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## Oil Heaters.

For Comfort During any Season of the year, get an

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Gives Great Heat. Easily moved from room to Economical,

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AND FLOUR CONTINUE TO RISE, You Can Live Well on a Very Little Money IF YOU BUY YOUR GROCERIES AT

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Our sale of Ladies' Fur Lined ends this

\$20 Capes \$ 15 \$25 Capes \$20

# F. S. THOMAS,

555 MAIN ST.

er, on which they mainly depended to establish their case, swore there was no hole in the road. After Mr. Stanchfield and his associates had recovered just had it concaved and put in prime

Judge Stanchfield, of Elmira, speak- Here's my hat. If I jam my hand ining of literal men, tells a story of a to the top of it without pushing it through it does not make a hole. It sociated. Several witness- the road - just a dent."-New York

from their astonishment they sought to draw the witness into some ex-strange; I can't open this can of toma-

### \* St. John, N. B., Feb. 23, 1904. Suits to Measure, \$12.

Orders are pouring in fast now. The men of St. John are now fully realizing what a great opportunity this is. Leave your order now; you can take delivery any time before May 1st. Over 50 pieces of Cloth to select from.

We have a nice range of very fine imported Blue, Black and Fanoy Worsteds for which we will take orders for the next week at Suit to Measure, \$15.00.

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The June

### Oldest Woman in Chicago Dead Four Warships and Two Transports Entire Business Section of the City Aged 129-She Was Born Before Sunk in Repulsed Attack on

Port Arthur.

was supposed to have been the oldest woman in Chicago, is dead at the Home for Aged and Infirm colored She was 129 years old. Ac-ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 24.—It is officially cording to the woman's statements, she was born in Virginia in 1775, beannounced from Port Arthur that four Japanese battleships and two Japanese transports have She lived on the plantation where she was born until freed by the proclam been sunk in a fresh attack upon Port Arthur. on of President Lincoln POLICE COURT. The attack was repulsed.

In the police court yesterday afteron Annie Sullivan, who was arrested noon Annie Sullivan, who was arrested for drunkenness and profanity, was sent to jail for fifty days.

Whitney Clark was fined four dollars for loitering on the streets, but the fine was allowed to stand against him.

This morning, Holger Peterson, a foreigner who had been wandering about the streets, was let go on condition that he leaves this evening for Montreal. Carl Shaffer was offered the same chance, but Carl, who only got out of jail on Saturday. Simply

birth antedated the revolutionary war, if her assertions are correct, and who

fined ten dollars.

ATHLETIC CONTEST.

The fifth contest in the Grade I.

Sates, 119; L. Burton, 109 12; R. Melose, 102 1-2; L. O'Neil, 102; E. Stailing,

EXPORTS.

hooks, 46 bales of rags, 13 barrels of lotash, 2 cases of tools, 300 bags of atmeal, 192 bags of clover seed, 58

MURDERED BY BOYS.

RACES IN FREDERICTON.

and as Walsh is at home on the Fred-ericton ice he feels confident of win-

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

ciation of this church.

Valuation, \$127,170.

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to have been Admiral Togo's leaving Port Arthur. loyed in the Sand Point sheds and JAPAN'S ADVANCE BEGINS. some trouble arose over the moving of freight. It was shown that Priest SHANGHAI, Feb. 24.-The Japane army corps landed at Chemulpo, Corea, cotalling about 30,000 men, has already truck Bagnell on the mouth. He was been deployed between Seoul and Ping Yang. The advance guards are even northward of the latter place. Owing to the partial thaw the roads are bad

junior athletic competition was held in the Y. M. C. A. yesterday and resulted as follows: R. Smith, 135 1-2 points; F. Barker, 124 1-4; E. Ganter, 124; J.

ALEXIEFF MAY RESIGN. NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—A cable from St. Petersburg to the World says:

It is confidently expected that Viceroy Alexieff's health will be found
soon to have suffered so severely he
will feel impelled to ask to be relieved
of his functions

rose, 102 1-2; L. O'Neil, 102; E. Stalling, 31 1-2; J. Hunter, 83 1-2; L. Simms, 33 1-2; A. Finn, 82 1-2; C. Armstrong, 76 1-2; G. Melrose, 53; C. Burton, 52; A. Ferron, 50; J. Morrison, 32; W. Munroe, 23; J. Carritte, 18.

The next contest will be the last of the series for Ganter and Barker are revelation of receverable. The czar is gravely displeased by the revelation of recent events of Russia's unpreparedness for war. He has said almost equal for first place. Three medals will be awarded in this comopenly that those whom he trusted misrepresented to bim the conditions generally obtaining in the Far East. As in the British campaign in South Africa, many influential and promin-ent women are going to the theatre of The steamer Manchester Commerce, Capt. Baxter, which sailed last Thursday for Manchester, carried a carro of Canadian exports valued at \$171,585. The home cargo was made up as follows: 800 head of cattle; 614 rolls of paper, 48,150 bushels of wheat, 28,800 bushels of oats, 923,066 feet of deals and scantling, 4,640 barrels of box was the occasion of tremendous enthu-

DISCRIMINATION AGAINST BRI-

The government is about to give per-The foreign cargo was composed of the following: 4,100 boxes of lard, 400 ases of meats, 200 head of cattle. Vamission to German officers to proceed to the scene of operations. It is announced that this permission is no given because of favoritism, but be-cause the Germans asked for it first. The French officers will be accorded Chinese laundryman, was found today in his laundry, on Second avenue, fatally wounded, a rifled money drawer, and evidences of a struggle indication.

and evidences of a struggle indicating that his wounds had been inflicted by disappointment to those who expect an early collision between the land forces robbers. He died in a short time early collision between without giving any description of his assailants, though he muttered several times that boys had shot him.

RUSSIANS STILL IN

The police are searching for two boys who are said to have been in the laundry a short time before Lee was at-River. Their scouts have, it is rumored, penetrated into the country south verts of the bridge. of Wiju, but the main force still re-The following skaters will go to mains north of the river. The Japan-fredericton by tomorrow morning's ese seem to be confident that the Rus-train to compete in the sports to be sians are unable to assemble a sufficiheld on the 25th inst.: Fred W. Logan, M. J. Walsh, Tom Kiley, T. F. Mooney, F. Dever, F. Willett and Chas. Smith, of Moncton. Walsh and Logan will skate a one mile race on Monday night. ent force to attempt a movement into Korea. The Russian strength north of the Yalu is variously estimated from twenty to forty thousand.

. PRACTICAL PATRIOTISM.

On Friday evening, 26th inst., Prof. New Brunswick, will lecture in the schoolroom of St. John's (stone) church on "Spenser's Faerie Queen." This is the third lecture of a course organized by the Young Men's Asso-

of the Nichi Nichi, pro-Russian in-trigues are being carried on there unler the active leadership of Yi Yon this despatch from Port Arthur, that The West Indian steamer Ocamo, from Demarara, arrived in port this ik, former minister of war. The cor- the Japanese have dethroned the Emrespondent avers that the intriguers meet at night at the French legation. norning. She brings a cargo of sugar, Their object is, he says, to get the emperor to remove with his court to Chyunchyon, fifty miles to the eastward of hospital there. The Bavarian is due in Halifax on

RUSSIAN SPIES ACTIVE.

Friday with 838 passengers, one of the largest lists of the season. The Lake Erie is due in St. John on Saturday A train with two hundred and fifty minion at Halifax passed through the city at an early hour this morning. advance to the southward has been The hydrant at the corner of St.

UNDER MARTIAL LAW.

lines, with all the territory appropriated by the government for the purpose of these railways have been placed un-der martial law, in order to insure the regular running of military trains. The full powers of the commander of an army in the field have been conferred on the commanders of the forces at Kazan and in the Siberian military districts, in whose charge these railways

THE A. P. DID IT.

gram Co. has given out an explanation of how the abolition of the censorship outcome of an interview which Mel-ville E. Stone, general manager of the Associated Press, had with the czar at St. Petersburg. Mr. Stone urged upon his majesty the wisdom of abolishing presented to him, the car called upon M. Von Plehwe, minister of interior, for a report on the subject. This report heaving home the subject. port having been made, the czar gave

TOLSTOI IS NEUTRAL.

response to a cable request, the North American received the following mes-sage from Count Leo Tolstol: MOSCOW, Feb. 22.—I am neither for Russia or Japan, but for the laboring people of both countries, deceived by their governments and obliged to fight against their welfare, conscience and

JAPANESE HANGED BY RUSSIANS

ON A BRIDGE, Russians in Manchuria for attempting to blow up the railroad bridge over the RUSSIANS STILL IN MANCHURIA.

TOKIO, Feb. 24.—Reliable reports from northern Korea indicate that the Russians have not yet crossed the Yalu

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Zeneliasha and Kaourat of the Sappers.

They were arrested just as they were as settler. He will not assimilate, he is hide bound by religious superstition and observance; he is at any time liable to go off on a long winter pilliable to

TORPEDO BOAT REPULSED.

TOKIO, Feb. 24.—According to the categorically the reports of a new atreport of the local banks, the national tack by the Japanese torpedo boats loan of 100,000,000 yen (\$49,800,000) has and says they have been repulsed with been covered nearly four times. The loss every time they appeared in the

The allegation is made, according to

peror of Korea and annexed the counforces in ambulances at the central A number of volunteers are coming into Port Arthur.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 23.-The keeping communication between Wiju and Anju, Korea, open, otherwise no dresses of loyalty and patriotism. In expressing his thanks His Majesty said

BIG FIRE IN ROCHESTER

Threatened, But Firemen Saved It-Loss \$150.000.

hich broke out between one and two o'clock this morning in the factory of the Phelps Piano Co., dry kiln, in Brockport, threatened for four hours to destroy the entire business section of that place and resulted in a total estimated loss of \$150,000. The local fire department were unable to control the flames which spread across the street after destroying the Phelps Piano Company's works and attacked and destroyed the Moores' Subscription Agency, a two story frame building which covered a large area. The loss to the agency is estimated at \$50,000, covered by insurance. The loss to the piano company is about \$100,000. The firemen fought bravely against great odds, the water supply giving out at certain points. The Rochester fire department was appealed to for assistance and Chief Little sent two engines and hose companies to the railway staand hose companies to the railway sta-tion at two o'clock, but owing to the inability of the railway company to supply cars upn which the heavy ap-paratus could be loaded it was imposthle to send the firemen to Brockport

LOCKOUT OF 10,000 MEN.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The Litho-raphers' Union of New York has reected by a large majority an arbitra-ion proposition by the Employers' As-ociation, which takes in the employers

similar action, which probably means a general lockout, March 26, of 10,000 union lithographers employed by the association unless there should be a strike before that time.

BAD FIRE IN ONTARIO.

(Special to the Star.)

LEAMINGTON, Ont., Feb. 24.—Fire this morning destroyed a number of stores, the Leamington Business College and the inland revenue customs offices. The damage will amount to \$25.000.

Dr. Berryman has decided that no inquest will be necessary in the death of William A. Kerrison.

THE DOUKS A FAILURE. Canada May Desire the Settlement of the West, But There are Other Ways of Doing That Than Dumping Such Sleds, Framers,

MONTREAL, Feb. 23.—James Bryce, of Winnipeg, who is on his way to England, recently visited Yorkton, Assa., and has some interesting facts to tell of the conditions of what Mr. Bryce terms "Sifton's pets," viz., the Doukhobors. Mr. Bryce is of the opinion that the Doukhobors will not for some years to come develop into the class of working settlers that Canada is so much in need of. The climatic conditions of Yorkton are not of the easiest and some time must elapse before the Doukhobors will emerge from their present condition of semi-helpssness and begin to make headway. "The main question," said Mr. Bryc "in settling up the vast west is not so much to run in a horde of people Settlers are to a large extent born a not made, if I may use the term, and the Doukhobor as he is today in the neighborhood of Yorkton does not come up to the lowest qualification f a settler. He will not assimilate, he

pilgrimage this winter?" was asked.
"I do not think so," was Mr. Bryce's PARIS, Feb. 24.—In a despatch from Harbin, Manchuria, a correspondent of the Matin says ambulances are being sent in there from all parts of Russia and that the Baltic railway has furnished a sanitary train for 200 wounded.

A despatch from Port Arthur published in Paris this morning denies categorically the reports of a new atmarks good Canadians in time, men and denced by the fact that even servants and laborers are contributing from their savings.

According to the Seoul correspondent sian East China Company at Seoul has sian East China Company at Seoul has taken refuge in the legation at Chemulpo and in the offices of the Russian East China Company at Seoul has second to none among the nations. The Doukhobors will never aid in this work of nation building. They are an alien race with customs sian East China Company, which is guarded by sailors.

sian East China Company, which is far removed from those of other European sects. The Gallician and Menor." nite are far ahead of the Doukhobor.

The empress of Korea is an American wo onary. At the age of 15 she went to Kore sionary. At the age of 15 she went to Kore with her father. She joined the emperor' household at his command, but only after having obtained the ruler's promise of marriage at the earliest possible date. She had to wait the culmination of tragic events before obtaining the position she desired, but with the death of the emperor's chief wife,

made. Russian spies, however, are reported to be in the vicinity of Ping Yang.

ERANCO-BRITISH RELATIONS

expressing his thanks His Majesty said that in these painful times he found consolation in such expressions of patriotism coming from all the provinces.

THE WEATHER.

Highest temperature, 36; lowest temperature, 20; temperature at noon, 22; barometer at noon, 29.68 inches; wind N. E.; velocity, 12 miles per hour.

Thursday, moderate northwesterly gales, fair and considerably colder. Synopsis-A disturbance, which from present indications may become important, is developing near the middle Atlantic coast. Weather continues extremely cold in the North West Territories, and is fairly cold against in Ontario and Quebec. To the Banks, moderate westerly gales Thursday. To American ports, moderate north westerly gales tonight and Thursday.

10 p. c. to 30 p. c. REDUCTION

Our annual January Sale of Furs begins on MONDAY,

Jan. 18th. This is a splendid oppor tunity for bargains.

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roughout the United States and Can-

Shaped and Square, Light and Dark. (Bring Pattern.) Chair Seating—Cane ,Splint and Perforated; L. S. Cane only. Umbrellas made, Recovered and Re-Hardware, Paints, Oils, Glass and

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MONTREAL, Feb. 23.—James Bryce, Skates, Etc. Also, a nice line of Cutlery. J. W. ADDISON,

44 Cermain St. DON'T FORGET TO CALL ON US

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Yorkshire Bar. EUROPE AN PLAN. J. RHEA, 20 Mill St

CHAS. A. CLARK,

HEALTHFUL.

chief. Canada wants settlers who will make good Canadians in time, men and Promise Me," replied the youth.



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I will sell a Large Consignment of Millin-ery and Dry Goods. Come for bargains.

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Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Saturday Matinee, February 25, 26 and 27, the beautiful comedy drama, FERNCLIFF.

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First Cabin, \$50 and upwards. Round trip
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Second Cabin, to Liverpool, \$37.50; to Lonson, \$40.90. Round trip, \$71.25; London,
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Jiasgow, Beifast, Londonderry and Queenstown, \$25.00.

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C. B. FOSTER,
D. P. A., C. P. R., St. John.

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ivery TUESDAY and SATURDAY from No change of cars Montreal to Vancouver, traversing the Great Canadian Northwest. The finest Mountain Scenery on the

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World's Fair, St. Louis, opens May 1st D. P. A., C. P. R., St. John, N. B.

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For cooking stoves or round stoves. Dnly \$5.00 per ton delivered. GIBBON & CO., Emythe Street (near North Wharf), 6 1-2 Charlotte St. and Marsh St.

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E. RILEY, - 254 City Road

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South Market Wharf, St. John, N.B.

| ROBINSON'S, 173 Union St. **Good Bread and Cake Sales** steadily increase!

BECAUSE St. John has a discriminating public. SOLD BY GOOD CROCERS

The Stomach

At druggists and at the warehouse, Water street, or from G. F. Simonson.

After a painful illness, lasting for hearly a year, Richard H, Hetherington died at his home at Johnston, Queens Co., last Tuesday morning in the seventy-second years of his age. The deceased is survived by his wife; three brothers, Thomas, Joseph and Isaac, all residing in Johnston, and two sisters, Mrs. Sarah Small, of Highest and Mrs. C. Chamberlain, of Col-

College, Halifax, was taken ill, and the Moncton Transcript.

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vitable pitched in and fought with- We turned to part.

N. B., AND BRISTOL (AVON- stealthy encroachment or open and unblushing violence."

while negotiations were going on and Russia was professing the most sincere desire for peace, the Russian foreign minister made the following report to the czar: "Our policy must be to maintain a reserved and prudent attitude until the moment arrives for Russia to vindicate her rights and for the rapid action which she will be to the rapid action which she will be the reserved and prudent attitude until the moment arrives for the rapid action which she will be the rapid action which she will be the region of the apparatus necessary to a super the fire, as upon him or them alone, in our judgment, rested the cast upon him or them alone, in our judgment, rested the direct duty of protecting the lives of those in the theatre. Our intepretation of the ordinances made this a plain duty of those connected with the management of the theatre, and the evidence disclosed that full authority to procure the necessary apparatus was vested in Will J. Davis, Manager Thos.

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According to the marine register the country than with people which are

sition in Guysboro, N. S., where

tend to decrease the hatred of Japan for the Slav nation. There will be few of the courtesies of war during this GILMOUR .- On February 23rd, at Ottawa,

talented and musical young St. John Star," courteously remarks while attending the Ladies'

was obliged to return home, where she was a great sufferer until she passed away on Friday.

Miss Margaret Tully, a much esteemed young lady, daughter of John Fully, of Kentville, died at her home it has held, without dispute, these many years.

This is a remarkably gracious condensation on the Transcript's part, implying, as it does, that journal's voluntary resignation from a position which it has held, without dispute, these the residence of Walter M. Fleming, 78 December 2 state this attractions. many years.

The Chicago grand jury's verdict hat the blame for the Iroquois fire rests on the theatre owners and the neglect of city officials, was the verdict of everybody else before the jury was ever called together.

THE FRIENDS. Do you recall the April day we went From forth the little town Into the country breathing its content From wood and stream and down? We found that day Beneath the budding honeysuckle's

spray
The wren's dom'd nest; We saw the rooks winging their toilsome way From forth the ruddy west;

And spied beside the rill With drooping head the virgin daffo-Then, much against our will my heart

Authorities on international law have Of that thrice happy day, yet found no fault with Japan's mode Yet is my soul with throbbing joy Because so well I know And glad indeed I am it should be

But yet a sickening fear passed, until they saw that they spent in parleying was hurt suppose that in the future I shou hurt Thee who art now so dear? All serve their end;

> Does a good work for God; Yet what of me if I neglect my friend -F. J. Coventry Patmore. CHICAGO THEATRE FIRE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—The special grand jury which investigated the fire at the Iroquois theatre, made its report today to Judge Chytrus. The report says:
"In fixing the liability our first inquiry was necessarily to ascertain up-en whom rested the responsibility of

Russia to vindicate her rights and for the rapid action which she will be obliged to adopt. The war ought to take Europe by surprise, so that the other powers should find it impossible to be prepared for the blow we are about to strike." These are exactly the same tactics Russia was playing with regard to Korea.

And there is nothing in political history worse traceherous than the action of duty).

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acherous than the action one of the causes of the Russia's forcing of Japon Manchuria and Port on Manchuria and Port on had been fairly won in pying and holding that country in spite of solemn pledges to the contrary.

At the time of the Crimean war, Lord Lyndhurst, former lord chan-

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S LINIMENT to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

THOMAS GILMOUR DEAD. OTTAWA, Feb. 23.—Thomas Gilmour, clerk in the finance department, died suddenly this morning. The body will be conveyed to St. John for inter-

Ms. Gilmour came to St. John nearly would be unwilling to guarantee might enfor a secure and lastto rely on a mere paper

M. Gimbur came to St. John hearly
seventy years ago. He was at one
time in partnership with his brother
Andrew, in the tailoring business, and
in 1881 was appointed by Sir Leonard
Tilley to a position in Ottawa, later entering the savings bank department, where he has since been.

Mr. Gilmour was twice married, his first wife being a daughter of John Humbert, and the second wife Mrs. John McCausland, of Fredericton. He lcaves no family. Arthur B. and Robt.

INTERESTING LECTURE. O. B. Stockford, formerly of St. John and now living in Alberta, lectured in the Orange hall, last night on Educa-tion in the Northwest Territory. Mr. Stockford in his opening remarks re-viewed the different statutes dealing with education. He showed that the territorial legislature is limited in its powers, while residents have authorty to establish any schools they wish. Mr. Stockford thinks it would be advisable to do away with denominational schools as these hinder the Anglicizing of foreign settlers. This question will short-ly prove a live issue which must be

PAARDEBERG DINNER. A meeting of the members of G Co., R. C. R., was held in Capt. F. C. Jones' office last evening. Capt. Jones

And ever since that he has wondered will entertain the former members of the company at a dinner in the Alex-andra Cafe on Saturday evening, the anniversary of Paardeberg. An effort all those belonging to the company

WORDEN.—In this city on Feb. 22nd, to the wife of George H. Worden. a son.
WYMAN,—At Philadelphia, Pa., on Feb. 23, 1904, to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wyman, a

HUMPHREY .- At Medicine Hat, Feb. 18th, Funeral Thursday, Feb. 25th, at three o'clock from the residence of F. M. Humphre

journalism in New Brunswick is the VINCENT .- On Feb. 23rd, Thos. A. Vincent, Funeral on Thursday, at 2.30 p. m., from 41 Harrison street

Heart Palpitated. FAINT AND DIZZY SPELLS.

FELT WEAK AND NERVOUS COULD SCARCELY EAT.

TWO BOXES OF MILBURN'S **HEART** and NERVE

> PILLS Gered Mrs. Edmond Brown, Inwood, Ont., when she had almost given up hope of ever getting well again.

She writes: "I was so run down that I was not able to do my work, was short of breath, had a sour stomach every night and could scarcely eat. My heart palpitated, I had faint and dizzy spells and felt weak and nervous all the time. My husband got me a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills but I told him it was no use, that I had given up hope of ever being cured. He however persuaded me to take them and before I had used hall the box I began to feel better. Two boxes made a new woman of me and I have beer well and have been able to do my worksver since."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are go cts. box, or 3 for \$1.25, all dealers or THE T. MILBURN CO., Lim ited. TORONTO. ONT.

LOCAL NEWS.

WILL FIGHT GUYSBORO.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 23.-Captain Arthur, which had been fairly won in department of buildings or the fire of Goldboro, Guysboro, well known all over that county, will, on behalf of or the department of buildings and helding that a violation of the difference before over that county, will, on behalf of the conservatives, oppose J. H. Sin-clair, the liberal candidate, for the house of commons in the by-election to take place March 16th, to fill the vacancy caused by the appointment of D. C. Fraser to the supreme court bench. Mr. Sinclair is a barrister of New Glasgow, and a member of the house of assembly.

RATIFIED CANAL TREATY. WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 .- The Unitinterest in the matter being only in the division of the vote of the democratic side which was not known definitely until the roll was called, all the CAPTAIN'S BODY, FOUND.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The body of the captain of the schr. Benjamin C. Cromwell, which was wrecked off Bellport, L. I., on Monday last, was washed ashore today and found by the Smith's captain's name was McClean, but the Smith's Point station life savers say the body was identified as that of Captain Colley.

HOCKEY. St. Stephen Beats Sackville.
At St. Stephen last evening the St.
Stephen team defeated Sackville in a score of 5 to 4. The game was a good, clean one and quite fast, but without any off-side play or heavy checking.

enses that succeeds the great quespoverty come we will face it togeth-

"Ah, dearest," he replied, "the mere And ever since that he has wondered



BEAVER FLOUR

has no equal. It is the only flour blended especially for household use and this blending Manitoba Spring Wheat enables the housewife to get the best results. Fail Wheat gives flavor spring Wheat gives strength.

than the next best. Your grocer should have it for you.

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, KING ST GERMAIN ST AND MARKET SQ. CIMITED

Silk Waists! Japanese

A New Supply of These Popular Garments Now Here.

The Stylish Walking Skirts-February Sales-New Curtains-"Rubdry" Towels.

Japanese

Silk Waists!

Prices: \$2.75 and \$3.50 each.

Until Satur-

day Night!

MEN'S UMBRELLAS, 75c., 85c., \$1.1 SELF-OPENING UMBRELLAS. \$1.00. SELF-CLOSING UMBRELLAS, 75c.

All the Way From Egypt.

54. RUBDRY FACE CLOTHS 10 x 10, 9c. each. Linen Room

Prices: 36c., 52c., 68c., 97c.

Last Week for These Chances!

years), \$3.50. BOYS' RAINCOATS, \$4.50, \$5.50, \$6.30.

MEN'S RAINCOATS, \$8.50, \$11.20, \$10.85. SOYS' REGATTA SHIRTS, 55c. and 65c. BOYS SHAKER SHIRTS, 45c., 55c. POYS' SHAKER NIGHTSHIRTS, 55c., 65c. BOYS' BRACES, 8c., 12c., 14c. pair. BOYS' NECKTIES, 15c. and 25c.

Walking Skirt Weather!

Black Cloth and Light Grey Homespun

Prices: \$1.80 to \$5.25 each.

A Large Stock of Curtains!

or Scrim Curtains; Bobbinet Curtains, Frilled Muslins, Savoy Curtains, Bonne Femme Curtains, Panel Curtains, etc., etc. Curtain materials in large variety are also in stock, among which are Lace Edge Scrim, Frilled Nets and Muslins. Irish Point and Tamboured Sash Nets, Sash Muslins, Scrims, etc.

Curtain and Art Dept., 2nd Floor

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON,
KING ST GERMAIN ST AND MARKET, SQ. LIMITED

The Attractions of Our Stores Are Their Low Prices.

# KENNEDY,

32-36 King Square, St. John, N. B. Sensational Value in Dry Goods

THIS IS A RARE CHANCE TO BUY THE BEST DRY GOODS DURING THIS SALE AT VERY LOW PRICES, FOR CASH ONLY.
HAMBURG SALE—If you wish anything in the way of Laces, Hamburgs
and Insertions, just take the time and visit our store. It is money saved
and time well spent. 2c., 3c., 5c., 7c., 10c., 15c. yard.
SHAKER BLANKETS—Twenty-five pairs of Grey or White Shaker SHAKER BLANKETS—Twenty-five pairs of Grey or White Shaker Blankets, the very largest size. Sale price only \$1.10 pair.

MEN'S TOP SHIRTS—A large lot of Men's Heavy Top Shirts, just the kind for outdoor work, warm and good, at 49c., 70c., 85c. each. Great values in Men's Shirts and Drawers.

Reduction.

MONEY TO LOAN. In large and small sums on mortgage. Apply to CHAS. A. MACDONALD, Barrister, Walker Building.

Advertisements under this head: Half a sent a word. No less charge than 10c.. WANTED.—Smart boys and girls can make money after school selling the Nationa fonthly of Canada. Apply at once to 101 Prince Wm. street.

WANTED.—A good general girl. Apply to MRS. C. H. FAIRWEATHER, 248 King street WANTED.-Kitchen Girl at CLARK'S HOTEL, 35 King Square. WANTED—From May 1 next, bright upper flat, in central locality, for family of three adults. Address A. S. G., care of Star office. WANTED.—At once, a Lady to make Good Bread at home for the WOMAN'S EX-CHANGE, 154 Charlotte street.

Advertisements under this head; Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c.. LOST.—A Fur Tie between Harrison street, N. E., via Main, Mill, Dock to Market Square. Return to this office. LOST-On Douglas avenue, a ladies' pearl brooch. Finder please return to STAR OF-

LOST.—On Charlotte, Union, Waterloo, Marsh Road, Brussels, Duke or Germain streets, a pocket book containing a small sum of money and a key. The loser is a crippled boy who was saving his money to buy a mechanical foot. The finder will please return it to Sun Printing Co.'s Office. LOST.—Lady's opened faced Silver Watch between M., R. & A's, Germain street, through the market by the way of the north side of King Square to Elliott Row. Please return to MANCHESTER. ROBERTSON, ALLISON'S Wholesale Millionery Dept.

The best Grey Sheeting, two yards wide, 17c.

To be satisfactory must have good rolls. Ours have the best. Plain or ball bearing. All prices.

Wringers

PHILIP GRANNAN,

558 MAIN ST.

By Canadian Pacific.

By Intercolonial. 

STEAMBOAT SERVICE. By Dominion Atlantic. S. S. Yarmouth leaves St. John every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 7.45 o'clock; arriving from Digby at 5 p. m. By Eastern S. S. Co. Steamer leaves St. John at 8.00 a. m. on Thursdays for Lubec, Eastport, Portland and Boston.

didn't you wake me as I asked you? Conductor - "I did try, but all I could get out of you was, 'All right, Maria. Get the children their breakfast, and I'll be down in a minute."

ST. JOHN STAR, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1904.

## Our February Sale

Forestalls the necessity of your taking chances in buying cheap and unreliable Clothing---no matter how little money you expected to pay. It's clothing insurance and splendid bargains combined --- a combination peculiar to our Clothing sales which have been tested again and again by the St. John public and never yet found wanting.

Suits, \$5, \$7.50 and \$10.00—Tweed and

Suits, \$10 and \$12-Blue and Black. Suits, 34 breast and stouts—half price. Former prices, \$10.00 to \$18.50.

Trousers, \$3.50 to \$5-now \$3.00. Overcoats. less 20 per cent.

Only a few more days.

A. GILMOUR, Men's Tailoring 68 KING STREET.

## Good Butter and Pure Lard.

Best Creamery Butter, 25c. per pound. Roll Butter, fresh made, 22c. per pound. Good Tub Butter, by the single pound 20c.; 18c. by the Tub.

Strictly pure Lard, in 3lb. tin pails, 33c. pr pail " in 5lb. " " 50c. pr pail in 20lb. wood pails, \$1.90 "

Orders by telephone promptly attended to, Goods delivered to any part of the City.

## ROBERTSON & CO

562 and 564 Main Street, St. John, N. B.

ADVERTISE IN THE STAR.

Rink yesterday morning between the victory for the latter, with a score o 16 to 8. The rinks were as follows

Ladies. Gentlemen. H. Stetson, J. Gillespie, Miss L. Robertson, A. Golding. Miss T. MacLaren, Rev. Dr. Fraser,

HOCKEY.

Amherst Won Championship. HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 23 .- By the was witnessed by 3,000 people, the Amherst team won the championship of Nova Scotia in a league consisting of six clubs. Had the Wanderers of Halifax won tonight it would have been a tie. The teams were so evenly matched in tonight's game that both A draw as well as a win would have given the championship to Amherst, therefore the Wanderers insisted on the observance of the rule which callor other side scored. Five minutes after the resumption of play Curren

M. P. A. A. Championships. A fair sized crowd gathered at the teur championship races of the mari-time provinces, which were held under

1st heat, Fred Logan, 1st; Charles mith, 2nd; time, 1.45. Boys' race, half mile:
2nd heat, P. O. King, 1st; time, 2.14.
Half mile for championship of mariHalf mile for championship of mariFrom ten to twenty minutes.

and; time, 1.343-5.

Hockey race, half mile:

2nd heat, Gordon Brown, 1st; time Fen Parker, 1st; Fred Logan, 2nd; Hockey race, third heat, Frank O'Neil was the only contestant; time, 2.11 1-5.
Boys' race, half mile:
3rd heat, Allan Shaw, 1st; Carl Pet-

ers, 2nd; time, 2.04 1-5.
Boys' race, half mile, final: Carl Peters, 1st; P. O. King, 2nd; time, 2.04 1-5. Hockey race, half mile, final: Gordon Brown, 1st; W. Dunlop, 2nd;

ime, 1.50 8-5.

Relay race, two miles:
St. Joseph's Society did not enter.
Junior Templars of Honor and Temperance, 1st; St. Peter's Association, 2nd;
time, 3.20 2-5.
Three miles

Clerks of course-P. B. Holman, F. shot the goal which gave the game to Amherst and captured for his club the Official announcer-J. Royden Thor

> Scorers-F. R. Campbell, A. E. Everett, A. S. Peters.
> Assistants-Dr. J. Lee Day, H. D. Forbes, V. D'Olloqui, R. Sipprell, J. H. Kimball, C. D. Robinson.

Sports at the Victoria Rink. time provinces, which were held under the management of the Neptune Rowing Club. All the events were of a high order and were exciting from start to finish, especially the half-mile, mile and three-mile races.

The relay race between representatives of the Father Mathew Association, the Junior Tempiars of Honor and Temperance, and the St. Peters Association, was also very interesting. The management have reason to be proud of the manner in which the sports were conducted and certainly deserved a much larger attendance than they had. The events were as follows:

Quarter mile amateur for championship of maritime provinces:

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a much larger attendance than they had. The events were as follows:

Quarter mile amateur for championship of maritime provinces:

1st heat, M. Walsh, St. John, 1st;
Chas. Smith, Moncton, 2nd; time, 49 3-5 sec.

2nd heat, Fen Parker, St. John, 1st;
Fred Logan, St. John, 2nd; time, 46 sec.

Donivan, John Lee.

In the boys' race there were at least twenty-five starters.

The officials were Arthur Dawson, referee; Fred S. Trites, R. J. Wilkins, judges; clerks, Evan Cameron, John S. Coughlan; starter, Walter Millican; announcer, A. McLean.

Winners:

Ist heat, Ed. Mooney, 1st; George Blizard, 2nd; time, 1.46.

Quarter-mile amateur championship, final:
Fen Parker, 1st; Fred Logan, 2nd; time, 40 4-5 sec.
Boys' race, half-mile:
Ist heat, Gordon Tufts, 1st; Charles Johnston, 2nd; time, 2.13 3-5.
Half mile amateur championship of maritime provinces:
Ist heat, Fred Logan 1-4.

A. G. Doughty Malter Millican; Winners:
Small boys' race, half mile, L. Coleman, 1st; F. Curren, 2nd. Boys' race, half mile, 1st, Walter Logan, 2nd, 1st, Jas. Price; 2nd, H. Willis, 2nd. One mile handicap, 1st, Jas. Price; Jas. Semple, 2nd.

A. G. Doughty The Millican; Winners:

Small boys' race, half mile, L. Coleman, 1st; F. Curren, 2nd. Boys' race, half mile, 1st, Walter Logan, 2nd, 1st, Jas. Price, 2nd, H. Willis, 2nd. One mile handicap, 1st, Jas. Price; Jas. Semple, 2nd.

A. G. Doughty mile Millican; Winners:

Small boys' race, half mile, L. Coleman, 1st; F. Curren, 2nd. Boys' race, half mile, 1st, Walter Logan, 2nd, 440 yard, 1st, Jas. Price; 2nd, H. Willis, 2nd. One mile handicap, 1st, Jas. Price; Jas. Semple, 2nd.

A. G. Doughty mile Millican; Winners:

position oecause the salary was not increased from \$1,900 to \$2,500. The job 2nd heat, Fen Parker, 1st; M. Walsh, is still vacant and Hon. Mr. Fisher is looking for a likely man.



Dr. WOOD'S

St. Joseph's Society did not enter.
Junior Templars of Honor and Temperance, 1st; St. Peter's Association, 2nd; time, 3.20 2-5.
Three mile championship of maritime provinces:
Fen Parker, 1st; Fred Logan, 2nd; time, 11.8 3-5.
The officials of the sports were:
Referee — R. T. MacIlreith, Halifax; president M. P. A. A. A.
Judges—J. H. Corcoran, Moncton; F. E. Hanington, F. B. Ellis, H. R. Mc-Lellan, H. Vroom.
Starter—Frank White.
Timers—J. M. Barnes, H. Page, Chas.
Coster.

Coster.

Cures COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, HOARSENESS and all THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES. Miss Florence E. Mailman, New Germany, N.S., writes:—I had a cold which left me with a very bad cough. I was afraid I was going into consumption. I was advised to try in the consumption of th

Discussing the Monk incident, Mr. Tarte in La Patrie today has this to say: "I never have been in the way of Mr. Monk and have no ambition for his place. The whole thing is amusing. If I have differences with a group of his friends I have none with Mr.

TORONTO, Feb. 23.-A letter received here from Hon. Joseph Chamberlain's private secretary says Mr. Chamberlain "will have no opportunity of visiting Canada this year, as his immediate work lies in this country."

Chronic Constipation surely cured or money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS never fail. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price, 35 cents. At drug-

The Trades and Labor Council hold smoking concert in Berryman's hall n Thursday night. A strong programme has been prepared.



### Advertisements. Classified

Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c.

HOUSES TO LET. TO LET—The house and premises, No. 57 Dorchester street, from May 1st. Can be seen Wednesday and Friday afternoons, from 4 to 5 o'clock. Modern improvements. Hot and cold water. Self-contained. Hot-air furnace. JAMES PRINCE, 57 Dorchester street. TO LET.—May 1st, self-contained house, 8 Charles street, occupied by present tenant seven years. Can be seen Friday from 3 to 6. Also house No. 6 Charles street, one door from Garden street. Can be seen Wednesday and Friday afternoons. For terms, &c., &c., apply MRS. GILLIS, 109 Union street,

FLATS TO LET.

TO LET-The upper flat of house No. 45 Garden street, containing eight rooms, hot and cold water and electric light. Occupied at present by E. F. Carpenter, Esq. Can be seen Tuesdays and Fridays from 2 to 5 o'clock. Apply to J. E. ROSSITER, 41 Gilbert's Lane. TO RENT-Flat, No. 155 Union street, containing eleven rooms, from May 1st next. Apply to J. A. COSTER, care of Macaulay Bros. & Co., King street.

FLAT TO LET-Second flat in brick house, West End, containg double parlors, four bed rooms, bath room, kitchen, wood house, clo-sets, etc. Apply at 201 King street, W. E. MONTREAL, Feb. 23.—R. L. Bor-flats on Bridge street, North End, at low rents. Enquire of J. E. PORTER, 75 Main street.

TO LET.—Lower Flat of house 149 Winslow street, West End. Can be seen Wednesdays from 2 till 5 p. m. Apply to MRS. J. B. WILMOT. TO LET-From 1st May next, on St. James street, one flat with four rooms and barn. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday. Apply to W. HUMPHREYS, 118 St. James street.

TO LET.—A cuttage containing eight rooms. Enquire of M. J. WILKINS, 391 Hay-market Square.

STORES TO LET. TO LET-Shop and Flat, 108 Brussels street. THOMAS DEAN, City Market.

ROOMS TO LET-Bright well furnish rooms, with board. Hot water heatin MRS. LOUIS NELSON, 40 Leinster street. TO LET.—From 1st May—seven rooms.
Modern improvements, No. 287 Charlotte
street, opposite Queen Square. Wednesday
and Friday. Also from 1st May, pleasant
flat, No. 22 Haymarket Square. Now occupled by W. A. Eddleston. Apply to E. T. C.
KNOWLES, 5 Palmer's Building, 62 Princess

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET at 117 Elliot Row. Apply on premises. TO LET.—Offices ad flats in building on corner of Union and Smythe streets. Electric Elevator in connection; also basement warehouse on Union street. W. M. JARVIS, 118 Prince William street.

TO LET—A tenement opposite Queex Square, with seven rooms. Modern improve-ments. Can be seen Tuesdays and Fridays. Enquire at 164 Sydney street. TO LET—May ist premises situated on St. David's street, now occupied by the St. John Ice Co. Ltd. For particulars apply to W. S. Vaughan. 108 Pitt street.

FOR SALE—Freehold lot, 40 x 80, with building thereon, containing large store and warehouses and two dwellings, Nos. 151 and 155 Union street. Apply to J. A. COSTER, care of Macaulay Bros. & Co., King street.

FOR SALE—One good Gladstone Sleigh, only used three or four times, for sale cheap; Also house and barn on Westmorland Road, Enquire of J. E. PORTER, 75 Main street, North End.

FOR SALE.—An arc lamp, complete, near-ly new. Apply to Sun Printing Co.

HELP WANTED-FEMALE. Advertisements under this head: Haif a sent a word. No less charge than 10c... MORRIS, 568 Main street.

WANTED-A girl to assist in general housework. MRS. E. N. DAVIS, 172 King WANTED—A girl or woman to work by the week or month. Can sleep home if re-quired, as all work will be finished by als o'clock in the evening. Apply at 25 Douglas WANTED-A small girl to do light houses work. Apply at 74 Duke street.

WANTED AT ONCE—A capable well in-formed person to assist in general bousework for a small family at 148 Germain street, city. References required. HELP WANTED, MALE. Advertisements under this head: Half seent a word. No less charge than 10c.

WANTED—A man with some experience at furniture work to run woodworking machiners. Apply to C. J. ELDERKIN, City Road. MISCELLANEOUS.

### New Feather Boas, White, Black, Grey, \$5, \$6.50, \$10, \$15.

### & SUTHERLAND. MORRELL

A GREAT ANNIVERSARY SALE.

New Taffeta Silk Drop-Skirts, \$5.75, \$7.50 and \$9. 

# Silk Special, 49c, yd.

1,000 yards Handsome New Peau-de-Soie Silk, 21 inches wide. The same make that we have been handling for the past three years. So noted for its excellent wearing qualities. Even weave and bright finish. It is here in White, Cream, Pink, Sky, two shades of Cardinal, two shades of Grey, Brown, Green, Cadet Blue, two shades of Navy and Black. **Special price 49c.** 

Walking Skirts. Big Bargains.

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Blue Cheviot Walking Skirts. Made up in good style. Seven gore with right flare. Worth \$3.00. Our special

Ladies' Dark Grey Frieze Walking Skirts, made up in very natty style, trimmed with many rows of perpendi-cular cording; small buttons and straps. Worth \$4.50. Our special sale

\$1.98

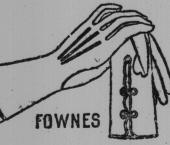
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Fownes and Perrins \$1.00 and \$1.25 Kid Gloves For 79c.

Perrins \$1.25 Suede or Undressed Kid Gloves, two dome fasteners, in shades of Tan, Modes and Grey. Sizes: 5 3-4

"Fownes" Fine Dressed Kid Gloves, in good colors, Tans, Browns and Greys.

All sizes Never sold less than \$1.00. Our anniversary sale price .....



79 cents. 79 cents.

# TOMORROW.

To celebrate the event we are going to give the patrons of this Store some good money-saving opportunities for THREE DAYS.

## Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The year that closes tonight has been the most successful in our career. It has been a year of notable achievement and tremendous growth. The growth is but the natural result of the business methods we adopted at the start. These we have never relaxed-FAIR DEALING, LOW PRICES AND SMALL PROFITS—and with all these methods and greater efforts we hope to attain larger achievements during 1904-our sixth year. This special three days anniversary sale will make a good beginning.

Sale of Embroideries | Sale of Ribbons.

1,000 yards Fine Hamburg Embroderies and Insertions, in a variety of widths and patterns. Worth 11c. and 12c. a yard.
Our special anniversary sale

bon, three inches wide, in nearly every new shade. Worth 25c. yard. Our anniversary sale

Heavy Plain Bleached Sheeting, 1 3-4, 2 or 2 1-2 yards wide. 25

Worth 30c. Sale price ..... Cts.

Prints.

Prints, 32 inches wide, in a variety of new patterns in light and medium colors. Worth up to 15c. yard. Sale price ......

Sheeting.

Dress Lining. lowels. Large size Pure Linen Huck Towels, with white blue or pink border. Worth 40c. Sale price Grey Dress Lining, full double width; suitable for lining skirts or waists. Worth 12c. yd. Sale C. Per pair. Cts.

Morrell & Sutherland.

27, 29 Charlotte St., Opp. Y. M. C. A.

## **Dress Goods.**

Rich New Voile Dress Goods, 44 in. wide, nice open weave, in cream, three shades of grey, three shades of fawn, two shades of navy, brown and black, 85c. quality. Our special anniversary

69 cents.

Colored Cashmeres,

shades, such as white, cream, pink, sky, two shades of grey, fawn, green and black. Cheap at 55c. Our special

39 cents.

A Lace Curtain Offering At 98 cents.

tingham Lace Curtains, in a dozen —1904—newest designs, 50 in. to 58 in. wide, 3 1-2 yards long. This low price

98 cents.

Pettitcoatsor DropSkirts

Special Bargains.



made up in two pleasing new designs; one with deep plaited flounce, trimmed with two small frills and fine stitching. The other made with deep flounce trimmed with three small ruffles and pin tucks. These skirts would sell in the regular way at \$1.50. Special sale price 98c.—less 10 per cent.

89 cents.

BLACK SATEEN UNDERSKIRTS, flounce, accordian plaited. Our special anniversary sale price \$1.25, less 10 per \$1.13

ST. JOHN STAR, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1904.

# DYKEMAN'S

## During the Month Of February

THIS STORE HAS BEEN MADE SO ATTRACTIVE BY THE MANY SPECIAL SALES, THAT WE HAVE HAD LARGER RECEIPTS than in the corresponding month of any year since we have been in business. We make it pay you to do your shopping during what is called the dull month. There are special sales going on in nearly every department in the store. We will mention just one or two in this advertisement.

## Hamburg Embroideries.

500 yards of wide Hamburgs, 4, 5 and 6 inches wide, which are worth from 13c. to 20c. a yard, are being sold at 10c. Another lot of about 400 yards is priced 12 1-2c. They are 6, 7 and 8 inches wide, embroidered on fine lawn with good open work patterns, suitable for skirt flouncings and trimming children's dresses. 700 yards at 8c., 3, 4 and 5 inches wide. Very pretty patterns worked on fine lawn, the embroidery being an especially good washing design. There are 17 different patterns in this lot.

### New Suitings at \$1,00 a yd

\$1.10. They are new and strikingly stylish. Some with snowflake spot on canvas weave, others with neat invisible and visible stripes in the canvas

### Our New Prints Are Being Shown.

They are at the old prices, notwithstanding that the advance is fully 30 per cent. over the present prices that we are asking for these goods.

# F. A. DYKEMAN & CO

## Bargains at Arnold's! LOCAL NEWS.

86 Shirt Buttons, 1c.; 24 Hooks and Eyes, 1c. Paper Needles, 1c.; 12 Sheets Note Paper, 1c. 200 Pins, 1c.; 10 Envelopes, 1c. 200 Hair Pins, 1c.; 10 Slate Pencils, 1c. 20 Hair Pins, 1c.; 2 Lead Pencils, 1c. 20 Hat Pins, 1c.; Note Book, 1c. 7 Yard Hat Blastic, 1c.; Scribbler, 1c. Also New Leac Curtains, 25c. pair up. New Vellings, 6c. yard to 28c. New White Wear, Hamburgs, Laces, in great yarlety.

Arnold's Department Store, 11 and 15 Charlotte St.

GOOD

# Hard Wood

READY FOR STOVE AT LOWEST PRICES.

J. S. FROST, smythe St

Scientific. There's nothing haphazard about PARK'S PERFECT EMULSION

The highest attainments of modern science are the

led to its invention.



## Healthy Children

Absolutely require wholesome bread like Hieatt's Hygienic—no matter what else they may eat. We look out for the little ones with even more solici-

Hygienic Bakery,

### **Tourist Association.** \$15.00 \$15.00.

Both to the 30th of June next.

A prize of \$5.00 will be paid for the second best design.

Replies must be sent to a member cent retired from active business about sixteen years ago. His wife, who was miss Ellsworth, of Digby county, died about nine years ago.

ALFRED MARKHAM.

HAMM'S LIVERY , STABLE supplementary buying and will be home on Saturday. Miss Craig, superintendent of the mantle department, Stables, best care and attention.

DRIVING OUTFITS and COACHES are and EVACUATE and Stables, best care and outfile and Coaches are also in New York studying the styles.

The Carleton W. C. T. U. will meet this evening at Mrs. Retallick's. Good ice and good skating at the North End Rink.

Miss M. Chapman left by C. P. R. last evening for her home in Montreal

Celebrated Broad Cove coal, \$7.00 per chaldron delivered, at Watters', Walker's wharf. Tel. 612.

ton Open Air Rink tonight, \$20 in

A message from Welsford yesterday announced that Mrs. George Lacey, of Clarendon, choked to death swallow-ing a piece of meat.

For the social and literary enter-tainment in the school room of the Germain Street Baptist church this evening an interesting programme has been prepared. Admittance free. the dumping of such persons on this town and under which the steamship stepping from a car on his train yes-terday, had the misfortune to sprain

The Master Printers' Associatio held their annual dinner at White's restaurant last night. A very pleasant

evening was passed. Telegrams were read from Pittsburg, Toronto and New York wishing the St. John Association Brunswick Historal Society last even-ing some important reports in refer-

and carefully prepared paper on hospitals was read by Rev. C. T. Phillips.

James R. Hayward, of Moncton, I.

eye, but it may be so impaired as to oblige him to give up engineering. Loyalist Division S. of T. held a very enjoyable sleigh drive last night, at which about 65 were present. The party drove as far as Torryburn, and on their return refreshments were served at Mr. Grant's, Simonds street, and a good time enjoyed, the party breaking up about 3 a. m.

tude than for the grown-ups—they can look out for themselves. HYGIENIC BREAD is pure, sweet and health. auspices of Y union, of the W. C. T. U., of which Mrs. Gilbert Dykeman

T. A. Vincent died yesterday, aged 80 years. Mr. Vincent was a native of Chelsea, Mass., but had lived in St. John for years. He came here to work A prize of \$10.00 will be given for the best design for a Postal Card to be used in advertising the CHAMPLAIN CELEBRATION and the OLD HOME WEEK, to be held in St. John from the

is in charge.

Ltd., and Arthur Branscombe, wholesale millinery buyer for the firm, arrived in New York on Saturday by the White Star liner Celtic and are in that city. Mr. Branscombe is doing Miss Hoyt, of the wholesale millinery

### LABOR ALDERMEN.

rades Unions Still Considering the Nomination of Men of Their Own in Civic Election.

It appears now that so far as the It appears now that so far as the labor unions are concerned the present board of aldermen may enjoy another year of sovereignty. The labor people have not yet finally abandoned their intention of bringing opposition to the serving aldermen at the coming civic election, but it is thought that they may have to, if they are unable to secure properly qualified candidates.

At the regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council, Friday night next, the subject will come up for discussion and it will then be settled whether it is practicable to push the idea of bringis practicable to push the idea of bring-ling labor candidates for the Common suggestions as to the requirements of in most places.

White added to the original plans is suggestions as to the requirements of all these companies.

A prominent labor man, speaking to the Star this morning, said that it would be a matter of regret among the labor people themselves if they should find themselves unable to secure proper candidates for the civic government. The claims of the laboring classes have never received ample attention by the city authorities heretofore, and it was thought therefore that the only possible way of securing a just recognition of these claims was by having labor representatives at the council board. Moreover, he said, the present aldermen have at different times shown a sad in ability to cope with questions which, after all, required only simple practical treatment. The labor people believe that a few men of a little more practical turn of mind should be at the council, and with such the case the city's interacts.

and with such the case the city's interests must certainly benefit. abandoned the idea, and may by Friday
be in a position to announce publicly
that they will bring out some candidates, though fewer than they at first
intended. If they have no available
men among themselves, they may look
for capable candidates outside.

AN UNUSUAL SCENE.

There was a very unusual scene at the Opera House last night, where a large audience, after giving Dailey's players four curtain calls, at the en of the third act, became additionally demonstrative in voicing their admiration of the work done and gave them a rousing call at the conclusion of the play. "Oapt. Impudence" is certainly mounted and dressed in a very lavish manner and its action is bright and spirited. This bill will be given at

forenoon in a vain attempt to secure There will be a carnival in the Carleton Open Air Rink tonight. \$20 in prizes.

They came here on the Manchester City and claim that the agents of the line refused to provide them with transportation to their homes. The men called at the police homes. The men called at the police station and were there advised to go again to the agent's office. They did so but appear to have met with but little encouragement for later they endeavored to get Mayor White interested in their behalf. The mayor refused to be a party in the matter and said that there was a law relating to cases of this kind which prohibited people were compelled to send them to their homes. The mayor ordered that the chief of police take hold of his ankle. The injuries will prevent the matter and compel the steamship agents to carry out the law.

CANNOT BE FOUND.

by Mayor White from Charles Ferrari, a rasident of Beachmont, Mass., ask-ing for information about one Giov-anni Ferrari, who was reported to have died in the hospital here. A certifi-cate of death was requested. Mayor white has made enquiries and learns that no such person was ever admitted to the hospital and so far as can be ascertained was never in St. John.

Thompson & Co., the largest hardware dealers in Cape Breton. The warehouse was well stocked with heavy hardware, ent was provided and en-



# New Neckwear

For Ladies.

A nice line at

25c.

SEE WINDOW.

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Sts. Store Open Every Evening.

### THE NEW DRILL SHED.

Ottawa-It Will be Built on Barracks Square

Lieut.-Colonel White, D. O. C., has returned to the public works department at Ottawa the plans for the

Among local officers opinions as to the best location for the new shed differ, and while some are strongly op-

The labor people have not altogether abandoned the idea, and may by Friday abandoned the idea, and may by Friday are just as strongly convinced that this is the only proper place for it.
But at the present time these opinions
are of little value for the department
has decided definitely that the new racks square.

WATER MAINS CHOKED.

Cause of Short Supply is Accumulation of Slush in the Pipes-The Only Remedy.

Some alarm was occasioned in the North End last night by the discovery of the fact that the water supply was spirited. This bill will be given at the matinee today and its final performance will take place tonight. The last nights of the company will be devoted to the comedy-drama "Ferncliff," in which little Edwina Paul will appear.

STRANDED CATTLEMEN.

Three stranded cattlemen spent the forenoon in a vain attempt to secure avoiding a more serious interruption of the city's water service.

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A SPRING STREET TERROR.

Inhabitants Alarmed by the Queer Behaviour of a Vagrant. dents of Spring street and vicinity have been annoyed and not a little alarmed by the conduct of a suspicithe alleyways in that section. Nearly every night this man, who is described as being tall and very bad morrow morning. Their large "ad." looking, has been loitering around the page 3 gives particulars of this sale.

Early yesterday morning, fire at Glace Bay, completely destroyed, with its contents, the warehouse of A. C. Thompson & Co., the largest hardware dealers in Care Baston W. houses when all is quiet. One evening he established himself in the front entrance of a house and was removed with some trouble. He regularly accosts persons passing along the street, asking simple questions, but as yet has of January last this house booked and the street of January last this house booked the street of the company, C. R. Erwing the street of the company of the street of the street of the company of the street of the stre

> this man have two or three times called for the police, but the officers did not appear when needed, and the vagrant continues his conduct at his own sweet will. None of the persons who have seen this man can tell who he is, but some of them think he is a eaman or cattleman, judging from the clothing he wears.

> COUNTY COURT. The case of Fred E. Law vs. Robt. R. Ritchie, high sheriff of the city of St. John, was continued today. This is an action for damages against Sheriff ure of goods in the possession, at the time, of Messrs. Frank Potts and Walter Potts, auctioneers. The goods were seized under an execution against Fred Potts. The plaintiff seeks to show that the goods, although in the possession of Messrs. Potts at the time, were not their property, so as to subject them to the liability of seizure for debt. The plaintiff was on the stand all morning.

A. A. Wilson, K. C., appears for the plaintiff and G. H. V. Belyea and W. B. Wallace, K. C., for Sheriff Ritchie, WATER SERVICE IMPROVING. Notwithstanding the warm weather persons in the city who still allow the through fear of freezing. On this account persons living in the summit of the low pressure service are unable

to obtain enough water for ordinary The recent thaw has been beneficial | Electrical workers meet in Fore increasing the head of water in the different reservoirs and the added pressure is quite noticeable in some parts of the city, but more soft weather hotel will be required before the reservoirs the late W. A. Kerrison was ever em-

### LUMBER PROSPECTS.

Plans Amended and Returned to Not Much Snow in the Woods-Same as Last Year.

Having a Hard Time-No Freight fer the Steamers.

PORTLIAND, Maine, Feb. 24.—A freight blockade on railways running into this city, resulting from snow and cold has been partially broken and hundreds of cars of freight are now at the trans-atlantic steamship docks, waiting to be unloaded. For several weeks the intense cold and heavy snow made it impossible for the railroads t made it impossible for the rainfolds to move all the cars and several steamers were obliged to sail for European ports with less than half cargoes. Their of-ficials now believe that traffic will soon be on its usual basis.

### PERSONALS.

Robt. Allen of the customs service, slipped and fell on the ice on the King street east sidewalk last night and disdocated his right shoulder joint.
Capt. Troop, the superintendent of
the C. P. R. steamship liners at St.
John during the present season, left
last night for Montreal on a short

FIFTH ANNIVERSARY.

This morning between the hours of two and five flushing operations were two and five flushing operations were carried on in the North End, and at carried on in the North End, and at carried two streets. Feb. 25th, 1899, five years ago streets. ing between the same hours they will be resumed in the same places.

The temperature of the water in the main was found this morning to be below the freezing point, and slush was greatly in evidence. The formation of this slush in the main is believed to be the cause of the poor water pressure. In some places the slush was found to be so thick as to form a soriour of the start and very soon more room was be so thick as to form a serious obstacle to the passage of water.

Twenty-one years ago a similar state of affairs occurred in the city's wter service and for some time the people were deprived altogether of the use of water. Superintendent Murdoch, fear-ing a repetition of what occurred in the winter of 1873, is taking timely measures to prevent it by flushing the mains. their customers. This year's addition will be very interesting to ladies, it ment. Their milliner is now in New York studying the new styles and will large showing of this most attractive merchandise. To celebrate their fifth anniversary, and as a fitting com-mencement of their sixth year, Messrs. Morrell & Sutherland will have a three days' anniversary sale, commencing to-

morrow morning. Their large "ad." on LORD & THOMAS ADVERTISING AGENCY.

not so far as known attempted any violence.

Persons who have been frightened by has offices in Chicago and New York.

WATER FOR SALE.

While repairs are being made to the residents of a large portion of the West End are without water, and the other day the novel sight was witnessed of a cart going through the town laden with hogsheads of water, which was being sold at so much a wash-tub full.

WITH ADVERTISERS. per. A. McArthur, Main street.

Great sale of cashmere hosiery for adies and children at the Walter Scott store, King square. Good butter is scarce and high, but Robertson & Co., Main street, have

A BIRTHDAY SURPRISE. A. J. Boddington, of Crouchville, was pleasantly surprised by the arrival of about forty of his friends from the city who drove out and took possession of his home. In the course of an enjoyable evening the guests presented their involuntary host with a handsome oak rocker, the day being his birthday.

tons of it at 20c. per pound.

THIS EVENING. Dailey Company at Opera House in Captain Impudence. Concert at Exmouth street church.

Carnival at Carleton open air rink. The proprietor of the Grand Union

ployed there.

# A Three Days Anniversary Sale

Will commence here tomorow morning to celebrate our Fifth Birthday.

Bargains in Silks, Dress Goods, Kid Gloves, Walking Skirts, Dress Skirts, Underskirts, Lace Curtains, Embroideries, Ribbons, Prints, Sheeting, Towels, Etc.

(For particulars see large "adv't" on page 3.)

## Sale will start at 8.30. Come for Bargains

## Morrell & Sutherland

27-29 Charlotte St.

Oppo. Y. M. C. A.

## There Are

## 100 Reasons

Why you should take advantage of this chance. No. 1—The quality of the goods. No. 2--The unmatched prices. No. 3--Won't do it again.

When you come here you'll learn The other Ninety-seven.

Men's Rubbers, sizes 6 to 8, 39 cents.

Women's Rubbers, all sizes, 39 cents.

Misses' Rubbers, sizes 13 to 2, 35 cents.

Childs' Rubbers, sizes 5 to 9, 25 cents.

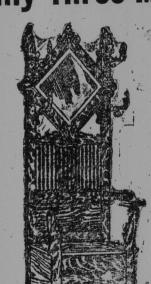
Childs' Button Overshoes, sizes 9 and 9 1-2, 50 cents.

Men's Overshoes, Buckle, sizes 6 and 7, \$1.25

## M. L. SAVAGE,

Fine Footwear.

Cor. King and Charlotte.



A big variety of HALL TREES, Hall Chairs, China Closets, Buffets, Side-boards, Dining Chairs, Parlor Suites, Bedrom Suites, Lounges, Bedlounges, Iron Beds, etc., at greatly reduced

A BEAUTIFUL HALL TREE like this, quartered-cut oak, golden finish, four double hooks, box seat, British diamond-shaped mirror, etc. On sale

Mail orders must be sent in early-

By leaving a deposit goods will be put aside and delivered any time.

52525252525252525 D. M. Lord has retired from this old and reliable firm, having made a competency. Mr. Thomas now becomes 19 WATERLOO ST.

# ORANGES ARE CHEAP.

Good Valencia Oranges, 10c per doz., medium size Good Valencia Oranges, at 15c per doz., 2 doz. for 25c. Jamaica Oranges, at 20, 25 and 35 cents per doz. California Navel Oranges, at 35 and 40 cents per doz. Choice Tender Cut Lettuce and New Tender Celery.

F. E. WILLIAMS CO., Ltd.

# AT OUR

# Bargain Sale!

MEN'S HIP RUBBER BOOTS-First quality, regular price \$5.50; MEN'S BOX CALF ELASTIC SIDE BOOTS-Goodyear Welted

Double Sole, regular price \$3.50; now \$2.50. MEN'S DONGOLA KID ELASTIC SIDE BOOTS-Broad Toe, sizes 6 to 9, regular price \$2.50; now \$1.75. No bargain goods can be charged or sent out on approval. Money

FRANCIS & VAUGHAN, 19 KING STREET.