

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

THE HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK IN BRIEF.

Despatches from points of Interest in different parts of the World—Domestic and Foreign events—The Dark and Sunny Side of Life.

Rome, June 12—The pope today received in audience Mgr. O'Connell, the bishop of Portland.

Pekin, June 11—A meeting of the foreign ministers today showed better prospects of their coming to some definite understanding.

Boston, June 11—For assaults of a very serious character upon young girls whom he had enticed to his shop, Alexander Monest yesterday was sentenced to state prison for 14 years.

Boston, June 12—Thomas W. Lawson, owner of the Independence, today stated that he knew nothing about a syndicate having been formed in New York to purchase his yacht and demand negotiations had begun for such a purchase.

Havana, June 12—The Cuban constitutional convention today accepted the final amendment by a vote of 16 to 11 without discussion.

Chatham, Mass., June 11—The busy market in the produce section of the Chatham market today was shifted several hundred yards south from its former position.

Port Royal, Pa., June 11—As a result of Monday night's explosion in the Port Royal mines of the Pittsburg Coal Company, 16 are dead, seven injured and thousands of dollars worth of property destroyed.

New York, June 12—The defence in the Kennedy murder case rested today, after putting on several more witnesses to strengthen their alibi.

Boston, June 12—The battleship Illinois made an average of 17.31 knots per hour on her speed trial of 66 knots today, breaking all records for American battleships.

Rockland, Me., June 12—Another strike is on at the lime kilns, where the laborers quit work this evening with the avowed purpose of not returning in the morning.

Bangor, Me., June 12—Physicians today decided that the six patients at the pest house are suffering from smallpox. Two more patients were taken to the pest house tonight.

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In 1670 the Dutch owned one-half the shipping of the world. Their proportion is now less than 1 1/2 of the total.

London, June 14—Lorne C. Currie's yacht Greyfriar has been selected to contest for the Seawanhaka cup on behalf of Great Britain.

London, June 13—Foxhall Keene has sent £2,650 to the Prince of Wales Hospital fund, the amount being one-half of the Oaks purse.

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THE BISHOP'S WILL CASE.

Evidence All in and Court Decides Prima Facie Case Has Been Made Out—Counsel's Addresses.

In the probate court yesterday the evidence in connection with the late Bishop Sweeney's will was concluded and counsel were heard.

The taking of evidence over, Dr. Pugsley, addressing the court, admitted that a prima facie case had been made out. There were two points on which he offered no objection to these were the mental capacity of the late bishop to make a will and the due execution of the will.

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THE \$500 GOLD CASE

Examination of Dujay at Moncton Yesterday.

Moncton, June 12—(Special)—The preliminary examination of John Dujay on charge of stealing the \$500 express package, was begun this morning before Police Magistrate Kay. A. B. Chandler, K. C., appeared for the prosecution and W. A. Russell, of Shediac, for the accused.

The witness examined today were G. F. Case, St. John, express messenger on No. 2 train between St. John and Amherst; J. L. Gupilli, to whom the money was handed, and Conductor John McFadden, who acts as express messenger on the Shediac branch.

Conductor McFadden was on the stand nearly the entire forenoon, being under cross-examination by the counsel for the defence. Mr. Russell made a number of inquiries made by and for the expected parcel and of discovery that the parcel had been stolen.

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Mr. Russell's cross-examination of this witness was considerably in the prisoner's favor.

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The pearl weighs 103 grains, is three-fourths of an inch in diameter and is perfectly symmetrical. It has a pink lustre. An ordinary pearl weighs four grains.

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STRIKERS SAY ONE THING AND

MAINE CENTRAL SAYS ANOTHER.

Both Sides Claim the Upper Hand in the Strike Situation--

The Men State Their Grievances--Asking More Pay.

Portland, Me., June 12—The general grievance committee in connection with the Maine Central strike, today announced that not only a demand made for an increase in wages, but other concessions also are asked of the road. Some of them are:

That 10 hours shall constitute a day's work—the men to receive time and a half for all extra time and double time for Sunday work; that no maintenance of way or first men shall be discharged for serving on any grievance committee; and that section men shall be allowed free use of company's dwellings, with fuel, at points where men live in such dwellings.

The exact increases demanded are as follows: Yard foremen and men on the system shall receive an increase of 25 cents per day, excluding yard foremen at Portland, Waterville, Bangor, Brunswick and Bath.

General Manager Evans, of the Maine Central, today said: "Everything is going along very well. Fifty new men have been put to work today and a number of the old men have returned to the positions they left."

The strikers claim that their numbers are being increased, while the management of the road believes that the places of the men will be filled within a few days.

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REX POROUS PLASTERS

Will ease that nasty itching around Heart, Palpitation, Fluttering, etc., in the Side, Difficult Breathing, etc., Asthma, It will cure pains or aches in any part of the body a few minutes after being applied.

As good as a Square Yard of some Plaster.

GEORGE E. PRICE, Druggist, 127 Queen st., St. John, N. B.

SHORTAGE OF LOGS MAY CLOSE MILLS.

Penobscot Spruce Mills May Have to Suspend Operations for a Month.

Bangor, Me., June 13—It is feared that nearly all the spruce mills on the Penobscot will be obliged to shut down for nearly a month, within a few days, because of the failure of expected logs to arrive from the river region.

The men's case is \$1.25 per ten hours of the heaviest, hardest work involving its careless performance, or by incompetent men (and we all know what kind of a workman a man low enough to scab in a busy time like the present is).

Chicago, June 13—According to the latest issue of Leaves of Healing, John Alexander Dowie's publication, he was not sure he was Elijah when he announced from the platform that he was. So he called a meeting of the elders, overseers, deacons and deacons and took a ballot to see whether he was Elijah and he found that he was by a vote of 249 to 2.

DOWIE ELECTED ELIJAH.

Was Not Sure That He Was the Prophet, and It Was Put to Vote.

LABOUCHERE FINED. Comment on a Case Costs Him \$250 and Costs.

London, June 13—Henry Labouchere was fined \$250 and costs in the King's Bench Court yesterday for contempt of court, in commenting on a case which was at the time still sub judice.



Advertisement for 'NO ARGUMENT NEEDED' featuring a testimonial about catarrh treatment and a list of symptoms.

GREAT STRIKE ON C. P. R. IS BEING TALKED OF.

Sectionmen Dissatisfied and Question Is Will a Tie-up Result.

Ottawa, June 12—(Special)—Are the section men of the Canadian Pacific Railway preparing for a giant strike from ocean to ocean, that with the assistance of the other employees of the company, will stop the great road?

That question is being asked here today. A section man on the road said the wages the C.P.R. men get were not satisfactory.

Mr. Cartleton said it was not a question of the right of the corporation to not take the property because it already had as much as the law allows for the use of the railway.

THE NEWS AT SUSSEX.

Masonic Visitation -- To Attend Church-Business Extension.

Sussex, June 12—Past Master Oggin, of Zion Lodge, F. & A. M., No. 21, accompanied by J. H. H. Hodges, Esq., R. Morrison, H. Mitchell and Dr. Murray visited Stephen Lodge, No. 57, at Petrolia last night to assist in conferring the M. M. degree on three candidates.

At Harvey Station. Harvey Station, York Co., June 13—Mrs. W. E. Smith gave a party at her residence on Tuesday evening which was one of the chief events of the season.

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