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## THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH. ST. JOHN, N. B. MAY 27, 1899

missing.

## FREDERICTON SENSATIONS.

VERDICT OF THE CORONER'S JURY ON THE DEATH OF WILLIAM M'LEAN

Was Killed By Stabbing-They Do Not Fix the Blame - The Repretty certain he was drowned when he jumped overboard. It is said he could mains Found Last Night Are not swim. Those of William O'Brien-When Last Seen He Was Intoxicated.

FREDERICTON, May 23-The body found in the outhouse of the Commercial hotel, Fredericton, has been identified by lst-

The source of a constraint of a

for a cargo of oil, going from Twenty-sixth street, South Brooklyr. Her capacity is said to be 3,500 barrel. The Ariadne sailed from Hemburg, Germany. The damage to the barque is estimated at about 250,000 DeCOSTA DISGUSTED. THE OPPONENT OF DR. BRIGGS The damage to the barque is estimated at about \$25,000. Immediately after the fire on the Adraine was put out by sinking her the Merritt Caspman vessels proceeded to raise her, and this was accomplished yesterday afternoon. She was then towed to the company's docks, at Staple-ton. There a diver descended and made a thorough search for the missing ses-man. His hody was not found, and it is pretty certain he was drowned when he TAKES GLOOMY VIEWS OF THE FUTURE.

The Higher Critics of Protestantism The Higher Critics of Protestantism Are Now Bivouacking Around the Camp Fires of Tom Paine-Scrip-tures No Longer to Be Enforced tures No Longer to Be Enforced in the Church.

Naw YOEK, May 23 - In reply to Bishop Potter's criticism of those who Bishop Potter's criticism of those who In the section cannot be account of for, as he was apparently perfectly same and was in good spirits when he left his boarding house. Being Searchingly Probed by the Mazet Investigating Committee-Counsel Moss Has Thorough opposed the ordination of the Rev. Dr.

NEW YORK'S ROTTENNESS

disappeared. On Trunsday alternoon about 6 o'clock he left there and was last seen walking on the railway track to warde Dartmonth ferry wharf. From that time until the present he has been mission

He owed a week's board, but to offset

iny idea that he left on that account, it may be stated that a week's wages was due him at his employer's office and he has not call d for i'. Besides this, there is a trank and several articl's in his bedroom. The trank is locked and is

The missing man was good looving and apparently between 21 and 25 years of sge. He formerly worked for four years in St. John. It is apposed that he is dead, and may have been drowned, is Now in the Hands of the Police.

Confidence in Mazet, NEW YOEK, May 22.-Frank Moss, counsel to the Mazst investigating com-mittee gave cut a statement today, in which he said: "There can be no doubt of the conscient of the bulk of his manuscript and dis-the bulk of his manuscript and dis-the

A BABY KIDNAPPED. NURSE, CHILD AND PERAMBU-LATOR HAVE BEEN MISSING SEVERAL DAYS. SEVERAL DAYS. A BABY KIDNAPPED. It is the mad all summer. In fact, unless removed very scon there is a like-like of her remaining until next spring, as between now and that time the water is solion sufficiently high to permit of her flating off. There is still consideral is mystery as to the cause of the accident. The work of getting the vessel off the island has been abandoned uerding instructions from the other side of the water.

The Nurse Believed to Have Done the Kidnapping-Supposed That a Ransom Will be Lemanded for the Infant's Return-The Affair is Now in the Hands of the Police. The Nurse Believed to Have Done

is Now in the Hands of the Police. she has been reported. The floating the has been reported. The floating bulk is a dangerous menace to safe navi-gation and lies directly in the track of ocean steamers, one of which may locate NEW YORK, May 22-A daring case of kidnapping, which carries with it the threat of a still more serious crime, was reported to the police at the Central rest are standing.

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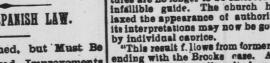
2, but Hans Bencke, 22 years old, was missing, and has not been found. Some of the men are sure he was on deck when the fire started and that he was one of those who went over the side when or-dered to jamp. Arrival of fire tugs, which towed the humme Ariadne from mere lader with



water into the Ariadne for hourr. Meantime one of these dangerous and devatating ol fires which are a night-mare to the five hundred volunteer fire-men of Bayonne and to thousands of employes at the ol works was raging upon pier No. 2, close to the big oil warehouse, well filled with oil in bar-rels, reading for shipping, and which is surrounded on all, except the water, sides by most destructible property. can make them, and you're 36 always sure of perfect quality and fit. brands of Galvanized Steel Plate, and in addition to our many stock lines will make

any special pattern to order. OIL IN SHED FED THE FLAMES. First Vice-President J. H. Alexander, of the Standard Oil Company of New of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, was early upon the scene, com-ing from Elizabeth. He told me the ship fire broke through one side next to the oil shipping pier Nc. 2. Upon the pier was a shed and between five and six hundred barrels of oil were in the pier shed awaiting shipment as cargo for the Ariadre. The old in the shed fed the fiames. The shed was destroyed, of course, and the warehouse and other property in imminent danger was saved by good work of firemen and tugs. Mr. Alexander told me the Standard's lass was about \$10,000 damage to the pier and between five hundred and six hundred barrels of oil, worth \$4 per bb'. The Arisdne is a German barges of sion Conductor Pipe is ahead of any other pipe made-it allows for contraction and expansion and comes in IO feet lengths without cross seams. G

The Ariadne is a German barque of wood and 563 tone. G. Amsinck & Co., of Naw York York, are her sgentr. She arrived in Eayonne Saturday af.ernoon W. A. Maclauch'an, Selling Agent, St. John



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Bible and the church. "It has been well said that the 'higher critics' are now bivousching around the smouldering camplires of 'Tom Paine."

MYSTERY IN HALIFAX.

A Man Named Withycombe, Formerly of St John, Drops Out of Sight - Apparently He was in Financial Difficulties-His Brother

Formerly Pastor of St. Jude's.

FORMERTY PASTOR OF St. JUGE'S.
HALMAX, N. S., May 23.—One of the most mysterious disappearances that has occurred near Halifax is that of a man named Withycombe, who has not been seen since Thureday last.
On Friday, May 12, a well-dressed young man applied at Moir Sons & Co.'s office for employment. The proprietors were in need of a night watchman at the time and so the applicant was given the to United States laws, as the death or-curred on federal ground. The boy is eaid to have died of pneumonia and without medical care.

On Thursdayl ast he did not turn up On Inursdayl ast he did not turn up to work, and when Mr. Moir made en-quiries he found that the man had myr-teriously disappeared. Withycomb boarded at the Handly House, | Dartmouth, and had been stay-ing there only about a week when he

sovereign.

The following reply to the cable sent by the school children to the queen was received to is evening:--"WINDSOR CASTLE, London, Eng., ]

May 23, 1899. } "School Children, Halifax, Canada: Queen thanks you and all Canadian

(Sgd.) PRIVATE SECRETARY." Christian Scientists Arrested.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 23-George H Kinter and Elizabeth L. Kinter, his wife, well known in Christian Science

ango is not to be permanently abandon-ed to the possession of the insurgents in that quarter of the Philippiner. The Spanish garrison will be withdrawn be-fore General Oils is ready to occupy the place, but just as soon as conditions at Manila and vicinity permit of the with-drawal of a sufficient military force Zimboango will be garrisoned by Amer-ican troops. Capt. Barker is expected to designate one or more of the gunboats-under his command to assist in the re-occupation of the town. The schooner Welcome Home has had

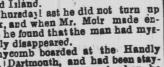
Baptist Church Dedicated.

The barge David Wallace, which was picked up abandoned and towed into Sheiburne by schooner Edith M. Prior, has been sold to a Boston coil firm. The vessel is now at East Boston, where she is receiving new masts, hatches and a thorough overhauling. ALMA, May 22—The Baptist meeting house was dedicated Sunday. Rev. C. W. Townsend preached the dedicatory sermon in the morning, and Rev. Mr. Gordon, of St. John, preached in the afternoon and evening. Although durd-British vessels going from this port to any port in the United States are new compelled to pay to the American con-sel \$5 for a bi 1 of health, while vessels of that nation do not require it, or go scot free. "There is gomething rotten in Denmark."

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# A name has been found to designate the last mast of the new six-masted coal schooner which Captain John G. Crow-ley will have built at Maine. When the steamer Great Eastern was in ex-istence she was fitted with six masts, and the last one, following the jugger, was dubbed the after jugger.

the schooner Welcome Home has had her name changed to Jennie C.; the ves-sel has been newly topped and renewed. She cleared for Boston Tuesday after-noon with 128,750 feet boards and plank, and is owned by Captain W. F. Curris-and others.

Schooner Anaie G., which was towed Schooner Andle G., which was towed into Tuskst list winter abandoned and water-legged, with the body of a man in the cabin, and which has since been purchased by Halifax parties, will be converted into a barge.

