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He lost too many legs. The St. James Gezette tells the following story: A young British officer at the front recently wrote home to his father from South Africa: "Dear father, kindly send me 50 at once; lost another leg in a stiff engagement and am in hospital without means." The answer was: "My dear son, as this is the fourth leg you have lost, according to your letters, you ought to be accustomed to it by this time. Try to wobbile along on any others you may have left."

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M. Gaston Menler, the noted "chocolate king." is very much to the front in French affairs just now. Having built a modern workingmen's village, he entred the chamber of deputies and became an intimate friend of M. Waldeck-Rosseau. He is about to back up a great newspapar enterprise—a Paris paper on the lines of the American dailies.

John Redmond, M. P., in a letter to the Irish papers, formally announces that he has concluded a preliminary contract with Mr. Augustin St. Gaudens, the Irish-American sculptor, for the Parsell monument at a cost of \$40,000. The work is to be completed within five years. Only \$3,000 has yet been subscribed. Mr. Redmond expresses a hope of bring ultimately sple to purchase Avondale, the Parnell regidence.

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O'Brien, the murderer, was executed at Dawson City on August 23.

Trooper Charles Tupper Busby was accidentally seriously wounded, at Bloemdale, Aug. 26. Next of kin, Mrs. Bushby, Moncton, N. B.

F. G. Fauquier, government agent at Revelstoke, is reported as absconded with government money amounting to somewhere between \$2,000 and \$3,000.

A train leaving Sodus Point, over the Northern Central railway, was derailed on Thursday near Newark, New York. One person was was killed and 28 in-

The steamer Frith arrived at Ham merfest on Thursday and reports that she successfully landed the Baldwin-Zeigler Arctic expedition at Camp Zeigler, Algiers Island.

The superior jury of awards has decided unanimously to give Henry Auston, who designed the Pan-American illumination, a gold medal in recogni-tion of his achievement.

Toronto Telegram: Toronto's civic government will not have to start working on Labor day, for the good and sufficient reason that it has yet to show the first sign of starting to work.

Mr. James Weller, a member of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade, has just left London for Melbourne, in charge of seventy-five Esquimo dogs for the Antarctic exploring ship Discovery.

Judge Berry , of Lynn, fined a fellow who was working a sore-backed horse, \$50. "How would you like to have a boil on your neck, and the collar con-stantly rubbing against it?" asked the indore

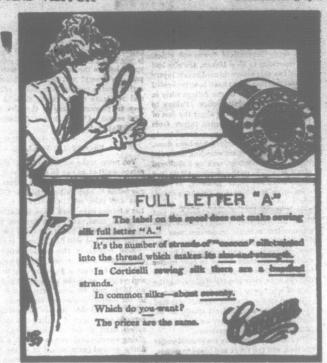
W. MacKinnon, of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, comes next week to New Brunswick and Nova Scotla to furnish information regarding the making of fruit packages exposed

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Mme. Crispi has lodged a protest against the government's action in officially sealing up the late Signor Crispi's private papers at Mount Lina, on the ground that at the moment of his death he was a private person and no longer a public official of the state.

The next imperial officer appointed to the command of the Canadian militia may combine with that duty the direction of the imperial forces at Halifax and Esquimalt, B. C. The imperial offices at those places will likely be closed up and matters directed from Ottawa.

The Free Baptist conference of Nev Brunswick to have been held this year at Waterville, Carleton Co., will be held at Marysville, York Co., on the first Saturday in October. The change is made on account of the prevalence of smallpox in a part of Carleton



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The Bishop of Carpentaria, has started on an adventurous journey, the overland trip from Port Darwin to Adelaid. The whole of the Northern Territory of South Australia, comprising an area of about 567,000 square miles, is included in the bishop's diocese, as well as the northern ports of Queensland.

A Paris despatch states: Dr. Koch will inoculate Dr. Garnault with bov-

A Harrisburg, Pa., despatch states:
Daniel Drawbaugh, the aged inventor, who or many years fought the Bell Telephones
Company to establish his right to the priority of the invention of the telephones announces that he has invented a wireless signal system capable of application to telegraphy and telephony. He makes use he says, of the electrical currents of the terth, and claims to have successfully telephoned a distance of more than half a learn of the same thing. The shoes consisted of an iron bound wooden plate, about a foot in width, secured to the hoof by wooden clasps. Mr. Thomas secured the model, and the worklwas done by Mr. W. H. Purdy. The horse was thus equipped to enable him to draw a mowing machine across the soft spots in the meadow of his owner.—Bear River Telephone.

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London Telegraph: What is believed to be by far the longest record of travet in the railway world has just been completed by the Grest Northern' express engine known as "No. 1," which has dowed the content of the railway world has just been completed by the Grest Northern' express engine known as "No. 1," which has dowed the content of the railway world has just been completed by the Grest Northern' express engine known as "No. 1," which has dowed the content of the carth. The engine is dill delive englished the content of the earth. The engine is dill delive englished on express trains between King's Cross and Doncaster, and its statement at the content of the earth. The engine is dill delive englished with outside cylinders. Over thirty years have elapsed since it left the company of the disease from cattle.

Mira. John F. Kidder, of Glass Valley, Cal., is probably the only woman railway president in the world. She succeeded to the presidency of the Nevada County Narrow Gange Railroad Company on the deasth of he husband, who had for some time occupied that position. She had become familiar with the duties of the offices during her husband's illness, when she was obliged to assist him with his work, and manager.

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