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KUROPATKIN'S FATE A MATTER OF HOURS.

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If so His Successor Will be Either Grand Duke Nicholas or General Dragomiroff Both Expierenced Officers

LONDON, March 2. - The Times' Russian correspondent telegraphs that he hears a war council will be held at St. Petersburg about March 5 to decide whether General Kuropatkin shall be called. He adds that Grand Duke Nicholas or General Dragomiroff, the hero of the Russo-Turkish war, are mentioned as possible successors.

A STUBBORN FIGHT.

day, March 1 .- (Delayed in transmission).-A stubborn fight is waging on the left wing. Vigorous attacks of the Japanese on the village of Kudaza which attacked the Japanese from the west after two passes had been occupied. This column was hard pressed slaughts. To the westward the Japanese made a night attack on Kutal ford's secretary, said today: Some of the assaults were repulsed, but at 9 a. m. the Russian advance guard vacated two outward orts which had been destroyed by Jap-

DESPERATE FIGHTING.

GENERAL OKU'S HEADQUART-ERS, Feb. 28, 4 p. m., via Fusan, March 1.—Last night five companies of Russian infantry attacked Lantin, aided by a terrible artillery fire. After desperate hand to hand fight-ing which lasted for an hour and a half the Russians were repulsed, leaving sixty dead. Many tropies were taken as well as ome prisoners The Japanese loss did not exceed sixty. Small detachments of Russians also attacked at many other points, n every case they were repulsed.

A VERY ANGRY WOMAN

Mrs. Nairn, of Erin Street, Does Not Approve of Her Stepson's Choice.

"The Star is requested to state that the woman who has been going around begging alms in the name of Mrs. John Nairn, 44 Erin street, is not Mrs. Nairn but a person by the name of Sadie

This notice was left in the Star ofe early this morning, but everything did not seem quite right and a reportr stepped down to see Mrs. Nairn. When it was read to her she became highly indignant. "I don't know anything about it," she said, "I don't know any Sadie Ray, and I am sure I have-

n't been begging." play such a trick, a light burst upon her and she exclaimed, "It's Josie Duplessis, who lives with my stepson Herbert, who did this, she and that

"I'm a decent, honest, hard working oman, and I can show many proofs of it, but I married into a bad family, ally recovered. Miss Berner says Mrs. and I have had nothing but trouble ever since. The stepchildren have been trying to get into this house and live on us, but my husband and I have kept When the reporter left the house. Mrs Nairn was preparing to go out and fully investigate the affair.

HAS BEEN NO DELAY

Mayor White Says the Draft of the Bill for the Water Extension is Nearly Completed.

Mayor White, in speaking to the Star his morning, said that the report in the morning papers to the effect that the bill for the extension of the water system to Loch Lomond had been relegated to the background was incor Much work has been done upon the bill, and the provisional draft is out completed along the lines sugrested by Engineer Barbour and his orship, and will be ready shortly for the water and sewerage board.

The reason that it was not brought up at yesterday's meeting was owing to the mayor's unavoidable absence. and it was deemed better to wait until complete draft had been set before of the association will meet with the was adopted 235 to 175. board, so that something definite most general approval. ould be discussed.

The mayor does not wish the public to think that those in charge have been at all lax, on the contrary, the recordthe work.

GENERAL BOOTH'S TOUR.

LONDON, March 2-General Booth. the Salvation Army, started today n his first visit to Jerusalem, where he will hold an open meeting on Mount Calvary. Thence he will go to Australia and New Zealand on a farevell visit. Hundreds of Salvationists gathered at Victoria railroad station at the time of the general's departure

SENATOR'S WIDOW POISONED. LAURIER'S TROUBLES

Stanford ot San Francisco

HONOLULU, March 1.-Mrs. Jane Report That Hon. W. S. Field-Lathrop Stanford of San Francisco. widow of United States Senator Star ford died at 11.40 o'clock last night forty minutes after she was taken ill at the Moana Hotel here, under sus picious circumstances, pointing, in the ion of the physician who attended her in her dying hour and seem-ingly in that of others, to poisoning by the administration of strychnine in a vial of bi-carbonate of soda. Mrs. Stanford herself, when foun by a guest of the hotel who had heard

her groaning in her agony and suffering from convulsions, declared: "I have been poisoned," and her last words were: "This is a horrible death to die." The physicians say that between

convulsions Mrs. Stanford repeated the assertion that she had been poisoned and said it was the second time the attempt had been made, the first time being in January at her San Francisco home, and that it was this attempt that caused her to come to Honolulu. An autopsy on the remains showed the cause of death was tetanus of the respiratory organs, but how this was brought about will not be known unmaintain their position by reason of the intervention of a relief column tents of the stomach, the result of which examination will probably be

known tomorrow. by the Japanese and suffered great containing the bi-carbonate of soda losses. It advanced in detachments to bears the label of Charles Felle & Co., the neighborhood of Ubenupusa and 60 King William street, Adelaide, Auswas attacked thrice during the night, but it is believed that it has but repulsed all the Japanese on-"We went to a picnic yesterday and Little Time Being Lost in Repairing the

were planning to go today to Haleiwa, a suburban resort. "We returned to the hotel at four anese artillery, and retired to better o'clock and Mrs. Stanford retired to fortified positions. The Japanese attacked Nanshanpu in the Khandsien district at 6 a. m., but were repulsed. as she was not

> maid, May Hunt, whom she had recently employed. She then said to main between Sydney and Charlotte me, 'I shah retire and take my medi-streets has been abandoned, and the cine; please get it for me.' "I got a teaspoonful of bi-carbonate ten inch main. The process of dig-

of soda, one purgative tablet and a bottle of mineral water. Mrs. Stanford forgot to take the medicine and eight tons of coal is consumed in a lay down and slept. As soon as she awoke she took the medicine and again "Mrs. Stanford soon thereafter was seized with convulsions which threw her out of bed. The maid and myself cessful. The city supply of water

her out of bed. The maid and myself came in answer to her call, as did also the guest of a nearby room.

"She said 'I am poisoned.' The conforts of her physician. The bi-carbonate of soda was purchased by me at Adelaide some years ago but I to waste to prevent their pipes from freezing. Since November last there has been but a little over three inches of rain.

Adelaide some years ago, but I think it has been refilled for Mrs. Stamford at San Francisco-I don't know by what druggist." HONOLULU, March 1, 3 p. m .- The chemist's report of the analysis of the bi-carbonate of soda, of which

An Interesting Game of Curling .o Mrs. Stanford took a dose shortly before her death, states positively that HONOLULU, March 1, 10.10 p. m. (Delayed in transmission.) Mrs. High-

ton, wife of Henry E. Highton, the well known San Francisco lawyer, says that Mrs. Stanford cried when telling her of the attempt which had been made to poison her in San Francisco, and that she could not conceive why anyone should try to do so. During Stanford said she believed in spirits and intended to establish a department at Stanford University for the investigation of psychic phenomena, Miss Berner, her secretary, says in regard to the alleged attempt at poisoning in San Francisco, that Mrs. Stanford worthless husband of hers, and I'll drank a glass of mineral water with have them in jail for it as sure as there nine of which made her violently il so much strychnine being absorbed that the stomach rebelled and she fin-Stanford's maid, Mary Hunt, agrees with her in their statements to the police that the bottle containing the strychnine was packed in San Francisco five weeks ago, preparatory to coming here and that it remained untouched since then until it was opened last night by Mrs. Stanford, before

taking the dose. On arriving here from San Francisc on the steamer Korea, Mrs. Stanford said that she had left San Francisco unexpectedly and in a great hurry.

Keep yourself continually before the -Geo. H. Flint, R. H. White Co., Boston.

Y. M. C. A. BUILDING FUND. Movement to Raise the Balance of the Sixty Thousand Needed.

A determined effort will be made to raise the remainder of the \$60,000 required for the new Y. M. C. A. building, and plans are now being formulated for a monster affair. It is not yet known what form of entertains will be decided upon, but it is likely ed closure under which the address in

Lady Tilley is at the head of the movement and the idea is to have all the city churches assist in the affair.

A general committee will be formed the city, four or five delegates being sixty people were more or less hurt tee will meet next Wednesday after- trains on the Washington, Alexandria noon and will decide definitely in re-

gard to the form of entertainment and Park station last night. the date for holding it. Already several churches have selected their representatives, and favorable replies have been given by nearly all the others in response to the ap-

In advertising, like in all other house of a peasant near Ausser, Villand bade him an enthusiastic good- things, persistency wins.-M. V. Kel- graten. The other occupants, who ley, Majestic Mfg. Co., St. Louis.

NICHOLLS-WOOD.

ing Has Resigned.

Bill that Will be Satisfactory

ance minister is not opening his mouth and Laurier is likewise dumb. It is elaborate.

generally believed that Fielding will

stick to the ship and that some changes

will be made in the school and land

Last night's conference over the au-

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Miss T. McLaren. C. E. Merritt.

Miss L. Robertson, S. W. Palmer,

THE BRITISH COMMONS

LONDON, March 2.-After defeating

by a majority of 49, an amendment pro-

John Redmond declared that it was a disgrace that the government could

rate to carry out a much needed re-form. When the division was called

amid nationalist jeers. Mr. Donelan's

amendment was rejected by a vote of

228 to 184. Premier Balfour then mov-

TODAY'S CASUALTIES.

killed was Frederic Schneider of Mari-

condition of none of the injured is ser-

etta, Pa. So far as ascertained, the

Six children were killed today by an avalanche, which overwhelmed the

were injured, were extricated alive.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., March 2 .- One

the Ulster unionists left the

not provide money at a reasonable

selected as follows:

Ladies.

Mrs. Williams,

Mrs. Thorne,

Miss Armstrong,

Mrs. Patterson,

Mrs. Pullen,

match of twelve ends. The rinks have

A. H. Campbell,

J. S. Gregory,

F. D. Miles.

F. J. Likely,

R. S. Orchard,

but so far the modifications propos

kickers down easy.

ARE INCREASING. Pretty Wedding at Sackville This Afternoon-Some St. John People

Present.

(Special to the Star.)
SACKVILLE, N. B., March 2.—The
marriage of Dora Beatrice, second daughter of Senator and Mrs. Wood, takes place at 4.30 this afternoon, to takes place at 4.30 this afternoon, to Edw. Nicholls, assistant editor of the Toronto World. Rev. Geo. Steel officiating. There will be about fifty guests, including Mr. and Mrs. White, of Toronto, and Mrs. Dr. Daniel, of St. John.

The bride will be handsomely gowned in white hand-made Brussels lace over a mount carried is \$31,224,079. OTTAWA, March 1.—It is currently chiffon and silk. The bridesmaids will be Hester, sister of the bride, and Lena, daughter of H. A. Powell, gowned in shown when amendments were pink crepe de chine, carrying bouquets tached to the bill restricting the conditional on the withdrawal of the lands act plank of the antonomy bill. is: Has Fielding resigned? The finthe Maritime Express for Montreal and

ALEXANDER BLOCK DEAD.

The present are especially

clauses of the autonomy bill to let the FREDERICTON, N. B., March 2. Alex. Block died at his residence at an early hour this morning at the age of conomy bill was renewed this morning, have not been broad enough to win back Sifton or satisfy the Toronto Globe.

65. He had been in ill health for a long time past. He is survived by six daughters, Mrs. Plant, of Edmundston; Mrs. Redfern, the well known nurse; Kate, Martha, Alice and Ella, and one son, Hugh. The deceased was Fredericton's oldest mason.

JOHN L. WON EASY

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich, March 1 .-John L. Sullivan, ex-champion heavyweight pugilist of the world, knocked out Jack McCormick, of Galveston, Texas, in the second round of what was The work of repairing the breaks in "At 8.30 Mrs. Stanford sent for her the Britain street main is being push- match here tonight. Sullivan was the ed as fast as possible. The four inch aggressor all the way through. Sulli-

BIG FIRE IN BOSTON

BOSTON, March 2.-A fire which started in the extensive lumber plant Up to the last of February about 190 of Blacker and Shenpard, 354 Albany pipes were reported frozen, as against street, just before 11 o'clock today 90 for the same time last year. Thawquickly assumed dangerous proportions buildings in the centre of what is seems to be getting low. It is thought known as the lumber district. that many people are letting the water run to waste to prevent their pipes

WILL BE A CHANGE.

LONDON, March 2. - Despite official at a reasonable price. denials, the rumor persists that Mr. Wyndham will resign the Irish chief Bronzes, Opera Glasses, Canes pointment to the high commissioner ship for South Africa, will leave a va cancy in the cabinet and it is regard ed as not unlikely that there will be FERGUSON & PAGE some re-arrangement there involving the transfer of Mr. Wyndham, perhaps to the admiralty, though it is more likely that Lord Selborne's successo will be sought among the peers and that possibly Lord Salisbury may be Friday afternoon the Thistle lady the man.

HAT FACTORIES SHUT DOWN.

NEW YORK, March 2.-A practical shut-down of six big hat factories in Orange, N. J., has grown out of a dispute with a few women employed as for two days, but the men in the different departments were at work finishing the work in hand. This is done and today 6,000 or 7,000 men and women will be idle. The question at issue is the date upon which the wage scalshall take effect.

The steamer Westport III left Westtonight.

WHAT 25c. WILL BUY AT The 2 Barkers, Ltd 100 PRINCESS STREET.

posed by T. R. Buchanan (liberal) to the address in reply to the speech from 3 bottles Worster Sauce for 25c.; the throne, declaring that the national bottles Lemon or Vanilla for 25c.: 8 expenditure is excessive and burdenbars of Soap for 25c.; 1 lb. Pure Crean some, the house of commons last night Tartar for 25c.; 4 pckgs. Chinese Starch for 25c.; 2 bottles Barker's Liniment for debated another Irish amendment proposed by A. J. C. Donelan, regretting 25c.; 3 bottles U. N. O. Shoe Polish for 25c.; 3 lbs. Mince Meat for 25c.; I lb. that the speech from the throne contained no promise to deal during the Good Coffee for 25c.; 6 lbs. Rice for present session with the pressing needs 25c.; 3 boxes Smoked Fish for 25c. for improvement of the condition of 1 lb. can Baking Powder for 25c.; 2 laborers in Ireland. Several speakers bottles German Mustard for 25c.; bitterly attacked Chief Secretary lbs. Mixed Starch for 25c. Wyndham, who was defended by Mr. Atkinson, attorney general for Ireland.

Forecasts-Moderate to fresh west to northwest winds; fine and cold today and on Friday.

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis-The prevailing fine, cold weather promises to continue. Winds to Banks and American ports, moderate to fresh west to northwest. Highest temperature during past 24

hours, 18. Lowest temperature during past 24 nours, 6.

Temperature at noon, 18.

ONLY THIRTY-ONE MILLIONS.

The temper of the house regarding lands act plank of the antonomy bill.

Laurier in his extremity will possibly swallow Fielding's medicine.

OTTAWA, March 2. — Around the corridors this morning the sole topic like the Fielding regioned?

The fin
After lunch the couple will leave on a fudge presents a false claim for extremed and the correct of the bill be first the further proviso that in case a fudge presents a false claim for extremely the first the further proviso that in case a fudge presents a false claim for extremely the first the further proviso that in case a fudge presents a false claim for extremely the first three functions. penses, he shall be fined not less that \$100 and imprisoned for not less than

ten days. An appropriation for \$10,000 was voted for mileage for senators and mem-bers for attending the second session

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man was killed and from fifty to WOOL CARPETS, 80c and 85c yard. HEMP CARPETS, 13c, 16c, 17c, 18c, 22c, 25c yard. and Mount Vernon railway at Spring FANCY MATS AND RUGS, 25c, 40c, 50c, 80c, \$1.20, \$1.75

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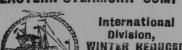
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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., MARCH 2, 1905

Even more significant of the Liberal revolt against the anti-Liberal policy of the present government with refer ence to the school question in the nev provinces than is Sifton's resignation, family and visitors. is the attitude of the Toronto Globe. The Globe is a power in Ontario and no great newspaper in the country has given Laurier more steady support has. If anything has weakened its influence of late it is the idea that it has been too subservient, that it stood ready to swallow without a grimace any dose the machine at Ottawa chose to concoct. But even the Globe has Laurier himself, only eight onr nine that the coercion which Liberals reargued forcefully against the separate school clause of the autonomy bill, and in so doing it undoubtedly reflects the

Last Monday the Globe published an soldiers have had the same experience. interview with Premier Haultain of the Northwest Territories, strongly flatly contradicted the explanation with the rights of the new provinces to day its leading article was an emthe course of the article it says:

on that question. But were separate schools immeasureably superior to public schools the argument would still Of all de- hold against the proposal to make the establishment of separate schools a pertinuance of the present system, and that he would be a "averse to imposing his colleagues in the new provincial government? It belongs there by the terms of the Confederation Act. If it is dealt with at Ottawa there may develop opposition from the provincial governments, not because they would abolish separate schools, but because they would resent federal dictation in matters of provincial rights. If the people of Saskatchewan and Alberta vant separate schools let them have them on their own motion and in the way provided by the constitution. If they do not want them any attempt at constitutional compulsion, even if it succeeds, would awaken antagonisms which would embitter local politics and be disastrous to the separate schools themselves. And for that proposition we can ask the support of Catholics and Protestants alike. It is not a question of religion or racial controversy. It involves the principle of pro-

QUEBEC AND CANADA.

Mr. Sifton's resignation is a fact. Representing the Canadian west he has otest against the compulsory establishment by the government of separ-

And rather than recede from his position Laurier has let him go. Indeed, Mr. Foster asserted in the house yesterday that Mr. Sifton's departure was SON'S OFFICE, 77 Smythe street tim of a freeze-out conspiracy similar to that which was worked against Mr.

If this be true-and certainly the circumstances attending the hurried preparation and introduction of the auton y bill in Mr. Sifton's absence lend eredence to the theory-it simply means that Quebec, and all that word stands foc. is in absolute control of the government and has again dared to defy the rest of Canada.

did there come any demand for such interference with provincial rights in defence of the spirit of our constituis pleased with the government's declaration that there will be such interference. Ontario is in revolt against it and is ignored. The west is alive with angry protest as an expression of which Mr. Sifton has resigned and the

Where is Laurier's cant about Canadian unity? In the last week he has into the hands. It is neither sticky nor unpleasant, and will cure damaged sown more discord than he can allay ages without intermission for the rest linseed oil will mix readily with this of his life. Had he followed the compound it will be found advantage-Commencing December 15, 1904, course laid down by the constitution steamer leaves St. John at 8 a. m. and left the question of education for and left the question of education for settlement by the provinces, the result will ruin any fabric with which it Returning from Boston at 9 a. m. via of the election of '96 shows that he comes in contact, and can never be rewould have satisfied all Canada save

Whatever Mr. Sifton's political career may have been none can deny that the suffering induced by the bites of this action of his is consistent and chiggers, sand files and mosquitos. I manly. And, if the signs fail not, this bolt of his is but the beginning of one's ditty box for summer trips. Job Printing of every description an avalanche which will test "the A three ounce bottle of equal parts neatly and cheaply executed at the strength of this Quebec autocracy to linseed oil and lime water is worth its Daily Sun Jeb Rooms. weight in gold for sunburn and for or-

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in St. Petersburg is characteristic of of chloroform will surely drive chigthe gratitude of nations. Of all the gers and ticks away. Lacking this Russian commanders he did the best one must be applied locally, for these work, fighting for months a hopeless pests are not removed by ordinary battle, holding by sheer force of will means. a starving fortress against overwhelm- will prevent rust in firearm barrels in ing attacks and surrendering only when which nitro powders are shot if the

inexcusable murder of his wasted applying the ointment on a cloth troops. Yet he came home to coldness, criticism, forgetfulness-all that he did are bad, it will prove the right thing do obliterated in the popular mind be- for the occasion, though not pleasant cause he did not accomplish the im- to apply to one's person opinion of the great majority of those in Ontario who woted for Laurier only four months ago.

cause he did not accomplish the impossible. Well, if it is any consortation to Gen. Stoessel he has the knowledge that many other and even greater soldlers have had the same experience.

of the "nest of traitors" affair given by Mr. Haggart, who asserted that

coured the far way was as vigorous as Sifton in his

Perhaps the recent sun spots which have been blamed for the wretched renowned exponents of English light weather we have been suffering are opera." also responsible for the recent apparent ineffectiveness of certain sunny ways.

Tarte, Blair, Sifton. Next! MY OWN FOUR WALLS.

The storm and night is on the waste, Wild through the wind the herdsman

calls, As fast on willing nag I haste Home to my own four walls.

glimmer, Envelop earth with sevenfold palls; But wifek'n watches, coffee-pot doth Home is my own four walls.

A home and wife I, too, have got,

A hearth to blaze, whate'er befalls What needs a man that I have not Within my own four walls?

King George has palaces of pride,

And arm-ed grooms must ward those halls: With one stout bolt I safe abide Within my own four walls.

Not all his men may sever this; It yields to friends' and monarchs' calls: My whinstone house my castle is-

I have my own four walls. With gigmen, dinners, balls, cabals, I turn my back and shut them out-

These are my own four walls. The moorland house, though rude it May stand, the brunt when prouder

falls; 'Twill screen my wife, my books and All my own four walls.

-Thomas Carlyle.

MEDICINE FOR HUNTERS.

(Forest and Stream.)

Did you ever notice how awkward one is with his hands the first two or three days on a trip in the woods? Fingers seem to get in the way of every axe, knife, fire, splinter or thorns Adhesive plaster is found useful, but I have found a compound made as fol-lows most useful and comforting

Equal parts by weight of Japan wax mutton tallow and vaseline melted t While warm add half as nuch glycerine. Fell a metal primer box with this and at night rub it well hands or chapped lips very quickly. have never tried to do so, but if ray ous. Rubbing it alone on the hands is

moved in any ordinary way. Tincture grindelia should never be omitted, as it is a rapid and certain cure for ivy poison, and will alleviate

further resistance would have been barrel is cleaned thoroughly before

In places where sand flies and ticks

shellac and dried, should be kept handy Now that Sir Mackenzie Bowell has in a vaseline bottle. These are "good" medicine when everything is wet. THE COMING MUSICAL EVENT.

choose their own school systems. Tues- Bowell had agreed to resign in Sir Leeds, the great musical centre of Charles Tupper's favor and afterward England, described by these words the phatic endorsement of this protest. In the course of the article it says:

Charles Tupper's layor and afterward entertainment of Frederic Dale's English Opera Singers—"A delightful evethe course of the article it says:

"There is difference of opinion among nection with that coup d'etat and settle ming of song."

"Messrs. Bar Messrs. Baring Bros., who recently

dier Guards through the principal cities of Canada and the States, is directing their tour and that is a guarantee of the best available talent. manent constitutional obligation on member of parliament is mentioned as certain claim to originality, as these the new provinces. Premier Haultain Sifton's successor. In 1896 Mr. Green- entertainers possess a unique entertainment, with variety and lightness as its characteristics. To get real ardefence of provincial rights; but he is tists to perform light operatic music any system upon a large body of citi- either less particular than the late is to get a real and novel evening of any system upon a property and the property of particular line, yet, it is collectively where they produce the effect that allows them to claim the title of "the

A perfect blend of voices, the dain tiest of trifles from the pens of Sullivan, German, and writers of like kind, with picturesque costumes framing their evenings, such as "Jap" night and military, Arcadian and nautical programmes. Each a complete idea, pre-

picture as well as in music. Frederic Dale, in addition to forming entertainment of his own entirely. He Liverpool, arrived yesterday afternoon gives a humorous musical recital in and docked at six in the evening. She the middle of the programme, consist- brought to this port four first cabin

s a fellow of infinite jest. A complete and breezy little company fax. who have produced their entertainment and have crowded success upon sucess for some ten years now, are setting out to tour the world with a confidence that betokens a genuine value of their ability. As a motto, Mr. Dale quotes, "Let's have fun with the music. quotes, "Let's have fun with the music, but both must be good." Truly a hap-but both must be good." Truly a hap-Miss Olga Smith. James Mayhor of py combination. The company commence a season of three nights at the York Theatre on Monday, March 13th.

HINTS TO PIPE SMOKERS.

Don't refill a heated pipe. Lay it fill up with Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking

The effort to raise a fund of \$150,000 to establish a chair of political science in Western Reserve university as a memorial to the late Senator M. A. Hanna is meeting with gratifying suc-

GRITZ 25c. every axe, knife, fire, splinter or thorns encountered, and the result is a pair of hands more or less damaged.

DEATHS.

STEELE-March 1st, Joseph W., the infant son of Elizabeth and Leslie D. Steele, aged 3 months. Funeral 2.30, Friday, at its father's home, 32, Spring street.

UNDERTAKING In all its details with

thorough knowledge of its requirements. N. W. BRENAN,

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Fine quality Winter weight, full fashioned, high spliced heel and toe, seamless throughout, beautifully soft and of the best and most reliable manufacture. A regular 50c. hose. We have 100 dozen of this superior Hose, which we secured very much under the regular price. So we pass them along to you at 35c. pair, or 3 8 1-2, 9, 9 1-2 and 10 inches.

Special White Wool Blankets English make with fancy colored bor- Heavy Linen Towels. ders. Size 60x80 inches; regular \$3.00 quality now \$2.50 pair. Only a few pair

left at this special price.

Ladies'Plain Cashmere Hose Ladies' Silk Neckwear Underpriced.

one special price-25c, each. Stock Collars with Tabs, Bows, Flowing ends, Hem Stitched, Lace Trimmed, Corded with ruche tops, faggotting stitched, Embroidered and silk port hole Collars; all the latest shapes; a large variety

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

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MEN! Why not buy that REGATTA SHIRT you are sure to want for spring wear. We are offering a \$1.00 shirt for 75c., think of the money you

FRILLED MUSLIN CURTAINS, \$1.00 quality now 69c. pair. Don't miss this offer. Only fifty pairs to sell. 2 1-2 yards long.

KNIVES AND FORK HANDLES. All Tinware and Lamps repaired. E. P. JELLICOE, 20 WATERLOO STREET.

LOCAL NEWS

The Eastern Line S. S. Co. have conracted for two new turbine steamers to be placed on their International Digrammes. Each a complete idea, pre-eight feet draught. Their speed will sents a musical evening in the form of be from 18 to 20 knots and they will

cost over a half a million dollars each one of the vocal quartette, provides an The Allan line str. Sicilian, from ing of original musical sketches. He passengers, seventeen second, and twenty third. She landed 364 at Hali-

ment at the Seamen's Mission last night the following programme was recitation, Miss Low; banjo solo, Mis Carrie Baillie; recitation, Miss DeCue the str. Manchester Commerce render-

ed some very choice selections. The treasurer of the King's Daugh ters Guild acknowledges with thanks \$50 from Joseph Allison, \$25 from Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomson, \$10 from Mrs. Franklin Stetson, \$1 each from Mrs. Sherman Peters (Gagetown), Mrs. away to cool; take another pipe and W. H. Purdy, Mrs. J. Lawrence, Miss Blanch Thomas, Miss Helen Barker, Miss Alice Hea, Miss Jennie McLaugh-lan, Mrs. G. M. Campbell.

SCIENTISTS AND SMOKERS. Scientists say that the rainbow show what constitutes a perfect ray of light. Smokers say that Rainbow Cut Plug shows what constitutes a perfect smok-

ing tobacco. Justice David J. Brewer, of the United States supreme court for over half a century has been connected with Sunday schools as scholar or teacher. Ever since going to Washington twelve Brussels Sts. years ago he has had a class of adults. The justice says he frequently has been indebted to the Bible for sentences which have given emphasis to the thought and vigor to the argument of his legal opinions.

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.

NOTICE.

A meeting of members of the Citizens' League of St. John, will be held at the Board of the executive committee.



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on a good footing with the world. Get some snap in your walk-some style on your feet.
Our special Box Calf Blucher cut shoe does it for you.

Price, \$2.50 Pair. None better. Few as good

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BUSY MEXICAN MATADOR.

Cor. of Waterloo and

dle the espada.

Montes, whose benefit performance it the ring were easily the best. Two of garded by other diplomats as a won-these probably were the fiercest animals seen since the opening of the get through business. His successor, ring this season. Skilful work on the part of the banderillos enraged them to lished a reputation outdoing that of of Trade rooms, Prince William St., Thursday, 2nd inst., ed five horses as fast as they could be any of his attaches to the departments

After the bandersios had been place partment in Washington.

ed, "Falco" took the sword, but his aim (Mexican Herald.)

and they caused wounds only. At the third the bull dropped. Parrao killed the second bull with one stroke and reout of the seven slain in yesterday's ceived an ovation from both sol and corrida, because Antonio Montes and sombra sides. Montes, in slaying the "Falco" matadors alternativa, were third, made a good stroke, but his hand each wounded in the sword hand in was wounded and he left the ring to killing their first bull. Montes re- receive attention for it just as the aniceived the more severe wound, the mal tottered and fell. "Falco" receiveflesh between the thumb and forefing-er being split by the sword hilt when he made his first thrust. "Falco" es- finishing the bull and killing the folcaped with a sprain, but neither of the lowing three animals. The fifth, sixth matadors was able after that to han- and seventh bulls were not equal to the first three in fighting qualities, and The fight was exceptionally good only by exceedingly clever work could rom every view point, and Parrao cov- some of them be made to attack. One ered himself with glory by despatching had to be returned to the corral bevery one of the bulls, with one excep- cause he refused to fight at all, but ion by a single neat stroke. Six bulls when the oxen were turned in he rehad been advertised, but seven were fused to follow them, and subsequenttilled, the last being a present from ly had to be roped and dragged out.

CARLETON'S.

Of the bulls, the first three led into presentative in this country, was reat 8 p. m., for the purpose of brought into the ring and was desperative land, his gorgeous robes being patching the sixth when the bugle was a familiar signt in almost every de-

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BECAUSE—The skill of the making balances with the quality of the materials.

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Celery, Radishes, Lettuce, Sweet Potatoes, Cauliflower, Tomatoes. J. E. QUINN, - City Market.

LONG ENGAGEMENTS NOT ADVISABLE

UNDER ORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES.

BY MARGARET E. SANGSTER

Agatha had been engage to Thomas name the wedding day. This is his pre-nearly four years. Thomas is in receipt rogative, not hers. He should beg, and nearly four years. Thomas is in receipt of a good salary, quite sufficient to support a little home in comfort and own mind, and purse, before becoming the four terms of a good salary and the favor of an early marriage. A man should be sure of his own mind, and purse, before becoming the favor of a good salary with which all were highly the favor of a good salary with which all were highly the favor of a good salary with which all were highly the favor of a good salary with which all were highly the favor of an early marriage. A man should be sure of his own mind, and purse, before becoming the favor of an early marriage. A man should be sure of his own mind, and purse, before becoming the favor of an early marriage. he is constant and devoted in his attentions to Agatha. His calls, four or much a thing of course as the striking. This is her privilege. But she cannot of the clock. A little after eight in plead for a change of the clock. A little after eight in plead for a change of the clock. of the clock. A little after eight in plead for a change of behavior on his sponded to by Dr. Curren and J. B. M. walks Thomas. A little after ten out part.

he goes. Tender goodnights are exchanged at the door. Agatha slips

after a while that the long engagement ty in remaining in a false position. is telling unfavorably on their daughtthat they culminated in a wedding.

A long engagement, dragging slowly will come when it is deserved and most made against giving city employes hold interminably on, when there is no wanted. A long engagement, dragging slowly and interminably on, when there is no apparent reason for a delayed marriage, is a very trying experience to a girl. Is know well that this is not the advice of prudence, nor would prudent people indorse it without a protest. Yet of the serious matters discussed, the long taken was general and the discussion of the free and easy kind soon forgotten.

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of parting with sons, and move heaven and earth to keep them single. A son bonds. In proportion as he is a good son, he dreads hurting her feelings. If the mother is very tactful and a little unscrupulous she may manage her son without his suspecting it, and in cendency over him, and keep "that girl" waiting an indefinite time.

fer the wedding day. If he does the young woman may sever the bond.

mother, in the privacy of their chamber. For two years they have been obliged, after our American fashion, to exile themselves from the living room, or parlor, whichever they call it, and spend their evenings in the dining room or their own room upstairs. Agarba and her fiance talking, talking, talking, talking in low tones like the rippling of a brook have monopolized that part of a brook, have monopolized that part of the house. It seems to the parents forth with dignity. There is no digni-Generally speaking, engaged couples and responded to by Mr. Codner. er's health and spirits and they think should marry as soon as they can. The that the affair reached a crisis, income may be a tiny one, but martine that the affair reached a crisis, income may be a tiny one, but martine that the affair reached a crisis, income may be a tiny one, but martine that the affair reached a crisis, income may be a tiny one, but martine that the affair reached a crisis, income may be a tiny one, but martine that the affair reached a crisis, income may be a tiny one, but martine that the affair reached a crisis, income may be a tiny one, but martine that the affair reached a crisis, income may be a tiny one, but martine that the affair reached a crisis, income may be a tiny one, but martine that the affair reached a crisis, and the affair reached a crisis and the affair reached Agatha thinks so. She is beyond ment, and there is endless fun and endwords annoyed with and weary of the less contentment, too, when young peosituation. The most devoted pair of engaged lovers in the course of several years, exhaust their topics of con-They are in danger of cup. Self-denials bind them as extradrifting into a morbid and unwholeome ennui. Were they married a host
of common, practical interests would

that means the world to Thomas. She is
at his back. He braves everything for
itsing.—The Buyer. draw them closer and give them a ba- her, is a better business man, a better sis on which to build their house of citizen on her account. A married pair The management of the home, are worth much more to the community the cooking for two, the mending, the than several couples of engaged lov-making, the identification of the husmaking, the identification of the husin its ing their time in sentimental moonband and wife as one family in its ing their time in sentimental moon-front to the world, help to bind them shine. If it is want of money that deinto that union which is strong as life lays anybody's marriage, let him summon up courage and go on. The money ageboard yesterday, a protest

and wonder why the wedding is deferred. She attends the weddings of othpeople marry on very small means, and
first place. The delay was considered

Of the serious matters discussed, the of the commission and the commis go on, steadily increasing their income and the mayor has been asked to call until they reached a condition of ease. a special meeting to talk the matte engaged girl cannot compete in social What constitutes a competence can be over with Engineer Barbour. It was determined only by young people themalso decided to lay the city's water and ing Tobacco contain coupons which selves. The essentials of a room are sewerage pipes by contract in future. selves. The essentials of a room are sewerage pipes by contract in future. preparing her store of linen, and there really very few and people have before W. B. Cox, of the York cotton mill, ents. now kept house creditably in two or was granted a lease of the Lawrence three rooms, and have had no need to place, Silver Falls, at a rental of \$84 a be ashamed of the result of their joint year for the first three years and \$100 er.deavors. The fatal mistake is to be- a year after. wishes this, if the man she loves is frank with her, and tells her precisely inch pipe laid 30 years ago. what he can afford, and with perfect openness asks her help in making ends-meet.

COUPONS FOR SMOKERS. Valuable coupons are in every package of Rainbow Cut Plug Smok-

ing Tobacco. "Do you attribute this success to the advertising," was asked Manager Rus-To tell the truth, Agatha is in a very sell of the Long Branch Ocean Route.

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must find furnished rooms or boarding houses. And they turn to the STAR Want advts, as naturally as they would turn to a time-table to learn about trains. Rate 1-2 c, a word, six insertions for price of four.

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TO LET-Flat to let, corner Woodville street and Bay Shore road, seven C. P. R. round house. W. MORRISH,

TO LET-Self-contained flat, contain-C. Apply 79 Hazen street. and cold water), and all modern improvements. MRS. WOODLEY, 25 now occupied by Mrs. E. G. Scovil,

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street, seven rooms. Can be seen Monday afternoons. Aply 149 Waterloo St.

McLaughlin; nicdern conveniences.

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H. ARNOLD, 44 Exmouth street, or 15

TO LET — The pleasantly situated

TO LET-Some self-contained flats TO LET.-Brick house occupied by

with modern improvements. Can be subscriber, 195 Waterloo street. House seen Tuesday and Thursday. Apply is in perfect repair. Fitted with modto WILLIAM HUMPHREYS, 118 St.

SONS OF ENGLAND DINNER. Members of Portland Lodge Had a Pleasant Evening.

restaurant. About 75 persons were work shop or warehouse, rear 175 present, including the wives of several Princess street. Apply to H. L. & J. of the members. This is a somewhat T. McGOWAN, Princess street. complete success without the ladies.

L. A. Belyea presided. At the close of a dinner with which all were highly pleased the usual round of toasts fol-Baxter. H. C. Green next proposed the Army and Navy, to which Capt. Armstrong and Scott E. Morrell re-Should a man, as may happen, discover too late that he has made a miscover too late that he had not become that he had not become too late that he had not become that he had not become the had not becom away to bed. Thomas strolls homeward.

"How long is this philandering to go on?" mutters Agatha's father to her mother, in the privacy of their chamber. For two years they have been to late that he has made a mistake, that his love is on the wane, that instead of anticipation, foreboding is the mood and temper in which he regards his coming marriage, his only honorable course is to be candid with the girl he has sought. He would do not be come that he has made a mistake, that his love is on the wane, that instead of anticipation, foreboding is the mood and temper in which he regards his coming marriage, his only honorable course is to be candid with the girl he has sought. He would do not be that he has made a mistake, that his love is on the wane, that instead of anticipation, foreboding is the mood and temper in which he regards his coming marriage, his only honorable course is to be candid with the girl he has sought. He would do not be the wane, that instead of anticipation, foreboding is the mood and temper in which he regards his coming marriage, his only honorable course is to be candid with the girl he has sought. He would do not be the wane, that instead of anticipation, foreboding is the mood and temper in which he regards his coming marriage, his only honorable course is to be candid with the girl he has sought. He would do not be the mood and temper in which he regards his coming marriage, his only honorable course is to be candid with the girl he has sought. He would do not be the mood and temper in which he regards his coming marriage, his only honorable course is to be candid with the girl he has sought. He would do not be the mood and temper in which he regards his coming marriage, his only honorable course is to be candid with the girl he has sought. He would do not be the mood and temper in which he regards his coming marriage, his only honorable course is to be candid with the girl he has sought.

Press, was proposed by Harry Sellen Between the toasts a recitation wa

The affair closed with God Save the

tising .- The Buyer.

Believe That Holidays Have a Demon

gin on too large a scale. A girl never Residents of Duke street asked for

at the time of the strike two years ago. Thursday, March 9th. that Mr. Patterson, foreman of the sewerage department, be appointed forement today in Liverpool with the object

Miss Florence Edwards, showed the man of the yard and storekeeper, as of arranging the first and second cahe was crippled through injuries. A committee consisting of Ald. Hold- increaged." er. Carleton, Frink, the director, and superintendent will look into the mat-

Ald. Christie moved that a list of

dress W. J. M. C., care of Star office. at present occupied by Mr. Thomas Lydon. From May 1st. F. W. KAYE.

TO LET—self-contained house No. 40

WANTED—A young man, 17 or 18. Must have good recommendation, for work in store and assist in office. Ap-TO LET-House, No. 7 Britain street,

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fourteen rooms and two bath rooms, hot water heating, gas stove, etc. G. TO LET or for sale, new house with

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lot window glass, lot mirrors, lot picture moulding, lot fancy goods at BARKER'S, 92 King street.

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TO LET .- A two story building, for

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work. References required. Apply to MRS. R. T. LEAVITT, 52 Queen

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stalls, harness and carriage rooms yard and wagon sheds. Could be use

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ROOMS TO LET.

TO LET-Business rooms to let, suit-

able for tailoring or other light busi-

TO LET.

TO LET-Shop and apartments. En-

TO LET-Beer shop and pool rooms

King street.

quire 200 Duke street.

nd all fixtures in connec

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WANTED-A boy to learn the Barber business. Apply to JOHN J. HOL-LAND, No. 14 Haymarket Square, St. ingly reduced prices.

WANTED-Good, smart boy to learn TRUNK FACTORY, 175 Princess St.

WANTED - Young lady bookkeeper, able to attend store. Apply, stating salary expected, to S. W., Star office.

street. Modern improvements. Rooms
TO LET—Self-contained house, 35 family. Good wages and good home.
Will be reserved with or without board Broad street, Steen Terrace, at present Address A. J. W., Box 352, Moncton,

conveniences; seen Monday and Tues-day afternoons. Also lower flat, 311

WANTED - A capable girl to look after baby and assist in light general housework. Apply 266 Prince William

WANTED-A cook, housemaid and table girl. MRS. WM. FLEMING, cor.

Pleasantly located. Possession at any time. Apply to GEORGE WAY, cor.

WANTED-At once, a good general

37 Brussels street. WANTED-A girl for general house-

WANTED-Client wishes to purchase small farm and dwelling, Gondola Point road, near Rothesay. CHARLES A. MacDONALD, Barrister, Canter-

waltham, 15 jewels, hunting case, guaranteed for 25 years. 15 jewelled fittings, for taking pressure on steam boilers or water pipes; also two steel years. 17 jewelled Springfield, silver

M. W. Maher. The latter was appointed by the county council and it is felt

Also second-hand solid gold rings of be of great value to travellers and exhis successor should therefore be a all kinds. Great bargains. Money re-county man. plorers, who will doubtless flock to funded if not as represented. Tibet now that the way has been The BOSTON SECOND HAND STORE cleared by Colonel Younghusband's ex-Cor. Dock and Union St., St. John,

Portland Methodist church held an anniversary meeting last evening, Rev. Samuel Howard presiding. Addresses were made and reports received. A musical programme consisted of but he did not foresee the world-wide solos by Mrs. McInnes and a duet by Miss Huey and Mrs. Vincent. Adding in the cure of disease.

dresses were delivered by Rev. L. H.

Here is the story of a

liary was presented by Miss Ada Miles. association to be in a much more gra-The fares will be slightly tifying condition, financially, than in

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King street (east).

WANTED—Immediately, a girl for general housework in a family of two. Apply to MRS. F. G. SPENCER, 151

Ralph McCormick, 24 Adelaide street.

FOR SALE—Dark Bay Horse, sound FOR SALE-Dark Bay Horse, soun

> FOR SALE-CHEAP-One safe, mitre machines, 2 counters, shelving,

> FOR SALE-At Crouchville, fine two story house and barn, about an acre of land in connection. Apply to W. A. COLES, 17 Sydney street, or M. G. Foster on premise

FOR SALE—Freehold property-Choice of three new houses, two self

two 6x4 ft., extra fine finish on quarter work, in family of two. References required. One willing to go to Riverside inch British plate glass. Will sell at a sacrifice. Address MIRRORS, care

FOR SALE - Leasehold property well situated, three tenements. A pro fitable investment for a small amount of money. Inquire E. R. CHAPMAN, LEASEHOLD PROPERTY FOR

SALE - The most valuable leasehol property in the North End. Situated on the corner of Harrison and Main WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. R. N. DEAN, 72
St. James street.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 1.—
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and stables on property. Celler full
years, today faced a jury which will GENERAL GIRLS, Cooks and Housemaids always get best places and highest wages, by applying to MISS HANSON, Women's Exchange, city. Apply to F. S. THOMAS, 555 Main the first degree. Schmidt is charged

John, N. B. FOR SALE-A Chickering Square Piano. Address MUSIC, care Star Of-

FOR SALE OR TO LET-Near Welsford station, a cottage, suitable for summer residence. Terms reasonable. For particulars address M., care Star

FOR SALE-A boiler and engine, WANTED-A Room for Storage of horse power boiler and 5 horse power Furniture by 1st May, 1905. Address engine in perfect working order. Apply ALDERBROOK DAIRY, 24 Ger-

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FOR SALE-One hand pump, with 20 feet 3 inch suction hose. One man can handle more water with this kind

gold hunting case. One 15 jewelled Waltham, in solid gold 14k case. River
19 Nelson street.

Two calendar Watches, telling day Lieutenant Wilhelm Filchner, an offiof the week, the month, the moon and cer of the Bavarian army and an ex-One solid gold chain, 15k., with a on the Siberia, after about eighteen Tibet. The purpose of the lieutenant's These chains and watches will be travels was scientific research and the

pedition. STILL ANOTHER CASE.

The New System Treatment, Anti-Pill, The Women's Missionary Society of continues to work wonderful cures.

> When Dr. Leonhardt, of Lincoln Neb., gave Anti-Pill to the world he had unbounded faith in the treatment, but he did not foresee the world-wide Here is the story of another Anti-

furlough. They went fully into a description of their labors and the progress made.

Miss Georgia Maxwell read encourage with dyspepsia, diagrams and suffered most of the time from constipation, and was unable to do my housework. I tried a year.

The court adjourned to a stable near every kind of pill and medicine that every kind of pill and medicine that either the doctors or myself could think of, and finally tried Anti-Pill. This the cow in true farmer fashion. treatment has practically made a new woman of me. I am able to do all my own work. The dizziness has all gone, my stomach feels much better, and I am no longer troubled with constipation. Learnest project the procession healt to the procession hea tion. I cannot praise Anti-Pill too highly."—Mrs. Thos. Tabb. 237 Emer-house. ald Street North, Hamilton, Ont.

Anti-Pill is sold by all druggists at

Mrs. Tabb's letter is only one of

MILLINERY. COQUE FEATHERS, 15c., RIBBONS, all widths, 10c.; Wings and Birds great variety. MISS PYNE, 69 Broad

BOARDING. BOARDING - Rooms with board,

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN on city freehold security at low rate of interest. H. H. PICKETT, Canadian Life Building, Wm. St., 5th floor. Take ele

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EX CHANGE. FOR EXCHANGE-A combination table vice, capital tool for either amateur or practical mechanic. A revolv

in exchange for a revolving office chair. Address "CHAIR," Box 338, St. John. CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Mother Fainted as Youth Faced Jury

with the killing of Wm. Taylor, aged FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE for farm implements, stock, or city property. Bargain in farm near railway. Will pay for itself. Good terms to right man. R. G. MURRAY, Barrister, St. John, N. B. prised by Taylor, that Schmidt shot Taylor and escaped with valuables worth \$1,000. Schmidt was arrested in

Paducah, Ky. The cross-examination of state witnesses indicated that the defence will admit that Schmidt shot Taylor, but in self defence, during a quarrel. During the trial Mrs. Schmidt, the prisoner's mother, fainted in the corridor of the court building. Schmidt and did not see her until he was being led down stairs at noon. Then he was greatly affected. Mrs. Schmidt comes from her home in Bunkhannock, W.

Advertisements under this head, 20 words or less, 20 cents. One week, 25

MEETS IN APRIL.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 1. - The legislature of Newfoundland probably will not meet before April, owing to delay in concluding the negotiations with the imperial cabinet regarding policies regulations for British and French fishermen along the French shore under the terms of the new treaty. These regulations are being modelled on the international rules

RAINBOW GIVES PLEASURE. Just as a rainbow in the heavens is

a delight to the artist, so Rainbow Cut Plug Tobacco in the pipe is a delight to the smoker.

COURT MILKED COW.

(St. Paul Dispatch.) "The court will proceed to milk this ow and judicial notice of those facts which to him as an expert milker will fresh for a long or short time."
So announced Judge John F. Oliver today from the bench after hearing witnesses dispute for an hour concern ing the identity of a Jersey cow. Both

COUPONS WORTH SAVING

The coupons in packages of Rainbow

who is fond of his mother has, it may be, not the manhood to break her (Copyright, 1905, by Joseph B. Bowles.)

People are coming to this city every day who

HOUSES TO LET.

TO LET-One self-contained flat suit- TO LET - Furnished house to rent able for workshop. Apply to Boston during the summer months in centra locality, containing seven rooms, kit-chen and bath room. Hot and cold

ooms. Not five minutes walk from TO LET-Flats, 56 and 58 Spring

Apply MRS. WM. BRAMHALL,

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TO LET-Middle flat new house, six rooms, with modern improvements. and cold water, modern introoms, street railway extension. J. W. V. Grained throughout. 264 Duke Street, Lawlor, 144 Union street, or Lancaster TO LET.-Upper flat No. 15 Peters Heights.

The members of Lodge Portland, No. 246, of the Sons of England held their Tower street and City Line. annual dinner last evening at White's lowed. The first toast was to the King.

No more powerful agency has ever

WATER AND SEWERAGE BOARD.

alizing Effect on City Employes. At a meeting of the water and sewer-

Pipe-smokers who have trouble in

street, seven and eleven rooms. Flat Street, can be seen every 51 Clarence street, five rooms, separate entrances. Tuesday and Thursday 3 to 5. For particulars apply at once in own writing. P. O. BOX 318, City.

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SITUATIONS VACANT-FEMALE WANTED-A girl to care for a baby during the day. Apply to MRS. CRAN-DALL, 26 Crown street.

WANTED-A housekeeper in small and kind. Good driver, weight 900 lbs.

WANTED-A good general girl. Apply to MRS. LOUIS NELSON, 40 Lein-

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WANTED — A girl for housework in a small family, small flat. Apply after eight p. m. to MRS. C. W. HOPE GRANT, No. 2 St. James street.

WIRRORS FOR SALE—Freehold property—Choice of three new houses, two self-contained flats each, on easy terms. Enquire of I. A. GRIFFITHS, 268 Duke GRANT, No. 2 St. James street.

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WANTED - Cook and two kitchen

193 Charlotte street.

WANTED-A girl for general housework. Apply MRS. A. J. RUSSELL,

Union street. Apply to M. McCAL-WANTED TO LET - Premises 207 Charlotte street formerly occupied by Dr. Macau

FOR SALE AT BARCAINS AT THE Boston Second-Hand Store. One 15 jewelled Appleton Tracy, solid of pump than with any other.

Masonic charm. One neat solid gold months of travel and exploration in or Lee, of Simonds, is likely to be appointed to the vacancy on the hospital commission caused by the death of sold at not much more than the price desire to be the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desire to be the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desire to be the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desire to be the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desire to be the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desire to be the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desire to be the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desire to be the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desired to the death of sold at not much more than the price desired to be the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desired to be the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desired to be the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desired to the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desired to the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desired to the first to bring from an analysis of the death of sold at not much more than the price desired to the first to be t

ANNIVERSARY MEETING.

Duval and Mrs. Duval, missionaries in Pill victory. West Africa, who are in Canada on furlough. They went fully into a desa new water main to replace the six inch pipe laid 30 years ago.

The superintendent said an order for this had been issued but suspended the six inch pipe laid 30 years ago.

"Lord and Lady Strathcons sailed togers made. Miss Georgia Maxwell read encouraging reports respecting the church mission band, and the report of the recording steward of the W. M. S. auxi-

HINTS TO PIPE-SMOKERS.

To tell the truth, 'Agatha is in a very delicate and difficult position. She cannot take the initiative. No girl who respects herself can beg her lover to

ST JOHN STAR, THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1905.

LAURIER-ANNOUNCES SIFTON'S RESIGNATION.

Premier Had Carried it About in His Pocket for Days---Could Not Accept Separate School Plank.

OTTAWA, March 1.—This was a par-lizan, political history making day in both the commons and the senate. In When Mr. Laurier again shouldered the lower house, Laurier announced his musket the boys of Ontario would Sifton's resignation, and in the senate make use of their rifles. Sir Mackenzie Bowell said he did not Leighton McCarthy, liberal, North member making use of the words
sest of traitors" in regard to his colleagues in the conservative cabinet, complimented by George Taylor for this but he felt today he should have uttered them, and to prevent any mis-understanding he would utter them

as never before this session, and every member at the capital was in his seat, the rumor having spread that Sifton's resignation, which Laurier had house just what the hot headed young

ald be proclaimed by the holder, on had thrown up his portfolio bein his own words, he could not beyond some tamely uttered generalities failed to answer a single point presented by the opposition speakers. His excuse was that when the bill came between the fill came beyond some tamely uttered generalities failed to answer a single point presented by the opposition speakers. His excuse was that when the bill came frem and John Ross; Moncton, D.

who in calm and moderate phrases and placedly in his seat with his may be true, the minister of the interior out of the cabinet. Foster was even more than usually guarded in what he said, but he was, if possible, more than usually guarded in what he said, but he was, if possible, more than usually guarded in what he said, but he was, if possible, more than usually guarded in what he said, but he was, if possible, more than usually guarded in what he said, but he was, if possible, more than usually guarded in what he said, but he was, if possible, more than usually guarded in what he said, but he was, if possible, more than usually guarded in what he said, but he was, if possible, more than usually guarded in what he said, but he canadian product in flavor and appearance to the imported article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian product in flavor and appearance to the imported article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian product in flavor and appearance to the imported article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian product in flavor and appearance to the imported article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian product in flavor and appearance to the imported article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian tobacco "marked, "While the Canadian tobacco "in article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian tobacco "in article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian tobacco "in article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian tobacco "in article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian tobacco "in article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian tobacco "in article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian tobacco "in article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarked, "While the Canadian tobacco "in article. Mr. Henderson truthfully remarke

FOSTER WELL POSTED.

The ex-minister of finance had every phase of Sitton's political record on the tip of his fingers, and put it straight that neither he, Greenway nor any of his associates could endorse a separate school bill even when coned beneath an autonomy bill cloak. Sifton's resignation, said Foster, had net come as a surprise to either side of the house. He had been treated as Blair had been treated.

A bill that should have originated in

his department has been constructed and launched by the premier without Trunk Pacific Railway bill been projected without reference to the recent ister of railways and canals. Mr. Sifton, said Mr. Foster, had been directly ignored by the premier, who might have touched the wires and that the autonomy bill contained a direct separate school provision. There in the United States where Mr. Sifton had tarried. The deliberate action of prime minister and his cabinet their intention to get rid of Mr. Sif-

fect that Mr. Fielding, too, was dissatisfied with the school question's treatment, as well as the financial part of the bill, which had been prepared while he was absent in Europe, though as finance minister he should have been consulted with respect to the great demands these subsidies made upon the federal treasury.

Foster spoke of Mr. Sifton's consistent stand on the school question, provincially and federally, and exressed his pleasure that he would and that he was not so poor financially as to suffer from the loss of his min

MACLEAN'S SPEECH.

MacLean of York, Ontario, who fol lowed Foster, turned the tables on rier's excited remarks of a coupl of days ago, by asking who was now the occupant of a ramshackle house or the utterer of a ramshackle speech ing his inspiration on the school question from Three Rivers and his Que

CONGRATULATED SIFTON.

other nand came out flatly in favor of orator had intended to say.

Heckled by Foster and Haggart, the

IN FAVOR OF THE BILL.

Guthrie of South Wellington on the

was speedily punctured by Poster,
in calm and moderate phrases
and that there had been for a long
usual pleasant smile.

direct references to current rumors that Fielding was kicking against the failure to make any defence of his colof provincial premiers he had called to his assistance when he made up his cabinet of business men. Tarte has arrived at the capital. There is no

intend to banquet Sifton this week.

RICHARDSON INTERVIEWED. MONTREAL, March 1 .- R. L. Richardson, ex-M. P., for Lisgar, who opposed Sifton in Brandon at the las general elections, is in Montreal. Discussing the resignation, he said: have understood that for some time Sifton has been considering the advisability of retiring from public life, which offers very little attraction to him at present. His resignation will certainly be most popular in the west I may say that outside of the minority, nine-tenths of the people of the wes are opposed to the principle of separ

"Do you think Hon. Thomas Green way will succeed Sifton?" see how he could. He like Mr. Sifton, has always been opposed to the principle of separate schools, and I can not see how he can accept office under present conditions."

"How about Frank Oliver, M. P.?" "It is quite possible that Oliver would accept office and support separate school proposals. He would no for he has a great number of Galician whom he denounced in his constituency, and they are favorable to teparate schools, as they form a part of

"I consider that Walter Scott is the most likely man to be called as minister at the present time. He is a news paper man, fairly able and not too tenacious in his opinions, so that he could be brought to the views of oth ers with greater facility, which seems a desirable thing on the part of a

OTTAWA, March 1.-The night sit ing of the house was devoted to I. C. R. matters, Emmerson reading o uch length a typewritten speech every cabinet minister who thought bristling with figures, but conveying no connected information. Haggart criticized Emmerson's statements with much effect and was followed till a Col. Sam Hughes congratulated Mr. late hour by Bennett, Lennox and oth

BISHOP'S COLLEGE

Looking to Absorption of Medical Devlin, M. P. Introduced in House Faculty by McGill.

MONTREAL, March 1.-Negotiations are now under way looking to the ab-Bishops College, Lennoxville, located ficers was elected and Hon. Mr. Borhere in Montreal, by the medical fac- den in replying to the motion of existence for over thirty years, but St. John, promised even greater gov- land. has never succeeded in attracting any ernment support than heretofore in considerable number of students. Its the coming year. Devlin, M. P., was north wind, clear at sunset. students have been largely recruited introduced today in the commons by from those who have fallen by the Laurier and Belcourt, and took hi wayside at McGill, from the West In- seat amid much applause from the dies, and women, to whom McGill was Quebec benches. turned out some of the leading medical men of Canada.

Delightful and effective. We are receiving the warmest testimonials to its in its way and abounding in humorous value. A lady who lately bought a sensations. ly troubled with roughness of skin and a high order and were well worth seehad never used anything to compare ing. The dancing was also good, and with Short's Skin Cure Lotion. As the duet between Miss Bryan and Mr. with Short's Skin Cure Lotion. all druggists, 25 cts. Accept no sub Huxtable was very catchy. The Circus as having passed Nantucket lightship

D. R. A. MEETING.

Amid Great Applause.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 1 .- The Do minion Rifle Association meeting to day was the most largely attended for thirty years. The old board of of-

The Fiske Stock Company was greet as usual the performance was well given and well received. The play was foundland November 29 for Jersey, The Circus Girl, a farce comedy, bright and the British sch Nelly, Capt Toms.

The moving pictures shown were of Girl will be repeated tonight



complimented by George Taylor for this DRIVING PARK ASSOCIATIONS.

MUNCTON, N. B., March 1 .- A meeting of the secretaries of the Driving Park Associations of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick was held in the board of trade rooms here this evening. The following were represented: Ampremier took the floor at 4.25 p. m., but beyond some tamely uttered generali- L. Somers; Chatham, R. A. Snowball; Fleming and John Ross; Moncton, D.

form purses not to exceed \$300. The following dates were arranged: Springhill, June 30, July 1st. Moncton, autonomy bill coupled with the silence July 7 and 8. Woodstock, Sussex and of the finance minister and Laurier's St. John latter part July. Springhill ticle. and Amherst, between 21st August and league, the only one of the old guard 5th September. Chatham, 9th to 13th

September. Fredericton, 14th to 20th September. Other dates to be filled in J. Flanagan has sold his dry goods business in Moncton to J. D. Creaghan he stock, which is inventoried at over

LATE SHIP NEWS.

Domestic Ports. HALIFAX, NS. March 1-Ard, 52 Sld, strs Baker, Schonwandt, for Bos-ton; Minia (cable), Decartert, for sea HALIFAX, NS. Feb 27-Sld, str Dominion, Dawson, for Gibraltar. British Ports.

Oceanic, for New York via Queens-LIZARD, March 1-Passed, str Kingfor London and Antwerp.

Foreign Ports. Barlow, from Charleston. fax; bark Shakespeare, for Liverpool;

Horse, and James A Stetson, coastwise. BOSTON, March 1-Ard, str Oxonian, of Islands, NF, via Gloucester, towed

Sld, str Cymric, for Liverpool. NAPLES, Feb 28-Sld, str Cretic, for

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, March -Passed, str Waccamaw, from Port and for Newport News; schs Mount Hope, from Newport News, bound east: Myrtle Leaf, from Elizabethport

PORTSMOUTH, NH, March 1-Sld, U S cutter Woodbury, for Portland; schs Wm H Davenport, for Bath; Walulty of McGill. Bishops has been in thanks seconded by Lt. Col. McLean of ter M Young (from Boston), for Port-CHATHAM, Mass, March 1-Light

> Miscellaneous. Barktn Rachel Emery, which was frozen in off Huntington, LI, early in the winter, was released today by tugs

> nd towed here. She will be towed to LONDON, March 1.—The British sch Conqueror, Capt Blampied, from New for Barcelona, have been posted at

NEW YORK, March 1-Str Astoria, from Glasgow and Moville for New York, is reported by wireless telegraph

OTTAWA LETTER.

Little Informal Talk on Tobacco Growing. Several Gentlemen Suggested Opinions-Hon. Mr. Brodeur Not Being Tobacco User Had no Personal Knowledge.

bate, or rather an informal talk, in the commons on Friday on tobacco grow- the throne" in the making of American Yorkers out of a million dollars. After ing and food adulteration that skimarrest ne skipped his bail bond, but is med the surface and left untouched now reported to have been found in the most important grievances with respect, to food sophistication. The Hon. Mr. Brodeur, minister of inland revenue, initiated the debate and Hon. brief remarks did not push his spade into new ground, contenting himself for the time with following the trench in Representatives Met at Moncton Last which the representative for Rouville, Quebec, wallowed. Foster could wait.

Night—Officers Elected.

Night—officers Elected. aries in his department. This increase by leaps and bounds and that a large he justified by dwelling on the growth of Canada's tobacco crop in the countage of the products of Ontario factories are not true to their names. ties of Essex and Kent, in Ontario, and in the Quebec counties of Montgomery, Berthier, Joliette, L'Assomption and ner, almost amounting to actual dis-Rouville. Pressed by Mr. Foster, the honesty, in which orders are filled, find minister admitted that it was the government's policy to make Canadians tutes ar adulterant appears to be consmoke this home grown tobacco. Mr. strued by the minister of inland re-Henderson of Halton, Ontario, scored venue to mean something injurious to erated the mutual regret that followed the severing of their long time cordial relations.

These complimentary remarks were all right in their way, but their hollowed all right in their way, but their hollowed the say one word in Fielding's defence, while the astute minister of finances was speedily punctured by Foster, and moderate phrases are lacidly in his seat with his are sat placidly in his seat with hi a point that smokers will appreciate, health, and Hon. Mr. Brodeur has no

agree dwith Mr. Henderson that there body knows are chiefly composed of was much to be done in the way of aniline dyes and chemical ethers. Pineproperly curing Canadian tobacco ere apple jelly is flavored with butric ethoccasion, as he had done last year,

therefore had no personal knowledge of the subject, but as a minister of the from the Canadian leaf. Mr. Hender- er cargo for many years. Better turson knocked the minister's castles into nips are not grown in North America, smithereens by remarking that until the department succeeded in getting a flavor similar to that of the tobacco name of American jellies or preserves. manufactured by Sir William Macdon- There is one thing to be said in favor ald, in which there is no Canadian leaf of the American article over its Onat all, it could not expect people to tario competitor, namely, that it is no drop the use of the American article. Offer sive to the eye by reason of the

practised by food manufacturers as Brodeur might say that these things Saxonia (from Liverpool), for Boston.

LIMERICK, March 1—Ard, str Heim,

Tonn St. John ND.

Restor of Canadian grown tobacco. He was all at sea when interrogated by

Mr. Forter of the cause of the ranktoo, possibly, are the hayseeds that
are mixed with the colored apple pumhe does about the cause of the rank- are in themselves healthful food. So, Mr. Foster as to what practical return mace to make it look like strawberry LIVERPOOL, March 1-Sld, str the country would get from the grant jam. of \$30,000, now asked, for the cost of fighting and exposing food adulterafood inspectors in different parts of gating turn of mind, and his question the country whose duty it is to collect samples whenever so requested by the government, but could not point to any NEW YORK, March 1-Ard, sch Jesse | practical work of their doing. They though this is his first session in recent had carried out instructions; that was days, he is treading on familiar ground. Sid, strs Silvia, for St Johns, NF; all. Last year the department had Duncan (fro mPerth Amboy), for Hali-fax; bark Shakespeare, for Liverpool; were found to be adulterated, but the lazy to make their own investigations. schs The Josephine (from Jacksonville) minister did not say their sale had No so Mr. Martin. When he gives no for Perth Amboy; William Bisbee, for Virginia; Gypsum Queen, for St John, made of jams and jellies with no pro-NB; Aetna, for Port au Prince; Wm H
Sumner, for Newport News; Arthur C
syrup were adulterated on a large Wade, for Brunswick; Fred A Small, scale with cane sugar and glucose, and sued to the local grit press to belittle wade, for Brunswick; Fred A Shadi, for Para; Carib II, for Porto Cortex.

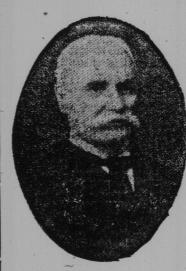
CITY ISLAND, March 1—Bound south, str North Star, from Portland.

With the wind of Dufferin, Ontario, forced the minister to acknowledge that several establishments in Montreal had of booming rather than discrediting ANTWERP, March 1-Sld, str Eton- been detected in shipping to the old the conservative member for Queen ian, for Boston.

COPENHAGEN, Feb 26—Ard, str L

country maple products, so called, that country maple products, so called, that subsidized ink and paper are not to the ruination of legitimate trade in thrown away in attacking opposition PORTLAND, Me, March 1—Ard, str the legitimate article. A painful evid- M. P.'s who give the government Governor Dingley, Dennison, from Gloucester; schs Ruth E Merrill, Wallace, from Newport News; Martha P Small, Barrow, from do; Abbie Ingalls, from Boston; Sarah C Smith, from do; received instructions to look into this question. Mr. Barr, following up his drawn down on his head the wrath of Railroad, Simmons, from Friendship; Rushlight, Beals, from Boston; Race advantage, made it clear that despite the existence of an "adulteration of food act" for some years, little or no BOSTON, March 1—Ard, str Oxonian, from Antwerp; schs Parthia, from Bay out adulterations. The minister parried these thrusts with polished generalities, each one weaker than its pre-William H Clifford, from Newport decessor. Mr. Brodeur is a plausible talker, but what he knows about the workings of his department will not fill a bushel measure.

> of so-called raspberry jam, in which apples had been used as a filler, and Mr. Brodeur replied that under the act when an article was found not to be true to its name, but contained nothing injurious to health, it was not onsidered to be adulterated, but it should be labelled "compound," else the manufacturer laid himself open to a stiff penalty. "People had no right to sell an article as raspberry jam if there is no raspberry at all in it." The minister added that strawberries being scarce, the manufacturers of jam were using turnips as the bulky base of the article, which was in direct vio lation of the food act. Mr. Lalor took CARRIAGE AND SLEIGH PAINTING issue with the minister for the apolo food adulterations and contended that as there was plenty of fruit in Canada not producing a pure article of james. ing and painting. The jams and jellies imported from England were found by analysis to be absolutely pure, but the Canadian tended to and satisfaction guaranteed. manufacturer was not properly pro-tected against the cheap competition to take charge of the paint shop.



SENATOR NELSON W. ALDRICH, OF RHODE ISLAND,

of the sophisticated United States products, that looked attractive, were put up in neat packages and afforded

the retailer a swell profit. As before remarked the minister and his critics only skimmed the surface of food adulteration. They could have said more and said it in a more busi-

would displace the American ar- er, and the odors of raspberries and Hon. Mr. Brodeur admitted on this same laboratory. For ten cents a man can buy enough fruit flavor to doctor ten cases of fruit jelly or jam. The coloring comes a little higher. it not for the Portland, Maine, and Boston jam and jelly factories, St. An reason why good plug smoking and drews turnips would not command the co could not be made high price they have sold at by schoonbut they come very dear to the From tobacco to food is not a far and pieces of cores, which form quite cry to a large portion of the commun- a formidable part of the contents of the ity. Brodeur while a good feeder, to cheap tub and pail jams sent down to judge by his appearance, seems to the maritime provinces from the Niknow as little about the impositions agara peninsula and its imitators. Mr.

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.-Mr. Martin o ns. He lamely admitted there were Queens, P. E. I., is a man of an investiyears of parliamentary life, and alnot have been turned upon him. His constituents will be pleased to know that his labors in their behalf have the maritime grit members. So long erals as their special victim will he be found faithful to his ante-election promises. And so long as grit holds sway in Canada will Mr. Martin be found in the front rank of its op-

including some fathers of confederation, which formerly graced the lobbies Mr. Lalor of Haldimand, asked the minister how he would interpret the term "adulteration of food" in the case to date gold paint; the oil pictures have been varnished with the latest glitter and to enhance the enormity of the offence, a sheet of glass has be put over every portrait. The corridors now look like the show windows of a ten cent store when it vomits forth a picture display. And this is the fruit of high art as it is taught in the Otta-To cure Headache in ten minutes use Kumfort Headache Powders, 10 cents.

NOTICE! AND REPAIRING.

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THE COURIER OF THE CZAR By Jules Verne

cles, more or less damaged by the long journey across the plains of Siberia. There, too, those passing from Europe to Asia purchase carriages during the by its three horses, left Perm in a summer and sleighs in the winter sea- cloud of dust. son before starting for a several months' journey through the steppes.

Michael Strogoff had already sketch ed out his programme, so now he had

only to execute it. A vehicle carrying the mail usually runs across the Ural mountains, but at the presers time this, of course, was discontinued. Even if it had not been so. Michael Strogoff would not have taken it, as he wished to travel as fast one. He wisely preferred to buy a car-

riage and journey by stages, stimulat-ing the zeal of the postitions by tips. Unfortunately, in consequence of the Michael was obliged to content himself As to horses, as long as the czar's courier was not in Siberia he could exhibit his podorojna without danger, and the postmasters would give him the preference. But once out of European Russia, he had to depend alone on the pow-

But to what sort of vehicle should he harness his horses?

vehicle. Springs are wanting in it, so sence of iron, wood is not spared, but its four wheels, with eight or nine feet between them, assure a certain eq rium over the jolting, rough roads. A the mud, and a strong leather bood, which may be pulled quite over the occupiers, shelters them from the great heat and violent storms of the summer. It was not without careful search that Michael managed to discover this tarantass, and there was probably not a second to be found in all the town of Perm. Notwithstanding that, he hag-

Korpanoff, a plain merchant of Ir-Nadia had followed her companion in his search after a suitable vehicle. Although the object of each was different, both were equally anxious to arrive and consequently to start. One would have said the same will animat-

gled long about the price, for form's

sake, to act up to his part as Nicholas

"Sister," said Michael, "I wish I could have found a more comfortable conveyance for you."

ed them both.

"Do you say that to me, brother, when I would have gone on foot, if need were, to rejoin my father?" "I do not doubt your courage, Nadia.

but there are physical fatigues which a "I shall endure them, whatever they may be," replied the girl. "If you ever hear a complaint from my lips, you may leave me in the road and continue

your journey alone." Half an hour later on, the podoroina being presented by Michael, three post horses were harnessed to the tarantass. These animals, covered with long hair,

were very like long legged bears. They were small, but spirited, being of Sibe-They were harnessed thus: One, the largest, was secured between two long

shafts on whose farther end was a hoop called a douga, carrying tassels and bells. The two others were simply fastened by ropes to the steps of the tarantass. This was the complete harness, with mere strings for reins. Neither Michael Strogoff nor the

young Livonian girl had any baggage. The rapidity with which one wished to make the journey and the more than modest resources of the other prevented them from embarrassing themselves with packages. It was a fortunate under the circumstances, for the tarantass could not have carried both baggage and travelers. It was only made for two persons, without counting the driver, who kept his equilibrium on his narrow seat in a marvelous

The driver is changed at every relay. The man who drove the tarantass during the first stage was, like his horses, a Siberian and no less shaggy than they-long hair, cut square on the forehead, hat with turned up rim, red belt, coat with crossed facings and buttons stamped with the imperial cipher. The driver on coming up with his team threw an inquisitive glance at the passengers of the tarantass. No luggage? And had there been, where in the world could he have stowed it? Rather shabby in appearance too. He looked contemptuous

"Crows," said he, without caring whether he was overheard or not; "crows at 6 copecks a verst!"

"No; eagles," said Michael, who anderstood the slang perfectly; "eagles, do you hear, at 9 copecks a verst and a

He was answered by a merry crack

of the whip. In the language of the Russian postilions the "crow" is the stingy or poor traveler who at the posthouses only pays 2 or 3 copecks a verst for the orses. The "eagle" is the traveler who does not mind expense, to say nething of liberal tips. Therefore the

erow could not claim to fly as rapidly as the imperial bird. Nadia and Michael immediately took their places in the tarantass. A small store of provisions was put in the box, in case at any time they were delayed | men were devoted to their mission in | ton,

in reaching the posthouses, which are At Perm the travelers sell their vehi- very comfortably provided under direction of the state. The hood was pulled up, as it was insupportably hot, and at 12 o'clock the tarantass, drawn

CHAPTER VI.



N the afternoon of the 23d of July Michael Strogoff and Nadia were not more than thirty versts from Ichim. Suddenly Michael caught sight of a carriage, scarcely visible among the clouds of dust, preceding them along the road. As his horses

were evidently less fatigued than those of the other traveler, he would not be long in overtaking it. This was neither a tarantass nor a telga, but a post berlin, all over dust and looking as if it measures taken against foreigners of had made a long journey. The postil-Asiatic origin, a large number of trav- ien was thrashing his horses with all elers had already left Perm, and there- his might and only kept them at a gallop by dint of abuse and blows. The berlin had certainly not passed through with what had been rejected by others. Novo-Saimsk and could only have struck the Irkutsk road by some less frequented route across the steppe.

Michael's first thought on seeing this berlin was to get in front of it and arrive first at the relay, so as to make sure of fresh horses. He said a word to his driver, who soon brought him up with the berlin.

As he passed a head was thrust out Michael Strogoff was lucky enough to of the window of the berlin. He had no time to see what it was It is to be hoped that the invention of like, but as he dashed by he distinctly Russian coachbuilders will devise some improvement in this last named out tone:

> But he did not stop. On the contrary, the berlin was soon distanced by the

It now became a regular race, for the horses of the berlin, no doubt excited by the sight and pace of the others, recovered their strength and kept up for ninutes. The two carriages were cloud issued the cracking of whips, mingled with excited shouts and ex-

clamations of anger. Nevertheless the advantage remained with Michael, which might be very impertant to him if the relay were poorly provided with horses. Two carriages were perhaps more than the postmaster could provide for, at least in a short

space of time. Half an hour after the berlin was left far behind, looking only a speck on the horizon on the steppe. It was 8 o'clock in the evening when

Michael and his companion arrived at the posthouse in Ichim. The news was worse and worse with

regard to the invasion. Here had arrived just a short time

The one was English, the other French. Both were tall and thin, but the latter was sallow, as are the southern provencals, while the former was ruddy like a Lancashire gentleman. The Anglo-Norman, formal, cold, grave, parsimonious of gestures and words, appearing only to speak or gesticulate der the influence of a spring operating at regular intervals. The Gaul, on the contrary, was lively and petulant, expressed himself with lips, eyes, hands, all at once, having twenty different ways of explaining his thoughts, whereas his interlocutor seemed to have only one immutably stereotyped

on his brain. The strong contrast they presented would at once have struck the most superficial observer, but a physiognomist, regarding them more closely, would have defined their particular characteristics by saying that if the Frenchman was "all eyes," the Englishman was "all ears."

In fact, the visual apparatus of the one had been singularly perfected by practice. The sensibility of its retina must have been as instantaneous as that of those conjurers who recognize a card merely by a rapid movement in cutting the pack or by the arrangement only of marks invisible to others. The Frenchman, indeed, possessed in the highest degree what may be called "the ory of the eye."

The Englishman, on the contrary, appeared especially organized to listen and to hear. When his aural apparatus had been once struck by the sound of a voice, he could not forget it, and after ten or even twenty years he would have recognized it among a thousand. His ears, to be sure, had not the power of moving as freely as those of animals who are provided with arge auditory flaps; but, since sciensess, in fact, a very limited power of movement, we should not be far wrong in affirming that those of the said Englishman became erect and turned in all directions while endeavoring to gather in the sounds in a manner apparent only to the naturalist. It must be observed that this perfection of sight and hearing was of wonderful assistance to these two men in their vocation, for the Englishman acted as correspondent for The Daily Telegraph and the Frenchman as correspondent of the-of what newspaper or of what newspapers he did not say, and when asked he replied in a jocular manner that he corresponded with "his cousin Madeleine." This Frenchman, however. beneath his careless surface was wonderfully shrewd and sagacious. Even while speaking at random, perhaps the better to hide his desire to learn, he never forgot himself. His loquacity even helped him to conceal his thoughts, and he was perhaps even more discreet

than his confrere of The Daily Tele-

the world-that they denghted to throw themselves in the track of the most unexpected intelligence; that nothing terrified or discouraged them from succeeding; that they possessed the imperturbable sang froid and the genuine intrepidity of men of their calling. Enthusiastic jockeys in this steeplechase, this hunt after information, they leaped hedges, crossed rivers, sprang over fences with the ardor of pure blooded racers who will run "a good first" or

Their journals did not restrict them with regard to money, the surest, the most rapid, the most perfect element of information known to this day. It must also be added, to their honor, that neither the one nor the other ever looked or listened at the walls of private life and that they only exercised their vocation when political or social interests were at stake. In a word, they made what has been for some years called "the great political and military

It will be seen in following them that they had generally an independent mode of viewing events and, above all, their consequences, each having his own way of observing and appreciating. The object to be obtained being of adequate value, they never failed to

expend the money required.

The French correspondent was named Alcide Jolivet. Harry Blount was the name of the Englishman. The dissimilarity of their characters, added to a certain amount of jealousy, which generally exists between rivals in the same calling, might have rendered them but little sympathetic. However, they did not avoid one another, but endeavored rather to exchange with each other the news of the day. They were two sportsmen, after all, hunting on the same grounds, in the same preserve. That which one missed might be advantageously secured by the other, and it was to their interest to meet

and converse together. From these two correspondents Michael learned that the town itself was menaced by the Tartar vanguard, and two days before the authorities had been obliged to retreat to Tobolsk. There was not an officer nor a soldier

On arriving at the relay Michael Strogeff immediately asked for horses. He had been fortunate in distancing

Only three horses were in a fit state to be immediately harnessed. The others had just come in worn out from a

put to.

As the two correspondents intended 2.10 1-5. to stop at Ichim, they had not to trouport and therefore had their carriage put away. In ten minutes Michael was told that

his tarantass was ready to start. "Good," said he. Then, turning to the two reporters,

he said: "Well, gentlemen, since you remain at Ichim, I wish you success in the prosecution of your mission."

Jolivet, "shall you not stop even for an hour at Ichim?" "No, sir, and I also wish to leave the posthouse before the arrival of a berlin 2.03 2-5. which I distanced."

"Are you afraid that the traveler will dispute the horses with you?" "I particularly wish to avoid any difdeulty."

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U. N. B. CONVERSAZIONE.

Some Hundreds in Attendance-Reyal Gazette Announcements.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 1 .-Today's Royal Gazette contains the 1.43 2-5. application of James Ready, Thomas The same parties also apply for incorporation as the Fairville Electric Co., capital, \$2,500, divided into 25 shares. The Dominion Realty Co., Toronto, and Dominion Atlantic Co. of London, en that at next legislature session apdication will be for passage of an act of incorporation of the Civil Engineering Society of New Brunswick.

Tenders are called for the building of Plaster Rock Road, Victoria Co. The conversazione held at the uniersity last evening by the students of that institution was a brilliant success The guests numbered some hundreds. Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Scott received. Some twenty dances formed the programme, which lasted until two o'clock this morning. The university was prettily decorated for

Rev. Dr. Chown of Toronto, delivered an interesting lecture at the Methodist church this evening to a good 1.56 2-5. audience, his subject being Temperance and Morality Reform. Once more the trains are running on 3rd.

PAINS!-FOR SOCIETY FOLK. People of ashion do things somemes that cause pain in the stomach and aches in the kidneys. Hard work and hard pleasure have pretty nearly an, Jimmy Price, W. A. Evans, H. Belthe same results. A sour stomach, a bad breath and pains about the heart and head are caused by gases from the stomach. Hutch cures them quickly. You take one when you feel badly. Three at night to move the bowels took the leaf to l meal, and your trouble will go away. It is Nature's own remedy for pain. They are chocolate coated, and con-

than his confrere of The Daily Telegraph.

It is needless to say that these two mea were devoted to their mission in the deficition.

The Daily Telegraph and minister of public works; Archambault, attorney general works; Archambault,

sent at the M. P. A. A. A. sports in the sixth lap, when Belyea jumped the Queen's Rink last night and all into the lead and set a fast pace, beenjoyed a good evening's sport. Price ing confident that he could tire again distinguished himself, winning lap he led at a terrific pace, consider the mile and three mile races. In the latter event he was hardly pressed by strain told on him, and Price then

made the mile equal to sixteen laps the two mile, the time for which wa and sixty-four feet. The posts were short of 5,280 feet.

The officials last night were Referee—Col. G. West Jones. Clerk of course—P. B. Holman. Assistants-R. L. Sipperell and A. J.

A. Lockhart, S. L. Kerr, R. Frith.

Judges at turn—W. C. Rising, Ed.

in the best of condition the 10 n
mark would have been reached. Mooney, Wm. Murray, Kenneth Inches.

Starter-Frank White. Announcer-Jas. Carlyle. The races were as follows:

440-First Heat. Entries-Fred Logan, N. R. C.; Wm. McDonald. Westville; W. A. Evans. Logan, 1st; Evans, 2nd. Time, 48 2-5. The surprise in this heat was the defeat of McDonald by Evans. The Nova Scotian was not at home in the

Entries-Jimmy Price, Y. M. C. A.; A. Logan, Hilton Belyea. Price 1st; Belyea, 2nd. Time, 51 sec.

440-Final. Logan, 1st; Evans, 2nd; Price, 3rd.

start. Logan was loudly cheered as the Rothesay College team Saturday he crossed the line a winner, with night at the Victoria rink. Evans second and Price third.

Half-Mile Junior Boys-First Heat. Fred O'Brien, F. Elliott, Ira Scott, Geo.

Scott finished first, but he had foulble themselves to find means of trans- ed Coleman on the seventh lap and was put back one place. Second Heat.

Entries—Roy Spears, Harry Bridges, Mrs. F. White, Rev. P. O. Jones, Willie George, Sam McDonald, Wm. McGivern, Allan McCavour, James Hunter, Lisle McGowan, Herbert Donahoe. Fred Stone, Joe Kane, McDonald, 1st; McGowan, 2nd. Time,

"What, Mr. Korpanoff," said Alcide Entries-James Bennett, Chas. Nevins, W. Finn, Jack Bates, Len Bridges, Don Mooney, Marshall Roderick. Allen Shaw, Jack Olive, Frank Killen. Nevins, 1st; Roderick, 2nd.

> Scott, 1st; Nevins, 2nd. Time, 2.04. 880-First Heat. Entries-Hilton Belyea, Fred Logan, W. A. Evans.

Belyea 1st, Logan 2nd. Time, 1.43 3-5. Logan had the lead at the start, but Belyea jumped on the fourth lap and held his position to the finish.

Entries-Jimmy Price, Wm. McDon-Price 1st, McDonald 2nd. Time,

Final. Entries-Price, Logan, McDonald, McDonald 1st, Price 2nd. Time,

At the pistol Price went into the lead. Logan trailing him and McDon-C. Ready, Margaret Ready, Mary ald fourth. Within two laps McDon Ready and Sarah Farry, all of St. ald had come up to third place. Then John, for incorporation as the James Belyea startled the bunch by a steal ent business of James Ready brewery. mitted a foul. Price regained the lead capital, \$50,000, divided into 500 shares. and Logan was following him close day afternoon to consider a change Ready Co., Ltd., to carry on the pres- on the turn in the fourth lap but com-

Belyea's foul on the fourth lap dis-qualified him. Logan's crowding Price is made this minimum may be put

Wm. Harvey, Fred Alchorn, Bert Alchorn, Roy Lugrin, H. Rothwell, Chas. 25,000 pounds of beans from Ontario Rothwell 1st, F. Alchorn 2nd. Time,

Second Heat.

Hipwell 1st, McGourty 2nd, Rothwell Time, 1.49 2-5. The half mile backward race did not exhibition race and was loudly applauded.

One Mile Amateur. Entries-Wm. McDonald, Fred Log-

ly. Three at night to move the bowels next morning, then one after each passed him, Logan, Evans and Belyea falling in behind and McDonald dropped out. Evans fell and the number was further reduced. It was a splentain nothing that is injurious. There did race between Price and Logan is nothing like it in the world. It's a The latter made repeated efforts to doctor for ten cents! At your drug- pass him but could not touch the mile HOTEL ARRIVALS.

VICTORIA HOTEL, March 1.—H WILLIAM Springhill: E W Munson, Montreal; F N Whittaker, Bangor; L C Prime, Westfield: S L C Coleman Roberts and a wind tumultum ous cheering he came in a winner. The time for the first half was slow, being the distance being done in 1.38 2-5.

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Three Mile of the first half was swift, the distance being done in 1.38 2-5. champion, who was swinging along with

ing and had a most sensational finish, Belyea making a magnificent spurt on Y. M. C. A. man to put out every

The bunch had been loafing up to ing confident that he could tire out the others. From the 6th to the 33rd forged ahead. Evans had dropped out The official measurement of the rink early in the race, and Logan quit at 7.06. Price increased his lead to 20 and sixty-four feet. The posts were placed farther away from the sides than in former races, but there is no doubt that the mile skated in 2.57 in the F. M. A. sports was considerably sport of 5.280 feet. could not pass Price and the latter

won. Time, 10.25 2-5.

This time is exceedingly fast for Queen's Rink, and it is doubtful if better will ever be made on, that ice.

Timers—A. P. Patterson, H. C. first and second place men in the championship events with the medals which Mr. Spencer had offered. Prizes John Sun of February 12, commenting Sir Mackenzie thought that perhaps

A large crowd was again in the Vic- the resignation of ministers in 1895-6. toria Rink to see Champion Quinn in He read this letter asserting that there square rink, however, and could not row and made a jump upon a table and barrels. He performed a new trick of jumping in and out of a barrel; he repeated the straight and backward jumps over two different pairs of bar-Several exhibitions of handsprings were also given. A hurdle race Competed-Logan, Evans, Price, Bel- of 220 yards between Whitebone and Quinn was won by the local man. At the Victoria rink last night the Victorias won from the Onawas in a Logan jumped into the lead at the game of hockey by a score of 2 to 1,

CURLING.

skip......12 skip...... Mrs. E. A. Smith, A. P. Hay, skip..... 7 skip...... 9

skip......12 skip......11

BASKET BALL. yesterday in the Y. M. C. A. gym. The line up was as follows:

Business Men. Intermediates. Plummer....Forwards....Kierstead McDougall....Centre....Brown Dewit Defence Gorham The business men scored 11 points,

while their oponents secured 7.

Today the junior team athletic events will be the 100 yard dash and ball

TALKED FREIGHT MATTERS.

Committee of Board of Trade Discussed Recent Change Made by Railroads.

The transportation committee of the and Logan was following him close day afternoon to consider a change when the latter attempted to pass Price which has been made by the railways on the inside. There was not room and Price was fouled so badly that he went off his feet and brought down Logan with him. McDonald jumped to increased to 40,000 pounds. At one are granted renewal licenses to do business in the province. Notice is givanother increase has been made. Shipoff his own ice at the turn also put him still higher, and that carload rates of out of the race, and the judges award- freight will soon become a thing only to talk about and never experience. Half Mile Senior Boys—First Heat.

Entries—Wm. Alchorn, Arthur Howe,
Wm. Harvay Fred Alchorn Port Alchorn charged. For instance, if a man wants he pays local rates, and if another man wants 15,000 pounds to be brought on the same car, he too will pay the local rate, even though the full load Entries-Albert Logan, Roy McLean, reaches the amount necessary to quali-Eldon Rolston, Willie McCarthy, Leon- fy it for the lower rate. This can be ard Campbell, Gerald McGourty, Geo.

Lawson, A. McKinney, G. Hipwell.

Corsign the goods to the one man, to Hipwell 1st, McGourty 2nd. Time, be distributed here, but the railway will not, when granting carload rates, accept separate bills of lading.
This increase in the minimum of course makes it harder than ever for

shippers to take advantage of the lowcome off. W. A. Lockhart skated an er rates and the meeting in the board of trade rooms was to discuss the acpresentatives of the freight departments of the I. C. R. and C. P. R. were present, and the result of the meeting will be reported to the full

HOME FOR INCURABLES

The March meeting of the board of management of the Home for Incurables was held yesterday afternoon. During the past month one death oc-curred, and one patient left the institution to live with her friends. Orders

SIR MACKENZIE BOWELL MAKES A STATEMENT.

'Nest of Traitors" an Appropriate Expression---The Whole Seven Were Conspirators---Sorry He Took Them Back.

OTTAWA, March 1.-In the senate | to the professed ignorance of Mr. Hage mile amateur, and had the ice been in the best of condition the 10 minute today Sir Mackenzie Bowell asked the championship events with the medals man. A letter appeared in the St. count of the fast Atlantic service, and

will also be given to the winners in on a debate in parliament concerning told. his marvellous jumping feats. Mr. was an agreement that Sir Mackenzie felt no animosity to Sir Mackenzie. It should resign in 1896 in favor of Sir reminded him of Aesop's fable of the 4.10 1-2. In the standing high jump he Charles Tupper. He should have remain who warmed a viper in his cleared 4 feet 2 inches, and in the runfor the absence of Hon. Mr. Ferguson. that there was an agreement that Sim also cleared six barrels placed in a debate in the house of commons on or of Sir Charles Tupper, Sir Mackenzie negotiate the corners, in this first race. then with his impetus bounded over 5 February 10th, when the resignations said it was absolutely untrue. of ministers were discussed by Sir Wm. Mulock, Hon. John Haggart and Hon. erdeen he entirely refused to give any G. E. Foster. The statements made by the two latter, he would show were untrue and he could not understand it was true, but those interviews were why they were made after this length with regard to the returns to office of of time. Mr. Foster knew when he the conspirators. This was made withmade certain statements reported by out any stipulation or agreement as the Globe, the News, and the Mail, to his future conduct. He read from during the last dominion election that his speech in the senate in January. he was making statements which he 1896, when he stated that he had tenknow were untrue. Mr. Foster had to dered his resignation to his excellency. start and Belyea fell in behind, and Price was last. He soon passed Mc
Milligan and Kee shooting a goal for the Victorias, Parker shooting the goal be asked to explain why he resigned to accept it until parliament had passed on the speech from Donald, but the leaders had too big a for the Onawas. The Victorias play question by falling back on the sacred- the throne. ness of his oath of office, but as a matter of fact the matter leading to the left a stain on the escutcheon of the resignations were not discussed in conservative party which can never be council. Sir Mackenzie referred to removed whilst they are accepted as

Entries—Len Coleman, Edward Cus-ack, Herbert Nixon, Herbert McLeod, D. Miles won the Shaw medal in the parliament nine years ago, showing said he felt no sorrow for his actions that the questions leading to the dif- at that time, but Sir Mackenzie said Coleman, 1st; Scott, 2nd. Time, noon between the ladies and gentlemen players of St. Andrew's curling Scott finished first, but he had foul-club resulted in a win for the latter favor of Mr. Foster's candidature, and regretting that he called these gentlements of the capture ferences were not of policy, but of he did not think Mr. Haggart capa by a score of 46 to 38 points. The read a letter dated October 3rd, in men back to the cabinet. Sir Macwhich Sir Mackenzie declined, show- kenzie did not remember applying the ing that the return of Mr. Foster and words "nest of traitors" to the bolters, his co-conspirators to office showed but he would have been justified in that there was no question of policy doing so, and should have done so. In between them. Sir Mackenzie had order that there would be no doubt, taken them back to office reluctantly he would after full consideration use in the interests of the party and had them now.

them to office without stain or blemish Sir Mackenzie Bowell read a carefully prepared statement by Mr. Fos-The business men defeated the in- ter in which he declared on behalf of termediates in a game of basket ball himself and his colleagues that matters himself and his colleagues that matters of policy had nothing to do with their told that Mr. Foster's and was told that Mr. Foster wanted to see resignations in 1896, and stating that him. Immediately on his entry Mr. he and his colleagues resigned because Foster met him and asked him to join they had no confidence in his power to they had no confidence in his power to lead. The reasons given by the seven ment under Sir Charles Tupper and ministers who resigned for their resigministers who resigned for their resignations, were not correct. He said he that a remedial bill would be introwould read the reason in their own duced immediately on the assembling words, and read the declaration made of the new parliament, and also force by Mr. Foster in the commons in Jan-uary, 1896, in which they implied that gan refused, but a comparison of notes they deemed stronger government party. He compared these documents Mr. Foster's house whilst this curred in by Mr. Haggart, in which the plot was from Hon. J. H. Wood, Mr. Foster declared that the govern- who told him that something serious ment was united in policy without a was on foot, but that he would remain shade of disruption. The Mail stated true to him. Mr. Wood joined the always marked, could be placed office, where several of the ministers against Sir Mackenzie for honesty, were, and the conversation turned on

> nection with the old country. Turning to bestow a few minutes on matters. from men of the Munchausen type of since his return. Mr. Costigan promisthe Foster-Haggart crew. Referring denied it utterly.

turn at that time, Sir Mackenzie said some day the true history would be

He felt a certain gratitude on reading Mr. Haggart's statement that he

In proof of the fact that the "bolt" Referring to Mr. Foster's charge that he resigned as a matter of policy and that the governor general returned before the bolt Mr. Foster asked him if he did not think younger blood was wanted at the head of the party, as the premier was too "old." The young blood possibly was Sir Charles Tup-per. On January 1st, 1896, Mr. Costishowed that at that very moment Sir necessary to the best interests of the Mackenzie was in the drawing room of speeches made by Mr. Foster and going on in the library. The first in-Montague at Perth in 1895, and con- timation Sir Mackenzie Bowell had of that Mr. Foster bestowed a warm traitors, and Sir Mackenzie refused to eulogy on Sir Markenzie. Mr. Mon- allow him to make an explanation. ague said that during seventeen years About the same time Mr. Costigan of public life not one premier, he had walked into the minister of justice's while as premier he had always favor- the difficulties of the session, but they ed bload lines of policy and closer con- believed that if Sir Mackenzie and Siz Charles would meet they could arrange

that eminent statesman, John Hag- Mr. Dickey informed Mr. Costigangert, Sir Mackenzie said, no true his- than Sir Charles feared calling on Size tory of the events of 1896 would come Mackenzie as he had not seen him John Haggart. Having read Mr. Hag- ed to see Sir Mackenzie on the matter gart's speech in the commons on Feb- and return in fifteen minutes. He ruary 10th, Sir Mackenzie stated the found Sir Mackenzie with Sir Adolph causes of Clarke Wallace's resignation, Caron and obtained a promise for the which was within his rights. Regard- desired interview. He found that Mr. ing the resignation of Mr. Ouimet, Mr. Dickey had gone to Mr. Foster's room Angers and Sir Alolph Caron, Sir and followed him, then when he was Mackenzie said he was inclined to ex- told that it was too late and that they haust every possible means to induce had signed and sent their resignations Manitoba to take action, wailst they to his excellency, Mr. Dickey added were in favor of immediate action. The that Sir Mackenzie Bowell would refeeling against remedial legislation in sign the next day. This Mr. Costigan Ontario was as strong as that in fav-denied, when consternation prevailed. or of it was in Quebec. Upon the prom- Sir Mackenzie alluded to the picketing ise of remedial legislation falling ne- which was carried on to prevent eligible gotiations, Sir Adolph Caron and Mr. gentlemen from accepting office in the Ouimet returned to office. Mr. Angers place of "bolters." Regarding George refused, and had his reward from Taylor's statement that an agreement those whom he had sacrificed himself. was made for Sir Charles Tupper to Sir Adolph Caron was left out of the lead the commons during the session Tupper cabinet by the machinations of and then succeed him, Sir Mackenzie

Parent Will Resign.

Quebec Premier Steps Out on Saturday—Gouin Will Be Premier and Minister of Public Works.

QUEBEC, March 1.-Hon. S. N. Par- | Rodolphe Roy, minister agriculture; W. were passed yesterday for the admission of two patients. Among the donations since the previous month was a disinfector from Struan Robertson.

QUEBBC, March 1.—Hon. S. N. Park and probably another minister agriculture; W. A. Weir, and probably another minister agriculture; W. A. Weir,

ST. JOHN STAR, THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1905.

It is going to be an old-fashioned Bargain Day with us, in keeping with this old-fashioned winter we are having. There will be such bargains prevailing in every department that it will pay every lady in St. John to visit the store during the day, and the lines advertised are only a few which are brought forward,-there are many others.

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celestial city one week from today. Band in Carleton Open Air Rink to-

A quantity of cents can be had at the office of the Sun Printing Com-

The Royal Gazette of yesterday's date contains a notice of the dissolution of the co-partnership of Joseph Quinn and C. B. Alien, tinsmiths and hard ware dealers, Main street, North End.

Policeman John Smith, who fell on the ice on Paradise Row early in the winter and broke his leg has so far re-covered as to be able to be out for an hour or so at a time.

Michael J. McGrath, of Golding street, was painfully injured Tuesday He fell from the loft of his barn through a trap to the floor and ligaments of his side were torn. Dr. J. M. Barry is attending him.

The dining room in the Bank of Nova Scotia was started yesterday under circumstances which point to the wisdom of such a move. The room is handsomely appointed and the service Mr. Henderson presided. excellent. Other banks in the city will probably be similarly equipped.

George Humphrey denies the story who stowed away on a South African steamer in 1900. He says he signed on

An advertisement in the Royal Gaz-Kent Co., that unless they pay their taxes within two months their real estate will be sold to pay the amount due at the time the which in each occasio that the control of the control of

investigation were appointed to deal with such matters as were considered within their jurisdiction. The next neeting will be held on Tuesday even-

The manager of the Seamen's Institute begs to acknowledge the receipt of a very fine British coat of arms, the work of H. T. & J. McGowan. The raised work is beautifully decorated

monds street tomorrow evening at 8 of the roads severely o'clock. The supreme president will On the other hand meeting in the interests of the society.
By order of JOHN WALKER District has steadily climbed from 24c. to 33

James Ready, Thomas Louis Ready, while eggs are quoted all the way from while eggs are quoted all the way from 44 to 48c, per dozen. Many poor and none-too-well-off people have had to erase butter from their bill of fare, but panies' Act, the firm name to be James even steady earners make no bones in Ready, Limited. The company proposes to carry on the ale business now ly. conducted by James Ready, and known as the New Brunswick Brewery.

James E. Kane, son of contractor J. F. Kane, was yesterday morning married to Miss Edith C. Barlow, daughter of Capt. William Barlow. The ceresituation here is becoming worse. Today 4,000 men struck at the Hartmann
works.

A general strike of 200,000 minors in A general strike of 200,000 miners in the Donelz coal fields is expected Mar. return will reside in Lancaster.

> Inquiry into the death of John Tufts, the body and the inquiry was adjourned until Wednesday evening, March 15, at 7 o'clock in the court house. The adjournment was made by the coroner to give the witnesses from the lumber camps a chance to get to court, when the roads will be in better condition than at present.

> > THIS EVENING.

Fiske Stock Co. at the Opera House Annual meeting of the British and Foreign Bible Society at St. Andrew's High tea at St. John the Baptist

church. Gurney Division, Sons of Temperance discussion by J. B. Belding, "How to Reach Strangers on the Street." Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, ball hustle

DO YOU WANT A WALKING SKIRT?

The real value of a bargain is its immediate usefulness. That's what the Walking and Dress Skirts will be when the keen shoppers get overhaul Costume Department. Read Manchester's advt. in this issue for particulars of the low-priced disposal. It will sur-

SERGT. HIPWELL INJURED.

Police Sergeant Hipwell, the oldest man on the force, fell on the steps from the central station to the jail yard yesterday afternoon and was rather badly injured. His wrist was badly wrenched and he was considerably sha-Officer Earle assisted him home and it will be some days before especially residential localities, are im-

Sergt. Hipwell is 77 years of age and the wet feet season will have con has been on the police force 54 years, menced with all its discomforts,

POLICE COURT

Phoebie Dukeshire is Down on Her Luck -A Drunk Sent to Halifax.

I'wo common drunks were fined in the terial for articles for his paper. police court this morning and two rather uncommon ones appeared before the court, one of whom, Phoebe Lumbermen's Association of the United Duckshire, disappeared down the stairs States at their annual banquet in

Phoebe Duckshire denied most emphatically the insulting charge of being drunk and said that she went out to shut and bar the window which feat she performed successfully. thought it highly improbable that a drunken lady could bar a window. The eph McIntyre, of this city, for degrees court, however, was not sufficiently impressed with the argument to let her off, and she was fined to the court, and she was fined to the court, however, was not sufficiently impressed with the argument to let her off, and she was fined to the court, however, was not sufficiently impressed with the argument to let her off, and she was fined to the court of the court off, and she was fined \$8 or twenty days. She went below muttering the

James Dwyer came in on the Boston train. He had been drunk a greater part of the journey from Boston and when arrested a ticket to Halifax was found on the car floor. Dwyer said that he had some money, too, but that could not be found. He said this morning in court that he was on his way to Hali-fax to see his mother, who is sick in that city. He was given his ticket and told to proceed on the C. P. R. at 12.15

out of the city, otherwise he would be In the absence of Police Magistrate

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

That Pilsener Beer.

To the Editor of the Star: Sir,-In the Star this evening Eben the steamer's crew as a trimmer and Perkins is represented as saying "Atreceived his discharge in the regular torney General Pugsley had the percentage of alcohol allowed in temperance drinks raised to let in Pilsener beer, which if not sold in beer shops ette notifies William Clancy and John Withy, of the Parish of Saint Louis,

tate will be sold to pay the amount due promoted, I beg to say that the matter was never before the alliance in worthy the patronage of all lovers of worthy the patronage of all lovers of correction and oblige

A. H. FOSTER.

BUTTER AND EGGS STILL CLIMBING.

up in the air in price and blockaded traffic is keeping the supply back." This is the general complaint. Even countrymen are at a loss to know what

A joint meeting of Portland and of their live stock, and as to other pro-Marlborough Lodges Sons of England will be held in the Orange Hall, Si-On the other hand city folks are be in attendance and will address the dancing to a merry tune in the line of

in the cheapest stores, (and some of it is quite strong enough to climb, too),

"What a rush there will be," suggested a market merchant "when the go-ing becomes good again; then we'll get the pile of butter, thousands of eggs and no end of veal."

THE CANADIAN WOODEN WARE CO.

R. B. Emerson, W. S. Fisher, F. R. Murray, S. L. Emerson and Mrs. Mabel Fisher are asking for an act of incor-poration as The Canada Wooden Ware Co. (Ltd.) for the purpose of the manufacture of all kinds of wooden ware, menced last evening by Coroner D. E. Berryman. The following jury were empannelled: Robert T. Worden for two pairs, baskets, shooks, matches, and wooden utensils, furniture, sashes blinds, moulding, house for two pairs, pairs, wooden ware, clothes pins, pails, wooden packages and wooden utensils, furniture, sashes MEGARITY & KELLEY,
MARSH BRIDGE.

Berryman. The following jury were empannelled: Robert T. Worden, foreman, J. S. Seaton, G. F. Thompson, D. Watson, E. Finegan, J. W. Lee and James Mokinney. In charge of Mokinney. In charge of Mokinney. iron and metals and manufactures of iron and metals of all kinds, including the carrying on of a foundry and a general machine and repair shop; also t carry on the business of an light company in all its branches, and to have the power to purchase, build, erect and maintain, electric and steam power and light machinery and appliances in the Parish of Hampton, in the County of King's, and to erect maintain and use poles and wires along the public highways and elsewhere within the said Parish of Hampton for the transmission of electricity for power and lighting.

THE FISH MARKET.

Owing to the many storms of the past weeks the supply of fish is limited. A few gaspereaux have come in, which sold at six cents each. A limited sup-ply of fresh caught halibut is new in. Clams are very scarce, owing to the N. B Southern bleckade. The market to-

norrow will be as follows: Cod 5c. Haddock 50 Halibut Salmon 14-20e. White fish 12c Herring 15c

RUSH FOR RUBBER BOOTS.

Prespects of a thaw indicate a big rush for rubber boots. This is not a gratuitous advertisement for the shoe stores but a cool fact. All the streets. he is out again. This is the second fall the aged officer has had this winwhen this commences to get spongy

pondent of Le Matin, Paris, passed through the city yesterday on his way to St. Pierre, where he is to secure ma-

to her cell to pay the penalty while the other, James Dwyer, was allowed to go on condition that he should leave the city on the C. P. R. for Halifax. Mrs. F. H. Tingley left yesterday for

> Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Parlee were pas sengers from New York yesterday. Among the candidates for degrees at Geo. M. Barker returned to the city last night.

D. Cameron of Sackville ,assistant absurdity of thinking a drunken lady inspector of the Royal Bank, is registered at the Royal Hotel. Miss Bessie Wetmore of St. John is the guest of Miss Clara Ryan. Miss Edna Hunter of St. John is visiting friends in the city. Miss Bertha Fails of St. John is visiting Miss Fannie Fowler.-Gleaner.

G. W. Gerow is confined to his house through illness. Mrs. D. A. Morrison of St. John ar rived in Amherst yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Morrison have rented the house formerly occupied by M. D. Pride, on the corner of Havelock and Prince Arthur streets. The citizens of Amherst
will extend a cordial welcome to Mr.
and Mrs. Morrison.—Amherst News.
Mrs. Tilley of Fredericton, N. B., is
staying with Lady Tilley, Spadina av-

nue.—Toronto Globe.
Dr. A. Pierce Crocket leaves shortly for New York to attend the eye and ear hospitals there to look into the latest advances in these lines. Crocket will take a special course. Edward L. Rising of Waterbury & Rising, left last evening on a busines trip to the Upper Provinces.

BIG SALE OF TICKETS.

As secretary of the L. D. Alliance at the time this legislation was being at Victoria rink. The V. S. and A. Club The grand jury met last evening to consider the details contained in the charge of Judge Forbes to them Tuesday last. A number of committees of investigation were appointed to deal will be present in thousands making a grand spectacle worth seeing.

> The funeral of the late Mrs. Jane Smith took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from her late residence, 32 Pitt blinders on my horse and feed him shavings," said a well-known horseman to the Star today "for her late residence, 32 Pitt street. The service was conducted by Rev. R. P. McKim. Interment was at Cedar Hill cemetery. No pull-bearest



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