

NEWS OF THE WORLD.
THE HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK IN BRIEF.

Despatches from points of interest in different parts of the World—Domestic and Foreign events—The Dark and Sunny Side of Life.

Berlin, May 25.—Emperor William has...
London, May 27.—In the trial...
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NEW RAILWAY CO.
To Build Line Between Musquodoboit Valley and I. C. R.

Truro, May 25.—A new railway company has been formed to connect the fertile Musquodoboit valley with the International railway. The company has as president J. W. Greer, a Montreal capitalist, and as vice-president M. H. Fitzpatrick, M. P. of New Glasgow, one of the foremost men in the construction of the Midland railway, connecting Truro with Windsor by an air-line route. The Musquodoboit Railway Company have already 800,000 of stock sold. Though many efforts have been made to make this proposed railway a reality, the present movement leaves little room for doubt that it will be in operation early next year.

CITY OWNERSHIP OF CARLETON LIGHT
NOT DECIDED AT YESTERDAY'S MEETING.

But an Electrician Will Inspect the Plant for the City Before Question of Buying is Dealt With—Some Tenders for City Work—The Police.

At a meeting yesterday afternoon, the board of public safety decided to engage the services of electrician J. W. Myers to examine and value the plant of the Carleton Electric Light Company, which has offered to sell to the city for \$20,000. The city's option expires June 1, so Mr. Myers must make a report to a special meeting of the common council which will probably be held next Friday.

MAY BUILD WHARVES HERE.

Dominion Coal Company Officials and Their Visit to St. John.

Yesterday morning Messrs. Shields and Dick, of the Dominion Coal Company, accompanied by Messrs. Osborne, Barber, G. McEvilly, J. Thomson, Capt. Terborgh, and M. J. Collins, inspected the harbor from the tugboat Neptune.

MILITIA MATTERS.

New Rifle Range Allowed to Be Used Today—To Inspect Army Site.

Chief Justice Tuck yesterday fixed October 1 as the time and place for the trial of the Restigouche election petition.

PROBATE COURT.

The will of Mrs. Rebecca S. Hutchison has been admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to her daughter, Miss Lillian E. Hutchison, the executrix named in the will.

TROUT FISHERS.

The law is off and fishers now take the rod and reel and wander to the brookside. Whose rocks the trout conceal; They angle in deep pools, To learn the valued lesson That trout are not fish fools.

Starret's Fine Mechanical Tools. Every Tool Warranted Accurate and Satisfactory.

T. McAVITY & SONS, ST. JOHN, N. B.

PROMINENT PEOPLE.

Sir Thomas Lipton says he has not been to the theatre 12 times in his life. Gardening and yacht racing are his favorite diversions.

WANTED.

Agents—Our Memorial Edition—Life and Times of Queen Victoria, is now ready and will be found a complete Biography, covering the whole story of Her Majesty's life from the cradle to the grave.

WANTED—RELIABLE MEN

in every locality throughout Canada to introduce our goods, taking up show cards on trees, fences, along roads, and all conspicuous places, also distributing small advertising matter.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Fifty copies of the Standard Dictionary, D. Van Nostrand Co., N. Y. Price \$1.00 per copy.

Aphorisms About Women.

However ill you may speak or think of women you will always find a woman able to do it better than you.

Spring.

When Nature's broad domain awakes to start the human nature is most prone to shirk; All vegetation now moves with life's thrill, But man feels most inclined toward stalling still.

Push and Pull.

She—He's in the path, all right. He—How'd he get there? She—Oh, he had a pull.—Detroit Free Press.