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ST. JOHN RECOGNIZED.

Another evidence that the Borden Government is determined to give St. John its rights as a port is to be found in a despatch from Ottawa, published in The Standard news columns, this morning. This despatch announces that St. John will be placed on an equal footing with other Canadian At lantic ports in the matter of English mails. It will also tend to relieve any apprehension there may be as to whether the mail steamers will come here this season. Under the new contract the mail steamers will have associately a free hand, so far as the ports of St. John and Hallfax are concerned, and the Post Office Department will deliver mail at either port. For years there has been a desire in St. John for the open door in the matter of mails, and the Board of Trade has placed itself on record as favoring a policy whereby the steam of the port at which the English mails should be landed and taken on board. The present diverbey the steam favoring a policy whereby the steam of the port at which the English mails should be landed and taken on board. The present diverbey the steam favoring a policy whereby the steam of the port at which the English mails should be landed and taken on board. The present diverbey the steam of the port at which the English mails should be landed and taken on board. The present diverbey the steam of the port at which the English mails should be landed and taken on board. The present of the present at least it is fitting for the port of the port of the fall of the more of the port at which the English mail should be landed and taken on board. The present of the present at least it is fitting for the port of the present at least it is fitting for the port of the present at least it is fitting to the present at least it is fitting to the present at least it is fitting to the port of the port of the present at least it is fitting to the present at least it is fitting to the present

owned by the city, and that it is the first time such an expenditure has been made by any Canadian Government for the benefit of any Canadian port, there should be a great and general appreciation of the efforts and in fluence of Hon. Mr. Hazen, who has made it possible. A hostile Government! say the Liberal papers. Nonsense! No hostile government would have treated St. John as this city has been treated during the past two years.

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"A SQUARE GUY."

During the past four days the city of New York has been called upon to mourn the death of two men who, though as far apart in sphere and circumstance as the poles of the globe managed to write their names large upon the page of their city's history. One was William J. Gaynor, mayor of New York, who died on an Atlantis steamer when nearing England, and the other was Timothy D. Sullivan better known to New York's teeming East Side as "Big Tim," whose death came tragically and whose body was identified yesterday at Bellevue morgue.

The career of "Big Tim" Sullivan furnishes another of those business romances possible, probably, on nother continent than this. He started life as a New York newsboy, then through devious and in asome in stances, it is said, questionable past of the started a multitude of sins.

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### IN LIGHTER

Never Complains of Scarcity.

(Boston Transcript).

Lady (to tramp)—Now, I hope you won't spend the money I've given you for vile liquor.

Tramp—I'll get the best I know about, mum, but I ain't no connysoor.

(Baltimore American).
"Is Jim the manager in his matriconial firm?"
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An Advantage.

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Willie's gone away to school, bless his little heart!

could not keep back my tears when I saw him start;

There is dismal silence now where his laughter rang;

Willie's gone to school and he's busy learning slang.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

Out of the Mouths of Babes. Little Lola-"Mamma, this milk is

Sense and Cents.

Small Willie was entertaining his big sister's beau in the parlor.

"Mr. Green," he asked, "how many pennies have you got?"

"I haven't any at present, Willie, I'm sorry to say," he replied.

"Then mamma was right," continued the little fellow. "She told sister last night that you didn't have any more sense than a rabbit."

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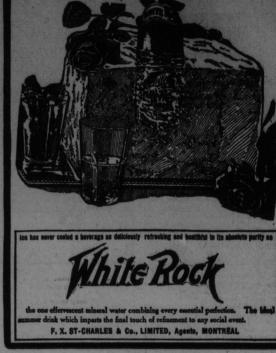
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