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when of mak Some two months ago, in spite of a division of sentiment in St. John, contracts were awarded for a band stand over the King Square fountain. This proposition had been discussed by the aldermen at several meetings. The first Oh, carry me back to the old-fashioned time it came up there was strong opposition and the proposal was defeated. A change of opinion, for which no very good cause was made known, took place during the next few days and the permission required by the promoters of the band stand was given. At the meeting at which the resolution passed, statements were made, apparently on authority, that there would be absolutely no destruction of trees in King Square by the building of the stand. This had been one of the arguments against the scheme. The contracts published, called for the completion of the structure on the first of July. It is now the 28th of July and the band stand is still unfinished. Moreover, there appears to be an indifference as to whether it is ever completed or not, as there is no apparent anxiety to hurry the work. In spite of the assurance given at the council ing, a very large branch of one of the finest trees on the square has been ped off, thus destroying to a conerable extent the beauty of that tree. It was the general understanding that the band stand was to be a steel

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be kept within bounds. St. John could well afford to devote some attention to the same subject. Management of the bill boards and the control of advertising thereon, has become of late years quite a business, and numbers of large commercial concerns favor, to some extent, this mode of making known the qualities of their goods. In certain portions of the city there can be no objection to this glaring advertising, but certainly posters can hardly be regarded as adding to the attractiveness of the better residential streets. There is nothing added to a block of pretty houses, by a vacant lot fenced with high bill boards, covered with glaring lithographs, though ered with glaring lithographs, though on the outskirts there is much less

OFFERED OR HIS CAPTURE. objection. Yet because of the fact that the advertising value of the bill board is greatest, the problem in this case becomes somewhat more difficult of becomes somewhat more difficult of solution. It is to be feared that by many of the men who put up the large posters, proper care is not always exposters, proper care is not always exposured in knowledge of the capture of the state insane asymptoms. ercised in keeping the streets clean. It is no uncommon thing to see sheets | D. D. Grout, of the state insane asylum, would give \$50 for the capture of Kent. torn off the boards and thrown into vacant lots, from whence, in the first high wind, they are scattered about the streets. Whether or not St. John is able to compel the removal of the unsightly structures against which complaint is now so frequently heard —which under present legislation is extremely doubtful — there should at least be an enforcement of those regu-

lations which prohibit the scattering of refuse matter about the streets. THE REAL BASEBALL

NEW YORK, July 28. -- The six

# BUILDING SIXTY TWO

BANGOR, Ma., July 27.—George W. Hall, an aged constable of the town of Patten, was brought to Bangor hospital today suffering from concussion of the brain resulting from blows inflicted with stones and clubs by drunken log drivers in that town last Friday. Hall has been unconscious most of the time since the assault, but the surgeons think he will recover.

The assallants fled through the woods and were captured after a long chass by Deputy Sheriff Leslie and a posse. In Patten today William and Dennis Michaud were held in \$800 each for assault with intent to kill upon Georges W. Hall, and in \$500 each for assault upon his son, Constable Ralph Hall. The other two prisoners were sent to jail for thirty days for drunkenness. All were committed to Bargor jail and the case of the Michauds will be tried at the August term of court.

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Tuesday, July 28, 1908

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Shortly, and that the United Stephen of the provinces of Ant publics, the provinces of Ant which is the industrial section father, mother, two sisters and three brothers to mourn their loss.

Furreral from his late residence, Pekiok Road, on Wednesday, the 29th inst., at 2.30 p. m. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

DUNCAN. — Miss Elizabeth A., at her home, 40 Forest street, on July 27th, in her 56th year, survived by four sisters and two brothers.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

HUEY—Suddenly in this city on the 27th inst., Ellen, widow of Robert Huey, aged 60 years, leaving two daughters and one son to mourn their sad loss.

Sir Henry Alfred Pitman, the physician in the United Kingdo

Sheriff street on Wednesday, 29th inst. Service begins at 3.30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend. RONK .- At the residence of his six years before Queen Victoria daughter, Mrs. W. H. Watters, on July 26th David C. Cronk, aged eighty, leaving three daughters and one son to mourn their loss.

LONG-LIVED FAMILY.

DUBLIN, July 27.—Miss Jane Hurley, who died on Thursday at Ballintuber, County Roscommon, was 101 years of age. Her father was 108 when he died and her mother lived to the age of 106 years. age of 106 years.

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ST. JOHN AUER LIGHT CO.,

CAPT. S. MUSGRAVE HAS BEEN EXPLORING WILDS OF GOLOMBIA

He Studied the Flora and the Fauna in the Interior.

NEW YORK, July 27—Captain S. Musgrave, of the Eritish army, was one of the passengers to arrive aboard the Royal Mail steam packet Atrato from the United States of Colombia. Gaptain Musgrave has been on a twenty months' exploring expedition down in the United States of Colombia, where he rode over a thousand miles in the interior from Bogota, the apital to the source of the river Orinoco. Captain Musgrave, who was in charge of Lord Roberts' armored train in the Boer war, has brought from Colombia several specimens of animal life. He has been doing zoological research work, and he is returning to England with an ant-eater alive, known as tamendua. He has one of the finest and most valuable collections of butterflies in the world, which he got at Mosa, where the government

refiles, which are about nine inches from wing tip to wing tip, shine like emeralds.

Captain Musgrave said he shot a boa constrictor four feet long while he was down in Colombia. He dissected it and said that he found that it had we rudimentary hind feet, which he got at Mosa, where the government emerald mines are located. These but-terflies, which are about nine inches

was down in Colombia. He dissected it and said that he found that it had two rudimentary hind feet, which have never before been found. Captain Musgrave said that some of the pythons in Central Africa have the hind feet, but never before have they been found on a boa constrictor.

The Venus fly-trap species of orchid was found by Captain Musgrave and dissected. He said that he found that it had digestive organs, brain and nerve ganglia like human beings.

Speaking of the United States of Colombia, Captain Musgrave said:

"Everything is dead down there. I think there will be a big revolution shortly, and that the United States of Colombia will be divided into three republics, the provinces of Antioquia, which is the industrial section, Santander and Cauca.

"Ethere is any amount of silver down."

Sir Henry Alfred Pitman, the oldest anniversary of his birthday

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"There is any amount of silver down there, but little gold. There is also privacy, but there were two circumstances which were of special interest. Among the first of various messages of congratulation which the centered." Among the first of various messages of congratulation which the centenarian received was a long and kindly telegram from King Edward, wishing Sir Henry and his wife every happiness in the days still to come.

The other circumstances, which also gave great gratification to the venerable physician, was a visit from a deputation of members of the Royal College of Physicians.

