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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT Ancillary Probate has been granted by the Probate Court of the City and County of Saint John, to ELIZA MATILDA RIORDON of the City of Toronto in the County of York and Province of Ontario, widow, and CHARLES RIORDON, of the same place, Paper Manufacturer, of the will of John Riordon, late of St. Catherines, in the County of Lincoln, and said Province of Ontario, who died on the twenty-first day of September, A. D., 1884, and whose will was proved by the said Eliza Matilda Riordon and Charles Riordon on the seventeenth day of November, A. D., 1884, in Her Majesty's Surrogate Court of the County of Lincoln, in the said Province of Ontario.

All creditors and other persons in this Province, having claims or demands against or upon the Estate of the late John Riordon in this Province, are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their claims or demands, duly attested, to the undersigned, ARTHUR C. FAIRWEATHER, of the City of Saint John, in said Province, Solicitor in the said Province for the said Executors.

And all persons in this Province indebted to the said Estate, are required to make payment to the said Arthur C. Fairweather.

Dated this Eleventh day of January, A. D., 1889.
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Notice of Dissolution.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, has this day dissolved by mutual consent. C. Jarvis Worden retiring.
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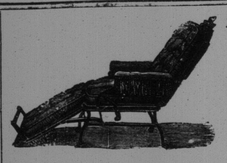
W. J. WRIGHT,
H. W. THORNE,
C. J. WORDEN.
Dated at St. John, the 5th day of Jan. D. D. 1889



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Last July we announced that we would, commencing on the 18th, sell our Dress Goods at half-price. These are the comments on the first day's sale.

"Wednesday came, but not the crowd. We hardly expected a crowd on the first day. Why should we? The morals of cheap sale advertising are very low. We cannot complain because ours has been classed with the others. We merely said that we would reduce Dress Goods to half-price, and we did so."

We then ventured to predict that the day would come when our announcements would be distinguished from others.

Last Saturday we announced that we would on Monday sell Dress Goods, Ulster Cloths and Dress Trimmings at half-price. Monday came, and the people. They brought their friends with them. They came in such numbers, and to such good purpose, that in three days our stock of Dress Goods was about sold out. Evidently the time has come when you have learned to discriminate between our half-price and any other half-price.

Next week our mutual advantage lies in turning our attention to Ulster Cloths —buy your next winter's jacket— (perhaps you'll need it this year)—when you can buy $3.30 Astrakan for $1.65. Isn't the inducement worth some present outlay.

About Dress Trimmings—Yesterday we saw the samples of the latest goods for the coming season, and we tell you —straight—there is nothing newer at full price than what we are today selling at half-price. You have bought your dress to be made up in the spring, buy your trimmings also.

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Half-price goods cannot be charged.

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WHY?

Because it has the heaviest Castings and the largest flues, hence will outwear any other Stove made and will draw where many others fail.
While these letters are well worthy of consideration by all who think of purchasing a new Stove, we would direct special attention to the
WIRE GAUZE DOOR
An idea of the advantages to be derived from its use. These are so manifold that it is impossible for us to explain them in the limited space of our column.
To those who may call it will afford us pleasure to explain its desirability. To those who cannot we shall be glad to supply circulars explaining fully the principles, and the savings made by its use.
The largest foundry in the United States is engaged in turning out Charter Oaks at the rate of 400 daily, and with this enormous output are barely able to supply the extraordinary demand. This proves more than anything else can do its great advantages, and the appreciation of the public for a good thing.
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THE CAPTURE OF CANADA,
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By G. Manville Fenn. Price 30 cents.
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SECOND EDITION.

THE IRISH TRIALS.

WM. O'BRIEN M. P. AND FATHER McCARTHY CONVICTED AND SENTENCED.

Mr O'Brien, However, has Disappeared, the Public don't Know Where.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

DUBLIN, Jan. 25th;—When the trial of Wm O'Brien was resumed today at Carrick-on-Suir the defendant was absent. The trial, however, proceeded in his absence and he was convicted and sentenced to four months imprisonment without hard labor The police ha asve yet discovered no clue to Mr O'Brien's whereabouts.

The Trial of Father McCarthy, charged with inciting boycotting was resumed at Clonakilly to-day. Father McCarthy was found guilty and sentenced to 4 months imprisonment; notice of appeal from the sentence was given.

Yesterday's Disturbance.

DUBLIN, Jan. 24.—The trial of Wm. O'Brien, on a charge of conspiracy, began today at Carrick on Suir, county Tipperary. The government issued a proclamation forbidding any demonstration welcoming O'Brien, but 200,000 persons gathered around the court house Six hundred policemen charged. the crowd, but were unable to disperse the gathering. The excitement was feverish and as O'Brien passed the court house he was greeted with vociferous cheers. His defence will be conducted by Timothy Healy.

While O'Brien was striving to pass through the crowd to enter the court house he was seized by a police inspector and dragged 30 yards. The people maddened by the treatment pressed forward to rescue him. The police repulsed the crowd, Timothy Healy, who stepped forward to aid O'Brien was met by a bayonet levelled at his breast, but was not injured. A number of reporters were maltreated. O'Brien replied to the magistrates that the police were attempting to incite a bloody riot.

When the case for the crown had been presented Healy applied for subpœnas for Salisbury and Balfour, both of whom, he asserted, had made speeches similar to those of O'Brien. The court refused and the spectators murmured, whereupon the magistrates ordered the galleries cleared. O'Brien exclaimed: "I'll clear out also" and started for the door. After a sharp struggle O'Brien reached the street, and an immense crowd escorted him through the town. The police used their batons without mercy and the people responded with sticks and stones. Scores were injured. The court issued a warrant for the arrest of O'Brien and adjourned. The police, with fixed bayonets, are patrolling the streets.

Another Riot Last Evening.

DUBLIN, Jan. 25.

Several of the persons who were arrested at Carrick-on-Suir yesterday, during the disturbances at the time of the arraignment of Wm. O'Brien, were conveyed to Clonmel last night. A large crowd had gathered about the railway station at Clonmel and, upon the arrival of the police and their prisoners, the mob had prevented the police from passing and demanded a release of the prisoners. A crowd stoned the police and the atter threatened to fire upon them. A priest interceded and prevented bloodshed. After two hours had passed the police received re-inforcements and succeeded in lodging their prisoners in jail.

FRENCH POLITICS.

A Scene Which Took Place in the Chambers of Deputies Yesterday.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

PARIS Jan 25.—A "scene" occured in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday. M. Lamarzelle conservative asked whether it were true that the Mayor of Brie had been suspended from the office for inviting to luncheon a monarchist, M. Lambert de Sante Croix, premier. Floque replied in the affirmative. He said that the mandate of mayors did not permit them to join in factious manifestations the ultimate object of which was the overthrow of the Republic. Mr. Lamarzelle retorted that Floquet's predecessors were more liberal in their views, and he created much laughter at M. Floquet's expense, by saying 'at your age. Robespierre had already been guillotined.'

A KICK AT PHELPS.

The Pall Mall Gazette Calls Him a Commonplace Diplomat.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—The Pall Mall Gazette deprecates the feasting of Minister Phelps. It says: "He is a commonplace diplomat, who has done average work, and we will bid him good-bye without emotion or regret. Diplomats, the Gazette declares, attribute Phelps treatment to the fact that the Americans are pulling John Bull's nose.

The St. John Dock Company.

There was a meeting of the directors of the St. John Dock Company this afternoon. On occount of the unavoidable absence of several gentlemen there was no business transacted other than to elect Mr. Howard Troop as one of the directors.

City Police Court.

The case of Amelia Murphy charged with petty larceny was dismissed.

J. P. Mulhall was fined $20 for assault. The case will be appealed.

Weather Report.

POINT LEPREAUX, Jan. 25.—9 a. m., wind n. w., light clear; thermometer 25, one bark inward.

MURDERING MISSIONARIES.

Result of the Interference of Germany with the Coast Tribes. Speculations as to the Course which Great Britain Will Take.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE."

ZANZIBAR, Jan. 25th.—An English missionary named Brooks, and 16 of his followers were murdered on Saturday near Saadani by members of the Coast tribes and natives of Zanzibar.

These murders indicate the extent of hatred to the whites. The Germans have aroused. Saadani for many years has been the starting point of European missions, the natives welcoming the missionaries and assisting them, especially the English. The murders have caused a sensation. The question as to the measures England will take to punish the murderers is egerly discussed here.

Equity Court.

In the Equity Court to-day, His Honor Judge Palmer presiding, the matter of "The British and Foreign Marine Insurance Company (limited)" vs. The Western Fire and Marine Insurance Company and W. G. Knowlton was taken up; and on motion of E. McLeod, counsel for defendant, the decree of 31st December last was confirmed.

The matter relating to the Trustees of George McLeod whom it is sought to remove by petition of Messrs. Greenshield, and to substitute others in their stead, come up for hearing according to notice given. The array of legal talent engaged in the matter was increased by the presence of the Attorney General who appears for the Bank of Montreal; C. A. Palmer who appears for the liquidators of the Maritime Bank and W. Watson Allen who appears in the interest of Messrs. Peck Bros., of England, who are creditors. The forenoon was occupied by arguments of the council upon the technical and other points and objections of jurisdiction, etc., submitted to the court on the first hearing and of which the public is already informed. His Honor gave a judgment this morning on the objection proceedings, that by petition for removal of Trustees, was not the correct procedure, holding that under Sec. 125 of the Equity Act, proceedings by petition were correct and he would proceed to hear the matter. The Court resumed at 2.30 o'clock and after various objections were made by the Council and disposed of, viva voce testimony was taken. Mr. Geo. K. McLeod one of the present trustees was put on the stand as the first witness, and examined by Dr. Baxter. Mr. McLeod was still giving his testimony at the hour of going to press.

Late Local News.

ORGAN RECITAL.

The organ recital by Prof. Morley at the Mission Chapel last evening was a perfect musical success and delighted a large and critical audience. This was of course to be expected from the names of the ladies and gentlemen who assisted Mr. Morley on the occasion. The organ is a nice toned instrument and under the Master hand of Prof. Morley its every beauty of tone was in turn exhibited.

THAT BREAD STORY.

The shopkeeper who appropriated the money of a customer to pay a former debt called at THE GAZETTE office to say that had the debt been of an ordinary character she would not have taken the money, but the goods were obtained on New Year's day from her daughter and under pretence of having the money to pay. The woman is still considerably in her debt the shopkeeper says.

A SALVATION ARMY FUNERAL.

The band of the Salvation army went to Carleton this afternoon to attend the funeral of one of the members of the corps at that place. There was a large representation of the corps from this side present at the funeral.

LOST HIS KEYS.

Policeman Geo. Baxter has lost a bunch of keys. He will be obliged if the finder will leave them at the Police station.

Bill Diamond's "grand ball" last evening was an enormous success. It was a very recherche affair; the costumes of the ladies being particularly a la mode. Dancing was kept up with unabated energy until an early hour this morning. Major domo Diamond had a large staff of aides to assist him in the discharge of his onerous duties. The guests were numerous.

Town Tattle.

A good story is been told about the dinner held in honor of the opening of the electric light station in Portland. It seems that the credit for the dinner was generally awarded to Alderman Murphy but that in reality it was paid for by the new city appointees who are to have charge of the station and wires. If this is true the "boys" will have a laugh on Alderman Murphy.

Social Events.

A very large number of ladies and gentlemen attended the reception given by Mayor and Mrs. Thorne yesterday afternoon.

Mr. John H. Parks entertained a large party at his residence, Mount Pleasant, last evening.

Mr. John Sandall, formerly of the customs service, celebrated his 79th birthday yesterday, and was tendered a surprise party by his children and grand children.

Late Ship News.

Port of St. John.

ARRIVED.

Jan 25—Bark Kate C McNintre, 447, Temple, from Monterideo, G F Smith; bal.

Foreign Ports.

ARRIVED.

At Boston, 25th inst, sch Wm Mason, Comeau, from New York.

Stocks and Bonds.

From J. M. Robinson, Banker and Broker, No. 65 Prince William Street.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 25, 1888.

Bank	Par of Share.	Last Div'd	Asked.	Offer.
New Brunswick	100.	6 p c	220	215
B N America	243.33	3½ p c	150	148
Nova Scotia	100	3½ p c x d	140½	139
Merchants	100	3 p c x d	120	118
Halifax Banking Co.	20	3 p c	112	110
St John Gas	100	4 p c	140	135
People's Bank of N. B	150	4 p c	130	125
Montreal	200	5 p c	226	225
Commerce	50	3½ p c	118½	117½
Merchants	100	3½ p c	137½	136
Toronto	100	4 p c		212
Ontario	100	3½ p	127½	125
Molsons	50	4 p c	169	157½
Montreal Tel Co.	40	2 p c qur	89½	88½
Montreal Gas Co.	40	6 p c	197	197½
C. P. R			55	52

FIRST EDITION.

TERRIFYING ACCIDENT.

Seven Tons of Molten Steel Scattered Through a Building Like Bullets.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—A peculiar accident occurred today at the railway works at Crewe. An immense crane carrying a ladle containing seven tons of molten steel collapsed and the ladle fell into a pit. Masses of the steel flew like bullets in every direction and twenty men working in the vicinity of the pit were severely injured. The roof of the building was torn off.

A Bank Robber.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Jan 25.—At the request of the French authorities, Eddy Guerin alias George Graham, an American burglar, has been conveyed to Lyons from London bound and closely guarded. He is accused of stealing 500,000, francs from the bank of France.

An Empress's Legacy.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

PARIS, Jan. 25—Figaro says that the Empress Frederick has accepted a Gallieria legacy of 5,000,000 francs. and becomes the possessor of landed property in France.

The Death Roll.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Jan. 25th;—Robert Stewart Menzies, member of Parliament for East Perthshire is dead. He was a Liberal and home-ruler.

Imperial Federation League.

The first annual meeting of the St. John Imperial Federation League will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Tuesday evening, the 29th inst. At this meeting the Committee on organization will submit their reports on Constitution and bye laws, after which the league will elect officers for the coming year. At an early date a public meeting will be called at which Mr. Parkin will give his views on Imperial Federation. This gentleman will spend several weeks in a tour of Canada previous to his departure for antipodes.

Personal.

Hons. A. G. Blair and F. P. Thompson are at the Royal.

Bradley L. Eaton, Calais, Me., James Lear, Halifax, E. A. Blakeney, Elgin, Allen Huber, Berlin and H. A. Powell, Sackville, are registered at the Victoria.

We regret to learn Mr. Joseph W. Hall has been confined to his house by illness for some days past.

The report of the department of public works has been issued. The amount expended in public buildings in the lower provinces was over $75.000; Quebec over $200,000; Ontario over 600,000, including expenditure on public buildings at Ottawa.

The commissoners appointed to prepare a scheme for the union of St. John and Portland have about completed their work. It will probably be placed before the courts of the two cities next week.

The department of justice is advised that Godin, the halfbreed wanted in Montana for murder, has left Regina, Helena, in charge of Sheriff Jeffries.

MONEY AND TRADE.

Rates of Exchange—To-day

	Buying.	Selling.
London, 60 day	.91	10½ p. cent
Do., sight	.94	10 p. cent
New York	7 dis	¼ prem.
Boston	¼ dis	¼ prem.
Montreal	¼ dis	¼ prem.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Jan 25.

	Yesterday Closing.	To-day Opening.	Highest.	1.30 P. M.	Yesterday Sales
Chi, Bur & Quin	108½	109	109	108½	1700
N Y Central	108½	....	....	....	100
Cen Pacific	....	....	....	....	....
Canada Southern	59½	59½	59½	59½	700
Delaware & Hudson	136½	136½	136½	136½	600
D & Lack	140½	140	140½	140½	24800
Erie	28½	28½	28½	28½	2400
Consol. Gas	....	....	....	....	....
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	....	....
N J Central	98½	98½	98½	98	900
K & T	12½	13	13	13	900
Lake Shore	102½	102½	102½	102½	....
Lon and Nash.	57	57½	57½	57½	800
Mis. Pacific	72½	72½	72½	72½	4000
N Y & New England	44½	44½	45½	45½	3800
Nothern Pacific	....	....	....	....	....
Northern Pacific pref	69½	69½	69½	69½	600
Chi. & Nor.	106½	107	106½	106½	12200
Omaha	31½	....	....	....	400
Oregon Trans	30½	30½	30½	30½	1900
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	....	....
Ph. & Reading	48	48	48	48½	48000
Richmond Term	24	24	24	23½	4800
St Paul	64	64½	64½	64½	19000
Texas Pacific	20½	20½	20½	19½	2900
Union Pacific	62½	62½	63	63	6900
Western Union	84½	84½	84½	84½	3200
Wabash	....	....	....	....	....
Wabash pref	....	....	....	....	....
Norfolk & W pref	51½	....	....	....	....
R. F. pref	....	....	....	....	....
Cotton Oil Ts	49½	49½	49½	49½	6500
Rock Island	97½	97½	97½	97½	....
O & M pref	....	....	....	....	....

BOSTON STOCKS.

Maine Central	84½	85½	85½	85½
Tow & St Fo	50½	50½	50½	50½
West Ends	....	....	....	....
Eastern	....	....	....	....

Chicago Markets.

	Yesday Close	To-day Open	Highest	1.30 Close
Wheat-May	97½	97½	97½	97½
June	94½	94½	94½	94½
July	89½	89½	89½	89
Corn—May	37	37	37	37
June	36½	....	....	....
Feb	35½	35½	35½	35½
Mar	35½	35½	35½	35½
Pork—May	12 10	12 02	12 02	12 80
Feb	11 70	11 35	11 35	11 35
Petroleum	85½	87	88½	87½

U S Government C. Bonds, 4 p cent, 127½ @ 128

London Markets.

LONDON, Jan. 25.

United States Fours	....
Do, do, Fours and a half	....
Atlantic and Great Western Bnds	34½
Do. do do seconds	....
Illinois Central	116½
Erie	29
do. Seconds	....
Mexican ordinary	39½
St Paul Common	65½
New York Central	....
Reading	....
Canada Pacific	54
Mexican Central firsts	71½
Pennsylvania	55½
Spanish Fours	....
Bar Silver	....

Money abundant at 1½ @ 1½ per cent.

Rate of discount in the open market for bot h short and three month bills is 2 @ 2½ per cent.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Jan 25.—Cotton quiet with a limited enquiry. American middlings 5½ pence; sales 8,000 bales, for speculation and export 1,600 bales receipts 46,000 bales: American 1,800 bales. Future quiet.

TILTING AT SECRET SOCIETIES.

Rev. Mr. Milton Says a Friend of His Heard Morgan's Murder Planned.

ELGIN, Ill., Jan. 22.—The Rev. George R. Milton, who has been threatened and warned to leave town as a result of his crusade against secret societies, said today: "All secret societies are composed of worshippers of the devil. I was in Boston when there was a great outcry against Masonry. We were shot at and assailed with unsavory eggs, and I realize that in speaking as I done of Masonry I have virtually taken my life in my own hands. A friend of mine present at that time, and who was present when the murder of Morgan was planned, was hit on the head with a large stone and nearly killed. It is the same as the worship of Baal in the days of old."

Mr. Milton preached a strong sermon Sunday, denouncing Masonry. His crusade has created great excitement.

William Morgan disappeared from Batavia, N. Y., in August, 1826, soon after he announced his intention of publishing a book revealing the secrets of Masonry, and it was declared that he had been abducted and murdered by Free Masons. A body alleged to be his, was produced, and led to the famous remark attributed to Thurlow Weed, that "It was a good enough Morgan till after election." The excitement over his disappearance was intense, and resulted in the organization of an anti-Masonic party, which in 1831 nominated William Wirt, of Maryland, for the Presidency. His fate has never been satisfactory ascertained.

Cable Briefs.

Alexander Cabanel, the French painter is dead.

M. J. Barry, a "young Ireland" leader in 1848, died yesterday in Cork.

The Czar has decided to abolish the office of Governor General of the Southern Provinces, and the people are glad.

In London there is a sharp decline in Curaquet railway bonds, which have fallen 10½ during the week. The Canadian Gazette advises the bondholders to form an independent committee in order to look after their interests.

When the cases of James Lawrence Carew and Dennis Kilbride, M. P., charged with offences under the crimes act, were called in court at Kildare yesterday the accused failed to answer and warrants for their arrest were issued.

The Berlin Post announces that the marriage of princess Sophie of Prussia to the crown prince of Greece will be solemnized in the spring at Athens. There would be a difficulty attending the religious ceremonies if the wedding took place in Berlin.

The Lord Mayor of London gave a banquet last evening, in honor of minister Phelps. There were 250 guests, including Lord Roseberry, Lord Salisbury, Lord Coleridge, Mr. Childers, Sir Jas. Fergusson and many literary and scientific celebrities.

La France says the ordinary garrisons in and about Paris are being replaced by troops known to be devoted republicans. It is asserted the police are preparing to bring about an emeute which will afford a pretext for the arrest of General Boulanger and his friends.

A duel was fought yesterday between M. Cornudet, member of the chamber of deputies for the department of Greuse, and M. Chirac (Boulanist), editor of a newspaper. The latter was wounded. The duel was the result of a quarrel growing out of the candidacy of General Boulanger.

Father McCarthy, charged with inciting boycotting, was arraigned at Clonakility yesterday. A large crowd gathered and was charged by 200 policemen. Many were injured by batons and bayonets. The crowd used stones and bottles against the police and 13 were injured. One of the wounded policemen will probably die. Three others are in a dangerous state.

Before the Parnell commission yesterday, Captain Slack traced the outrages in Ireland to the league and to the inflamed language of members of the commons, priests and other leaders. The league practically assumed the government of the country and encouraged outrages. There was no abnormal distress in his district. He thought the outrages would not have occurred had they not been instigated by the league.

The remains of Mme. di Murska and her daughter were cremated at Gotha, Mme. di Murska's Austrian husband and a dozen members of the Gotha opera company were the only mourners. The urn containing the ashes of the mother is inscribed: "These ashes are all that remain of a nightingale." The urn containing the daughter's ashes is inscribed: "The woman whose remains lie here has battled and suffered much in vain."

The Deutsche Woehenblatt prints a Zanzibar letter which says that the blockade on the east coast of Africa has only fomented disorder, and has failed to check the slave traffic. The writer complains of a lack of energy on the part of the German consul, and says that if Sir John Kirk returns to Zanzabar as British consul, as reported, it will mean the restoration of absolute English supremacy. The writer accuses England of stirring up the feeling against the Germans.

THE SAMOAN TROUBLE.

A Singular Statement by Bismarck's Personal Organ.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—The North German Gazette (Prince Bismarck's organ) denies the existence of a treaty precluding any European power from acquiring or seeking to acquire ascendancy in Samoa. It also denies that England and the United States are agreed that the proceedings of the German agent in Samoa are contrary to the stipulations of treaties concerning Samoa and opposed to diplomatic etiquette, and that these powers officially notified the German government accordingly. The treaties between Samoa, Germany, England and the United States, the Gazette says provide that Samoa shall concede to each treaty power equal rights with any other power, but no treaty regarding the neutrality or independence of Samoa exists between Germany and the United States.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The article in the North German GAZETTE relative to the treaties regarding Samoa, has caused somewhat of a commotion in official circles here. By some persons it is regarded as a deliberate defiance to the Washington government.

Queen Victoria's household expenses amount to over $400,000 a year.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox says she will stop writing poetry when she is forty. ! ?!!!

QUEEN VICTORIA WEAKENS

SHE RELAXES HER STRICT RULE ABOUT LOW-CUT DRESSES AT COURT.

Mr. Labouchere Announces that Her Majesty Has at Length Taken Pity on Her Half-Nude Lieges—Ladies Attending the Early Spring Drawing-Rooms and Court Functions May Wear High Dresses.

LONDON, Jan. 24—The Queen has intimated her intention of relaxing the strict rules about the low-cut dresses of the ladies attending the drawing-rooms so far as the early Spring functions are concerned. So they will not be required to expose themselves when half naked to the bleak air of a February day. Even however, if a little more clothing is permitted, delicate woman run a great risk in attending the early drawing-rooms.

The betrothal of Prince Frederick Leopold of Prussia to Princess Louisa of Augustenburg is a nasty blow to the royal family of England. Several years ago there was tacit understanding that Prince Frederick Leopold should seek a bride in England, and the journey of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught to Germany in the Summer of 18887 was connected with this matter.

Several erroneous statements have recently appeared in the papers about the Queen's will. The real truth is that Her Majesty's will was made in 1876. It is a document of portentous length, being engrossed on vellum of quarto size is bound up into a hugh volume which is secured by a lock; at the end are several blank pages of codicils, of which up to the present the Queen has made three —one early in 1879, after the death of Princess Alice; another in the Summer of 1884, after the death of the Duke of Albany, and another recently, which deals exclusively with the Jubilee gifts.

I gave an account a fortnight ago of the Queen's celebrated Sevres dessert service, which is kept in the green drawing-room at Windsor Castle. Mr. Goode who is the most eminent expert in such matters, informs me that no fewer than twenty-eight pieces of the service were lost or stolen during the reign of George IV., when it was in daily use at Carlton house for His Majesty's private table. Mr. Goode during the last fifteen years, has managed to buy back nineteen of these pieces, which are identical in every respect with those in the cabinets in the green drawing-room. Mr. Goode values the service which belongs to the Crown and not the private property of the Queen at fully $500,000, and one piece alone, the famous punch-bowl, was valued a few years ago by a well-known auctioneer at $50,000, while Mr. Goode himself vainly offered $2,500 to the present owner of one of the missing plates. The late Lord Dudley's superb vase, which was bought by Mr. Goode at the sale of his china, originally belonged to this service, and had probably been removed from Windsor Castle at the time of the confusion which prevailed there during the months of the illness of George IV., when as one of the pages told Charles Greville, loaded wagons were sent away nearly every night. I understand that Mr. Goode offered the pieces which he had received to the Queen in order that the Windsor Castle service might be completed, but presumably Her majesty did not care to expend $50,000 in making a present of china to the Crown. The value of the china at Buckingham Palace and in the private apartments at Windsor must considerably exceed $1,000,000.

The proprietors of the Casino at Monaco must be trembling for their profits. Everything at the tables seems lifeless. Such a thing as the maximum stake has not been seen during this season and no large sums have been lost or won.

Mme. Patti has arranged to leave Bordeaux for Buenos Ayres on the steamer sailing Tuesday week.

It is proposed to establish a home for German invalids at San Remo as a memorial to the Emperor Frederick.

HENRY LABOUCHERE.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

A Very Bearish Feeling at the Opening—What Drops Another Point.

[New York Sun.]

Candid and unprejudiced observers foresaw and foretold yesterday the situation in which the wheat market found itself this morning. The May option opened at 99⅝c., ⅜ down from yesterday's close. The June option was not quite so weak, opening at 98⅝c., ⅜ down.

At Chicago there was the same story. The opening price of May wheat there was 98⅝c., ⅜ down. The news as here the bear element was clearly in the ascendant at the opening, with a good prospect of keeping so all day.

The reasons are not far to seek. No demand for wheat for export; no market for our wheat in Europe, on account of our high prices and outside competition; a splendid new crop in prospect, not only here but all over the world's wheat-growing districts—these and other less conspicuous causes are sufficent to account for the situation. No doubt a good deal of the selling is for short account, but outside of this the whole natural tendency of the market, under existing conditions is downward.

Advices from London and Liverpool this morning were, if possible, bluer than ever. The wheat markets there are inactive, and prices lower even than yesterday.

Corn and oats opened firm but quiet.

The provision market at Chicago experienced another grand stamp. Pork opened at 12.50, 2½ points off, and soon ran down to 12.40.

At 11.30 o'clock the local wheat market had received a still further accession of weakness. The prices then were: February, 95⅞c.; March, 96½c.; May, 98⅝c.; June, 99½c. At Chicago in the same hour the May option was down to 97⅞c. and the June option to 95⅞c. Predictions of a fall to 90c. are as thick as blackberries in August.

He Loved his Last Bride Best.

Cornwall, Ont., Jan. 24.—Sil