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Marialo and unspiked rail; in an effort to wreck a train while the railway garg participated in the fight. The work of the rebels was discovered and repaired ore a train arrived.

before a train arrived. Ger. Wheaton is preparing to punish the Filipinos. The military gunboats Napidan and Leguns De Bay have succeeded in en-tering the Santa Crus river and have captored a small unarmed Spanish gun-boat and three launches which they dis-covered there.

covered there. The military gunboat Oesto has brought 32 rebel wounded, one dead Filipino and six wounded Americans to the hospital, It is now known that 93 insurgents were killed during the battle of Santa Cruz.

insurgents were killed during the battle of Santa Cruz. WA\*HINGTON, April 11—Admiral Dewey has written the secretary of the navy as follows, respecting the capabilities of the Filipinos:— MANILA, Feb. 23, 1899. SIR,—I have the honor to acknowledge the department's letter of the 9th nitimo. The good effects politically of taking the natives into the service of the government have been lost sight of and from the first large numbers of them have been employed at the Cavite navel station as mechanics and laborars in launches. I regret to state that the latter experi-ment has been only a partial success, as

launches. I regret to state that the latter experi-ment has been only a partial success, as nearly all of the mechanics and laborers left on the outbreak of hostilities between the United St tes and the Filipinor, and are now believed to be in Filipino rankr. I am unable to state how much of this was due to intimidation and forcill; im-measurement into the army by the acceled was due to intimidation and forcill; im-presement into the army by the so-caled filipino republic, but from the state-ment of some few who returned and from the fact that nearly all of those who live in the coal lighters and turrets that is under our immediate protection, have remained, it would appear that in-timidation was a large factor in the dis-appearance of the workmen. It is well known that the Aguin; logovernment is a severe military despot. Brooks ward-James O Steckhouse, Samuel Watters Sydney ward-George H Waring. Dakes ward-Samuel Tuffe. Queens ward-Walter W White. Kings ward-John Russell Armstrong, W U Rudman Allar. Wellington ward-Alexender W. Mac-Rec

Prince ward-Bobert Maxwell. Victoria ward-T. Bartlay Robinson. Dufferin ward-Thomas M Ilidge. Lanedowne ward-William Christle, John M. Smith. Lorne ward-John McMulkir. Starlay ward-John McMulkir. is a severe military despot. Under the rule of the U. S. the char-Under the rule of the U. S. the char-acter of the natives will certainly im-prove; a sudden change is not to be ex-pected. A few of them might be employed on transports and vessels of that kind; indeed, the Filipino quartes-masters who have been serving on the Nanshan and Zafiro since the purchase of those vessels have always been satis-Lorne ward—John McMulkir. Biarley ward—John McGoldrick. Despite the fact that Clerk Wardroper refused to accept Mr. James Monison's nomination pape a, tendered Tuesday, Mr. Moulson considers himself lawfully nominated and will contest the election of mayor. He asks his friends not to pledge themselves to any of the other candidates, as he is assured there will be no legal difficulty in the way of his return as chief magistrate of St. John. of those vessels have always been satis-factory, but because of their long asso-ciation with Americans and Englishmen they belong to a class apart from the story fation with they belong to a cam-great majority. I have the honor to be, Very respectfully, GEOBGE DEWEY, Rear Admiral." News

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dates, said, "That's right. I'll stand at

Forty-Five People Drowned.
MALTA, April 11—The British steamer Kinawell, Captain Humphreys, arrived here today, and reports being in colli-sion with the Greek coaster Maria, in lat. 36, long. 22, on April 9 in the Medi-terranean, off the coast of Tripoli. The down with her. The Kingewell 1st here to invest the spring in a setting down with her. The Kingewell 1st Alexandria last month for Empatario.
Watching a Murder Trial.
LONDON, April 11—Mr. Joseph H. Choaste, the United States ambasesdor, sat beside Justice Grantham at the O.d. Bailey (central criminal court) today and listened to the trik of a costermonger, who was charged with the murder of his paramour.
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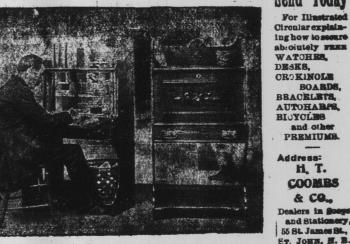
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CAPONS. The St John market had some un-uenal positry produce last week in the shape of ten pairs of capons, sent by an enterprising politry raiser of Perth, Vic-toria county, N.B. They were nice plump looking birds, considering that they belonged to the egg-laying clase-perhape a Leghorn cross. The whole lot did not average 7½ lbs to the pair, but they sold readily, at 20c per lb. The most successfal capons are made from any of the large breds, such as Brah-mas, Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes. While capons are generally considered While capons are generally considered work, but the fact that the government The board of works Monday con-There is about £20,000 worth of material of the Standard Oil Trust. The board of works resolved to recommend to council that issued to Mr. Bullock for the Stand-ard Oil Trust. These terms are that issued to Mr. Bullock for the Stand-ard Oil Trust. These terms are \$100 a year rentil, a term of twenty-one years and ro limit as to improvements. If the bill abolishing the mon-opoly clause, by which the Standard Oil Company at present does business in the city is abolished eo another company can store oil here, this company will at once commence the erection of a storage plant and expect to begin the distribution of oil throughout the maritime provinces inside of three months. The company will do business here under the name of the San Oil

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