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The Evening Gazette.

ST. JOHN, N.B., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1899.

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AMUSEMENTS.

CARNIVAL RACES!

MOOSEPATH PARK, WEDNESDAY FEB. 27.

RACES will commence at 11 o'clock, P. M., on Wednesday, Feb. 27, at Moosepath Park.

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The Best Display Ever Seen in the Rink is Anticipated.

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at 8 P. M. on Friday, Feb. 25th.

at 7 P. M. on Saturday, Feb. 26th.

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Lowest Quotations Given on Special Supplies.

SECOND EDITION.

PIGOTT CONFESSES.

THAT HE FORGOT ALL THE LETTERS ON WHICH THE PROSECUTION BASED ITS CASE.

The Forger has Solved and Cannot Be Found.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The Parrish commission resumed its sittings this morning.

After the opening of the court, Sir Charles Russell asked and stated that, on Saturday, Richard Pigott wrote to the residence of Henry Labouchere and in the presence of George Augustus Sala signed a confession, stating that the letters upon which the Times had based their charges against the Irish member of the House of Commons were forgeries.

Upon the reassembling of the court Sir Charles Russell applied for a warrant for the arrest of the Times, and the judge granted it.

The Times, which had been seized by the police, was brought to court by the witness and read that he would have to decide whether or not he would resume any part of the same. When Pigott was called to give evidence he refused to do so.

He was asked by the judge whether he had anything to say in his own defence, and he replied that he had nothing to say.

The judge then directed the jury to find Pigott guilty of perjury, and they did so.

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SLUGGER KILRAIN.

No Scientific Point Contested With

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 26.—Jako Kilrain last night positively refused to listen to any proposition looking to a glove contest with Jack Dempsey, for scientific points. He says he would be willing to meet Dempsey in private, where a decision could be reached, or would fight him 12 rounds in a purse, but does not care for it. He left here at 6:55 a. m.

Toronto Tidings.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Toronto, Feb. 26.—The Militia Department will be petitioned to permit all the Toronto military regiments to go under canvas for two months in the summer of 1900, the regiment of the district to go into camp at Niagara.

The Board of Trade has adopted a resolution condemning the combined bill of Clarke Wallace, M. L., now before Parliament declaring righteous conditions to be a benefit to the public.

The Knights of the Templar are announcing that the government has received an answer from the Australian government suggesting a conference on trade matters between the two countries.

An account of the number of government men in Australia declares that the Dominion government has not decided the matter till after the session is over.

Archbishop Faber's Return.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

MONTREAL, Feb. 26.—The train carrying Archbishop Faber was three hours late, but upon arrival shortly before noon, a large number of people assembled at the station to greet him.

Many also went to St. Lambert and St. John to meet him.

Archbishop Faber is in excellent health and is high in terms of his reputation as a statesman and diplomat.

He will be in St. John on Wednesday, Feb. 27, and will be in Montreal on Thursday, Feb. 28.

He will be in St. John on Friday, Feb. 29, and will be in Montreal on Saturday, March 1.

He will be in St. John on Sunday, March 2, and will be in Montreal on Monday, March 3.

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