

## WEST INDIA TO SQUADRON BE INCREASED

Three Cruisers and an Admiral to be Added.

## FORCE IS TO BE DIVIDED

Prince Wolfgang of Saxony Found Shot Dead by Accident or Murder.

WEST INDIA FLEET TO BE INCREASED. KINGSTON, JAMAICA, Jan. 27.—(Special)—The British Admiralty have decided to strengthen the North American West Indian station by the addition of three cruisers, with an additional Admiral.

THERE WILL BE TWO SQUADRONS. The squadron will be divided into two parts a northern and southern squadron, the latter having its base here.

## PRINCE FOUND SHOT DEAD.

NORDHANSSEN, PRUSSIAN SAXONY, Jan. 27.—(Special)—Prince Wolfgang von Stolberg-Stolberg was found shot dead in the park near his castle at Rottleberode.

COOKING APPLES 15 cents peck at Beer & Goff's. 1-26 31

THE DRUGGISTS ARE AGREED. That the surest and only Painless Corn and Wart Cure is "Putnam's". It was the first corn cure on the market, and still leads all competitors. Always refuse a substitute.

The greatest white wear sale of modern times begins Monday, February 2nd at Sauter, McLeod & Co. 28 11

## FANCY DRESS CARNIVAL JANUARY 30th.

## Hillsboro Rink

Get your costumes ready. All ticket holders in costume can skate free, others will pay 25c. Prizes will be given for best Ladies' and Gents' Costumes. Don't forget Friday, January 30th.

## LADIES' RUBBERS GRANBY MAKE

Good strong rubbers, 50c, storm rubbers, 60c, Olive, fine quality storm rubbers, toe cap, 65c, Stella, this one is the big seller with us, fine, light weight rubber, toe cap, price 60c. Then overshoes, we show a lot of different kinds in prices from \$1.75 up to \$2.25, but the one that is selling the best is the Model, \$1.95 a pair.

Goff Bros.

## THE CUSTOMS RECEIPTS OF VENEZUELA

In Part Offered by Castro as Security

## FOR THE ALLIED CLAIMS

Not Enough for Outside Claimants -- Apparent Disaster to Large Schooner by Collision.

CASTRO THOUGHT TO BE SINCERE. BERLIN, Jan. 27.—(Special)—President Castro's offer of thirty per cent of the customs receipts of La Guaira and the port of Cabello as a guarantee for the payment of the foreign claims is regarded as evidence of the sincerity of his intention to make a satisfactory settlement.

NOT ENOUGH FOR ALL CLAIMANTS. But the Allies are not satisfied that 30 per cent will be sufficient to pay all concerned, nor that the powers that did not join in the movement should benefit from the result of their costly operations.

ANOTHER MARINE DISASTER. HIGHLAND LIGHT, Jan. 27.—(Special)—Evidence of a marine disaster washed up near Race Point life saving station indicates the loss of a schooner of 200 tons in a collision.

## REV. H. G. GRATZ LECTURE.

A prefatory verse of "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," followed by an introductory sentence from the chairman, the Rev. Mr. McConnell and the lecturer began what proved to be an evening's intellectual enjoyment, a lifetime's pleasant retrospect and an eternity's profit.

Others were awesome, notably the two demons in the cemetery, and the awful scene "driving the first nail" as our Saviour lies distended on His cross.

The lecturer was not verbose, nor was display of oratory his aim. Succinctly and forcefully the story was told of each picture. Here and there a lesson drawn, often a judicious hint made the hearers' minds and consciences the lecturer.

Until the 1st of February Paton & Co. will offer all odds and Remnants. We have 32 Ladies Fur Coats that we want cash for within a week.—Paton & Co.

## VICTOR HOCKEY STICKS

What Do You Require in the INSURANCE LINE? A fire policy on your buildings or stock? A marine policy on your ship, cargo or freight? An insurance on your life? An accident or health policy? An employer's liability or workmen's collective accident insurance? Or your plate glass insured against breakage? We represent the leading British Companies and will give prompt attention to your orders.

## THE SENIOR VICTORIAS FALL BEFORE THE CRYSTAL-PIONEERS

In the Midst of Hundreds of Spectators at the Western Capital Last Night—The Count Stood 13 to 2, But The Intermediates Retrieve the Defeat by a Handsome Score—The Summerside People Are Jubilant.

The Victorias and Crystal-Pioneers lined up in Crystal Rink Summerside last night on ice perfect and in face of an audience large and especially interested. Promptly at 8.08 the referee Ham Bethune said "Play", and the play was quite scientific. There was much splendid passing and many were the brilliant runs.



A SHOT ON GOAL.

The game between the Intermediates was a fair exhibition of hockey. At half time the score stood—Vics 4, Crystal-Pioneers 2. In the last half the Vics made good the loss experienced by their Seniors and the game resulted in a total score of 10-2 in favor of the Charlottetownians. Ham Bethune also refereed the second game.

The second half was more enjoyable to Summersiders and to the city folk less interesting. Five minutes playing and the flag was raised for the C. P.'s again. Another five minutes and they scored a fifth goal. The sixth came in the following minute, and each subsequent minute added a goal for the red and green colors of the western team till the count stood 9-1. It was then that the old song-long dead but yet remembered—33 to 1, was shouted from different parts of the rink.

## THE CAPITAL OF THE WEST

Latest from Summerside and Prince County. This Y. P. S. C. E. intend holding a social in Freshwater Hall, Summerside, on Friday evening next.

Entered into rest on Tuesday, January 27th, Mary Miller in her 89th year. Funeral from the residence of G. D. Rankin on Thursday at 3 p. m. by train to Sherwood Cemetery. Service at the home at 2.45 o'clock.

THE PIONEER PUBLISHING CO., held their annual meeting yesterday afternoon. The year's work was the most successful in the history of the company. The Board of Directors were all re-elected.

## HAMILTON'S PILLS ARE EFFECTIVE.

The game ended with the score—Crystal-Pioneers 18, Victorias 2. Needless to say the cheering was tremendous. Holman took his place on the wing and William McNeill held cover-point. These were the only changes in the personnel of the teams.

The inmates became panic-stricken so that they were unable to help themselves. There were nearly six hundred women in the burned annex. So far fifty-two deaths are known, and the fear is that even more have perished.



"BADGER" HAS A FALL.

The three senior teams now all stand even in the race for the trophy having won and lost a game each. In the intermediate the Abegweit have won two games, the Victorias one and Summerside none.

## BRUCE MCKAY & CO. CHALLENGE WITH THE GUARDIAN TO STAKE THEIR OWNERSHIP.

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## A TRUE NERVE TONIC.

Will act not so much directly upon the nerves as upon the digestive functions and the abundant formation of red, vitalizing blood. Nerves can't be fed on medicine. They can, however be restored and strengthened by assimilated food.

## CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, January 27.—(Special)—Feb. Wheat — Corn, 45¢; Pork, \$18.95. May Wheat 79¢; Corn 44¢; Pork \$18.07½.

## COL. LYNCH'S SENTENCE COMMUTED

To Penal Servitude While His Life Lasts

## COLNEY HATCH ASYLUM

Gutted by Fire—Fifty-two Insane Women Perish—Patients Were Panic-Stricken.

FRIGHTFUL FIRE IN AN ASYLUM. LONDON, Jan. 27.—(Special)—Fifty-two insane patients were burned to death by fire at Colney Hatch Asylum to-day.

The outbreak of the fire occurred in the Jewish wing. Five wooden buildings, including the dormitories and doctors' apartments were gutted.

## HUNDREDS WERE PANIC-STRICKEN.

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## A BURDEN TO SELF AND OTHERS

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

## CANADIAN STOCKS.

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## HEALTH FOR WOMEN.

"Few things are more important to a community than the health of its women. It is strong the fame of the mother says a proverb, the son will give laws to the people." Dr. Chase's "Nerve Food" is especially woman's medicine. By its action on the blood and nerves it gives strength and vigor to the delicate feminine organs and ensures their regular and healthful functions. It gives color to the pale, strength to the weak, and a rounded form to the thin and angular.

## PROVINCIAL PREMIERS IN CONFERENCE

Agree Upon Demands for Larger Subsidies

## TO ALL THE PROVINCES

They Meet the Cabinet—Drill Shed Damaged—Morgan Wants Control of the Intercolonial.

## A PREPOSTEROUS PROPOSITION.

OTTAWA, Jan. 27.—(Special)—A Boston despatch to the New York World that Morgan is coming to Ottawa to submit an offer to the Canadian Government to take charge of the Government railroads is laughed at here.

## PREMIERS MEET THE CABINET.

The Provincial Premiers had a private conference together this morning and met the Cabinet this afternoon.

## UNITED FOR INCREASED SUBSIDIES.

They asked for a decided increase in the subsidies to Provinces on a basis of population.

## DRILL SHED INJURED BY FIRE.

The Drill Shed here was damaged this morning by fire.

## NEW YORK STOCKS

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