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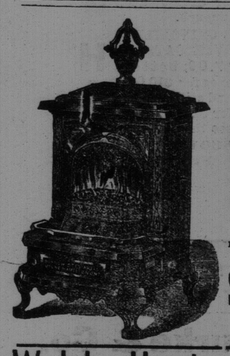

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I have again got my stock fully sorted up, and am now showing a better ASSORTMENT THAN EVER. The low price at which I have been selling
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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE is hard to Surpass.
Prompt attention paid to all who call, whether purchasers or not.
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Boots have advanced, but we beat the earth for low Prices and Honest Goods. Some silly persons boast of having "control of certain goods," which is simply rot. Our firm is in a position to buy goods as cheap, if not cheaper than any house in this city. These prices speak volumes and we are not afraid to allow the world to read them and examine the goods and judge for themselves.
Women's American Kid Buttoned Boots, with Heavy Soles, only $1.25;
" Dongola Kid Opera Toed, full finish, only $1.25;
" Oiled Pebbled Heavy Skating Boots for $1.50 and $1.85;
" French Kid Fine Buttoned Boots for $2.50, worth $3.25;
" French Frost a Hand Sewed, Button Boots $3.25, worth $5.00;
" Very Heavy Calf Hide Boots, 65, 75, $1.00 and up;
Misses Very Heavy Oil Pebbled Skating Boots $1.10 and $1.25;
Child's Very Heavy Calf Boots, sizes 4 to 7, 55c.;
" Spring Heel Boots, 4 to 8, for 85c.
Misses Spring Heel Heavy Grained Boots, 11 to 2, for $1.10;
Infants Boots from 2 to 5 only 25c;
Women's Slippers from 25c. a pair to $2 50;
Men's Solid Leather Hand Made Leg Boots, only $3 00;
" Heavy Bal Boots, whole stock, for $1 35, worth $2,00;
Youths' Very Heavy Tap Soled Bal Boots 75c. up;
Boys' Very Heavy Tap Soled Bal Boots $1.10 up;
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Boys' Best Polished Steel Lansdowne and Imperial Skates. All the Boys they trade with me, at No. 47, and to show that I appreciate their trade I will give a pair of the above Skates worth $2.00 with every Sale of Boy's Reefers, Overcoats or Suits, during the balance of this month. Look at them in the window, the Skates I mean.
ROYAL CLOTHING STORE.
WM. J. FRASER.
One Door Above Royal Hotel.

FIRST EDITION.

THE INQUEST.

CONTINUATION OF THE INQUIRY IN THE LATE EXPLOSION.

A Witness Says There Was a Lack of Water—George Godfrey, the Millwright, and the Night Watchman Examined—A Witness Wanted.

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

At the inquest before Coroner Robinson at South Bay yesterday afternoon, Robert Currie, sworn, said: I was working in the South Bay mill on the day of the explosion. I went to the engine room over the boilers. I stayed on the furnace about 15 minutes. I noticed the boilers; the water was very low in them. That was before the mill started the second time; about three quarters of an hour before the explosion. I think the water in the glasses showed only about three or four inches from the bottom. The glasses I looked at were boilers Nos. 5 and 6, from the engine room. No. 5 was the boiler that now lies on the hill. My little boy was on the boilers. I sent him home. Then I walked up to the gang. I remained there until the whistle blew to go to work. The gang was hauled on, and she dragged considerably for about 10 minutes or more. Then she commenced to gain her speed, and gained right away. About three quarters of an hour after we started I heard the explosion. There were two reports, one following the other like a cannon shot. I think there was a minute between. I was knocked down but not hurt. I don't think that either the engineer or his assistant were at their posts from the time that cog wheel broke till she started. I saw them helping fix the cog wheel. I worked in the mill since steam was put in her in 1883, and never until this summer have I seen any weight used on the safety valve, excepting the regular ball. This summer I saw at different times a big piece of iron and a kettle filled with iron, which, I believe, was used on the safety valve. I couldn't say whether they were used the morning of the explosion or not. When I looked at the glasses and saw the water low, it was about 15 minutes before the mill started the second time. That would be over an hour before the explosion. All I can swear to is that I saw them men away fixing the cog wheel for the 10 minutes that I was there.

SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.

SOUTH BAY, Dec. 3.

George Godfrey, mill wright, was the first witness and testified that on the morning of the explosion, he went to the mill about 6.50 o'clock and started oiling the machinery. The mill started at 7 o'clock and stopped soon after as a cog wheel was broken. He saw Mr. Allingham in the engine room. He assisted witness to carry a new wheel down. The repairs were made and the mill resumed sawing about 8 o'clock. The mill was moving slowly, she was dragging. His impression is that the fires got low while repairing the wheel. He went into a little room off the engine room. Mr. Allingham came in and asked him to repair a peevy. He said he didn't want to leave his post while the engineer was absent. He went away to get a cold chisel so that he could do the work there. He had a narrow escape, and was in front of the boilers about 30 feet away. He noticed pumps twice shortly after 7 and shortly after 8.30 o'clock. They were working both times. Did not look at the water glasses, and he had every confidence in the engineers. He never knew both away when the mill was working.

To Mr. Barnhill: I have been in charge of the mill since the summer, when steam was put in. The boilers were cleaned five weeks before the explosion.

Edward Smith, night watchman of the mill: I left the mill at 7.10 o'clock on the morning of the disaster. It was my duty to keep the boilers supplied with water. The water was ¾ inch from the top of the boilers that morning. The guages registered 50 pounds of steam. My daughter told me of the explosion, and I went immediately to the scene. I have seen 70 pounds of steam on during the period I was night watchman. I never knew any weights other than the ball used on the safety valve.

To Mr. Barnhill: The night previous to the explosion the boilers were half full, and 45 pounds of steam was registered, I filled the boilers to within ½ inch from the top of the glass. I looked at the glasses of the six boilers, they were all the same height. It was the custom when not alike to blow off those in which the difference appeared. I blew out the glasses the morning the mill blew up about 6.45. I did this night and morning. If the glasses were clogged up they would not indicate the exact quantity of water in the boilers. I have often found this the case, two or three times a week. Four of the glasses were clogged up the morning of the explosion. Ten minutes after seven I was in the engine room and said to engineer Allen, the boilers are nearly full. He then stopped or slowed the pumps, I don't know which. I lighted the fires at four o'clock that morning. About 5.30 o'clock, when the steam was at 30 pounds the water was about two inches from the top of the glass. I started the pump. It would take an hour and a half if the boilers were full, for ordinary fires to consume the water in the boilers.

To Mr. Barnhill: When I speak of the glasses being clogged, I mean that the drip cock on the bottom of the glasses is clogged; not the connection between the boilers and glasses. I have never found the connection between the boilers and glasses clogged. I am positive that the pump was supplying water when I left. I know this because I opened the cock on the head pump, cylinder and water was issued; also because if no water was being supplied I would at once notice it on account of the increased speed of the pump. I have noticed the pump working without supplying water when first started. I would have to turn off some steam until I got the water. On the suggestion of Juror Roxborough the jury went and examined the boilers at 3.15.

Engineer Allen went on the stand when the jury returned from inspecting the boilers.

Alex. Close, engineer of Stetson Cutler & Co's. mill was telegraphed for. The coroner received a reply from the firm stating that Close could not leave, they not being able to shut the mill down. The coroner said the refusal of the firm to allow the man to come was an insult to the whole country. He will be summoned to appear on Monday at ten o'clock.

The inquest will probably adjourn today until Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

FIRST EDITION.

THE PARNELL MATTER.

NOLAN'S COMPROMISE AMENDMENT VOTED DOWN IN THE MEETING LAST NIGHT.

The Opinions of the London Press—The Mixed Telegrams From Ireland and America are Responsible for the Protracted Debate—Parnell May Appeal to Cork.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Dec. 3—Parnell meeting last night, Mr. Joseph Nolan's avmendment that the question of the retirement of Parnell should be postponed until the members had personally ascertained the views of their constituents on the subject, the party then to meet in Dublin and decide the matter, was rejected by a vote of 44 to 29.

The Post commenting on the Parnell meeting, says: "The division on Nolan's amendment shows that the mixed character of the telegrams from Ireland and America is responsible for the protracted debates. Parnell's considerable minority leaves him still the only certain and recognized leader of any ascertained following. The powers of the anti-Parnellite Irishmen have come to a somewhat abrupt ending. Parnell may appeal to Cork with every hope of success, and, holding the purse-string may gradually eliminate his opponents."

The News says, Parnell continues to fight with a vigor and tenacity which command the admiration of even his bitterest opponents.

LONDON Dec. 3. The meeting of the Irish Parliamentary party has adjourned until noon tomorrow. It is probable a compromise between the opponents and supporters of Parnell will be effected.

AN ARMY PORTIA.

To Save a Russian Girls life.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—At a meeting in the Copper Union last night a resolution was adopted protesting against the execution in Russia of a young Russian girl Sophie Gunsberg, on suspicion of being a nihilist. Copies of the resolution were sent to the Russian minister, at Washington and Secretary Blaine with the hope that he will intercede on behalf of the girl.

Injured By Fire.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Dec. 3—The mills of the Coventry cotton spinning co. at Coventry have been damaged by fire to the extent of many thousands of pounds. Two hundred hands are thrown out.

Sentenced for Forgery.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Albert H. Smith of the banking firm of Mills, Robeson & Smith, to-day was sentenced to 17 years in the State prison for forgery in the first degree.

Fatal Boiler Explosion.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

POTTS PERT, YORKSHIRE, Dec. 3.—Boiler here yesterday, killing four men.

The Weather.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Indications,—Snow. Easterly winds. Warmer.

An Exhibit of New Brunswick's Woods for the Jamaica Exhibition.

The local government has been taking a good deal of interest in the matter of providing an exhibit from New Brunswick for the Jamaica exhibition. The attention of the government was called to the matter prior to the holding of the exhibition here, by Mr. Adam Brown M. P., the honorary commissioner from Canada to Jamaica, who impressed upon them the importance and desirability of New Brunswick being represented at the exhibition to be held in Jamaica. The government fell in with his suggestions readily and decided to send an exhibit of native woods. Several persons have been employed in getting up the exhibit which it is intended shall be a very complete collection of the woods that grow in the Province of New Brunswick. The woods will be shown in both the rough and finished state. Accompanying this exhibit of the various kinds of wood are samples of clapboards and shingles, with price lists and full information in regard to our sawn and manufactured lumber. The government are endeavoring to make arrangements to have some person who is going to Jamaica to remain during the exhibition, to represent New Brunswick there, and to look after the exhibit. The forwarding of an exhibit of this kind will doubtless be of great value in advertising the capability of New Brunswick to supply the West India market with many articles in the line of manufactured woods for which there is a considerable demand there. The exhibit is to be shipped from Halifax for Jamaica by steamer, going not later than the 15th inst. The government pays all charges in connection with it.

AN ARMY PORTIA.

Telegraphic Flashes.

Doctors George and J. E. Wilson left London, Ont. yesterday afternoon for New York, en route to Germany to study the Koch consumption cure.

The Bank of Commerce at West Superior, Wisconsin, closed its doors yesterday and assigned.

Fire yesterday wiped out the business part of Colinwood, a suburb of Cleveland, O., causing a loss of $50,000.

Four election officers were found guilty at Jersey City, N. J., yesterday, on a charge of conspiracy at the election in that city. November, 1889, and were remanded for sentence. Sixty-seven were indicted; 15 were convicted.

Andrew McGuire pushed Miss Tucker and her escort named Turner between two moving cars, at the Coburg, Ont. station last night, with the supposed intention of killing them. They escaped with slight injuries and McGuire got away.

Mr. Adam Brown, of Ottawa, has received word from Superintendent Dimock announcing the arrival of the first cargo of exhibits at Jamaica.

President Van Horne of the C. P. R. has ordered the general traffic manager to enquire into the reported discrimination of that road in favor of Boston and report thereon as soon as possible.

S. WHITEBONE, in the City Market building, on Charlotte street, does not import Cigars from Havana every two weeks, but he gets them fresh from there every month; so he can sell them at lowest prices. Mr. Whitebone will call on the trade in the city and show samples of new importations.

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200 yards Fine Heavy Black Cloaking, Satin Stripe price 2.00 a yard down to $1.30 a yard
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Brown Astrachan Cloth 2 yards wide, price $2.50 now offered at $1.25 a yard
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Double Width Ulster Cloth	40c. up.
Heavy Dress Goods	10c. "
Towellings	8c. "
Sheetings	8c. "
Swansdowns	8c. "
Prints (colors)	4c. "
Heavy Ribbed Shirts and Drawers	40c. "
Boys Shirts and "	25c. "
Girls Undervests	25c. "
Ladies "	45c. "
" Corsets	24c. "
Unlaundried Shirts	45c. "
Gents' Silk Scarfs	12c. "
" " Hdkfs	10c. "
Cotton Handkerchiefs	3c. "
Ladies' Umbrellas	40c. "
Table Damasks	15c. "
Cretonnes	9c. "
Cardigan Jackets	85c. "
Bed Ticking	10c. "
Cottonades	14c. "
Boys' Collars	12c. each.
Men's do.	14c.
Andalusian, Zephyr Scotch Yarn	6c skein.

Also hundreds of other lines at startling prices. Call at once. One price. Cash only.
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W. TREMAINE GARD
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A Fine Chance For Selection.
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Is what the people say, and
Oh what nice goods,
And Oh how cheap.

It is our intention to make it worth your while to trade with us.
If small profits and good goods is what you want,
Now is the time to prepare for the cold weather.
And here is the place to do it.

Nice Warm Flannels;
Nice Warm Underclothing;
Nice Warm Gloves and Mitts;
Nice Warm Fur Boas;
Nice Warm Muffs.

COME, COME, COME,
—TO—
No. 33 CHARLOTTE STREET
H. C. CHARTERS.

SECOND EDITION.

THE HIGH SCHOOL FIRE.

A CONSPIRACY TO DESTROY THE BUILDING DISCOVERED AMONG THE SCHOLARS.

A Young Englishman Found Dead—Banquet to Sir Adolphe Caron—Cornwall Canal Locks—Received by the President—The Cold Wave.

SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.

MONTREAL, Dec. 3.—The fire commissioners are continuing their investigation into the burning of the High school and its claimed have discovered a conspiracy among the scholars to destroy the building. Four boys have been arrested and other arrests are expected this afternoon. The principal cause of the trouble is the unpopularity of the head master, Dr. Kelley and the change in the curriculum.

Young Englishman found dead.

TORONTO, Dec 3.—A young Englishman named Gordon Laing was found lying dead in the rear of a barber shop. He had been drinking heavily of late and was in the habit of using laudanum as well as alcohol. The deceased has received regular remittances of considerable sums from abroad but for the past eigeteen months the money has been spent in drinking.

Banquet to Sir Caron.

BELLEVILLE, Ont. Dec. 3.—A banquet to Sir Adolph Caron will be given by the 15th Battalion to-morrow night.

Cornwall Canal Locks.

CORNWALL, Ont, Dec. 3.—The locks of the Cornwall canal are being stripped. Ice is commencing to form on the shores.

Received by the President.

MONTREAL, Dec. 3.—Despatches from Washington says that Mr. Sweetnam, chief post office inspector of Canada, was received by President Harrison yesterday. Mr. Sweetnam expects there will be some good results from his visits here. He has convinced the United States authorities that the Dominion government is anxious the Dominion post office shall not be used as a cover for the Louisiana lottery.

The Cold Wave.

MONTREAL, Dec. 3.—Yesterday was the coldest 2nd of December since 1875, the thermometer going down as low as eigiteen below zero in the city while twenty-two was reached in exposed situations. It is expected the river will take in some places to-day.

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AN OTTAWA BANQUET.

Col. Herbert Arrives—Life Insurance Permit to Jamaica—Whiskey Seizure—Burned to Death—Parliament—Canadian Indians.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

OTTAWA, Dec. 3.—Col. Herbert commandant of the Canadian militia arrived today. Sir Adolph Caron will be banquetted at Belleville this evening.

A. G. Ramsay, president of the Canada Life Assurance company, in reply to an enquiry made by the Canadian Military Commissioner to the Jamaica exhibition in relation to insurance, visit the Dominion states that the board has decided to give permission to all policy holders to visit Jamaica between now and May 1st, without any special license or other charge.

Another whiskey seizure is reported from Quebec.

An old man named John Archibald was burned to a crisp last night. He lived alone in a small shanty in the suburbs.

It is currently reported that parliament will meet Thursday March 12.

The government has received a despatch from the Northwest today, stating that the Bloods and Blackfeet Indians had remained quiet, but the Cree Indians were disaffected and had taken up the Messiah craze. Steps will be taked at once by the government to suppress the movement.

AN ARMY PORTIA.

The Press on Parnell's Fight.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The morning papers commenting on the Parnell meeting refer to the vigor and tenacity with which Parnell is carrying on his fight, and declare that with a compact minority he will be a more powerful force in parliament than an unsteady majority under McCarthy. At today's meeting of the Irish party Clancy will submit a compromise resolution, proposing that Parnell retire temporarily from the leadership.

A New Railway Combine.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The World says, it is understood that a call for meeting of western railroad presidents will be issued at the instigation of Gould and the banking interests which he has won over to his side. It is proposed to form a new combination to embrace all roads west of St. Louis and Chicago to the Pacific Coast.

More Coal Miners Striking.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala, Dec. 3.—The striking coal miners have been joined by all the men who were at work Monday, and all the miners are idle except where convicts and negroes are employed.

In Maine.

The Thanksgiving bill of fare at the Lewiston lockup was cheese and crackers. On other days, it is crackers and cheese.

Maine has already furnished half a dozen victims to thin ice, and the season has but just begun.

With every succeeding report the situation in Maine grows distressingly bad. The number of abandoned farms in the state will be largely in excess of the estimates previously given and it is believed that they will reach 3,300.

Easton is one of the banner potato towns of Aroostock. This season there were 30,000 barrels raised on one road, all within a distance of six miles, and of this amount there are now cellared 29,000 barrels, all keeping well. Fifty thousand dollars or thereabouts ought to make that neighborhood blassom like the rose with prosperity.

Some remarkable stories of knowing horses are told by the Dexter Gazette. Perhaps the equine most entitled to the oats was old Dr. Jim Blank's Topsy. Old Dr. Jim had a bad habit of getting drunk, and once he fell backward out of his gig in this condition. The story runs that they were going up hill at the time and that Topsy was so clever that she backed up till the doctor got hold of the wheel and then went ahead just far enough to bring him up standing.

THIRD EDITION.

LOCAL MATTERS.

LATEST GLEANINGS BY THE GAZETTE'S REPORTERS.

Among the Shipping—The Circuit Court—The Injured Men—The Police Court, etc., etc.

POINT LEPREAUX, Dec. 3, 3 p. m.—Wind north-east, fresh, threatening, therm. 5 one theemasted two other schrs outward.

SKATERS are risking the danger of a cold bath at Lily Lake, the mill ponds at Carleton and off Adelaide road and on Marble cove. The ice is quite smooth and ought to be strong enough in a few days if the present cold weather continues.

THE FORGER BOONE, the man arrested the other day in Fredericton on suspicion of forging an order on Messrs. Emerson & Fisher and obtaining a watch and chain by means of it from Mr. F. Rodgers was brought before the police magistrate this afternoon and remanded again till Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m.

TO ENTERTAIN THE DELEGATES.—The Council of the board of Trade will meet on Friday next at 4 p. m. their object being to arrange some way of entertaining the representatives of the English Farmer delegates who will be in this city again on Sunday and will probably remain over some days of the following week.

Of Personal Interest.

Mr. Joseph Hazelhurst, the well-known iron worker, was taken seriously ill a few days ago. He is now confined to his residence with congestion or paralysis of the brain.

Major D. W. Stevenson and E. R. Murphy, of Londonderry, and Tralee, Ireland, representatives of the English Farmers' delegates to Canada, and G. H. Campbell of Winnipeg, and C. H. Lugrin of Fredericton, were all registered at the Royal today.

The Injured Men.

The young men Harrington and Armstrong who were so badly injured in the South Bay explosion last week, are now under the best of care at the General Public Hospital. Armstrong is still suffering greatly but is improving. The doctors held a consultation on Harrington and decided that the only way of saving his life would be to amputate the injured leg, and probably the operation will be performed this afternoon.

The man Duke, who was also in the explosion is lying at his home in Carleton in a very serious condition. He was resting easier today however than usual.

Police Court.

Maggie Christain was fined $8 for being drunk on Germain street.

James McColgan given in charge by Robert Clark, proprietor of the Bangor House, for being drunk and disorderly in that hotel, was let go as Mr. Clarke James [illegible]

William Corr charged by his brother Thomas Corr with neglecting his horse was allowed to go, on promising to take better care of the animal.

John Brown, charged with stealing a ham from Samuel Myles, was brought before the court. Mr. R. N. Skinner appeared for Brown and after a few witnesses were examined Brown was again remanded until to-morrow.

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Among the Shipping.

The new four-masted sch. Glenwood of Taunton, Mass. is now on her way to Boston from Baltimore. She is the same length as the five-masted sch. Gov. Ames, hitherto the largest fore-and-after in the world, and ten feet longer than the Tecumseh, the second largest carrying schooner afloat. The Glenwood, by reason of her narrower beam and more graceful lines, will carry less than the two above vessels, but on this voyage has in 2,600 tons of coal on 29 feet 6 inches draught.

The Norweigan bark Lyna, from Quebec, which arrived at Greenock Nov. 29 lost a portion of her deck load.

The British bark President which has arrived at Falmouth, Eng. from Buenos Ayres has main-masthead sprung and foretopsail-yard broken.

AN ARMY PORTIA.

The Circuit Court.

The case Buck vs Knowlton resulted last evening in a verdict for the plaintiff. The following are the questions submitted to the jury and their answers:

1. On the supposition that the defendant made the contract to procure insurance for the plaintiff, upon the terms of the application sent him by Whittaker, was he guilty of negligence in forwarding that application to Portland marine underwriters? Ans—Yes.

2. Did defendant undertake to procure insurance for plaintiff upon terms of application sent him by Whittaker? Ans.—Yes.

3. Would it have cost more to repair the vessel C. U. Chandler than it would have been worth after being repaired? Ans—Yes.

4. Was it material to the risk that defendant should have known that the vessel had lime on board? Ans.—No.

After two hours absence the jury brought in a verdict of $622.17 damages and $74.66 interest for plaintiff. On application of Mr. Thos. Millidge for defendant postea was stayed.

This morning the case of Mollison vs Lockhart was resumed.

AN ARMY PORTIA.

A Wealthy Widow Robbed.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 3.—Yesterday morning the house of Mrs. Carey a wealthy widow residing at Sewall, was entered by five robbers who stole $1,000 in money and escaped.

Think Parnell Should Retire.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

SYNDDEY, N. S. W., Dec 3.—The morning Herald prints interviews showing the Irish leaders in Australia in favor of the retirement of Parnell.

Lynched for Cattle Stealing.

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CETLANTA, Ga. Dec. 3—Captain Andrew Baugh an ex-confederate officer has been lynched on the Rio Grande frontier for horse and cattle stealing.

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