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PREPARING FOR THE SHOW.

Exhibition Building All Ready for Exhibitors-Extensive Changes.

Every Change is a Big Improvement-Good Work of the Association Staff-Everything Points to a Big Success.

If the exhibition this year does not surpass all previous shows in this city it will not be the fault of the executive of the Exhibition Association...

It has been many days since William Taylor, superintendent of the exhibition grounds and buildings, has been up town. He hasn't had time. He has been working and has been seeing that his large gang of helpers worked also.

A visit to the exhibition buildings on Saturday revealed, in spite of the torrents of rain driving across the bleakness of the empty grounds, a scene of productive business inside.

The first change noticed on entering the main doors is a commodious office for the live stock commissioners to the right of the entrance, where the C. P. R. telegraph office stood at the last exhibition.

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COAL STRIKE.

All Signs Point to Its Early Settlement.

Strikers Disappointed With Mitchell's Limited Success.

The Boston Alpha Editorially Assures It is Time to End the Strike-The Globe's Statement.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.-John Mitchell, president of the National Amalgamated Coal Workers, arrived in the city today, and shortly before noon a committee of three young men called at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co., but Mr. Morgan had not arrived at the office at that time, and the committee left without seeing any member of the firm.

THE STRIKERS STAND FIRM. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Aug. 24.-The sixteenth week of the strike opens with the operators and strikers both claiming to be in better shape than at any time since the strike opened.

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MEDUCTIC TRAGEDY.

Mrs. Marsten Sent Up for Trial.

Final Evidence in the Preliminary Examination-Prisoner May Be Taken to the Fredericton Jail.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Aug. 25.-The preliminary examination in the Marsten poisoning case came to a conclusion this evening. When the court met this morning the first witness was Mrs. Julia Tompkins, wife of Joshua Tompkins. She said that she lived in Woodstock some 14 years ago.

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SUICIDE OF THOMAS CROCKET OF BARNESVILLE.

Heavy Rains and Winds Badly Lodged Oats and Buckwheat-School and Personal Notes.

HAMPTON, Kings Co., Aug. 25.-Heavy rain storms visited this neighborhood Saturday and Sunday, with strong easterly winds. Oats and buckwheat lodged badly with yesterday's torrential downpour.

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NOT FASTEST YET.

Battleship Maine Behind Many English Vessels.

United States Navy Men Disappointed By Her Trial Trip - She Will Slow Down to 16 Knots in the Service.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 25.-Although the figures attained by the new battleship Maine on her trial on Cape Ann, yesterday, mark her as the fastest battleship of the navy, there is a little disappointment here that her record was not a faster. The unofficial figures of 18.3 are far short of the expectations which were prompted, unwarrantably perhaps, by her performance on the builder's trial, when for 30 minutes she maintained a speed of 19.35 knots.

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