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HALIFAX, N. S., May 6 .-- There

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#### ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1903.

### CLAIMS A TITLE. Went Out on Another Trial Spin Says He is the Legitimate Heir of Lord Sackville. Sensational Case Before the Chans-

#### ery Court in London This Morning.

LONDON, May 1.—Another chapter in the sensational claim of Henry Sack-ville-West to be the legitimate heir to bord Sackville, former British minister to and sackville. Former British minister at Washington, was heard today in the shancery court. The claimant, whose will name is Ernest Henry Jean Bap-tiste Sackville-West, applied for the appointment of a commission to exam-ne witnesses in France and Spain in support of his claim, Counsel for the appointment of a commission to exam-fuelantif explained that the action was for the purpose of perpetuating testi-non the state, as while Lord Sack-ville and estate, as while Lord Sack-ville and estate, as while Lord Sack-ville and estate, as while to the sack-ting action to establish his marriage with Josephine Duran de Ortags. The de-fondants denied the marriage, alieging had been married to Antonio de is points, who was then and still is alive, abut Jacembine the sac

#### THE DEATH ROLL. Former Nurse in Queen's Household

### -A Multi-Millionaire.

ELGIN, Ills., May 1.—Hannah Ander-son, formerly a nurse in the household of Queen Victoria, is dead here, at the age of 55 years. She was born in Nord-kapen, Sweden, and at an early age was graduated from a nurse school. Skill in her profession arouaed the In-terest of persons in court circles, and she was called to England, where for years she ministered to members of the royal family. ELORO, Mex., May 1.—August Sahlberg, a multi-militonaice and holstered in velour, silk plush bands, for \$27.00 ; upholstered in figured plush, \$29.00. Nothing like them has ever been

royal family. ELORO, Mex., May 7.—August Sahiberg, a multi-milionaire mining man, is dead. He came to Eloro ten years ago from Montana. He was without money or friends and after many months of hard labor struck the vein of what is now the famous Esper-anza mine, which in a few years yield-ed him a fortune of more than \$15,000,-00.

### CHICAGO LINEN to be Washed.

CHICAGO, May 1.-There is one hotet in Chicago today which has clean linen. The manager of a hosteliry chartered a tug, loaded it down with a week's wash and started it northward with in-structions to bring the linen back cleansed and ironed, even if it it were necessary to go to Canada. The tug captain steamed into Kenosa, Wis, and send word to a laundry that there was a parcel of solled clothes which he wished done in a hurry. The propriet-or of the laundry was. dumfounded when his drivers brought back several wason loads of clothes, but the work was done guickly. When it was deliver-ed notification was made that no more work would be accepted from Chicago.

DENVER, Colo., May 7.-Arthur ohnson, identified as one of the men rho held up a saloon on the night that harles Bervin, a patron of the place, vas shot and killed, has been found nullty of murder in the first degree and entenced to life imprisonment. John-iton's partner, who was guarding an uter door during the attempted rob-ery, killed Bervin when the latter ried to escape. The murderer escaped. Johnson was tried as an accessory juring the fact, which under the Col-rado law makes him a principal to the murder of Bervin.

PARLIAMENT.

THE STRIKE Conference Between Shippers and Strikers Postponed. Meanwhile the Situation Remains

#### Unchanged-Government Anztous to Have a Settlement.

This Morning. GOUROCK, Scotland, May t,-The America's cup challenger Shamrock III went out this morning on her first trial spin since she has been refitted, after having been dismasted of Wey-mouth. A light northesaterly wind is of enormous size sets high above the mast-head The bioyele wheel previous-is of enormous size sets high above the mast-head The bioyele wheel previous-iy used in steering the challenger has been discarded in favor of an ordinary wooden wheel. The trial today was chiefly for sail-stretching and to ex-ricid a working topsail. The new boat drifted slowiy out of Gourock Bay, but tonce in the open she slipped smartly through the water and reached down the channel at a great pace. DESTROYED BY FIRE, Big Barn and Contents, Including 36 Cattle Burned.

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LATER. MONTREAL, May 7.-The meeting between shippers and strikers has been postponed till tonight. O'Neill, the re-presentative of the strikers, is unable to attend this morning.

#### GENERAL NOTES.

A Canadian windmill has taken first prize in a pumping contest under the auspices of the Royal Agricultural So-ciety of England. The evidence in the Gamey enquiry is all in unless it is decided to recail Gamey himself. The sommission has adjourned till Tuesday. There is a growing agitation in Eng-land against the repeal of the corn duties.

Demands a Better Telegraphic Service Than the Present One. hand against the duties. Mrs. James L. Hughes, of Toronto, condems the practice of over-study in the schools. The Orange county, New York state, fruit crop has been damaged by frosts to the extent of \$200,000.

#### ANDREW CARNEGIE SPEAKS.

ANDREW CARNEGIE SPEAKS. LONDON, May 7.— The annual meeting of the Iron and Steel Institute here today was largely attended. After being formally installed in the chair, the new president, Andrew Carnegie, who remarked that he was the first president of the institute who was not a British subject, presented Sir James Kitson, a former president of the in-stitute with the Bessemer gold medal. Mr. Carnegie next delivered his in-augural address which was listened to with much interest.

#### THIS EVENING IN FAIRVILLE.

At the concert in Fairville Baptist hurch this evening, besides four num-

At the concert in Fairville Baptist church this evening, besides four num-bers by the chorus of forty voices from Main Street Baptist church, under the leadership of A. C. Ritchie, A. W. Baird will give a reading, and there will be several numbers by the best local talent obtainable.

C. P. R. VACANCY.

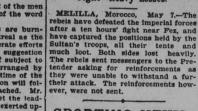
nued in a short time this afternoon rolled up \$30,000. One claim is for \$16,-000. Prominent citizens hold his paper and will propably lose heavily. Coates had been in business for many years, supposed to be prosperous and was largely trusted. Chas. Smith, jr., is a large creditor, and so is the Bank of Montreal. It is secured for \$16,000. Several prominent fix, as there was sreat considered.

### UNCLE SAM'S NIGHTMARE. New Hats. Italian Cheap Labor Also Means Cheap Crime. Cheap Crime. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 7.-Tony Gres, an Italian, shot and killed an un-known Italian in Townsend street late last night and in trying to escape he endeavored to shoot Pollceman Andrew Terry, who arrested him. It was two hours before the victim's body was re-moved from the street. Nearly 500 per-sons gathered about the corpse and when the pollce tried to disperse them a small riot resulted. The body of the murdered. Additional police arrived and the crowd finally was dispersed. Gres says the trouble resulted over a woman whose affection both men claimed. He refused to give the dead man's hame or tell anything abcut him. We are showing some new styles in Soft Hats, including the LATEST NEW YORK SHAPE.

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## SPORTING NEWS.

M. P. A. A. A. OFFICIAL BULLETIN No. 130.

OFFICIAL BULLETIN No. 130. Championships.-Clubs intending to apply for the holding of the annual acquatic championships and the an-nual athletic championships of this association are hereby requested to hand in their applications to the secre-tary of this association on or before first of June ensuing. Sanction.-Sanction of this associa-tion is hereby granted to the University of New Brunawick A. A. C., for the holding of the following events to be contested at Fredericton, N. B., on Monday, May 25, 1903, namely: 100 yards dash. 200 yards dash. 200 yards dash. 200 yards hurdles. Putting shot. Standing broad jump. Running broad jump. Running high jump. Hop. site and iumn.

Running high jump. Hop, step and jump. Throwing hammer.

LONDON YACHTSMAN SAYS CUP IS IN REAL DANGER.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The favorable mpression which the Shamrock III. as made in her trials is voiced in the ollowing editorial in the London

has made in her trials is voiced in the following editorial in the London Yachtsman: "So far as the trials between the two Shamrocks have proceeded, there ap-pears to be every reason for the genu-ine satisfaction with the new boat that has been expressed by Clyde yachts-men. Her weather qualities in partic-ular have created a most favorable im-pression, and we need not fear that she will show any falling off in a sea way. It is early yet to make any forecast, but if she can give the old boat six minutes in a 30-mile course, we would estimate her to be ten minutes faster than the Columbia over the same dis-tance in a moderate breeze. There is only one point on which the Shamrock I. is distinctly weak, viz., running be-fore a smart breeze. That was the only thing that became apparent in her finished races with the Columbia, and a big loss on a 15-mile run is not easy to make up on the beat back. So far no trial under these conditions has taken place, and in the breezes in which the boats have been tried down the wind the Shamrock I. is almost if not quit the Columbia's equal, while the new boat appears a little better even on that point. It is gratifying to know that present indications go to show that strong breezes do no taffect her superiority to the trial ship. "Mr. Fife's presence on board during the cup races, and the preparation for





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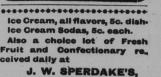
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Than the Present One. Than the Present One. Prince Edward Island is determined to have a more modern telegraphic service and a delegation has been sent to Ottawa to press the claims before the government. F. It. Hassard and George E. Hughes, representing the Orminitetown board of trade and the provinelal legislature, passed through the city last evening for Ottawa. They will meet the government and ask that P. E. Island be given an all night telegraphic service and that the rates be lowered to correspond with those on the mainland. At present the offices open at eight a. m. and close at eight p. m. From Saturday night until Monday morning there is absolutely no communication with the mainland and this has been found. to cause much inconvenience. The rates are fifty cents for ten words and three cents for every additional word, and the delegates will ask that these be re-duced to twenty-five and two cents. AMHERST SENSATION,

A LIFE SENTENCE.

DENVER, Colo., May 7.-Arthu ohnson, identified as one of the me

HALIFAX, N. S., May 6.-There was cause for excitement in business cir-cles in Amherst today. One was the sudden departure last night of Thomp-son Coates, merchant and general deal-er, of Nappan Station. He was a large dealer in hay, lumber and cattle. He is heavily involved. Attachments is-sued in a short time this afternoon rolled up \$50,000. One claim is for \$16, 000. Prominent citizens hold his paper and will propably lose heavily. Coates had been in business for many years, supposed to, be prosperous and was largely trusted.

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Iron Bedsteads and Cribs, Invalid Wheel Chairs, Etc. 101 to 107 GERMAIN STREET.

# Spring Overcoats.

A Top Coat is necessary almost any evening in St. John, all through the summer and for the next few weeks it will be necessary all through the day as well. We have some very Natty Spring Overcoats at very small prices. **\$7 50 Overcoats** Made from dark grey Oxford goods-medium length, Chesterfield style, with Silk facing.

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We have three lines at this pri a dark grey Chevici, made Chesterfield Style and Silk facings, also a medium shade of Blue Grey, same style and length, without silk, and a shorter style in light Whipcord. All are very de-sirable and dressy coats. We would like to show them to you, \$9 00 Overcoats



RUSSIA AND CHINA. LONDON, May 7-The correspondent at Moscow, of the Daily Mall, says: "I learn upon good suthority that the attitude exhibited abroad has in-duced Russian statesmen to endeavor to bring about a complete understand-ing with China and thus prepare the

IT IS BISHOP COLTON.

ROME, May 7.-Monsignor Veccla, secretary of the Propoganda, was re-ceived by the pope today and sub-mitted the report of the constagation of the Propoganda on the vacancy in the bishopric of Buffalo. The pontif de-clided on the appointment of Rev. Chas. H. Colton, rector of St. Stephen's church, New York.

A FALSE REPORT.

VIENNA, May 7.-The officials of the foreign office here say there is absolu-tely no foundation for the reports pub-lished by a news agency in the United States yesterday, that 90,000 Christian inhabitants of Novi-Bazar, Bouni, had been massacred by Moslems. Austria maintains three garrisons in the dis-trict of Novi-Bazar and everything is quiet there. SHAMROCKS RACE SATURDAY.

GLASGOW, Scotland, May 6-The renewal of the trials of the Shamrock III. was again postponed Wednesday owing to the inclement weather. The first set race between the two Sham-rocks is expected to take place Friday and there will be a special race over a measured course in the Firth of Clyde Saturday. Sir Thomas Lipton was much Inter-

#### THE TRANSVAAL LOAN.

LONDON, May 7.- The Transvaal loan of \$175,000,000, will be issued at par, with interest at three per cent. It is redeemable in 1983. BANK OF ENGLAND.

LONDON, May 7.-The rate of dis-count of the Bank of England was un-changed today at four per cent.

DECREASE IN TRADE.

LONDON, May 7.-The April state ment of the Board of Trade shows de creases of \$11,988,000 in imports and of \$1,730,000 in exports.

#### THE BERLIN BOURSE.

BERLIN, May 7.—There was lively dealing on the Bourse today in shares of the steel companies, owing to in-formation that American orders for 25,000 tons have just been placed.

A special meeting of the no of the 62nd Regiment will be h evening in their mess room, F

her superiority to the trial ship. "Mr. Fife's presence on board during the cup races, and the preparation for them, will lend an element of security against possible mistakes, which was disastrously absent in the case of the first Shamrock. Therefore, it really seems that this time the cup is in real danger, and that the Columbia offers no prospect of a successful defence. Perhaps in no case has the defending yacht been more appropriately named than now, for she is the sole reliance of the holders. Her trials with the Columbia will be regarded with some-what tense Interest by American yachtsmen, whose faith was a little unreasonably shaken by the Constitu-tion.

D FROM THE EMPIRE?

DISMISSED FROM THE EMPIRE? So far, Australia has cost Britain practically nothing for defence. It has involved Britain in owar, and has brought it no fresh enemies. It has helped Britain materially in one war with which Australia had no concern. It has provided convenient headquart-ers for the fleet that is employed to pro-tect British shipping in these parts and to spread the terror of the British flag through Polynesia. It has paid some-thing towards the maintenance of this fleet. It has supplied Britain with about £30,000 a year of the profits aris-ing from the silver coinage fraud. And it has received notice from Joseph Chamberlain to quit the Empire unless things are placed on a more definite footing.-Bulletin, Sydney.

#### LLOYDS AND THE STRIKE.

LLOYDS AND THE STRIKE. TORONTO, May 6.-The News Lon-don cable says: In the course of an interview today, one of the oldest members of Lloyds suid that the whole exchange feit that the strike of the longshoremen at Montreal was a jamentable occurrence. It had led to a congestion of shipping, this increased the risk of fire and hence rates of in-surance would have to be raised. He also said that Lloyds were always in favor of Halifax as a terminal port in preference to Montreal. The neces-sary high rate of insurance on the St. Lawrence route was one of the ele-ments operating against the fast line occan steamships using Montreal as a terminus. Saturday. Sit Thomas Lipton was much inter-ested in the result of the Columbia-Reliance brush on Long Island sound Tuesday. He said he thought a "quart-er of a mile beating in half an hour" seemed to be "a large order" but it was "something to know the Columbia was ahead."

#### THE OSSIFIED MAN.

THE OSSITIED ARM. George Scott, the ossified man, died at Hamilton, Ont., Saturday. The dis-ease began some ten years ago, and for the past two years the unfortunate man has been practically a block of stone. For over a year he has been speech-less and only conscious for brief mo-ments. He was fed with an arrange-ment resembling a tea pot. Soott is a Scotchman, and came out here forty years ago. He was an engineer by oc-

Highest temperature, 50; lowest tem-perature, 42; barometer at noon 30.02 inches. Wind, norb; velocity, 12 miles per hour. Wind, norus, Cloudy. TORONTO, May 7.—Forecasts— Fresh northerly and northeasterly winds; cloudy northerly and northeasterly winds; cloudy TORONTO, May 7.--Forecasts-- Fresh northerly and northeasterly winds; cloudy with occasional showers. Friday strong northwesterly winds; clearing weather. Synopsis--The disturbance still hovers off the coast and the weather is likely to con-tinue cool and unsettled. Nova Scolta to the Banks, today and Friday, northeasterly winds and showery; to American ports moderate and arisible until Friday then northwesterly.

THE WEATHER.