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SMOKE THE GENUINE
SMALL QUEENS, 5c.

Weather Forecast: Fine and cold to-day and Wednesday.

MILL SUPPLIES.

Jenkins' Genuine Globe, Angle, Check and Blow-off VALVES, Gauge and Waste Cocks.

Jenkins' 96 Packing, Jenkins' Discs, All Sizes.

Insist on having the Genuine Jenkins Bros Goods.

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Removal Sale!

20 PER CENT, THE DISCOUNT

On Food Choppers, Rogers Bros. Silver Knives, Forks and Spoons, Celluloid Handle Steel Knives, Nickel Tea and Coffee Pots, Brass Hot Water Kettles, and many other practical, everyday household articles.

EMERSON & FISHER,
75 PRINCE WILLIAM ST.

HUTCHINGS & CO.

Are Showing some New Styles in

White Enamelled Iron Bedsteads.

Mattress and Bedding Warerooms,
101 to 107 GERMAIN STREET

"The truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth" in time telling means the time as told by the

WALTHAM WATCH

Every Waltham Watch is fully guaranteed.

DAVIS BROS., 56 Prince William Street (under Bank of Montreal)

S. ROMANOFF, 695 Main St

Who for some years managed the business of B. Myers and has now succeeded to the same, wishes to announce that he has now purchased an entirely new and up-to-date stock of Millinery, Dry Goods and Ladies' Wear in Skirts and Suits, latest styles, colors and materials. At very low prices.

Ladies' Suits, Made to Order, A Specialty.

We wish ladies to call and inspect our goods before buying, as in quality and price we can compare favorably with any other house.

TODAY'S FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Patrick Bain was held this afternoon from his late residence, 130 Pond street. Service was held in the Cathedral, Rev. R. J. Coughlan officiating. Interment took place in the New Catholic cemetery. The pall-bearers were six members of the Hibernia Knights, who attended in a body.

The remains of the late Valentine Graves were buried this afternoon at the residence of Mr. P. J. Germain, street, Rev. G. O. Gates officiating. Interment took place at Fernhill.

The remains of the late Henry Rubins were placed in their last earthly resting place, Fernhill cemetery, this afternoon. The service was conducted by Rev. Samuel Howard and Rev. Mr. Weddell.

IT WASN'T KATE THIS TIME.

The Telegraph this morning stated that "Kate Beers" was found in a doorway on Sewell street early this morning and later was locked up. The Telegraph owes an apology to Kate.

The lack of advertising judgment is often responsible for lack of business success.—Adv. Magazine World.

YOUR SPRING SUIT MADE TO MEASURE -- \$12

You can save at least \$5.00 by ordering your Spring Suit here now. We guarantee perfect satisfaction in FIT, STYLE and WORKMANSHIP. Make a choice from the largest range of Spring cloths shown in the city. Leave your measure—we do the rest.

Spring Suits To Measure, \$12 and \$15
Two Special Prices,.....

Pants To Measure, \$3.50 to \$6.50

J. N. HARVEY, Men's and Boys' Clothier
199 and 201 Union St.

JAPS ARE BETWEEN THE RUSSIANS AND THE PASS.

The Railway is Cut and Russians are Desperate, Straits---Japs Won Fierce Battle Yesterday.

Japanese Left Armies, Wednesday, March 8, via Yinkow, March 13 (delayed in transmission)—From noon until darkness yesterday the left column of Gen. Oku's army fought a desperate fight near Likampu seven miles north of the river Hun, and five miles west of the railway. The Russian forces outnumbered the Japanese three to one. The Russians who had been heavily reinforced from the south rushed out of their trenches to meet the advancing Japanese and a fierce hand-to-hand fight ensued, the soldiers using their bayonets and the officers their swords. The Russian casualties were over 10,000 killed and wounded and the Japanese a little over 3,000. The Russian dead were left on the field in heaps, among them many star officers. Last night part of the extreme left army reached the railway between Mukden and Tie Pass, destroying it, thereby preventing the trains from running north. The Russians are today retreating in large bodies along the main highway. A large Japanese force occupied the main road to cut the Russian retreat. It was fortunate that more of the left army was across the railway last night as it probably changed the outcome of the battle.

Without the railway the Russians cannot remove their wounded nor their heavy guns, which will probably fall into the hands of the Japanese. The Russians in the centre near the railway began retreating at midnight. The Japanese pursuing briskly, captured a few heavy guns and machine guns. The right wing of General Oku's army is today attacking Subjatum Station, ten miles south of Mukden. The station is well fortified with heavy weapons which were gallantly defended. The Japanese at noon occupied the village on the main highway five miles south of Mukden, continuing their pursuit of the

ROYALTY GOES VISITING

Queen Alexandra and Princess Victoria Start on a Visit to King and Queen of Portugal.

LONDON, Mar. 14.—Queen Alexandra, Princess Victoria and Prince and Princess Charles of Denmark started today for Lisbon to visit the king and queen of Portugal. The trip is largely for the benefit of the health of Princess Victoria, who recently was operated upon for appendicitis. Sir Frederick Treves, surgeon in ordinary to the king, accompanied the party. King Edward and the Prince and Princess of Wales were at the railroad station here to bid farewell to the royal travellers, who embarked on the royal yacht Victoria and Albert at Portsmouth.

MRS STANFORD'S MURDER CERTAIN.

HONOLULU, Mar. 14.—The Advertiser prints an interview with Dr. Wood, who performed the autopsy on the body of Mrs. Stanford. He says the presence of strychnine in the bottle of bicarbonate of soda refuted all of the theories of natural death. The strychnine was a foreign substance and did not belong to the preparation of bicarbonate. Dr. Wood declares that the poison was thoroughly mixed with the bicarbonate of soda by someone who was familiar with the strength and effect of strychnine. He would not say that strychnine was placed in the bottle with murderous intent. Regarding the efforts to account for symptoms on the theory of natural death, he said that he can make the arteremem symptoms or postmortem signs apply to prove that death was due to many causes.

NEW YORK STRIKE CRUSHED: MEN ACCEPT REDUCED PAY.

NEW YORK, March 14.—The traffic conditions on the elevated railroads and subway today were slightly improved over those of yesterday. All the employees of the Interborough Company, who went on a strike and whose wages had been previously advanced because of the length of their service, secured employment at the sacrifice of whatever advance in wages they had obtained. Experienced motormen were reduced from \$3.50 to \$3 a day, gatekeepers from \$1.55 to \$1.40, guards from \$1.90 to \$1.55 and conductors from \$2.40 to \$2.10. So crushed was the strike that practically the men accepted the reductions without protest and with evidences of thankfulness at securing work. Many expressed regret that they had joined in the strike and told the officers that they had done so from fear.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

Cartleton Upper flat, 153 Guildford, St. John, present occupied by Mr. Montgomery, nine rooms, modern improvements. F. E. DEMILL, Bay Shore, or address Cartleton Post Office.

WANTED—An experienced young man to solicit orders and deliver groceries. Apply to R. E. WHITE, 56-62 Wall street.

WANTED—Piano player at once. Good pay to night party. Apply 33 Charlotte street.

WANTED—A boy, 14 years of age, to work in Bakery. Apply to G. MITCHELL, 223 Brussels street.

WANTED—Damaged flour for making paste. We will send for it. Address the D. P. Brown Paper Box Co., Canterbury street.

WANTED—Girls with some experience at coat making. 182 Union street.

LOST—Strayed or stolen, one Sky Terrier, answering to the name of "Bobs." Any one harboring him after this will be prosecuted. Please return to 24 Brussels street.

WANTED—A strong boy, about 18 years old to look after a horse. Apply to 558 Main street.

DR. STOCKTON COMING HOME.

(Special to the Star.)
OTTAWA, Ont., March 14.—Dr. Stockton leaves for St. John this afternoon on a week or ten days' visit. Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick's absence from the house all day yesterday is regarded as another sign that the crisis is still on.

CIRCUIT COURT TODAY

No Criminal Business and No Jury Case —Both Juries Discharged—Small Civil Docket.

The circuit court opened at the court house at 11 o'clock today, His Honor Judge Gregory presiding. There was no criminal business. His honor charged the grand jury that it was their duty to look into all public matters, the condition of public buildings, but they reported that these matters were being very carefully attended to by the grand jury of the county court, under the able charge of Judge Forbes. The grand jury were then discharged. As there was no jury cases the petty jury was also discharged.

The following non-jury cases were entered:

Murray v. DeBury; Hanington, Teed & Hanington, for the plaintiff; C. J. Coster for defendant.

Hanson v. Town of Chatham, H. A. Powell for the plaintiff; Currey & Vincent for the defendant.

Mandell v. Kennedy, Weldon & McLean for the plaintiff; C. J. Coster for the defendant.

The two last mentioned cases were set down for trial on April 25.

Ingraham v. Brown was made a remanet. H. A. McKeown.

I. C. R. TROUBLE IS SETTLED.

Men Withdraw Objections to Extra Work.

Star's Report Contradicted by Morning Papers, is Declared Perfectly True by Supt. L. R. Ross.

The Star yesterday announced that some twenty I. C. R. freight handlers, who had been forced to work on Sunday had objected to doing so and that the matter would be discussed at their next meeting, which was held last night.

This morning's papers published a denial of the story, but admit that the matter received considerable attention at the meeting last night. The trouble in question certainly came in for much discussion last evening and this morning the men were discussing the affair from various points of view.

A prominent labor leader stated to the Star this morning that the freight handlers when asked to work on Sunday sent a delegation to L. R. Ross, the superintendent of terminals, that that gentleman said the work must be done and when the matter of double pay was brought up declined to discuss the matter, but insisted that twenty men should go to work. The men talked the matter over and decided to work and also decided to bring the matter to the attention of their union as stated in last night's Star.

Mr. Ross, when asked by the Star this morning what he had to say on the subject, laughed, and then said "Why the Star told the whole story last night."

The Star man asked if he saw what the morning papers said and he replied that he had not seen a Sun reporter, but that one of the Telegraph staff had asked him about the matter. His reply was that a delegation of two men, Thomas Moran and Thomas McLaughlin called on him Saturday and said that the men objected to work on Sunday. He explained the condition of affairs, advised the men to go to work, said he could not promise or consider any question of extra pay, but would report the matter to Montreal.

Mr. Ross said he was surprised when they called on him and asked that they get double pay. However, the matter seems to be settled, as the men worked on Sunday and from what I learn the Union seems to think that it was a fair request I made."

GRAND LODGE AT SUSSEX

Annual Session Opens Tonight—Delegates Pouring in This Morning—Mayor Will Welcome Them.

(Special to the Star.)
SUSSEX, N. B., March 14.—The Orange Grand Lodge of New Brunswick opens here tonight at eight o'clock. The delegates to the number of over a hundred arrived on this morning's trains, and as a commencement are taking in the town before starting business. The opening will take place in the Masonic Hall at eight o'clock, when his worship the mayor will read an address of welcome, followed by a similar address from the local lodge.

This session will last through Wednesday, during which time three sessions will be held. Wednesday evening the Sussex lodge will tender a dinner to the visitors in the Presbyterian Hall. The scribe's chapter opens at two o'clock this afternoon for election of officers and other business.

GAYNOR-GREEKE CASE POSTPONED.

(Special to the Star.)
MONTREAL, March 14.—The Gaynor-Greeke case was called for today but postponed for eight days at the request of the counsel for the defence. Donald MacMaster, counsel for the United States, announced, but said he would have all his witnesses here ready to proceed on March 22nd.

NORTH WEST TOWN FIRE-SWEEP.

(Special to the Star.)
WINNIPEG, March 14.—Fire last night destroyed half the town of Ponoka, Northwest Territories, including the Bank of Commerce building. The loss will amount to one hundred thousand.

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts—Light variable winds, fine today and on Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

Synopsis—No change likely at present in existing conditions. To Banks and American ports, light, variable winds.

Highest temperature during past 24 hours, 20.

Lowest temperature during past 24 hours, 1.

Temperature at noon, 20.

20 BURNED ALIVE IN N. Y. TENEMENT

Many Were Roasted to Death on Packed Fire Escapes in View of Thousands—Fearful Fight For Life.

NEW YORK, March 14.—At least a score were burned to death, several were so badly hurt that they may die, and forty others received slighter hurts, in a fire that practically destroyed a five story tenement house in Allen street early today. The fire had gained great headway before it became known to most of the tenants and the escape of many of them was cut off when too late to save themselves. Crowded fire escapes in the rear of the tenement house were largely responsible for so many deaths and injuries among its population, which approached 200 souls.

The scenes near the building after the fire was over and when the search for the dead was begun was heart-rending. Nothing so pitiable of such proportions has been seen in New York since the Sicilian disaster.

The fire started in the basement, occupied by Isaac Davis, wife and three children. Davis had been out last night and returning to his home early this morning, went into his store on the same floor just in time to see a kerosene lamp in the rear explode. A young man passing the house at the time saw the flames and gave the alarm. A policeman who heard the cries rushed to the scene and every effort was made to rouse the sleeping inmates.

The flames had spread with startling rapidity and when the persons who had been asleep on the upper floors awoke, they found themselves confronted by a wall of flames on nearly every side. Scenes of the wildest description followed when the panic stricken scores fighting for their lives, rushed for the fire escapes only to find them littered with rubbish of all description, and almost impassable. Down through this cluttered narrow passageway flowed a stream of humanity. On some of the escapes the rubbish was so closely packed that it became impossible to pass certain points and men, women and children stood literally roasting to death as the flames roared through windows around them.

In the meantime the firemen had run up ladders at other points around the building and dozens of people were being taken from the crowded fire escapes and upper windows. By this time the building was a furnace and the cries were effected in many cases only after the greatest show of bravery on the part of the firemen.

The position of those who had taken refuge on the rubbish-choked fire escapes became more desperate every minute as the flames roared through windows on every floor. They feared to jump and they could not wait until the scaling ladders reached them, so intense was the heat. Now and then one would spring to the ground with a jump and a baby swung into the arms of a policeman on the ground was immediately followed by the fear-crazed mother, who threw herself headlong. Her body struck the policeman on the head and he fell unconscious. The woman escaped unharmed by the fall, but she had been badly burned. The baby was not hurt at all.

Death was reaping a harvest on other fire escapes on the building as well at this time. At the rear, two men and two women were seen descending the fire escapes, their progress being blocked by some box or rubbish, when between the third and fourth floors, flames started up from the third floor windows, enveloped the two men and women and they fell and roasted to death. Their bodies were got down by the firemen.

On the top of the fire escape at the

SPRING HATS 1905.

There are no better hats, than

Acadian Hats.

They wear well, look well, are easy fitting, and the price is only

\$2.00.

I have other makes and other prices, but the "Acadian" is my own make.

ANDERSON, MANUFACTURER, 17 Charlotte St.

Oranges-Oranges BY AUCTION!

Consigned for Positive Sale, 100 BOXES

California Naval Oranges, at the Store of Messrs. Potts & Co., North Market St., Thursday afternoon, March 16th, at 3 o'clock, in lots to suit buyers. Terms cash.

W. S. POTTS, Auctioneer. Phone 291.

Spring and Summer Waists.

The elaborate yet dignified as well as the plainest styles in Spring and Summer Waists are now being shown in good varieties so that none should be disappointed in making a selection.

You won't pay other stores' prices when you see them.

White Lawn Waists, tucked and trimmed with Hamburg insertion, 75c. each.

White Lawn Waists, tucked with allover yokes, \$1.00 each.

White Lawn Waists, trimmed with Hamburg insertion and hemstitched tucks, \$1.00 each.

White Lawn Waists, trimmed with Hamburg and medallions, \$1.10 each.

White Lawn Waists, tucked with allover yokes, \$1.25 each.

White Swiss Allover Waists, \$1.50 each.

Cream, Black, Brown and Navy Lustre Waists, tucked back and front, \$1.90 each.

Black Satene Waists, \$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.85 each.

SHARP & McMACKIN
335 Main St., North End.

ALMOND CREAM WITH WITCH HAZEL AND BENZOIN, Heals, Softens and Whitens the Skin. 25c. Bottle.

Royal Pharmacy, KING STREET

CANADIAN PACIFIC LOW RATES. SECOND CLASS TICKETS From St. John, N. B. To Vancouver, B. C. \$86.50

COAL! COAL FOR SALE. Orders promptly filled by H. C. CURREY, Robinson Office, 77 Smythe St. Phone 1921.

WOOD Of all descriptions out in any length required. Fine quality and dry. Quarter cord in a load. SUN COAL AND WOOD CO. Tel. 1848

The Railroad is Clear. Get your Coal bins ready. E. Riley has got the BEST COAL on the market for cooking purposes at \$3.50 per load delivered.

Hard Coal. On hand: NUT HARD COAL, delivered clean and prompt. JAMES E. McGUIVERN, Agent, 333 Charlotte St.

Broad Cove Coal. Landing today. Send in your order at once. City Fuel Co., 94 Smythe St. Telephone 382.

BROAD COVE COAL. Delivered to any address. Maritime Corn Meal & Feed Mills, Corner Hanover and Erin Sts. Telephone 1185.

LAUNDRY! Family Washing, 30c., 50c. and 75c. per dozen. Goods called for and delivered. HAM LEE, 51 Waterloo Street, Cor. Paddock

EASTERN STEAMSHIP COMPANY International Division, WINTER REDUCED RATES Effective to May 1st, 1905.

St. John to Boston, \$3.50 St. John to Portland, \$3.00

COMMENCING December 15, 1904, steamer leaves St. John at 8 a. m. Thursdays for Lubec, Eastport, Portland and Boston.

FEED FLOUR! VICTOR FEED, COTTON SEED MEAL. MEGARITY & KELLEY, MARSH BRIDGE.

J. H. BURLEY, MASON AND BUILDER, Jobbing Promptly Attended to. 72 LEINSTER ST. Phone 1,581

GOOD BREAD & PASTRY & CAKES. ROBINSON'S CHOICE CONFECTIONERY. 175 Union St. By our Home Made Candles.

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PREFERENTIAL TRADE. A strong argument in favor of a preferential tariff, from an Imperial standpoint, is published in the February Empire Review, of London, England, in the form of an article by W. Frank Hatheway, of this city.

His main argument is based on the returns issued by the British Board of Trade, showing the growing balance of trade against Britain in her commerce with foreign countries, especially with the United States and proving that upon the colonies alone is depending any possible increase of British export trade.

THE PRICE AND THE PURCHASE. Killed, 26,500; wounded, 90,000; taken captive, 40,000.

There were bleeding ninety thousand, pierced by bullets, torn by shell fragments, ripped open by awful bayonets, maimed, disfigured, worse than dead, many of them: How shall the czar answer to them and theirs for the agonies he forced upon them?

What was it all for, anyway? The Russians wanted an ice-free port on the Pacific. They wanted to hold Manchuria, which they had stolen, as a base for future encroachment in the east.

Had Russia succeeded in every design, but at the expense of this battle alone, or whether or friend is a figure in that ghastly casualty list, have considered the purchase worth the price?

Mr. Pugsley declares he has a well founded belief that New Brunswick's claim to the fishery award is about to be submitted to the Supreme Court for settlement.

Col. Sam Hughes is doing a good work in blowing the backward fires of Imperialism occasionally. Though there was no possibility of having his resolution favoring Imperial Federation passed by parliament, the discussion which it provoked will give the people more matter upon which to "think imperially."

It is understood on the North Shore that Mr. McLatchey, M. P. P., for Restigouche, has the promise of the position of county court judge on the retirement this year of the judge for his district.

THE DUEL. The gingham dog and the calico cat side by side on the table sat. 'Twas half-past twelve, and what do you think?

The gingham dog went "bow-wow-wow!" And the calico cat replied "meow!"

PILLS AND PILES. A prolific cause of Piles is the use of cathartics and pills of a drastic, violent nature, which is always followed by a reaction on account of the resinous, drying properties they contain.

DOUGLAS-BRADLEY. The wedding occurred at Newton, Mass., on Wednesday, of George Townsend Douglas of Amherst, N. S., and Miss Edwards Laura Bradley, daughter of Dr. Charles W. and Mrs. Bradley, formerly of Moncton.

THE AXE IN WESTMORLAND. Postmaster at Boundary Creek Summarily Dismissed—Residents Inconvenienced— I. C. R. Employee Goin' West

MONCTON, March 13.—Nothing appears to be too small or mean for the patronage and Westmorland post office department. One of its latest acts is to dismiss the postmaster at Boundary Creek, C. Weldon, and give the job to C. A. Milton.

COBB-SEELY.—On March 10th, 1905, at 187 Jennings avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, by Rev. Charles D. Williams, Andrew R. Cobb to Myrtle Seely.

DEATHS. ALLAN.—At Ridgway, Pa., Thursday, March 9, Walter H. Allan, aged 50 years, leaving a wife and six children to mourn their loss.

DAILY DURING the winter Short's "Cherry-Chlor," Short's "Cold and Grip Cure Tablets," Short's "Head Cold Cure" (an antiseptic and Healing Salve) and Short's "Skin Cure Lotion" will be found of greatest value in the household.

ACCIDENT TO QUEBEC EXPRESS. SUSSEX, N. B., Mar. 13.—No. 154, Quebec express, met with an accident this evening coming into the Sussex yard. The rear axle on the sleeping car broke in two and dragged about four car lengths before the train was stopped.

HINTS TO PIPE-SMOKERS. Don't refill a heated pipe. Lay it away to cool; take another pipe and fill up with Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco.

LOCAL NEWS

An alarm was rung in last evening from box 312 for a slight fire in Thomas Kane's house on Rockland Road.

The death is announced of Mrs. Cynthia A. Orcutt, wife of William N. Orcutt of Malden, Mass. Mrs. Orcutt was 25 years of age and a native of Sackville, N. B.

William McIntosh will give the elementary lecture on insects at the Natural History Society rooms this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. Bates, father of ex-Governor Bates of Massachusetts, will arrive in St. John in about a week to hold special services in Centenary church.

Mr. A. Harbour, city engineer, arrived last night from Boston, bringing with him the completed construction plans for the proposed water works extension. These plans will be submitted to the council today.

It is a fine lesson in memory to note how many articles in a shop you can remember, or try to repeat these words backwards: "daerb fo nedlog elgas tuof speek telon dna ymaero stihw xis syad."

One must advertise to make business, to hold it, and to increase it.—Chas. H. Slack, Grocer, Chicago.

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DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 KING STREET. A Few Special Bargains.

Ladies' Plain Cashmere Hose. Fine quality Winter weight, full fashioned, high spliced heel and toe, seamless throughout, beautifully soft and of the best and most reliable manufacture.

Special White Wool Blankets. English make with fancy colored borders. Size 60x80 inches; regular \$3.00 quality now \$2.50 pair. Only a few pair left at this special price.

Ladies' Silk Neckwear Underpriced. 100 dozen Ladies' Stock Collars and Bows; goods worth up to 50c. now all one special price—25c. each.

White Cambric, Heavy English Make. 36 inches wide, regular 12c. cloth. Special 10 yards for \$1.00. At the price cottons are selling today this is a bargain.

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

DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street. The Attractions of Our Stores Are Their Low Prices. D. A. KENNEDY, (Successor to WALTER SCOTT.) 32-36 King Square, St. John, N. B.

A Great Clearing-Out Sale of White Lace Curtains. This sale should command the attention of every Housekeeper in want of Curtains for Spring Use.

LOOK HERE! Crues Stands, Pewterware, Silverware, Lamps and Gents' Pipes and Razors.—Handles repaired. E. P. JELICOE, 20 WATERLOO STREET.

Now is the Time TO BUY JEWELRY, Watches, Silver Goods, Cut Glass

FRANK P. VAUGHAN, ELECTRICAL ENGINEER AND CONTRACTOR, 5 Mill St., St. John, N. B.

Carefully Made Cake YORK BAKERY, 290 BRUSSELS STREET. Telephone 1457.

BURGULARS MAKE BIG HAUL. MONTREAL, March 13.—Burglars entered the factory of L. L. Michaels & Son, manufacturing jewelers, and forced open the safe, securing \$30,000 worth of manufactured and partially manufactured jewelry and gold.

HINTS TO PIPE-SMOKERS. Never get a pipe hot. Use Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco, take in the smoke slowly and the result will be cool and free-burning.

BREAK UP LA CRIPPE OR A COLD WITH Pendleton's Panacea. Directions: 1-4 Teaspoonful Panacea. 1 Teaspoonful Sugar. 1-4 Cup Milk. 1-2 Cup Hot Water. Mix well and sip frequently.

UNDERTAKING In all its details with thorough knowledge of its requirements. N. W. BRENNAN, 715 Main Street. Telephone: Day, 222 A. Nights, 222 B.

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JUST A MINUTE, PLEASE. are able to offer you many advantages in the way of foot comfort as well as Style, Durability and Low Prices.

SANBORN'S SHOE STORE, 339 Main St.

Floor Oil Cloth at Fine Prices. We are showing a full range of Floor Oil Cloth in 1 yard wide at 24c yard, 1 1/2 yards wide at 36c yard, 2 yards wide at 48c yard.

CARLETON'S. BUTTER! Choice Dairy Butter in Tubs and Slabs. Black Kidney and Snowflake Potatoes. A Lot of Cheap Apples.

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McARTHUR'S, 84 King Street.

Twice the Light at Half the Cost. The CREMO Incandescent Gas Burner gives fifty per cent more light than can be obtained from any other incandescent burner.

The St. John Auer Light Co. Ltd, 19 Market Square.

ADVERTISE IN THE STAR.

ST. JOHN STAR, TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1905.

Spring Wearables

Every day we are told there are no suits around town that equal ours in fit, finish and style.

\$10 to \$23.50.

Short Overcoats, or Toppers, are still very popular with young men— \$12 to \$18.

Raincoats that answer for clear weather, as well as when it rains— \$8.50 to \$21.50.

If you are going to have your new suit built to order let us show you our cloths from \$19 and Up.

A. GILMOUR, FINE TAILORING AND CLOTHING 68 King Street.

CLOSE AT SIX O'CLOCK; SATURDAY AT TEN O'CLOCK.

SUPERIOR SAUSAGE.

Our Sausage pleases the most fastidious. It is not overloaded with herbs and spices. Made fresh every day. For sale at nearly all Grocers and Meat Dealers.

SAUSAGE MEAT.

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END OF THE WAR IS IN SIGHT.

Russian War Council Consider Peace Proposals Today

Japan's Terms Include Retention of Port Arthur, Protectorate Over Korea and an Indemnity

WASHINGTON, Mar. 13.—When the czar calls his war council tomorrow he will be able to inform them that Japan will welcome peace on reasonable terms and will promptly name her conditions provided the received trustworthy assurances that they will be seriously considered. This the emperor has learned from friendly channels in Europe as well as the general terms acceptable to Japan. These, it is said, include the retention by Japan of Port Arthur, a Japanese protectorate over Korea, and an indemnity. From a high official the Associated Press hears that Russia has recalled her second Pacific squadron. An attaché of a Russian Embassy in Europe is quoted as expressing the belief that Kuropatkin's recent defeat will force Russia to ask for peace. Briefly these were the reports current in the diplomatic corps today and as a result of this important information Washington believes tonight that Russia and Japan are on the verge of peace. If it be true that the second Pacific squadron has been recalled, even admit that this is a strong indication that Oyama's mighty blow has made for peace. Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, is the notable exception in the group of foreign envoys here. "However generous the terms which Japan might offer," the ambassador said tonight, "Russian prestige is not among them. That is one thing for which the war will be fought to the end. Victory for the Russian arms will alone make for peace. If not at Tokio is the capital from which the world must hope for peace proposals. Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister, said today in the most emphatic manner that Japan had directly proposed peace. He did not deny that

neutral powers through their envoys from time to time had sounded Japan as to the terms on which she would accept peace, but those, he said, necessarily changed with the progress of hostilities, the intimation being that Russia could have obtained better terms after the fall of Port Arthur than after the capture of Mukden. If the Japanese government were assured that peace proposals would be considered by Russia there is authority for the statement that Japan would respond immediately. But she will insist that these assurances shall be of the most positive character. Japan's experience in negotiations preceding the war, it is said, will make her exceedingly cautious in the future. She will insist that such assurances shall come from the Russian government and not from this or that party, or this or that friend of the emperor. Officials here expect that by tomorrow St. Petersburg will have fully comprehended the extent of Oyama's victory and then will make known its decision regarding the continuance in the decision regarding the continuance of the war in the face of Mukden's fall. PEACE NEGOTIATIONS. LONDON, March 13.—While reports of peace negotiations are not confirmed to the foreign office or the Russian or Japanese embassies, a distinct change of opinion obtains in diplomatic circles, where heretofore talk of propositions for peace have been always minimized, but where now peace is evidently expected. This change is particularly noticeable at the Russian embassy, where it was stated to the Associated Press today that it was probable Emperor Nicholas, influenced by public sentiment, might consent to negotiations. The embassy said the Associated Press St. Petersburg despatches today summed up the situation correctly. It was said at the embassy that certainly no negotiations had hitherto been attempted by either of the belligerents, but "when negotiations commence it will not be through another power, but direct with Japan." At a neutral embassy however, the opinion was expressed today that the German emperor will be the peacemaker for Russia.

OTTAWA, March 13.—Chas. H. Kitchin, who for the last three years represented the Lake of the Woods Milling Co. in South Africa, has been appointed commercial agent for Canada there, vice Jardine, recently deceased. Kitchin is a Montreal man.

AMHERST, N. S., Mar. 13.—Commercial men who arrived here today are very indignant at the action of the hotel men in closing their doors. The claim that a fire is necessary to demolish them they consider as an insult. The prompt action of the citizens in meeting them they consider as an insult. The prompt action of the citizens in meeting them they consider as an insult.

QUEENSTOWN, March 14.—The Cunard line steamer Lucania (which sailed for New York Sunday morning) and returned to the port Sunday night with her starboard hawse pipe and a plate below it damaged) resumed her voyage at 6 o'clock this morning after having effected repairs.

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THE CHILDREN OF THE PASSION-PLAYERS. Writing of the children of Oberammergau, the sometimes-to-be actors in the famous Passion Play, Mrs. Charles D. Crevdson says in the April Delineator: "Through their relation to the Passion Play the children of Oberammergau are unique. Yet I have found them, just of themselves, possessors of an unusual power to please and interest, graced with an Old-World charm of manner, versatile in talent, full of religious fervor and imagination, humorous and frolicsome, at one and the same time children and little men and women of the world. . . . To these young lives the marvellous Passion Play comes not as something alien, it is their birthright, their idol, their pastime. Absolutely unaware of any irreverence, they play 'Passion Play' just as other boys and girls play circus. Once I found them on the village meadow rehearsing some of the scenes of the Passion Play. Each child understood the sequence of the whole drama, and most of them knew by heart the words of one or more roles. Stage properties were not lacking where they were children's childhood and imagination; stage-setting there was of the pillared mountains and the shimmering blue curtains of haze that draped them. Having them rehearse with the transcendent gray hazel eyes and amber-dipped ringlets, gave the 'Entry into Jerusalem,' riding a big St. Bernard in the midst of the band of children. The Sanhedrin assembled on some abandoned kegs. Calapha, perched a keg higher than his companion, spoke his part fluently. Judas pocketed thirty pieces in tin in a manner that showed careful study of his grown-up prototype. "Every girl in Oberammergau supplicates that she may one day be deemed worthy to play the Holy Virgin. And surely will an answer come to the invocation of one of these children, who helped to play the 'Leaving of Bethany.' Perhaps the same child-Mary who laid her head upon the child-Christ will, in six years, move multitudes to sob, in the great theatre."

A PLEASING ANNOUNCEMENT. The announcement that the W. S. Harkins Company are to open an engagement at the Opera House commencing Monday, March 20, is a most pleasing one. The W. S. Harkins Company has an established reputation for bringing good companies and good plays, and this time he will certainly give a most enjoyable performance. He is guaranteed to produce a hearty laugh every minute of his action. Nearly everybody enjoys a good laugh and those who do should not fail to see A Stranger in a Strange Land. The Harkins Company is a very strong one, and as they have been playing together for some months there will be an entire absence of "prompting" which is so annoying to theatre goers.

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THE COURIER OF THE CZAR

By Jules Verne

(Continued.)

After a reasonable halt they continued their journey once more on the afternoon of the 8th of September.

The distance to Irkutsk was not more than 500 versts. Nothing in their rear signified the advance guard of the Tartars.

Michael Strogoff had therefore settled down to think that his journey would not again be interrupted and that in eight days or in ten at the most he would be in the presence of the grand duke.

In coming out of Biorouinsk a hare crossed the road about thirty paces in front of the kibitka.

"What is the matter, friend?" asked Michael Strogoff eagerly, as a blind man whom the least noise held on the watch.

"Did you not see?" said Nicholas, whose smiling face suddenly became cloudy.

"Ah, no, you could not see, and it is happy for you, good father!"

"But I have seen nothing," said Nadia.

"So much the better! So much the better! But I have seen!"

"What was it, then?" asked Michael Strogoff.

"A hare that came across our path," answered Nicholas.

In Russia when a hare crosses the path of a traveler popular belief looks upon it as a sign of approaching evil.

Nicholas, superstitious as are the greater part of the Russians, had stopped the kibitka.

Michael Strogoff understood the hesitation of his companion, although he did not share his credulity regarding hares crossing the path, and he wished to reassure him.

"I have nothing to fear, friend," he said to him.

"Nothing for you, for her, I know, good father," answered Nicholas, "but for me!"

And, continuing, said he: "It is my destiny."

And he again put his horse to the test.

They dug him across a horse, and the detachment set off at a gallop.

The cord which tied Michael Strogoff, gnawed by him, broke at an unexpected dash of the horse, and its rider, half drunk, carried away in a quick run, did not even perceive it.

Michael Strogoff and Nadia found themselves alone on the road.

CHAPTER XV. MICHAEL STROGOFF and Nadia were once more free, as they had been during the journey from Perm to the banks of the Irkutsk.

It was 10 o'clock at night. For the last three hours and a half the sun had disappeared below the horizon.

"To Irkutsk," he answered.

"By the highroad?"

Nadia took the hand of Michael Strogoff, and they once more set out on their journey.

Next morning, Sept. 12, twenty versts farther, at the town of Toulouovskoe, both halted for a short time.

During that day they had to pass the little stream of the Oka, but it was fordable, and that passage offered no difficulty.

But, contrary to what Michael Strogoff had perhaps hoped, there was not any longer a single beast of burden in the country.

Several times Nadia was obliged to stop. Michael Strogoff then took her in his arms, and for the moment, not having to think of Nadia's fatigue, while carrying her he marched more quickly and with his untiring pace.

On the 15th of September, at 10 o'clock at night, both reached at length Kimilteskoe. From the top of a hill Nadia perceived a line a little less dark on the horizon. It was the Dinka.

Suddenly they stopped, as if their feet had stepped into some crevice in the ground.

"Do you hear?" said Nadia.

"Then came a lamentable cry, a cry of despair, like the last appeal of a human being who is about to die."

"Nicholas!" cried the young girl, urged on by some evil foreboding.

"Come, Michael, come!" said Nadia.

"Have we left the road?" said Michael Strogoff, feeling that he was treading no longer the dusty road, but the open grass field.

steps to there die of hunger and thirst and perhaps to be torn into pieces by the fangs of wolves or the beaks of birds of prey.

It was there the Tartars had interred their prisoner for three days. For three days Nicholas had been waiting for succor, which had come at last too late.

The vultures had perceived that head exposed to the sun's rays, and for some hours the dog defended his master against those ferocious birds.

Michael Strogoff dug the earth with his clasped hands to release it from that imprisoned body.

The eyes of Nicholas, closed until then, once more opened themselves.

"Adieu, friends, I am happy to have seen the sun for the first time."

At that moment a great noise was heard on the road about half a verst away.

Michael Strogoff listened.

By the noise he knew at once that a detachment of cavalry was advancing toward the Dinka.

"Nadia, Nadia!" said he in a low voice.

At his voice Nadia, who had remained in prayer, rose up.

"You see them! You see them!" he said to her.

"The Tartars!" she murmured.

It was indeed the advance guard of the empire which was drilling quickly on the road to Irkutsk.

"They shall not prevent me from entering him," said Michael Strogoff.

And he continued his march with his hands joined on his breast, was laid in the tomb. Michael Strogoff and Nadia, kneeling down, prayed the last time for that poor being, good and innocent, who through devotedness to them had lost his life.

"And now," said Michael, throwing back the earth, "the wolves of the steppe and the birds of prey will devour his hand stretched in menace toward the troop of horsemen which was passing."

"On our journey, Nadia," he said below the highroad, now occupied by the Tartars. He must throw himself across the steppe and turn Irkutsk. In doing this they would have to cross the Dinka and thus would be relieved from one great anxiety.

Nadia could no longer drag herself along, but she could see for him. He took her in his arms and struck into the southern part of the province.

Then he remained for them to travel more than 200 versts. How could it be done? How could food be found on the journey?

By what supernatural energy would the journey be passing the first slopes of the Sayansk mountains? Neither Nadia nor he could tell.

MARLBOROUGH LODGE AT HOME. Members Entertained Their Friends Last Evening.

The members of Marlborough Lodge, Sons of England, held an at home last evening in the Foresters' Hall.

A FINE STEAMER. The str. Lady Ellen, 1,000 tons gross, was launched yesterday in Port Glasgow, Scotland.

TEMPLE OF HONOR. Early in February S. E. Logan, D. M. W. L., started on a crusade in the interests of Junior Temple of Honor.

SOLDIERS FOR QUEBEC. Sergt. Smith, who has been in the city during the past week recruiting men for military service in Quebec.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP. The St. John Conservative Club will tonight discuss the following resolution, moved by Fred A. Dykeman.

INJURED BY TERRORISTS. ST. PETERSBURG, March 13.—Further terrorist attempts are reported.

THERE'S A REASON. A rainbow in the sky is a symbol of purity and perfection of color.

DAVID W. ROBB OF AMHERST, N. S. member of the Nova Scotia Yacht Club squadron, has purchased the keel of the sch. Adrienne from Henry P. Smith of Boston.

I increased my advertising immediately and have been doing so ever since.—A. A. Hendrickson, Hendrickson Wire Machine Co., N. Y.

PARLIAMENT ON IMPERIALISM Sam Hughes' Imperial Federation Resolution Presented

Lively Discussion—Laurier Requests Withdrawal of Resolution and Mr Hughes Agrees—R. L. Borden in Favor

OTTAWA, March 13.—This being private members' day in the commons there was nothing done of general interest up to six o'clock, although at times the debates were spicy.

Most of the time was occupied by Col. Sam Hughes in a patriotic speech supporting his resolution of Jan. 12th, to wit: "That in the opinion of the house the best interests of Canada and the Empire at large would be advanced, and peace, progress and prosperity of humanity be assured, by full partnership union of Great Britain and her colonies, wherein there would be a united imperial parliament, empowered to deal with inter-imperial, international, commercial, financial and other necessary national problems, but leaving to existing parliaments their present powers, functions, control of tariff, and other matters necessary for their own purposes."

MacPherson, liberal, of Vancouver, replied to Col. Hughes in one of the most senseless speeches heard in parliament in recent years.

Logan of Cumberland introduced his bill to punish with heavy penalties all Canadians who offered false representations to induce immigrants to flock into the dominion.

Mr. Foster announced that the certificate declaring Dr. Thompson's election in the Yukon had just reached his hands.

Replying to Mr. Foster this afternoon, the minister of finance said the estimated cost of the equipment of the Royal Canadian Mint in machinery and appliances for coinage is \$400,000 a year.

Bruneau, liberal, of Richelieu, followed at 9 o'clock, in French, contending that the idea of colonial representation in Great Britain's parliament was originated by a French Canadian and not by a Briton, an Irishman or a Scot, but putting himself aside by side with Labouchere and Burke against any such proposition.

OTTAWA, March 13.—At 10:15 Laurier took the floor and suggested the withdrawal of Col. Hughes' resolution.

There is a Market-Place Where You May Buy "Peace of Mind."

If You Are "Pinched for Money," and yet own something which you would like to turn into cash—if you could do it "quietly and privately," or,

If Your Tenant is Always in Arrears, and your house is good enough to attract a desirable tenant; or,

If Your Employees are Careless of your interests, and too secure of their "pull" with you; or

If Your Wife is Growing Old through trying to "manage" incompetent or wasteful servants; and these things get on your nerves, then

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confederation; it has been distributed to all members and senators of the Canadian parliament. It is to others, whom generally and in what quantities; how many in all have been printed, and how many distributed?"

The prime minister replied that the author of the pamphlet was Hon. R. W. Scott, but it was not official. The pamphlet had been sent to members of the senate and of the house of commons and a few others who asked for them. About 500 were distributed in this way.

The minister of finance stated that the government has no official information that many suits are pending in England against the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Company of New York, which was set up by Laurier.

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Free Hemming on all Household Linens and Cottons will be continued until the end of March.

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STR. KASTALIA ARRIVES. Shipment of Splendid Horses Landed in Good Condition.

The Donaldson liner Kastalia, which left Glasgow Feb. 29, arrived in port this morning after a stormy passage.

An interesting part of her cargo is a consignment of six splendid Clydesdale stallions and one filly from the Whitecross Stud Farm, East Kilbride, near Glasgow.

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EXCELLENT VALUES IN TOILET SOAPS. Old Brown Windsor, 1c and 2c; Transparent Glycerine, 2c, 2 for 5c; Fairy Soap, 2 in box, 4c; Oatmeal Soap, 3 in box, 10c; Grey Oatmeal, 3 in box, 15c; Cucumber, 3 in box, 15c; June Rose, 3 in box, 15c; Lily White Castile, 5c each; Fairy Soap, 4c each; Lifebuoy Soap, 5c; Monkey Brand Soap, 5c; Good Shaving Soap, 4c; Williams' Shaving Soap, 5c; Taylor's Barber's Soap, 15c.

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LOCAL NEWS.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

All changes of Ads Must be in Star Office, Not Later than 10 o'clock in the Morning, to insure insertion Same Evening.

The Carleton Cadet Corps will meet this evening for regular drill.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Carleton F. B. church last evening visited the Young People's Society of the Carleton Baptist Church. There was a good attendance.

The schooners Mincola, Capt. Forsyth, and Arthur Gibson, Capt. Murray, are now on their way from San Domingo to New York with cargoes of sugar.

The Church of England Teachers' Association will hold their regular bi-monthly meeting in St. Paul's church school house this evening at eight o'clock.

Today about noon a street car No. 30 was coming down King street, both brakes slipping, causing it to fall, causing some little delay, but the service was not crippled to any extent.

An auction sale of 10,000 rolls of wall paper, all the latest designs and best quality at sharp ten o'clock tomorrow morning. Goods delivered after 10 o'clock. North End Department Store, 565 Main street.

The fire sale at James A. Tufts & Son has attracted a large number of buyers. Still they have great bargains left in china, glassware, dolls and toys.

Tomorrow's sale will include a fine lot of penknives, soap, playing cards, school bags and whisks.

The St. John Primary Union for Sunday school teachers will meet tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock in the parlor of Centenary church, Mrs. W. C. Mathews will teach the lesson, "Hiding of the Manna in the Wilderness," and the talk of from Black's Primary Plans will be continued.

Tomorrow evening Fraternal Temple No. 8 Temple of Honor will hold its fortnightly meeting, at which a full attendance is expected. The Grand Temple and some members of Victoria Temple will attend in the nature of a fraternal visit.

On Friday last, the wedding occurred in Cleveland, Ohio, of Miss Myrtle Seely, daughter of Alfred Seely, of this city, to Andrew R. Cobb, of Wolfville, N. S., who is entering upon a promising career as an architect in Cleveland. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Charles D. Williams.

Thursday evening will be a gala one in Union Hall, North End, when the members of Alexandra Temple of Honor will entertain their friends. It will be an anniversary occasion and the Templars have prepared a very attractive programme, one of the features of which will be a minstrel circle.

Last evening the teachers of the Carleton Baptist Sunday school gathered at the home of Mrs. A. R. Allaby, Duke street, who is about to move to Salisbury, and presented Mrs. Allaby with a handsome oak rocker as a token of esteem and affection.

There was an officers' council yesterday afternoon to make arrangements for the reception and series of meetings in connection with the visit of Commissioner Coombes on the 18th inst.

Six of the English families who arrived here by steamer Lake Erie were forwarded last evening by the Salvation Army to Glouce Bay, where all have been promised profitable work.

Col. Sharp, Col. Taylor and Major Phillips saw them off at the railway. There was a military council yesterday afternoon to make arrangements for the reception and series of meetings in connection with the visit of Commissioner Coombes on the 18th inst.

On the last Thursday of the month a Conquest Meeting of a missionary character will be held in the vestry of Main street Baptist church by the Y. P. Union. The Great Northwest will be the subject and there will be papers upon the work and prospects in that section of Canada.

The I. C. R. employees under the personal supervision of L. R. Ross, are making strenuous efforts to clear the local yard and if all goes well will have everything working in good shape so that the various merchants will soon have goods that were shipped to them many weeks ago.

Some days ago the I. C. R. yard master was taken ill and Mr. Ross at once took personal charge. He has the work now so well advanced that little further trouble is expected.

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SUBSCRIPTIONS ACKNOWLEDGED

H. D. McLeod, secretary-treasurer St. John branch V. O. N., begs to acknowledge receipt of the following subscriptions: W. M. Jarvis \$5.00, Miss Chandler 2.00, J. G. Taylor 5.00, Mrs. J. P. McIntyre 5.00, Mrs. Harriet Peters 5.00, R. C. Elkin 1.00, Mrs. Isaac Burpee 5.00.

LICENSE COMM'R'S VIOLATED LAW

Granting of Licence to Savage Was Irregular.

That Was the Trend of the Evidence Given in Eben Perkins' Case This Morning.

The information of Eben Perkins against the License Commissioners of St. John was taken up in the police court this morning. H. W. Robertson appeared for Mr. Perkins. W. H. Trueman for the commissioners, and E. S. Ritchie for M. T. Colahan, the purchaser of the Harris property.

William J. Savage was the first witness. He swore that he keeps a bar at 265 Main street, and produced the certificate under which he sells. This certificate was dated on Feb. 1st, 1905, for three months in that date. He said that he got the certificate about Feb. 22nd, 1905. When asked under what authority he sold before Feb. 22nd, Mr. Trueman objected that the answer would incriminate the witness. His honor remarked that the witness would not be incriminating himself merely as he was selling without a license it would be known, "as there is such a thing as a police force, who are sworn to report all violations of the law and sure they have not forgotten all the rules!"

Continuing, Mr. Savage said his license expired on Jan. 31st, last, and he had applied for a license on Jan. 22nd. He made application in writing to Inspector Jones for a license on January 18th. He had a conversation with Mrs. Harris in reference to getting her license, and paid her \$75 for a transfer of it to him, but on finding that the law would not permit the transfer, it was returned. He paid Col. Blaine \$75 for the certificate. He said he had no license signed by the provincial secretary, or any other authority to sell except the certificate produced.

Inspector J. B. Jones was next called. He identified the signatures of Blaine and Linton, and himself on the certificate granted to Savage. He testified that he knew of no petition being presented for the license issued to Savage. On January 15th Savage spoke to the witness about a license, and the witness wrote out an application which Savage took away with him, and which was not handed in to the commissioners till it was handed in by W. H. Trueman, after this action was commenced.

He read a resolution of the commissioners on Dec. 29th, 1904, deciding not to renew licenses to Savage and others. The matter came up again on January 24, when Mr. Ritchie appeared for Colahan and Mr. Trueman for Savage, and asked that the Harris license be transferred to their clients, and the commissioners decided to give Savage a license on the first vacancy.

About February 20 Mrs. Harris surrendered her license, and Commissioner Blaine and Linton decided without holding a meeting, to give the license to Savage on the strength of which Mr. Jones made out the certificate, which Savage produced. There were no grounds for granting Savage a license before Feb. 20, and 30 days notice of the special grounds were not given as required by the law. No petitions for licenses have been presented for the past year or two. The inspector presented no recommendation to the commissioners that Savage was a proper person to get a license, nor was any certificate presented as required by section 12 of the Liquor Act, nor was the \$75 paid into the bank to the credit of the "Liquor License Fund," as required by the act; nor was the application heard before the board. He stated that there are only 15 tavern licenses in St. John, including the license granted to Savage.

The inquiry was here adjourned to Friday, 19 a. m.

FREIGHT JAM IN I. C. R. YARD

Yard Now About Clear of Snow and Goods Will be Delivered—900 Cars Were Stuck.

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KILLED ON CENTRAL RAILWAY.

Young Italian Crushed to Death Between Engine and Tender of Snow Train Last Sunday.

A young Italian by the name of Jas. Pitt, was crushed to death on the Central railway near Chipman on Sunday last while assisting in the clearing of that road.

The young man who had been employed as a miner at Minto, had been working with a tunneling gang on the Central for several days. The line was open on Sunday and Sunday morning the men started to continue the work through to Minto.

As the train carrying the workmen ran out of Chipman, Pitt was standing between the engine and the tender. He was warned by the foreman that his position was dangerous, but persisted in remaining there. The engine had only gone a short distance from Chipman, when it butted into a snow bank, bringing up solid with such force that the tender and engine were jammed together, crushing Pitt between them and seriously injuring him internally.

He was brought back to Chipman about Sunday noon, and medical aid summoned, but his injuries were so serious that nothing could be done and he died about four o'clock.

THIS EVENING.

Fiske Stock Company at the Opera House. Dale's English Opera Singers at York Theatre. Meeting in Calvin church. Meeting of the Natural History Society. Meeting of the St. John Conservative Club. Meeting of the Tinsmiths at eight o'clock.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Mar. 14th—Arr'd Sch Clara A Benner, from West Isles. ST MARTINS, NB, Mar 13—Sld sch Albani, for St John; cargo, lumber. CAMPOBELLO, NB, Mar 13—Sld sch Aurora, for St John; merchandise, passengers and mails.

PERSONALS.

The body of William Gibson, aged sixty, who died on board the steamer Lake Erie, was forwarded yesterday to Winnipeg for interment.

Miss Florence Jones has returned to her home in Petticoat, after spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Belyea.

R. J. McKee and R. Heffern, of Perth, are registered at the Park Hotel. Bishop Cameron, of Antigonish, will leave for Rome, March 21.

James P. Carley, of the Bank of British North America, has gone to his home in Toronto on a three months' visit.

Robert Murray, M. P. P., elect for Northumberland, will take his seat in the legislature on Wednesday. W. A. Carroll, of St. John, is at the Queen today—Fredericton Herald.

Louis R. Warwick, chief steward of the Crawford House, Boston, is in the city on a visit and will remain for a couple of weeks before returning to his duties.

Arthur G. Abnettie, chief clerk of the Dufferin Hotel, left last evening for Sydney to take his new position there. E. L. Rising, of Waterbury & Rising, arrived home last night after a business trip to Quebec, Montreal and Boston. He was a passenger yesterday on the C. P. R. express which was delayed by the accident to a freight train near Kingman (Me.) yesterday.

Rev. H. D. Worden, for the past year pastor of the Baptist church at Vanceboro, is in the city for a few days. He is on his way to his new charge in Nova Scotia.

Miss Slipp of Douglas avenue, North End, has returned from Boston, after a very pleasant visit among friends. Miss Besse Goddard, of Elgin, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fitzpatrick, of Duke street, West End.

C. P. R. ENGINES COLLIDE.

About 7.30 o'clock last evening C. P. R. Engineer Bartlett was taking his locomotive, No. 1209, into the roundhouse at Bay Shore, when it took a sudden start; at the same time Engineer Henderson was bringing No. 970 out of the roundhouse and the two engines met on the turntable, tenders on the ends of both were badly smashed.

No. 970 was driven against the roundhouse, making a large hole in the wall. Engineer Bartlett jumped from the cab and received a shaking up and a bad cut on the ear, while Robert Hickey, a lad of Fairville, who was working in the roundhouse, had his arm broken. Engineers Henderson and the two firemen escaped unhurt.

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Two Watch Bargains.

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Waltham, 15 Jewels, in Gold Filled Case, warranted 20 years, \$10.00

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