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SATURDAY MORNING, JULY 21, 1883.

PUBLIC SYMPATHY.

Only a very few of the general public will attempt to decide upon the various points of difference between the striking telegraphers on the one hand, and the companies on the other...

A NEW THING IN STRIKES.

The telegraphers' strike has just begun; what the end is to be it remains for time to tell. One circumstance there is about it, however, which at once challenges attention...

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY AND THE WORKS OF SWEDENBORG.

To the Editor of the World. Sir: The writer has read with some interest the letters pro and con, which have been published in the World of late, concerning the Librarian's position...

Sir Alexander Galt has been put through the mill pretty severely in Winnipeg, Man. He had been in the place three

hours before each of the three daily newspapers had interviewed him at length. The Sun was probably the most inquisitive of the trio, and its reporter went over about every subject he could think of.

Why with independence we should drift into annexation now any more than ten, twenty, or thirty years hence is rather difficult to understand. It is evident, however, that in common with every other thinking man, Sir Alexander regards independence as a sure thing in the future.

The Canadian Pacific railway, according to the Montreal Gazette, is now nearing the Rocky mountains, the first plateau of which will be reached about the middle of August.

One night's raid of disorderly houses in Winnipeg, Man., yielded \$445. If the game didn't play out it would seemingly pay the prairie city to keep on raiding.

In the first day's shooting of the American militia in the international rifle match at Wimbledon are ahead eight points. It is by no means certain, however, that they will win the match.

A telegraph manager being asked, "What would you do if all the telegraph operators struck?" replied, "Get others."

"Rapid subsidence of the angry waters of the St. Lawrence," cries in a headline the learned geographer of a United States morning journal.

It is a singular commentary on the habits of the people of Winnipeg that while business there is reported to be almost stagnant, spreads of twelve thousand dollars can yet be given with success for a couple of race meetings.

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lawyer in this city, applied to the London Printing Society for a grant of Swedenborg's writings to the mechanics of Toronto, and the institute signified its willingness to accept the books if presented.

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