' victory.

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Fredericton scored first, after seventeen minutes' play, and a minute later the Mohawks led the score, and just before half time they made it 2 to 1.
There was no scoring in the second half.

Four rinks of the Sackville curiers played four rinks of the St. Andrews club cracks at the rink of the latter club last evening and were defeated in all but one rink. The total score was 72 to 45.

At the conclusion of the game the Sackville players were entertained at supper at the St. Andrews rink. Vice-President Dr. J. M. Magee, in the absence of the president, occupied the chair. Coffee, sandwiches, cheese and bisouit were served in abundance and a good time generally spent. The Sackville players will play against the Thistes this afternoon.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

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

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NELLIGAN—In London, Out., on Feb. 10th, 1903, Stephen, the beloved husband of Ellen Nelligan, of 686 Bathurst street, aged 82 years. St. John, N. B., papers please copy.

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Halifax vs. St John Feb. 18th. and 20th.

QUEEN'S RINK

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THE WEATHER.

LOCAL NEWS.

Hard coat, Gibbon & Co. There will be a match race at the Victoria rink on Thursday evening

The horseshoers will shortly call a meeting for the purpose of organizing themselves into a union.

Registrar Jones reports thirtee births during the week, nine female. There were three marriages.

The St. John Rifle Club meets tonigh at 8 o'clock at R. J. Wilkins's, King street. A full attendance is requested F. W. Petts sold at auction at Chubb's corner today lot 302 in Albert Ward. Carleton. James Kennedy bought it for \$397.

The Y. M. C. A. building fund has been increased \$845 by the canvass car-ried on since the first of February. There remains \$8,943 yet to be raised before the \$60,000 mark is reached.

The Boston and Montreal trains are each an hour late today, being detained by a slight accident eight miles west of Vanceboro, where the truck of an eastbound freight car broke.

The services in Carleton Baptist church tomorrow will be as usual. Rev. Dr. G. O. Gates will preach at 11 h. m. and the pastor at 7 p. m. Special service.

You can get cigars by the box, either imported or domestic, cheaper at Wilkins's cigar store, King etter, than anywhere cles in the city. Leading branda of cigars and tobacces always in stool.

Y. M. C. A.—Meeting for boys at 10 a. m., subject, "Temperance." Leader, D. B. Donald. All boys will be made welcome. Popular Bible study for men at 4 p. m., topic, "John's Doubts and Christ's Praise." Teacher, W. M. Kingston. An invitation is extended to the men of the city.

The management of the Algonquin hotel intend making many improvements in the hotel during the coming season, which will make it more popular than ever. The entire hotel is to be renovated, the children's dining from calarged, a palm room added, boths put in, and other changes made.

Robert Orchard, manager of the Star Line S. S. Co., denies the story that Capt. Mabce has about concluded the purchase of the steamer Majestic. Mr. Orchard says the owners of the Majestic have not the slightest intention of disposing of the steamer, and will run her as usual next season.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Godsoe, of. 13 an. and ars. Oscar Godsoe, of 12 Prospect street, were given a happy nurprise Thursday evening last when a number of their friends called and celebrated the 12th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Godsoe's marriage. A most eajoyable evening was spent and Mrs. Godsoe was the recipient of handsome presents, including silver and out glass berry dishes, silver cake basket, silver sugar bowl, silver pickle dish, two handsome plants.

NEW ENGLAND TEA

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The King's Daughters will this evening hold a New England tea in the guild rooms on Chipman hill. Six fabies have been arranged and the rooms are prettily decorated for the affair. Those in charge are Mesdames H. H. Billis, W. H. Tuck, J. F. Bullock, J. E. Dead, W. H. Wood, Walter Scovil, D. Puddington, Edwin Stewart, Preasant, S. E. Jones, E. L. Phillips, Harrisz' on, Olive, W. H. Purdy, G. M. Campbell, Don. Hunt, W. H. Reid and Misses Amy Iddiols, Barlow, Sterling and Pratt. A number of other ladies chosen from the different circles will assist as waitresses and tea will be served from 5 tin S. p. m.

The great sale of cotton wash materials for Spring and Summer at half price will be Continued at F. A. Lykeman & Co's. store day ing all next week.

THIRTEEN DEATHS.

deaths in the city during the week numbered 13. The causes led in the burial permits issued a board of health were as follows:

THE MINTO AND STANLEY.

despatch to the I. C. R. passeng artment eags that the Minto lett tou at seven o'clock this morning. Would endeavor to send a supply oal to the Staaley. She would after the Staaley carries sufficient coal for the days' obstant steaming or for them days' idleness. The steamer been days' idleness, The steamer is been fast to the toe almost all the since January 9th, or for thirty-days, and athough her crew have a very careful the coal is practically auested Provisions were also bening scarce, but a few days ago the to succeeded in sending her sup-

Their platform is a-tumbling, Like a drunken man it reels; Like a drunken man it reels; It's all made up of rotten planks And Muskoka lumber deals.

There is a man called William Sweet, He never will be missed, So leave him free to chase the Bend Who forged the Rotbeagy list.

OPPOSITION WARD MEETINGS

Ward meetings for the coming election will be held every evening at 8. o'clock as follows:
Kings, Queens, Duke and Sydney wards at Foster's Corner.
Wellington and Prince wards at Bricklayers' and Masons' hall, Brussels street.
Guys and Brooks wards at City Hall, West End.
Dufferin ward at Segre's hall.

Dufferin ward at Segee's hall. Victoria ward at Victoria Rink, City

Lorne and Lansdowne wards at Temple of Honor Hall. Lorne and Lansdown wards at Temple of Honor Hall.

The meetings in Wellington and Prince wards last night were well attended. Ald. Macrae was elected chairman for Wellington, and W. McLean, secretary. For Prince ward, Ald. Maxwell was chosen chairman, and James Sinclair, secretary. The meetings were visited by the caudidates for the city, and also by the county candidates, who were welcomed with the utmost entusiasm by both large gatherings. All opponents of the local government will be cordially received at the ward headquarters. Queens, Dukes, Sydney and Kings wards met last evening at committee rooms, over Henderson & Hunt's clothing store, corner Germain and King streets, and transacted considerable business for each ward.

A CASE WHERE THE FIRST COST DOES NOT COUNT.

Supposing it does cost a little more for "Oglivie's" than for ordinary flour, it's only the first cost, and this does not count when you come to consider that it makes so many more loaves of bread to the barrel. Another thing is that the quality of the bread itself is superior to ordinary bread. It has more gluten, the element which builds and imparts vigor to all who use it. The man who will buy ordinary flour when he can get "Oglivie's" at its present price is penny wise and pound cent price is penny wise and po colish to a certainty. Whose nour are you buying?

Black sateen and flannelette waists that were 75c. are being cleared out at 39c. each at F. A. Dykeman & Co's

AN ACCIDENT AND THE AMBUL ANCE.

The weakness of the present ambulance service was again exposed this morning. Leslie Steele, an employe at the Josiah Fowler Co's works, cut his hand badly on a circular saw about eleven o'clock. The ambulance was telephoned for and an answer secured from the Seamen's Mission that the ambulance horse was out on a delivery team and was not available. So the man was taken in a private team to the hospital, where his wound was dressed and later to his home on Spring street. About noon, when everything was over the ambulance arrived.

THE BECKWITH CASE

In supreme court chambers this morning the chief justice granted an order for habeas corpus to bring before him Charles B. Beckwith, at present in jail awaiting trial at the next county court on the charge of stealing the proceeds of sales of fertilizer, the property of the Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Co. The order was made returnable Feb. 17th at 12 o'clock. L. A. Currey and A. W. Baird made the application on behalf of Mr. Beckwith.

Among your Saturday evening purchases remember Red Rose tea. It's good tea.



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A LARGE SALE OF 4EN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHENG.

Sustes, \$12.00; Men's Clay Worsted
Sack Suits, \$2.00; Men's Double
Breasted Tweed Suits, \$7.00; Men's
White Dress Shirts, all sizes, 500, to
75c.; Men's Pants, 80 Tweeds and
Worsteds, from \$1.00 to \$2.50; Boys'
and Youths' Suits, from \$1.00 to \$2.50; Boys' and Youths' Suits, from \$1.00 to \$3.50 per suit; Underwear, from 35c. per garment up: Ulsters and Overcoats. one-half off as long as they last at

No. 9, Foot of King Street, W. MONTGOMERY, MANY STEAMSHIPS.

Harbor Facilities Will Be Taxed to the Utmost.

The harbor facilities will have a narrow escape from being overcrowded this week, and it is yet possible that considerable inconvenience may be caused to some of the steamship lines by the scarcity of berths. At present there are five steamers lying at the west side. The Fharsalia is at the C. P. R. slip and the Manghester City, Mongolian, Lake Erie and Monterey at Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, respectively. Four other steamers are due. They are the Evangeline, the Orinoco, the Kastalia and the Lake Megantic, Any or all of these may arrive within the next two days, and it will be only by l'idicious management that berths can be provided for them.

The Monatesey and Lake Erie will sail tomorrow, and this "il give two berths free for the overdue steamers. The Donaldson boat will dock first at the I. C. R. pier, and by the time she has discharged her cargo there may be space on the west side for loading. Them the Pharsalia may be ready for sailing, and it so will leave space for cither the Evangeline or the Orinoco, Matters may come out all right, but it, the steamers now due had arrived on time there would have been trouble.

PERSONAL.

Miss G. Young, of Pennfield, is at the

Miss G. Young, of Pennfield, is at the Bufferin.

6. Wetmore Merritt left for Boston vesterday afternoon.

M. McDade went to Fredericton last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. deForest returneed last evening from Moneton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. deForest returned last evening from Monoton.
H. J. Logan, M. P., of Hants county,
N. S., was in the city yesterday.
Monoton Transcript:—Rev. Father
Labbe of College Bridge, received a
telegram on Wednesday stating that
his brother was dying from a stroke of
paralysis. Father Labbe left for his
brother's home in Quebec on the Montreal express on Wednesday night.
Mrs. George McAvity and her niece,
Miss Mamie Bilzzard, left yesterday
afternoon to spend the rest of the
winter in Thomasville, S. C., and
Florida.
Miss Maud Olive has returned to

Miss Maud Olive has returned to Fall River, Mass., to resume her duties

W. M. Bligh and W. C. Milner, Halifax, are at the Dufferin.

CATTLE SHIPMENTS. The C. P. R. Wins-Two Trains In-More Coming on Monday.

The C. P. R. cattle train won in th The C. P. R. cattle train won in the Tace from Montreat, reaching the city about half-past ten o'clock last night, or six hours ahead of the I. C. R. shipment. The latter was delayed by a couple of minor accidents, and also had the disadvantage of 268 miles longer haul. The C. P. R. brought 27 carloads, while the I. C. R. train consisted of twenty cars. The former are now in the stockyards at Sand Point, and will be loaded on the Lake Erle this evening if the steamer is ready. The I. C. R. shipment was taken to Ballast wharf, and will be transferred to the west side by the barge this afternoon. There were in all, in both epipments, 689 head of cattle.

About half-past nine o'clock this

ehipments, 689 head of cattle.

About half-past nine o'clock this morning the loading of live stock on the Monterey was completed, and the steamer sailed on the forenoon's tide. Her cargo of live stock included 888 head of cattle and 1,144 sheep.

The next shipment due in St. John is about twenty-five carloads of cattle, consisting of 394 head, for the Mongulan. These are due here on Monday.

HE MADE A MISTAKE.

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The Huggerman tried his luck in Lower Cove last night. He don't like that end of the city.

He was an elderly man this time, and the victim—she wasn't really a victim—was the emicently respectable head of the feminine branch of a family near the lower end of Germain street. She was near her own door when the amorous stranger, reaching from the darkness, folded his arms warmly around her ample waist. But he had made a mistake this time.

The lady had is her hand a solid bit of firewood and instead of making any outery, she just lifted that stick and landed the bold huggerman just once, good and hard. He let go, When he came to himself again he looked at her in a dazed way. "Served me right." he said. "Served me right." And he went away.

GRAIN SHIPMENTS.

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The present month has so far been a good one in respect to shipments of grain and during the first two weeks a larger number of bushels have been delivered from the elevator than at any time during the season.

On the first of February there were 409,253 bushels at Sand Point. Since then there have been received 435,779 bushels, and there are now in the elevator 25,720 bushels. In an 1548,312 bushels were delivered to steamers in the past twelve days and on at least two of these days the deliveries were over 100,000 bushels. This morning, while grain was being delivered to the Montercy, the conveyor belt broke, causing a delay of at least ten hours, Repairs are now being made,

VICTORIA ORDER OF NURSES The secretary treasurer, H. D. Mc-eod, St. John Branch V. O. N., ac-nowledges receipt of the following abscriptions:

mbscriptions:
Mrs. I. Wilson, \$5.00.
J. Arthur Trueman, \$5.00.
"K. T.," \$5.00.
Wm. Shaw, \$2.00.

AN INCORRECT REPORT

Editor of the Star:

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ande no dist. E. L. COFFIN, Pastor

LONDG N, Fett: 14.—Field Marshall
Sir John Simmons died yeaterday at
his reside ace at Blackwater, Hampshire. He was born in 1821.
VIENNA, Fett. 1—The Archduchess
Elizabeth, mother of the former Queen
Regent Mie in Christians of Spain, died

Morrell & Sutherland.

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NEW DRESS SKIRTS. Only \$3.98 Each.

These Skirts would be good value at \$5.00, but owing to a most advantageous purchase we can afford to sell them at the above remarkable price. They are made from good quality of black frieze cheviot, with flounce 8 inches deep in front, graduating to 14 inches at the black. Trimmed with 9 rows of tucks and 3 bands of taffeta silk. Skylish, perfect fitting skirts that will win the admiration of any woman (or man) rightly tailored from the right materials.

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Class Butter Dishes. each. Glass Sugar Bowls. each.

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UNLOADING

I started two weeks ago a Special Sale for February. I am thus far more than satisfied with the result. Even should I not sell another dollar's worth during the balance of the month, the month of February, 1903, will stand out as exceptional for the large amount of cash taken in.

I notice some other dealers are trying to imitate my prices with a cheap grade of goods. Keep in mind that these prices are for good reliable Footwear:

Men's Hip Rubber Boots, sizes 6 and 11, for \$3.50. Regular price

Men's Storm Rubbers, sizes 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, for 65c. Regular price \$1. Men's Rubbers, sizes 11 and 12, for 40c. Regular price 75c.

Men's Rubbers, all sizes, for 500. Regular price \$1.

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