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ANOTHER PETITION GONE.

The matter of the election petition in which Dr. A. A. Stockton was petitioner and Col J. J. Tucker respondent, was before Judge Hanington and Judge Gregory this morning. J. B. M. Baxter represented the petitioner and H. H. McLean, K. C., the respondent. The case presented no particularly serious aspects. Mr. McLean admitted that the formalities had been duly carried and then Mr. Baxter stated that it was impossible for him to proceed, as the clerk of the crown in chancery had not sent the necessary spapers.

A SAD CASE.

For the past week an old man by the name of William Craig has been receiving protection at the central police station. Craig's father conducted a foundry here a number of years ago, and at that time he was in comfortable circumstances. But for a considerable time he has been a heavy drinker, and is now without any means of support. His friends are either dead or have moved away, and he is now anxious to be sent to jail for shelter. Craig is about sixty-four years of age and is by no means strong. He will in all probability be sent to the Alms House.

At the morning service in the Ca-thedral, Fredericton, on Sunday, His Lordship Bishop Kingdom published for the first time, the banns of matri-mony between Miss Mary Partridge, daughter of Rev. Dean Partridge, and Gilbert, Serradee, of Montreal. The wedding takes place October 16th next.

SARNIA, Ont., Sept. 23.—The Grand runk elevator here was burned this

"Patterson's." Cor. Charlotte and Buke Sts.

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LOCAL NEWS

heriff Sturdee is not so well today. steamer Sahara cleared toda

George E. Blood has been reported by the police for encumbering Mill street with barrels and baskets on the 13rd inst.

The death occurred at Fredericton resterday morning of Gordon, the six-years-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lyons of King street, after a short liness with diphtheria.

While Dr. Baxter of Chatham was aking a nap in his office Sunday evening a man named William Crane enered and stole 330. He was arrested and placed in the lockup and the money was returned. His trial will be on Wednesday morning.

The safety board met this morning and passed a number of bills. Chief Kerr, in answer to a question, explained the reason for shifting the horses from No. 1 engine to the hook and ladder car, stating that they worked much better in the latter.

Mrs. Charles A. Manzer, of Fredericton, died on Sunday. She was formerly Miss West, of Fredericton, and leaves a husband, two daughters, Mrs. Ida Brown, with whom she resided, and Miss Mary Manzer; and one son, Parker C. Manzer, of New York. OTHER FAILURES.

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As a result of the failure of Merritt Bros. & Co., the F. C. Colwell Co., Ltd. have suspended payment. They are taking stock and preparing a statement to be submitted to their creditions in a few days. A member of the firm stated to the Star today that their assets were ample to meet all liabilities, and that with an extension of time they could pull through all right. There would have beeen no difficulty but for the sudden demand made upon them, arising out of the other failures.

The firm will probably make an arrangement that will enable them to go on. Great sympathy is felt for them, and it is universally hoped that they may be able to arrange matters so that the industry which gives employment to many persons may be kept in active operation.

T. J. Dean, grocer, and Horace Hoyt, the Charlotte street grocer, have suspended, as a result of the failure of Merritt Bros. & Co. Mr. Hoyt's liabilities are said to be \$2,500 and his assets \$500.

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An accident luckily resulting on injury to property only occurred in Fowler's axe factory this morning. A few moments after the machinery had been started a huge grindstone, which had been hung but a day or two ago and which had never been used, broke in two. One of the plees flew upwards, striking the shafting with which it was connected and disabiling all the machinery in that part of the building. The other half went in an opposite direction, tore through two wooden partitions, smashing the boards as though they were paper and finally brought up against some other shafting at the rear wall of 'the building. The stone measured about seven feet in diameter, was thirteen and a half inches thick and weighed three tons. The break was caused by a flaw in one side of it. The Sar regrets to say that owing to the vast amount of labor involved in checking over the lists sent in it is still unable to announce the wines of the prizes. When it was stated that the names would be announced on Monday districts the same would be announced to wine and the condition of the competition editor.

DEATH TRAPS.

The quarries of the Albert Manufacturing Co. Hillshoro, are keeping up their record as deshr-traps. A French-man was killed there on Monday, leaving a wife and large family of amount of the morning at his residence, 90 St. Patrick street, Michael McHugh, an old and respected resident of this content of the competition of the deamage done to the competition of the

Today's funerals.

The funeral of the late Amelia Pepin, wife of Edmond Pepin, took place this morning at nine o'clock from her late residence, St. Paul street. The body was taken to Holy Trinity church where Requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Walsh, after which the body was conveyed to the new Catholic burying ground.

There was a large attendance this afternoon at the funeral of the late Charles E. Travis, which took place at half-past two o'clock from his late residence, 42 Spring street. Services were conducted at the house and grave by the Rev. H. F. Waring, Interment was made in Fernhill cemetery. The pall-bearers were chosen from Mr. Travis's associates on the I. C. R.

At half-past two o'clock this aftermoon the funeral of the late Mrs. Bridget Killen took place from her late residence, 198 Sydney street. The body was taken to the church of St. John the Baptist, where the funeral service was conducted by the Rev. W. C. Gaynor, after which interment was made in the old Catholic cemetery. Relatives of the deceased acted as pall-bearers.

Eight Mormon elders, who have seen in Maine since June seeking concrets, left last Thursday with 20 women converts, gathered from various citions. Most were spinsters, over rty years of age, pleased with the pospect of the new life in Utah. The ders have been rather coldly receiving in Maine, and appeared anxious to taway.

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Miss Elilott, of St. John, is staying at Mrs. Wallace R. Parker's, Monoton. Miss Ethel Butt, who has been spending several weeks with her mother, leaves today for Newton to continue her nursing duties.

E. G. Nelson went to Belleisle today, where he will spend a week visiting his friends.

Walter A. and Miss Helen P. Prichard leave this afternoon on a trip to Boston and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. King and Miss Annie King expect shortly to leave Calais for San Francisco, Cal., where they will remain for some time.

Miss Jennie Murphy of St. John is in Fredericton, visiting her friend, Miss Evelyn Hurley.

Miss Louise Henderson of St. John has been the guest of Mrs. Robert Hanlington, Glassville, for some weeks past.

Mrs. James Gillespie and Mrs. James T. Logan returned from a visit to Fredericton yesterday.

Mrs. Sadie Cunningham and son, Alexander, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Gordon, left for St. John Thursday, where they will visit before returning to their home in Lynn, Mass.—Monoton Transcript.

James Bray, of Moncton, and Miss Sadie, daughter of James Baker, were married on Thursday at the Tabernacle church, in Hallfax, Rev. Mr. Schurman officiating.

Lewis Morrison received a telegram Sunday night stating that his daughter was ill with typhold fever at Los Angeles, California; she is a member of one of Charles Froham's companies.

Capt. W. Murray, of the Royal Canadian Regiment, Hallfax, who has been visiting in St. John, is now staying with his family in Massawippi, Quebec.

Capt. Heater, of the schooner E. H. Foster, now lying at Indiantown, contradicts absolutely the story told by two of his crew to the police that the vessel is unseaworthy. He says that she is as seaworthy as any coaster that leaves the port, and their assertion that there was five feet of water in her hold is untrue. They gave this story out as a reason for not wanting to return to work on the vessel.

LEAVES TODAY.

A GOOD TIME.

Yesterday afternoon Lewis Austin attempted to continue his Sunday sermon in front of the police office. A crowd of small boys quickly gathered and amused themselves at Austin's expense. They pushed and pulled him about, played cootball with him and threw stones with such excellent judgment that Lewis began to see about thirteen different kinds of fireworks, and the firmament shook itself loose, preparatory to rolling together like a scroil. Then Lewis smiled and said things. As the fun continued he threw off meteoric pleces of apparel and frregular sections of semi-profanity. When the air cleared Lewis was resting in one of the cells and the boys had gone. This morning in police court he was charged with shouting on the street and refusing to move on when told to do so. The following interesting conversation took place.

"I'm not guilty. I'm nt profane."

"No one said you were. Are you guilty or not guilty."

"I'm not profane."

"Not guilty' entered."

"What do you say to the charge against you?"

"My conversation is gospel—not prevented."

Officer Earle gave evidence to the The arrest was made by New York detectives, who had followed Daly to Toronto.

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 24.—Detachments of the royal horse artillery which arrived here from China. a few days ago, and were to leave on the 28th enroute for Montreal and home, have been ordered by the war office to remain here to take part in the reception to the Duke of York.

WENNIPEG, Sept. 24.—Jake Gaudaur has reconsidered his determination from aquatics and announces he intends next spring to challenge Towns to a race for world's championship.

KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 24.—Principal Grant has much improved during the past twenty-four hours. Last night he had three hours restful sleep. He is able to retain and enjoy nourishment, with heart action much improved over previous days.

LONDON, Ont., Sept. 24.—The trial of Gerald Sifton, charged with murdaring his father, Joseph Sifton, June 20, 1900, began here this morning. Walter Herbert, who was a farm laborer in Joseph Sifton's employ, pleaded guilty to murder at the last assizes and is now awaiting sentence.

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"You have beaten me on one side. I will turn the other side too, also, likewise, as well yet."

And as Lewis walked down stairs he remarked that the magistrate could beat him, but couldn't punish the British empire.

COUNTRY MARKET PRICES. Dealers Do Not Anticipate that They Will be Very High.

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"I do not think that market prices senerally will be very high this winter," said a country market dealer to the Star today. "For instance, there was quite a scare about potatoes a short time ago. But I can get potatoes landed here today at \$1.25 per bbl. in car lots."

Butter is not likely to be very high, on account of the western article, a western traveller was here a few days ago taking orders for outter, and prices in the west are not high.

Eggs at present are coming in freely at about 15c. wholesale for strictly fresh stock.

MADE THINGS HUM.

On Main street last night a young boy made many unkind remarks to a dignified celestial who, under the name of Hum Sing, is little respected. The naughty remarks made aroused Hum's ire, his heart fiew into the northwest corner of his throat, and gathering his feet together like a bunch of asparagus, he gave chase to the boy. This youth hummed merrily along, singing as he went and the Chinaman followed as fuct as it is possible for a Chinaman to do. He was not in training and had probably become stiff from contact with starch, but for some moments the spectators saw nothing very distinctly. The autumnal twilight was fraught with yellow dust, pale blue shirt and Chinaman moving in an irregular op-bit. The chase was unsuccessful, but during its progress the hat of the pursued boy dropped off. It was eagerly seized by Hum, who, breathing in all the atmosphere the remainder of the universe could well spare, darted into the North End police station and flinging the hat down on the table fairly shrieked "Here him top piece. Flind le bloy."

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WEDDED TODAY.

The marriage took place this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in St. James' church of Miss Ella G. Vaughan of the North End, to Richard Dole. Harold Vaughan, brother of the bride, supported the groom, while Miss Bessle G. Upham performed the duties of bridesmald. The Rev. A. D. Dewdney of flolated, and the Sunday-school, of which Miss Vaughan was a member, rendered appropriate music. After the ceremony the bridal party had

lunch at the bride's home on Main st, and Mr. and Mrs. Dole will leave by the C. P. R. for Montreal and other points of interest.

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