VOL. 22. ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, 1899.				
Headquarters For School Suits. Encourage your boy's desire to be well clothed. Our Boys' Clothing is made to stand the hardships of school life and look neat and dressy. Our prices are tow. Fraser, Fraser & Co, - Foster's Corner, 40 and 42 King Street, St. John, N. B.	the midiana naiway.	hay on two farms, about 100 double horse ionds: Arthur Colgan, who has been one year at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology preparing for electric en- stimeeting, will return to Boston next month. ALEX: MCNAUGHTON DEAD.	NEAR THE CLIMAX, Transvaal Affairs Assuming a Very Serious Aspect. President Kruger Has Practically Refused Mr. Chamberlain's Demands.	CANADA'S CU Canadian Beat Met W and Withd American Yachtsmen Mar to the Course, Losi Victory.
OTTAWA. Dr. Rinfeet, W. P., Appeinted inspector of Ware blooms the Waitawhile nower, fair.	TRURO, N. S., Aug. 21.—A terrible accident on the works in connection with the building of the large Midland railway bridge over the Shubenacadie river at South Maitland occurred on Sunday. Four men were drowned in the calsson. This is the seventh death since the building of the road becau	MONCTON, Mug. 20.—The death of Alex. McNaughton, ex-travelling audi- tor of the L. C. R., occurred here to- night. Mr. McNaughton up to a year ago held the position of travelling auditor; but for the past year on ac count of ill health has been working	Believed the Crisis May Qui-skly Develop Into War Unless the Boers Com- pletely Back Down, Which is Not Considered Likely.	TORONTO, Aug. 21. yacht racing for th ended in a disappoint both the Genesee and at the appointed hou met with an acciden after the start and w
And the soft Goeanies arows And the soft Goeanies arows Another arows Another arows Another arows	James Donahue, Ireland. They were all expert bridge builders brought on by the American Bridge company, who have the contract for building the bridge. Twenty men were on the night shift in a large calsson when the water rushed in. Sixteen men got out alive, but some were quite seriously bruised and otherwise injured. The four who were killed were heavy,	Had a Very Successful Practice at the Range on Saturday. The 62nd went to Sussex on Saturday afternoon to put in their target prac- tice at the range there. The bettallon fell in at the drill shed at 12.30 and left be foot of Sydney street shortly after	President Kruger has proposed new terms is somewhat verified by the	way back to the harb state. There was plen the Genesse to cover t appointed time of 5 ho utes, but the blunder her helmsman threw 3 portunity. For the firs Genesse held on in her then steered away to approaching within th westerly buoy, and sh out sailing the first leg at all. The course is a seven miles to a side bearing southwest by starting point. The the line first at 11.30, the Beaver two secon the latter to windwar
<ul> <li>tion since. The salary of inspector of inland revenue at Quebec is \$2,400 a year.</li> <li>The body of Private Dunn, of the R. C. R. I., Fredericton, whi was drowned at Rockoliff while bathling last Thursday, was recovered Saturday afternoon and was interred today with military homors at Beachwood.</li> <li>OTTAWA, Aug 21. Two Finnish gentlement of selecting a suitable site for the settlement of selecting a settlement of selecting a suitable site for the settlement of selecting a suitable site for the settlement of selecting a settlement of sele</li></ul>	ribs broken, his breast smashed and a horrible gash on the side of the head and the check cut completely open. The evidence at the inquest showed that all the machinery was working in perfect order before and after the ac-	and men, there being over 200 in all, with the two bands and stretcher bear- el sections. Russex was reached at three o'clock, when the battallon at once fell in and marched to the range. The day was yery hot, being the hot- test in Sussex this year, but the men stood it very well. On arrival at their destination work at once commenced, C and D.companies beginning the fir- ing. This was ordered to be by vol-	there. There is not the slightest doubt that they believe war is now the only way to settle the controversy. They vould far rather have a curt deflant enswer than the temporizing reply which the Boer president has sent. With the former Great Britain world have plain grounds for a quick com- mencement of hostilities. Under the circumstances which it is believed	ter position than the petitor, the Beaver is ahead when the penmi throat halyard block allowed the mainsail strain being more the could bear, caused it double. The Beaver the race, and in takin sail, made for port un taken in tow by a ste Genesee's crew only, mistake on "sturning point, when the judy race, and the Gene

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RING FOUND IN TURTLE.

(Pittsburg News.)

This week another party of Phila-delphians and some young women from Chester visited Oquaga Lake and went fishing at the place where Miss Harri-

VERDANT (From the St. Louis Star.)

The city girl, who spent her vacation on a farm, imagined she had solved the meaning of "Pasteurized milk." She saw the cows feeding from the pasture. What could be simpler?

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(Special to the Sun.)

(Special to the Sun.) WOODSTOCK, Aug. 21.—A serious case was opened before the police ma-gistrate this afternoon. G. Herbert Long of the parish of Wilmot charges Mrs. Francis Williams of the same place with having fired a pistol shot at him and his friend William Good on the 8th instant. It appears that the defendant complained that a bad feel-his existed between the two families. At any rate she fired a shot from a re-volver at the complainant and two more at the dogs which accompanied him and his friend Good while they were at work. The prisoner was re-manded until Thursday.

TERRIBLE LOSS OF LIFE.

PONCE, P. R., Aug. 21.—It is now estimated that the bodies of 2,500 vic-tims of the recent hurricane have been during the storm and that 2,000 people are still missing. There are opportunities here now for investors. There is the greatest lack of money for repairing damages, re-planting and replenishing stocks. The Alcaldes appointed committees for the distribution of relief stores, but the ulitary authorities objected to it. Fonce is healthful though bodies continue to be found in the fields. The authorities have decided to burn the ruins at Yabuco.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Ang. 21.—The col-onial government has been informed by the imperial secretary of state for the colonies, Joseph Chamberlain, that negotiations for the settlement of the

nd that he is hopeful of a speedy an

satisfactory arrangement. It is believed that matters are go-ing well, because the French warships are to withdraw from the coast at the close of August, two nonths earlier

NINE DROWNED.

MANILA, Aug. 21, 5.40 p. m.-While

antry, under Capt. Crane, was cross-

fantry, under Capi. Grane, was cross-ing the Mariquina river on a raft to-day, the hawser broke. The current, very swift at that point, caused the raft to capsize, drowning nine enligted

men. The U. S. transport Tartar, from San Francisco, July 24, with General Joe Wheeler and his daughter, troop A 19th Infantry, and more than \$1,300,009 in coin, has arrived. Gen. Wheeler, who is well, landed and reported at headquarters.

SEVEN PER CENT. DIED.

SEATTLE, Wash, Aug. 21.-Out of 1,000 men who went into the Kotsebue country last fall, over sev-n per cent have died from scurvey, or met tragic deaths. This is the statement of J. K. Jones of Sycamour, Ill., Brother-in-law of Rev. W. S. Harrington of Seat-tle.

than usual.

judged by recent occurrences. You must go back fifty years. It has been

It is learned that the government is somewhat anoyed at the public's slight interest in the Transvaal. The official said to the Associated Press representative "Dreyfus seems the only thing our people think about, though England is in a most serious crisis. The indifference is, perhaps, typical."

listing throughout the colony and are being sent to Pitsani and Jameson, on

being sent to Pitsani and Jameson, on the border. CAPE TOWN, Aug. 21.—Sunday was observed throughout the Orange Free State and Cape Colony with humili-ation, prayer and sermons advocating a peaceful solution of the crisis. Mr. Snytler, a leading Dutch reform preacher here, referred to the close ites uniting the Cape Dutch to those of the Transvaal, which, he added, were members of the great Afrikander family. If war should be declared, he asserted, Great Britain would commit a benious grime before God and man-resulting in civil war in Cage Colony. There is evidence of growing uneasi-ness at Johannesbury, great crowds sathering at the failroad station ex-pressing disapproval at the departures for Cape Colony and Durben, Natal. BERLIN, Aug. 21.— The Neuesien Nachrichten publishes the following despatch from Pretoria : "President Kruger a few days ago personally con-ducted a church service prior to hold-ing an official reception. In the course of the ceremony he prayed that, if war were unavoidable, God might find right and truth on the side of the Afrikan-ders." CAPE TOWN, Aug. 21.— According to Afrikander reports the Transyaal's

ders." CAPE TOWN, Aug. 21.— According to Afrikander reports, the Transvaal's reply is a counter proposal of a five year's retrospective franchise in the election of the president and an in-crease in representation. It is said that the suggestion is made to submit all other differences to arbitration.

FIRE AT NEWBURG JUNCTION.

NEWBURG JUNCTION, N. B., Aug

NEWBURG JUNCTION, N. B., Aug. 21.—The fine farm residence of Joseph A. Robinson of this place, consisting of dwelling house, ell and woodshed, together with two barns filled with hay, went up in smoke this afternoon. It is suppsed the fire originated from the flues in the kitchen. Nearly all of the furniture was destroyed. The live stock were saved. The loss will be heavy. It is believed there was only a small insurance on the property.

fom; Lizzie Dyas, from A Gibson, from Quaso, Liverpool, NS; Valdare, NS; Ruth Shaw, from Sturgis, from Weehaw-

George and Boston, for the Hattle C, for Shules, Cheverie, NS. VEN, Aug 13-Ard and and May, from Calais for

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IORANDA.

Bausoleil, M P., Appointed Postmaster and James McShane, Harber Master of Montreal.

MONTREAL, Aug. 20 .- It is now de finitely stated that Mr. Beausoliel, M. P., has been appointed postmaster of Montreal, while Jas. McShane is to be harbor master and inspector of harbor works at a salary of \$3,400.

**BIG FIRE AT HAMILTON.** 

then I began to wonder what it was I had hidden away, and where I had hidden it. I had no money in my pockets when I awoke, but as that HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 20.-The On tario Box company's factory and fully a million feet of lumber were burned was my normal condition when I went home after indulging a bit too much, this morning. Loss forty thousan The cause of the fire is unknown.

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from Galway, made the passage out in 28 days. An unknown bark, bound west, almost came to grief near Cape Sable light Satur-day. The 'og whistle is stopped for repairs, and the stranger's topgallantsails came in sight over the low fog bank, just clear of the rooks. He wore ship in a hurry, making a very close shave. -Halifax Chronicle. Tarmouth Times: Hugh Jenkins has re-ceived a telegram from K. S. Eakins, say-ing that the s. s. Josephine has been sold to Halifax parties, subject to inspection, for 55,000. The names of the prospective pur-chasers were not mentioned. A representa-tive arrives this evening to inspect the boat. It is probable that it is intended to convert her into a coal barge, as which her immense, carrying capacity would make her profit-able. The Wahbewawa was unfortunate in losing ine of her crew overboard when near the linish line, through the sheet of the spinna-ter slipping and lost several minutes in doiting bing and ng him u cers of the day were Vice-Commo-ns. Read Commodore Helder and

Frederic Bustin. The winning boat was heartily congratu-tated on the admirable manner in which she was handled, and Mr. Eiwell will now hold the Puggley cup for one year and also ob-tains one of the blue pennants presented by

THE TURF.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Six thousand per-sons attended the boxing bouts at Coney Is-land Sporting Club tonight, and two rattiling good bouts were put on.Jack O'Brien of Manchester and Jack Downey of Brooklyn were the principals in the main contest, which lasted nearly 15 rounds. O'Brien whipped Downey in the 19th, after a fierce struggle in which O'Brien did all the heavy work. O'Brien received a terrible blow in the right eye in the seventh round, and this almost made that optic useless during the remainder of the bout. Bowney was stub-born and frequently violated the rules by jugging and clinching, but Referee George. Edwards allowed him to go on until he was punched into submission. THE TURF. Rentrille Races. The Kentrille, N. S. Driving Chib an-nounce two races for Sept. 7th, a free for all purse, M. and a 2.35 trot, purse \$300. Terrill E. Won. At Rigby Park, Portland, on Friday, the Li class was wor by Terrill S. E. E. Kaott collared the first heat in 3.1245 and Frank Rysdick the next two in 2.08% and 2.10. Ter-rill S. seemed the next three without any irouble in 2.18%, 2.14% and 2.15%. The fast heat wom by Frank Rysdick was a holly contested one. He and Terrill S. went the last quarter shnost neck and neck. The winner had very little to boast of. The bidges felt that the drivers were not alming for low merks, and after the first heat all bets were declared off.

Fred Stewart, employed in Shaw's bakery, lost two fingers of his left hand Saturday while working on the cutting machine. His hand was dressed at the hospital.

to let my wile get hold of that bottle, so I tipped up stairs when I got home a.d, as I thought, securely hid the 'bracer' in the top drawer of an old washstand—a place that is seldom used by any of the family. "The next morning my good wife showed me the flask, out of which not a drop had passed my lips, and told me she had needed same camphor for a long time, and she was glad of an opportunity to dissolve some gam which she had on hand. She had found thin my noches the solid cond

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MARINE MATTERS.

THE RING.

O'Brien Defeated Downey.

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The material was let down from the top and air was furnished by pipes.
The injuries of the dead men indicate that the rush of water threw them with great force against the sharp edge of stones.
HOPEWELL HILL.
HOPEWELL HILL, Aug. 16.— Mrs. Clark, wife of William Clark of Albert to two days old. She was a daughter of Edward Woodworth, merchant, of the stand to the stand to the stand to the stand the stand to the stand the stand the stand to the stand to the stand the st The back may not be able to cater to the 62nd next year in the same way. The toast was enthusiastically received and followed with three cheers and "They Are Jolly Good Fellows." Survey and a followed with three cheers and "They Are Jolly Good Fellows." Survey are and followed with three cheers and they had the contract for the staturant at the coming exhibition, and asked the officers and their friends to liberally patronize them to sussex, where they entrained at once and arrived home after a journy of a hour and a half, disembarking at the station, and after failing in marched by way of King and Germain stretes to the drill shed, where they were dismissed at 10 o'clock, after the commanding officer had expressed him self as being much pleased at the station of and crowds followed the soldiers to the shed. The playing of the and are tooking forward to going to hand crowds followed the soldiers to the shed. The playing of the and are tooking forward to going to hand crowds followed the soldiers to the shed. The playing of the and are tooking forward to going to hand so the colory and are bigged by the men, despite the heat, and all are tooking forward to going to company inspection of the 62nd company inspection of the found it in my pocket, she said; and Edward Woodworth, merchant, of the mines, and was highly esteemed. The funeral took place this afternoon and was largely atetnded. Mrs. Murray of Curryville is quite

The Minto brass band will give an open-air concert at Albert on Wednes-day evening, 23rd.

home after indulging a bit too much, I was not surprised. "Well, I had about forgotten the in-cident when last night I was rumaging eround the house looking for some old papers, and I ran across my purse —the thing I had hidden in " that drawer for my bottle several weeks before. Rather timidly I opened it, and there, shining as bright as you plasse, were eight silver dollars. "That's the reason I am feeling so good this morning." HOPEWELL HILL, Aug. 20.-Dr. H. D. Weaver of Halifax, who formerly practised at Albert, is visiting old friends hereabout. George Fullerton and Fred Buchanan, who have been spending their holidays at Albert, re-turned to Boston last week

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T. J. Leahy is putting up a nice re-sidence at Albert.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the

marriage of Capt. and Mrs. Chas. Bishop was celebrated last evening at their residence at Lower Cape. The presents from all their friends were

MARINE MATTERS. The Norwegian bark Alert, from Rotter-dam, arrived yesterday afternoon. She came out in 32 days. Sch. Carrie Belle, Capt. Gayton, at Newark to miles S. S. W. of Manitcus, Aug. 14, dur-ing a heavy southeast wind, split foresail. Tortland Argus: The only important ar-rival Thursday was the British bark Birnam Wood, Captain Morris, from South America. The captain reports a fair passage of 47 days. While off Cape Hatteris he ran into the tail end of the Porto Rico hurricane, but it was not severe enough to do any dam-age. The bark halls from St. John, N. B., and is a big, fine-looking vessel. She will load deals at the Marrett Lumber Co. for South America. Her signal letter was set as size came into the harbor and reminded one of the familiar "Remember the Maine" sig-nal. Captain Morris set his flags in hopes. that he might be reported from the Cape. Barkin, Hector, Capt. Morrell, at Sydney from Galway, made the passage out in 28 days. very handsome and made a magnifi-cent display. The Hopewell and Harvey School Teachers' association, which was or-ganized in January of the present year, met on Saturday at Albert, when the following officers were elected: A. A. Allen, president; A. Grace McGor-man, vice-pres.; Evelyn R. Bennett, sec. Regular meetings will be held on the second Saturday in each month, at which visitors are cordially invited to be present. The September session will be held at Hopewell Cape, that in October at Riverside, in November at the Hill, and in December at Harvey very handsome and made a magnifi-

Thirteen years ago Miss Beatrice Harridan and a party of other Phila-delphia young women spent the sum-mer at Oquaga Lake. One day while bathing Miss Harridan placed her diathe Hill, and in December at Harvey mond engagement ring on a log to pre-vent the water from injuring the set-

er found.

missions. SPRINGFFIELD, Kings Co., Aug. 19. -Many farmers have fimished gytting their hay, which has generally been an excellent crop. Two vigorous old hay makers have made a record word thy of note. Alex. McIntire, who is nearly 81 years old, last year with his mower cut all the hay on two farms, about 160 tons, and is doing the same this year; while Benj. Gray, who is nearly 84, has this year raked all the HENRY T, SEARS, N, D.

BLOOMFIELD STATION, Kings Co., Aug. 21.—The schools opened here last week, but owing to the busy sea-son with hay and berries the attend-ance was so small that it would al-most seem advisable to have had the yacation extended to eight weeks. .+H. W. Inpis left this morning on his-way to Sallsbury, Africa, where he will enter upon the work of industrial missions. BLOOMFIELD STATION, Kings

HENBY T. SEABS, M. D.

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Between Columbus Avenue and Tremont Street.

BOSTON, MASS.

ting. When the party had completed their diversion the ring was missing. There was consternation in 'he delegation, and Miss Harridan refused to be con-soled. She offered a large reward for the return of the ring, but it was nev-

KINGS CO. NOTES.