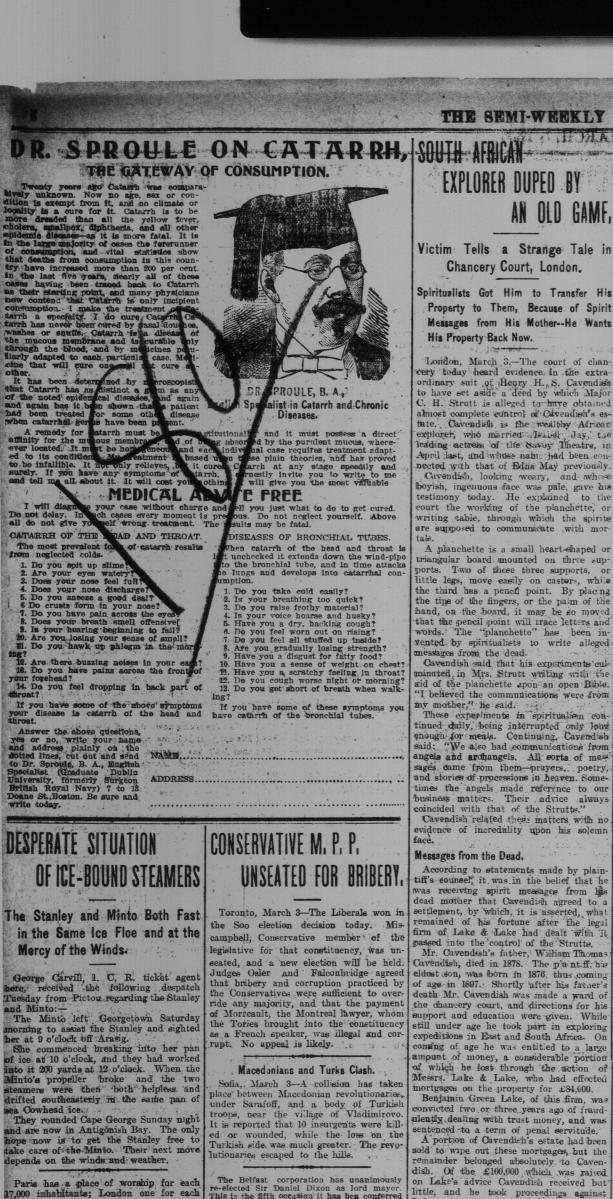
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AN OLD GAME.

Victim Tells a Strange Tale in Chancery Court, London.

Property to Them, Because of Spirit Messages from His Mother--He Wants His Property Back Now.

London, March 3.—The court of chan-cery today heard evidence in the extra-ordinary suit of Henry H. S. Cavendish to have set aside a deed by which Major C. H. Strutt is alleged to have obtained almost complete cuntrol of Owendish's estate. Cavendish is the wealthy African explorer, who married Trabet Jay, the leading actress of the Savoy Theatre, in April last, and whose name had been connected with that of Edna May previously Cavendish, looking weary, and who boyish, ingenuous face was pale, gave his estimony today. He explained to the court the working of the planchette, or vriting table, through which the spirits

A planenette is a small heart shaped or triangular board amounted on three supports. Two of these three supports, or little legs, move easily on castors, while the third has a pencil point. By placing the tips of the fingers, or the palm of the hand, on the board, it may be so moved that the pencil point will trace letters and words. The "planchette" has been invented by spiritualists to write alleged. wented by spiritualists to write alleged messages from the dead. Cavendish said that his experiments cul

ninated in Mrs. Strutt writing with the tid of the planchette apon an open Bible I believed the communications were from

These experiments in spiritualism continued daily, being interrupted only long enough for meals. Continuing, Cavendish said: "We also had communications from Gironard announced himself as a candingels and archangels. All sorts of mes ages came from them—prayers, poetr, and stories of processions in heaven. Some imes the angels made reference to ou usiness matters. Their advice alway

Toronto, March 3-The Liberals won in settlement, by which, it is asserted, what ulently dealing with trust money, and was entenced to a term of penal servitude. A portion of Cavendish's estate had been

> little, and he took proceedings against Lake, who then became bankrupt, with the result already mentioned.

It was in 1901 that Cavendish went to OFFICIAL RETURNS with Major and Mrs. Strutt at 89 Piecadilly. Subsequently the family remove to Maidenhead, Cavendish going with them. An arrangement to divide the cos of living was not carried out, but Caven dish paid at the rate of £30 a week for his expenses, some of which were of

Thus Major Strutt got to know Caven dish's affairs, and frequently accompanied him to his solicitor, Mr. Taylor, and war regarded by Taylor, as he was by Caven-dish, as a confidential and independent adviser. Taylor at that time being en gaged in carrying out the arrangemen with the mortgagees. It was proposed that Cavendish should join an enterpris-ing company, which required the expendeway that he could obtain money was by further mortgage, Taylor, who disapproved of the scheme, declined to act.

In August, 1901, at the Maidenhead residence of the scheme, declined to act. dence, a number of transactions were commenced. There was dissatisfaction with the rate of allowance, and Major and Mrs Strutt began to awe Cavendish and get him under their control and influence his mind by means of a "planchette." Sev eral messages purported to come from the spirit of his mother through Mrs. Strutt as a medium, advising him what to do The advice at this time was to invest in acetylene gas, as thereby he would get back the money he had lost. As time went on the "planchette" was still used to induce Cavendish to act in a certain way.

Safe After 150 Foot Fall Rochester, N. Y., March 4.—Isnae Wil-cox, of Gulick, 80 years old, was driving toward his home today, when at a sharp turn where the road led down to a dugwer into the ravine. When near the bot tom a wire fence pulled the box from the buggy, saving Wilcox and his little grand-daughter.

The team went on crashing through brush, small trees and fences, to the bottom of the ravine, 150 feet below, but escaped without serious injuries.

Shut Out the Times' Critic. London, March 2—Much curiosity has been aroused by a notice in this morning's Times that their critic, A. B. Walkley, was refused admission to the Garrick Theatre last night, when Henry Arthur Jones' new play, The Whitewashing of Julia, was produced.

Broke Nearly Every Bone in His Body' Pittsburg, March 5-Hugh Dixon, aged 70 years, committed suicide today by jumping from the Forward Avenue bridge to the ground, a distance of 135; feet Nearly every bone in his body was A Clear Skin and A Bright Eye Usually Indicate Health.

THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN N. B., MARCH 7 1908

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DECLARATION DAY PROCEEDINGS.

date at the next dominion election

A portion of Cavendaria's State and 3,010.

After the pesuit twas declared Sheriff remainder belonged absolutely to Cavendish. Of the £100,000 which was raised brief speeches were made by the members the first speeches were made by the members of the first speeches. elect and the defeated candidates. The

OF ALBERT COUNTY. Hopewell Cape, March 4-(Special) Yesterday was declaration day in Abert. Sheriff Lynds declared Messrs. Osman and Ryan, Liberals, elected, the vote being:

DECLARATION DAY

The British South Africa Company has decided to expend \$10,000,000 on railways in the Dark Continent.

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WOMAN TO TAKE THE LIFE OF HER SPOUSE.

Charged That Mrs. Kate Taylor Killed Husband and Burned Body in Kitchen Stove.

Their Daughter Now Tells of Overhearing Peter Yerkins Tempt Mrs. Taylor to Commit the Crime--Yerkins is Arrested on Charge of Complicity.

Monticello, N. Y. March 4-Peter Yer-

kins, the uncle of Mrs. Kare Taylor, now awaiting trial here for the murder of her husband, was arraigned today for a pre-liminary hearing charged with complicity of the murder in having instigated the woman to committable crime. Mrs. Taylor was arrested on information given by Yerkins, who informed the authorities that his niece had confessed to him that on the night of January 26, she had shot her husband and had then

chopped up the body and burned it in the kitchen stove. The woman's 14-yearold daughter, Ida Dekay, witnessed murder and testified against her mother Yesterday the daughter, who, since the nurder has been living with her uncle, James Taylor, at Kiamesha Lake, told him that Yenkins had persuaded her mother to kill her husband. On this information Yerkins was arrested.

In her testimony at the hearing today the girl said: "In last September mamma and I went to see Peter Yerkins and mamma and he had a long conversation. only heard a part of what they said out I heard him say to her: If you will kill Taylor and get him out of the way I will buy the Benson farm and give you the deed and I will come and live with you. Be sure when you kill him that you make a clean job of it."

DIGBY.

Digby, March 4.—The barque Swansea which the Parrsboro Leader calls the phantom ship, was towed to sea yesterday business matters. Their advice always coincided with that of the Strutts."

Cavendish related teges matters with no evidence of incredulity upon his solemn face.

Messages from the Dead.

According to statements made by plaintiff's counself, it was in the belief that he was receiving spirit messages from its dead mother that Cavendish agreed to a settlement, by which, it is asserted, what remained of his fortune after the legal massed into the 'control of the Strutts.'

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H. Burges, of Cherverie, was promoted to captain. After a few days a new mate;

Mr. Suttie, was obtained from Halifax.

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Back 3,545; Melanton, 3,523; Mahoney,

3,515:

After the property for 154,000.

William the crew decided to go to sea and original returns the crew decided to go to sea and, yesterday, after three months' hard luck, the Swamsea sailed under favorable was service in place of the regular Sunday school exercises. Ayres. A lot of interest has been taken in the vessel and bets have been made on proceedings passed off quietly and the best of fee ing prevailing among successful and defeated candidates.

The true vesser and bets have been made on the number of days she will be on the passage, ranging from 65 to 90.

Tug Marina sailed this morning for Yar-

Top-ail schooner Herbert Rice is at Meteghan River with lumber for West

AMHERST.

Amherst, March 4-A frightful accident Osman, 1,222; Ryan, 1,200; Gross, 818; occurred at No. I factory, Rhodes, Curry Rommel, 757. Short speeches were made & Co.'s, last night, whereby Jude Babiby the successful and defeated candidates near, one of the oldest and most valued employes, was seriously if not fatally in-N DAY

jured. It seems the injured man was standing on a board adjusting something in connection with the main, shafting Edmundston, March 4—(Special)—De-claration proceedings passed off quietly set screw in the side of the belt pully here yesterder a large crowd being pres-ent. The officials figures announced are Gagnon 1,128, Clair 1,117, LaForest 475 and Caron 438. and Caron 438.

Wanized iron shute by the neck and hurlMessrs. Gagnon and Clair thanked the ed about 10 feet to the floor. His head, Missis. Gagnon and Clair thanked the electors for the honor conferred on them; promising to do all in their power for the good of the county and country.

Mr. LaForest thanked the faithful few who had stood by him for their patriotism and announced his retirement from politics. He hinted that he intended to protest the election. Mr. Caron had returned to his work in the lumber woods and was not present.

ing was bent out of shape when the body passed through. He is a married man with several small children.

Why Police Are "Coppers." Former Police Commissioner Partridge read a paper yesterday to the Women's Health Protective Association, at No. 11 West Forty-third street. He amused his audience by recalling that the police at f the copper breastplate each man wore it being his only insignia of office. From this came the "cop" of today. Asked why the London police force was so much better than that of New York Colonel Partridge said: "Largely because conditions there are totally different. Their force is under the crown, and the nead holds it permanently, which is of great advantage in the administration of the work."-New York Herald.

"Hello Girl" Gets Big Damages Kansas City, Mo., March 4-The jury n the circuit court here today awarded Miss Eva Cook, a telephone operator, \$12,500 damages against the Missouri &

Kansas Telephone Company, for injuries inflicted by Herschell Graves, a manager in the central office.

Miss Cook testified that while she was seated on a high stool at work, Manager Graves, angered because she had not carried out some trivial orders, roughly whirled her about, causing her to strike and rigure her shoulder and knee. dge Stover, in instructing the jury, players and corporations treat their em-

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A PATHETIC SCENE.

A Nine-year-old Girl Dies in Church from Swallowing a Penny Whiatle.

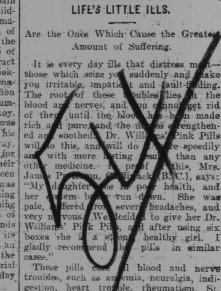
New York, March 2-A remarkable scene was enacted in the Sunday school

Washington, March 5—Complaint has been made to the state department of the conduct of United States Consul W.

Maxwell Greene at Havilla (P. M. Warmen Be sure you get the genuine pills with the full name, "Dr. Williams" Pink Pills for Pale People," printed on the warmper around the how the conduct of United States Consul W. wrapper around the box. If in doubt, Maxwell Greene, at Hamilton (Bermuda), send direct to the Dr. Williams Medicine in connection with the casting away of the Madiana. It is alleged that the consul showed absolute indifference toward the shipwrecked passengers and took no part in their rescue. Local papers in Bermuda commented on this matter and these papers have been sent to the state drawfugter with well institute a recommendation. department, which will institute a prompt investigation of the consul's conduct. Mr. Greene was appointed to his post from Rhode Island in 1898.

AGED RESIDENT

the oldest residents of the town, Lucy Anne, widow of the late George F. Williams, passed away yesterday in the 90th year of her age. Two daughters, both living in this town, survive—Mrs. Cupples and Mrs. James Watts. The deceased leaves many friends to mourn her loss The burial will take place tomorrow.



mia, neuralgia, indi-e, rheumatism. St. paralysis, kidney

GUILTY ON TEN COUNTS

One of the numbers on the programme at a concent in Moncton on March 17 will be an address by John L. Carieron on the



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