The Toronto World. TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 21, 1883.

FOURTH YEAR.

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for many a year. On Saturday evening the rain had fallen very heavily, and at night and on Sunday morning there were addi-tional thunder showers. Still nobody dreamed of danger from the little river Nith, better known as Smith's creek, once on a time the scene, some miles lower dows, of an awful accident on the Great Western railway. The river Nith rises north of Stratford, and joins the Grand river below Paris. Flowing through Ayr, it is generally a modest stream, now and tional thunder showers. Still nobody dreamed of danger from the little river Nith, better known as Smith's creek, once on a time the scene, some miles lower north of Stratford, and joins the Gread river below Paris. Flowing through Ayr, it is generally a modest stream, now and gasin awollen with a spring freshet. On Sunday evening it was observed to be rising, first at Plattsville, and a magnanimous man whose name is not know started in a buggy "~ give the alarm down the river. David idie's flour mill, the largest establish-ent of the kind in the province, is just

A TERRIFIC RAIN STORM Wery heavy jam of flood-wood against it. The Heafryn bridge is reported gone. McAl-lister's mill dam, in Grey, and Leeche's dam, in Bluevale, have been swept away, Leech loasing about \$4000 worth of logs. Wm. Milne's boom broke early Sunday, loosing about a quarter of a million feet of umber. Henry Ferguson, a young man, was drowned at Ethel while assisting to ave saw logs for his employer. His body has not been found. Losses: Vanstone Bros, \$5000; W. Milne, Ethel, [\$1500; R. McAllister, \$1000; township Grey, \$2500; county Haron here, \$2000; township Grey, \$2500; county Haron here, \$2000; township Grey, \$2500; town the maining che lahabitants. One Man Provaed -Great Damage to Houses, Barms, Fre-tors, Grain, Bridges, Railways, Beada and Bams. A terrible deluge of rain, accompanied by thunder and lightning, descended on Satur-day night upon a strip of county from

The cause of the accident has not been ascertained. Assistant Superintendent Bell arrived this morning to make an in-vestigation into the matter. It is supposed that some of the semaphores had been blown down or that the engineer of the Truck train mistook the larger car near the rear of the train as being the whole of it executive's report, which recom-it

THE ALDERMANIO BOARD, court house. This report has been on the paper for some months, and has been published several times. The report passed through the committee, but in council Ald.

THE CITY COUNCIL IN FORTNIGHT-LY SESSION.

Ups and Downs of the Civic Legislative Body-Matters of Municipal Impor-tance Under Discussion-Who Will be

Shaftesbury hall lase night. Mr. Flint was called to the chair. The object of the meeting was to protest against the sale of. liquor on the exhibition grounds during the fair next month. A letter of regret at not being able to attend was read from Mr. S. H. Blake, who just returned from Mr. S. H. Blake, who just returned from abroad. In years gone by there has been any amount of schemes devised by the holders of booths at the fair grounds to evade the spirit and letter of the law, as applying to exhibitions, whatever it may be. Last year when the police attempted to stop nearly from selling lique whom

ONTARIO RIFLE ASSOCIATION. The Canada Company and MacDonal Matches Yesterday.

through the committee, but in ceuncil Ald. Baxter moved to strike out the eighth clause, The annual matches of the Ontario rifle which provided that the new building if erected be used only for judicial purposes. The mayor stated that the county would association came off in part yesterday at Garrison common. The weather was very

not agree to having city offices in the new building, and the city committee in turn de-cided not to agree to county offices either. Ald. Baxter said he merely wished to do of Col. Otter in England has conducted

the affairs of the association in a very effecient manner and to the satisfaction of all concerned. Mr. McDonald has been actingsecretary in the absence of that officer. The range-officers were Capt. Bomer and Capt.

Below is given a list of the prize-winners in the Canada company and MacDonald

 Matches:

 CANADA COMPANY MATCH.

 No.
 Name.

 1. Pte H Young, 37th Batt.

 2. Pte J Bell, 12th Batt.

 3. Corp Dant, Royal Grenadiers.

 4. Pte Draper, Queen's Own.

 5. Pte Wasles, 7th Fusiliers.

 6. Pte W Dant, Royal Grenadiers.

 7. Lance Corp Herod, 25th Batt.

 9. Pte Crawford, 13th Batt.

 10. Pte Jones, Queen's Own.

 11. Pte Rooth, 25th Batt.

 12. Corp Dee, Queen's Own.

Corp Dee, Queen's Own. Pte W Horn, 47th Batt.. Pte Bartiett, Queen's Gwn.... Sergt Sutherland, Royal Grenad. Sergt Sutherland, Royal Grenad. Sergt Campbell, 7th Fueiliers... Lieut R W Beacom, 25th Batt... Sergt Fearman, 37th Batt. Pte Deegan, Queen's Own... Sergt Conley, 24th Batt. Pte J Kirk, Royal Grenadiers... MACOONALD MATCH.

. Pte D andress, 13th D Coll Sgt Scholefield, 20t Pte Morris, 13th batt. . Stf Sgt Wilson, 33d batt . Pte W Horn, 47th batt . Capt Orchard, 16th batt . Lieut Dillon. 7th Fusili . Capt H Farley, H Q S. to stop people from selling liquor whom they thought had no right to they were told to go to Inspector Dexter, and he told them to go to some one else. And so on.

PRICE ONE CENT

SWAMPED AND DEFEATED THE CHAMPION'S BOAT RAN INTO BY A STEAMER.

A Badiy Managed Begatta at Fali River —Several Garsman Claim the Winner-ship—Was Hanian Gutrowed ?

FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 20.-One of the worst managed regattas on record was attempted here to day. Hanlan's boat was swamped and he was beaten. Things were upside down generally. The amateur race of 14 miles was won by John Murphy in 13.42. In the professional race Hanlan, Lee, Ten Eyck, Hamm, McKay, Hosmer, Ross, Driscoll, Teemer, Riley, Plaisted, Elliot and Gaisel started. The men first refused to row on account of the rough water, but the referee ordered them to their boats. Riley, Plaisted and Gaise were not up to the line when the were not up to the line when the word was giver. Hanlan and El-liot had started before Plaisted heard the word. The referee shouted for the men to come back, and a whitle was sound-ed. Riley, Hosmer and Hamm came back, and the others keyt on, Hanlan well ahead. It was not doubted on the referee's boat that all the men understood the signal to return, but the men continued ever the course, with Teemer leading, Driscoll second, Mo-Kay third, Hanlan a way behind them and the others struggling in the rear. It looked as if the men were determined not to row the race on its merits. The referee immediately ordered the race to be rowed over again. race on its merits. The referee immediately ordered the race to be rowed over again. About 7 o'clock another start was made. The men got off pretty even, Hanlan shoot-ing to the front with Elliott a close second, Lee and Hamm several lengths behind and close together. The rest of the men were in a bunch, Plaisted slightly shead. Hanlan turned the buoy first, Ross and Hosmer close behind and turning nearly together. Han'en had the inside course, but his water was quite rough. The steamer Canonicus with an excursion party came down the river as Hanlan turned the buoy and steamed among the carsmer. The swell swamped Hanlan, Elliott and Hamm, and practically throwing Hanlan out of the race. Darkness fell rayidly and it was almost impossible to distinguish the men at the finish. Lee upset after coossing the line, and Driccoll distinguish the men at the finish. Lee upset after crossing the line, and Driscoll drew out half a mile from the start. At the close half a dozen carsmen suprounded the judge's bost, several claiming first position. It was given to Teemer, who made two and a half miles in 18 28, Hoemer 2d, 18.30; Ross 3d, 18 35. Hanlan said he was beaten, but did not feel very bad about it. There was no m mey bet on him. The other oarsmen claim Hanlan was outrowed, but the roughness of his water and the swamp-ing of his boat may be taken as the cause of defeat.

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province, is just above Ayr, where is situated the famous son had ever known it in thirty-four years' residence at Ayr, the river had assumed the iurbulence of a mountain torrent, and overflowing its banks on both sides did an amount of damage it is impossible to con. ceive without having been an eyewitness. Boards, cordwood, hay and straw covered the broad breast of the swollen stream. The Credit Valley railway bridge was soon the only bridge not carried away, and that was so shaky that trains were unable to cross, and freight and passengers were tran-shipped during the day. At Watson's factory the scene was one never to be forgotten. The Recorder office stood in the middle of a The Recorder office stood in the middle of a lake, and any number of houses and build-ings were submerged up to the window sills. Through the new implement factory the water rushed like a young Niagara, and a new bridge just opposite the factory, and which was delivered by the contractor on Saturday night, was entirely oblicrated. Close by what had been an abutment was a frame cottage, through the lower story of which the water was flowing with a force which was washed was washed was washed was washed was washed was was washed washed was washed was washed was washed was washed w frame cottage, through the lower story of which the water was flowing with a force that threatened to wreck it. At the upper windows were two grown-up persons and seven children, who saw the building next to them crumble up and float away on the tide like a pack of cards, and who must have had a dire presentiment of their coming fate. They had been warned by Mr. Watson, but the river bank are covered with water, and thousands of dollars worth of grain ruined. Mr. Smith's house in this town was struck with lightning yesterday and badly damagthought themselves secure, and when the flood came neither boat nor rafe could have ed. The water is slowly advancing up th main street, and a few feet more will floor lived in it a moment. By 10 a.m. the water was subsiding and the Credit Valley train the business part of the town. The rail-way bridge on the London, Huron and Bruce division is in danger. The water is now within twenty inches of the rails. was subsiding and the Creat Valley train carried away a number of unwilling visitors who had spent three hours waiting the ravages of the flood. It was said that every bridge from Plattsvelle to Paris was carried LISTOWEL, Aug. 19.—About 10 o'clock last night a fearful rain storm accompanied with terrible thunder and lightning broke away and the amount of damage done must have been immense. Mr. Watson thought it would take his establishment a month to last night a fearful rain storm accompanied with terrible thunder and lightning broke over this place. About 6 this morning the citizens were alarmed by the ringing of the fire bell, and amid peels of thunder and terrific lightning hastened to the business part of the town to save all that was possi-ble. In a short time the water flooded Main and Wallsce streets, filling all the cellars and in many of the business places ent a month to it would take his establishment a month to sraighten up things, and it is a matter for con-gratulation that the walls and foundations of the new building were of a character to sustain such a shock as they were exposed to for some hours without apparent injury. The extent of the damage at Goldie's mill and elsewhere could not be ascertained, but and ensembler could not be accertained, but the large chimney at the mill was said to be in ruins. Through a great breadth of country the oats, where they were heavy crops, were laid flat on the ground. OTHER DISPATCHES.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 30.-The rain fell in torrents all Saturday night accompanied by thunder and lightning. The rain measured six inches on the level. On Sunday mornwalks were also greatly damaged. Several very narrow escapes of drowning occurred, among which was Mr. J. M. W. Scott, banker, and Lawyer Maybee, who were crossing Wallace street in a boat, when it upset, they being nearly powerless in the swift current, but fortunately they caught on a piece of floating sidewalk just as they many being curried under a large builder and ing the river rose to its highest high mark, and kept rising until Monday noon, when it had risen three feet higher than ever before. It has destroyed all crops growing on any flats, also bridges on the river, and were being carried under a large bridge and on any flats, also bridges on the river, and all culverts making the roads entirely im-passable. The first damage done here was the taking away of Vanstone's tem-porary dam. The flood carried away the sinoke-stack of Living-stone's flax mill. On Sunday night the large skating rink of W. R. Wilson's went to pieces and floated away taking with it James Buyer's lumber sheds and contents, also his waron shop and paint rescued. It is impossible at present to esti-mate the loss. Reports from the surround ing country say whole fields of grain in shocks have been swept away, and many uncut are totally ruined. The water is now falling. with it James Buyer's lumber sheds and contents, also his wagon shop and paint shop and contents, a two-story building, also T. Watson's implement sheds. When the foregoing went away they came against the main bridge with a crash and wrecked it so that it is impossible though still hang-ing on the abutments. It also carried away luing store for a track and a day in 89 an average yield ; in 33 the crop will away Livingstone's flax storehouse and tow, will be above the average. Many reports state the wheat thin, blighted and mildewed. the greater part of which was rescued in the In Morris several several have also gone. The railroad has no trains running to day, Other crops are above the average. there having been several serious washouts. The railroad bridge at Ethel is expected to go unless the water subsides, as there is a tive million busheis,

6 o'clock on Sunday morning Geo. Schmitt's | Sexton. large barn was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. It was worth \$2000 above Ayr, where is situated the famous agricultural implement factory of John Watson. Both of these places were awak-eaed in the middle of Sunday night, and the fire bell was rung from the tower of the Watson factory. Mr. Watson, with his accustomed energy, soon had all hands making fast what was likely to be swept away. Ere long the flood was upon him; till rising three feet higher than Mr. Wat-son had ever known it is thirty for a marking feet in water. In Berlin several to fail a several for the several of the several feet in water. In Berlin several for several feet in water. tive) 1020. so night that Bricker's foundry stood several feet in water. In Berlin several roofs and chimneys were damaged. The grape vines had a bad shaking up. Ben Godbold's horse was killed. In Water-Ben Godbold's horse was killed. In Water-loo three houses were struck. At Bloom-ingdale Oberholtz's new house had some windows broken. Thomas Fenton, above Elmira, had his large barn with all its con-tents burned, as had also Geo. Smith near Heidleberg. WINGHAM. Aug. 20 -The wildest thun

violent language in the cemmons recently by Irish members serves no good end. The Lord-Lieutedant and Lady Spencer have gone to Cork on a visit. Elaborate precautions have been taken to protect WINGHAM, Aug. 20 — The wildest thun-der storm of the season set in here early Saturday morning, and great quantities of rain have fallen. The railroad track be-tween here and Palmerston is washed out in more than a dozen places, and several of the bridges have been carried away. The train from Kincardine reached here this morning, but could not get any further. The highway between here and Belgrave is covered with water, in some places four feet deep, and two or bridges have been carried It is rumored in London that three polic men have been shot during the eviction of an orangeman from his tenancy in county While the evictors were advancing toward Renshawe's house a volley was fired at them. The head constable and a policeman were wounded dangerously.

were wounded dangerously. LATER.—The shooting occurred at Bain-bridge. Denis Renshawe was the man evicted. He has been arrested, charged with shooting the policemen. DUBIN, Ang. 20.—Two men have been put under heavy bail for threatening Francis Carey, brother of James Carey. When Francis was stacked he drew a re-volver nursued his assailants and thalky LATER - The Maitland river is s'ill LATER - The Mathand river is s in rising at the rate of six inches per hour. The streets and cellars of lower Wingham are flooded. Fisher & Hutton's mill dam has been carried away. The farms along volver, pursued his assailants and finally gave them into custody.

THE OLD WORLD IN BRIEF. Cetewayo has recovered from his wounds A Vienna dispatch says Chambord's end

is rapidly approaching. A report that the French minister had left Pekin is denied in Paris. There were 182 death from cholera

Egypt on Sunday. There have been 43 deaths in the provinces of Ghizeh and Atfe in the last four days. Irish Riots in Scotland.

GLASGOW, Aug. 20.-Rioting was begun in Coalbridge, Lunark county, Scotland, on Saturday between parties of orangemen and catholics. Twenty-six ariests and two of the police dangerously wounded. The rict-ing was resumed this morning. A number of catholics armed with picks and hammers cellars, and in many of the business places the water was from a foot to twenty inches deep on the floors, doing an immense amount of damage to goods of all descrip-tion. Several buildings were carried away and smashed to atoms. Bridges and side-walks were also greatly damaged. Several paraded Main street in search of antagonists, and resisted the police. The officers were reinforced by mounted policemen. The combined force charged the rioters, twenty the money away. Ald. Clarke would like to throw out a Ald. Clarke would like to throw out a suggestion. He knew that it would be little use trying to induce the faxpayers to pro-vide a new city hall. But they might go in with the free library board and erect a joint building. That board could borrow money for the purposes, while the council could not. Ald. Clarke also spoke of the foul, unhealthy smells of the present building. Ald. Walker was asked what progress was being made between the city and county of York anent the erection of a new court house. He replied that he thought there of whom were arrested. There is great excitement, and more trouble is expected. LATER—The rioting was renewed to-night. The police were stoned by the peo-ple, whereupon the riot act was read and the police charged and dispersed the mob. The catholics severely beat two protestants, one of whom is in a precarious condition.

Fifty rioters were arrested. The Maddgascar Arrest. LONDON, Aug. 20 .- In the house of com mons to-night Gladstone replying to a ques

tion of Northcote relative to the case of Shaw, who was imprisoned by the French

The British Crops Good. LONDON, Aug. 20.—The Mark Lane Ex. press prints reports frrm 361 districts of England and Wales regarding the harvest of 1883. In 239 the indications are that the wheat crop will be under the average; was not content with the statement and anwas not content with the statement and an nounced that he would repeat the question to morrow. Gladstone declared that he will be unable to say anything further rela-tive to the case, as public interest might be injured. Replying to a question by Cowan he said there would be very grave cause for completing if the would be very grave cause for

The Iowa state returns indicate that the yield of wheat this season will be twenty-tive million bushels.

to intimidate the electors. The election in Slige county has resulted Lynch (home ruler) 1596, O'Hara (conservaing that the use of the two rooms in the first flat of St. Paul's hall building be granted to the free library board for the esgranted to the free library board her the con-tablishment of a branch library for the con-venience of the ratepayers residing in the northern portion of the city, wa amended by adding a similar provision at St. An-drew's hall for the benefit of the west end. After the result was declared O'Hara

After the result was deelared O'Hara charged Sexton with resorting to vulgar personal abuse during the canvass and with slandering the living and the dead. Sexton will reply to-night. Sligo is illuminated to-night in honor of Lynch's victory. Sexton in a speech charged the Sligo magistrates with interfer-ence in the election. He denied using abu-sive language in the canvass. **1** The Times, commenting on the language used of late in the commons by the mem-bers for Ireland, says: A sterner demeanour will for a long time be necessary, in view of these revolting excesses. All the other clauses of the reports passed and the committee rose. Ald. Clarke asked leave to introduce bill providing that in future five of any the different standing committees constitute a quorum instead of a majority, as at prequorum instead of a majority, as as pro-sent. [The committees are composed of ter members-REF] The by-law was intro-duced and passed the three readings. Ald. Clarke also introduced a by-law to ing all roads and bridges belonging to the county of York, within the limits of the ward of St. Paul. The by-law provides of these revolting excesses. The Dublin Freeman's Journal says the

that the corporation of Toronto assumes and takes possession of all roads and bridges belonging to the county of York, in the ward of St. Paul, subject to the right of said county to receive proper compensation therefor; and in the event of the said council not being able to agree with the said county on the amount of compensation for any such road or bridge, then and in or any such case such compensation shall be determined by arbitration, under the pro-visions of the municipal act in that behalf. The by-law was read three times and

Moved by Ald. Moore and Turner, that

the committee on works be requested to confer with the county council or a committee of that body with a view to asse that portion of Yonge street south of the line of the northerly boundary of the city on the west side of said street, and to report a bylaw giving effect to such assumption if they desire it advisable so to do. Carried. Ald. Turner then announced that he

Ald. Turner then announced that he wished to introduce a very important reso-lution in connection with our disreputable city buildings. He moved, seconded by Ald. Clarke, "That the sanitary condition of the city hall, both as judged antecedent-ly by the large mortality that has taken place from the official staff and immediately from the frequent illness to which they are subject, calls for some decisive remedial measures, and that to this end it be an instruction to the pro-perty committee to thoroughly consider the same and make a full report thereon to the council at the carliest day." Ald, Turner added that the city treasurer had just in-formed him that he had lately to leave his effice on two different cocasions owing to

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t St. Louis. The South Carolina cotton ported damaged by drouth. Joseph F. Paul & Co., extensive lumber

formed him that he had lately to leave his cflice on two different occasions owing to the sickening stench. Mr. Harman said he would have to procure temporary quarters elsewhere owing to this cause. Ald. Turner also spoke of the large sums which have been an the harmonic and the second state and alers of Boston, have suspended. It is reported and denied that ex-Gover-or Hubbard of New Haven has lost heavily n Wall street.

were being spent on the abominable old buildings, which was just equal to throwing over-issue of Denver Rio Grande stock has been discovered, and that this caused its rapid decline. The secretary of the com-

> ummer. Should resumption be made upon reduction of wages the workmen assert they will strike. The glass workers there are seeding from the knights of labor and joining the American flint glass association.

France and China.

house. He replied that he thought there would be little difficulty in coming to terms as soon as the necessary legislation as se-cured. Nothing further could be done till NEW YORK, Aug. 20 .- A Telegram then. Ald. Davies revived his scheme for utiliz-

ing the west wing of St. Lawrence hall for the purpose of city offices. He did not see

why the building could not be made to an-swer the purpose admirably. The mayor said he hoped the property committee would give Ald. Turner's motion committee would give Ald. Turner's motion serious consideration. He did not think the city was prepared to spend \$300,000 or \$400,000 on new city buildings but some-thing might be done to relieve the city offi-cials from the nuisances of the present city hall.

hall. The council went into committee of the

...Capt H Farley, H Q S..... Set Sgt Johnston, 12th Ratt ...Sgt Walling, B Battery.... ...Corp Mickle, Quren's Own... ...Pte Mowat, Boyal Grenadie ...Stt Sgt Lanskail, 12th Batt last night passed the following resolution That a deputation be appointed to wait on the board of directors of the Toronto Industrial exhibiboard of directors of the Toronto Industrial exhibi-tion association to remonstrate against their action in spopening Mr. Hill, their manager, to apply for a license to sell intoxicating liquor as their annual exhibition; that the said deputation be sloo re-quested to wait upon the Toronto board of license commissioners to request that portransfer or enlarge-ment be made of the license granted to the manager of the exhibition, and to point out that the grant-ing of the skid license was entirely contrary to the text of the Ontario license act. Trooper T M Getman, 4th Cav Capt Wright, 43d Batt Mr W P Moore, Halton R A... . Mr W P Moore, Halton R A. ...Capt Manley, Royal Grenadic . Lieut Harris, 38th Batt. ...Sgt Konnedy, Queen's Own. ...Sgt Roiston, 37th Batt. ...Sif Roiston, 37th Batt. ...Lieut Cartwright, 14th Batt. ...Lieut Johnson, 49th Batt. Pre Arshony Bell MAJOR DEAPER'S DANDIES.

Annual Farade of the Police Force-A LATEST SPORTING POINT Fine Turnout.

The annual parade and inspection of the He Did Not Buy the Track. police force took place yesterday afternoon. NEWPORT, Aug. 20 .- Mr. Lorillard says has not bought the Saratoga race track, bont 100 men and officers mustered in

the drill shed at 2 30 and were put through and does not inte several drill evolutions. The force was never shown to better advantage than they

did leaving the drill shed, preceded by Major Draper, mounted. They marched by Front, Yonge, Wellesley to the lacrosse ground, where they were inspected by Mayor Bos-well and Col. Denison, two of the police

play a match game of baseball with the Atlantics on Saturday afternoon if convenent.

petition on July 12. The cup bears the in-scription : The Magdala is still loading lumber at

Won at a tug of war competition by the cham-pion police team composed of Police Constables Anson, Patterson, McDonald, Cuseck, McRas and Stormont. Presented to Mrs. Draper as token of respect and esteem by the Toronto police force August, 1883. the Northern. The May Wiley and A. Mulvey are light The Erie Queen will have her coal off at

Major Draper returned thanks on behalf of Mrs. Draper. Before disbanding the mayor called Policeman Alfred Cuddy, the Builey's to morrow. The Goldhunter cleared from Sylvesters with grain for Ogdensburg yesterday. hero of the Moroney murderer's arrist, and complimented him on his gallantry. He also informed Mr. Cuddy that he had been The Oliver Mowat has cleared, light, for Charlotte, where she will take a load of coal to Kingston. promoted to the first-class ranks. A game of baseball was thrn played be-tween the police and the firemen, which re-culted in the cops' defeat by a score of 22 The Garibaldi started to unload

Bailey's yesterday afternoon. She will out, to-morrow by night.

The fight over the Sunday law continues

but had to lay up at Simcoe street.

It is reported on Wall street that a large

rapid decline. The secretary of the com-pany decies the report. The break in Denver and Rio Grande caused free sales of other stocks in New York, and prices fell 1 to 5⁵/₂ per cent. compared with Saturday night's closing. Work is suspended in all the Pittsburg window and hollow glass factories for the Sheald a comprise the media unon MONTREAL, Aug. 20 .- The statistical

special, Dated Hai Phong, on August 14, says : Two hundred soldiers were sent

Mr. Justice Morrison celebrated his 64th birthday yesterday. Mr. H. M. Smith, manager of Baird's

Dramatic company, has engaged the talent-ed young American actress, Miss Jemin Seeley of Syracuse, N. Y., to support Mr. Robt, H. Baird in Col. Sellers and Kathleen Mayourney on their tour through Canada and the United States.

came over the wires last night, but it ap-pears to be as badly mixed up as the regatta itself] THE DEFEAT ACKNOWLEDGED.

A Deputation Walts on Manager Dwight

-1he "Square Thing" to be Done. The telegraphic strike is over for a certainty. All of the strikers in this city yesterday admitted a clear defeat. A deputation waited on Manager Dwight to arrange terms for the teturn of some of the strikers. Others have decided not to ask to be taken back. Mr. Dwight said he would do the square thing, whatever he may mean by that. It is understood that several of the best of the operators will be reinstated. The despatches from other places place matters in about the same position as here. As a result of the strike it may be expected In the mile and a furlong race at Saratoga vesteaday Bannia Bird won in 1.58⁴, Alla B 2d, Helen Wallace 3d. The Lingtry baseball club would like to

Death of Mr. Owen Jones. A cablegram from London announces the

death in his fiftieth year of Mr. Owen Jones, chief engineer of the Northwestern rail-WAY.

The Toronto Trunk Sewer.

From the Sanitary Journal for August. Have the people of this city forgotten all about the necessity for a trunk sewer? With the rapid increase in the population of the city the sewer is becoming still more necessary, if the besutiful bay is not to be-come a veritable filth pond. The money spent in its construction would be a most profitable investment. But the sewage ought not to be allowed to flow into the lake even, but should be pumped up on to higher ground and used on a sewage farm.

Mr. Hickson Calls on the Mayor. Before leaving the city on Saturday Mr. Hekson, general manager of the Grand Trunk railway, called to see Mayor Boswell in consction with the settlement of the Esplande matter, but as his worship was unwell a was impossible to have a meeting between hem. The mayor, however, ad-dressed a letter to Mr. Hickson yesterday The Dundee was moved from the foot of Church street to Wm. Alamson's slip. She is caulking and getting ready for grain. The Minnie is lying at Adamson's, kept in by a head wind. The rest of the Credit fluet started with an east wind yesterday, regretting that he was unable to see him on Saturday and expressing a hope that a meeting of the railway managers would be held at an wriy day to settle the long standing Esplande troubles. The Brothers, a hocker belonging to Mr. Armstrong which has recently come off the stocks, is in at Adamson's with stone from Oskville. She will carry about ten toise.

Industrial Exhibition Beard. The board met is their rooms at 4 o'clock resterday afternoon, Mr. J. J. Withrow in the chair. The manuers of the board were all present.

Dr. Oldright was heard on the subject of having a portable hospital on the grounds. It was decided to allow space on the groun for the building, but it was decided not to

for the building, but it was decided not to interfere with its construction. The sides and top of the building will be of sail cloth, and it is a model of a similar vehicle in the grounds of the hospital at Geneva. Per-mission was granted to an exhibitor of a new kind of matches to exhibit dummy ones which should be entirely harmless. Permission was also granted several other special exhibitions.

HOBEST JOHN'S LITTLE JOKE.

Yesterday when the police parade was passing West Market and Front streets ex-Ald. Hallam, perched on a pile of hides, shouted to the band-master of the Queen's Own: "Strike up the rogue's

FAIR WEATHER.

TORONTO, Aug. 21, 1 a.m.-Lakes and Upper St. Lawrence: Fresh southwesterly to westerly vinds; fair weather, not much change in tempera-

SAFE OVER THE SEA.

Steamship. Reported at J rom Aug. 20-Hollard......New York....London Ang. 20-BalteQueenstown...New York Aug. 20-Circassian....New York.....Glasgow

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the bearer of an utimatum to Annam. If it is rejected a blockade will be proclaimed. The Hong Kong correspondent says it is certainly meant to bombard Hue unless the Annams consent to France's terms.

vong. The French fleet sailed to day on a reconnaisance along the southern coast. The commissaire stated that no bombard-ment was intended but simply a demonstra-tion to show what punishment he could inflict if necessary. LONDON, Ang. 20.—A despatch from Hoi-phong says the French commissioner in Ton-quin who is on the admiral's ship will be the bearer of an ultimatum to Aunam. If it is reiexted a blockade will be proclaimed.

The number of ocean going steamers ar-riving in the port of Montreal up to Aug. 15, 1883, is 320, as against 262 during the same period last year, the tonnage being 316,111 in 1883 as against 234,158 in 1882. from Hai Phong yesterday to occupy Haizi-vong. The French fleet sailed to day on a PERSONAL

a falling off in 1883 of nearly \$300,000, The following are the figures for 1883 : May \$643,105, June \$637,454, and July \$767,868, whilst in 1882 the figures were May \$685,951, June \$701,732, and July \$958,533; the totals being in 1883 \$2,048,-444 as against \$2,346,217 in 1882.

The Port of Montreal.

department of the custom house has just completed the returns for the last three months up to the end of July, which show

The Hope brought six toise of very fine building stone to Adamson's yesterday afternoon. The stone was quarried near Oakville and is the finest that has come into port for some time.

commissioners. After considerable drill the men were After considerable drill the men were drawn up in a hollow square minus a side, when Mrs. Boswell presented the prizes won at the late revolver competition. At the request of the force Mayor Boswell presented Chief Draper's wife with the cup won at a ing of war com-MARINE NEWS atest Movement of the Steamers and Vessels in the Bay. The Edsall cleared last night with a raft