

ADMIRAL KEPPEL DEAD. The Oldest Naval Warrior in Britain's Fighting Line. Had Seen Active Service Under Five Sovereigns, and Won His Way to Renown by Hard Work.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—The Hon. Sir Henry Keppel, admiral of the fleet, is dead. He was born in 1809. LONDON, Jan. 18.—The death of Admiral Keppel, the "Father of the Navy" who retired from active service in 1870, but whose name has been kept at the head of the active list by a special order-in-council, as a mark of respect, is the occasion for extended obituaries in the newspapers this morning. All of them refer to his great age and the notable and varied service he had rendered and relates experiences he had had.

THERE ARE OTHERS. St. John Has Had Men Just Like Fred H. Bates.

KILLED BY BLOOD POISONING. AMHERST, Jan. 17.—Henry Hicks, whose arm was amputated on Monday evening last because of blood poisoning resulting from a small injury to the thumb, died on Saturday. He leaves a widow and three children—Walter of Boston, Mrs. David Clarke of Joggins Mines, and Annie, at home. He was a member of the Foresters.

BORDEN AND LAURIER Discussed Our Treaty Making Rights Last Night. At the First Annual Banquet of the Canadian Club of Ottawa—Both Leaders Were Cheered.

OTTAWA, Jan. 18.—The first annual banquet of the Canadian Club of Ottawa was held tonight under the presidency of Col. Sherwood. Over one hundred guests were present. The guests included Lord Minto, Sir W. Laurier and Hon. R. L. Borden. Laurier incidentally referred to Canada's right to the treaty making power. A full discussion of the subject ought to be postponed for a few weeks, but he combatted the idea that the treaty making power involved a severance of the colonial tie. What ever of this power was necessary in the interests of Canada, of Australia and of all the self-governing colonies of the British Empire for the development of their own interests, the granting of such a power would simply strengthen the tie which bound us to the parent state. (Cheers.) He concluded with the fervent hope that the Canadian people would be united in furthering the interests of their common country.

RICHIBUCTO SNOWS. The Worst Storm of the Season—Sixteen Below Zero—House Burned.

RICHIBUCTO, N. B., Jan. 18.—The worst snow storm of the season prevailed yesterday and this morning. The citizens woke to find the snow piled up in drifts and the thermometer 16 below zero.

JAPAN AND RUSSIA. Austria's Emperor Wakes up on the Side of Peace. The Czar Is Taking His Time, and Japan Does Not Expect an Answer for a Week—Everybody Marking Time.

VIENNA, Jan. 17.—During the presentation of the general circles at the court ball last evening Emperor Francis Joseph said to Ambassador Storoz: "I think that affairs are going to be better in the Far East. Everything will be arranged." He spoke in a similar hopeful strain to other members of the diplomatic corps.

VIOLENT FIRE. A Block in Wheeling, W. Va., Turned to Ashes.

JOGGINS MINE FIRE. Said That the First Reports Were Somewhat Exaggerated.

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LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 17.—Eighteen delegates to the convention of the National League of Commission Merchants were today thrown into the icy water of Echo River, which winds through Mammoth Cave, and were saved only by the coolness of the guide, John Nelson, and the heroic work of Charles A. Muehlbrunner of Pittsburgh, one of the party. Among the party was Miss Lucie Patch of Boston.

HALIFAX NEWS. HALIFAX, Jan. 18.—The transportation commission held its second and last session this afternoon. During the morning they were taken for a cruise along the water front and at the opening of the afternoon session, Chairman Bertram said he was surprised at the magnitude of the harbor.

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J. N. HARVEY, MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHIER, 199 and 201 Union Street, St. John. A SESSION BEFORE ELECTION. Parliament of Canada Will Meet on Thursday, March 3rd.

There Will Be Several By-Elections in the Interim to Fill Vacant Seats—One in St. John City Among the Number.

OTTAWA, Jan. 16.—A proclamation will be issued today calling parliament for March 3. An official statement was given out on Friday evening that as certain modifications were asked by the Grand Trunk railway for the contract entered into last session, the premier had decided to ask his excellency to summon parliament.

BLAIR NOW CHAIRMAN. Of the Laurier Railway Commission on Big Pay.

His Successor, Hon. H. R. Emmerson, Is Moving Homeward Under Escort of Mr. Turgeon, M. P.

OTTAWA, Jan. 18.—The earnings of the Intercolonial railway for the six months up to the first of January, show, it is said, a net improvement over last season amounting to \$185,244. In the passenger department the earnings were \$1,168,788, as against \$1,088,651 in the corresponding period of 1902.

trade always favors the flag or not, is ought to follow blood relationship, especially when, in many things, owing to difference in seasons, exchanges could be made between the two countries without doing any injury to the trade of either.

Children, you have thought... In use over years... TROUBLES. At a late hour... L. JOB. 14.—The... TRAGEDY. Me, Jan. 12.—... SYNE SETTLE-... MENT. Kings... METHOD. Post.)... Ceylon

It won't chop wood but Sargent's Gem Food Chopper will chop raw meat, cooked meat, vegetables of all kinds, fruit, crackers, bread, eggs, cheese, nuts, figs and other foods, and It will chop them all rapidly, easily, coarse or fine, in uniform pieces, without mashing, squeezing, tearing or grinding. W. H. Thorne & Co., Limited, St. John.

TOBIN INQUEST

Commenced Last Friday Before Coroner Berryman.

Three Witnesses Examined After Which an Adjournment Was Had

Until January 25th—Some Interesting Evidence.

The inquiry into the death of the late John Tobin, which took place recently at the General Public House, was commenced in the Court House last Friday, Coroner Berryman presiding. C. N. Skinner, M. P., appeared on behalf of the management of the hospital. The names of the jurymen are: B. R. Macaulay (foreman), W. G. Scovil, L. E. White, C. Campbell, David Watson, R. C. Clark and J. E. Secord.

see his son, that patients in the epidemic hospital could not be seen often by their friends as it took place in the general department of the hospital. When witness was leaving Dr. Lumley said that he would send a nurse to attend the young man.

Miss Kellier, who nursed the deceased, said that she had been in training about six months for a nurse at the St. John hospital. She had been nursing on the surgical and medical staff. Had not previously nursed patients having contagious diseases. Witness did not know how long a nurse was required to be in training before being entrusted to the exclusive care of a patient. She had written out the assistance of other nurses, taken charge of a patient for a whole night. While in charge of a patient for a whole night there were regular rounds of duties which she performed. Witness would take the temperature three times during the night, and make a note of this on the chart. All of this would be also mentioned on the chart. Witness was sent to the epidemic hospital a week ago last Thursday to nurse a patient. Witness was told that the patient was very sick with measles. An assistant was there when she arrived. The temperature of the room then was 74 degrees. Witness attended the patient until the next day. There were no other patients in the epidemic hospital at the time. The last patient in the epidemic hospital was in December. That patient died some time in December. Witness did not know whether or not fires were kept in the epidemic hospital when there were no patients in it. Witness was not present when the patient died. She was called in to see the patient at 10 o'clock. She was on duty both day and night. The physician told her that the patient was very ill. At that time the patient was in a room, where there was a register grate. It appeared to the witness that the room had not been heated for some time. It was not a warm, comfortable room. Witness with others stayed there about fifteen minutes. The patient became weak and walked to the bed. The doctor gave instructions for the patient to be taken to the epidemic hospital.

CAN'T GET STAMPS.

Cases Where Money Cannot Purchase Government Stamps—Should Be Available.

It may surprise the public to know that persons having to settle estates in the probate court are not always allowed to pay their fees and get done with the business. Probation is paid by stamps, and it often happens the stamps cannot be got from the local agency. Yesterday a case of that kind occurred, when it was a matter of some importance to have the estate settled. Everything was right but the stamps, and they could not be got in the city. The Sun has been told that it is a common thing for the registration of probate papers to be delayed because stamps are not available. It must be understood that probate stamps are not worth three cent stamps, but affairs of twenty or thirty dollars even for small estates. Lawyers cannot be expected to keep a supply about their offices on the chance that a client may need them. The stamp is the means of collecting the fee for the judge and registration of probate, and it is thought to be a little hard that those who are ready and willing to pay should not have the chance to do so.

WILL BE NO WAR?

European Capitals Feel That Russia and Japan May Not Fight.

Latest Advices From Paris, Berlin, London and Washington Point

to Amicable Adjustment of the Troubles.

PARIS, Jan. 15.—In spite of the pessimistic tone at other capitals in relation to the Russo-Japanese situation, the belief that there is a chance of peace still prevails in official and diplomatic circles here. Reports were circulated on the bourse this afternoon that M. Delcasse in explaining the situation to the cabinet, indicated that there was little chance of escape from war; but this was authoritatively denied. The foreign office further declared that no tender of good offices had yet been made through M. Neidoff (the Russian ambassador) to the Russian government and that no action of Turkish consent had been taken with respect to Japan.

BERLIN, Jan. 15.—It is reported from consular sources at New Chang that Russian troops are concentrating at the towns of Liao-Yang and Hai-Cheng and other places where they will be in a position to re-occupy the territory between the Liao River and the great wall and seize the New Chang-Shan-Tung-Kwang section of the railroad.

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Expected That the Factory Will Be Running in a Week's Time.

In the F. B. Dunn Packing Co. now approaching completion at Fairville will be found a valuable addition to the local industries of St. John. It is evident no pains have been spared to equip all departments in a thoroughly up-to-date manner. The main building extends back from a private siding, which has been laid from the main line of the C. P. R. for purposes of convenient shipment, a distance of 150 feet with a width of about 25 feet. It consists of basement, first and upper floors giving, as will be readily seen, an enormous amount of floor space. Added to the main building is also facing the track is an ell 50 feet wide and extending back a distance of some 60 feet. The ell consists of two stories on the front elevation, both floors intended for an ice house and lined for that purpose with four thicknesses of wood. The rear portion, with one floor only, will be utilized partly as a cooling room and partly as a sausage and lard factory. Behind the ell in the angle formed by the main building is placed the boiler house and beyond this and on the further side of the main entrance is an addition 24 feet by 16 feet for the office premises. Including the smoke house, the building is a well constructed with a pitched roof, which is situated some 100 feet in the rear of the main building, a general idea can be gathered of the extent of the premises. It would not be out of place to follow the plan through the various departments.

N. S. SCHIR, LABELLED.

WILMINGTON, Del., Jan. 14.—The four-masted schooner Fortuna of Windsor, N. S., lying at the Delaware Breakwater, was labelled last night by Deputy Marshal James L. Hawkins of this city. The label is for \$10,000 and was filed by Captain Edward M. Lawson of the British steamship Banning. He claims to have fallen in with the Fortuna while the schooner was bound for the coast of the county. The vessel was towed to a harbor for \$10,000. The Fortuna is owned in Boston.

HOW GOOD JOCKEYS ARE OFTEN TEMPTED.

Bribes Offered, but Seldom Accepted—Punishment is Too Severe on Big Tracks to Make the Experiment Worth While to Rider.

It takes an unusually strong-minded boy who rides race horses for a living to withstand temptation. On the other hand, the rewards of those that succumb are great. It was only the other day that the father of Arthur Redfern, the leading jockey of W. C. Whitney's track, declared that his son had won \$35,000 during the season just ended, and that had it not been for the broken collar bone he received at Aqueduct his total would have reached \$50,000. And yet young Redfern is a better fellow. This is just an illustration of the possibilities in the way of a successful jockey. Here, however, is an instance of a different kind. Some time ago there was living from hand to mouth on the winter track at Guttenberg a stable boy by the name of Sloan. The lad makes a good thing of it. Sometimes Sloan was reputed to be worth half a million dollars. Unsuccessful attempts to break the bank at Monte Carlo and in other places, however, soon reduced his bank account. Sloan probably made more money from riding race horses than any American jockey, but Redfern, as he keeps his head and maintains success, may yet surpass him. While all jockeys cannot hope to make money so rapidly, the opportunities are great. According to the prevailing custom, a jockey receives \$25 a day for a winning mount, and \$15 for a loser. Six races are run each day, so that a steady employed jockey has a chance to increase his earnings in a dishonest way. The following is a fairly correct estimate of the average earnings of a race horse naturally depends a great deal on his physical condition. But when the thoroughbred leaves the track and is employed in the hands of the jockey. If the horse is a favorite it carries thousands of dollars of the public's money. In the present time, however, the jockey's reputation for extreme skillfulness. A natural talent, not particular regarding honesty, would like to tamper with this particular jockey. It has been shown in times past that a jockey will pull a horse at a critical time, and in some cases jockeys have been ruled out of the turf for accepting bribes. The temptation is made, as banishment from a profession is worth more than a paltry \$5,000.

To ride honestly is not the hardest thing a jockey has to do. The notorious fact is that boys who get into some bad company. It is the height of some racegoers' ambition to know star jockeys and trainers. It seems to them to be the proper thing to spend money on them. Late suppers at fashionable restaurants are held out as an attraction, with music, wine, flowers and brilliant lights. It is not strange that boys who are held out as an attraction, with music, wine, flowers and brilliant lights. It is not strange that boys who are held out as an attraction, with music, wine, flowers and brilliant lights.

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They are at once moved to the elevator, raised to the first floor and placed on a trolley line, which runs through the building to the smoke house. From thence to the cutting room as but a step. Here the carcasses are divided up, parts going on the trolley to the smoke house, or to the sausage and lard department, as the case may be. On completion of these processes the pig under its new name of ham, sausage, lard and so on, is returned to the main building, prepared for shipment, packed and transferred on the trolley once more to the smoking room situated in the front elevation, and thence to the cars on the siding. On the upper or second floor the various pickles are prepared and distributed by means of pipes wherever required. The canning of the pork is attended to in the basement and the goods afterwards sent up on the elevator to be transferred in turn to the cars.

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CANNING'S FAMOUS MESSAGE.

M. A. P. The strangest fiscal policy enunciated by an English minister was that dictated by Canning in 1826 to Sir Charles Bagot, then engaged in negotiating a commercial treaty with the Dutch. The instructions to Bagot were contained in a note written in cipher, but which, deciphered, ran:

English: We'll clap on Dutch bottoms just twenty per cent.

French: Vous frapperes Falk avec 20 per cent.

I have no other commands from His Majesty to convey to your excellency today. I am, with great truth and respect, your excellency's most obedient, humble servant.

GEORGE CANNING.

The story goes that poor Sir Charles Bagot puzzled for some days over this seemingly disconnected letter, and had even grave doubts as to the sanity of its author, until it gradually dawned upon him that Canning, under this strange guise, was really instructing him in a method of serious fiscal diplomacy.

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Of all the diseases the human body has to combat in its struggle for health, the one that is steadily growing in strength and terror is Kidney Disease. Quietly, stealthily as a serpent, it creeps on its victim till the latter is enveloped in its folds, and the greatest physicians the world has ever known stand helpless before it. At the last fold goes around the struggling victim and the doctor shrugs his head and whispers "Bright's Disease," hope fades to nothing, and the sorrowing friends feel that death has marked their loved one for its own.

The alarming increase in this terrible disease is making it evidenced by the columns of almost every newspaper. For not among the lowly of the earth alone does it look for its victims. Statesmen, judges, eminent lawyers, and honored divines are numbered among those who in recent months have gone down to their graves with the fell marks of this dread disease upon their bodies. In fact, so prevalent has the disease become that a celebrated New York specialist stated recently that not one person in a hundred was free from some taint of Kidney Disease.

It is the secrecy of Kidney Disease that makes it the more dreaded. You can fight an enemy in the open with some chance of success, but if he is lying in wait to take you at an unguarded moment you are bound to be successfully fighting him are terribly diminished. So it is with Kidney Disease. Its first warnings are so faint as to be hardly noticeable, a slight pain in the back that is charged up to over exertion, a slight discoloration of the urine that hardly attracts attention, that is all. But that means that Kidney Disease is already busily eating its way into your system. The pain in the back grows more severe, the urinary trouble more complicated, swelling of the limbs denotes the coming of Dropsy, sharp shooting pains in the joints and muscles tell that Rheumatism has taken its hold, or perhaps a day or two's illness leads to the calling of the doctor, and suddenly the terrible truth is forced upon you—Bright's Disease has way in its grasp.

With this silent, relentless enemy slowly but surely eating its way into prominence and marking that prominent by a yearly increase in the length of its death list, the demand of the day, of the hour, is "Show us the way to escape." Nature never put mankind in a critical condition without providing a way of escape, providing that the kind were wise enough to take the way provided. In this case the way of escape is a simple vegetable remedy, it has been before the people of Canada for thirteen years, and like all the great relievers of nature, has been first received and first appreciated by the lowly in life, those who are known as the common people of Canada.

Is it the common people of Canada who die of Bright's Disease? No, it is not the rich and shirking marks, those who are stationed about the heads of the masses. Ask the reason of this? Go to the people who are practically exempt from Kidney Disease in its early form and ask them why. They will tell you that it is the common people who are afflicted with this terrible disease that carries so many prominent men into its grave.

And so it is: the man who does manual labor will feel his slightest aches or who hinder him in his work. When he has backache he cures it with Dodd's Kidney Pills, and goes on with his work; when he feels a twinge of Rheumatism he drives it out of his body with Dodd's Kidney Pills, and goes on with his work. Necessity has taught him that he must cure his kidneys to get on with his work, for he must work to live. He has not been educated to that standpoint where a prescription to cure must be written by a specialist who costs dollars to every letter. He may not even know that there never was a disease that took in all classes of the community but what nature provides a cure within the means of all classes of the community. What he does know is more to the point than all this. He knows that Dodd's Kidney Pills have taught him come from the kidneys. He takes Dodd's Kidney Pills, and goes on with his work.

SOME EXCEPTIONS. Of course, there are exceptions to every rule. Even among common people there are those who neglect the early warnings of the disease. It takes exceptions to prove the rule—but many of these exceptions prove

more—they prove that no case of Kidney Disease is too far gone for Dodd's Kidney Pills to cure. Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy, Heart Disease—all the varied forms of Kidney Disease in its advanced stages—have been met by Dodd's Kidney Pills, and never once has Canada's great Kidney Remedy had to admit defeat. From the Atlantic to the Pacific, and from the Great Lakes to Hudson Bay, Dodd's Kidney Pills are used, and wherever used they have triumphed over Kidney Disease in its every form. Thousands of Canadians are shouting their praises of the conqueror.

Just a few of those who have neglected the early symptoms reached the more advanced stages of Kidney Disease, and found a cure in Dodd's Kidney Pills are given below. There are thousands of others in your own immediate neighborhood. You will not have to go far to meet men, women and children who have either taken Dodd's Kidney Pills or who are at the present age by using the old Canadian stand-by—Dodd's Kidney Pills.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE CURED.
Bright's Disease has invariably yielded to a treatment of Dodd's Kidney Pills, no matter how firm a hold it had secured on its victim. Possibly the most talked of case of recent date is that of ANNE MAUD PARKER, of Shubencade, Hants Co., N. S. The full story of this case will be found in the current number of Dodd's Magazine. Herewith a short statement from the young lady's mother is appended:

Two doctors pronounced my daughter Anne's Bright's Disease, and gave her up to die. Her eyelids swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees were very stiff. In health was twenty inches; when she was at her worst was 48 inches. Then she gave up all other treatment and started to take Dodd's Kidney Pills. By the time she had taken the first box I saw a change. It took a long time to bring her back to perfect health, but Dodd's Kidney Pills did it. Today my daughter is in perfect health.

Mrs. T. G. Parker, Shubencade, Hants Co., N. S.

DIABETES CURED.
Diabetes is another of the most fearful and fatal forms of Kidney Disease that has been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills, and by no other medicine. Among those cured of this terrible ailment is the CHARLES GILCHRIST, fifteen years Chief of Police of Port Hope and afterwards for twenty-two years Fishery Overseer under the Dominion Government. He makes the following statement:

I was a sufferer for ten years with Diabetes and Kidney Disorder. At times my urine was of a dark brickly color. I would suffer something awful while passing. I tried doctors and medicines, but could get no help till I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. They made me a new man. The doctor says of Port Hope all know me, and can vouch for the above.

Chas. Gilchrist, Ex-Chief Coast and Fisheries Overseer, Port Hope

HEART DISEASE CURED.
Heart Disease is a result of Kidney Disease. Bad Kidneys mean impure blood, the action of impure blood on the heart causes Heart Disease. Dodd's Kidney Pills cure it.

I suffered for years with Heart Disease, Bright's Disease, and Rheumatism. I was so feeble I was unable to do any work. There were three months I abandoned all medicines, and resolved to let myself die. Then I was led to try Dodd's Kidney Pills, and in a few days I was able to get on my feet. I have taken twenty boxes in all, and I will try Dodd's Kidney Pills, my Bright's Disease, and my Rheumatism.

Dame Louis Provost, St. Margarete, Que.

DROPSY CURED.
Dropsy, another disease caused by diseased kidneys falling to do their work and remove the surplus water from the blood, is another ailment Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure. Here is an example:

I was a total wreck before I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. In the mornings before I got out of bed I could hardly put my foot to the floor; they were so much swollen from the water in my system that I could not get up without a coat. I had to be tapped to be relieved from my terrible pains. On the advice of a friend I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Before I had finished the second box I felt much better. Seven boxes cured me completely. I don't know what it is to be sick since I used Dodd's Kidney Pills.

George Robertson, 222 St. James St., Montreal, Que.

RHEUMATISM CURED.
Rheumatism and kindred Kidney Diseases, such as Lumbago, Sciatica, and Gout, are caused by uric acid in the blood. If the kidneys are put in working order they strain all the uric acid out of the blood, and the Rheumatism goes with it. Take the case of W. C. CRAIG of Dresden, Ont. Here is his statement:

For eight years I was troubled with Inflammatory Rheumatism. I could scarcely get around to do my duties in my work. I had some of the best doctors I could get, but nothing I tried would ever give me relief. I was so troubled with Gout, I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and had only taken six boxes when I was completely cured.

W. C. Craig, Ex-Rector of Dresden, Ont.

ALL KIDNEY DISEASES CURED.
There are only a few cases taken from thousands to show the efficacy of Dodd's Kidney Pills in all the stages of Kidney Disease. In other forms of Kidney trouble, such as Urinary troubles, Gravel, Female Weakness, etc., Dodd's Kidney Pills have the same record. They always cure. Ask for them in the "Back"—the first symptom of Kidney trouble—ask your neighbors. You'll find the majority of them look on pain in the Back as a danger signal, and on its first appearance safeguard themselves against this terribly fatal Kidney Disease by driving it away with the old Canadian stand-by—Dodd's Kidney Pills.

GRAND MANAN.

Killed Thirteen Elder Ducks at One Shot.

Very Cold and Tempestuous Weather—Some Old People—Recent Deaths and Marriages—Fish Are Scarce.

GRAND MANAN, Jan. 7.—The past week realized one of the most severe cold waves that has swept over the island for a decade, commencing on Tuesday's day and increasing in intensity as the week advanced. It reached its culminating point on Monday morning, the 4th inst., when at North Head and South Head the mercury fell below zero, a record breaker for this island. On Sunday, the 2nd inst., a genuine blizzard prevailed, a strong north-northeast gale blowing fine particles of frost and blowing the snow in great quantities. It struck like particles of glass, drifting the highways and the by-ways full. Few pedestrians or teams were to be seen on the roads, though Captain Ingersoll of the str. Aurora faced the fury of the icy gale and blinding snow to North Head, and the Aurora left on the morning of the 3rd inst. and was invaded by King Frost and their cold frozen. Otherwise no loss of damage by the storm or frost is reported.

Herring and other fish are now scarce, and as the rough weather has made it impossible for the boats to get out there have been no catches made for several days. The weather has been very cold, but the happy New Year, like the merry Christmas-tide was mingled with joyousness for some and mourning for others on the 31st ult. Albery Levy died of paralysis very suddenly. He was an old and esteemed resident of Grand Harbor. He leaves a son, Austin Levy, and a daughter, Mrs. Fred Withycombe of St. George's, to mourn the loss of an indulgent and affectionate father. Interment took place on the 2nd inst. in the pretty little cemetery at Pleasant Point. The funeral was conducted by Rev. A. M. McNinch, of St. Paul's English church. Mr. Levy was a member of the Masonic fraternity, and a delegate of the Island Masons, headed by Rev. A. M. McNinch, acted as pall-bearers and performed the beautiful Masonic rites for the burial of a dear brother at the grave. This was the first Masonic burial on our island. The funeral was held at the residence of Rev. A. M. McNinch, Capt. John A. Ingersoll, H. E. Fraser, W. A. Fraser, J. P. Cyrus Cheney, J. P. Ward, S. Foster, John Howell, Isaac Wolf, C. E. King. The day of the burial was bitterly cold, but a large congregation filled St. Paul's church and listened with interest and attention to the eloquent words of Rev. Dr. Huniker, the rector of the parish.

On New Year's eve a watch meeting service was held in St. Paul's Episcopal church, and the congregation was present and listened to the solemn tolling of the old year out and the joyous ringing in of the new year. A merry party of the members of the Free Baptist church at Grand Harbor invaded the home of their pastor, Rev. A. M. McNinch, on New Year's eve, and after the usual exchange of songs and recitations, cake and coffee were partaken of, and when they took their leave they left a generous donation of money and the necessities of life. Rev. Mr. McNinch and his amiable wife are greatly esteemed by all their acquaintances on the island.

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The political parties are marshaling their hosts for the coming fray, and organized efforts will be put forth by the government and the opposition to carry the island in their respective interests. R. E. Armstrong is on the island in the interests of the government, and he has been taken by a land fog alarm a few days ago killed thirteen elder ducks by the discharge of one barrel of his fowling piece.

A record was made of a record for the weddings taking place in it. Some of the principal participants were Coleman Daisell and Lida C. Anger, Albert Harvey and Alice Foster, L. C. Dakin of Grand Harbor and Minnie Ganong of west side, St. John, and others.

DEATH OF MRS. SPROUL.
Mrs. Eliza Jane Sproul, wife of Wm. Sproul died at Lakewood Friday after a lingering illness, in the 73rd year of her age. She survived by her husband, one sister (Mrs. Filson of this city), also four sons and three daughters. Her sons are James Sproul, mason and builder, at this city; Robert Sproul of Boston, Mass.; William and Frank at Lakewood. Her daughters are Mrs. Edward Arthur, Silver Falls; Mrs. Wm. Evans at Ball's Lake; Mrs. Dobbie, Rochester, Kings county. She also leaves a large circle of friends, who will hear of her demise with regret. The funeral will take place on Sunday at 1.30 o'clock.

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Closing Proceedings of the Carleton County Council.
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Mr. Hartley reported as to the land on which the house stands and around it, that he had examined the deed given the 8th of June, 1858, by Richard Ketchum and wife to the Justices of the peace of Carleton county, and it was free from conditions, being

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DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

Death Pact in New York—Wife Smothered by Husband.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—As the result, the police say, of a death pact, Louis Bohnlofink, amateur athlete, union champion runner, mother-in-law of a 19-year-old wife, Mabel, in a room at the Boulevard Hotel, 124th street, and Lexington avenue and then killed himself by turning on the gas. This bodies were found in a room this morning. There was no indication of a struggle. Bohnlofink's letters were by Bohnlofink and found on a table, indicating that the couple had made a death pact. Bohnlofink wrote that his mother-in-law had caused him and his wife to be married on the 8th inst. to Miss Bertha Larkin of Tighish. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Matthews of Elmstead on the birth of a daughter, named William, on the 11th inst. Mr. Matthews, 21, of Tighish, who has been in the Charlestown hospital for treatment since New Year's, is steadily improving. The death of Ephraim Bradley, killed in a coal mine at Springfield, N. S., was a great shock to his father, brother and two sisters and friends throughout the island. He was a bright, industrious lad, 29 years of age, and had been home for treatment only two weeks before his death. Rumors of foul play have been in circulation on the streets, but in order to ascertain the exact cause of death his friends arranged to have a post-mortem examination of the body by Drs. Kelly and Conroy, and although the result of the examination was of a private nature, the doctors' particular notes of the case, which have not yet been made public. Dr. Wickham of Tighish has retired from practice on account of ill health. His practice was taken over by Dr. Johnson of Emerald, who will remove to Tighish in a few days. Allan Matthews and Robert M. Wright, both of whom were in the hospital of Summerside, having spent their Christmas holidays at their homes, left for Halifax to resume their studies at Dalhousie College. The death of Mr. D. Ready occurred at his home in Irishtown on the 2nd inst. The deceased, who had been ill for the last three years, was held in the highest esteem by many friends and acquaintances. He leaves a wife and one child to mourn.

ST. MARTINS.
The vacancy in the teaching staff of the public school by the resignation of Miss Howard of the intermediate department has been filled by Miss Sarah Haines of Fredericton, who opened the school on Wednesday, Jan. 13, with an enrollment of 38 pupils. The annual social of the W. C. T. U. was held on Thursday evening at the residence of Miss Joseph Carson, a large number being present. A musical programme consisting of instrumental selections by Mrs. McGregor Bentley and Miss Carson, also a vocal solo by Mrs. Donahue. There were games and conversation, passed the evening very pleasantly. Refreshments were served at 11 o'clock, the company dispersing at midnight. The guild of Holy Trinity church spent a pleasant evening socially at the residence of J. B. Hodsmyth on the evening of Jan. 14. Although the night was unpleasant and the walking had a fairly good representation of the society were present and a good time enjoyed. This society finds its work in a progressive position and is encouraged by these annual gatherings for future usefulness.

GOOD LUCK IN COAL.
(London Chronicle).
Among other coal folk-lore is the burglar's firm faith that the possession of a piece of coal confers good luck, and when searched in the police station it is usually found in his pocket. A belief in coal as a talisman is said to have been held by the early Britons, and is frequently found in the burial places converted into personal ornaments. Believers in dreams maintain that to dream of coal is a certain sign of coming riches. Then, too, there is the speculation, or mirror of divination, of Dr. Dee, which subsequently formed part of the Strawberry Hill collection. It was formed of a small coal, though the doctor pretended to have received it from the angels.

A WOMAN HOURS IN A WELL.
(Charlottetown, P. E. I., Guardian, 12th).
A peculiar affair strangely without fatal results, happened at St. Eleanor's church yesterday morning. A woman named Arsenault, on being missing from her home, where were left two young children, a search was made and her foot tracks traced to an old well on the property of A. E. Holland, some distance from her residence. A lantern was lowered in the well and its rays disclosed the figure of the woman at the bottom, a depth of about forty feet. She had probably been there about two hours. Occasionally she would murmur in answer to the calls from those above. A ladder was lowered and a man sent down to assist the unfortunate woman, who with little help walked up the ladder. When taken to her home it was found that the woman was slightly bruised, but no bones were broken. She did not appear to clearly remember what had happened. A little mystery surrounds the affair. The four players of Wiggins' wife, the husband of the woman is at present off the island.

BURGLARS "JIMMIES" OF THE FINEST STEEL.
Expert Thieves Make a \$500 Haul in New York—Moved a Safe.
NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Early Saturday morning burglars entered a safe Merzer street, one block from a police station, cut the bottom out of a safe and carried away the contents. The burglars first broke in order to effect an entrance to the safe. They found sections of "jimmies" and chains of the best steel, and of which the police say they have never seen the equal. The moving and opening of the safe, it is said, must have taken the burglars at least three hours.

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DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

Death Pact in New York—Wife Smothered by Husband.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—As the result, the police say, of a death pact, Louis Bohnlofink, amateur athlete, union champion runner, mother-in-law of a 19-year-old wife, Mabel, in a room at the Boulevard Hotel, 124th street, and Lexington avenue and then killed himself by turning on the gas. This bodies were found in a room this morning. There was no indication of a struggle. Bohnlofink's letters were by Bohnlofink and found on a table, indicating that the couple had made a death pact. Bohnlofink wrote that his mother-in-law had caused him and his wife to be married on the 8th inst. to Miss Bertha Larkin of Tighish. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Matthews of Elmstead on the birth of a daughter, named William, on the 11th inst. Mr. Matthews, 21, of Tighish, who has been in the Charlestown hospital for treatment since New Year's, is steadily improving. The death of Ephraim Bradley, killed in a coal mine at Springfield, N. S., was a great shock to his father, brother and two sisters and friends throughout the island. He was a bright, industrious lad, 29 years of age, and had been home for treatment only two weeks before his death. Rumors of foul play have been in circulation on the streets, but in order to ascertain the exact cause of death his friends arranged to have a post-mortem examination of the body by Drs. Kelly and Conroy, and although the result of the examination was of a private nature, the doctors' particular notes of the case, which have not yet been made public. Dr. Wickham of Tighish has retired from practice on account of ill health. His practice was taken over by Dr. Johnson of Emerald, who will remove to Tighish in a few days. Allan Matthews and Robert M. Wright, both of whom were in the hospital of Summerside, having spent their Christmas holidays at their homes, left for Halifax to resume their studies at Dalhousie College. The death of Mr. D. Ready occurred at his home in Irishtown on the 2nd inst. The deceased, who had been ill for the last three years, was held in the highest esteem by many friends and acquaintances. He leaves a wife and one child to mourn.

ST. MARTINS.
The vacancy in the teaching staff of the public school by the resignation of Miss Howard of the intermediate department has been filled by Miss Sarah Haines of Fredericton, who opened the school on Wednesday, Jan. 13, with an enrollment of 38 pupils. The annual social of the W. C. T. U. was held on Thursday evening at the residence of Miss Joseph Carson, a large number being present. A musical programme consisting of instrumental selections by Mrs. McGregor Bentley and Miss Carson, also a vocal solo by Mrs. Donahue. There were games and conversation, passed the evening very pleasantly. Refreshments were served at 11 o'clock, the company dispersing at midnight. The guild of Holy Trinity church spent a pleasant evening socially at the residence of J. B. Hodsmyth on the evening of Jan. 14. Although the night was unpleasant and the walking had a fairly good representation of the society were present and a good time enjoyed. This society finds its work in a progressive position and is encouraged by these annual gatherings for future usefulness.

GOOD LUCK IN COAL.
(London Chronicle).
Among other coal folk-lore is the burglar's firm faith that the possession of a piece of coal confers good luck, and when searched in the police station it is usually found in his pocket. A belief in coal as a talisman is said to have

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CITY NEWS

Recent Events in and Around St. John.

Together With Country Items From Correspondents and Exchanges.

WANTED-A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in ten to twenty minutes.

George G. McKenzie of McKenzie & Fleet, general merchants of Campbellton, spent a couple of days in St. John last week and met his friends.

A quiet wedding took place Thursday evening at the home of the bride's mother, when Rev. R. W. Ferguson united in marriage Miss Letitia M. Anderson and John Alonzo Dunlavin of Glendine, Montana.

Chronic Constipation surely cured by money back LAXA-CARA TABLETS never fail. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price, 50 cents. At drug stores.

William Higgins of Camden street has received notification from the department of state, Washington, that pending the appointment of a consular representative he shall have charge of the interests of the new Republic of Panama.

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At last there is a scientific way to cure yourself of any kidney, bladder or rheumatic disease in a very short time in your own home and without the expense of doctors, druggists and surgeons. The credit belongs to Dr. Edwin Turlock, a noted French-American physician and scientist who has made a life-long study of these diseases and is now offering his discovery to the world.

None can say they are incurable until they have tried my discovery. The cure is free.

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Harley Sears, of the I. C. R. baggage master's office, Moncton, has received a telegram from Victoria stating that the body of his son, Harvey, lost in the str. Cliallam disaster, has been found. The body will be brought home for burial.

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SUNBURY AND QUEENS.

Enthusiastic Nomination of R. D. Wilmot, M. P., by the Party in Convention.

They Sent Him to Ottawa at the Last Election and Will Double His Former Majority at the Next Contest.

(Special to the Sun.) GAGETOWN, N. B., Jan. 18.—The liberal conservative convention of the joint county of Queens and Sunbury met at 2 p. m. today.

Despite the bad roads there was an attendance of about seventy and nearly all the parishes were represented.

S. L. Peters, president of the association, occupied the chair, and with all his old-time vigor opened the convention with a statement of the purpose for calling it, namely for the nomination of a candidate to represent the constituency at the next election.

R. D. Wilmot, M. P., being called on, spoke encouragingly of the prospects for calling it, namely for the nomination of a candidate to represent the constituency at the next election.

Speeches were made by Mr. Wilmot, in accepting the nomination, by the councilors of the various parishes, and by Arthur Slipp of Fredericton, barrister-at-law.

On motion, a resolution expressing confidence in R. L. Borden as leader of the party, and carrying the nomination of Mr. Wilmot, was unanimously adopted. Afterward the convention adjourned.

Never have the prospects of the liberal conservative party in this constituency looked so hopeful, it being admitted by many liberals that they have no hope of carrying the victory.

THE EASTERN CRISIS. Belief that Russia's Diplomacy Has Failed—Russia Feels the United States.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Private despatches from St. Petersburg indicate that a Times despatch to Paris, that the Japanese note has not helped to fortify optimistic anticipations. As long as there was room for further negotiations, Russian diplomacy helped to give a final answer to the latest Russian note, will not, it is expected, wait indefinitely for a decision on Russia's part.

There is said to be a good deal of irritation in St. Petersburg over the failure of Russian diplomacy. It is recognized that the conclusion of the Chinese-American treaty has materially affected Russia's prestige.

It is reported that Russia stands in greater fear of the present attitude of the United States than of Great Britain. Another source of concern is the indifferent attitude of France.

PORT ARTHUR, Jan. 18.—The Japanese banks are rapidly closing up their accounts in Manchuria and are stopping negotiations. Japan is seeking for agents to look for treasure in large quantities.

The Russian occupation of Sin-Min-Tung, thirty miles west of Mukden, is reported to be accomplished.

GOLD SEEKERS RETURN. Halifax Adventurers Abandon Attempts to Find Treasure in Tierra Del Fuego.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—Mr. Manous and C. Thompson, of Halifax, N. S., have returned here from an unsuccessful search for treasure in Tierra Del Fuego. They sailed from Nova Scotia on March 17 last, with eight companions on the schooner Little L. to look for treasure in large quantities, which the captain of the vessel said was to be found there.

The schooner reached the coast of Tierra Del Fuego, where they were met by the steamer McManus and Thompson, having had a misunderstanding with others of the party, took all their belongings from the vessel and started for the coast with a hand of Patagonian Indians. Here they met with nothing but hardships and finally made the coast again, where they made a voyage of 125 miles and reached a point from which they sailed for this port.

MARRIED IN THE WEST. A St. John man resident in the west sends the following brief particulars of the marriage of a former popular St. John boy, a son of the late H. W. Frith.

Walter M. Frith, formerly of St. John and Miss Huberta Flesher, of Greenwood, were married on Jan. 6th in St. John's Hill, Greenwood, by Rev. M. A. Robbins. The happy couple left for their home in Spokane, Washington. Both bride and groom are deservedly popular in the town, the former especially in musical circles, and the latter, who is a junior partner of Messrs. Coles & Frith, stationers, and who was formerly assistant postmaster, because he is an all-round good fellow as well as a shrewd business man. Their many friends wish them joy.

100,000 PEOPLE HOMELESS. BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 18.—The latest reports to the American board from the relief centres in Macedonia show that there are now 100,000 persons who are homeless and without means of support for the winter. Between 50,000 and 60,000 are in the Monastir district. The Turkish government is refusing some relief and funds are coming from Great Britain and England. Flour in small quantities is given to the destitute.

Another political outbreak in the spring is feared.

LEFT WORRY TO DOCTOR. "How about that little bill?" asked the doctor. "Why, doctor," was the reply, "only a little while before you sent it in you said not to let anything worry me, and I haven't."—Chicago Post.

DOES THIS MEAN YOU? To a dyspeptic a menu card is merely a list of things he cannot eat.—Boston Home Journal.

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Every housekeeper knows that twice a year there comes a time of hurly-burly, when some things are sent to the garret and others to the cellar, and new things are brought in to brighten up the house. January is Oak Hall's housecleaning time—it doesn't send its Winter Clothing to the garret or the cellar to make ready for the reception of its Spring Clothing.

It sends hundreds of suits and overcoats out into the community at a price considerably below the original figures, which in themselves were already 25 p. c. below others and that's why you can get—

Overcoats others ask \$6.25 for we sell regularly at \$5.00, this sale \$3.85 Overcoats others ask 7.50 for we sell regularly at 6.00, this sale 4.25 Overcoats others ask 8.50 for we sell regularly at 7.00, this sale 5.25 Overcoats others ask 10.00 for we sell regularly at 8.00, this sale 5.85 Overcoats others ask 12.00 for we sell regularly at 10.00, this sale 7.50 Overcoats others ask 15.00 for we sell regularly at 12.50, this sale 8.75 Overcoats others ask 18.00 for we sell regularly at 15.00, this sale 10.75

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WOLFVILLE AND ACADIA.

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Dr. Trotter submitted to the board a series of recommendations, which, after a full discussion, were substantially adopted.

As an outcome of this action Dr. Kitchener was named as the president's acting head of the faculty in respect to the conduct of the internal affairs of the college, performing as deputy the duties without salary. This will give Dr. Trotter freedom of mind while absent from the college and will save him from the pressure of accumulated duties.

Rev. W. E. McIntyre of St. John, superintendent of home missions for N. B., and Rev. E. J. Grant of Acadia, superintendent of the ministerial committee with respect to the employment of student labor on the home mission fields. Other important matters were discussed.

Miss Lilla Kempton, daughter of Mrs. Joseph Kempton, is very ill at her home with gastric fever.

Charles E. Morse, for some time in charge of the mathematical department of Heriot Collegiate Academy, has an excellent position as teacher of mathematics in the Manual Training High School, Kansas City. There are 1,700 pupils and a staff of nearly 70 teachers.

Rev. Lewis D. Morse, the new pastor of the Baptist church, has arrived from Berwick with Mrs. Morse and is moving into the parsonage.

Robert W. Stores of this town, son of the late Rev. Stores of St. John's church, was found unconscious in the room at the Royal Hotel on Wednesday morning and remained in this condition several hours, but is at present somewhat better, and hopes are now entertained for his recovery.

David Doherty of St. John, representing the firm of Baird & Peters, has been visiting his father, R. M. Doherty. He was accompanied by Mr. Langley of St. John.

The str. Druzewick, which was loaded with apples for St. John, was frozen up in the creek and was obliged to unload.

HOPEWELL HILL. HOPEWELL HILL, Jan. 18.—Miss Ethel Wells, daughter of Newton Wells of Riverside, died at her home this morning after a short illness of influenza, her death, which was quite unexpected, being a severe shock to her family. The deceased, who was about 20 years of age, was held in the highest esteem, and sincere sympathy is felt for the bereaved relatives.

Mr. Pleasant Lodge, I. O. G. T., held an open session last evening, a very pleasant time being spent. Choruses were furnished by the lodge choir, readings by Misses Flora Russell, Edna West and Fred Smith, and addresses given by H. H. Stuart, lodge deputy, Allen Robinson, Alex. Rogers and others.

The annual roll call of the Hopewell Baptist Church was held here today, a fair representation being present from several sections of the field. At the business meeting in the evening matters concerning the parsonage were satisfactorily attended to. Captain A. W. Burns and J. A. Tingey representing the Cape; J. W. Fullerton, Albert, and G. M. Russell, G. V. Peck and others, the Hill section. In the afternoon the roll-call proper was held, and in the evening a platform meeting was addressed by Rev. J. B. Gannon of Hills.

A PERFECT REMEDY. Westfield, N. B., July 30, 1893. Dr. J. B. Gannon, Hopewell, Vt. Gentlemen,—I have been using your Keen's Spavin Cure on a horse which was afflicted with spavin. I have used about two bottles, and she is not lame, and she is in the best of health. I can recommend your Spavin Cure as the best that can be used. Will you please send me a copy of "Treatise on Spavin and Its Diseases." Yours respectfully, Wm. Gress.

Dan Betham of Megville, Ont., trapped an otter the other day which measured four feet two inches long. The skin is estimated to be worth at least \$15.

WANTED—Local agents and salesmen to sell ornamental and high quality stock and sturdy work. It costs you nothing to get the list. THE EMPIRE NURSERY COMPANY, Toronto, Ont.

WANTED—RELIABLE MEN—\$50 per month and expenses \$1.50 per day to reliable men in every locality, introducing our goods, taking up show cards on trees, fences, along roads and all conspicuous places; steady employment and good wages. No experience needed; write at once for particulars. THE EMPIRE MEDICINE CO., London, Ont.

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MAUGERVILLE, SUNBURY CO. MAUGERVILLE, Jan. 17.—The funeral of the late James H. Balfour, whose death occurred at Victoria Hospital on Wednesday, took place from the residence of his brother and sister Friday afternoon and was largely attended by life-long friends of the deceased, by whom he was held in high esteem. His life was characterized by many kindly and generous acts. The funeral service was conducted at the Baptist church. Interment was made at Green Hill, Burton. Much sympathy is expressed for the deceased's infirm brother and sister, who were actively dependent upon him for direction and support. Another brother, Robert, resides in Boston. A relic also survives who resides in Springfield, Mass. Mrs. Richard Moore of this place is the only surviving child.

The funeral of Mrs. John Cosman, whose death occurred at Lower Woodstock on Thursday of pneumonia, took place from the residence of her late father, John, John McLean, Sunday afternoon. The death of Mrs. Cosman was a great loss to her family. Mrs. Cosman had contracted the cold that resulted in her death while attending her father's funeral just four weeks ago, as the weather at that time was severe. She was 65 years of age and leaves six small children and a sorrowing husband, beside mother, brothers and sisters to mourn. Rev. Mr. Wilson of Gibsonville officiated.

The first social of the W. Aid Society of St. John's church, Oranmore, was held at the residence of Henry Wilmot on Wednesday night. Eleven dollars were realized. The next social of the series will be held at Judge Gilmore's on Wednesday night.

W. M. Smith recently captured one of his cattle which has been running at large eight months. A number of cattle are still out on the commons.

CAVALRY COMMAND. A Brigadier General Coming from England to Ontario.

TORONTO, Jan. 18.—It is authoritatively reported from London that Lt. Col. W. M. Garsshore, R. L., formerly the commanding officer of the First Hussars, with headquarters at the Forest City, has accepted the offer of the command of the Western Ontario Cavalry brigade, with the rank of brigadier general. It is expected Col. Garsshore's appointment will be gazetted very shortly. This will be the first Cavalry appointment to the rank of brigadier general under the new regulations, empowering the Canadian government to make promotions to that rank in the Canadian militia, secured by Sir Frederick Borden on his recent trip to England.

THE MUSQUASH LUMBER CUT. J. P. Mosher, who is operating the rotary mill on the Knight property at Musquash, has started the mill full water and will manufacture a million or over during the winter months. In the spring two rotaries will be put in operation at the old water mill site, where it is expected seven or eight millions of logs will be cut. There are 300 men in the woods getting out lumber.

PROVINCIAL NEWS.

MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 14.—The school trustees have estimated for the current year at \$23,417, a considerable increase over last year. The salaries of female teachers were fixed at a minimum of \$225 and a maximum of \$300, the latter figure being reached in the seventh year of service. The increase is \$35 every second year.

A former I. C. R. man, W. F. Buole, brother of Walter H. Buole, the well known dry goods merchant of Truro, recently resigned his position as master mechanic with the Northern Railway shops at Missoula, Montana, to take a better position in California.

Miss Mabel Curran, teacher of the primary department of the school here, has been compelled through illness to give up her duties for a time.

Miss Frances Cassidy, who spent the Christmas vacation at home, left yesterday to resume her studies at Mt. Allison.

The New Brunswick Coal and Railway Co.'s line is kept busy now owing to extensive lumbering and the large output of coal at the mines.

WASHADEMOAK, Jan. 14.—Owing to the fact that the school here was a small attendance at the Queens Co. Baptist quarterly meeting at McDonald's Corner, special revival meetings are being conducted by the pastor, Rev. F. N. Atkinson, assisted by Rev. A. B. McDonald and Rev. M. P. King, former pastor of this church.

Last Friday J. Logue of Shannon died very suddenly while on his way to the woods for P. Hetherington at Bald Hill. He leaves a wife and family of small children.

While crossing the Canada River Freeman Black's horse broke through the ice at the mouth of the Fork Stream and was saved with great difficulty.

Miss Lizette Somerville has gone to Kingston, Me., on a visit to her brother, Dr. B. Somerville. T. T. Hetherington, fish and game warden, has been ill for the past week. Capt. Isaac Wenden, who has been to Boston and New York visiting his children, has returned home. Miss Good of Millstream takes charge of Paradise school, and Miss McCavour of Pleasant St. teaches Akroy's school the present term.

At the last meeting of Bellevue Lodge, 363, six candidates were initiated.

SALINA, Jan. 16.—Beverly R. Campbell, who has been confined to the house since Sept. 8th, is again able to be out. James M. Campbell is surveying in French Village for Mr. Hanson this winter.

On Jan. 15th Robt. Whelan, Fred McManus and Walter B. Campbell left for the woods of Kingston, N. B., where they are employed by Edw. Flewelling, under the supervision of Myles Fowler, logging. Fred McManus drives this winter for Beverly R. Campbell.



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THE FARM.

The "Breeding of Grain" in Canada—Good Work by the Federal Dept. of Agriculture.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, OTTAWA, Jan. 14.—Good work has been done along various lines by the Dominion Department of Agriculture and by some of the provincial departments of agriculture in Canada with a view to encourage the use of high class seed of the best varieties, but there is yet room for a considerable increase in the average yield of common field crops by the use of better seed.

The object of forming associations of seed growers may not be perfectly clear to all. The idea may be new in Canada, but there are associations of seed growers in other countries, such as the Illinois Seed Growers' Association, that are doing good work. The benefits derived from associations of breeders of live stock are pretty well understood. The advantages to be derived from organized efforts on the part of seed growers are not dissimilar to those which breeders of pure bred live stock obtain through their associations, and the general operations of an organization of seed growers are similar to those of live stock associations.

Associations of breeders of pure bred stock fix a standard which must be attained before animals will be recognized as pure bred. In fixing standards of excellence for pedigree animals the principles which underlie improvement are recognized. The same principles that are applied in the improvement of animals are also applied in the improvement of crops of farm crops. Heredity is the lever by which improvements are made and on which breeders of either plants or animals depend for their success.

It is not always recognized that there may be as much difference between the seed of two varieties of the same variety of grain as there is between two distinct varieties, so far as capacity of the seed to give a large yield of grain of good quality is concerned. It is therefore important to use seed of the best variety, that has had kindly treatment and continued selection for several years. In the production of good paying crops of seed the seed is small, but the influence of the seed is great. Plumpness and freedom from impurities is not sufficient proof that seed grain is capable of giving a good crop. Breeders of poultry do pay much attention to the size of eggs for incubations; they want, first of all, to get something of the size of the egg that the germ in the egg has inherited from the parents, and not only from the parents, but from the majority of the ancestors. It is equally important that seed be taken from a crop in which the individual plants have had an opportunity to attain a maximum vigor and yield per plant, and it is just as important to have definite information about the crops and how the work of selection was carried on for several preceding years, as it is to have a knowledge of the ancestors of breeding animals. In consideration of these principles which underlie improvement in common grain crops, and in view of the limited supply and growing demand for high class seed grain, an effort is being made by the department of agriculture at Ottawa to form an association that will operate for the mutual benefit of seed producers and seed consumers.

According to the provisional rules of the association, seed grain is pure, true to variety, and that had the benefit of a system of careful growing and continued selection for three consecutive years, is recognized as improved seed. The operations of members are closely inspected and records are kept of the amount and pedigree of the seed they produce. It is proposed to issue a catalogue for the distribution each year, in which names and addresses of members will be given, together with the kind and varieties of seed produced by them, the pedigree of the seed, the amount of seed for sale, and the price per bushel. It is also proposed to supply members with certificates of pedigree, and to have printed thereon the rules with which members are required to comply in the production of seed. Purchasers of pedigreed seed may obtain one of these certificates with seed bought from a member; the signature of the member would be a guarantee that the seed supplied had been produced in accordance with the rules. The purchaser would then have an opportunity to verify the pedigree of the seed by having it registered.

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Ask for the Ostrich Brand. BOILED SUSPENDERS WITH THE CABBAGE. And Then Ugly Cook Vachon Shot Waitress Tina for Telling on Him in New York.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Because she had him discharged for having spoiled a pair of suspenders with a pot of corned beef and cabbage, Alex. Vachon, a chef in the restaurant 265 3rd avenue, shot and wounded Tina Trink, a waitress in the restaurant, Friday. He shot her twice in the side. She is in a precarious condition in Bellevue Hospital, and he is under arrest, having been captured after an exciting chase.

The Trink girl, who is 19 years old and very pretty, has worked in the place for some time. On Wednesday of last week she went to the proprietor, Carl Lehrenkraus, and told him she had seen Vachon put a pair of old suspenders in the cabbage pot.

The proprietor at once discharged Tina and sent her to the police station, where she was held until the story and ascertained it was true. The rule of the owner of the restaurant is that all his help must lodge in the house with him at 219 E. 22nd street. The night waiter, who had charge of Vachon he was seen hanging about the place, and the girls in the restaurant who detected him were frightened. He was about again on Thursday night, and the girls insisted that the proprietor escort them home, which he did.

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HOW ROBINSON CRUSOE'S ISLAND LOOKS TODAY.

The Story of a Recent Visit to the Home of the Ancient Mariner, Alexander Selkirk, Defoe's Famous Hero.

VALPARAISO, CHIL, Nov. 23.—You may consult a dozen authorities and not find two that agree in the measurements of Juan Fernandez, nor hardly one which tells you the truth, viz., that here is not merely an island, but a group of them, which are collectively known as "Juan Fernandez," because discovered by a Spaniard of that name. Some books state that "the island," as if there were but one, is 50 miles long by 20 broad, and others reduce it to less than half that size. In reality there are two islands of nearly equal dimensions, and several smaller ones. The largest—that lying near the main land—is the one commonly visited—no doubt the one which De Foë's hero inhabited and is 12 miles long by six or seven wide. Though known to the world at large as "Juan Fernandez," it is here called Masatierra to distinguish it from the next island in size, which is 90 miles distant and named Masafuera.

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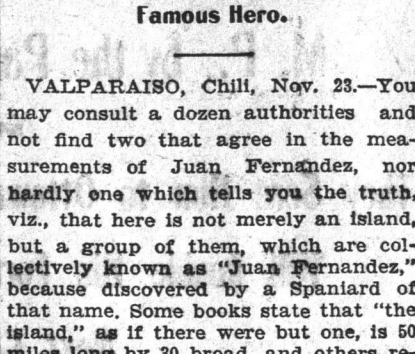
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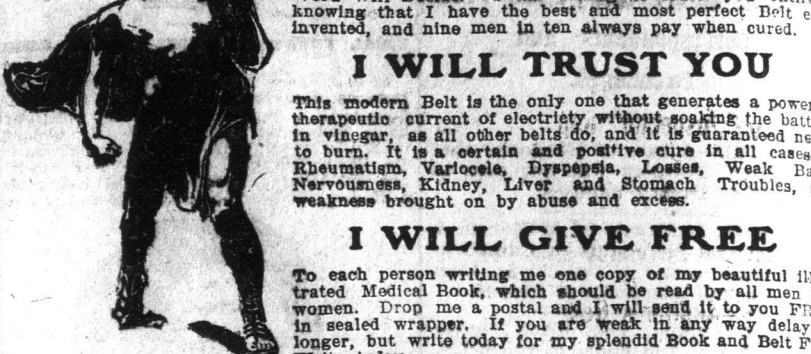
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Abner—David W. Willey, Brighton—Allen H. Willey, Kent—C. E. Gallie, Northampton—R. J. Phillips, Richmond—John J. Peel—Win. Tompkins, Wicks—W. N. Miller, Wakefield—Frank Bell, Wilmot—H. P. G. Gibeon, Wicklow—G. W. Woodstock (part), F. Woodstock (town), J. C. Hartley, and treasurer, and auditor.

Mr. Colpitts, who submitted the following report to the Council for the year A. D. 1903. The financial statement shows a surplus of \$318.40.

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GARLETON CO.

Meeting of the Municipal Council at Woodstock.

Scott Act Inspector Reports Some Effective Work During the Past Year—A Protested Election

Auditor's Report.

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BIRTH AND DEATH.

P. E. I. LETTER.

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Marriages and Deaths of Very Recent Date—Personal and Political—Local News.

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FLUTTERING OF THE HEART, SHORTNESS OF BREATH, FAINT AND DIZZY SPELLS.

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

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FREDERICTON BUSINESS COLLEGE.

W. J. Osborne, Fredericton, N. B.

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