





OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE.

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Santa Claus and Policeman. "Goodday, Mr. Policeman. Will you please tell me the best place in Montreal to buy Pianos and Organs."

number of Pianos and Organs by mail which are shipped to you by the trial being allowed each instrument. Date of application.

Saturday. The funeral took place this morning, the interment being in St. Michael's cemetery. The unfortunate man was about 22 years old and belonged to Tracadie.

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WHITE'S COVE.

White's Cove, Queens Co., Dec. 14.—The friends of the Rev. F. W. Foote, of the Grand Lake circuit, presented him with a valuable raccoon coat and beautiful sash on Christmas Eve.

TRURO.

Truro, N. S., Dec. 16.—(Special)—The Truro board of trade has arranged special excursion rates to Truro on the railways for December 22 and will have a big sales day.

FIELDING CLOSERS AMHERST FAIR.

(Continued from page 1) and a resolution moved by C. A. Archibald, and seconded by C. F. Rogers, to the I. C. R. and other railways for excellent transportation facilities that had been afforded, Hon. Mr. Fielding declared the exhibition formally closed.

The most expensive Underwear that money can buy is not better made than Stanfield's Washable Underwear. Made in Canada of Nova Scotia wool, and guaranteed unshrinkable.

Beef Cattle Specials. 1. Donated by Frost & Wood Co., Ltd., implement manufacturers, Smith's Falls (Ont.) Sweepstakes for the best animal.

Live Poultry. Section 1, Light Brahma cock—A. S. Magee, Berwick (N. S.), 2nd and 3rd.

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PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME. A Letter From Congressman White, of North Carolina. Congressman George Henry White, of Tarboro, N. C., writes the following letter to Dr. Hammeck concerning Peruna.

AUSTRALIAN WOMEN GIVEN BALLOT AND SURPRISES RESULT. Melbourne, Dec. 16.—The first of the commonwealth general elections at which women exercised the right of suffrage was held today, with the result that all political calculations were upset.

Foster to Run in Toronto? Montreal, Dec. 17.—Le Globe, the French Canadian paper, published this morning says that Hon. Geo. E. Foster was offered the nomination for the Ontario division, Montreal, but declined because he says he has previously accepted the nomination for a Toronto constituency.

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NEW BRUNSWICK'S AGENT GENERAL'S VISIT TO FRANCE. Mr. Duff-Miller, with Representatives of N. S. and P. E. I., Received by Loubet. The following is taken from the B. C. Review, of London, in which it appeared on Dec. 5.—

CLERGUE INTERVIEWS ONTARIO GOVERNMENT ABOUT "300" INQUIRIES. Toronto, Dec. 16.—(Special)—F. H. Cleague, H. C. Hamilton, Sault Ste Marie, James Comrie, M. P., Port Arthur, T. J. Drummond, Montreal, and others interested in the Lake Superior Consolidated Company, interviewed the Ontario government today regarding if the company is wound up, the land grant to the Algoma Central Railway should protect Canadian creditors.

No Sporting Blood in Him. Watch Henry Clay Frick! John D. Rockefeller has looked up with a number of spectators in his trial yesterday.

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ANOTHER I. C. R. DELEGATION ASKS FOR INCREASED PAY. Moncton, Dec. 16.—(Special)—A delegation of I. C. R. machinists is in the city and will tomorrow engage in consultation with General Manager Pottinger in reference to an increase of pay.









THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1908.

TORONTO CLAIMS FAMED ST. JOHN ACTRESS, MISS MARGARET ANGLIN.

Her Genius Acknowledged and Tribute Paid to Her "Wholesome and Elevating Teaching"—National Pride and Gratitude in Following Her Career.



MISS MARGARET ANGLIN.

Toronto now claims St. John's popular actress, Miss Margaret Anglin, and at the same time she is paid a high tribute by the Mail and Empire of that city. In its editorial columns that newspaper prints the following: It is not often that a young country like Canada can successfully aspire to present in the higher paths of art. Indeed, we are frequently, almost too frequently, reminded that we have hardly yet had wherein the poetry of life produces its trust and its greatest interpreters. Yet in several respects Canadians have already revealed undoubted capacity and command of the artistic instinct.

We have given to literature some bright and particular stars. We have caught on canvas many genuine glimpses of nature. To the empire of music we have given an Alban. In the world of dramatic art we have not lacked representatives. We have given to the stage a woman who has not only been a success in the eyes of the public, but who has also been a success in the eyes of the critics. Even more remarkable and gratifying to all Canadians is the position which a young Toronto lady, Miss Margaret Anglin, has taken on the stage. Born in the parliament buildings at Ottawa, while her father was speaker of the house of commons, Miss Anglin gave herself to the dramatic profession in obedience to the irresistible call of a highly artistic temperament. In spite of domestic and social pressure, she has followed her own path, and has achieved a position of prominence in the theatre.

REV. L. G. MACNEILL THE TEACHING OF FRENCH

Resigns Pastorate of St. Andrew's Church—Voted a Retiring Allowance.

A largely attended congregational meeting was held Wednesday in the vestry of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. His Honor Judge Forbes occupied the chair, and a communication was read from Rev. L. G. Macneill tendering his resignation to take effect from Jan. 1, and suggesting that a committee be appointed to consider his resignation. The committee reported that the resignation was accepted, and that a retiring allowance of \$800 a year for five years was also voted.

NO CONTAGIOUS DISEASE AT ST. JOSEPH'S

The Telegraph's correspondent at St. Joseph writes that the death of Wallace Coffin, a student from Grand Metis (P. Q.), on Sunday last, from membranous sore throat, has somewhat alarmed a few of the younger students and their parents. The alarm is quite unfounded, however, as there is no diphtheria or other contagious disease at the university. Dr. Gaudet, the attending physician, authorizes this statement, and the attendance of two of his own sons at regular classes is additional proof that the health conditions at the university are good. Mr. Coffin, who also has two sons at the university, was a visitor at St. Joseph's yesterday, and after a personal inspection of the infirmary and an interview with Dr. Gaudet, expressed himself unable to see any reason for withdrawing his boys. This item will consequently prove reassuring to such of the Telegraph readers as may have received exaggerated reports from their sons at Memramook.

Star Line Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Star Line Steamship Company was held Wednesday afternoon. The following directors were elected: James Macneil, A. H. Hamilton, Capt. C. E. Taylor, Thos. H. Bullock, G. R. Vincent. Officers elected were: James Macneil, president; A. H. Hamilton, vice-president; Robert Orchard, secretary and manager. No dividend was declared on account of a loss of the David Weston. The steamer Matjetic will continue to run under the Star Line flag, but the company has decided to discontinue its operations for the present.

CHAMBERLAIN AND ROSEBERY.

Caustic Remarks of the Former About His Political Opponents.

CAN'T ANSWER ATTACKS

Ex-Colonial Secretary Says if He Stopped to Throw a Stone at Every Dog That Barked at Him He Would Never Get to the End of His Journey.

Wit, humor, satire, and ridicule give sparkle and life to the fiscal campaign in Great Britain. The platform war is now at its height. Lord Rosebery's rapier, and Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's blunderbuss are directed constantly at Mr. Chamberlain, whose armor and prowess have withstood all attacks. While Mr. Chamberlain is fighting in the lists like a modern Laocoeus, he is darning the enemy's fire from Mr. Balfour, who is quietly throwing up entrenchments and widening the position of the free traders. This campaign has its amusing as well as its instructive features.

ST. JOHN MARKETS.

There is little or no change to report in the condition of the markets this week. The Christmas trade and as a consequence all kinds of domestic and foreign goods are in a lull. The only change is in the price of wheat, which is down a cent.

Table with columns for various goods and their prices, including flour, sugar, and other commodities.

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CANADIANS REAL TO FIGHT RUSS

Twenty-two Applications Have Been Filed With Japan Already.

Montreal, Dec. 15—(Special)—Tatsuzo Nose, Japanese consul-general in Montreal, announced today that he had twenty-two applications from Canadian citizens who wish to enlist with the Japanese army in the event of war with Russia.

HAD A ROUGH TIME.

Schooner Valetta's Hard Experience in a Storm Up the Bay.

MUNICIPAL PAWNSHOPS AND GOLF LINKS.

Glasgow Has Adopted This Successfully in Addition to Various Other Enterprises.

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