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TO LET—Lower flat house 135 Mecklenburg street, containing six rooms. Separate entrance. Apply to G. OWENS, at Macaulay Bros. & Co.

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TO LET—Dwelling, King street east. Heated with hot water and all modern improvements. FRASER, FRASER & CO.

TO LET—Fine store, corner Union and Waterloo streets. Possession at once. Also store 107 Princess street; possession at once. FRASER, FRASER & CO.

TO LET—Lower Flat No. 136 Wright street, occupied by Geo. Carville, Esq., heated with hot water. Will be let at a low rent to desirable tenant. MURRAY M. JARVIS, 71 Prince William street.

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TO LET—Nicely situated house at Hampton Village, with or without land attached. This would make a desirable country residence. Apply to J. R. FAIRWEATHER, Hampton, N. B.

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MONEY TO LOAN on satisfactory security. Enquire of BUSTIN & PORTER, Barristers-at-Law, 109 Prince William street, or Miss Alice McKee, 29 St. David street.

TO LET—Comfortable flat of 2 rooms, at present occupied by W. L. Ingram, Esq., No. 17 Mill street. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons.

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TO LET—Self contained flat No. 104 Waterloo street, containing six rooms, bath, room, store room and pantries; hot and cold water. Can be seen on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Apply to F. FITZPATRICK.

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TO BE LET. Lower flat of house, situate fronting on north side of Elliott Row, No. 12.

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Large freehold lot in the rear of St. Mary's church, Waterloo street.

Lot of land with dwelling and barn, near Riverside Station, Rothesay, known as the "Purchase Property."

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THESE PEOPLE KNOW.

As a result of the cunning of the Boer agitators in Europe and America, aided by the press hostile to England, the views and feelings of those persons in South Africa who are not Boers are generally overlooked. It should not be forgotten that there is a large population in South Africa which is loyal to England, and which fears nothing so much as the possibility of being ruled by the unprincipled and tyrannical friends of Paul Kruger. Nor are these persons all of English birth. It is worth while to set before the Star's readers the real feelings of these people, as disclosed by recent cables from South Africa. Here, for example, is a report from Kimberley:—

A largely attended meeting of Irishmen, under the auspices of the Irish Association, has passed strong resolutions of protest against the slanders on the British army. The meeting affirmed the unshaken confidence in the courage, humanity, and self-restraint of the soldiers of the empire. There will be a mass meeting of the inhabitants tomorrow.

The following despatch is from Cape Town:—

A meeting of seventy Danes has been held here to protest against the slanders against the British troops. Mr. Toucher being in the chair. Three resolutions were unanimously carried protesting against the unjust accusations of alleged cruelties perpetrated by the troops, declaring on the strength of personal knowledge and experience that the accusations were groundless, requesting the Danish press to publish a contradiction of the charges, testifying to the humanity with which the war had been conducted against the British consideration for the families and property of the Boers, and expressing full confidence in the British government and the conviction that all consideration would be shown to the vanquished republicans so soon as British authority, which was absolutely necessary to the welfare of South Africa, was fully established. Copies of the resolutions have been forwarded to the Danish foreign minister.

From Durban comes the following:— Many German residents are writing daily to the newspapers to repudiate the accusations made by members of the British parliament and other prominent persons against the British troops, and to declare their intention to submit resolutions at the forthcoming meeting, strongly protesting, on their own actual knowledge, against the allegations. They assert that Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman's statement imputing "methods of barbarism" is absolutely untrue, and declare that the attitude adopted by him and certain other liberals has contributed to the prolongation of the war, and encouraged the calumnies of Great Britain's traders. They express unshaken confidence in Mr. Chamberlain, and declare their concurrence with the government's policy as the only one by which lasting peace can be secured.

The German residents here held a meeting today in the new German settlement, and signed an indignant protest against the charges made against the conduct of the British army in South Africa, denying them, and declaring them, on the personal knowledge of the signatories, to be slanders. Most of the speeches at the meeting were delivered in German, and were of a stirring and vehement character. The speakers described the statements in question as "horrible libels," and "godless, devilish lies," and cited evidence to disprove them. Evidence was also brought forward in tribute to the good treatment which the German population had received here, they having, in this respect, been on an equality with the English. Although loving their own Fatherland, the speakers said honor demanded that they should condemn this "flew conspiracy."

The government papers discover marvellous merit in the speech from the throne, delivered at Fredericton on Thursday. They are to be congratulated on their acuteness. The average citizen wonders why so many words were used to say so little. But the average citizen is not paid to make discoveries, which marks the difference between him and the journals aforesaid.

The work of the columns in South Africa is arduous enough to satisfy the most hardy soldier. When Gen. Elliot was chasing De Wet at the end of the year his column marched 70 miles one day, 20 miles the second day after that, and 60 miles the fourth day after the latter.

The British Board of Education has at present under consideration the desirability of providing special classes for tuberculous children, to keep them from other children in the schools.

The Telegraph has come to the conclusion that public opinion will not endorse the one-sided manner in which it has been dealing with hospital affairs, and this morning eats humble pie.

LONDON, March 7.—The late James Dick left one million pounds to Glasgow charities.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, March 7.—In the common today Mr. Bourassa brought up again the alleged neglect or refusal of the British government to uphold the interests of Canada in controversy with the United States. Mr. Bourassa made a long speech in reference to Sir Louis Davies, contradicting that he had made a statement disparaging to Chamberlain's department. Mr. Bourassa cited reports of interviews with Sir Louis, which he claimed sustained his original statement.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier contended that Sir Louis Davies had been misrepresented by Bourassa, and said if Lord Herschell had been a Canadian he could not have been more hostile than he was for Canadian interests and rights.

The House went into supply, taking up Tarte's estimates. The most of the afternoon was devoted to a discussion of the expensive methods of carrying out government work and the manner of making contracts.

After dinner the discussion was continued. There was considerable debate on the subject of armories. Mr. Fowler called attention to the fact that in the new armorial Sussex the rooms for cavalry companies were no larger than those for infantry companies, though the cavalry companies were twice as large and saddled had to be accommodated as well as arms.

Hon. Dr. Borden promised to look into it. Mr. Fowler also informed Tarte that his former or clerk of works for the Sussex building was not builder at all, but a tailor.

Hon. Mr. Tarte said this it had not come to his knowledge before the work was done. He had been deceived in the matter. The former member for the county had assured him that the foreman was a most capable builder, who had previous had charge of construction work. Tarte thought Fowler should have him known sooner.

Mr. Fowler said he would have done so, but he had confided in the contractors and knew they would do honest work, no matter who was foreman.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

FREDERICTON, March 7.—Fred Lablillois Labillois today telegraphed from Vancouver informing him of the death of his only brother, Joseph, who died at the age of 15 years and was engaged in lumbering at St. John's Island, on the Pacific coast. He was unmarried. One sister survives, Mrs. Lablillois of the Chatham coast.

The chief commissioner of public works has awarded contracts as follows: Salmon Beach protection, to Geo. Great Road, Gloucester Co., to De Lorden of Bathurst; Mallory bridge, St. John Co., to Albert E. Smye, Alma, Albert Co.; Trout Brook bridge, parish of St. Louis, Kent Co., to P. Yantour; Big Alemeck bridge, Shipshaw Island, Gloucester Co., to St. McGregor, Dalhousie; South Pisaris bridge, St. John Co., to Geo. A. Appleby; Westfield, Kings Co.; Upper Emigration road, on which some \$2,000 had already been expended. Mr. Hazen sharply criticized the government's immigration policy.

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Miss McCormick and Miss Appleby returned last evening from Calais, where they had been visiting Mrs. J. M. Johnson. Miss Winkling, daughter of A. W. Wakefield, arrived from South Carolina yesterday, where she had been visiting at her brother's mansion wireless station at Cape Barton.

W. A. D. Steven and daughter, Winifred of Dorchester, are visiting relatives in St. John.

LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

FREDERICTON, March 7.—The house met at three o'clock. Mr. Appleby presented petitions for the passing of acts to incorporate the Carleton Co-operative Fire Insurance Association and to incorporate the Union Telephone Co., Ltd.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie laid on the table the report of the Hospital Hotel Dieu of St. Joseph of Tracadie for 1901; and Hon. Mr. Farris the report of the department of agriculture for 1901.

Mr. Hazen gave the following notice of enquiry: "What tenders were received for the \$200,000 four per cent debentures, five years to run, in denominations of \$500, dated January 1st, 1901; at what price were said debentures disposed of, and what amount did the sale net for the province?"

Mr. Hazen gave the following notice of enquiry for Tuesday next: "What was the amount paid by the province in connection with the visit of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York to New Brunswick in October last? Have all the bills in connection with the royal party been paid? If not, what are now outstanding?"

The order of the day being called, Mr. King, seconded by Dr. Ruddock, moved the address in reply to the speech from the throne.

The address in reply to the speech from the throne was moved by Mr. King and seconded by Mr. Ruddock, both of whom made a favorable impression as debaters, and called from Mr. Hazen, who followed them, the observation that they were valuable additions to the ability and membership of the chamber. Each dwelt upon the topics mentioned in the speech from the throne, and of course praised the policy of the government in respect to agriculture and all other matters mentioned in the speech.

Mr. Hazen pointed out that the speech made no reference whatever to the late Governor McEwen. Referring to the royal visit, he believed that the cost of the reception was excessive, and declared the premier owed an explanation for the insult offered to the city council and citizens' committee at the St. John railway station when the Duke and Duchess arrived.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie and Hon. Mr. Pugsley denied that any insult had been intended. Mr. Hazen, continuing, pointed out that the government, in its dairy and agricultural policy, were but carrying out what had been inaugurated by the late conservative government at Ottawa. He pointed out that the promised cold storage warehouse had not yet been provided at St. John, and that the government which aids that port to the extent of \$2,500 a year, takes away \$10,000 annually in taxes. After discussing the Eastern Extension claim and the Quebec Conference of 1888, Mr. Hazen declared that with an accumulating debt and increasing interest charges, unless relief is obtained from some source, resort must be had to taxation, or the vote for the support of public services must be curtailed. He did not believe the branch railway would be taken over by the I. C. R., but the suggestion by the government that the railway should be referred to the industry, nor was any reference to immigration nor to the acquisition of the Westfield, York Co., to Solomon McEwen, on which some \$2,000 had already been expended. Mr. Hazen sharply criticized the government's immigration policy.

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GRAND OPENING IN OUR Carpet and House Furnishing Departments on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, March 12 and 13.

We will inaugurate another innovation by exhibiting on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, March 12th and 13th, our extensive lines of HIGH CLASS CARPETS AND HOUSE FURNISHINGS especially imported for Spring 1902 from English, American and Continental Markets.

Our semi annual openings in other departments are so fully appreciated by not only those residing in or near the city, but by the public generally throughout the province that we intend making this particular display so attractive and interesting as to ensure even a much larger patronage.

In addition to the elaborate Exhibits we shall make in our large Carpet Warehouses and Curtains and House Furnishing department our two show windows on King street and the two show windows on German street as well as the windows in our FURNITURE WAREHOUSE ON MARKET SQUARE (St. Large Show Windows in all).

will be suitably decorated with the above goods, thereby acquainting the public more intimately with what we really keep in our salesrooms in the way of House Decorating Goods.

A Special Display of Novelties will be made in the different departments throughout the establishment during the two days of the opening. WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, March 12 and 13.

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SUNDAY READING.

How the Canny Commercial Salesman Guessed the Combination.

A country merchant sometimes known as the Man behind the Door was sitting in his prunery one day when a drummer came in to sell him a lot of goods that he didn't need. As the drummer closed the door behind him and put on his copyright smile, the temperature of the room sank about 3 degrees. There were no "Welcome" mottoes on the wall, and when the drummer gazed into the ragged map he realized that he was up against it. But he was accustomed to warming up these cold propositions. He asked, "How's Tricks?" and was told that the entire works, government and all, was going to the bow-wow. Thinking to dispel the gloom, he told two of his latest, and although they were cokers and had caused many a Yoke to fall off a cracker barrel, they never feazed old Mournful Ike. It was not his day to be jollied. Then the drummer switched and tried the sympathetic dodge. He said that collections had been a little slack but he looked for better times as soon as the farmers began to move their sleds. But the face didn't see a glimmer of hope. The drummer always has two old stand-bys that he brings out when all else has failed, viz: Politics and religion. He decided to take a chance. "What do you think?" he said, "I had a chump who claimed that there was nothing in this predestination business. 'Then you believe in infant damnation, do you?' asked the store-keeper. 'Sure,' was the reply. 'You can send me a barrel of New Orleans molasses, ten kits of mackerel, six seven gross of canned peaches and a caddy of Oolong,' said the store-keeper. Moral: One smell of brimstone makes the whole world kin. Y. M. C. A. PENTATHLON REPORTS.

The indoor pentathlon was held in the Y. M. C. A. last evening. The instructor acted as referee. The events were high jump, fence vault, broad jump, pull up and dip. In each of these events all the contestants took part, and the man who received the greatest number of points was the winner. The result was as follows: G. S. Maxwell, 225 points; R. Vanwart, 174 points; A. Cassidy, 174 points; Brown, 168; F. Robinson, 162; Louis Hopper, 148; B. Gilmore, 126; F. Dobson, 134; J. McLean, 118; R. Forbes, 102.

WINTER PORT MATTERS.

The Furness str. Florence, from St. John and Halifax, arrived at London yesterday. The Allan str. Ionian left Moville yesterday for Halifax and St. John. Str. Manchester City, from St. John, reached Manchester yesterday. The mail str. Pretorian arrived at Liverpool yesterday. The Donaldson str. Kastalia will sail tonight for Glasgow via Halifax. The Head liner Dunmore Head left a coal port, probably Ardrossan, yesterday for St. John, to load for Belfast and Dublin.

CHAMPIONSHIP SPORTS.

The annual championship skating races will be held at Victoria rink on Friday evening next, under the auspices of the Victoria Athletic and Skating Club. These sports are generally the wind-up of the winter's races, and are always the fastest and best. The speedy ones are already getting into shape, and with favorable weather some of the records of previous years are bound to go.

PROBATE COURT.

Letters of guardianship of the persons and estates of the infant children of the late Gabriel Crawford have been granted to Mrs. Catherine Crawford, widow of the deceased. The estate is valued at \$7,000 personal property. Morrae & Sinclair, proctors.

FOUND.

FOUND.—On Main street, on 8th inst., a purse containing a small sum of money. Owner will call at 74 Main street, N. B.

Str. Minola, from this port with hay, reached East London yesterday to discharge.

HELP WANTED, MALE.

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WANTED—By Dr. Hayward, a cook-man who must be well recommended as a good driver and kind to his horse.

WANTED—Three coatmakers, one to have LRY, 55 German street.

WANTED—A young man, active and intelligent, to assist in Life and Accident Insurance for well-known and reliable companies. A good driving for the right man. Address: B. L., 8th Office.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special, accident, sickness, indemnification policies and general insurance business. Liberal terms to reliable men. Write to 76, Montreal.

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WANTED—Good stitchers and ladies' coat makers, at 508 Main street.

WANTED—A cook and a housemaid, by Mrs. C. F. KENNEDY, 35 Carleton street.

MILLINERS WANTED—First-class milliners wanted for good positions in prominent firms. Salary \$9.00 per week. Apply to BROCK & PATTERSON, 39 and 41 King street.

GIRL WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Mrs. C. K. SIOUHY, cor. Wright and Goderich streets.

WANTED—Cook wanted. Apply at PARK HOTEL.

WANTED—Girl wanted for general house work. Apply immediately at 141 Douglas Avenue.

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MONEY—Advanced on mortgage in large or small sums. Apply to Chas. Macdonald, barrister, Walker Building, Canterbury St.

On Freehold and Leasehold Property, repayable by monthly instalments or otherwise. Enquire of CHAMBERLAIN & TILLEY, Barristers, Palmer's Building, Princess Street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ALL KINDS SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED. Needles and parts for all makes at W. H. BILLS, 23 Dock Street.

FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—Pressed hay for sale by Robinson, Charlotte Street Extension. Prices reasonable.

FOR SALE—An incubator, brooder and glass yard, all in good condition. Will sell cheap. Enquire 31 St. Andrew street.

FOR SALE—Fine corner house and lot. Beautifully situated in most desirable part of city. Address 102 P. O. Box.

FOR SALE—A well-established meat business in a central part of the City. Address "MEAT," Star Office.

FOR SALE—A second hand typewriter in good condition. Address "TYPEWRITER," Star Office.

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WANTED—A magic lantern, suitable for public entertainment purposes. Address 5, Star Office.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED—Salary \$300 a year and expenses. Apply ALFRED TYLEN, 222-224 Clarence street, London, Ont.

WANTED—A college student or teacher who would be willing to take a pupil at home. Address "G," Star Office.

WANTED—Conveyancers, male or female, through the city to handle a rapid selling book on the way. Good commission. Address "M," Star Office.