fuel purposes. Prairie land t from \$12 to \$15 per acre. en regarding the Wapella

of Trade Immigration Co. Wapella, Sask

## RSYTHE CONDUCTS CASE WITH SKILL

and Guilty of Ereaking into Hall's

EDMUNSTON, N. B., July 17.—After days' trial on the first two charagainst Reginald Forsythe in the nty court here yesterday and today ely for breaking into J. W. Hall's re here, and stealing therefrom, and stealing a horse at St. Hilaire, the found the prisoner guilty on the charge and not guilty on the send. The prisoner showed great skill times at cross examination and ile not taking the witness stand himf gave an address to the jury of If an hour, which was at times eloent and forcible and was listened to the crowded court with great inest. Tomorrow the remaining two es, one for breaking into the railav station at Claire and the other for aking into Felix Hebert's bar here, ill be taken up. Judge Carleton statthis afternoon in court that he would erve sentence upon the Hall case nd also the breaking jail case, to hich Forsythe pleaded guilty, until e other cases had been decided. The es tomorrow will be conducted for e crown by Michaud and Jones, and is expected the prisoner will defend

## RAGGED BY HORSE THROUGH WIRE FENCE

MONCTON, July 16.-Arthur H. eeves at Irishtown this morning susned severe injuries through being epped on by a horse and dragged by animal through a wire fence. eeves was unloading lumber when he horses became detached from the agon and ran over him, one of the imals stepping on the man's chest. le held to the reins and was dragged rough a fence, suffering internal iniries, while the horse's foot caused a ad bruise on his chest. He was ought to Moncton and six stitches ere placed in a severe scalp wound nd his other injuries attended to. He ill remain here a few days.

While driving in the vicinity of Wright's mills, near Salisbury, esterday, Dr. R. L. Botsford of this rity encountered a hug e black bear ne animal from a distance looked like cow, but on approaching nearer the Moncton physician found the animal be a black bear of large propor ons. He was apparently harmless and passed quietly along the road. Nickel theatres are proving a great ccess in Moncton. The first was pened about a month ago and proved so good an attraction that a second is bout to be started.

"I see that some of our scientists laim that death is largely a matter of abit, depending upon thought and all hat." he said. "Nonsense," she replied. "Did you ever know any one who was in the bit of dying?"

## The News.

ST. JOHN, N. B, FRIDAY, JULY 26, 1907.

SUPPORTED DROWNING WOMAN. GIRL SWAM FOR TWO HOURS

Heroic Rescue by One of the ITALIAN WILL BE Victims Sang Hymns as They Went to Death

PORTLAND, Ogn., July 25. — Miss Maybelle Watson, of Berkeley, California, the 18 year old heroine, who supported a drowning woman for two nours after the wreck of the steamship arriving here on the George Welder. Miss Watson, with three companion succeeded in entering a life boat, but it umbia sank, the occupants being thrown into the water. When I came to the surface,'

Miss Watson, "some persons were singing "Nearer my God to Thee," and other hymns. I never swam in my dence enough to try. I had gone but a after the collision by third officer expects that work will be commen take the woman in first, which he did, and soon had me out of the water. The ed an order calling on all the companwoman whose life was saved was Miss ies in Canada to make statements as

DEATHS

REV. W. G. CCREY.

Corey of Jacksonville, his second wife eing Alice Munroe, teacher in the N. B. public schools, and daughter of the late G. A. Munroe, Newcastle. The last four years of Mr. Corey's life were years of intense suffering, which he bore without a murmur.

The funeral was held Wednesday afernoon, Rev. Samuel Woodbury conducting the service. The church was local government met this morning, profusely decorated with flowers. A also the board of education. Routine wreath of 43 roses (representing his business was the programme, quartette, comprising Mrs. W. E. let to the Canada Foundry Co. Bridgman, Mrs. Cook, J. B. Adkins and W. Grover Snow, sang several sel-

have the deep sympathy of a host of friends in Vervont, New Hampshire and New Brunswick. Mr. Corey was laid to rest in the Woodlawn ceme-

MRS. ELIZA DUNLOP.

Montreal, George of this city and James of Sydney, N. S.

MRS. M. O. CROSSMAN. man of this place, died this morning Baptist church.

Take Its Course—Ottawa's

OTTAWA, July 24.—There was ing the law to take its course in the case of Cappelli, the Italian, who stab-

carrying out his promise made to the little way when a woman rose beside arrival here from England, to inme and caught me around the neck. I quire into the reasons for the delay for had to support her with one arm and swim with the other. Several men railway station and hotel. The premier has had conferences with C. M. Hays, I struggled along as best I could until and William Wainwright, of the Grand I was picked up more than two hours Trunk and also with Mayor Scott and

> The railway commission has preparpoints, and also asking them if they not they are asked to give reasons.

says that the area in which partial ninistry, being pastor of the Bap- failure is expected owing to drought is

The population

FREDERICTON, N. B., July 25-The age) was a gift of his neighbors and The erection of the two new spans of friends in the Baptist Church. A the Fredericton highway bridge was Miss Golding was appointed to the model school staff in Miss Wilson's place. The government will probably

BUSINESSLIKE MINISTER,

Those who were at the public meet ing on Thursday night were much impressed by Hon. Mr. Cochrane and Mrs. Eliza Dunlop, widow of the late Hon. Dr. Reaume's businesslike stand James Dunlop, in the 87th year of her and their apparent desire, putting politiage, at the residence of her son, George cal considerations to one side, to deal

after six months illness. Deceased is

## Dunlop, White street. The deceased is survived by three sons, Thomas of lines.—Port Arthur Chronicle (Lib.) DORCHESTER, N. B., July 24-Mrs. survived by her husband, three broth-Martin O. Crossman, wife of Martin ers and three sisters. Deceased was O. Crossman, a well known business formerly organist of the Dorchester

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MANIA FOR ATTENDING FIRES

A PRINCESS WHO HAS A



COPENHAGEN, July 22.-A very recent photograph of Princess Maria of Denmark, the most popular member of the whole royal family. The Princess is exceedingly democratic in her ways, and has for some time taken a special interest in the firemen of the city in Copenhagen, whose efforts she has cheered at many a fire, and whose heroism she has time and again rewarded. The picture is especially interesting because of the large tattooed anchor on the Princess' arm. She is the only royal person in the world thus tatooed. The anchor was tatooed on her arm in the Far East, where she was travelling before she was married to the Danish Prince Valdmer. Princess Maria is a talented artist, and has exhibited anonymously

Kon, C. H. Labillois Says They Will be

Handed Over to Best Expert on

Continent—Other Bridges.

Owing to an accident on the Inter-

men on the continent.

bridge there.

at Salmon River. Both these bridges

Work on the Bathurst Basin bridge

and on the one over the North West

The contract for the superstructure

of two spans of the Fredericton bridge

will be awarded today at the meeting

of the government. The contract will

the weight of which will be about half

nust take place during the winter sea-

be for the erection of two steel spans

will be completed this season.

shipped from Chatham.

paintings at the Salon here which have been awarded prizes. STOLE \$100 FROM A

Two Men Arrested at Chatham-Got a Month for Beating His Way

CHATHAM, N. B., July 25 .- Herbert Mayo and Tom Cripps were arrested today for stealing a purse containing \$100 from the captain of the schooner White Bird. Mayo told the captain he did not take colonial which delayed the Ocean Lim-

the money, but the latter declared he ited yesterday, Hon. C. H. Labillois, did, and told Mayo he was going to chief commissioner of public works, have him arrested. Mayo then broke was prevented from attending the down and restored \$54, saying there was meeting of the Provincial Government no more in the pocket book which he held last evening in Fredericton. Mr. had thrown over the wharf. Later on Labillois went to the capital this Tom Cripps gave Captain Gallant \$4, morning to attend the meeting which and declared Mayo had given him this will be held today. Cripps was then arrested also. Both has been considerable going on in the

Mayo has spent some time in the re- plans of the new bridge to replace the formatory and only got out three Thomas Coughlan was today given ment is concerned. It now remains one month in jail for atempting to heat for the details that have been ascerhis way from Newcastle on the steamer tained to be handed over to an expert

WILD SCENES ATTEND DEBATE ON STATE

ATLANTA, Ga., July 24.—Rarely, if ever before in the history of Georgia has such scenes of excitement been witnessed in legislative halls, as have marked the effort to pass the state prohibition bill by the lower house of the legislature today. All day the fight was raged and a filbustering minority. prevented action on the bill which was adopted by the senate more than a week ago.

Hundreds of men, women and children, thronged the galleries of the house and the halls of the capital all day. Women singing and waving flags added to the excitement. The women of several Atlanta churches prepared lunches for the legislators and served them in the capitol. Late tonight the prohibition bill had not been reported. Following the regular order of business the house, in which motions to re-consider precede the order of the day, a motion to re-consider the bill abolishing the city court of Hamilton,

aw was brought into service. SAN FRANCISCO, July 25—Captain E. B. Birmingham, U. S. supervising nspector of hulls and boilers for this listrict, today began an investigation of the sinking of the steamer Columbia by the steam schooner San Pedro, for use, and must be completed by in which nearly a hundred lives were April 1st.

was brought up, and on this subject

every tactic known to parliamentary

BY FRANK BURPEE No Attempt to Influence Jury in Smith Case

SWORN DENIAL

Charge Made by Woodstock Press Emphatically Denied by Juryman's

Woodstock Press that Deputy Sheriff Albion W. Foster had attempted to Smith case, Frank Burpee, the juror implicated, has mide affidavit flatly derying the allegations. The affidavit reads as follows:

"I Frank Burpee, of Woodstock, in the county of Carleton, do solemnly declare that I have read an article in The Press of the date of July 22nd, a portion of which is as follows: 'One zentleman who was a valuable member of the jury in the Smith log case has volunteered the information that Deputy Sheriff Foster went as far as to overstep the bounds of common decency and justice, and in defiance of the laws regulating juries, and of the warning issued by his honor the prehim (the juror referred to) after the jury had been sworn in and the case was being tried. The gentleman referred to also states that he is prepared to go on the stand and swear that Mr. Foster told him that the case was a political one and appealed to him as

Liberal to put Smith down and out. "The day after the trial in question was concluded I met Mr. Smith on the street and he stated to me that half a dozen people had seen the deputy sheriff take me to an ante-room to talk to me and said: 'If it omes to the worst we will have to put you on the stand.' I said that was all right; I would go on the stand and tell the truth as to what was said. I told him that Mr. Foster had not in any way in-

conversation I had with hir Foster dur-ing the progress of the trial was in the jury room when we were discussins matters relating to Scott Act affairs up river, and Mr. Foster did not in any way influence me as to my decision in

day of July, A. D. 1997, before me. (Signed) GEO. L. HOLYOKE,

county of Carleton. (Signed) FRANK D. BURPEE.

Within the past week or so there DISCOVERED department of public works. The one now at the Reversing Falls have been completed as far as the depart to make the final plans for the design

and site of the structure. It has been BRUNSWICK, Me., July 24.-A boat, found that the new bridge need not which iti is belived may prove to be the be as long as was expected. The expert selected will be one of the best vacht in which Richard A. Lee, of this Mass., two Bowdoin students, sailed Yesterday the Chief Commissioner from here on July 9th and which is ed the steel bridge being built at supposed to have capsized during a and Chief Engineer Wetmore inspectheavy squall that afternoon, was lo-Hall's Creek, near Moncton. The bridge is being erected by the Domincated off Seal Island Cove, east of Small Point today. It is in 121-2 faion Bridge Company and is expected thoms of water. Two motor boats that to be finished in six or eight weeks. have been engaged in dragging the bot-On Saturday last the final inspection tom in that vicinity for several days, of the Jacquet River bridge was made. The structure consists of two discovered the sunken craft, but the searchers were unable to ascertain the steel spans on three masonry piers. Today Engineer Wetmore and James identity of the boat or obtain any in-Lowell, M. P. P., will go to Tynemouth formation that would throw any light to look over the site of a proposed upon the fate of her former occupants. The revenue cutter Woodbury, which

The contract for the building of the has been searching in that vicinity for Salmon River bridge, in Sussex parish, the missing students, will go down to Kings county, has been awarded to W. the scene tomorrow with a diver, id-R. Fawcett of Temperance Vale, York entify the vessel if possible, and raise county. The figure named in the con- it. The submerged boat lies about one tract is about \$3,600. The bridge will eighth of a mile from the place where have a covered superstructure and con- a yacht was seen to capsize on the afcrete substructure. George A. Appleby ternoon of July 9.

has been awarded the contract for the Hillsdale bridge, Kings county. The the four steel spans in the Fredericton bridge will be of the same type as that bridge will have a total length of one thousand feet. To finish the structure 1,500,000 pounds of steel will be required. Plans for two more spans are to be prepared next year and if the condition of the wooden spans warrants Graveyard bridge in Albert county was it these spans will be built then.

THE RIVER BED IS FULL OF SUNKEN LOGS

Diver Doyle yesterday made a thor a million pounds. The construction ough examination of the river bed near Westfield in search of the sunken son, when the bridge is not required

A SORDID STORY OF COUNTERFEITING

Pleaded Guiltu

Burke, the Head Centre of the Conspiracy Confesses and Implicates His Dupes—Two Will Fight

LINDSAY, July 22.—In the Magisrate's court room this afternoon five men pleaded guilty to having counter feit money in their possession. All fiv wanted a speedy trial, and all were remanded till Friday for sentence. Two others against whom the same offens is charged will appear in the morning when, it is generally understood, they will formally declare that they are instartling arrests were made a few days the Belgian and the Congo governago a statement of the facts of this ments, elaborating the terms upon peculiar case came to light. Provincial Detective Rogers was twice in the witness stand, and he told of confessions the prisoners had made to him. The men who acknowledged having handled bogus money were Archibald Boyeau, Richard Wynn, Chas. Burke, John Eveleigh and Robt. Logie, while the prisoners who are yet to appear are C. Miller and John Goslin.

The story as told by the provincial detective shows that the counterfeit bills came from Burke. Some of the others acknowledged that they went to different places to pass these bills, but they met with indifferent success in the majority of instances. The confession of Burke has not been made public, because it is said it implicate The bills, it was claimed, were printed on his farm.

The statement of Detective Roger first connection with counterfeit money was when Wynn told him Charlie saw Burke, and the latter said he had counterfeit money in his possess

what my decision would be in the matter, and I never intimated to him what it would be, and I told Mr. Smith in the conversation above referred to that Mr. Foster knew nothing whatever as to what course I would take. And I make this solemn declaration consciptions the same to be true. entiously believing the same to be true rested there could be no conviction and knowing it to be of the same force Burke told Boyeau the notes were and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under oath under made in Toronto. They left Lindsay, soing to North Bay. Burke told them and by virtue of the Canada Evidence going to North Bay. Burke told them Act, 1893.

Declared to at Woodstock, in the that they could do business on July county of Carleton, this twenty-second 4th. It was the latter part of June when they left here. "They got to North Bay when Boyeau A justice of the peace in and for the passed three notes. They went then to Sudbury, and Boyeau passed two American Soo, where they passed three each and were arrested. They redeemed the notes passed at the Soo, and in a valise which they jointly owned and a saloon keeper, \$180 odd of the bogus notes were found. They came volun tarily across to Canada. They had some genuine money in the hands of the

which Wynn had left with his nephew. jailer. They wished me to find the report of the naval board which invesnotes in Sudbury and North Bay and tigated the accident in the eight-inch exchange their good money for them.

They had not been in trouble of any kind before. They knew of no other Evans endorsed the findings and reperson in connection with the matter other than Burke. It was upon his per- transmitted them to the department. suasion they got in the game. They wished to come back and plead guilty. Both the accused were present when to the effect that the accident was the statement was made."

"Did you have any difficulty in get-"No, sir, they wanted to tell. I think their story is true. As to the bills which were passed, they were eleven all told, naval expert on target practice after six of which they redeemed. Boyeau said the notes did not go good."

Detective Rogers further stated that say anything as to the nature of the Boyeau had made up his mind to quit the business. Burke had first approached the prisoners about a week before the pair left Lindsay.

boat, and it is now improbable that it

will ever be recovered. Mr. Doyle first

examined the river bed at the spot went down. Not meeting with any success he covered the river for several hundred yards up and down. He states the gun, in which case it would have that the bottom of the river is covered been difficult to have accounted for a with old logs, portions of scows, and flare-back. In fact the report does other material. Mr. Doyle, after com-pleting his work, informed Mr. War-blast at all after the explosion of the wick that the boat was not anywhere powder. in the vicinity of the place where it sank, and it was decided that he would by the board of a corrective character will require the approval of the seclieved that the current, which is very strong where the boat sank, has car- They do not contemplate a reduction ried the craft down-river. The uncertainty of grappling for the boat has now been shown by Mr. Doyle's statesalmon boat Lella Rookh owned by ment that the river bed is too thickly covered with wood. It is probable that When these two spans are finished Mr. Doyle was unable to locate the the river will be dragged further down. safeguarding the turn the river will be dragged further down.

Annexation of Congo Free State to Belgium

BRUSSELS, July 24.—The close of King Leopold's long struggle to stave gium and to retain his personal sovereignty over this rich and extensive Afagreement reached on July 12, between which the Congo free state shall pass

into the possession of Belgium. ant epoch for the Congo, as heretofore the entire conduct of affairs, civil and nilitary, has been under the personal direction of King Leopold and a cabnet of Congo officers entirely separate and independent of Belgium, whereas the new regime will make the Belgian government, instead of the King, indiof Congo affairs. The British and American governments have favored placing this governmental responsibility or made the point that there was great lifficulty in dealing with the Congo in foreign governments could deal with

premier in 1895. The document simply Congo, Leopold II., cedes his sovereign rights and all the assets of the Congo Free State to Belgium, which, in turn.

ment during the fall, and that Januar or February, 1908, will see the Congo of a personal dependency of King Leo-

THE GEORGIA

more. Afterwards the journeyed to the Report of Naval Board Received at Navy Department—Points Not Cleared Up.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 24.-The

commendations of the board and Acting Secretary Newberry today said that the telegraphic conclusions caused by a delayed flare-back ap-To Mr. O'Connor the detective said parently afforded all the information he had obtained the statement from the of this subject that would be of interprisoners on July 5 on a C. P. R. train est to the public. However, he had no opportunity to study the details of the court, but expected to hear furting this confession?" asked the lawyer. ther on that point from Capt. Nicholson, acting chiet of the navigation bureau, and Commander Sims, the they had thoroughly analyzed the report. Meanwhile he did not care to recommendations made by the board looking to an avoidance of similar accidents in the future.

It is understood that the board did not clear up one important point, namely, the condition of the air blast at the breech of the gun which is supposed to eject the after results of the explosion of a charge. It had been reported that the first persons to enter where Mr. Warwick states the boat the turret of the Georgia after the accident found the air blast in full operation, blowing through the breech of

Such recommendations as are made retary of the navy to give them effect. of the rate of fire so far as can be gathered, and it is believed that further expert investigation will be required to devise effective means of safeguarding the turret guns against