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ses-Prof. Robertson, Hon. B. P. E. I.; Hon. L. P. Farris, Hon. T. R. Black, N. S. diately following the opening nies, judging of live stock in will commence. n., public meeting, Hen. W. P. charman, when addresses of e will be delivered by Mayor Town of Amherst; Warden Sea-

ounty of Cumberland: H. J. M. P. Replies will be made by V. S. Fielding, finance minister ada; R. L. Borden, M. P.: Hon. veedie, premier of New Brunsion. Arthur Petters, premier of Edward Island; Hon. Geo. H. premier of Nova Scotia; Prof. Dominion commission of ure; Architald McNeilage, Scottish Farm, Glasgow,

RHILL, Mass., Dec. 14.—A fire in a making district today was folanother in a remote section of the the two made a combined loss of the more serious fire was in the building in Phoenix row, and five re burned cut. The other fire was o tenement wooden block on Water whed by Miss S. S. Edward.

OLD FOGY KNEW

arents considered coffee simb rmless beverage for old and so when a mere baby I com to drink it, and when I reachanhood, found myself troubled rvousness, headache and an irtemper and to obtain relief, I nore and more coffee, thus add-

worse until life was one black of pain. My nerves were shatody wrecked with suffering, my h gave out and utterly refuse the most simple foods, and I lay for weeks starving and for food, but unable to eat than just enough to keep me

or brought in a fragrant cup supposed was some new grade ee, and although I suffered so from its effects, the temptait with relish. I noticed it had agreeable taste and I drank it t distress. She repeated ss two or three mornings.

an to congratulate myself that not coffee that hurt me after was assuring my friend of this when she astonished me by that I was not drinking coffee, pure food drink called Postum offee, made from nourishing building up the system and instead of tearing them down. began to drink Postum reguto get wa'l slowly but sureday I am a strong, hearty n y nervous system in entirely and with a reserve torce of in Ame of need; I sleep well ake refreshed and feef bright day's task, and with no indiactive brain, ready for any strain or toff. There is no

on earth that coffee nearly killnd of mine was obliged to reposition as school teacher, beextreme nervousness caused drinking. I induced her to in place of coffee, and at four months she began in, her nervousness gone and looking ten years sallow complexion hava beautiful healthy given by Postum Co.,

ST. JOHNSEME-WEEKLYSUN

VENEZUELA.

Now Offers to Pay Up Her Honest

LONDON, Dec. 17 .- "If the seizure of Venezuelan gunboats does not result as we all hope, it will be necessary to proceed to a blockade." In the speech in the house of com-mons today during which Premier

Balfour made the above statement, he conveyed the impression of possible, though as yet unnecessary, further hostilities, or that even arbitration on some basis might be accepted. Immediately after having spoken these words, the premier said that in the event of a blockade no difference

would be made between the ships of eutral powers, who would not be consulted. He then ridiculed the idea of peaceful blockade, when he said: I think it quite likely that the United States government would not think there is such a think as a pacific blockade, and I personally take the same view that evidently a blockade does not involve a state of war."

Mr. Balfour assured the house that the papers in the Venezuelan matter were being prepared as rapidly as possible, and answering a question by Vernon Harcourt, he said would include the communicawith reference to Venezuela which had passed between his magovernment and the United · Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt asked this question: "So we may know how we stand with reference to the government of the United States?"
Premier Balfour gave no hint to the house as to the ultimate result of the arbitration proposal, and nothing further in this respect has been given out at the foreign office.

CARACAS, Dec. 17.- The following note was transmitted to President Castro this afternoon. It is signed by all the leading merchants, bankers and agriculturists of Caracas. It reflects the conceasus of current opinion among the business element of this city. The men who signed the note will meet again tonight to discuss ways and means of obtaining money with which Venezuela can meet her with which Venezuela can meet her obligations, as well as the guarantees which it will be possible to offer to

ready committed, and of the absolute enment is seeking an expedient to importance of Venezuela to meet force with force in response to the allied action of Germany and Great Britain, vex the people of the United States, tion of Germany and Great Britain, in view of the fact that Venezuela has exhausted all the means required by civilization and diplomacy to put an end to the present situation and the government and the people of Venezuela. Still Germany must have her claims satisfied and the hopes of the hour among the emperor's advisers are that President Castro will yield voluntarily in a few days if not pushed and further that the comment.

mend that full powers be given to the pay up if she loses by arbitration. The minister of the United States of North German commander in Venezuelan America, authorizing him to carry out waters has been instructed to use exproper measures to terminate the present conflict in the manner least pre- till he receives further orders. CARACAS, Dec. 17.-The blockade

During the day frequent communica. the question of arbitration

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Agordat has been ordered to proceed

LONDON, Dec. 18.—A despatch to the Daily Telegraph from The Hauge, says that all rumors that Holland is acting against Venezuela are at least premature. The Dutch government intends to remain strictly neutral in the matter.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Our government is anxious that some settlement of the unit anxious that some settlement of the units. WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Our government is anxious that some settlement of the unfortunate situation that now confronts venezuela may be found very soon, as it is realized that the present conditions cannot last long without a climax being reached. With this end in view, the state department already has given permission to Minister Bowen to be the bearer of any messages that Venezuela may wish to transmit to the allies on the subject, such request, however, to come from the Venezuelan government.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The developments in the Venezuela imbroglie, as revealed by Premier Balfour's statements yesterday in parliament, have resulted in bringing out in the press this morning stronger expressions than ever of the desire to reach some pacific settlement of the difficulty.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The Times this morning gives great prominence to a letter from his party cliffor analysis that the extrement. settlement of the difficulty.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The Times this morning gives great prominence to a letter from Sir Robert Giffen, declaring that the foreign office greatly blundered in associating itself with Germany against Venezuela. Sir Robert contends that a blockade will be useless against a bankrupt state, while the selzure of the customs will be tantamount to annexation and full of dauger, considering the peculiar relations of Venezuela to the United States.

Sir Robert strikes the most alarming note when he refers to the danger of Germany embrolling Great Britain with the United States. He believes that Germany would not hesitate to occupy Venezuelan territory, and he says the less said about British claims the better. He says he doubts if Great Britain has any good moral claims against Venezuela.

MANAGUA, Nic., Dec. 17.—The Nicaraguan government and people view the action of Great Britain and Germany toward Venezuela with great indignation. The press is also highly incensed, sympathizes with Venezuela and comments strongly on the apparent lassitude of the United States.

BERLIN, Dec. 18.-A fact which impresses the foreign observer here is the indifference of the newspaper and people toward the Venezuelan affair. Not a Berlin newspaper has a leading article on the subject today, and the news published is largely an abstract of what the London and New York papers are saying. The Germans appear to be astonished at the commo-tion in Great Britain and the United States over what is regarded here as a mere episode. Few of the German newspapers have correspondents in New York, but those who are there telegraph that Germany is seemingly without one friend in the country and trace the cause to Germany's alleged attitude toward the United States during the Spanish-American war. The popular feeling in Great Britain against co-operation with Germany is attributed here to the German people's

with which Venesuela can meet her obligations, as well as the guarantees which it will be possible to offer to her avaditors. The note is as follows:

"CARAGAS, Dec. 17, 1902.— To the President of the United States of Venesuela;

"Sh—The undersigned having met obligations are to the German people's bearing towards Great Britain during par the South African war.

But if public opinion has little comton to cern as yet over Venezuela, the foreign office here is extremely sensitive over the developments of public feeling a broad, especially in the United States.

The reason for falsy in doing any states. "Six—The undersigned having met the reason for delay in doing anywith the purpose of offering their aid to the government of Venezuela in the present conflicting situation which has been areated by the aggressive attitude of Germany and Great Britain, and upon your request to give our epinions in writing, we address you in the following terms: he following terms:

"Is view of the acts of violence alhonor, we cansider with all due re-spect, that the moment to yield to cial classes in Venezuela will compet a settlement; that the United States will offer to guarantee that Venezuela treme caution and avoid acts of force

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. - Repreof La Guayra, notification of which in the names of Great Britain and Ger-many, was communicated to the Vene-affairs today to urge action on his zuelan government Dec. 13, went into joint resolution urging the president to propose to Great Britain and Ger-ROME, Dec. 17.— The rejection by Venezuela of the Italian ultimatum was expected, consequently the announcement that this had been done to propose to Great Britain and Germany to submit their claims against Venezuela to arbitation and to guarantee payment of the awards. Mr. Shafroth said that war in Venezuela created no sensation and no surprise. would make violence to the Monroe doctrine probable. He did not think tions were exchanged between Italy objection that this guaranty might and Great Britain and Germany on establish a precedent should control, as other cases could be met as they ROMB, Dec. 17.-The Italian cruiser arose. Mr. Shafroth expressed the

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said, "unless accompanied by a guarantee by the United States. It can be given by no other nation and by no body of men in Venezuela now."

erecting a limit Maugerville.

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LONDON, Dec. 8.-It is not appar ent that anything definite has resulted from today's cabinet meeting with regard to the transmission by the gova-government of the United States of Venezuelan's request for arbitration. Nashwaaksis. Death was due to gen-eral debility and old age. Only one relative survives, Mrs. Hugh Do-herty. LONDON, Dec. 18.—W. H. Long, president of the local government board, speaking at Westminster today, said that at no previous period had Great Britain's relations with foreign countries been more satisfactory than they were today. Mr. Long ex-

eign countries been more satisfactory than they were today. Mr. Long expressed himself quite certain that there existed no danger of war or of any straining of the present friendly relations between Great Britain and the United States. He said he believed the British government was determined to avoid any rupture with Washington.

Washington.

Washington, Dec. 18.—It was learned tonight that France has addressed a note to her charge d'affaires at Caracas for submission to the Venezuelan government, stating the position she will maintain with reference to claims of her clusens against Venezuela. France makes a distinction between claims arising before Castro's sammitaration. It is agreed, are to be adjusted by the French minister at Caracas and proper ministerial officials of Venezuela. In the note sent to Caracas France takes the position that claims arising since castro became president are to be adjusted by the French minister at Caracas and proper ministerial officials of Venezuela. In the note sent to Caracas France takes the position that claims arising since 1899, when Castro became president, should have as favorable treatment as is given to claims of Germany, Great Britain and other countries. As to claims prior to 1889. France says they shall be net according to the most havored nation reaty clause, and be met out of the customs receipts. The note is courteous but firm. France, it is announced, will make no demonstration against Venezuela.

CARACAS Dec. 18.—Lopez Barait, Venezuelas of cattle guards at the customs receipts. The note is courteous but firm. France, it is announced, will make no demonstration against Venezuela.

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CARACAS Dec. 18.—Lopez Baralt, Venezuelan minister of foreign affairs, and transmitted to U. S. Minister Bowen a document signed by President Castro as constitutional president of the republic and countersigned by himself as minister of foreign affairs, in which Mr. Bowen is recognized as the only representative of Venezuela in the matter of effecting a settlement of the present difficulty.

According to the terms of this document Mr. Bowen may act without restriction, and he is to use all means possible to protect the interests of Venezuela. The state department at Washington has been polified of the transmission of the instrument to Mr. Bowen.

FREDERICTON.

Stanley.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 18. Charles H. Allen will go to St. John in the morning to represent Fredericton at a meeting to organize a provincial hockey league.

Considerable excitement has been aroused by the alleged gold discovery near the timber limits, Richards Co., 17 miles from Stanley. Wm. Griffin, a well known guide, has known of a ledge of be oil fed as at present, but incandes-bearing gold in supposed paying quanto cent burners with veils will be used, titles for some time. Last fall, while guilding Messrs, Carnegie of Pittsburg, nephews of the steel king, on a moosa hunt, he called their attention at intervals of five seconds. This will be 1-10th of a second flash at intervals of five seconds. This will guilding Messrs. Carnegie of Pittsburg, to it. They took samples of the ore and soon afterwards forwarded Mr. Griffin instructions to take up a numed and to open up the ledge. This had been done at the Carnegies' expense, and they are putting up the money necessary to fully test the value of the find. It is said to be showing up richer in gold the further the ledge is opened up. A provisional school of instruction

officers and non-commissioned companies 6 and 8 of the 71st Regt. is to be held in St. Stephen in January Major Chipman of St. Stephen will be in charge.

To antiquated and historic canno have been mounted at Parliamer Square. They were sent from Hallfax government by Gov. Snowball. They are old fashioned 32 pounders, about

ST. STEPHEN.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Dec. 18 .peculiar gunning accident, with a serious termination, occurred at St. David Ridge, six miles from town, this afternoon. Lloyd Budd, son of Os-born Budd, aged twenty-two, an in-Skates made by the Starr Mig. Co always give satisdustrious young man, was out gunning and came to a brook that had to faction. See that this name is stamped on every pair and take be crossed on a narrow log. In crossing he used the gun as a came to maintain his balance, letting the butt of it strike on the loe. At one place The Mic-Mac Skate, as shown, is a very popular pattern of double end skate, solid top plates and puck stop, beautifully the butt went through the ice in such mer of the gun and discharged it, the bullet entering the young man's right arm. He was a mile from his home and alone, but bravely made his way to the house, where he was a young man and alone, where he was a young man and alone, but bravely made his way to the house, where he was a wife from his home. All skates are on our sporting flat, second floor. Take

team and brought to the companie and members of the provincial floorial Hospital, where it was found necessary to amputate the arm at the shoulder. The operation was performed by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Perent; and on Saturday by the local control of the control of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Perent; and on Saturday by the local controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be controlled by Dr. J. L. Lawson and Description of the provincial should be resting comfortably.

Miss Brascombe, one of the nurses at the Chipman Memorial Hospital,

at the Chipman Memorial Hospital, left this evening for her home at Norton, Kings county, being called there by the serious illness of her brother.

Chas. W. DeWolfe, of the hardware Chas. W. DeWolfe, of the hardware Sydney for \$1,000.

opinion that the trouble in Venezuela would not end until the United States guarantees payments of whatever demands may be made.

firm of DeWolfe and Dinsmore, is critically ill, in his home on Union street.

FREDERICTON, Dec. 17.— Emery Sewell of Lincoln. "Castro's proposal is inadequate," he Sewell of Lincoln, Sunbury Co., is erecting a large and modern mill at By

One of the oldest residents of York county passed away last night in the person of Mrs. James Steward, at the home of Lorenzo Yerxa, Nashwaaksis. She was 83 years of age and the relict of the late James Steward of Nashwaaksis. Nashwaaksis. Death was due to gen-

Miss Vanwart, sister of Elisha Vanwart of St. Marys Ferry, died suddenly this afternoon. Miss Vanwart com-plained soon after dinner of feeling unwell, and almost immediately ex-pired. Dr. Crocket was telephoned for,

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—Messrs. Holt and Robertson, of the Dominion Cat-tle Guard Commission, who have been

travention of the act. The govern-

be an improvement much needed at this important point.

Seven cent postage stamps, yellow in color, will appear in a few days. This new stamp will bear the Queen's head, the department not having yet decided on a design for the King's head issue. A four cent stamp will also make its appearance in the near future.

John Costigan says his home rul resolution of next session will have special reference to the land question. The government threaten to take stops to stop the sending out of false and malicious reports re alleged foot and mouth disease in Canada. OTTAWA, Dec. 17.—Commissions

Anderson's report on the trade of the Yukon has been published in extenso by the government.

There is talk of developing the iron

deposits near Ottawa. The government is advised that no selection of colonials for the imperial service order will be made until Chamberlain returns from South Africa Two hundred and fifty men in the federal civil service are eligible. Fif-teen decorations were awarded to Canada, but it has been decided to also recognize provincial employes 25 years' standing.

THEY ARRIVED LATE.

QUEBEC, Dec. 18.—Owing to the non-arrival of some of the premiers, the provincial conference did not meet until six o'clock this evening. ing been delayed by trains on the In-tercolonial. Tonight the delegater the house, where he was placed in a tercolonial. Tenight the delegates team and brought to the Chipman and members of the provincial govthe unfortunate young man is now government. The Quebec board of trade will also tender them a dinner.

I. C. R. LOCKED UP

Bad Washout Near Folleigh

TRURO, N. S., Dec. 17 .- A very bad washout occurred on the Intercolonial railway this afternoon between Fol-leigh Lake and Wentworth.

The roadbed for a distance of sixty feet is washed out to a depth of 30 feet and regular traffic is suspended between Truro and Oxford Junction.
The Montreal express reached the
main line beyond the washout by way
of Stellarton and the short line to Oxford Junction, and the C. P. R. express is coming by the same route and will thus have to travel about seventy miles extra.

No. 26 train, the night freight Moncton, is cancelled, and intending passengers by her for points this side of the accident were being sent forward by a slow local train, A special train with the auxiliary car and a number of men left here at 7.30 for the scene of the washout to

assist in repairing the break. Last night's storm put the road in a fearful condition. At some points locomotives ploughed through eighteen inches of slush, and section men, especially on and around the mountains, patrolled their sections all last night and today watching for breaks. Where the washouts occurred breaks. Where the washouts occurred today is on the side of Westchester Mountain overlooking the Wentworth

KITTEN'S SCRATCH KILLS HIM.

Japan. The act under which the Japs were arrested has been disallowed and the authorities here are at a loss to account for the delay in promulgative it at Victoria. The order in council was passed on Dec. Sth and a copy of the it is claimed, was immediately forwarded to Joly de Lotbiniere, lieutenant governor of the province. This should have reached his honor before the case of the 19 Japs came before the court and were lailed for contravention of the act. The governor of the act. The governor of the province.

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CENTREVILLE, CARLETON CO.

CENTREVILLE, Carleton Co., Dec. 16.—The public examination of the advanced department of Centreville school was held on the 10th inst, at which the different classes were examined in various branches, all showing that the teacher had given strict attention to her duties. Several ladies and Rev. Mr. Turner, H. T. Scholey and G. W. White enjoyed the pronamed addressed the school in com-plimentary terms. Miss Reid of the advanced department will continue next term, at the close of which she will resign.

On the 12th inst., the primary department, taught by Miss Ebbett of York Co., held its public examination In the three R's the pupils clearly de-monstrated the painstaking work performed by their teacher.

R. W. Balloch and family have left

the village and taken up their residence in Woodstock. As soon as they vacated, Joseph Cheney and family of Bloomfield moved in as permanent Bloomfield moved in as permanent citizens, having bought the property last occupied by Mr. Balloch. Willard

Clark and family from Maine have Clark and family, from Maine, have taken up their residence in the village. C. M. Sherwood is rushing the erection of poles and placing electric lights through the village. The motive power for that purpose is supplied by water located at the mill dam owned by Mrs. Getchell. By Christmas nearly every house and store will be illuminated by electricty.

P. E. ISLAND.

meeting in the interest of the Navy League was held in the legislative council chamber, tonight, the lieutenant governor in the chair. Mr. Wyalt addressed the meeting in behalf of the parent society, and at the close the governor and the prime minister enrolled their names on the Navy League list.

POSSIBLE SUICIDE

the vicinity of Jacob park, with a gunshot wound in the breast, carried insurance on his life of \$340,000 and had applications pending for \$50,000 more. The policies were distributed as follows: Equitable Life Insurance Society of New York, \$200,000: Provident Savings Life Assurance Society of New York, \$200,000: Provident Savings Life Assurance Society of New York, \$120,000: Unitun Central Life, \$10,000: Mr. Whayne bad applied for \$1 better of \$25,000 with the Manhattan commany, and the policy was to issue Dec. \$22. Another application had been made to the Ruthaffor Vernon for an equal amount, and this policy was to be dated Dec. \$24. It was upon the fact that Mr. Whayne carried such a large life insurance and was said to be suffering from rheumatism that a theory of suicide is based. Coroner Kelly went to the scene of the death this morning. He said the circumstances were such that the case would require exhaustive investigation. The inquest will be held Saturday. Near Mr. Whayne's body, but on the opposite of a wire fence, was a shot gun with one barrel empty and the other loaded and cocked.

His friends and family declare that death was due to accident and that the gun was discharged while he was climbing through the fence.

BRITISH PARLIAMENT

Prorogued Yesterday Afternoon By Royal Commission.

The King's Speech Dealt With the Present Situation in Venezuela-Other Toples Touched on.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Parliament was ordered this afternoon by royal com-lasion. Only a score of members of hen Black Rod summoned the lower ouse of lords to hear the King's h, which was an unusually ngthy recapitulation of public events nee January, including the action connection with Venezuela, regard-

CARACAS Dec. 18.—Lopez Barait, Venturing a peculians of cattle guards at sucian minister of foreign arairs, and the exhibition grounds since Monday, transmitted to U. S. Minister Bown a document signed by President Castro as constitutional president of the republic and countersigned by President Castro as constitutional president of the republic and countersigned by himself as minister of foreign affairs, in which Mr. Bown is recording the last magnetic of the submitted. Some of the present difficulty.

According to the terms of this document Mr. Bown may act without resisted is and he is to use all means possible to present the state department at Washington has been polified of the transmission of the instrument to Mr. Bown may act without restrictions, and he is to use all means possible to present the state of the present difficulty.

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"I regret that the constant com-

agreed that the symptoms were those of rabies.

Rogers became violent on Saturday and the co-operation of Italy therein. ravention of the act. The government has asked for explanations.

The department of marines and fisheries has promised very important improvements in aids to navigation at Cape Race. The old fog horn at present in vogue will be replaced by a powerful siren of the newest make and capable of being heard far out to sea. The method of lighting will also be improved. Lamps will continue to be oil fed as at present, but incandes—

Rogers became violent on Saturday and the co-operation of Italy therein, the acceptance by Chili and Argentina of the British boundary award, the Brussels sugar convention, and the convention, and the result of an autopsy.

Drs. Packer and Gregory made this at evening, but the samples of blood taken will have to be sumbitted to bacteriological analysis. The result cannot be known for two or three days.

SPRAGUE-PERKINS.

(Derchester, Mass., Union, Dec. 6.) St. Mark's Mission, Columbia road, on Thanksgiving eve, at four p'clock, was the scene of a very pretty wedding when Ella May Perkins became bride of Walter Partridge Sprague. The wedding ceremony was performed by the priest in charge, the Rev. Henry Martyn Saville. bride entered the church to the familiar strains of Mendelssohn, on the arm of her cousin, W. Fred Burrill, who gave her away. She was met at the chancel by the bridgeroom. After the ceremony the bridge party retired to the vestry room, where they signed the parish register. They then left the church to the wedding march from Lohengrin. Mrs. Emily Coulter of Needham, presided at the organ. The bride, who is a pretty blonde, was becomingly attired in a travelling suit of golden brown prunella cloth, trimmed with white moire, white embroidered albatross waist with medallions Her picture hat was of white moire

NOVA SCOTIA SAILORS

PHILADELPHIA Dec. 18.—Suffering severely from exposure and privation, seven shipwrecked men and one woman arrived hers today on the British str. Mira, Captain Swartmore, from New'astle-on-Tyne. The victims included C. H. Clements, owner of the British schooner J. N. Wykie, Captain Dunphy, his wife and five seamen.

They were rescued from the dismantled and sinking schooner by the crew of the Mirk.

Mira.

The Wykie was bound from Philadelphia, Dec. 1., for Bridgewater, N. S. Off Newfoundland the vessel was overtaken by noblizzard, which continued more than a week. Benumbed by the cold the captain and crew were unable to manage the schopper, which was tossed helplessly about. Several vessels passed, but the captain and crew were unable to answer their signals. Finally one of the sailors succeeded in fastening a signal to the mast which, on Dec. 14, brought the Mira to the rescue. After battling for five hours with the seas the Mira's own succeeded in transferring the sufferers to their vessel.

All of the victims, were hadly frontition.

O. J. McCULLY, M. D.

M. R. C S. LONDON PRACTICE I INITED TO DISPASES OF BYE, EAR, NOSE AND THEOAT 163 GERMAIN STREET.

TWO HIP DISLOCATIONS.

Surgeons Cheer Skill of the Great Vienna Wizard.

Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled Crowded for Scheduled Operations.

Patients Little Girls-Men Eagerly Watch the Manipulations Which Will Aid the Sufferers-Work Is Fully Explained - Every Move is Accompanied By a Careful Deseription of Method and Its Meaning

Professor Adolf Lorenz perform his first regularly scheduled operations in New York yesterday. He performed only two, but the number and character of the spectators and the marvellous ease with which he demenstrated his skill stamped the occasion as a noteworthy event in local professional annals.

The amphitheatre on the fifth floor of the Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, at Lexington avenue Forty-second street, was crowded long before the hour set for the Vienna expert's appearance. Because half a dozen other demonstrations, at as different points in the city, are scheduled and local practitioners thereby have several opportunities observe the personal demonstration of the Lorenz method, yesterday President Sturgis and Superintende Sherman H. Leroy of the Hospital fo the Ruptured and Crippled generously acceded to the requests of the out of town surgeons, who said they could not otherwise hope to have a chance to sit at the feet of the great expon ent of bloodless surgery, and mad them preferred observers.

Still, in the throng of three hun died that crowded the amphitheatre tiers, kneeled under the iron stairway and balanced themselves on the win dow ledges, were such distinguish local authorities as Drs. Austin Flint jr.; Robert Abbe, Clement Ck Joseph B. Bryant, Walter B. James H. V. Nicoll, Reginald Sayre, Rober T. Weir, D. B. Delavan, William P. Coley, John B. Walker, A. Jacobi, N W. Shaffer, F. P. Kinnicutt, Virgil P. and Homer Gibney and Royal

PRAISE FOR LOCAL SURGEONS. Throughout the afternoon noiseless attention and spontaneous applause alternated in a way that must have gratified the visitor's pride. After he had been shown through the hospital ling, following the c the two operations he had perform Professor Lorenz paid hearty tributes to the equipment of the institution and especially to Drs. Gibney and Whitman, who have performed many operations after the Lorenz metho during the last year with an unsur passed record of successes.

n return, Dr. Gibney said: "It is exhilarating to have Professor Loren here to demonstrate practically what some here knew theoretically. His wonderful intuitive knowledge, no less than his strength and skill, are impressive, and everybody who has met him has been charmed with his mod

Dr. Royal Whitman, whose standing among orthopedists is perhaps secon only to that of Professor Lorenz and to whom Professor Lorenz referred th third patient who was selected for his demonstrations yesterday when he found he had taxed his strength to th limit in reducing the first two disloca tions, was no less generous in his praise of the Vienna expert. But a surgeon from out of town evoked as much enthusiasm as any of the distinguished local practitioners, when he said as the crowd was filing out of the operating room: "It's only a big man who can stand up like that and admit his failures."

This was in allusion to Professo Lorenz's remarks after the second case had been almost attended to and the assistants were completing the band aging. A note was handed to Profes sor Lorenz asking how he found the bloodless operation and subsequer long incarceration in a plaster cast affected the soft tissues of the body.

ADMITS ACCIDENTS. His hands still white and sticky with plaster and his form enveloped in a surgeon's gown, the instructor steppe back a pace, and, throwing up his head, frankly told of the very infrequent accidents and still fewer fail ures that had attended his bold innovations in orthopedic surgery. He said in one case, a too ambitious case, for the patient was a girl of fifteen, an artery was jammed between the head of the femur and the acetabulum Circulation, of course, was at once arrested and gangrene was indicated. This was promptly discovered the next day following the reduction of the disclocation, and the leg was at once severed, the patient surviving.

Applause greeted this statement. Professor Lorenz went on to say that m another case he exerted so force that he snapped the shaft of the femur and that he had ruptured an artery. He was urged to resort to the knife and tie un the ends, but he pr would not absorb the coagulations. A essful outcome proved his goo

indgment, though other surgeons de clared the patient would die. Promptly yesterday morning Dr. V. P. Gibney escorted Professor Lorenz and his travelling assistant, Dr. Friedrich Mueller, to the Hospital for the Ruptured and Crippled in order to allow the demonstrator to select from the sixteen patients in the various as illustrations in the afternoon.

He chose Mary Singleton, aged six No. 107 East Eighty-sixth street; Helen Krebs, aged nine, of No. 274 Pulaski street Brooklyn, and Made e Devereaux, aged seven, of No. 347 East Seventy-sixth street. They were all druggists

all-unilateral cases of congenital dislocation of the hip and were regular hospital cases of the institution. It is a curious physiological fact that 95 per cent of the cases of this sort are girls, so that it was entirely natural all three cases selected for demonstration should be girls. Professor Lorenz said several times, both before and during his address, which was delivered incidentally while operating upon the first case, that the age limit for double dislocation of the femur was six or seven years and for unilateral cases not more than nine or ten years.

GREETED WITH CHEERS At ten minutes after three the towering form of the chief actor at this unprecedented semi-public function was seen coming through the corridor. A hearty handclapping greeted him. and he bowed low to the spectators packed solidly on every side. Dr. Virgil P. Gibney said simply: "Dr. Lorenz

needs no introduction whatever." The expert smiled and then drew from his long apron a manuscript and began to read. First he paid his respects to his fellow professionals, saying: "I want to state that I can say nothing new to these gentlemen who are connected with this hospital, because their work is so well done. This morning I felt very proud and very happy indeed when I saw that my methods are understood and being suc cessfully carried out in this hospital." At this point the first little patient was wheeled into the amphitheatre

and transferred to the operating This was Mary Singleton, whose left hip was out of place. Dr. Satterthwaite was administering the anaesthetic, while Miss Jamieson the head nurse, assisted by Misses Hartwick and Fuller, moved up the bandage cases and moist rolls of plaste of paris. Dr. Mueller lifted the child's hips up on a wedge shaped rest, while one of the nurses put a rolled towel under the child's head.

Laying aside his manucaript, Profesor Lorenz advanced to the table It was just a quarter past three o'clock, and several of the surgeons noted the time, in order to see how ong the reduction would take. Seizing the left leg, Dr. Lorenz illus-

trated the various movements the imb would sustain. There was up and down flexion and abduction and adduction. He brought the knee to the body, then whirled the patient over and stretched the knee back until the uttermost point was reached. Again ne drew the leg up till the heel was back of the ear. Twisting, kneading pulling, rubbing the anterior and posmuscles, Professor Lorenz explained that this made possible the downward pull he would exert to force he femur into place, and at the same time he indicated just where the head of the femur was. It appeared to be some three inches out of place. "We begin by tearing these short-

ened muscles," he resumed, glancing up the rows of eager faces. "We be gin, we begin," he continued quietly, "to notice the possibility of drawing it this way," and he bore downward till it seemed as if a fracture must result, "and then, and then," resumed the demonstrator, "we shall know, we thing movable on deck, shall discern whether the femur will go into its"-click-"place."

A round of applause testified that the little snap had concluded the sentence for him. The half closed eyes of the little patient opened and a nurse tenderly pulled the towel con the patient in dreamland a little

CONCLUDING THE WORK. After the head of the femur had bee thrust into its normal socket, Professor Lorenz grasped the leg again and began a rotary, grinding motion to vear away the cartilage that had grown up in the acetabulum. While ne was doing this he called the attention of those present to the fact that the child's knee was contracted by the muscles, so that when he straightened it it would fly back again. This, he said, proved that the femur was safely in its proper place. While the patient was still unconscious, he said, was best to stretch the muscles. Quickly suiting the action to the words, he began to bend back the leg with all his tremendous strength. Then he illustrated how the joint remained in place in certain positions of the leg and how it slipped out again in other positions. But the replaced femur can be kept in its proper place if held for

a time rigidly in a plaster cast. "I would advise making the time for this rather too long than too short," he said. "Due time must be allowed to elapse to accustom the joint to its new conditions. Then the child must begin to lean her weight on the restored shaft as soon as possible, so as to make a deeper, more normal saucer in the acetabulum to keep the femur safely in its true place. There is a shrinking of the soft parts of the pel- after which, being entertained by the vis. This process takes from four to six months. We keep the skin under the plaster jacket clean and healthy by pulling these two calico bandages this way and that under the solid outer covering around the abdomen

and across the thighs. "I do not try to correct the position of the legs too quickly," he continued pointing to the patient's left leg extended away out at right angles to he "In these bloodless operations ody. we have distinguished between the anatomical and the functional results The child will not walk naturally at first, of course, as the leg cannot be lifted straight up in front, on account of the rigid cast, but in a year or two after the removal of the jacket the normal gait will follow. At night the patient's leg, or legs, if both hips were

affected, should be bound over a wedge shaped cushion in the position

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in which the joint was made, at right angles to the natural ones, the angle being gradually reduced as the pati-

He said the child must walk as much as possible, and thus go on herself making the relaxation stronger and permanent. Then he turned the patient over to his assistants to pernit bandaging and cutting away the superfluous plaste

As this patient was wheeled back from the operating room Professor Lorenz added a word or two from his manuscript, saying he had had only ten failures in about one thousand cases, and if one failed in obtaining a complete success, at least the little sufferers were certain to be benefitted and no evil results could attend the bloodless method if properly fol "But," he said, in conclusion, "don't don't try a reduction of congenita dislocation if the child is too old." This announcement caused some dis appointment among the visiting sur geons, who were hoping to get a nearer view of the third operation, but there was no murmuring, and generous ap plause covered any chagrin that a few nay have felt.

It was then a quarter to four o'clock and the second patient. Madeline Dev ereaux, was brought in. In exactly three minutes Professor Lorenz re duced her dislocation.

Drs. Mueller and Royal Whitman promptly took up the case of Helen Krebs, and in five minutes had the satisfaction of hearing the gratifying socket.

A TALE OF SUFFERING AT SEA. (Portland Argus.)

The crew of the schooner E. Merriam, which arrived at this port Sat urday with 556 tons of coal from Parrsboro, N. S., relate a story of the sufferings and escape from further disaster that fully illustrates the flerceness of the recent storms that swept along the coast. When the storm struck, a week ago, the schooner was off the Cape, but the captain did not dare to try to make this port and was compelled to run before the gale. The captain and crew suffered from the exposure, but were obliged to keep the schooner on her course. The fore broke over the vessel and swept away

Last Monday they made Fox Island, where temporary repairs were made to allow the vessel to reach this port The men were nearly frozen and could hardly work the vessel, which handled particularly hard on account of the loss of her head sails, and two ribs over the white, drawn face and kept of the schooner were also cracked on account of her straining in the heavy seas. After the cargo of coal is dis charged the damages will be repaired

> BIRTHDAY SURPRISE On the evening of the 11th Dec. inst. despite cold weather and bad roads. some thirty-five relatives and friends of Deacon James, Springfield, Kings county, met and gave him a surprise it being the anniversary of his 90th birthday. Although for some weeks past somewhat enfeebled by an attack of muscular rheumatism and not able to move with that elastic step of former years, he thoroughly appreciated the spirit that brought them and joined in to make the occasion as pleasant as possible. Scenes and doings of some seventy or more years ago are still fresh in his mind, and are often enjoyed by those with whom he comes in contact. The numerous pa pers at his disposal are daily perused thus keeping posted with the current events of the day. He being one o the few who has seen the seventle generation, takes pride in inviting some one else to show up in that line. The tables having been made to groan with the abundance of good th ngs provided by the ladies, Deac Kierstead sat down surrounded by three ministers, three of his sons and their wives, his two daughters, h a number of relatives and friends musical element of the party, and bidding a hearty good-bye, all retired to their respective homes, feeling they had at least assisted in cheering up the spirits of their friend.

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THE LATE MRS. MACMICHAEL. Centenary-Address by Rev. G. M. Campbell.

The funeral of Mrs. Jennie H. Mac wichael, wife of C. E. Macmichael, took place Buesday afternoon. The large attendance at the church service and at the funeral bore testimony to the esteem in which the deceased was

The congregation in Centenary Methodist church included representations from the various societies to which the deceased belonged, and the public in general, including the congregation of Centenary church and many worshippers belonging to Rev. R. R. Mor. son's flock in the Congregational church, of which Mr. Macmichael is a

The large edifice was heavily draped -the work of the King's Daughtersand about the choir loft, the gallery rails, the Macmichael pew and the pulpit, mourning tokens were profusely displayed. Among the organizations present in

odies were: The King's Daughters, the Local Council of Women, the St. John Women's Christian Temperance Union, the Women's Missionary Society of Centenary church, the official board of Centenary church and the Sunday school teachers of Centenary, all wearing mourning badges. Rev. George M. Campbell, pastor of Centenary, was assisted by Rev. R. R. Morson. The service was impressive.

After the flower-covered coffin had been placed in front of the communion rail, the choir sang. Among the hymns given were: Asleep in Jesus, On the Resurrection Morn, Rock of Ages How Bright These Glorious Spirits Shine, and a funeral chant. After a prayer by Rev. Mr. Morson, and a Scriptural lesson, Rev. Mr. Campbell spoke in highly eulogistic terms of the life and labors of Mrs. Macmichel. In part he said:

"The thoughts which find readiest

utterance are not always our deepest. Realizing this and impressed with the solemnity of the hour, we speak of the life taken from the vineyard here to broader service beyond. The feet of "click" of the femur snapping into its long enough in the church that the those who carry out the dead tarry friends of earlier years and companions in the service may drop a tear of honest respect and personal sorrow upon the casket of Jennie Hutchison Macmichael. In their name the minister of the congregation of Centenary church should express deep and sincere sympathy with the bereaved family, left with desolate hearts and home and also with the church of which the deceased was an active and honored member, and with the consecrated sisterhoods in whose councils she was wise, and for whose effectiveness she

labored and prayed."

In referring to Mrs. Macmichael's Christian character and personal worth, Rev. Mr. Campbell said that all through her youth the deceased destaysail was blown away and this was staysail was blown away and this was followed by the flying jib. A sea Dr. Pope, she identified herself with lighted in the Law of the Lord, and in the membership of Centenary church. her port bulwarks and about every- Her character was as the flow of a s river the so which were living fountain springs. Those who knew her best appreciated her greatly, for she had the happy faculty of weaving friendships into a strong web. Her mind was clear and well-balanced, eminently fitted for the prominent part she took in all good work, and with a cultured nature and qualities of learning the deceased was an excellent teacher on Bible truths. In Centenary Sunday school her influence was most blessed, while the women of the Missionary Society will greatly feel their loss, as well as the Conference Branch of the congregation, in which Mrs. Macmichael held positions of the highest. In the Women's Christian Temperance Union and King's Daughters the memory of the dead lady wil

long be cherished because of her wise leadership and successful work. In closing, the reverend speaker re ferred to the sources of consolation the relatives and friends of the deceas

ed in their bereavement. As the coffin was being borne from the church by J. E. Irvine, Wm. Kerr, Geo. A. Henderson, J. N. Thorne J. Hunter White and E. T. C. Knowles, the organ peeled forth the beautifully solemn tones of the Dead March in

Interment was in Fernhill Among the floral tributes placed upon the coffin were: A large Maltese cross of white carnations, hyacinths, roses and smilax. Letters I. H. N. (In His Name), from the King's Daughters of the city, the emblem being a representation of

their silver badge. A large crescent, composed of white chrysanthemums, carnations, narcissus .hyacinths. roses and ferns, tied at one end with a double bow of light and dark blue ribbon-the Council colors-and on a card attached the Council motto: "Do unto others as ye would that they should do unto you;" from the St. John Local Council of Women. Large star of white carnations, hyacinths, narcissus, roses, smilax and

day school class. Basket of pink roses, storia, narcissus, hyacinths and ferns. There were numerous loose blossoms and other personal tributes.

ferns; from Mrs. Macmichael's Sun-

Coughs, colds, pourseness and other three lments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Creso lene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists IRISH M. P.'s CAME BACK.

LONDON, Dec. 16 .- In the house of comer, with a majority of his colleagues, who

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 16.—The officials of the school department today decided to close all the public schools in Providence, beginning tomorrow, because the authorities are unable to obtain fuel for

GROSS NEGLECT.

No Facilities to Land Passengers at Partridge Island, Nor Keep Them Warm When They Are Able to Go Down.

(Star. 17th.)

The steamer Lake Champlain lies out in the harbor with about 800 immigrants huddled in her small pox infected steerage and liable to be kept there actively exposed to the contagion of the disease for some days longer. The immediate reason for this state of affairs is the fact that the wind and sea make the towing of hundreds of panic stricken and ignorant foreigners over a mile or two of rough water in a scow a feat so dangerous that even in the face of existing conditions the quarantine officials refuse to take the risk. As long as the present weather conditions continue they must remain on board that ship, while every day's delay means enormous expense to the shipping men and to the government, and great risk to all who are so de-

But the real reason for this delay is the gross negligence of a government that in face of repeated reports from its officials here, has denied to this port accommodations possessed by every quarantine station on the Atlantic coast. In Halifax, as in every other Canadian station of the kind, wharfage is provided in connection with the quarantine station, so that people from infected ships may be landed at any time without risk to themselves or danger of carrying the contagion to anyone else. St. John is entirely lack

The blue books show that Dr. March. the present quarantine physician, has repeatedly in his regular reports recommended the erection either of a suitable wharf at Partridge Island for the docking of any kind of ships or the building of a dam or breakwater across the west channel making a harbor at the inner side of the island where vessels could lie and disembark people or goods safely. But beyond their acknowledgements no attention whatever has been paid to the recommendation The facilities have been allowed to re main in their present utterly inadequate condition with the result seen in the harbor today. The government takes the risk, the shipping people bear the direct expense largely and the port suffers.

It was with a full knowledge of the government's neglect, and of the conditions existing, that the Telegraph this rning delivered itself of the follow ing highly appropriate witticism: "It looks like an unusually merry Christmas on Partridge Island."

MR. BLAIR'S RAILWAY Puts the Union Coal Company Out of Business.

The Union Coal Company has becom practically useless in so far as being of benefit to the poorer people of St John is concerned, and the fault is directly due to the Intercolonial Railway The teamsters who organized this empany had hoped to be able to supply coal to their customers at a lower rate than can be obtained elsewhere in the city, and in the carrying out of their plans had ordered successiv shipments of soft coal from the Broad Cove Company, at Sydney. The last shipment was received in Novembe and the demand for it was so great that the supply ran out quickly and the next order placed was for a much larger quantity than had previously been received. This last shipment, which consisted of six carloads, or about one hundred and forty tons, should have arrived in St. John on or about the sixth of December. Had i done so, only a few days would have elapsed between the delivery of the last load of the preceding shipment and the receipt of the next supply. But it failed to arrive, and has not turned up

The Union Company have received word that two carloads of coal left Sydney for St. John on Dec. 2nd, and that four other loads were following two days later. Beyond this fact they have heard nothing excepting through the newspapers that the I. C. R. had it is bringing back health, strength commandeered for its own use the first two carloads shipped. As no word has been received of the other four carloads, it is supposed that they have met with the same fate and that the coal was used to furnish power to carry prominent liberals in parlor cars to the Fielding banquet in Halifax. The Union Company has now been

during this time the many customer who had depended upon this company for their coal have been compelled by the unusually cold weather to purchase elsewhere. And by so doing they have had to pay a considerably higher rate. Many orders had been left with the Union Company, and along with the orders were the amounts of cash to pay for the coal. None of these order have been filled, but the company hopes to supply its patrons in the near fut-

There is considerable strong feeling against the I. C. R. for its action in taking the coal, and also for not notifying the consignees of what had been 500,000. It is believed the plant will not be

YALE MEN BREAK DISHES. Lights Go Out in the Dining Hall and a Disturbance Follows.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 15 .-Phere was what is called a "rough house" at the Yale campus at supper time tonight. In the big dining hall the electric lights suddenly went out; a song enlivened the boys for a few moments. Then biscuits and other food began flying in the direction of the singers and in a twinkling the

disturbance was general. Dishes and crockery were broken on the floor and thrown about the hall, and one entire table, with food and dishes, was tipped over. Order was restored when the lights came up, and the students finished their supper. A large amount of damage was done by the breaking of dishes.

SMALLPOX AT BUCTOUCHE. A number of students from Buctouche and that vicinity at the Normal School have received letters from their homes which make them have serious doubts as to whether they will get home to spend their holidays or not. Smallpox has broken out quite extensively in Buctouche and twenty-nine houses are quarantined and many more are likely to be. The smallpox is not of a serious nature, however, and it is being grappled with by the county board of health.-Gleaner

The Dreadful Result of Neglected Nervous Diseases-Study the Symptoms.

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and watery, you have every reason to fear paralysis of at least some part of the body, and consequent suffering and helplessness Paralysis can always be prevented and partial paralysis actually cured by the timely use of Dr.Chase's Nerve Food. The time to begin treatment is when any of the above-mentioned symptoms become apparent. These are indications of a derangement of the nerve cells, and when nerve force be-

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P. E. ISLAND. out of coal for fully three weeks, and Organizes a Branch of the Navy League.

A meting was held in the legislative council chamber at Charlottetown last evening in the interests of the Navy League. The lieutenant goverthe aims and purposes of the Before the meeting closed a branch of the league was organized, with the lieutenant governor and premier of the

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 17 .- The Great Breaker Island steel plant has been puroperated in the future.

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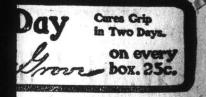
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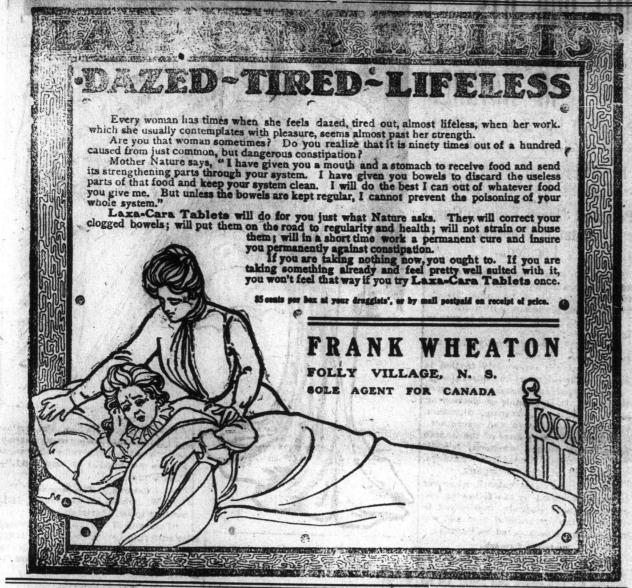
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WITH MOONSHINERS.

people have been hunted by government officials for 35 years or more, as being violators of the laws of their country in that respect. Although technically speaking, these offenders should be sought out and punished, yet as a matter of right Mr. Campbell, after spending considerable time amongst them, is of the opinion that they should be allowed to make their livelihood in their own way without any interference on the part of the government. They have not the advantage of railways or even of highways, so that the liquors which they distil are not for the purpose of exportation to other states or countries,

but for local consumption. These so-called "moonshiners" in their rustic simplicity use their liquors, harmless. They would do no harm, much as did the people of Canada and the United States a century ago, when one neighbor on visiting another a few a rule, truthful and religious, some of miles distant was generally treated them riding as far as eight or ten with spare rib of pork or a keg of miles to attend church; and they are

But the sterner side of their nature is shown by the fact that they shoot government detectives and spies on States, he replied that the appointment sight. So banded together are they of Joe Wheeler and Fitzhugh Lee, genthat if one section hears of their approach they will ride 50 or 100 miles to inform neighbors.

One time while driving out from the county seat of Harlem, Mr. Campbell horseback, each armed with a good revolver and a Winchester slung over his shoulder. The leader of the gang covered him with a revolver and ordered him to throw up his hands, saying that he had a description of him and had been looking for him fully three weeks. On asking the armed stranger what he meant to do with him the reply was "I will put you up in the mountains and leave you there until Gabriel calls." Two of the gang dismounted under orders to search him, and finding no firearms upon him, allowed him to place his hands in

a more comfortable position. Being satisfied that their captive was not the man, they allowed him to go, telling him that he would meet another gang further on the road on the same errand, and the leader gave him a flask of white corn whiskey with a label of red paper around it, on which he made marks looking very much like Chinese. After travelling three miles farther he met the second gang which was a sufficient guarantee that the possessor was neither a detective ed to pass on, but not until they had generously donated to him a supply of

their illicit goods.
Continuing, the Sun's informant sai that he spent four nights in the same room with one Howard, who was the leader in the Howard-Philpot feud, which has been going on ever since the civil war of 1861-1865. Howard was known to have killed seven men at different times in this feud; and at that time was waiting for one of his enemies, whom he expected to pass that way. Although he had taken the lives of several, and was bent upor taking another, he was nevertheless one of the most genial, cordial and

warm-hearted of men. The buildings in which these people live are called "blind-tigers," and are very unique and interesting, being very unique and interesting, being P. L. Spicer of Spencer's Island is at the built of logs and located in the woods Dufferin.

near some road. They have loopholes upon every side, which are for use in case of attack by officers. On the side which looks to the road is a de-vice very similar to the old fashioned

that section of country, one will usually find a party sitting around the fireside talking over the last lynching or the latest shooting scrape, and the frequency of these furnish plenty of topics of conversation. In Clay county alone, from the first of January to the first of June, 1898, there were 16 men shot in personal feuds.

These people are contented and Mr. Campbell says, if left alone in their mountain homes. They are, as home made cider as the seal of friend- | as loyal, he considers, as any people within the union.

When asked how these people felt towards the people of the Northern erals in the Southern rebellion, as officers in the Cuban war did a great deal to allay the old-time bitterness. They feel that if the cause of the rebellion had arisen in the presidency said that he was met by five men on of President McKinley, the emancipation of the slaves would have been brought about by arbitration instead of by the sword, and the slave owners, who considered their slaves as chattels, would have received a recompense.

In regard to the practice of lynching, Mr. Campbell said that the negroes are not always all to blame They insult white girls and women very often for the sake of revenge upon a white man of the same family for a similar act. With the negro it is not so much a question of abusing a white woman as it is of getting even with some white man for some contemptible act of his.

MILLIONS FOR CAPE BRETON.

SYDNEY, C. B., Dec. 17.-Either five or ten million dollars of additional common stock will shortly be issued by the Dominion Iron and Steel Comand showed the bottle of whiskey, doing this is to aid them in making additions to their plant in Sydney and also to increase developments at nor a spy. He was accordingly allow- Marble Mountain. The above statement was made to the Sun's correspondent tonight by a gentleman close-ly connected with the Dominion Iron and Steel Co., who also said that several hundred thousand dollars' worth of machinery was now on its way here from Germany, to be used in mills now under construction here. These mills, which at first were intended to be used for the manufacture of rails, will be devoted to the manufacture of structural steel. They will probably be ready for operation by May.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

ABOUT CATTLE SHIPMENTS.

The following paragraph is clipped from Tuesday's Montreal Star: As Told to a sun Reporter Last Wednesday By a Man Who Has

Been There.

W. F. Campbell of New York, special representative of Collier's Weekig, who is in the city at the present, is a gentleman who has travelled a good deal, especially in the western states, and has a number of interesting and instructive stories to tell of the character, condition and habits of the people whom he has met.

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Spaaking of their habits and modes of living, Mr. Campbell said that many, both men and women; and as a rule smoked a T. D. or men, indulged in smoking. The mountains of eastern Kentucky and Tennessee, and who distill intoxicating liquors without paying revenue to the United States government. These people have been hunted by government officials for 35 years or more, as while standing in a store or on a side and from Tuesday's Montreal Star:

When the despatch stating that the Brittian for cents which how, i thought nothing of lighting their pipes while standing in a store or on a street corner. Many of the women who do not smoke tobacco use its next substitute, the snuff stick. Both men and women wear the coarsest of clothes and live on the plainest of food.

On entering a hotel in a town of

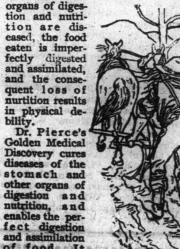
CAPE BRETON TABLE MANNERS.

SYDNEY, C. B., Dec. 17 .- A man named McLean arrived in Sydney from Orangedale yesterday to secure skilled medical treatment for one of his eyes, which was injured by a table fork accidentally thrust into it by a young lady at the supper table of his boarding house the same evening. McLear and the voting lady were indulging in "fooling" during the evening, and the young lady suddenly raised her arm with the fork in her hand. The fork stuck square into his eye, remaining there until he pulled it out himself. He will lose the sight of the eye.

VIENNA, Dec. 17 .- According to despathes from Hungary 63 persons were frozen to death there during the last three days Wolves are devastating the sheep folds an have devoured three shephends.

THE FARMER FAILS

In health just as does the city-man, and he fails commonly from the same cause, "stomach trouble." The farm is a wholesome place to live; the farmer's life is a healthy life; but no external advantages can overcome the effects of a diseased stomach. When the stomach When the stomach and its allied



of food. It builds up the body with sound flesh and solid muscle "I used ten bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden. Medical Discovery and several vials of his 'Pleasant Pellets' a year ago this spring, and have had no trouble with indigestion since," writes Mr. W. T. Thompson, of Townsend. Broadwater Co., Montana. "Words fail to tell how thankful I am for the relief, as I had suffered so much and it seemed that the doctors could do me no good. I got down in weight to one hundred and twenty-five pounds, and was not able to work at all. Now I weigh nearly one hundred and sixty and can do a day's work on the farm. I have recommended your medicine to several, and shall always have a good word to say for Dr. Pierce and his medicines."

The sole motive for substitution is to permit the dealer to make the little more profit paid by the sale of less meritorious medicines. He gains; you lose, therefore accept no substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery."

THE COURTS. (From Wednesday's Daily Sun.)

Before Judge Barker in the equity court yesterday morning the case of John L. Stewart v. Charles F. Freeman, a suit for specific perfor of contract for sale of land on the border hetween Carleton county, N. B. and Maine, was heard. The land was leased to the plaintiff with option of purchase. Defence claims that a legal tender was not made. The case of pied all day. J. C. Hartly and D. Mc-Leod Vince for the plaintiff; A. B. Connell, K. C., for defendant. His honor delivered judgment in the

case of Charles Pickhard v. Albert Fillmore et al, heard at Dorchester on Tuesday last, decreeing a specific perrmance of an agreement of sale of and, with costs. H. A. Powell, K. C., for plaintiff; D. Jordan, K. C., for de-

In re Wesley Vanwart's estate, his nonor gave judgment confirming the referee's report, except as to the interest attached to the claim of Mrs. Clowes, which is to be added to the \$1,500. Exceptions overruled with costs. Administrator to pay (1) himself a commission of five per cent. on personal property received by him; (2) the administrator's costs; (3) plaintiff's costs, including costs of reference to be taxed; (4) costs of other parties; (5) to pay balance pro rata among the creditors. The referee is to file a further report with vouchers showing the

In Wood v. LeBlanc et al. judgmen was given dissolving the injunction granted to prevent defendants from cutting upon certain land claimed by plaintiff. H. A. Powell, K. C., and M. G. Teed, K. C., for plaintiff; Attorney General Pugsley, H. R. Emmerson and James Friel for defendants.

The cases of the Cushing Sulphite Fibre Company v. Cushing, and of Robertson et al v. Flood, stand by consent until return of the attorney general, on motion of H. F. Puddington and with the consent of Silas Alward, K. C. The case of Thompson v Thompson stands over until Friday.

Before Judge Forbes yesterday, the case of Doherty v. Thompson, on review from the magistrate's court at Alma, Albert Co., presided over by Justice O'Connor, was heard. plaintiff some time ago gave a \$10 bill to the defendant, a tax collector, in payment, and soon after went to work in the lumber woods. Not long after he left home he received a letter from the tax collector saying that the \$10 bill was worthless, inasmuch as the bank which issued it had failed. Thereupon the plaintiff sent \$10 back to take up the alleged worthless bill, but upon receiving it, found, so he says, that it was not the bill which he had given the collector. He brought an action and the case was tried before Justice O'Connor at Alma and the jury brought in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff. Judge Forbes ordered a new trial on condition that the defendant pay \$15 costs. W. A. Trueman appear-ed for the plaintiff; E. P. Raymond for the defendant.

HE'S A WINNER.

McDonald to Skate for "Winged Foot" This Winter. The New York Athletic Club this sea.

son will have the fastest team of skaters in this part of the country. Last season A. Y. Sarony and William W. Swan skated under the red and black of the New York Athletic Club and this year Harry P. McDonald will join that McDonald has hitherto repres

the Heffley school in skating and hockey. McDonald is Brooklyn's best track athlete and on the ice is the fastest sprinter in the country. He won the half mile championship of the United States and Canada in 1901 and 1902, and has three indoor skating records-220 yards in 21 3-5 sec

onds, one-quarter mile in 41 4-5 seconds and one half mile in 1.23. At the Clermont avenue rink he has skated from scratch in various competitions in 2.58 and better. He has won ten first, five seconds and severa thirds, skating from scratch in every event and allowing as much as 120 yaras handicap to the mile. He has made the best average of the scratch

While Sarony and Swan made a larger percentage in last season's events at Clermont, they often received handicaps, while McDonald started from scratch. He has won in skating and athletics over one hundred and fifty The metropolitan broad jump cham

cionship in 1901 was captured by Mc-Donald, as well as the national American championships in 1900 and 1901.

HAPPILY WEDDED.

The Baptist church at Upper Jemses as the scene of one of the prettiest weddings of the season on Wednesday evening last, when Bessie Iona, laughter of Mrs. Esther Davis Follett, formerly of Boston, Mass., was united in marriage to Harold Kingswood Olmstead, only son of Capt. and Mrs. very prettily decorated by young riends of the bride. At six o'clock to march, by Mrs. W. J. Gordon, the bridal party entered the church, the oride leaning on the arm of her cousin, John R. Dunn, who gave her away, was met at the altar by the groom. The evergreen, tastefully draped with the Union Jack and Stars and Stripes, and made a very pretty picture. eremony was performed in a very impressive manner by Rev. W. J. Gor-don, pastor of the church. The bride was handsomely gowned in cream moire silk, with pearl and chiffon trimmings, and wore the customary bridal veil, held in place by a crown f orange blossoms. She was attended by her sister, Alice L. Follett, as maid of honor, who wore a gown of white Swiss muslin and large white fur hat. The ushers were Will B. Purdy and Council C. Camp. After the eremony a reception was held at the residence of the groom's parents, where after congratulations, a collation was served. The young coup are both deservedly popular and start on life's journey with the best wishes of a host of friends. Mrs. Olmstead vill be at home to her friends Tues day and Wednesday afternoons, Dec 23rd and 24th, from three to five o'clock.

The courts should never hold a man responsible for what he does to stop a For sale by McDearmid woman's tears.—Philadelphia Record-Herald. E. Clinton Brown.

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LEAVES ALL TO CHARITY.

Will of Mrs. Naney E. Rust Probated -Most of Provisions Go Into Effect on Death of Her Husband

Mrs. Nancy E. Rust's will was pro bated today in the Suffolk probate court, before Judge Grant. Eventually the entire estate goes to charity. She was the wife of William Augustus Rust of this city. Mr. Rust and Alexander F. Wadsworth are named as executors. Nearly all the charitable gifts go into effect on the death of the ausband, who will enjoy the income of

the estate during his life.

She gave \$19,000 outright to the Addison Gilbert Hospital in Gloucester to be placed in trust and the incom to be used to maintain the "Elias E. and Esther G. Davidson room already furnished by me." The testatrix directs that \$40,000 be set aside by the executors, the income to be paid to her husband, and at his death to be given to their children, if any survive them, but as no children do survive, the subscribers in arrears will amount on her husband's death will be divided thus:

To the Children's Hospital, \$5,000, a a memorial to Frank Davidson Rust, late son of the testatrix; to the Boston Pilots' Relief Society, \$1,000; to the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, \$2,000; to the Perkins Institute and Massachusetts Asylum for the Blind, \$2,000; to the New England Hospital for Women, \$2,000; to the Bosto Fatherless and Widows' Society, \$1,000 to the American Unitarian Society \$1,000; to the Benevolent Fraternity of Churches in Boston, \$1,000; to the Kindergarten for the Blind, \$5,000, "to be added to the Frank Davidson Rust fund hereinafter provided;" to the Industrial School for Crippled and Deformed Children, \$2,000: to the West End Nursery and Infants' Hospital \$2,000; to the Home for Crippled Children, Weston, \$2,000; to the Gwynne Temporary Home for Children, \$2,000. The last four bequests are in memory of her son Frank. To the First (Unitarian) Parish at East Bridgewater. \$2,000, to be known as the Rust fund; to the East Bridgewater Public Library, \$2,000, to be known as the Rust

fund, the income to be used in the purchase of books. A number of relatives and friends also received gifts. To the Oak Grove Cemetery, Gloucester, and to the East Bridgewate Cemetery, \$200 each is given, to be used in caring for the family lots, but

any surplus to be used for the general improvement of the cemetery. To the Female Charitable Society of Gloucester is given \$2,000 in trust, the income to be used for the poor in memory of the testatrix's aunt, Ametta Lubson. To the Perkins Institute and Massa chusetts Asylum for the Blind \$5,000 is given, to be used in the kindergarten work. From the residue of the estate \$15,000 is to be given to the Ad-

be used for the general purposes of the hospital, as a memorial to Elias E. Miles L. Olmstead. The church was and Esther G. Davidson and their children. Whatever remains of the residue after the payment of this amount he strains of Mendelssohn's wedding is to be used by the executors then serving at their discretion. The will is dated March 25, 1899. [The husband of Mrs. Rust is president of the Freeman's National Bank of Boston. He is also a ratepayer of

dison Gilbert Hospital, the income to

bridal party stood beneath an arch of St. John, being the owner of the Ottawa House.]

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BOSTON, Dec. 17.—James Elisha (color-ed), who killed his wife in April last by cutting her throat with a razor, today plead-ed guilty of murder in the second degree and was sentenced to imprisonment for life in the state prison.





Picton, Ont., Dec. 17 .- A schooner supposed to be the John R. Noyes of Oswego, went ashore at Salmon Point last night and immediately went to pieces. There is no sign of the crew.

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VENEZUELA

It is reported from England that the Venezuela trouble is not exciting much interest. That is the case in Canada, and also in the United States. The attempt of the New York Herald, which miserably. The Monroe doctrine is no less involved in this affair than it was in the Venezuela boundary question but the relations of the United States to the rest of the world are not the same as they were when Olney was secretary of state. Mr. Cleveland was able to tell Lord Salisbury that the United States left the other side of the world to other nations, but claimed the right to dominate this hemisphere. President Roosevelt cannot say that. He cannot forget the islands in the East where his soldiers have for some four years been trying to bring an unwilling people into subjugation. Behas learned that Venezuela is a rather troublesome ward. In common with troublesome ward. In common with St. John has the same reason as those of Britain, Germany, Italy Montreal to charge the traffic with the erica. France. England and Scotland people have been exposed to confiscations, plunderings, and outrages of various kinds. They are not fond of that sort of thing.

The British people would feel better pleased if Germany were not concerned with their own country in this movement. They have no great confidence in German national motives, and have not forgotten the foul slanders published in Germany about the conduct of the British in Africa. If it is necessary to use force to secure the right of British subjects at the hands of Venezuela, most of King Edward's people would feel better pleased if Britain were operating

Everyone knows that there will neither be battles nor glory to win in this little war, and no doubt an arbitration by the American minister, with suitable guarantees that the award could be enforced, would be welcomed on all sides.

WHERE ARE THE FEDERAL MIN-

ISTERS ?

These meetings of provincial ministers at Quebec and elsewhere to discuss claims against the Dominion do not amount to much without the co-operation of the Laurier government. Where are the federal ministers? What has become of the conference between the New Brunswick government and the Dominion government which was to have taken place months ago?

So long ago as the time of the byelection in Kings county, Dr. Pugsley made a statement as attorney general, in which he declared that the provincial government and the Dominion government had agreed to submit the fishery award case to a judicial tribunal. Afterward Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Fielding informed parliament that no such agreement had been made, and that the subject had not even been considered. These statements raised a question of veracity, but as a matter of fact no case

no action of any sort has been taken. Next we were told that a conference of provincial and federal ministers swould be held toward the end of last summer for the discussion and settlement of the fisheries question, the subsidies, representation, and other matters. That statement also received no confirmation from Ottawa. The summer is past, the harvest is ended and the conference has not taken place, nor is there any indication that It will be held.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC AND ST.

The general manager and vice-president of the company knows that St. did not distinguish among them.

John paid half the cost price of the in providing for say one hundr branch railway by which his company scholarships in the United States, Mass access to West St. John. The Rhodes had adopted a population bas the company.

of St. John, and that the slips beside them were dredged out by the city. Nearly one million dollars has been paid by St. John for these improvements.

whether the bity at any one of these points did as much as St. John has done toward providing shipping facilities. Did any of these cities, including the great city of these cities, including the great city of Montreal, ever tax itself a single attributed to his personal association cent for such a purpose? Is not St. with these colonies. We may expec John the only city in all Canada some readjustment of these to which has done such a thing, and is them include the Transvaal and Or-

way which gets the use of such im-

Elsewhere the cost of such wharves and docks is either a charge on the railway, or on the whole Dominion, or on the trade of the port. The Quebec the Rhodes method is harbor commission got from the Dominion the money for its docks and breakwaters. The whole country pays

the interest and the commerce pays the cost of management. Another million, as a direct federal vote, is promised to Quebeo for the extension of its harbor works, and for this the whole country will be taxed. Montreal harbor has been largely equipped by money borrowed on the credit of the Dominion, the interest of which is paid by a charge on the trade of the port. But of late large appropriations have been made or promised the way of a direct federal vote Moreover, the Dominion has assumed

incurred in dredging the channel a considerable distance below the city. The Dominion has the same right to provide berths and wharves and ele- Brown. Mrs. Blackburn accompanie vators at West St. John as at Montreal or Quebec. It has the same duty to this port as to Parry Sound or Collingwood, or the Soo, or Port Colsides, the United States government torne. But the Dominion government

West St. John.

that part of the Montreal harbor debt

interest of the civic investment at Sand Point: The citizens have made St. John a free winter port for the development of business. If this had not been done the steamship companies and the railway company must have paid the charges between them out of their transportation profit just as they do with the St. Lawrence charges in the summer time. Or the Canadian Pacific railway might have found itself compelled to provide the whole terminal equipment of slips, wharves and warehouse, as the Grand Trunk has done at Portland. But it was recognized here that the Canatage in a longer haul and that it ought to be encouraged to do business in nor justice in the suggestion that the people of St. John should pay bill. They have already

contributed to this purpose large sum of one hundred dollars for each family in the community, while as we have said no other municipality in Canada has contributed cent to such a purpose.

made use of the language attributed to him, intimating that the people of St. John are unwilling to part in this business?

THE RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS

Representatives of the universities in the Maritime Provinces are meeting Dr. Parkin today at Sackville to discuss the question of the distribution of the Rhodes scholarships. As the matter now stands Canada will send eight students each year, but it has not been determined whether each province will send one, or whether ome other basis of distribution will he devised. This question does not arise in other

parts of the world, for Cecil Rhodes deignated specifically the number of scholarships for various colonies, pro vinces and states outside of Canada It will be remembered that, through either lack of knowledge or inadvert ence, the testator did not make ade juate provision for the application of his legacy to the Dominion. While h emembered small colonies like Ber muda, he took no account of the maritime provinces or Western Canada This omission was a clear departure from his general programme, which was to provide one or more scholar-ships for each English speaking colonial unit, and for each state in the union. What is meant by a colonial unit is shown by the provision in rehas been submitted to a tribunal, and spect to Australia, where each state of the Commonwealth is particularly

Representations from Canada, in cluding those of Dr. Parkin, who personally stated the case to the trustees, led them to supply this deficiency under the general powers assigned to them by the will, Canada will under the amended terms be entitled to eight

scholarships each year.

In assigning these scholarships te ritorially the safe course would be to follow the general line which Cecil Rhodes himself pursued in regard to other parts of the world, at the same time keeping mind the main purpos

JOHN. was that all parts of the English speaking colonial Empire should be represented. Mr. Rhodes desired a wide the manager manager manager medical parts of the English speaking colonial Empire should be represented. Mr. Rhodes desired a wide distribution of the influence of Oxford when he is manager meaning the color of the influence of oxford when he is manager meaning the color of the influence of oxford when he is manager meaning the color of the influence of oxford when he is manager meaning the color of the influence of oxford when he is manager meaning the color of the english speaking colonial Empire should be represented.

when he is made to say in Montreal training and her spirit. He also desired that the company "had done about as that Oxford might receive an imperial "much for the port of West St. John "as they could reasonably be expected possible directions. He had in view "to do until the port did something not so much the personal advantage "for itself." Mr. McNicoll is made to the students who should obtain add: "The local authorities are in no these scholarships as the national and "way remiss in asking the Canadian international advantage to be pro-Pacific to spend unlimited sums moted by the associations which he "there, but they are less eager to put their hands in their own pockets to share with the company the cost of improvements in which all particities and by which all would bene-Victoria, with nearly ten times the population, but his plan called for the representation of all the states and he did not distinguish among them. If olarships in the United States, Mr. Rhodes had adopted a population basis Dominion government paid the other New York state would have had nine half, and the road was a present to while half a dozen states and territories might be grouped and have only Mr. McNicoll knows that the prin- one for the whole of them. Or he migh cipal wharves and warehouses at have left them open to competition sand Point were provided by the city over the whole country, in which case New England would probably have

southern and western states would never be represented.

What the testator did was to place The Canadian Pacific has a terminus all the states of the Australian feder at Montreal, another at Quebec, an- ation on a level, with New Zealand on other at Vancouver, and still other the same basis as one of them, giving shipping points on the lakes. We each three scholarships. He did the would like Mr. McNicoll to say same in South Africa, to the extent of not the Canadian Pacific the only rail- ange River Colonies. In the United States he provided two scholarships provements free of cost to itself, and for each state and, we believe, each

territory in the union. If now it is proposed to allow eight annual scholarships to the eight divi sions of Canada, the application, of convenient. Give one to each divi sion, large or small, without regard to population. Then the Canadian student delegation at Oxford University will represent the sea-coast and the mercial centres, the prairie regions an mining camp. It will take to the old aniversity some breath of every atwithin the Canadian hori zon, and will disperse through all the areas of our national life some influence from that historic centre of civilization and culture.

SOUTHAMPTON, N. S.

SOUTHAMPTON. Dec. 16. - W Blackburn returned last week to hi home in Truro, after several weeks visit among his wife's people, and with his own daughter, Mrs. Cyru him. Mr. Blackburn has been all sun mer and autumn in New York, bein the engineer in charge of the construction of the new bridge. His son has the oversight during his absence has so far given only promises to Mr. B. is an engineer of wide experience, having been engaged in his It was he who constructed the central span of the Forth bridge, a most diffi culf piece of engineering. He is of English birth, and first came to this country as mining engineer when the coal mines of Springhill were owned by an English company, and spent several years in company with Mr. Lloyd and others in tracing the coal seam over the mountain and in other direc tions from the mines. At that time he met and married Miss Adelaide Lodge, having been married twice previously. They have three children and Mrs. Brown, as stated, is the child of his first wife, as also is one son, who has always resided in En The genial countenance and broad English of this kindly gentleman are always welcome wherever he is known and he never forgets the face of an Albert Pugsley and Capt.

have about 20 men employed on their timber lot lately acquired from H. Skidmore. The group of camps over the river here, so long vacant, are again re-occupied, and their friendly smoke curls upward in the frosty air, telling of renewed life in the surrounding forest. Henry Heather, built one of these camps some years ago, is back again, culling timper on the lands purchased at that time from G. C. Harrison. He has a rew of men. In another camp a numler of Southbrook men are lumbering ought from Chas. Harrison, Further back, Albert Pugsley has rebuilt his camp, destroyed last summer by fire, and has about 20 men culling timber on the Tucker lot, and also on a lot Mr. Pugsley bought this season from Luke Hoeg. J. W. Siddall and his two sons on their respective properties are hustling out logs and quantities of pit

timber for Gilroy & Hunter. The late Barney Hunter's quintette of sons have sold some timber left them en bloc for over \$6,000 to a lumi-E. Bradshaw, blacksmith, has lost

the grey mare he has driven so long. THE HAY TRADE

Woodstock Dispatch.) Rupert Hutchinson of Bath returned last week from a visit to Boston, Saler and Lynn, where he was making ar rangements for the sale of hay. will pay \$7 a ton for number one hay and \$5 for number two. He thinks that through pure carelessness a great deal of hay was spoiled this year that might have been cured in first condition.



We thank the public most heartily for th very generous patronage enjoyed during the We will try hard to merit even greater onfidence throughout 1903.

S. Kerr & Son,

Catarrhal Diseases are Most Prevalent in Winter.

IS THERE NO WAY OF ESCAPE FROM THEM? Pe-ru-na Never Fails to Cure

Gatarrh Wherever Located. There are some things which are as

sure as fate, and can be relied on to occur to at least one-half of the human family unless means are taken to prevent. First, the climate of winter is sure to bring colds.

Second, colds not promptly cured are sure to cause catarrh. Third, catarrh improperly treated in sure to make life short and miserable. Catarrh spares no organ or function of

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located is attested by the following te timonials sent entirely unsolicited to Dr. Hartman by grateful men and women who have been cured by Peruna: Systemic Catarrh.

Mrs. M. K. Bousch, Richmond, Va writes: "I had catarrh all through my system for two years and could get no relief. I was advisad to try Peruna and I have taken five bottles of it and am well and better now than I have been for years. I can advise any one who has catarrh of any part of the body to cured me thoroughly. I now feel better take Peruna. My little girl who is than I have for forty years."-Mrs. eleven years old had catarrh, but was Emilie Kirckhoff. cured by Peruna. Before I began to take Peruna I was sick all the time, but now I am entirely cured, and all praise is due Peruna."-Mrs. M. K. Bousch.

Catarrh of the Nose. Mr. Herman Ehlke, 952 Orchard street Milwaukee, Wis., writes: "I am entirely cured of my catarrh of the nose by your Peruna. My case was a severe one."-Herman Ehlke.

Catarrh of the Throat. B. H. Runyan, Salesville, O., writes: "I suffered with catarrh of the throat for five years. I was induced to try Peruna. I have used five bottles and am perfectly well."-B. H. Runyan. Catarrh of The Ear

Mr. Archie Godin, 188 Beech street, Fitchburg, Mass., writes: "Peruna has cured me of catarrh of

the middle ear. I feel better than I have one bottle of your Peruna and could for several years."—Archie Godin. hear as good as ever."—D. R. Ramsey. The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O. HAMPTON NEWS

HAMPTON, Kings Co., Dec. 18.

The probate court of Kings county

opened today, on the arrivel of the eastern bound C. P. R. train, Judge George G. Gilbert presiding. The will of the late Robert J. Mills of Sussex, farmer, was proved and letters testamentary granted to Annie Mills and John H. Mills, executrix and executor thereunder, who were duly sworn. The estate is valued under \$5,000, of which \$2,700 is real and \$2,250 personal property. George W.

Fowler, proctor. The will of the late James Virtue of Sussex was duly proved and letters testamentary granted to Mary Ann Virtue and Samuel Virtue, the exec and executor, respectively, named therein, who were sworn in. The estate is valued at \$300 real and 100 personalty. J. M. McIntyre, proc-

John J. McFarland of Sussex pet tioned for letters of administratio ipon the estate of his deceased wife, Mary H. McFarland, which is value at \$550 personal property. The petition was granted and Andrew Aiton and David M. Aiton were sworn in as bondsmen. J. M. McIntyre, proc-

Albert Humphreys and Jane Humphreys, his wife, petitioned for let ters of administration upon the estate of the late Ruth Wilson of Norton the value of which is stated at \$70 personalty. The brothers of deceased, Gabriel and Henry Pierce, filed renunciations in favor of petitioners. Petition granted and Gabriel Pierce and Fred M. Sproul sworn in as ndsmen. Papers were submitted by F. M. Sproul.

Daniel J. Urguhart of Kars peti tioned for letters of administration in the estate of the late Joseph hart of Kars, which is valued at \$1, 300, of which \$700 is real and \$900 personalty. The renunciation of John W. Urquhart, Alexander Urquhart, W. A Corey Urguhart, Emma Urguhart, Al-A. Riecker, Henry A. Sprague and Jennie E. Sprague (all but on brother who is absent in the states, and one niece, resident in St. John), as prayed for. Martin Riecker and John W. Urquhart were sworn in as bondsmen, and Miles G. Jenkins and John B. Edgar were appointed ap-

Catarrh of The Lunga.

Mrs. Emilie Kirckhoff, Ada, Minn. writes: "Through a violent cold contracted last winter, I became afflicted with catarrh of the nose, which in a short time affected my lungs. I took Peruna which

Catarrh of the Bladder.

Mr. John Smith, 311 S. Third street tchison, Kan., writes: "I was troubled with catarrh of the urethra and bladder for two years. At

the time I wrote to you I was under the care of my home doctor, and had been for four months. "I followed your directions but two months, and can say Peruna cured me of that trouble."-John Smith.

Mr. D. R. Ramsey writes in a recent

letter from Pine Bluff, Ark., the fol- isfactory results from the use of Peruna, "My son, Leon Ramsey, four years of

age, suffered with catarrh of the head be pleased to give you his valuable adfor eighteen or twenty months. He took vice gratis.

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Secretary J. E. Hoyt and Leonard

Hill, delegates from Hampton Agri-cultural Society, No. 22, went to Am-

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John Frost is also attending the fair.

They are instructed to inspect the

herds of breeders in the neighborhood

of Amherst, with a view of the society

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J. E. Hoyt, and John Frost, a commit-

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Mrs. Margaret Large, for many

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Smith of Hampton Station, died on

Sunday morning last ,after a brief

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The Rev. A. B. McLeod, who was in

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Persons who have used Dr. Chase's

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See testimonials in the newspapers.

BOSTON Dec. 18.-Steamer Boston.

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AGED 105 YEARS. In the matter of the estate of the late John Fraser of Rothesay, the petition of Judge E. McLeod and MONTREAL, Dec. 18.—Esther Dunn Jones died tonight, aged 105 years and six months. The was a native of Kil-Ella Fraser, executor and executrix dare, Ireland, and came to Canada 54 respectively, to pass accounts, has been granted, and a citation issued years ago. Up to four weeks ago she to church one morning she caught a probate court will be on Friday, Jan-

Children Cry for

HANSON-At Fredericton, on Dec. 17, to the wife of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hanson, a son.

CARSON—JODREY—At the residence of the bride's sister, Arlington, Mass., Dec. 10th, Albert Carson of St. Martins, N. B., to Flora Margaret Jodrey of Bridgeport, N. S.

LONGLEY—Suddenly, at Salisbury, Mass., on Dec. 14, Harry R. Longley, son of I. L. Longley, of this city, leaving a wife and four children to mourn their sad loss.

MORAN—In Somerville, Mass. on Dec. 18th, David Moran, formerly of S. John, leaving a wife and five children to mourn their sad loss.

McKENZIE—In this city, Dec. 18th, Thomas J., youngest son of Kenneth and Lizzie M. McKenzie, aged 15 months. SINCLAIR.—In this city, after a short illness, Margaret E., daughter of the late Peter and Eleanor Sinclair. TRACY.—On the 13th, at Willow Grove, Herbert J. Tracy, son of Patrick and Catherine Tracy, aged 36. (Boston and Cali-

WALLACE-Suddenly, at Westfield, on Dec. 15th, Harry W. B. Wallace, son of Charles Wallace of Greenwich, Kings Co., aged 35 years.
WHITE—Suddenly, in this city, on the 15th inst., George M. White, aged 5 years.
Leaving a widow and two children, four sons and one daughter, to mourn their very great loss.

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CAPITAL \$500,000. INSURANCE IN FORCE, \$5,000,000. Total amount for security of policy holders \$770,000.00. Lowest average death rate on record for Company of same age, viz, 3.12 per 1,000 mean insurance in force. Interest income alone pays all death

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"Before I had taken a half bottle of Peruna I felt like a new man."—Henry If you do not receive prompt and sat-

write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will

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BEDELL-RITCHIE.—In Trinity church, at Canterbury Station, 17th inst., by the Rev. Joseph E. Flewelling, rector of Canterbury, Lee Bedell to Ida C., only daughter of Andrew and Eliza Ritchie, both of Andover.

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DEATH OF W. S. COVERT.

Paster - A Loyalist and of

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years was one of the most devoted

Church of England pastors in this,

his native province. His work was

that of a missionary, so to speak, and

in the good old days of Bishop Medley

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don succeeded Dr. Medley, one of his

first acts was to give the over-worked

clergy a needed rest. Rev. Mr. Covert

was among the first to be thus re-

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worked there for a time, and later re-tired to the dulness of life in Nova.

Scotia. Rev. Mr. Covert was a good

man. He was a brother of John S.

Covert, long time leader of the local

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stilled into the mind of Hon, A. G.

Blair when he was a student in the

wick Church of England pastor of

Rev. J. A. McCallen's Lecture.

A GHASTLY FIND.

a policeman today found the body of

Andrew George Lister, an electrician,

who disappeared some time ago. The

supposed that Lister lost his balance

precipice and fell. Great difficulty

was experienced in removing the body.

former home was in Toronto.

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Take Laxative Bromo Tablets. All druggists retund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

LIGHT KEEPER DROWNED.

The Sun's St. George correspondent

sent in word last night that a tele-

phone message had been received

ing of Warren Davidson, keeper of

the light at the Southern Wolves, Mr. Davidson's death was a particularly

sad one, he being drowned by the cap-

sizing of a dory before the eyes of his

time. Firshermen near by were un-

worthy prelate. When Rev. Dr. King-

1651 Notre Dame & New York Montreal

The C. P. R. has given an order for the construction of 500 flat cars. Higgins will probably be Dorchester this week.

St. John,

and Exchanges.

J. E. Moore's new mill at Pleasant Point has closed down and some ?6 men are now idle. Dr. Melvin left last evening for

consultation with Dr. Jack of that Str. Brunswick left yesterday for Basin of Minas ports with a full cargo. She will attempt to get into

Grand Manan, where he is called in

The I. C. R. will begin today putting the sheds on the Ballast wharf in condition for loading cattle.

Sergt. Major Buchanan has received his long service medal. No soldier in Canada is more deserving of the honor. Several U. N. B. students arrived in the city last night on the way to their homes to spend the Christmas vaca-

The students of the U. N. B. have sent a gold headed cane as a Christmas gift to Prof. Stockley, who is now in the University of Ottawa. A number of the men who

working in Moore's mill, which shut down this week, have gone to Lepreaux to work at Lowell's mill. Capt. Geo. Cripps, well known in

connection with schooner business

from which he retired some years ago, died Wednesday morning at his home the Mispec boarding house. Chronic Constipation surely cured or

money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS never fail. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price, 35 cents. At

Dr. C. W. Hewson and J. C. Purdy have purchased from W. M. Mackay of St. John, the interest in the Jack-sons preperties at Tidnish and Amherst Head. Price paid about \$18,000. Amberet News. George G. Scevil, M. P. P., who

states that about the usual amount of lumbering will be done in his section of Kings county this winter. The fact that the snow fell before the swamps were frozen is something of a Business in the country market re-

Christmas season. A special meeting of the pilotage commission was held yesterday after-noon, when a lot of routine business was transacted. It was decided that both the str. Imperial and the barge which came here from Cleveland with

oil should pay pilotage. The salary of the secretary, J. U. Thomas, was in-creased from \$800 to \$1,000. Str. Westport arrived yesterday from Westport with a large cargo Among her passengers was Mrs Kemp, an aged Bugtish lady who has spent a long time with her son, a clergyman, at Brier Island. Mrs.

spent a long time with her son, a clergyman, at Brier Island. Mrs. Kemp goes to England on the Allan line boat.

Mention has been made in these columns of the fact that the Grand Manan sloop Ethel and Carrie reached here the other day dismasted. She was tewed up from the Wolves by the sah. Exenia, which was bound here. It is said a towage charge has been made of \$75.

Alfred Lordly, who broke one of his legs a few days ago, by falling on the steps of the Elliott Hotel, died on Sunday at the General Public Hospital.

On the occasion of a lecture delivered before a large and appreciative audience in Windsor Hall, Montreal, in honor of the Father Matthew anniversary, Rev. J. A. McCallen, S. S.., of St. Patrick's church, and president of St. Patrick's Total Abstitute of the value of Mr. Dixon's new discovery for the cure of alcohol and drug habits: Referring to the physical crave engendered by the inordinate use of intoxicants, he steps the sound that the papers have 'spoken so much lately, and if I am to 'judge of the value of the Dixon remedy by the cures which it has effected under my own eyes, I must come to the conclusion that what I have longed for for twenty years to see discovered has at last been found by that gentlement of the Dixon remedy

day at the General Public Hospital. Mr. Lordly was 72 years of age. He was a mative of Chester, N.S., and was well known for the large spice business which he built up. A. J. Lordly is a brother of the deceased.

The Sun's Fredericton corresponden telegraphs: Friends of J. W. Hamilton manager of the B. N. A. here, and who has been translated to Quebec will tender him a farewell dinner, to be held at the Queen hotel on Monday evening. Mr. Hamilton has made host of friends in this city. They are sincerely regretting his departure, as well as that of Mr. Hamilton, who was popular in social circles. Mr. Sharp who is to succeed Mr. Hamilton in the bank here, is exp cted to arrive on

DEATH OF F. W. B. WALLACE. The death occurred at Westfield on Monday of Harry W. B. Wallace, son of Charles Wallace of Greenwich, Kings county. He was 35 years old. Mr. Wallace was a young man of ex-cellent Christian character and much respected by a large number of aces. For a number of years he was in the employ of Manch Robertson & Allison and only left there on account of failing health. He leaves a widow and four children to mourn the loss of a faithful and loving husband and father.

A BURDEN TO SELF AND

OTHERS. "Take care of your health; you have no right to neglect it and thus become a burden to yourself and perhaps to others." When the liver gets sluggish, the kidneys inactive, and the bowels constipated, Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will promptly set your filtering and excretory system in perfect order, and insure good digestion and good health. There is no medicine so generally used, and none so success-ful. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box.

The Battle line steamer Pharsalia sailed from Liverpool yesterday for Cardiff to load coals for the United States. STR. LAKE CHAMPLAIN Friday.

older-Dempster steamer Lake Cham-dain, which has been anchored in the inner quarantine dis-trict since Monday last on account of a case of smallpox having been discovered on the ship on her arrival here, will dock some time today at the berth at Sand Point allotted to the vessels of her line. At all events it is said orders to this effect have been received from Ottawa.
Yesterday afternoon the 650 steerage

people who came out in the forward steerage space in the ship were taken down to Partridge Island and given quarters in the several buildings which exist there. It would appear from reports received from Dr. March, the port physician, that no difficulty will be experienced in making this vast crowd comfortable. The only trouble is with regard to a water supply, but the tug Neptune will, it is thought, be able to provide all the water that is required. There are also on the island some of the stewards and cooks of the ship, and one stewardess. These people, it is believed, came into contact with the passengers in this particular part of the ship where the smallpox

Dr. March has released the 120 or 130 passengers who came out in the after part of the ship as third cabin people: Croup Coughs
Catarrh, Colds Grippe and Hay Fever The ship as soon as she is completely The Yaporizer and Lamp, which should last a lifetime, together with a bottle of Cresolene, S. Extra supplies of Cresolene as cents and Sagants. Write for descriptive booklet containing highest restimony as to its value. disinfected will be allowed to dock, smallpox man. The intention is to remove to the island all members of the

part of the ship.

The disinfection of the ship is already well under way and only a few hours will be required to complete the work. It is thought she will be re-For Many Years a Beloved Anglican leased from quarantine about noon." The sick man is reported by Dr. March to be doing well. There is no A telegram from Digby, N. S., Wednesday announced the death there of the Rev. W. S. Covert, who for many sign of further illness among all the

people in quarantine. The ship had on board 1,200 cases of oranges for western points. They with a lot of other perishable goods for the west were discharged into lighters yesterday afternoon. The crew of the ship put the cases over the side and laborers from the shore handled them on the lighters. These goods are now on their way via the C. P. R. to their respective destinations. Commissioner Thomas of the United

or 130 third class passengers are for from the steerage passengers. Acting upon instructions received from Washington and the advice of Dr. Billings, the marine hos-Dr. Billings, the marine hos-pital and public health representative here, he had consented to allow these people to go to the United States. Drs. March and Billings had

formed port doctor. native growth. His work on the St. John river and on Grand Manan will The Board of Health held a meet long be remembered. He leaves a large family. His wife was a daughing yesterday afternoon, at which John E. Irvine, representing Troop & Son ter of the late Hon. D. L. Hanington was present and made an application to the board to allow the passengers of Westmorland Co., sister of Mr Justice Hanington and A. H. Haningin the after steerage of the Lake Champlain to be landed, stating that from the build and location of the THE LIQUOR HABIT steerage there could be no communication or contact between them and the passengers in the forward steerage. As he was unable to give accur ate information in regard to the exact plan of the vessel in that respect, the board decided to send an official down to examine for himself, to report back On the occasion of a lecture delivered be

this morning. The board are just as anxious a anybody to have the ship released from quarantine and allowed to go on with her business after disinfection But until further information is ob tained they are of the opinion that the quickest way to effect her release is to remove her passengers to the is

If the board's official is allowed of board the ship this morning, he will make an examination and report, after which their decision will be made. The city of Saint John having re tieman."

Till particulars regarding this medicine can be obtained by writing to Mr. Dixon, No. 83 Willcocks Street, Toronto, Canada. cently suffered so much from smallpox, both in the number of deaths and cases of sickness and the great financial expense caused by it, the Board of Health feel that it is their NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Dec. 13.bounden duty to see that there is no Hanging on a piece of jutting rock in the face of a cliff below the Falls, possible chance of smallpox reaching the city from the Lake Champlain.

ABANDONED HER TOW. Announcement was made in the city body was frozen stiff and it was found that the skull had been crushed. It is papers the other day that the Battle liner Albuera, Capt. Grant, bound from Glasgow to Providence with a cargo of coal, was assisting in the Atlantic while walking along the edge of the German tank steamer August Korff, which had lost her rudder while It was lowered by means of ropes into on her way from Philadelphia to a rowboat in the river and taken to the Maid of the Mist landing. Lister's on her way from Fuliadelphia to Flushing. It was thought the Albuera might get her to Queenstown, but the hope was lost yesterday when word reached here to the effect that the Albuera had reached Louisburg. A despatch from that place says Captain Grant's ship parted the hawsers in ise several times. Owing to the heavy gales which prevailed the Albuera had to abandon the disabled vessel. The Albura after bunkering, will go to Providence to discharge. After that she will proceed to New Orleans or fron Black Harbor announcing the Galveston to load grain for Europe at death by drowning on Tuesday morn-2s. 10 1-2d.

FIRE IN CHARLOTTETOWN. CHARLOTTETOWN, Dec. 17.-The Charlottetown market house was burned down this morning. The cause of wife, who was on the shore at the the fire is unknown. The loss is \$10,able to recover his body. Mr. David- 000; insurance, \$5,000. Three son was keeper of the light for the past five or six years, and in his earlier days was skipper of a fishing

schooner that sailed out of Gloucester, Mass. He was 35 years of age and leaves a wife and small family. He was a native of Charlotte Co. and was respected by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

The Battle line steamer Pharsalia sailed than the property of the state of

Chase's Olivernent against attending the funeral.

Close of the Fall Term at Acadia. students at the institutions here begin the kitchen. The water was above the today, as last night sam the formal today, as last night saw the formal closing of the first term in the junior rhetorical exhibition held in Assem-Trotter, Dr. Keirstead presided.

National Anthem. The essays were of the usual high

oughly enjoyed.

At the close Dr. Keirstead announc-At the close Dr. Keirstead announced the following prize winners: A scholarship, value \$60, offered by the class of 1901; winner, James Rolf but this depends largely upon the scholarship, value \$60, offered by the third class people being permitted to class of 1901; winner, James Rolf The Oriole of St. John, which clear-ed from New York over a month ago be aboard but those of the crew, whom the aboard but those of the crew, whom by Loring C. Christie of Apple River, N. S. Being long over-Amherst. Prize of \$5 for the best Acadia song, to be published in the crew who had quarters in the forward new song book, won by E. Roy Bates, son of Rev. Mr. Bates of Amherst; title, "The Red and the Blue." The second competitor for this honor was Miss Sunson of Acadia Seminary;

subject. "Acadia Forever." The junior class publicly announced that they were to have installed during the vacation an electric light service in the College chapel, a gift of the class to the college.

WOLFVILLE, Dec. 17. - Acadia four-year-old colt by Almont Wilkes Seminary closed for the holidays on The animal is a good one and shows Tuesday, and the following young ladies left on Wednesday for their homes in New Brunswick: Miss Lena Anderson, Miss Bessie Anderson and Oressa Patterson, Sackville; Iva W. Barton, Union Corner; Anne Clark, Moncton; Etta Colpitts, Forest Glen; May Crandall, Chipman; Helen Fowler, Petitcodiac; Mabel McDonald, Pet-States immigration bureau says he is ticodiac; Alice Jones, Pollett River; given to understand that 38 of the 120 Mildred Keith, Havelock; Marguerite United States points. These people he is satisfied were completely separated Elgin; Edith Palmer, Dorchester; Louden, St. Stephen; Lalia Keirstead

Ridge.

Miss Evelina Patten, vice-principal, goes for her holidays to her home in Hebron, Yarmouth. Miss Mabel Marvin, teacher of vocal music, will spend mate.

cardidate for the next provincial general election. The opposition convention will be held on Dec. 29th. J. Nelson Smith, another big lumber dealer, is spoken of as Mr. Prescott's running mate. selved a boom yesterday. Large consignments of poultry and butter arrived, to supplement the stock of butchers' beef and pork on hand. All butchers' beef and pork on hand butchers' beef and pork on hand. All butchers' beef and pork on hand butchers' beef and pork on hand. All butchers' beef and pork on hand butchers' beef and pork on hand butchers' beef and pork on hand. All butchers' beef and pork on hand butchers' butchers' butchers' butchers' butchers' Westboro, Mass. Prof. Moore, director of piano, goes to Boston. Mis-Josephine Bostwick goes to her home in St. John. Miss L. Churchill English teacher, goes to Lockport. Miss Cora Archibald goes to her home in Truro. Miss Lynds, elocution teacher, spends her vacation at Sussex, N. B. Miss Mamela Sloat will be the guest

of Miss Minnie Chipman, teacher art, at her home in Wolfville. Mrs. Killcup, the widow of Henry Killcup, died at her home in New Minas on Wednesday. Henry Killcup was for many years the driver of the old six-horse coach between Halifax and Annapolis, and after the advent of the cars, drove the coach between Lunenburg and Kentville.

Mrs. Merriam, daughter of Benja min Brown, Hortonville, was married on Wednesday to Charles Tracy of the R. G. A., Halifax. Mrs. Amasa Bigelow, formerly Kingsport, died at Glace Bay Thursday. Her remains were brought to Kingsport for interment.

MAUGERVILLE, SUNBURY CO.

MAUGERVILLE, Dec. 15. - The young cattle that have been at large since spring are now about all rounded up. Some of them had to be lasoed and snared. The first driving party of the season

from Fredericton to this place came down Friday night under the guid-ance of Mr. and Mrs. T. Fred Carvell, and were entertained at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Dykeman, where luncheon was partaken of and amusements indulged in until the midnight hour. The party was chiefly Normal students, as follows: Miss Luella B. Chapman, Miss Mand B. Brittain, Miss May A. MacVey, Kings Co.; Miss Annie E. Tilley, Miss Ruby Page, Miss Bessie Kearney, Carleton Co.; Miss Sara E. Hoar, Miss Flora M Tingley, Miss Winnifred E. Barbour, Albert Co.; Miss Cassie E. Ayer, Kent Co.; Miss R. M. Allingham, Campobello; Miss Annie McLean, Rest. Co. Miss B. B. Bartlett, Charlotte Co. Paul M. Atkinson, Chas. M. Hoar, Le-Roi E. M. King, Arthur N. Foster, Albert Co.; P. R. McLean, Charlo, N. Colin E. Corruthers, Lewis J King, Kent; Chas. G. Crawford, H. A Carvell, Car. Co.; Kenneth A. Dun-phy, Frank W. Johnson, Grey B. Keith, York Co. Mrs. James S. White of Oromocto

has been confined to her room for several weeks back through illness.

'The Women's Aid Society of Burton will hold a series of socials this winter commencing on the 28th inst.

Hon. L. P. Farris passed here Sun day in precipitant haste per overland special in charge of Cond Campbell, on his way home from the west, and from what could be gleaned at a "way side ian," the election is near at hand and probably will be one of the first startling events of the New Year.

AN INTOLERANT CLERGYMAN.

OTTAWA, Dec. 16.-Town Clerk Whelan of Aylmer was buried on Sunday with Masonic honors, he being a prominent member of the order. Cure Labelle warned his parishioners

WOLFVILLE, W. SACKVILLE NEWS.

SACKVILLE, Dec. 17.-A young so WOLFVILLE, Dec. 17.—The Christ-drowning Saturday last by falling mas holidays for the three hundred through the trap door of the cistern in

A recent issue of a Portland Oregon paper speaks of a pink tea given by rhetorical exhibition held in Assem- Mrs. Harry Dickson in honor of her bly Hall. In the absence of President mother, Mrs. B. Read, formerly of Trotter, Dr. Keirstead presided.

There was a good audience, notwithstanding the violent rain storm,
and the attention and order were of
the best Fire speakers.

The Read, formerly of
Sackville, Mrs. B. Read, formerly of
Was Mrs. T. Davis, whose husband
was for several years principal of Mt.
Allison Academy:

the best. Five speakers were selected to represent the class, according to the following:

PROGRAMME.

Athson Acquemy.

Turner Bros., grocers, have the champion smart dog of the town, a well bred collie. He not only carries notes between the house and shop, but will safely take a \$5 bill to the bank and bring back the change. Between times he sits in the delivery wagon and if the horse starts in search of grass, the dog pulls on the lines and brings him back to position.

The New Zealand Times of Oct 27th

says: "Early yesterday morning the iron clipper ship Mackrichanish arrived from Cape Town. On her run from South Africa she established a record for sailing vessels, occupying only 30 days. At one time she averaged 292 knots for nine consecutive days. Her best performance was run of 320 knots in one day. Capt; E: L. Anderson of Sackville, New Bruns-wick, is master. The Mackrichanish order and the delivery was exception-ally good. The music was also thor-holds several records, including the record voyage from Portland, Oregon due and loaded with sand for the Robb Enigneering Co., Amherst, fears were

entertained as to her safety. Captain Shackline is master. Mrs. Scott Dickie of Dorchester spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Palmer. Mrs. Diekie recently underwent successfully an op-eration at the Halifax hospital. She is a niece of Philip Palmer of St.

Harry Prescott, Baie Verte, has bought from Mr. Herbert, Moncton, a

Mrs. J. F. Allison expects her sister, Mrs. Chas. McDonald, from Edmond-ton, Alberta, to spend Christmas with her. Mrs. McDonald was formerly Miss Sophia Robinson of St. John. She has been five years in the Northwest, where her husband is practising law.

PROBABLE CANDIDATE Ceorge D. Prescott of Albert, Albert Co., was in the city yesterday in com-pany with his cousin, I. C. Prescott Mr. Prescott, who is a large lumbe dealer in Albert county, is deeply in terested in politics and will in all probability be chosen as an opposition

THE FISH MARKET

mate.

The weather has again prevented fishermen from doing very much and as a result all kinds of fish are still rather scarce. Today's quotations are hallbut, fiften cents per pound; cod and haddock, five cents per pound; cod steak, eight to ten cents per pound; smelts, eight cents to ten cents per pound; pickerel, six cents per pound; frozen herring, twenty cents per doz.

SOUR STOMACH (Acid Dyspepsia) Now Recognized as the Cause of Serious Diseases.

Acid Dyspepsia, commonly called heartburn or sour stomach, is a form of indigestion resulting from fermentation of the food. The stomach being too weak to promptly digest it, the food remains until fermentation begins, filling the stomach with gas, and a bitter, sour, burning taste in the mouth is often present. This condition soon becomes chronic and being an every day occurrence is given little attention Because Dyspepsia is not immediately fatal, many people do nothing for the

It is now well known among able physicians that the whole constitution is gradually undermined and weaken ed, that the nerves and vital organs are seriously affected by any form of dyspepsia. This is plain, as every organ, every nerve in the body is nour ished by the blood and the blood is replenished from the food digested. If the food is properly digested the blood is pure, the nerves steady, but if supplied from a sour, fermenting, decaying mass the blood is vitiated, poison ed and the result is shown in slee ness, lack of energy, poor appetite nervousness. Every trifle is magnified and the dyspeptic sees nothing but the dark side of everything.

Within a recent period a remedy has been discovered, prepared solely to cure dyspepsia and stomach troubles. It is known as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and it is now becoming rapidly used and prescribed as a radical cure for

. Tug De Witt C. Ivins, which has been out since last Friday looking for the two lost Standard oil barges, arrived at Vineyard Haven on the 16th. The tug has been cruising south of Nantucket and at a distance off to sea of about 26 miles, but saw no trace of them. She was obliged to return for coal.

Marve ous Growth of Hair

A Famous Doctor-Chemist Has Dis-Gevered a Compound that Grows
Hair on Any Bald Head.

Startling Announcement Causes Do tors to Marvel and Stand Dumfound ed at the Wonderful Cures.

The Discoverer Sends Free Trial Pack



Almost Total Baldness.

sician-chemist at the head of the great Altenheim Medical Dispensary, has, just made the startling announcement that he has produced a compound that grows hair on any bald head. The doctor makes the claim that after experiments, taking years to complete, he has at last reached the goal of his ambition. To the doctor all heads are alike. There are none which cannot be cured by this remarkable remedy. The record of the cures already made is truly marvelous and were it not for the high standing of the great physician and the convincing testimony of thousands of citizens all over the country it would seem too miraculous to be true.

There can be no doubt of the doctor's earnestness in making his claims nor can his cupes be disputed. He does not ask any man, woman or child to take his or anyone else's word for it, but he stands ready and willing to send free trial packages of this great hair restorative to any one who writes to him for it, enclosing a 2-cent stamp to prepay postage. In a single night it has started hair to growing on heads beld for years. It has stopped falling hair in one hour. It never fails no matter what the condition, age or sex. Old men and young men, women and children all have profited by the free use of this great new discovery. If you are bald, if your hair is falling out or if your hair, eyebrows or eyelashes free thin or short, write the Altenheim Medical Dispensary, 7,588 Foso Building, Cincinnati, Ohio, enclosing a 2-cent stamp to prepay postage for a free package, duty free, and in a short time you will be entirely restored.

WANTED HOME WORK AT KNITTING given to honest industrious families in every locality. Good wages. Ten dollar outfit required. No risk. Write GLASGOW WOOLLEN COM-PANY, Toronto.

WANTED.—A Second Class Male or Female Teacher for term beginning January 1st, 1903, in District No. 9, Hampstead. Apply, stating salary required to STEPHEN E CLARKE, secretary of trustees, Hibernia Queens County.

WANTED, Second or Third Class Female Teacher to commence school first of New Year in District No. 5 in Parish of West-field, Cheyne Settlement, Kinga Co. Apply to Trustees, or Trustee HENRY H. PARKER, HARRY M. CONKIE: 1571

PREACHER SHARES HIS SON'S

CELL CHICAGO, Dec. 15.-While his faher, a Methodist minister of the Rock River conference, was preaching yesterday before a congregation at the Ravenswood Methodist church, Homer Randolph, 17 years old, was sitting in a cell at the Evanston police station, accused of participating in a bold burglary. Last evening, after failing to get bail, the father insisted on sharing his son's imprisonment, and passed the night in the cell with him. During the night the son confessed

his share in the burglary. PARDON WAS TOO LATE.

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 15 .- On Fri-1 day. William MacFarlane, alias "Shang" Clarke, died in the penitentiary as a result of injuries received while escaping from the scene of the crime that sent him to the prison for years. The touching thing about his death was the arrival of a pardon some hours after he died.

VISITED ARCTIC CIRCLE.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 15.-After an absence of eighteen months, during which time he has been roaming around the rim of the Arctic circle, David T. Hanbury, F. R. G. S., of David T. Hanbury, F. R. G. S., of London, Eng., returned to the city yesterday. He was on a private exploration trip, and reports having had some interesting experiences and having made several discoveries in minimum made several discoveries in minimum. eral and geographical knowledge.
Asked if he had heard anything of Andre, Mr. Hanbury said he had in quired everywhere, but had learned nothing.

MARINE MATTERS.

and prescribed as a radical cure for every form of dyspepsia.

It is not claimed to cure anything except dyspepsia and stomach weakness in its various forms, but for this it has been shown to be unequalled. The eminent specialists, Reed and O-Leary, have recently stated that they considered Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets an unfalling specific for disorders of the digestive organs, and the remarkable cures made in cases of long standing dyspepsia proves that this remedy has extraordinary merit. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have been placed before the public and are sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package, and while it promptly and effectually restores a vigorous digestion, at the same time is perfectly harmless and will not injure the most delicate stomach, but on the contrary, by giving perfect digestion, strengthens the stomach, improves the appetite and makes life worth living.

MARINE MATTERS.

Ship Chas. S. Whitney, Capt Atkins, from Holic, etc., for Delaware Breakwater, which arrived at Bernuda on the lith inst. in distress, is leaking and has general damage to huil and spars. Is awaiting instructions from owners.

Stemer Peruvian' Capt Harrison, is days from Liverpool, bound to Halifax, arrived at St. Johns, Nid., on the 15th, with two blades of her propeller gone, having encountered the crew were on the leaking schooner for five days, and were short of water and provisions.

Pilothoat Underwriter towed into Port Each McCallum, at New York Dec. Is from Liverpoel, countered heavy weather on Nov. 29 in the Gulf.

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vas stating to the east under foresail and forestaysail.

The British str. Mira, from Shleids for Philadelphia, which passed up at Delaware Breakwater yesterday afternoon, has the shipwrecked crew of the British schooner J. N. Wylde (before reported spoken while on voyage from Philadelphia for Bridgewater, N S, disabled.)

PROVINCIAL NEWS.

SUSSEX, Dc. 16.-Abraham Stablefond died at his residence at Ward's Creek on Thursday, the 11th inst., aged 75 years. Mr. Stableford has been a resident of Ward's Creek for 70 years. He was born at Leicestershire, England, and came to this country with his father when a boy of five years. Mr. Stableford was a farmer on a large scale. Three sons and an aged sister survive. His remains were interred in the Ward's Creek graveyard on Satur-Rev. W. Camp conducted the services at the house and grave. Mr. Stableford was a member of the Bap-

tist church. Miss Lillian Taylor, in severing her connection with the Presbyterian church Sunday school on Suday last, was presented by the girls of her class which she has taught faithfully for some years, with an elegant silver chocolate pot. Jas. A. Murray made the presentation and explained the regret of the teachers and scholars at the departure of such a valued teacher and worker. Miss Taylor is to be married to Dr. Fred Johnson of Easton Pa., at her home here on Dec. 23rd. The Methodist Sunday school of Sus sex will give a Christmas concert on

Thursday evening, Dec. 18th. James Gregory has sold his farm, fronting on the school house lot

here, back to his father.

The directors of the Sussex and Studholm Agricultural Society held a meeting this week and appointed a managing committee to prepare for an exhibition for the fall of 1903. The committee comprise the following: Col. H. Montgomery Campbell, Col. E. B. Beer, Messrs. S. H. White, C. W.

Stockton and W. J. Mills. The Foresters of Penobsquis have arranged to hold a turkey supper in their new hall on December 23rd: A good time is expected.

The Curling Club of Sussex have about completed arrangements with the committee of the exhibition for the use of their building for curling during the winter.

HOPEWELL HILL, Dec. 14.-The funeral of the late Johnstone W. Mc-Leod took place this afternoon, and was largely attended. The service at the house was conducted by Rev. J. K. King, pastor of the Methodist church, and was a particularly impressive one. The pall-bearers were: Geo. D. Prescott, Isaac C. Prescott, James E. Boyle, Daniel Cleveland, Geo, W Barber and Charles Patterson. Interment was in the Bay View cemetery

Th large plaster barge Gypsum King, which was left a couple of miles Grindstone Island by a tug a few days ago, has been unable to get up the river to Hillsboro for her cargo account of the ice. The mate came off to this village today and telephoned for a tug to take the barge to Went-

McClelan Bros., who have been lumbering extensively in Caledonia this season, have a million and a half yarded, and started their mill today. Their chopping crew have been sent

out to the Daniels Brook site. away, and Mr. and Mrs. Levi T. Steeves have again taken up their residence on the property Mr. Milton is

HOPEWELL HILL, Dec. 16. - R. Chesley Smith, president of the Hopewell and Hillsboro Farmers' Association; Albert S. Mitton, and Valentine Smith, of this place, and a number of gentlemen from Riverside and Albert, left this morning to attend the winter fair at Amherst.

Miss Frances R. Reade of Hopewell Cape has returned from a visit to Moncton. Mrs. Margaret Wright, an old and respected resident of the village, has gone to Mountville to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Re-

becca Wright. The keel of the 1,000-ton bark, to be built at Harvey Bank for J. Nelso Smith and others, has been laid and work is progressing satisfactorily, giving employment to a large number of men. H. E. Graves is the contractor and Mr. Dow the master builder. The schr. Two Sisters, which put back in the river, has removed her deckload of deals and will lie up at Harvey for winter. The bay steamer Beaver has hauled up at St. John. The Shepody Bay buoys were taken up for the

winter yesterday. Miss Mina A. Reade, teacher of elo cution and physical culture at the leave of absence attending the summer school at Cottage City, Mass., has arrived at her home at Hopewell Cape to spend the holidays, and will resume her duties at Truro on January 5th.

RICHIBUCTO, Dec. 17.-Coster Amireaux, son of Elias Amireaux, and Emma, daughter of the late D. Perry, were married this morning at the home of the bride's mother by the Rev. H. A. Meek, rector of St. Mary's church. The newly married couple left on the train for a wedding tour. A heavy rain set in last night and the snow has about disappeared. The rain was badly needed, as the water is very low throughout the county.

LADIES' COLLEGE NOTES.

SACKVILLE, Dec. 17 .- A very suc cessful entertainment was given Friday evening last in Beethoven Hall by some of the pupils of the elocution department, under the direction of Miss Richardson. The programme comprised selections from Dickens' Christmas Carol by Misses Phillips, Masters, Dixon, Killam and Perley; a well-written essay on the great nov-elist by Miss M. Dixon; a tuneful Christmas carol by the chapel choir and one of Dr. Archibald's delightfully artistic violin solos. The young ladies all made a most charming appearance

and read with much taste and skill. Miss Richardson gives an elecution recital Dec. 19th at Newcastle, N. B., under the direction of Joseph Layton, organist of the Methodist church of that town. Mr. Layton is a graduate of Mt. Allison Conservatory of '91. Examinations end Monday next, the students leaving Tuesday for the Christmas vacation. School re-opens

Thursday, Jan. 8th.

Pure, Fragrant and Cleansing BABY'S OWN SOAP

IS UNRIVALLED FOR NURSERY AND TOILET USE. Don't risk imitations on Baby's delicate skin.

ALBERT TOILET SOAP CO., MFRS.

noonlight drive Monday evening by Miss Graham, an honor graduate of Toronto University, has been appointed teacher of composition and Bibli-cal history at the Ladies' College. She has been taking the duties of Miss Thomas, who returns next term after a much needed rest. The large number of pupils and Miss Graham's great

to be added to the college. Miss Vroom, the very efficient housekeeper, returns today. She was called away last week by the sudden death of her father at his home in Bear River, N. S., the result of a fall. Dr. Archibald intends giving a Wagner evening early next term. His violin pupils will render solos and orchestral numbers, and there will also be vocal music, all being selec-

efficiency have caused a new

tions from the great master. A recent Boston paper speaks of the death by asphyxiation of Mrs. Ransom, wife of Edward Ransom of the public document department in the State House, Boston, at her home in Newton, Mass. Mrs. Ransom was Miss Harriet Dickerman, who was the teacher of painting at Mt. Allison in

Prof. Hammond is at work on the largest canvas he has yet undertaken, one 5x10 feet. The picture, which is for the C. P. R., is a magnificent view of the Valley of Ten Peaks, showing Lake Moraine, and the mountains rising in majestic splendor twelve thouing in majestic splendor twelve thousand feet above the sea level. In the foreground gleams the white camp where Mr. Hammond and his party was being taken. Even in its unfinished state the picture shows the artist's masterly brush in the artist's masterly brush in the wonderful perspective and coloring.

WEARY BRAIN WORKERS.

All fagged out, ideas flow slowly as molasses, snap and energy gone! The here since last spring, has moved that gone also. A doctor would say you are run down, enervated, neither eating or digesting enough. It's Ferrozone you need to brace up that fitful appetite and improve assimilatio and digestion so that lots of pure strong blood will be formed to nourish the broken down system. Ferrogone the broken down system. Ferrozon will drive away the tired feeling, restore your spirits and energy, revive your ambition and strength for work No tonic or rebuilder like Ferrozone try it. Price 50c. per box, or six boxes or \$2.50; at Druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont. Hamilton's Pills Cure Constipation.

BRITISH ENTERPRISE

In the Portuguese Colony of Wes Africa.

(London Times.) LONDON, Nov. 28 .- The Portuguese government has granted to Mr. Robt. Williams a concession for a railway from Lobito Bay, near Benguella, in Portuguese West Africa to the eastern frontier of the colony. Mr. Williams, in his agreement with the gov ernment, has bound himself to regis ter a Portuguese company in Lisbon with a Portuguese majority on the board and a Portuguese personnel and subject to the Portuguese laws, the Truro Normal school, who has been on state reserving every guarantee just as if the railway were its own. The concession is for a period of 99 years and carries with it the right to all minerals found within 75 miles on each side of the railway from end to end Mr. Williams already owns large con cessions for mines and railways in the Congo State and Northern Rhodesia and it is averred that the value of the mines already opened up in these distrists will guarantee the success of this railway, which will cost several millions. It is further stated that the work is to be pushed forward energet-ically and that Mr. Williams has had a staff of men at Benguella for several months. He has placed £100.00 to the credit of the Portuguese government as a guarantee that he will carry out his part of the contract as to time of construction, etc.

According to those interested in this concession, it is bound to mark a new era in the economic development of Central and South Africa. Lobito Bay s four days nearer to England than the Cape, and is described as one of the finest harbors in the world, able to accommodate larger vessels than Delagoa Bay. With the new railway the port of Lobito is promised a great future, and meanwhile Portugal has strengthened her position in Africa.

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

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

A correspondent who has been doing Queens Co. writes to the Sun in warm A farewell supper was given Miss praise of the sermons preached by Tufts Thursday last by the teachers. Rev. G. F. Shaw at Central Cambridge The teaching staff were taken on a on a recent date in the Baptist church.

WEDDED BY HER EX-HUSBAND. 'Jennic Laird" Is Made Mrs. Charles Clark Again in Parsonage at 11 P. M.

BROOKLYN, Dec. 15.-It was nearly 11 o'clock last night when the Rev. Dr. Alfred Hodgetts, pastor of the Tompkins Avenue M. E. Church, who was nicely snuggled up in bed in his parsonage on Willoughby avenue, near Tompkins, close to the church in which in which he ministers to a prosperous and happy flock, was awakened from his slumbers by a vigorous ring at the doorbel!. He answered the summons and found there a couple who were

Upon making inquiries Dr. Hodgetts discovered that both had been married before, had teen divorced and desired to be reunited.

to be reunited. The man gave his name as Charles Clark and the woman announced herself as Jeannie Laird. Some years ago, how many is not known, Jeannie Laird Clark secured a divorce from Charles Clark. He soon after married again, while his divorced spouse lived alone. After a while she adopted a litle boy who had been nearly burned to death, whom she nursed to health and who had been her only companion According to the story told to Dr. Hodgetts, Mr. Clark recently lost his wife, and his thoughts at once turned to the wife of his young manhood. He made love again to Jeannie, proposed, and she readily accepted him.

Dr. Hodgetts asked a number of questions, among them being one to explain why Jeannie so readily resolved to marry again the man from whom

it became necessary to separate, and she replied: "Oh, I knew him well, and a second courtship was not at all necessary." Jeannie manifested during the interview with the clergyman and while the ceremony was being performed that she was extremely happy and that her love for her former husband, who was again to take up that relation, had in nowise diminished since the legal sep-

aration. When Dr. Hodgetts had pronounced the couple man and wife the renewed Mrs. Clark turned almost tearfully to her twice-husband and remarked: should always have been happy, Charlie, but for the interference of a third person." Mr. Clark has long resided in Brooklyn, is about 41 years old and an engineer by occupation.

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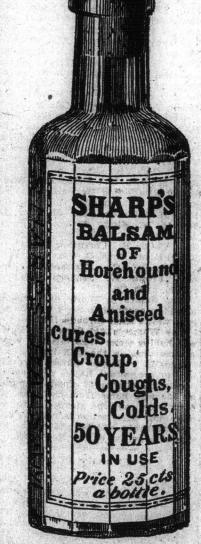
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WINTER FAIR

Opened at Amherst Yesterday, Under Favorable Auspices.

AMHERST, N. S., Dec. 16.-The Maritime Winter Fair opened today under the most favorable auspices. A large attendance of farmers and stock men filled the auditorium of the new and spacious building. At 2.30 p. m. President Elderkin called the meeting to order, and congratulated the town of Amherst and county of Cumberland upon the magnificent building erected and donated to the Maritmie

the Fat Stock Association. While the acceptance of the gift was responded to by Judge Hazard of Charlottetown, Prof. J. W. Robertson in a few remarks congratulated the people upo the work they were doing for agricultural education and stock breeders and finally declared the Maritime Fat Stock show open.

Short addresses were delivered by Judge Landry, Hon. Mr. Black, Arch. MacNeilage and others.

The evening meeting was largely attended by representatives from nearly every county in the province, and the hall was filled to it sutmost capacity. Chairman W. T. Pipes introduced Mayor Curry, who extended to all a cordial welcome. He was followed by Hon. Wm. Ross of Cape Breton, Arch. MacNeilage, J. W. Longley, Hon, L. P. Farris, minister of agriculture for New Brunswick, Hon. Geo. H. Murray, Thos. A. Peters and Prof. Rob ertson, all referring in glowing terms to the magnificent work accomplished by meetings of this kind.

AMHERST, N. S., Dec. 17.-The evening meeting of the delegates an visitors in attendance at the fat stock show was without doubt the grandest of the kind ever held in Nova Scotia The audience was called to order by Col. Campbell, who introduced Prof. Robertson. He exceeded himself in speaking before a maritime audience, when he told of the improvement in agriculture, pointing out the truths which cannot but have its effects on the farmers of the maritime provinces He pointed out the defects in agricultural works, but praised the people where praise was due. The Nova Scotia school system was criticized and improvements suggested, the speaker closing his remarks by saying that Sir Wm. McDonald had donated money so that a manual training school would next year be established in each

of the maritime provinces. Arch. McNeilage spoke on Canadian live stock products exported to Great Britain, and suggested how to improve that trade.

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E. Porter of New Brunswick and Hon. Hampshire is the leader in the move-Mr. Anderson, commissioner for agri- ment. Dr. Wyman, recognizing the The judges are getting along well with the work. The animals are being slaughtered tonight and will be exhibition tomorrow, when they will be judged from the consumers

A THRILLING RESCUE. The Halifax Recorder gives the following particulars of the rescue of ting a footing in Canada. All vessels the crew of the sch. Grenada by the str. Lake Megantic:

standpoint.

Worl was received today (Tuesday) by T. A. S. DeWolf & Co., from a ssenger on the str. Lake Megantic, which left St. John Saturday for Liverpool, of the thrilling rescue of five of the crew of the schooner Grenada. 50 miles east of Sambro yesterday morning, disabled. The Megantic transferred the wrecked crew to the pilot beat off Halifax, and a schooner which arrived last night brought the crew, who left last night by the Lunenburg. When the Megantic bore down upon the schooner she was full of water and all her sails were blown away, she having encountered heavy northeast gales. She was coal laden and full of water (the water being away above her deck), and the crew had almost given up hope when the Megantic showed up. The day was cold and stormy. Huge waves beat pitilessly over the schooner and lifted her up: the seas were running very high. She looked in a very sorry plight. She was first sighted by Capt Taylor of the Megantic, flying signals

The steamer's course was immediately changed, and gradually she bore down upon the schooner. A boat was then lowered with difficulty. The huge waves tossed the little craft perilously around, but the brave crew never wavered in their effort to save the lives of their fellow-men, and within an hour they had the crew of five men aboard the Lake Megantic. They were in a very distressed condition, but very thankful. They had to abandon the schooner in what they stood in. It is believed that the wrecked crew were without fresh water fully 24 hours. As soon as they reached the Lake Megantic they were well attended to, and Capt. Taylor soon ordered everything that was necessary for their immediate comfort they (the crew) being in a famished and exhausted condition when they boarded the Megantic. The gallant rescue was effected at great risk to the launching of the boat, and the lives of the crew, there being a very high sea running at the time, and great praise is due to the boat's crew of the Megantic for the able manner in which they managed the boat in such circumstances, and especially the officer in charge. Also the highest praise is due to Capt. Taylor and officers for the skilful manner in which he handled the steamer to enable a successful rescue.

One who witnessed the rescue says it was a most gallant one, and thinks the matter ought to be placed in the hands of the Canadian government. The cold was most intense at the time of the rescue, the boats being a mass of ice from stem to stern, which will give some idea of the great care ne-

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BUBONIC PLAGUE.

Three Cases Now Under Treatment in New York.

OTTAWA, Dec. 16 .- Dr. Montizambert, director general of public health, who returned from New Orleans today, takes no stock in the report from San Francisco that investigation into the alleged bubonic plague shows it to be only chicken cholera. The director general says the most indisputable evidence was forthcoming at the meeting of the American Health Association that bubonic plague prevails in Frisco and there have, been three cases of the worst type of the disease, which is known by profession as pneumonic plague. Five different states F. W. Hodson gave an address on of the union have requisitioned Surprovinces in their organized to concert measures to suppress the plague, which is a menace to the en-Among the other speakers were Jas. tire North American continent. New force of the repre moned a conference to meet in Washington during Christmas week. Every state in the United States is invited to send its executive health officer, the federal government paying their expenses. Canada will watch with keen interest the outcome of the conference deliberations, and in the meantime the department here will take every precaution to prevent the disease getarriving at Canadian ports from Frisco will be required to place funnels on hausers extending from wharves to vessels, the feeling being strong at New Orleans that the disease has gained footing in the Californian port through the medium of rats, and the funnel device is regarded as an effective check. At points on the British

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tendency to be indignant at the im perial authorities for inflicting wanton injury. Happily, however, the rumor proved to be without foundation. Enquiry at the department of has been used successfully for 30 years agriculture, Ottawa, has elicited from Dr. Rutherford, chief veterinary in-ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 17.—J. S. Frost, respector, a statement that the department knew nothing of the matter and had received no official notification of it, as they certainly would if it were true.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 17.—J. S. Frost, referee in the affairs of the Imperial Council. Order of United Friends, today reported to the supreme court that he finds the corporation hopelessly insolvent and recommends its dissolution. An order to this effect will be entered.

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The Passing Away of One of Canada's Foremost Presbyterians.

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.-Rev. Dr. McVicar, one of the best known Presbyterian ministers of Canada, and principal of the Presbyterian College, died suddenly today. He was to deliver a lecture at five o'clock today. The students waited until twenty minutes after, and then one of their number went to his study and found him dead, the lecture he was to deliver in his hand.

columbian boundary tapped by American railway lines the medical inspectors will scrutinize all passengers from the states.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Three cases of bubonic plague are under treatment in the Swinburn Island hospital at quarantine. The sufferers are the first and second cooks and the second steward of the Prince line steamer Saxon Prince, which arrived from Durban, South Africa, yesterday. The first patient is convalescent, but the other two are still under treatment. The disease was contracted at Durban. Dr. Doty says there is no danger of a spread of the disease.

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cHICAGO, Dec. 14—A plea for a more generous and kindly treatment of employes and friends is made by Rev. F. De Witt Talmage in his sermon on the text Proverbs xx. 14, "It is naught, it is naught, it is naught, south the buyer his when his is naught, saith the buyer, but when he words of inspiring good cheer as well as is gone his way then he boasteth."

the crowded booths and stores? Do you see him stop and pretend to be examining some article as though he were making up his mind whether or not to buy? He is, in truth, stopping to hear a conversation which is tak-ing place between an old Hebrew merchant and a young man who has just arrived, perhaps from the far east, with camels laden with a large assortment of expensive shawls. "Well," says the young man to the old merchant, "how much will you give? I have put every cent into this enterprise." I must sell those shawls right away. My creditors are beginning to crowd me hard. My men want their pay right away. Those shawls are the best I could get in the east. They cost me \$20,000 cash. I have come a long diswith them, and you certainly ought to give me enough to meet my expenses." The old man shrugs his shoulders. He says: "My young friend, I do not care what those shawls have cost you. They are utterly valueless to me. I do not want them at any price. The moths have got into some of them. For my purposes they ruined. Besides that, those shawls are all out of style. They would be a perfeet drug upon the market. I wish you would leave the shop. I have a lot of business to attend to, and I have no the idea that he could never preach.

The young inexperienced seller bites his lip until the blood almost comes. Then he thinks of his wife and little babies. He feels he is staring ruin in the face. He knows he must make a sale right away, else he will become a bankrupt. He again says, "Can't you give me anything for those shawls?" The old merchant at first says nothing. Then he answers: Well, young man, you seem to be in hard luck. I will give you \$10,000 if you want me to take the damaged goods off your hands." The tears begin to start from the young man's eyes. He is too brave to show them He goes to the corner of the street and stands there for awhile to think. While he is there the old merchant's eyes sharply fellow him. Then the young man comes back at last and says: "I guess I will take your offer. means I must lose all the money I ever nade in my life. That means I will ow away six months' hard work, but that now I am utterly ruined. Here is a receipt for the money. Give ney and let me go to my tent and tell my wife we are both rulned." Hardly has the young man left. when King Solomon, for he is the listener, sees the old Hebrew merchan begin to rub together his hands in glee. A bread, sardonic smile overspreads his merciless face. He calls to his partner and says: "Isaac, come here and see these goods. Did you ever see such beauties? Why, those shawls are worth at least \$40,000 clean profit. never struck a better bargain That young man simply gave them away to me. Just look at them, Isaac. bought them for \$10,000, at least \$15,-100 less than they cost. I must go and tell Rebecca how much we have made this morning. Forty thousand dollars clean profit! Aha, who would ever have thought that young man could be such a fool?" Is this not a rational

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Wile this conversation takes plac between the deceitful old merchant and his partner, methinks I can see a troubled look come over the face of the disguised king who is standing near by. Methinks I can hear him soliloquize: How contemptible and despicable is this wholesale system of swindling depreciations! How deceitful and damning it was for that old merchant to despoil that young merchant. I must emody among my proverbs for the benefit of all my people a warning against this almost universal sinful habit. That night, while the great king is sitting alone in his palace study, he takes up his pen and adds another sparkling gem to his casket of scintillating jew els of wisdom. I would interpret the lesson of this text not only in the merchant's parlance, but also in reference to the wicked depreciations of every walk in life, no matter where the sin-

Discouraging depreciations are found in the home as well as in the street, by the domestic fireside as well as in the Jerusalem stores, in the nursery as well as in the public market place, In China it is never considered gentlementy or polite for a man to speak well of his relatives. In America it is also the custom of some parents, brothers and sisters never to speak eulodistically to any of their dear ones, no matter how nuch they may be proud of them and their successes. They say they are afraid to praise them. They fear lest they should give them a conceited idea of themselves and spoil them. Therefore their policy is to peck at all the faults of their loved ones, but never commend them for their virtues.

ful practice may be found.

Now, my friends, as far as I can understand our social life, the greatest need of the world today is not for a few more gigantic factories to run night and day for the manufacturing of scalping inives and swords and daggers and fron tipped clubs or for great kilns, where brickbats can be hardened out of dirty clay to throw at our brothers. The great need of the world is not for a few microscopes and X-ray lenses for magnifying and exposing our brother's faults and reminding him of his own imperfections. But the greatest need of the world is for a few more capes and fighting the properties of the firm commended him for everything he did well.

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******************* Do you see that Jerusalem gentleman warning against the quicksands and wending his way in and out among the hidden snares of life.

THE GIVING OF PRAISE.

If a man's friends do not give him idea of their own future work, as my thank God, most congregations are not youthful depression he was never able the encouragement and financial supto entirely overcome. My grandfather port that they can. A selfish congrethem anything cheering about them- and contemptible criticism. It will for selves. The nearest to a parental years keep its minister upon a starycompliment my father ever received was when his mother read his graduating speech in the little village paper of Somerville. After she had finished reading it she turned to my grandfa-ther and said: "David, that speech of De Witt's must have sounded quite well when he spoke it."

Then came the depressing influences of his college and seminary life. With but one exception all his professors tried to instil into my father's brain He was so discouraged that he determined to go to a foreign field and be a missionary. He thought that perhaps the "heathen Chinee" or the Fiji Islanders might be persuaded to listen to his preaching if he were only able to get into a region where no white man had ever been before. The most surprised being in the seminary-and nearly all the students were dumb-founded—was young De Witt Talmage you will have to change your style," found its echo in the advice of old Dr. Thomas De Witt of the Collegiate church of New York city. After my father had been a short time in the ministry this great and good man, Dr. De Witt, after whom my father was named, sent this message to him: "Tell my namesake never to allow his sermons to be published. He may be able to preach, but he certainly does not know how to write." The effect of all this depressing and depreciating advice was such that my father was cheap!" and the heads of the large advice was such that my father was never able to fully shake off the dis-couragements of his youth. My mother had to urge him on and on, or without doubt in those first years of struggle he would have given up the fight and gone into law. So, my friend, I urge you never to discourage a young man. You may be mistaken in anticipating his failure. Rather cheer him with commendation whenever it is possible. Who can tell whether at the end of his career his Divine Master may not pronounce upon his service the "well done" with which he rewards

his faithful stewards? ENCOURAGEMENT WANTED.

Some years ago by an explosion of and a day trying to liberate the im- ing the stores to find goods which they prisoned men. At last the rescuers can purchase at little above, or eve were about to give up in despair. Just less than, cost. It is the poor girl and then the youngest member of the firm the young man who on account of the rapidly drove up in a buggy. As he awful struggle for a livelihood, which leaped out he cried: "Boys, you have leaped out he cried: "Boys, you have done well! It is only a little work themselves into the outstretched arms more! Come on, boys, and in a short of temptation, and who are becoming time we will get those poor fellows more and more reconciled to lift their free!" He threw off his coat and grabbed a pick and began to strike the ous cancerous kiss of sin. rock. At the sound of his reassuring voice and example the other men went to work with renewed energy. The eatombed men were soon safe in the arms of their wives and children. To- sinful depreciation in the busines day the vast majority of our relatives world are the cause of many a tragedy do not need words of depreciation. Look at that funeral! Who was that Like those miners, digging for their poor creature whose body is being takentombed companions, they want en to potter's field? Yes, tumble her words of encouragement, words of into a pine box and shovel her under god cheer, words of inspiration, words the ground! Who cares? She is nothof assurance, that if they only trust ing but a poor working girl-yes, noth-God and do right certain success will ing but a poor working girl-yet her come to every one of them. Their life was just as dear to her as yours success may not necessarily come right away, but true success will surey come in time.

Discouraging depreciation is often found in the dealings of employers, with their employes. Many men and women who are at the head of large establishments do not like to commend their employes. They say if you praise a clerk even a little that clerk will get too good an opinion of himself and will ask for an increase of salary. Or, if you praise an employe, some rival firm will hear of the commendation and come and steal your man away. Thus some men never speak kindly to those who are in their employ. They chronically and systematically growl and find fault with exerybody and everything. Their doctrine is that when an employe is afraid of being his position he will work hard-er and more faithfully than if the head

ropes held in the soldiers' bleeding hands, Napoleon Bonaparte commanded his musicians to keep on playing the most inspiring patriotic airs. So the employers' words of commendation sound in the ears of the worker like

SPIRIT OF DEPRECIATION. But though words of commendation may have such beneficent results in the employers' dealings with employes yet it is the settled policy of many a business man not only to say nothing the encouragements he needs for life's pleasant to his employees, but also to struggle, surely his enemies never will. make his clerks live upon as small a God knows, an average man gets en- salary as possible until he is by force ough knocks from his enemies—enough of circumstances compelled to pay blows upon his head and heart-to them more. I am sorry to say, too, make it absolutely necessary for at that this spirit of depreciation, this releast some one to say something pleas- luctance to recognize and reward merit ant. You do not want your loved ones is sometimes seen in the relation of to start out in life with a depressed a church to its minister, although, father had when he started, which selfish and are giving their pastors all ation salary. Then after awhile, when that minister gets a call from a sister church in a neighboring city, with an increase of \$2,000 or \$3,000 salary, that congregation will act as though a bomb had suddenly dropped among them. They will gather around the minister to plead with him with beseeching tears. The boards of the church will immediately meet and vote to raise the minister's salary \$2,000. Resolutions will be passed begging the minister not to leave them. If that minister is so valuable to the congregation now, why was he not appreciated before? If the congregation could raise the salary \$2,000 now, why not before? If the congregation could pass commendatory resolutions now, why not before? Oh, no; that is not the policy upon which many a selfish church and many a business establishment is run. The policy which is almost everywhere in vogue is that against which when he received a call to the church and parsonage at Belleville, N. J. The solemn advice which the New Brunswick professor gave, "You will have to change your style, Mr. Talmage; you will have to change your style," It is to say as few pleasant things as possible, to pay as little as we can to those who are in our employ and then to spend the rest of our time in boasting how will have to change your style."

the hours of the night. It is not, as a rule, the capitalist who has to be away? crushed and squeezed by the greatcrowds which swarm around the "bar Some years ago by an explosion of firedamp four miners were entombed in a coal mine near Scranton, Pa. Their friends worked a whole night feet of men and women who are scourant and a day trying to thereta the impact of the second sec

CAUSES MANY A FUNERAL The grinding and satanic effects of is to you. She had an invalid mother and a little baby brother. At night, when she would come home from the store, she would sometimes bring a few faded flowers and put them in an old broken pitcher and say: "Come, mother; let's play we were out in the country. How I wish we could see the old farm, where papa used to take us before he died! Tired? Oh, yes, a little. The store is so hot, and the customers, especially about Christmas, had so much fault with us, as though we were not human. But, then, I think of you and the baby, and the scoldings of the floorwalker do not cut so deep. There, mother, kiss me good night. You know I must be up early in the morning to be down to the store on time."

Day after day she got weaker and weaker. The hours were long. The boxes were heavy to lift. Ah, she was earning bread. She was earning it with her life's blood. After awhile two little red spots appeared in her thin, pale cheeks. Her eyes had an unnatural brilliancy. Half the night she would tose and testimonion is to consumption has at last been discovered. It the World as the Only Cure for Consumption has at last been discovered. It remained for a great physician of Michigan to find the only known cure for consumption, after almost a life's work spent in experimenting and study.

Consumption has at last been discovered. It remained for a great physician of Michigan to find the only known cure for consumption at lest work support at the world at the west—come home to die because they thought nothing could be done for them—have tried this new discovery and are now well and strong.

If you are affilted, do not fail to send at estimonials from hundreds of cured patients; it costs nothing. The doctor does not ake nayone to take his word or anyone else's, as he sends a trial package free, and a few days' use will show you how easily and quickly you can be cured. Delay is dangerous. There is no time to lose when the death and of consumption is tightening its clutch upon you. Write today. mother; let's play we were out in the

destand our social life, the greatest med of the world today is not for a few more significant factories to run inght and day for the manufacturing inght and day for the manufacturing of scalping inhvers and swords and suggests and ifon tipped clubs or for great kilms, where brickbats can be fared kilms, where brickbats can be hardened out of dirty clay to throw at least 800 down with a few world is not for a few microscopes and X-ray lenses for magnifying and exposing our brother's faults and erambding him of his own imperfections. But the greatest need of the world is for at least 800,000,000 homes to be turned into Christilke pharmaceutic establishments. In those homes every father an other, brother, and another, brother, and another, brother, and another, brother, and another, brother, and shaded and appreciation compound old fashioned, invisors.

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spirits of the French soldlers when they earnings. That is all. She's dead were scaling the Alps for their great Italian victories. During the tast days of that awful ascent, when the French cannon had to be dragged up by the statement of the statemen that this continual depreciation of the price of goods has inevitably Griven some people to the wall, and she is one of the first to go. What is the matter? Oh, nothing, except the fact that thousands of men and women, some of whom are members of the church, are driving prices down and down until at last a groan of agony is coming from the throats of hundreds of thousands of working girls whose moral and phy-sical life is being crushed out of them. If an article is worth \$10, pay it or go without. It is far better to pay young men or women a living salary to support them before they do wrong than to establish rescue homes to save them

to entirely overcome. My grandiather and grandmother were old fashioned folks, who brought up their children and distribution of the children and grandmother were old fashioned folks, who brought up their children and distribution of the children and grandmother were old fashioned folks, who brought up their children and grandmother were old fashioned folks, who brought up their children and grandmother were old fashioned folks, who brought up their children and grandmother were old fashioned folks, who brought up their children and grandmother were old fashioned folks, who brought up their children and grandmother were old fashioned folks, who brought up their children are children and grandmother were old fashioned folks, who brought up their children are children and grandmother were old fashioned folks, who brought up their children are children and grandmother were old fashioned folks. The children are children and grandmother were old fashioned folks. The children are children and grandmother were old fashioned folks. The children are children and grandmother were old fashioned folks. The children are children and grandmother were old fashioned folks. The children are children and grandmother were children and grandmoth tian on Sunday. If a woman is not a Christian in her dealings with her groceryman and butcher, her baker in church. It is as helnous an offense as was that lie told under the shadow of the uplifted hand which the apostle Peter raised when he was preaching to Anarias and Sapphira my brother, if you want to consecrate your churches to God, you must also consecrate your stores and factories, your advertising columns, your commercial buyers, your clerks' salaries and your draymen's wages. When some one asked George Whitefield whether a certain man was a Christian or no, the great evangelist answered: "How can I tell? I never lived with him." So God will never declare we are his children unless we resolve, like John Wesley, that during the Monday and Tuesday and Wednesday and Thursday and Friday and Saturday as well as the Sunday we will try "to do all the good we can to as many people as we can as long as we can."

Beginning our sermon with a text elected from the book of Proverbs, we would end with a spirit inspired pleading peroration from the book of Ecclesiastes. The two indirectly teach factories and stores are daily trying of man. For God shall bring every to meet this demand, and to meet it the salaries of employes must be cut down. By the laws of social economics some people must be, figuratively, to obey this inspired junction? Are down. By the laws of social economies some people must be, figuratively, shoved to the wall. It is not the head of the dry goods emporium who, as a rule, has to suffer. Oh, no. He will ings, as well as our direct dealings with Christ? Are we conserve to conserve the master's people with Christ? Are we ready to conserve the master's people with Christ? Are we ready to conserve the conserve the conserve that the conserve the conserve that the get his percentage of profit no matter with Christ? Are we ready to consewhat comes. But it is the mechanic at the bench, it is the poor female clerk morrow or next week or next month, the bench, it is the poor female clerk morrow or next week or next month, who receives a salary less than she but now — just now? Brother, sister, can live on. It is the poor sewing girl do you know any better moment to who has to work all day and far into promise to live for Jesus than this moment, which is now ready to fly

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after they have gone astray.

HYPOCRICY OF DEPRECIATION. Depreciation when it is unjust, is hypocracy, and it is in a large measure responsible for the depressed conditions of spiritual life in the church as well as in the home and the store, Some people seem to think that the religion of the Lord Jesus Christ has nothing to do with the week day. They act as if they had a right to leave their piety at home on a Monday morning, as they would put on or off their Sunsense. If a man is not a Christian during the week day, he is not a Chrisand servant girl and on her shopping expeditions, she is not a Christian when she goes to church. A falsehood is just as big and black when uttered over a store counter as when it is told near the Jerusalem stemple. And so

from Westport; L M Ellis, 34, Lent, from do; Nina Blanch, 30, Crocker, from Free-port; B M Oliver, 13, Harkins, from fishing: Hustler, 44, Thompson, from do.

Dec 18-Str St Croix, 1064, Pike, from Bos ton via Maine ports, W G Lee, males and pass.

Str Orinoco, 1551, Bale, from Demerara, West Indies, etc, Schoffeld and Co, mails, males and pass.

Construise-Schs Alph B Parker, 48, Outhhouse, from Tiverton, and eld; R L Kenney, 74, Priddle, from Bigby.

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Coastwise—Barge No 4, McLeod, for Parrasser; sell Exenia, Barry, for Beaver Harber.

Dec 15—Sch Otis Miller, Miller, for Newport, RI.

Coastwise—Str Brunswick, Potter, for Mingrocet. Declesiastes. The two indirectly teach practically the same great lesson of our duty toward our fellow men.—"Let Us hear the conclusion of the whole matter." "Fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the whole duty of man. For God shall bring every of man. For God shall bring every work into judgment, with every secret work into judgment, with every secret to the second or whether it be good or whether to constwise Schs Ethel and Carrie Wooster, for Urand Harbor; Dreadnaight, Green, for do.

Sailed.

Dec 17—Str State of Maine, Thompson, for Boston, via Eastport and Boston. DOMESTIC PORTS.

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Arrived. HALIFAX, Dec 15—Ard, strs Pretorian, from Liverpool, and proceeded for St John; Corinthian, from St John; and proceeded to Liverpool. Manchester Trader, from Philadelphia via Port Medway; Halifax, from Boston (latter not previously).

Sld, strs Beta, Hopkins, for Bermuda, Turks Island and Jamaies; Ocamo, Fraser, for Bermuda, West Indies and Demerara.

Cld, str London City, for St John; sch Dictator, for fishing grounds.

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At Shelburne, NS, Dec 10, bark Plymouth, Fielden, for Boston. BRITISH PORTS.

Arrived LIVERPOOL, Dec 15-Ard, str Saxonia, LIVERPOOL, Dec 15—Ard, str Saxonia, from Boston.

LIVERPOOL, Dec 15—Sld, str Damara, for St Johns, NF, and Halifax.

BROW HEAD, Dec 15—Passed, str Manchester City, from St John for Manchester.

BROW HEAD, Dec, 15—Passed, str Lake Erie, from St John for Liverpool.

At London, Dec 14, bark Abyssinia, Hilton, from Albany, West Australia.

LIVERPOOL, Dec 16—Ard, str-Manchester City, from St John for Manchester.

GLASGOW, Dec 16—Ard, str-Manchester GLASGOW, Dec 16—Ard, str-Sarmatian, from Portland.

Arrived.

CALAIS, Me, Dec 16-Sid, seh Seth W. CALAIS, Me, Dec 16—Sld, seh Seth W. Smith, for Fall River.

CITY ISLAND, Dec 16—Bound south, sch Spartan, from Calais, Me.

BUENOS AYRES, Nov 18—Ard, bark Egeria, from Portland.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Dec 16—Ard, sehs Pardon G Thomson, from Port Johnson for St John; Ophir, from Edgewater for do; McClure, from New York for Spiney, C. sche Pardon G Thomson, from Pert John-sen for St John; Ophir, from Edgewater for do; McClure, from New York for Spiner, O B; Viginia, from Hubbard's Core, NS, for New York; Annie Gus, from Onless for New York; Annie Gus, from Onless for New

BOSTON, Dec 16-Ard, atr Colouisburg, CB; sch Greta, from

At Wilmington, NG, Dee is, sta Havelock, Barry, from St Kitts.

At Rosario, Nov C. bark Auriga, John, from Mobile via Russian Arms. At Rosario, Nov 6, bark Auriga, John, from Mobile via Buenos Arres.

At Fernandina, Fla, Dec 15, bark Baldwin, Darlington, from Mantanes.

At Santa Cruz, Dec 15, bark Geffien Rod, McBridd, from Boston.

At New York, Dec 16, sehs Alexandra, Fairley, from Norfolk.

At New York, Dec 16, sehs Alexandra, Binna, from Mariel, Cuba; Hope Haynes, Tower, from Bangor.

At Buenos Ayres, Nov 18, bark Egeria, Langelier, from Portland

At Philadelphia, Dec 16, seh Daylight, Nickerson, from Hillsboro.

At Ponce, PR, Dec 6, seh Jessie Lena, Verner, from Jacksonville; 8th, sek Roanoke, Wentzell, from Mahone Bay.

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VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Dec 15—Ard, schs G M Perry, from Port Johnson for St John; Georgia, from New York for Halifax.

*Sid, schs Seth M Todd, from Edgewater for Calais; Harry W Lewis, from Bathurst, NB, for Philadelphia; Wentworth, from St John for do.

BOSTON, Dec 15—Ard, schs Tay, from St John; Palms, from Sydney, CB; Stanley, from Verson River, PEI; William Jones, from Portsmouth.

Sid, sir Sif, for Louisburg, CB.

CITY ISLAND, Dec 15—Bound east, brig. Alice, from New York for Yarmouth, NB (ar chored).

PORTLAND, Me, Dec 15—Ard, strs Ottoman, from Liverpool; Leuctra, from do via REPORTS of the sch Dawson City, which arrived here during the night.

When Captain O'Neill saw the craft of Thatcher's Island yesterday she was standing upright in the water with a lot of wreckage alongside. The vessel was below the surface and could be seen with difficulty. The stern name had been washed away, but on the hailing board was the name "A. Hooper." It was believed the craft had been run down. There were no boats to be seen. The schooner A Hooper registered 80 10-1000 tons gross, 67 25-100 net. was built in Eden, Maine, in 1854, and was owned in Calais.

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Sid, strs Boston, for Varnounth, NS; St Croix, for Portland, Eastpers and St John.
BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me, Dep 16—Ard, solid Miranda, from Banger; Born C, from Port Grevike, NS.
PHILADRIPHIA, Dec 18—Ard, seh Daylight, from Hilleboro.
At Wilmington, NS, Dec 15, sub Havelock,

Cleared. At Wilmington, NC, Dec 12, seh W S Fielding, McDonald, for Fettt Goave, Hayti. At Boston, Dec 13, bark Cedar Croft, Nobles, for Buenos Ayres; sch Marchd, for Pettt Rivera, NB.

At New York, Dec 15, strs Potomac, Macdonald, for Halifax; Parran, Henriksen, for Halifax. Halfax.
At Matanzas, Dec 6, bark Baldwin, Dalling, for Fernandina (to sail 7th in ballast.)
At Mobile, Dec 15, str Zanzibar, Robinson, for Rotterdam.
At Havana, Dec 8, sch Delta, Anderson, for Jacksonville.
At Mobile, Dec 15, str Zanzibar, Robinson, for Rotterdam.

From Norfolk, Dec 14, str Almera, Fairley, for Newport News.
From City Island, Dec 14, sch Ophir, for St John; Emily I White, for Portsmouth.
At New York, Dec 14, sch Canadian, for Port Reading.
From Wilmington, Dec 14, sch W S Fielding, Donald, for Petit Goave (Brazil.)
From New York, Dec 14, sch Canadian, for Manzanilla.
From Montevideo, Nov 19, sch Sirdar, Rafuse, for New York.
From Ponce, PR, Dec 3, sch Heien Shafiner, Publicover, for Macoris and New York.

ter City, from St John for Manchester.
GLASGOW. Dec 16—Ard, str Sarmatian, from Portland.
MOVILLE, Dec 16—Ard, str Tunisian, from St John and Halifax for Liverpool.
At Port Natal, Dec 15, previously, ship Rskasoni, Townsend, from Portland, C.
At Bermuda, Dec 8, str Dahome, Lenktin, from Halifax for West Indies and Demerara (and sailed 9th.
At Queenstown, Dec 14, ship Sokoto, Crosby, from Tacoma for Belfast.
At Queenstown, Dec 17, ship Creedmoor, Kennedy, from Delagoa Bay, and sailed for Ship Island to load for Monterideo.
At Bermuda, Nov 29, sch Mildred, Mosher, from Turk's Island for Mahone Bay.
At Port Spain, Dec 2, bark Peerless, Burns, from Hantsport, NS.
At Cardiff, Dec 16, bark Genesta, Davies, from Summerside, PEI.

Bailed.

| Poulsen, from Portland for Sydney set M J Taylor, from Sydney for St John.
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From Liverpool, Dec 17, str Lake Ontario, for St John.
From Port Spain, Nov 28, str Oruro (from Halifax via ports), for Demerara.

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