TALMAGE'S BOOKS.

He Gives Helpful Hints on What to Read.

WASHINGTON, July 29 .- Dr. Tal- world and led a great many to appre mage, who has been spending a few days in St. Petersburg, sends the following report of a discourse which will be helpful to those who have an appetite for literature and would like some rules to guide them in the selection of books and newspapers; text, Acts xix., 19, "Many of them also which used curious arts brought their books together and burned them before all men, and they counted the price of them and found it 50,000 pieces of sil-

Paul had been stirring up Ephesus with some lively sermons about the sins of that place. Among the more important results was the fact that the citizens brought out their bad books and in a public place made a bonfire of them. I see the people coming out with their arms full of Epeflames. I hear an economist who is standing by saying: "Stop this waste. Here are \$7,500 worth of books. Do you propose to burn them all up? If you den't want to read them yourselves, sell them and let somebody else read them." "No," said the people:
"If these tooks are not good for us, they are not good for anyone else, and we shall stand and watch until the last leaf has burned to ashes. They have done us a world of harm, and they shall never do others harm." Hear the flames crackle and roar!

Well, my friends, one of the wants books and newspapers. We have enough fuel to make a blaze 200 feet high. Many of the publishing houses would do well to throw into the blaze their entire stock of goods. Bring forth the insufferable trash and put it into the fire and let it be known in the presence of God and angels and men that you are to rid your homes of the overtopping and undelying curse of profligate literature.

The printing press is the mightiest agency on earth for good and for evil. The minister of the gospel, standing in a pulpit, has a responsible position, but I do not think it is as responsible as the position of an editor or publisher. At what distant point of time, at what far-out cycle of eternity, will cease the influence of a Henry J. Raymond, or a Horace Greeley, or a James Gordon Bennett, or a Watson Webb, or an Erastus Brooks, or a Thomas Kinsella? Take the overof the daily and weekly newspapers and then cipher if you can how far out reach the influences of the Amer-

ican printing press. What is to be the issue of all this? ing press to be the chief means for

GOOD BOOKS A BLESSING.

the greatest scourge has been that of victims in all occupations and departover the tracks was not long enough ness and the putrefaction which have newspapers in the last 20 years. Now, it is amid such circumstances

that I put a question of overmastering importance to you and your fam-What books and newspapers shall we read? You see I group them together. A newspaper is only a book in a swifter and more portable shape, and the same rules which will apply to book reading will apply to newspaper reading. What shall we read? write? Shall there be no distincimpurity and chase fantastic will-o'the-wisps across the swamps, when dens of God? Oh ho! For the sake f our present and everlasting welfare we must make an intelligent and

Christian choice.
Standing, as we do chin deep in fictitious literature, the question that elevating to the heart and ennobling to the life. But I have still further to sty that I believe that 75 out of the 100 novels in this day are baneful and destructive to the last degree, A pura work of fiction is history and poetry combined. It is a history of things around us with the licenses and the assumed names of poetry. The world can never pay the debt which it owes to such writers of fiction as Hawthorne and McKenzie and Landon and Hunt and Arthur and others whose

***************** ciate the poetry of sound strong muscles and fresh air. Thack eray did a grand work in caricaturing the pretenders to gentility and high blood. Dickens has built his own monument in his books, which are plea for the poor and the anathema of injustice, and there are a score of novelistic pens today doing mighty work for God and righteousness.

ENNOBLING AND PURIFYING.

Now, I say, books like these, read at right times and read in right proportion with other books, cannot help but be ennobling and purifying; but, alas, for the loatsome and impure literature that has come in the shape of novels, like a freshet overflowing all the banks of decency and common sense! They are coming from some of sian literature and tossing it into the the most celebrated publishing houses. They are coming with recommendation of some of our religious newspapers. They lie on your centre table to curse your children and blast with their infernal fires generations unborn. You find these books in the desk of the school miss, in the trund of the young man, in the steamboat cabin, on the table of the hotel reception room. You see a light in your child's room late at night. You suddenly go in and say, "What are you doing?" "I am reading." "What are you reading?" "A book." You look at the book. It is a bad book. "Where of the cities is a great bonfire of bad did you get it?" "I borrowed it." Alas, there are always those abroad brain of the young people whirl with and the bonfire in your city shall be everywhere, an unclean literature. I charge upon it the destruction of 10,300 immortal souls, and I bid you wake up to the magnitude of the evil.

I shall take all the world's literatrue and false, histories faithful and you may escape in this world, you will but the classes spent a profitable time incorrect, legends beautiful and monstrous, all tracts, all chronicles, all poems, all family, city, state and national libraries -- and pile them up in a pyramid of literature, and then I shall bring to bear upon it some grand, glorious, infallible, unmistakable Christian principles, God help me to speak with reference to my last account and help you to listen.

I charge you in the first place to stand aloof from all books that give that goeth on in his trespasses." false pictures of life. Life is neither a tragedy nor a farce. Men are not whelming statistics of the circulation all either knaves or heroes. Women are neither angels nor furies. And yet if you depended upon much of the up and how far down and how far literature of the day you would get the idea that life instead of being something earnest, something practical, is a fitful and fantastic and ex-I believe the Lord intends the print- travagant thing. How poorly prepared are that young man and woman the world's rescue and evangelization, for the duties of today who spent last and I thing that the great last battle night wading through brilliant pas- death. The clock strikes 4, and the of the world will not be fought with sages descriptive of magnificent knav- rosy dawn soon after begins to look swords, and guns, but with types and ery and wickedness! The man will be through the lattice upon the pale ture triumphing over, trampling down and crushing out forever that which is depraved. The only way to overcome unclean literature is by scattering abroad that which is healthful. will not find her, and he will be dissatisfied. A man who gives himself up to the indiscriminate reading of novels will be nerveless, inane and a nuisance. He will be fit neither for the store nor the shop, nor the field. A woman who gives herself up to the indiscriminate reading of novels will be nerveless, inane and a nuisance. He will be fit neither for the store nor the shop, nor the field. A woman who gives herself up to the indiscriminate reading of the highest authority were impressing upon the British the fact hat they were the best hated people in the world. Lord Rosebery knew the cause of the highest authority were impressing upon the British the fact hat they were the best hated people in the world. Lord Rosebery knew the cause of the highest authority were impressing upon the British the fact hat they were the best hated people in the world. Lord Rosebery knew the cause of the highest authority were impressing upon the British the fact hat they were the best hated people in the world. Lord Rosebery knew the cause of the prison its world with a they were the best hated people in the world. Lord Rosebery had declared that the empire needed peace. The last twenty years Great Britain had been laying hands with almost frantic eagerness on every desirable tract of territory adjacent ing abroad that which is healthful. up to the indiscriminate reading of and smite her head, rubbing it back as May God speed the cylinders of an novels will be nerveless, inane and a though to push the scalp from the honest, intelligent, aggressive, Chris- nuisance. He will be fit neither for that printing press the store nor the shop, nor the field. brain! Oh, stand off from that! Why indiscriminate reading of novels will be unfitted for the duties of wife, mother, sister, daughter. There she is, hair disheveled, countenance vacant, cheeks pale, hands trembling, bursting into tears at midnight over I have to tell you that the greatest be unfitted for the duties of wife, ocean in which you may voyage, all blessing that ever came to the nations mother, sister, daughter. There she sail set? is that of an elevated literature, and is, hair disheveled, countenance va-

unclean literature. This last has its bursting into tears at midnight over the fate of some unfortunate lover; ments. It has helped to fill insane in the daytime, when she ought to be asylums and penitentiaries and alms- pusy, staring by the half hour at nohouses and dens of shame. The bodies thing, biting her finger nails into the of this infection lie in the hospitals quick. The carpet that was plain beand in the graves, while their souls fore will be plainer after having wanare being tossed over into a last eter- dered through a romance all night mity, an avalanche of horror and de- long in tessellated halls of castles. spair! The London plague was no- And your industrious companion will What the author accomplishes by 50 thing to it. That counted its victims be more unattractive than ever, now by thousands, but this modern pest that you have walked in the romance has already shovelled its millions into through parks with plumed princesses the charnel house of the morally dead, or founded in the arbor with the pol-The longest rail train that ever ran ished deperado. Oh, these confirmed novel readers? They are unfitted for or large enough to carry the beastli- this life, which is a tremendous discipline. They know not how to go been gathered up in bad books and through the furnaces of trial through continuing work.

AVOID PARTIALLY BAD BOOKS. things, have also an admixture of evil. elements in them-the good and the Shall our minds be the receptacle of bad. Which stuck to you? The bad! everything that an author has a mind The heart of most people is like a sieve, which lets the small particles tion between the tree of life and the of gold fall through, but keeps the tree of death? Shall we stoop down great cinders. Once in awhile there and drink out of the trough which the is a mind like a loadstone which, wickedness of men has filled with pol- plur ged amid steel and brass filings, lutton and shame? Shall we mire in gathers up the steel and repels the brass. But it is generally exactly the opposite. If you attempt to plunge we might walk in the blooming gar- through a hedge of burs to get one blackberry, you will get more burs than blackberries. You cannot afford to read a bad book, however good you you are. You say, "The influence is insignificant." I tell you that the scratch of a pin has sometimes proyour people are asking is, "Shall we duced lockjaw. Alas, if through curiread novels?" I reply. There are osity, as many do, you pry into an novels that are pure, good, Christian, evil book, your curiosity is as danosity, as many do, you pry into an gercus as that of the man who would take a torch into a gunpowder mill merely to see whether it would really

blow up or not. In a menagerie in New York a man put his arm through the bars of a not pure, your heart cannot be. At ravec assured the Advocate man that black leopard's cage. The animal's a newsstand one can guess the charhide looked so sleek and bright and acter of man by the kind of pictorial beautiful. He just stroked it once. he purchases. When the devil fails ined the sites and interviewed Mayor The monster seized him, and he drew to get a man to read a bad book, he Morrison and the board of aldermen. forth a hand torn and mangled and sometimes succeeds in getting him to with the faintest stroke! Though it goes a fishing he does not care whe-Hunt and Arthur and others whose names are familiar to all. The follies of high life were never better exposed than by Miss Edgeworth. The methan by Miss Edgeworth. The mories of the last were never more faithfully embalmed than in the writings of Walter Scott. Choper's novels are healthfully (redolent with the breath of the seaweed and the air of the American forest. Charles Kingsley has smitten the morbidity of the seaweed and the air of the American forest. Charles Kingsley has smitten the morbidity of the seaweed and morbidity of the seaweed and the air of the American forest. The seaweed are the faintest stroke: Though it may be glossy and beautiful, touch it mot lest you pull forth your soul torn and bleeding under the clutch of the ware of lascivious pictorials, young the name of Almighty God, I charge you.

CHERISH GOOD BOOKS.

Cherish good books and newspapers.

Beware of bad ones. The assassin of bunt. The reason set out by the government to mot lest you pull forth your soul torn and bleeding under the clutch of the ware of lascivious pictorials, young the name of Almighty God, I charge you.

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Cherish good books and newspapers.

Beware of bad ones. The assassin of bunt. The reason set out by the following the morbidity of the sould be a bunt of the course of lasting in the one may be glossy and beautiful, touch it ther it is a long line or a short line. sley has smitten the morbidity of the style of illustration. This venomous Lord Russell declare he was led into

from all those books which corrupt the imagination and inflame the pas- that he had never yet got over the sion. I do not refer to that kind of evil effects of having for 15 minutes book which the vilain has under his once read a bad book. But I need not coat waiting for the school to get out, go so far. I could tell you of a comand then, looking both ways to see rade who was great hearted, noble that there is no policeman around the and generous. He was studying for block, offers the book to your son on an honorable profession, but he had ar his way home. I do not speak of that infidel book in his trunk, and he said kind of literature, but that which to me one day, "De Witt, would you evades the law and comes out in polished style, and with acute plot sounds would." I took the book and read it the tocsin that rouses up all the baser for a few minutes. I was really startpassions of the soul. Today, under led with what I saw there, and I the nostrils of the people, there is a handed the book back to him and said, fetid, reeking, unwashed literature, "You had better destroy that book." enough to poison all the fountains of No, he kept it. He read it. He reread public virtue and smite your sons and it. After awhile he gave up religion

reptile always carries a warning rat-

tle against a depraved literature. NO APOLOGY FOR CRIME.

pet and rallied the forces of righte-

a sad thing that some of the best and of an insane asylum-in body, mind most beautiful bookbindery and some and soul an awful wreck. I believe of the finest rhetoric have been brought to make sin attractive. Vice is a horrible thing anyhow. It is born in shame, and it dies howling in the darkness. In the world it is scourged with a whip of scorpions, but af- stand where you keep your pictorials terward the thunders of God's wrath pursues it across a boundless desert, beating it with ruin and woe. When you come to paint carnality, do not broidered curtains, or through lattice an immortal soul; do not sell it, for paint it a looking from behind emof royal seraglio, but as writhing in the money you get would be the price ed be the books that swarm the liber- your kitchen hearth or in your back the agonies of a city hospital. Curstines and desperadoes, who make the yard and then drop the poison in it, who would like to lcan your son or villainy! Ye authors who write them, daughter a bad book! Everywhere, ye publishers who print them, ye booksellers who distribute them, shall be cut to pieces, if not by an aroused community, then at least by the hail the vultures of despair clawing at Shakespeare, touched on aims

The clock strikes midnight. A fair flash fire. The breath is quick and dashes to the cheek and then dies out. deadly book out of the grasp. Hot ated. tears fall. She laughs with a shrill voice that drops dead at its own sound. The sweat on her brow is the spray dashed up from the river of

ture is most tremendous for ruin. There is no one who can like good pictures better than I do. The quickest and most condensed way of impressing the public minds is by pictures. What the painter does by his brush for a few favorites, the engraver does by his knife for the million. pages the artist does by a flash. The best part of a painting that costs \$10,000 you may buy for 10 cents. Fine paintings belong to the aristocracy of art. Engravings belong to the democracy of art. You do well to gather good pictures in your homes.

But what shall I say of the prostitution of art to purposes of iniquity? which they must pass, and they are These death warrants of the soul are unfitted for a world where everything at every street corner. They smite we gain we achieve by hard and long the vision of the young man with pollution. Many a young man buying a copy has bought his eternal discomfiture. There may be enough poison Again, abstain from all those books in one bad picture to poison one soul, which, while they have some good and that soul may poison ten, and ten Bridge. The site is not yet chosen. fifty, and fifty hundreds, and the hun- Chatham offers a bonus of \$5,000 and You have read books that had two dreds thousands, until nothing but the tax exemption for five years, but the measuring line of eternity can tell the He unrolls it before his comrades amid roars of laghter, but long after the paper is gone, the result may, perhaps, be seen in the blasted imaginations of those who saw it. The man plans of the proposed mill. He invitation to her guests.

bleeding. Oh, touch not evil, even look at a bad victure. When Satan

The consecrated Again, I charge you, to stand off than whom England never produced better man, declared in his old age rade who was great hearted, noble like to read it?" I said, "Yes, daughters as with the wing of a de- as a myth. He gave up God as a nonstroying angel, and it is time that the cutity. He gave up the Bible as a ministers of the gospel blew the trum- fable. He gave up the church of Christ as a useless institution. He

ousness, all armed to this great bat- gave up good morals as being unnecessarily stringent. I have heard of him but twice in many years. The time before the last I heard of him Again, abstain from those books he was a confirmed inebriate. The which are apologetic of crime. It is last I heard of him he was coming out that one infidel book killed him for

two worlds. Go home today and look through your library, and then, having looked through your library, look on the and newspapers and apply the Christian principles I have laid down this hour. If there is anything in your home that cannot stand the test do not give it away, for it might spoil of blood; but rather kindle a fire on

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE.

BEAR RIVER, N. S., Aug. 1.- The of divine vengeance, which shall sweep membership today of the summer to the lowest pit of perdition all ye school of science reached 190. Rain murderers of souls. I tell you, though this afternoon prevented outdoor work, be ground at last under the hoof of in the laboratory. The evening leceternal calamities, and you will be ture by Miss Robinson of St. John, chained to the rock, and you will have containing suggestions on the study of your soul, and those whom you have teaching literature to interest pupils. destroyed will come around to tor- She distinguished between interest and ment you, and to pour hotter coals of entertainment. Start with what the fury upon your head, and rejoice eter- pupil cares about; select places in nally in the outcry of your pain, and which incidents predominate; read as the howl of your damnation. "God plays, noting the difference between shall wound the hairy scalp of him dramatic and narrative writing. Midsummer Night's Dream is good to begin with. In the second reading dwell form bends over a romance. The eyes more on character, place much stress on reading and recitations. Grasp the irregular. Occasionally the color play as a whole to see what the pupil is capable of. No study of a great The hands tremble as though a guar- masterpiece can be exhaustive. This dian spirit were trying to shake the excellent address was highly appreci-

COST OF THE WAR.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—During the debate in the house of commons today on the bill for a supplemental war loan of £8,500,000, Sir Vernon Harcourt. owing to the existence of three fragmentary

MISCARRIAGE OF JUSTICE.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—In the house of com-roons today A. J. Balfour, the first lord of mons today A. J. Balfour, the first lord of the treasury and government leader, replying to a question, said that the government had represented to Belgium that they thought there had been a most unfortunate miscarriage of justice in the Sipido case. No reply had been received.

Jean Baptiste Sipido, April 4, 1900, made an attempt on the life of the Prince of Wales as the latter was passing through Brussels on the way from England to Denmark. The assize court, July 5, found Sipido guilty of attempting to kill the Prince, but held that he acted without discernment. Sipido, who is 16 years old, was sentenced to a reformahe acted without discernment. Sipido, who is 16 years old, was sentenced to a reformatory until he should attain his majority. The following day it was announced that Sipido had escaped across the frontier, and he is still at large.

ANOTHER PULP MILL.

John Moravec of Chatham assures the Newcastle Advocate that a pulp mill will very soon be erected at some point between Chatham and Sinclair's company will select the best possible height and depth and ghastliness and site. Moravec says the mill will cost horror of the great undoing. The \$200,000. He further said: "We will work of death that the wicked author employ 200 men and will make about does in a whole book the bad engraver 50 tons of pulp a day to commence with, may do on the half side of a pictorial. that must be increased in time to 100 Under the guise of pure mirth the tons per day. I was in Boston last young man buys one of these sheets. Week and have secured the market. We will pay out \$3,000 every fortnight to commence with, and this will be in-creased in time to about \$5,000.

Mr. Moravec showed the Advocate queen of death holds a banquet every said the company would be a Canadian night, and these periodicals are the one. Pulp, he said, was \$12 per ton higher today than it was three years Young man, buy not this moral ago. The pulp wood of Europe was strychnine for your soul. Pick not rapidly becoming exhausted and he up this nest of coiled adders for your believed Canada had a great future in pocket! Patronize no newsstand that the pulp industry. Mr. Moravec bekeeps them. Have your room bright longs to Graz, Austria, where one of with good engravings, but for these the largest pulp mills in the world is cuntrageous pictorials have not one located. He was brought to this counwall, rot one bureau, not one pocket. try by the Maritime Sulphite Fibre A man is no better than the pictures Co., but severed his connection with he loves to look at. If your eyes are that concern some time ago. Mr. Monothing would be done until he visited Newcastle again and carefully exam-

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SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived.

July 31-Str Ardova, 2,012, Smith, from July 31—Str Ardova, 2,012, Smith, from manchester, Wm Thomson and Co, bal. Str St Croix, 1,064, Pike, from Boston, W G Lee, mdse and pass.
Sch Brie, 218, Lawson, from Boston, R C Eikin, bal.
Coastwise—Str Alpha, 42, Pratt, from Cheverie; schs Buda, 20, Stuart, from Beaver Harbor—both cleared; Clarissa, 55, Sullivan, from Matechan; str Beaver Tunner from

from Meteghan; str Beaver, Tupper, from Carning.
Aug 1—Str Orinoco, 1,200, Laing, from the West Indies via Halifax, S Schofield and Co, gen cargo.
Sch Frank L P. 124. Williams, from Pro-Sch Frank L P, 124, Williams, from Providence, F A Peters, bal.
Sch Alice Maud, 124, from New York, N C Scott, coal.
Coastwise-Schs L M Ellis, 34, Lent, from Westport; Graville, 57, Baird, from Port Williams (at York Point slip for Wolfville and Port Williams); Fred and Norman, 31, Trask, from Bay Shore; Ripple, 16, Mitchell, from Port Lorne; str La Tour, 98, Smith, from Campobello, and cleared; sch Little Annle, 18, Poland, from Campobello, Aug 2-Ship Columbus (Rus), 1,727, Duachman, from Barrow, W M Mackey, bal.

man, from Barrow, W M Mackay, bal.
Bark Colombo (It), 849, Lagomalsino, from
Havre, W M Mackay, bal.
Sch Geo L Sipp, 98, Wood, from Boston,
J W Smith, bal. Sch Kioka (Am), 79, Kerrigan, from Bos-Sch Kloka (Am), 79, Kerrigan, from Boston, master, bal.

Coastwise—Schs Annic Laura, 99, Palmer; Riverdale, 83, Urquhart, and Swallow, 90, Fullerton, from Frederictor; Thelma, 48, Milner, from Annapolis; Lizzie, 24, Anderson, from Port-la-Tour; Bay Queen, 31, Barry, from Beaver Harbor: str City of Monticello, Harding, from Yarmouth, and cleared; sch Marysville, 77, Gordon, from Ouaco.

Cleared. July 31-Sch Parlee, Shanklin, for Vineyard Haven f o. Coastwise—Schs Maudie, Beardsley, for Coastwise—Schs Maudie, Beardsley, for Port Lorne; Wanita, Apt, for Annapolis. Aug 1—Str Cumberland, Alian, for Boston. Sch Rewa, McLean, for New York. Sch Lizzie B, Belyea, for Thomaston. Coastwise—Schs Ripple, Mitchell, for Port Lorne; Three Sisters, Egan, for Sackville; James Barber, Ells, for Quaco; Ina Brooks, Brooks, for Freeport; Corinto, Salter, for Bridgetown; John L Cullinan, Cameron, for Apple River; Temple Bar, Longmire, for Bridgetown.

Bridgetown.

Aug 2—Str Auguste, Ragusin, for Glasgow.
Bark Lorenzo, Hansen, for London.
Sch Onward, Colwell, for Boston.
Sch Joliette, Fowler, for Thomaston.
Sch Three Sisters, Price, for New York.
Coastwise—Schs Rebecca W Huddell, Colwell, for Eatonville; tug Flushing, Farris, for Bucksport; sch Glide, Black, for Quaco; Pandora, Holder, for Fredericton; Greville, Baird, for Wolfville; Fred and Norman, Trask, for Sandy Cove; Flash, Tower, for Port Greville.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

Arrived.

At Moncton, July 30, sch G Walter Scott, Christopher, from Calais. At Sydney, July 28, sch Swanbilda, Cros-cup, from Windsor. At Chatham, July 31, barks Armonia, Tassara, from Genoa; Fanny, Olsen, from Liv-

At Newcastle, July 31, str Glasgow, Leslie, At New2astle, July 31, str Glasgow, Besne, for Glasgow.
At Campbellton, July 31, bark Amel, Knudsen, for West Hartlepool; Aug 1, bark Ascalon, Gulbgandsen, for River Tyne.
At Hillsboro, July 31st, str Bratsberg, Hansen, for Chester, Pa; D J Sawyer, Rogers, for Newark, NJ. Sailed.

From Point du Chene, July 28, bark Nellie Moody, for River Mersey.

BRITISH PORTS. Arrived.

At Plymouth, Aug 2, str Furst Bismarck, from New York for Hamburg.
At Queenstown, Aug 2, str Germanic, from New York for Liverpool.
At Port Spain, July 16, brig Leo, Hebb, from Lunenburg.
At Cardiff, July 31, ship Engelhorn, Lovitt, from Seattle. rom Seattle.

Sailed.

From Table Bay, June 13, str Kelvindale, tyder, for Montevideo. From Port Spain, July 7, sch F B Wade, Eyrne, for Antigua.
Fich. Newcastle, NSW, July 23, bark Linwcod, Douglas, for Manila.

FOREIGN PORTS. Arrived.

At Tacoma, Wsh, July 30, ship Byrnhilda, Meikle, from Chefoo. At Port Townsend, July 28, ship Balclu-tha, Hatfield, from San Francisco. Cleared.

At Pascagoula, July 30, sch Melrose, Kelly, Sailed.

From City Island, July 29, schs Hattie C, for Moncton; Abbie G Cole, for an eastern From Red Beach, July 28, schs H R Em-merson, for Hopewell Hill; Klondyke, for Windsor.
From City Island, July 31, schs Hazelwoode, Shute, from New York for Lunenburg; Charlevoix, Pettis, from New York for
Hillsboro; Oriole, Weldon, from New York
for Sackville; Abbie and Eva Hooper, Foster, from New York for St John.
From Havana, July 27, sch Edna, Donovan, for Brunswick.
From Pascagoula, Miss, July 31, sch Melrcse, Kelley, for Nassau. Windsor.

MEMORANDA.

Passed Sydney Light, July 31, str Lord vength, Atkin, from Cardiff for Montreal; capenoy, Wilbur, from Mobile for Montreal; Marian, Mardn, from Manchester for Queharian, Martin, Martin, Manthester for Quebec.

In port at Barbados, July 28, bark Altona, Collins, for Montreal, with molasses, waiting arrival of Captain Martin, Captain Collins being ill.

Passed Sydney Light, July 31, str A R
Thorp, Hansen, from Sydney for Chatham.

Passed Cape Race, July 29, strs Marian,
Martin from Manchester for Quebec: Lord

SPOKEN.

July 26th, lat 42.05, lon 57.37, bark Nostra Madre, from St John for Cardiff. Bark Franziska, from Hamburg for Miramichi, July 22, lat 48, lon 39.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

BOSTON, July 30—Aug 8 light vessel No 8 will be replaced on station in Long Island sound, off Cornfield Point, and No 20 will be withdrawn.

Notice is also given that, on or about Aug
8, 1900, Light Vessel No 48 will be replaced
on her station in Long Island Sound, off
Cornfield Point, and Relief Light Vessel No
20, temporarily marking the station, will be

withdrawn. No change has been made in Light Vessel No 48 as to characteristics of lights, fog signal or general appearance.

KINGSTON, Ja, July 31—The steamer Admiral Farragut, from Boston, which arrived here today, reports the British schooner Dove, from Bear River, NS, July 7, for Cuba, ashore on Bird Rock, Bahamas. It is expected that if the weather holds good the vessel can be sayed. expected that if the weather holds good the vessel can be saved.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Aug 2—Sch Abbie and Eva Hooper, Capt Foster, from Port Johnson for St John, with a cargo of coal, sprung a bad leak last night off Point Judith, which kept one pump constantly working. She arrived here this afternoon and employed divers to stop the leak.

BIRTHS.

LAMBERT-In St. John West, July 29th, 1900, to the wife of Allan H. Lambert, a

MARRIAGES.

COLPITTS-WELLING-At Shediac Cape, N. B., July 18th, at St. Martin's Church in the Woods, by Rev. A. F. Burt, Edgar L. Colpitts of Pleasant Vale, Albert Co., to Miss Eva Ellianora, daughter of Geo. L. Welling of Shediac Cape.

DAMERY-CURRIE—At the residence of the DAMERYI-CURRIE—At the residence of the pride's fahter, on Aug. 1st., by the Rev. Arthur Morton, Albert Damery of St. John to Katle, youngest daughter of Fred Currie of Sand Ceve.

AWSON-JONES—At the residence of Peters

Lewson, July 11th, by Rev. J. D. Wetmore, Horatio D. Lawson of Brighton, Carleton Co., to Annie A. Jones of Kars, Kings Co., N. B.
THOMALSON-HUGHES—At Oromocto, N.
B., July 30th, 1900, by the Rev. Horace E.
Dibblee, M. A., rector of Burton, William
Thomalson of Fredericton; N. B., and
Helen Stevenson, daughter of Robert S.

DEATHS.

LEWIS—At Model Farm, July 31st, Josie May, aged 9 years, only daughter of Wm. F and Glennie Lewis.

McGRATH—At Mazatlan, Mexico, June 22, of malarial fever, Captain Luke McGratn, a native of Halifax, N. S., and formerly a resident of Victoria, aged 39 years.

MONTAGUE—At the residence of John Montague, Garnett Settlement, on July 31st, Isa Bell, wife of Norman Montague, aged 39 years. leaving a husband and two chil-39 years, leaving a husband and two children to mourn their loss.
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POOLE—At Spokane, Washington, June 9th, 1900, Horatio Sm. Poole, in the 38th year of his age, youngest son of the late E. R. Poole of Guysboro Road, Halifax Co., leaving one sister and two brothers to mouris. Deceased was a member of the Knights of Pythias. Knights of Pythias.

WALKER—In this city, on Aug. 1st, at the residence of his son-in-law, W. H. White, Thomas Walker, aged 65 years, leaving one daughter. WEST-At Cole's Island, on July 28th, Jane, widow of the late John J. West, aged 81 years.

ORDAINED A PRIEST. (Summerside Journal.)

St. James church, Egmont Bay, P. E. I., was the scene of of interesting and impressive ceremony on Sunday morning last, when His Lordship Bishop Macdonald ordained to the priesthood Rev. Theodore Gallant, a native of the above parish. There was an immense congregation, every available spot in the spacious church, including the aisles, being occupied, and between two and three hundred were unable to obtain admittance at all. The church was beautifully decorated throughout, with flowers and festooning, the altar decorations being especially fine. The ordination Mass was celebrated by the bishop, assisted by Revs. E. J. Flynn of Mount Vernon, New York, and S. Boudreault, paster of Egmont Bay. Rev. A. P. Maclellan, rector of St. Dunstan's College, was director of ceremonies, and Rev. S. J. Arsenault, of St. Jos. eph's College, assisted in the sanctuary. The sermon was delivered in French by Rev. P. P. Arsenault, of Mount Carmel, Fifteen Point, whose subject was, The Dignity of the Priesthcod, and it was an able and eloquent effort. After Mass the newly ordained priest, Rev. Theo. Gallant, was presented, on behalf of the parishioners of Egmont Bay, with an address, which was read by Joseph Gallant, and to which a feeling reply was made by the recipient. The address was accompanied by a well filled purse. Before and after Mass, the Egmont Bay band gave a number of appropriate selections, which they rendered in good style. In the evening Rev. Father Gallant celebrated Vespers and gave the Benediction, this being the first occasion on which he exercised his priestly functions, and on Monday morning he celebrated his first Mass, assisted by Rev. S. Boudresult, in the presence of a large con-

gregation. ITALIAN TRAGEDY.

MONZA, Aug. 1.—The King and Queen of Italy arrived here this evening.

MONZA, Aug. 1.—In the midst of a touch ng demonstration of western cried: or Emmanuel two strangers cried: 'Anarchia." They were arrested and nar-rowly escaped lynching at the hands of the An Elberfeld despatch announces the arrest there of Guiseppe Bernardi, accused of eclaring that Emperor William's turn to be assassinated would come next. He denied the charge, but is believed to be an anarch-

ROME, Aug. 1.—Ministers have unanimously decided that the body of King Hunibert shall rest in Rome. Fifteen thousand troops will pay the last honors.

OUR FIRST LINE OF DEFENCE.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 2.-H. M. S. Pearl. which has been on this station for three years, goes out of commission in September, leaving for England, to be relieved probably by the Pallas, which has already served The warships of the fleet in port will five respectively 55 minute guns on Saturday during the funeral service and interment of Prirce Alfred of Saxe-Coburg, commencing at 11 o'clock and concluding at 11.55. There will also be services on board the various

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