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NEGROES CLING TO LIFE.

Few Colored People are Numbered Among the Suicidal Class.

"Men are inclined to marvel at the scarcity of suicides among the members of the negro race," said an observant man, "but when you come to think of it there is nothing strange about the matter. The negro is a happy-go-lucky sort of a creature. He is not as quick to feel the pangs of pride as the white man and life's little reverses do not affect him in the same way. But lately the increase in suicides among the negroes has been a matter of serious comment. The observation has been made that a few years ago a negro suicide was unknown. The negro simply lived out his natural span in a natural sort of way. Suicide is a departure from the abnormal and superficial conditions which environ the individual.

"The negro lives awfully close to nature. Such departures as he may make are due to his imitiveness and they are often grotesque and extravagant. Living naturally, he dies naturally, as a rule. Mainly the scarcity of suicides among negroes is due to this love of nature and this natural way of doing things. It may not be inapt to remark in this conclusion the absence of anything approaching pessimism in the philosophy of the black man and an unflinching devotion to a religion of some sort. Did you ever hear of a negro suicide?"

"Did you ever hear of a negro suicide?" a negro atheist or a negro who was the least bit skeptical about the hereafter, the immortality of the soul and the other things which go with

Prepare Today!

As the stores now close at one o'clock on Saturday, you will have to buy today or early on Saturday. You may want an Outing Suit, Shirts, Ties, etc., or a Nice Black Suit, White Gloves and Bow for the 12th. If so, you can be fitted out here at Money Saving Prices.

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POPE LEO.

A Second Operation Was Performed This Morning.

And He is Now Resting More Easily, Although Gradually Becoming Weaker.

ROME, July 10.—The following bulletin regarding the condition of the Pope was posted at 10.30 o'clock this morning:

"The august patient passed the first part of the night fairly peacefully, but afterwards the difficulty in his breathing became more marked, coupled with discomfort and an increase of the feeling of oppression. The pulse is small and weak, at the rate of 92. Appetite was complete and there was little distress. The flow of endopleuric matter being observed, a second operation was decided on and immediately performed by Dr. Mazzoni. About a thousand grammes of bloody serum was extracted. The pontiff bore the second operation well, and in consequence of it both the respiration and the power of heart at once improved.

ROSSONI, LAPPONI, MAZZONI.

ROME, July 10.—In the previous so firmly rooted has become the conviction that the Pope will not recover that the discussion concerning his successor is almost superseding in general interest the details of the Pontiff's illness. Betting goes on with great animation, the cardinal having his fervent admirers. Those most frequently mentioned as likely to be the next occupant of the Papal throne are Cardinals Oreglia, Gotti and Rampolla, but Cardinals Agliardi, Serafino, Vanutelli and Ferrari press them hard in public favor.

LATE LOCAL NEWS.

A junior moulder has arrived at the home of Edward Hirt, 263 Brussels street. The mother is doing nicely.

The members of Johnston L. O. L. No. 24, will meet at the Orange Hall, German street, on Sunday morning, July 12, at ten o'clock, to accompany the District Lodge to divine service in St. David's church at eleven o'clock.

In the police court yesterday Ernest Smith, an English sailor, arrested for drunkenness, paid his fine of \$4 and was released. He did not go to jail for four months as stated in yesterday's Star.

IF IT SHOULD GO OFF?

Down by the I. C. R. elevator today there is a quantity of stuff sufficient to blow up half of St. John. It is a mixed carload of giant powder and dynamite and there are ten thousand pounds of the latter. The shipment is owned by W. H. Thorne & Co., and is being stored back of Fort Howe. The firm's teamsters are unloading the stuff and hauling it to the magazine, the utmost care being used in the work.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Mrs. M. Jones, widow of the late John Jones, took place this afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, from her late residence, 126 Bond street. The Rev. Mr. Robertson, supplying the pulpit of St. John's (stone) church officiated, and interment was made in Cedar Hill cemetery.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.

Chief Engineer Kerr on behalf of the firemen, returns thanks to Messrs. Murray & Gregory for their donation to the Firemen's Relief Fund, and also to the Misses Murray and Mrs. Gregory for the kind attention shown the firemen during the progress of the fire on Saturday.

A COMEDY IN TWO ACTS.

Or the Cold Water Cure for Cigarette Smoking.

That pride goes before a fall was once more proven yesterday, perhaps not to the satisfaction of the victim, but, at least, to those who witnessed the occurrence.

The principals in the comedy were a small boy—a very small boy—with a cigarette and an anti-tobaccoist with a bucket of water. The scene was on Church street, within the shadows of a cigarette and two cigar factories. The time was four o'clock.

Act I.—Young Beau Brummel from the Tanyard enters with a cigarette butt firmly clenched in his mouth. He is followed by a man in a suit, who leans up against the side of a building and fires up. In the background a choice collection of newboys say things, some choice and some over the top, and as he watches the curls end ringlets of smoke float upwards, his chest swells with pride. He is IT. Slowly and quietly an upper window over the dude's head is opened. A man with a bucket of water appears, a sudden movement and down comes the deluge—Tobacco.

Act II.—Scene: Across the street. Time between first and second acts (three and a half seconds). A very much drenched little boy, minus his cigarette, is crouched close to the fence, surrounded by a jeering crowd, while a few sympathisers endeavor to get the boy to throw stones at the man with the self-satisfied grin who stands in the window.

At the next meeting of the Anti-Tobacco League a report will be made as to the value of the cold water cure for chronic cases of cigarette smoking.

A CHANCE.

Clown—I don't think I shall be able to perform tonight.

Manager—Why, what's the matter?

Clown—O, I don't know. I feel funny.

Then the hard-hearted manager said he'd better perform, as it was time he was funny.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

Three Engines and Twenty Cars Jump the Track—Several Killed.

CANON CITY, Colo., July 10.—Three engines and twenty cars of a freight train have jumped the Denver and Rio Grande track in the Royal gorge and plunged into the Arkansas river, a sheer fall of 2,000 feet. The engines have not yet been found. Ten freight cars are also missing. The river is very deep and high and the current runs at a terrific speed.

The three engines, a fireman and a brakeman disappeared in the wreck. The accident took place near the hanging bridge in the Royal gorge about six miles east of Canon City. It is the most picturesque railroad spot in the west. The gorge is only fifty feet wide but the rocks rise perpendicularly from the Arkansas river to a height of more than a third of a mile. The freight train was bound for a few feet and then plunged into the abyss dragging the other engines and the cars after it. Two of the firemen jumped. The engines refused to leave their posts and fell to certain death in the torrent two thousand feet below. A brakeman was thrown into the gorge when the cars ran off the track. The breaking of the coupling saved the ten rear cars from falling into the river.

A PRACHER'S GOOD GUESS.

It Caused the Rev. Dr. Lauck's Congregation to Smile.

(Detroit Free Press.)

The Rev. Dr. Lauck of St. Louis, an emphatic preacher, is at times at a loss to give his utterance proper weight. For instance he'll say:

"This statement is as true as is the night which will follow day," or "as true as that the trees will bud in the spring."

Sometimes it happens that the doctor has more statements than he has illustrations to give them weight. On one such occasion he recently said, "This is as true as the—," here the doctor halted. He paused a few moments and then his face illumined. "As true as is the statement that some member is yet to become a way church."

A few minutes later a lady entered the edifice and swept grandly up the aisle. The doctor's face assumed an "I told you so" appearance; the congregation began to smile, then to laugh.

Sympathy for the embarrassed lady, however, soon subdued the apparently uncontrollable mirth.

WHITE MOOSE IN MAINE.

Strangely Enough, No One Has Seen It In St. John.

M. A. Cushing of Boston has seen a white moose, says a special from Bangor, Me., to the New York Times. White moose have been occasionally seen in the Maine woods at rare intervals during the past fifty years, but up to the present time a white moose has never been heard of.

Mr. Cushing ran across one in the tangled spruce thickets in the vicinity of the Chair Buck mountain, near Katahdin Iron Works a few days ago. The moose was a full grown bull, and in color it was a dusty white.

Mr. Cushing, an ardent lover of the woods, is in Bangor recently on his return home from his annual outing in the woods and during his stay in Bangor told the story.

HOW A CIRCUS FASCINATES.

A Little Story of Three Half-Shaven Men Who Gazed.

Some people may turn up their noses at circuses, says an exchange, and many there are who will say "Oh, I don't care for circuses, they are all alike." But you have seen one you've seen them all, yet for all that, humanity affects to despise the much-abused circus, few there are who can resist the temptation to "rubber" at a passing circus parade. A story is related of an incident that occurred in this city on the day that Barnum's circus showed here, showing how weak human nature cannot resist the glitter and tinsel.

Just about the time the parade, on its way up Pennsylvania Avenue towards the capitol, reached Twelfth street, and the band in the wagon drawn by forty some odd horses struck up "There'll Be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight," there were four well-known Washingtonians, whom one would least suspect of entertaining any hankering for a circus parade. Three of them were being shaved, and the fourth was having his hands manicured. The barbers had finished one side of each customer's face, and the manicurist had one hand finished and ready to begin on the other of the fourth customer, when the sound of the music reached their ears. All four customers, asking the barbers and manicurist to desist, bolted from their seats and rushed down on the streets to gaze at the clown, view the "10,000 beauty," and listen to the dulcet notes of the steam calliope.

But it was not the end of the farce. The four men became so absorbed in the parade that they forgot all about their shaving and manicuring, and when it was over went their several ways, until kind friends took them in tow and called their attention to the one-sided condition of their countenances. One of the trio of half-shaven men went until evening before some one called attention to the fact that he ought to see the other side of his face to the barber shop.

DISFIGURED AND OUT OF THE HUNT.

Bandy—But why have you thrown Charlie overboard?

Maude—I couldn't marry a man with a broken nose, you know.

Bandy—And I wonder how he got his nose broken, poor fellow?

Maude—Oh, I struck him playing tennis.—Pick-Me-Up.

SPORTING.

Lipton Confident of Winning By a Good Margin.

Fitzsimmons Ready to Fight Any But Jeffries—Monument to Peter Jackson.

CORBETT'S CHANCES.

William James, the well known sporting authority, writes:

Jim Corbett is now doing light preliminary training for his fight with Jeffries. He has, in fact, been preparing himself for this bout for the last four or five months and as a result claims that he is bigger, stronger and faster than ever before.

Of course none of us particularly desirous to dispute this matter with Corbett—at least while in range—but at the same time he will have to do a lot of convincing before the ever easy public believes that he is anything like the Jim Corbett of old, say, five or six years ago.

If Corbett stays fifteen of the twenty rounds with Jeff a majority of the pugilistic sharps will be surprised. It is a thirty to one shot that he could not knock out Jeffries. The latter stood with his hands at his sides, for the ex-boxer maker has a muscular development and a bony framework of so staunch a nature that a man of phenomenal strength would be required to make any noticeable impression on him. Corbett was never extraordinarily strong. It is more certain still that he is not overburdened with muscle and stamina at the present time, and as for the future—well, he is clearly past the stage where he can improve to any extent.

FITZ WILL FIGHT.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 7.—"I will fight George Gardner when and where it is convenient for him, so long as he does not come after the Jeffries-Corbett scrap."

In these pithy words Bob Fitzsimmons told of his early return to the roped arena in search of further championship honors.

"There is a man you can whip him?" ventured the interviewer.

"Well, now, your Uncle Bob has got a pretty high estimate of himself and he thinks there is nobody in the world—bar Jeffries—whom he cannot whip, and George Gardner happens to be one of the world yet."

Bob is really in training himself while preparing Jeffries for his contest.

PETER JACKSON MONUMENT.

A monument costing \$300, erected on the site of the late Peter Jackson at Brisbane, Australia, was unveiled the other day. There were several thousand people present.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—James J. Corbett and James Delaney, the latter acting for Jeffries, have agreed upon Edward Grady as the referee for the heavy weight championship fight to take place here August 13.

YACHTING.

COUNTS ON THREE STRAIGHT.

NEW YORK, July 7.—The wonderful performance of Shamrock III. in the trial over the cup course, off Sandy Hook, where she covered thirty miles in two hours, fifty-eight minutes and thirty-seven seconds, breaking all records over this course, is the talk of all yachtsmen. Sir Thomas Lipton said: "expect now she will win the cup in three straight races, and beat Reliance five minutes in each of them."

BASE BALL.

A BIG LOSS TO YALE.

James O'Rourke, Jr., the star third baseman of the Yale nine, has abandoned the amateur ranks and is now a professional. This will be a blow to the chances of the Yale nine next season, for young O'Rourke played great base ball for the Elm nine. O'Rourke comes from Bridgeport, Conn., and made his professional debut Saturday afternoon at Springfield as a member of the Bridgeport team in a Connecticut league game with Springfield.

O'Rourke begins his senior year at Yale next fall, and while sorry to be counted out of the Yale nine next season finds a good chance to play ball this summer.

O'Rourke's father, James O'Rourke, Sr., is a member of the Bridgeport team of the Connecticut league, playing behind the bat, and it was no unusual sight to see father and son on the same team in a professional game. Springfield won by a score of three to two, and young O'Rourke fairly outplayed his father. He got two hits, had three assists to his credit and stole a base, and did not make an error.

James and James, Jr., both good ball players, offer a great contrast. "Jimmy," slender, active and swift of foot, grasps his bat in the middle and taps the ball with the quick forearm movement of the new scientific school, with good result, too, for he met the ball fairly each time and scored two of Bridgeport's six hits. His father, solid and square and grizzled, grips his bat by the very end of the handle, to get as much sweep as possible, looking, as he waits for the ball, like the pictures of the famous lumberjacks of old. When he hits at the ball it is a mighty "swipe," and the ball may or may not go a mile. "Jimmy" promises to be a great acquisition to the team. He fielded perfectly the other day, showing in a fine throw and an exhibited a burst of speed in getting down to first and stealing second.

McLean, of Nassau, has batted safely in 11 out of the 12 last games.

AIMED HIGH.

Callor—So the teacher told you to work hard with the physical culture course. What is your ambition?

The Boy—I want to get muscles big enough to lick de teacher.—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

AN ACT OF TREACHERY.

Chinese Leader Followed French Consul's Advice and Lost His Head.

PEKIN, July 10.—The demoralization of the administration in the province of Kwangsi by the lately cashiered officials is indicated by the reported desertion to the rebels of 1,800 soldiers with their arms. Notwithstanding this the conditions are better, as the famine is disappearing. According to the reliable foreigners, the leader of the Yunnan rebellion, who, with his mother, was not defeated, as was announced by the court gazette, but surrendered on the advice of the French consul, to whom he appealed and said that he had been forced to usurp the authority for self preservation from the opposing factions. He asked the consul to represent the situation to the governor. These representations were made and the consul advised the rebel leader to surrender. The court rewarded the officers concerned in the subsequent decapitation of the rebel leader. Foreigners regard the affair as an act of treachery, and fear difficulties to the French on account of the consul's connection.

IN RUSSELL SAGE'S OFFICE.

The rainy weather, that has made all things dull in the way of trade, has affected even Wall street, and financiers who have reputations for promptness have been late to their offices in the last few days. Russell Sage is no exception to the list of those who fail to get down on time. Yesterday morning Mr. Sage was a late comer, and when he arrived the day's work had been pretty well mapped out.

Col. Slocum, his brother-in-law, who for years has managed a branch of the financier's office, remarked that it was rather dull, and added:

"I thought we could take advantage of the dullness and hold a meeting of the board of directors of the Minnesota Land Company."

"The what?" asked Mr. Sage.

"The Minnesota Land Company," replied Col. Slocum.

"I thought Gov. Morton and I owned all those lands?" said Mr. Sage, looking puzzled.

"There is a board of directors," ventured Mr. Slocum.

"Who are they?" inquired Mr. Sage sitting down and looking around.

"Well, you're chairman. I'm one; Osborne, the cashier, is another; young Osborne is one; Menges, the stenographer is one, and the other is the office boy," and, having run over the list, Colonel Slocum awaited the pleasure of the chairman of the board.

"Well, call in the board," said Mr. Sage, "and we will hold a meeting."

When the land company's board of directors had assembled in Mr. Sage's private office, Mr. Osborne, Jr., read the minutes of the last meeting. Then the chairman asked if there was anything further before the board. Mr. Osborne, Jr., arose and said:

"Mr. Chairman, there is a surplus of \$8,000 in the treasury, and I propose that a dividend of 2-1/2 per cent. be declared, to be distributed among the stockholders."

Before Mr. Osborne had got back into his armchair, a director, who at other times is an office boy, arose and, looking the chairman square in the eye, said:

"I second the motion."

"It is moved and seconded," said Mr. Sage, "that a dividend of 2-1/2 per cent. be declared. Carried. Any further business?"

Col. Slocum spoke of the fact that when a board of directors met it was customary for the treasurer to receive \$10 each, and moved that this be declared.

The smile on Mr. Sage's face was not one that would not come off. It disappeared slowly, the lines about the mouth that is a precursor of an expression of determination grew deeper and the eyes that are set deep closed a little tighter, and there was a slight knitting of the brow as he snapped:

"What's that?"

Having recovered himself, Colonel Slocum moved for the \$10 that should go to each director, and emphasized it by saying "ten dollars in gold." The office boy's face was a study. For a moment he saw visions of wealth with the dividend and the \$10, but his dream came to an end.

"Huh," said Mr. Sage, "two dollars. Meeting adjourned." And the board of directors faded away to again become employees of the financier.

THE THOROUGHbred HORSE.

(Philadelphia Post.)

Before the Cambridge Philosophical Society in England, recently, Professor Ridgeway produced evidence, historical and scientific, to prove that the Barbary horse, from which all the fine horses of the world have sprung, was derived either from the zebra of northeast Africa, or, more likely, from some very closely allied species now extinct. North Africa, therefore, and not Arabia, is the original home of the thoroughbred. More than 900 years before Christ, King Solomon imported horses from Egypt, and Egypt got them from Lybia. "It is now clear," says Professor Ridgeway, "that the Arabs never owned a good horse until they had become masters of North Africa and the Barbary horses, from whom are sprung our own racing stock."

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—Federal Commissioner Heckcock has granted the petition of the Danish consul for the extradition of Julius Joergensen and Miss Johanne Moeller, on charge of absconding with forty thousand francs, the property of the Bank of Copenhagen.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived. July 10, 1903.

Str Penobscot, 1214, Mitchell, from Eastport.

Sir St Croix, Thompson, from Eastport.

Coastwise—Sch Alma, 8, Day, from Alma; Mildred K. 26, Thompson, from Westport; Sch Harbinger, 14, Power, from Westport; Sch W B Clendene, 19, Wilson, from Grand Harbor; Sch Lone Star, 29, Richardson, from North Head; Sch Lacoula, 15, Dixon, from North Head.

Cleared.

Sch Jas Barker, 80, Ellis, for Salem, for Coastwise.

Bark Lydia, 352, Pedersen, for Kilrush, Ireland.

Coastwise—Sch Glide, for Lepreau; Sch Souvenir, for Meteghla River; Sch Alfred, for Tiverton; Str Yarmouth, for Digby.

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If it hails or if it snows, Keep a-go!

Taint no use to sit and whine When the fish ain't on your line; Bait your hook an' keep on tryin'— Keep a-go!

When the weather kills your crop, Keep a-go!

When you tumble from the top, Keep a-go!

S'pose you're out o' every dime? Gettin' broke ain't no crime; Tell the world you're feelin' primel— Keep a-go!

When it looks like all is up, Keep a-go!

Drain the sweetmeats from the cup, Keep a-go!

See the wild birds on the wing! Hear the bells that sweetly ring! When you feel like singin'—sing! Keep a-go!

AUCTIONS.

86 Germain St

POTTS Bargains.

I very nice Ash Bedroom Set, Walnut, Ash and Birch Bedsteads, Wire Springs, Mattresses, Oak Leather Covered Easy Chair, Mahogany Rocker, Easy Chair, Sofa, Lounges, Wardrobe, Marble Top Tables, 2 Pianos, Cabinet Organs, Feather Beds, Carpets, Pictures, Silver Plated Ware, Dinner and Tea Sets, Tapestry Portiers, Lamps, etc., etc.

By auction at my salesroom on SATURDAY MORNING, the 11th inst., at 10 o'clock.

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Valuable Freehold Property at Mount Pleasant.

I am instructed by J. Murray Kay, Esq., to offer for sale at Chubb's Corner, on SATURDAY, the 11th INST., at 2 o'clock, noon:

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WANTED—An axe maker. Apply to THE JOSIAH FOWLER CO., Ltd., City Road.

WANTED—A good canvasser. Apply at once at 25 Douglas Avenue.

WANTED—A boy to learn the printing business. Apply at SUN OFFICE.

WANTED—A number of good laborers. Apply to J. P. CLAYTON, Superintendent, Parkhill Cemetery.

WANTED—A young compositor, a boy, who has had about three years experience. Apply at SUN OFFICE.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special accident, sickness, identification policies and general insurance business. Liberal terms to reliable men. Write Box 275, Montreal.

HELP WANTED FEMALE.

WANTED—Girl wanted to run sewing machine. HUTCHINGS & CO.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to 67 Sewell street.

WANTED—Girls wanted to learn paper box making. Apply to THE D. F. BROWN CO., Ltd., Canterbury street.

WANTED—Paint Makers. Steady work at A. R. CAMPBELL & SON, 63 Germain street.

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FOR SALE—A horse about 1,000 lbs. Good for express or driving. Kind and good. Apply at WEATHERHEAD'S STABLE, Union street.

FOR SALE—A first-class driving horse, gentle and a good roadster. For further information apply to F. STANTON, Gazette Office.

PIANO FOR SALE OR TO RENT—A Square Piano in perfect condition. Address W. H. S., Daily Star office.

FOR SALE—One 1 1/2 in. Pine Door, 6 ft. 6 in. by 2 ft. 8 in., with 3 glass panes. Apply Sun Printing Co., St. John.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A quantity of revolver or rifle ammunition. No. 45 Cols. Apply to CRACK SHOT, Star office.

FOR SALE—An arc lamp, complete, nearly new. Apply to Sun Printing Co.

FOR SALE—A quantity of steam pipes and iron. 8 1/2 in. and 10 in. diam. Apply at Sun Office, St. John.

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Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

LOST—A job for watch with K. Malta charm attached. Finder will please leave same at Sun Office or O. LONDON, Reward.

LOST—On Friday evening, a Gold Chain with charm attached, marked "G." The finder will oblige by leaving at the office of this paper.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, July 9.—Mr. Blair's railway commission was given another hearing today. The question of railway passenger rates was brought up by Mr. McLean, who declared that the maximum should be fixed for fifty years.

Mr. Kemp, in speaking on the clause dealing with penalties and actions, drew attention to the intricacies of freight classification and requested that the bill be held over until business men were consulted, which was refused by the minister.

An amendment was moved by Mr. Denison to make railways responsible for damages caused by fires started from sparks from locomotives, whether equipped with fire screens or not.

Blair refused to accept the amendment, whereupon members on both sides of the house insisted upon it. At the afternoon session the amendment was carried.

The house then took up interior supplementary estimates. Notice was given of a bill to amend the fisheries act, which will legalize the use of purse seines within territorial waters of Canada.

At the conservative caucus today party matters were discussed. A gold headed cane was presented to Hon. A. F. C. Lariviere, who has completed his 55th year in political life.

At the liberal caucus the question of the Grand Trunk Pacific scheme was discussed.

HONOLULU, July 8.—The cable ship Anglia while unloading an extra cable today met with an accident by which her propellers were so badly bent that repairs of a fortnight will be necessary.

The chamber of commerce has passed resolutions which will be forwarded to the war department at Washington asking that all Pacific transports call at the port of Honolulu.

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WHY DISCRIMINATE?

Six months ago a brakeman on the Intercolonial railway had his leg broken and spine injured by an accident on the line. The train went off the track through no fault of his and he was one of the victims. For months he was unable to work, and during a part of the time was in the hands of the doctors. At length he became capable of returning to duty. But he was docked for lost time. It is rather hard on a man who has low wages to be left so long on heavy expenses with no income, especially when he has been disabled while on duty. Perhaps the accident was not the fault of anyone, but it certainly was not the fault of this particular sufferer. Yet there is no reason to suppose that the brakeman has made complaint on that he considers himself ill-used. He is doubtless glad to get back to work, and knows that other have had the same experience.

But not all others. One of the highest paid men in the railway service was in ill-health about the same time that this brakeman was waiting for his broken bones to grow together. His salary is more than ten times the pay of a brakeman and he earns it on the same railway. When this fellow workman was ill he got leave of absence and a private car. He went west and recruited his strength, returning in due time to his duties. Was the pay of this officer stopped during the term he was off duty? Did the government receive pay for the use of the car and for its maintenance?

The Star does not know. It does not say that a faithful official of the highest class should be treated less generously by the Intercolonial than he would expect from a company road. But it is of the opinion that the generosity of the government should not be confined to one class of employees and that trainmen who are injured in the discharge of their duty, perhaps through the fault or inadvertence of men in higher stations, should have as much consideration as is shown to men who are less in need of it.

BACK TO THE EAST.

A good deal of local interest is felt in the announcement that Mr. C. H. Lugin, now of Victoria, B. C., has been engaged as editor of The Telegraph. Mr. Lugin was editor of the paper twenty years ago, after the death of Mr. Elder. He was a man of ideas and opinions and his views as expressed in the Telegraph did not conform to the creed of the men who then controlled the paper. Afterward Mr. Lugin had charge of a journal at Seattle, and as he then intended to remain in the United States, he took the first steps toward a change of citizenship. Returning to Canada he assumed the editorial charge of the leading conservative journal in the British Columbia capital. If he should now feel free to take the editorial charge of a government organ it is not likely that he would allow his personal views and opinions to produce strained relations between him and the dominant influence. In any case Mr. Lugin will be welcomed back to his native province.

UNWISE SUGGESTIONS.

If the members of the committee who are circulating a petition recommending increased pay for city employees are wise they will not suggest the boycotting of merchants who refuse to sign. A petition of that kind can have no possible value except as expressing the views and desires of the persons who sign it. The authorities could not be expected to attach any weight to petitions obtained by coercion or by any influence except that of fair argument on the merits of the case. Public opinion has been favorable to the payment of good wages to good men. The council and the officials must respond to the opinions of the people. But there can be no possible value in statements and recommendations obtained by threats of loss of custom. Such threats made or implied make it impossible for self-respecting business men to sign, and throw discredit on signatures that represent the convictions of the men whose names are given.

Probably these suggestions of a boycott were the hasty and unconsidered statements of some one or two impulsive men, and should not be taken too seriously.

BOUNTIES.

Once the liberal party was opposed to bounties. Now we have:

- A bounty for pig iron.
- A bounty for puddled bars.
- A bounty for steel ingots.
- A bounty for steel nail wire.
- A bounty for structural steel.
- A bounty for lead.
- A bounty for binder twine.

The Chief of Police has received a first class certificate from the premier of the province. In reporting the charges unproved there is no question that the commissioner decides according to the evidence given at the hearing.

CHIEF CLARK.

Is Exonerated By Premier Tweedie's Report.

The charges of John McKelvey against Chief of Police Clark fall to the ground. In a report submitted to the government at its meeting last night Premier Tweedie, who heard the evidence in St. John, in his capacity as a commissioner, stamps the charges as admittedly born of malice and finds that the evidence did not sustain them. The testimony did prove, however, that Chief Clark is an efficient and assiduous official.

So St. John's police force will not be reorganized immediately, and those who divide the patronage in advance must wait a bit.

The report submitted is as follows: To His Honor James B. Snowball, Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick in Council:

May I please your honor:

A commission having issued to me under the great seal of the province of New Brunswick bearing date of the 10th day of May A. D. 1902, to investigate certain charges made by John McKelvey, of St. John, against W. Walker Clark, Chief of Police of St. John, for drunkenness and improper conduct in office, I have 'honour to submit the full report.

Both parties were represented by counsel. The taking of evidence occupied two days and forty-three witnesses were examined—seventeen on behalf of the complainant, Mr. McKelvey, and twenty-six on behalf of Chief Clark.

While sufficient evidence was given to satisfy me that on two occasions at least, namely in April, 1902, and May 12 last, the chief was to some extent under the influence of liquor, yet, from the whole testimony adduced, I would not be warranted in finding the charges sustained.

On both these occasions, when it was alleged the chief was intoxicated, the evidence goes to show that he was quite capable of attending to business and performed his duties satisfactorily. Colonel Sturdee, one of the witnesses, states that on May 12, he had business with Chief Clark, and while he (the chief) had the appearance of having had a drink or two, he was not at all incapacitated, but attended to the matters in hand promptly and properly.

Of the seventeen witnesses examined for the complainant, ten gave testimony in favor of the chief and the other six spoke of seeing him under the influence of liquor on the dates mentioned.

The complainant in his testimony stated frankly that he had a grudge against Chief Clark by reason of his having treated him harshly at the I. C. R. station in the fall of 1899, on the departure of the first South African contingent, and from that time up to the present he was trying to use his own language to get square with him, and had it not been for this dispute he would never have made any charges.

Some further dispute arose between them later, at the custom house, at which time, the complainant alleged, the chief treated him very discourteously.

It was also quite evident that the complainant had been watching the chief all this time, with a view to bringing charges against him, while the evidence was somewhat contradictory as to whether or not he had been in the vicinity of the chief.

On the part of Chief Clark twenty-six witnesses were examined, many of them being ladies, and each one spoke in the highest terms of his efficiency as an officer and his constant and unremitting attention to his duties.

From the testimony adduced I have no hesitation in recommending that he is a most capable official, painstaking and assiduous in the performance of all the duties that devolve upon him, and while I deem it reprehensible that an officer in his position should at any time appear in public in a state of intoxication, still I do not think, under all the circumstances (and taking the reason for the charges being made against him as given by the complainant and his coupling them with the fact that there was no evidence before me to show that he was incapable at the time of performing his duties) that the facts proved are of a sufficiently serious character to warrant my finding the said charges sustained.

I beg also to submit the evidence taken on the hearing.

I have the honor to be Your obedient servant,

LEWEL J. TWEEDIE, Commissioner.

C. OF E. STND.

At yesterday morning's session of the synod, reports were read for parishes not previously heard from. Reports were also read by Canon Richardson, for the Woman's Auxiliary, and by Dan Partridge for the committee on the bishop's address.

In the afternoon delegates were elected to the Provincial and General Synod.

Rev. Weston Jones addressed the synod on the subject of continuing King's College in its present location, which course he strongly favored.

A large missionary meeting was held in the Opera House last evening, at which the bishop presided and Rev. Norman Tucker made a very able address.

ST. PETER, Minn., July 8.—Three men were killed in a dynamite explosion here yesterday. Malcolm and Arch. MacDonald, well diggers and brothers, and Fred Relpke, manager of the creamery were clearing out a well 300 feet deep, and were using the explosive to remove a screen at the bottom.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 8.—Most of the delegates to the thirteenth annual convention of the International Baptist Young People's Union, which opens today, have arrived. Present estimates place the attendance during the three days session of the convention at 6,000 delegates, from every section of Canada and the United States.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL.

All members of No. 2 Bearer Co. are requested to be at the armory at 7.30 a.m. on Saturday.

The St. John Rifle Club will hold a spoon match at the range on Saturday afternoon, starting at 1.30 o'clock.

The Allan Company has decided to discontinue the steamer Norwegian to the dry dock at Halifax for repairs.

The painters' union meets in special session tonight to make arrangements for attending the funeral of Mr. Spillman, a member of the association.

DR. LORENZ AND THE NEWS-BOY.

An Open Air Consultation at Which the Surgeon Paid the Fee.

Dr. Lorenz and the news-boy with children has been the subject of many anecdotes. This story is told of his stay in Rochester, N. Y.

One day, worn out by his professional work, he set out for a walk. In the course of his ramble he came to the falls of the Genesee river. There Dr. Lorenz and a friend stood gazing into the depths of the gorge below.

Three little newsboys caught sight of them, and darted over, crying shrilly: "Pulper, mister, pulper here; all about it."

Dr. Lorenz turned and nodded to them, and one ran ahead of the other and with outstretched hand presented a paper. As he did so his hand suddenly fell and his shaven eyes stared hard at the kindly face which looked so squarely at him. Then he turned toward the other two and beckoned furiously.

"Come here, youse kids; come here! here he is!" he said.

The other two ran up. The first one pointed at the great surgeon and cried: "Dat's him, dat's the fellow wot I was telling you about. He cures legs like what you got, Shorty."

"And who am I?"

"You're de great doctor wot cures kids wid game—wid bum stitls—lame legs, I mean."

Curious to understand how the boys knew him, Dr. Lorenz asked: "And how do you know I am that doctor?"

"W'y, mister," said the first boy, "couldn't we tell dem whikers a mile away?"

Dr. Lorenz leaned against the bridge rail and laughed long. The three boys gazed at him in doubt. Then he turned his eyes toward the little cripple and bade him come nearer.

The boy, with some embarrassment, obeyed. And then, upon the bridge, high above the foaming river and under the bright sky Dr. Lorenz gave one of the queerest consultations in his history. He felt the shrivelled leg, and he turned it and twisted it. The other two boys had pressed closer. He shook his head.

"I am sorry," he said. "The case is hopeless. It cannot be cured. It is indeed too bad. I cure, or try to cure, you hips and your feet, but I cannot cure where life has gone. It is paralysis, not hip trouble, that has afflicted you, my boy. I am truly sorry."

There fell a silence. The spokesman said: "Den if he says it's all off, Shorty, it's all off. He's de limit in dat game."

Shorty's face fell. Dr. Lorenz beckoned the three to approach. He had slipped his hand into his pocket unobserved.

"Will you shake hands in turn with me?" he asked.

The three shook hands. In turn three pairs of eyes lighted up and three pairs of cheeks flushed with delight as each palm felt something crushed into it. With common impulse each cap was removed. "Aw, tank you, sir; you're all right, you're all right!"

Five minutes later the three were holding excited consultation.

"Wot did he give you?"

"I got a dollar bill."

"So'd I. Wot did you git, Shorty?"

"He gimme ten."

"Dat's all right. He oughter done it. But, say, he's a sport all trough, dat feller is."

"And the next minute the three were racing as fast as they could to sell a paper to a man who was waiting for a street car which was just coming up.

KILLED ON THE I. C. R.

Joseph Roe, a Stonecutter, of St. John, Found Dead Beside the Rails.

Joseph Roe, a stonecutter by trade, was found dead on the I. C. R. track, near Pettitocod early yesterday morning, and his body is still at that place awaiting legal proceedings. It was supposed the man had fallen off an east bound train.

L. C. R. Terminal Superintendent L. R. Ross at once began making enquiries of the various building contractors and found that a man answering the description of the deceased had worked for Aid. Robert Maxwell on the south and oil works job. For some time Roe has been out of work, and has been drinking. It is thought the unfortunate man left for Sydney Wednesday night, and in an intoxicated state boarded the train when passing from car to car.

Roe was a widower and has no relatives here so far as is known. Among his effects a letter was found yesterday morning from a brother-in-law, Joseph Longford, 30 Gill Avenue, Methuen, Mass. From the way in which the letter is worded it would seem that Roe has some money on deposit in some bank in Methuen.

WANTED—A case of Headache that KUMFORD Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

BRITISH ADMIRAL.

BAR HARBOR, Me., July 8.—A reception on board the flagship Ariadne at which several hundred people were guests, formed the chief feature of today's entertainment in connection with the visit of the British squadron. The reception was given by Admiral Maxwell and his captains in acknowledgment of the courtesies extended them, and was a notable event. In the morning some fifty of the officers were entertained at breakfast at the Pot and Kettle Club, and in the evening Admiral Sands dined Admiral Douglass and his captains on board the flagship Texas. The English ships will sail Saturday morning for St. John, N. B.

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During July and August our stores will be open until 10 p. m., on Fridays and closed at 1 o'clock on Saturdays.

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These Japan Matting are woven in fancy stripes and carpet effects in many colorings. Greens, Reds and Blues predominate. Also a good assortment of

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Grand Midsummer Sale of High LADIES' BATHING DRESSES. Men's Novelty Neckwear. Boys' and Girls' Overall. Class Novelty Dress and Waist Goods, in washing materials. MANTLE ROOM. Men's White Duck Pants. Boys' Hot Weather Clothing. Men's Black Cloth Suits, three special sizes, \$10, \$15, \$15.

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Ivory Lace Costumes, Cream Lace Costumes, Black Lace Costumes, White Voile and Ecru Lace Costumes, White Voile and White Applique Costumes, Black Voile and Lace Costumes, Black Sequin Net and Silk Applique Costumes.

White Taffeta Silks, lace spot, White Taffeta Silks (striped), White Broche Silks, White Broche Satins, White China Silks, White Pongee Silks, White Voile de Soie Silks.

White Poplin de Soie Silks, White Chiffons, White Pineapple Lawns, White Mousseline de Soie, White Shirred Chiffons, White Pleated Chiffons, White Filled Chiffons.

Evening Gaudies, Black Silks, Black and White Silks, Fancy Silks, Ostrich Ruffs, Chiffon Ruffs, Liberty Silk Capelines.

LADIES' WHITE KID GLOVES, 2 and 3 dome fasteners; also 12 and 18 button lengths. LADIES' BLACK KID GLOVES, in Kid and Suede. LADIES' BLACK, CREAM AND WHITE SILK GLOVES, in 12 and 16 button lengths.

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Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Novelty Neckwear in Stocks and Jabots, Hair Ornaments.

Ribbon Bows, Chiffon Ornaments, and other novelty garnitures for the hair made to order.

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Men's Collars and Cuffs. Men's White Dress Bows and String Ties. Men's White Kid Gloves. Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Men's Black Silk Hose. Men's Embroidered Hose. Men's Black Cheviot Full Dress Suits.

Men's Black Venetian Full Dress Suits. Men's Full Dress White Vests.

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White Cotton Net Underwear, very cool and particularly comfortable. Price 60c per garment.

Fancy White and Blue Striped Balbriggan Underwear, very fine and soft. Price 60c per garment.

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Men's White Duck Shirts, with collar at 25c, 35c, and 45c. Men's White Mat Weave Shirts, without collar, 35c. Men's White Flannel Shirts, with reversible collar, 45c. Men's White Flannel Shirts, with reversible collar, 45c.

FOR SEASIDE OR RIVER BATHING.

Boys' Bathing Trunks, 10c and 15c a pair. Boys' Bathing Suits, in one piece, no sleeves, 35c and 40c. Boys' Bathing Suits, one piece, short sleeves, 50c. Boys' Bathing Suits, two piece, short sleeves, 55c. Ladies' Bathing Suits in many styles.

Prices, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00.

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LAST NIGHT'S MEETING.

The strike in the city still continues and the laborers are undaunted in their resolve to obtain their demands and get the increase of pay asked for. They have formed a committee and are circulating a petition to be signed by those merchants who are in sympathy with them, while they assert that they will withdraw their custom from the strike in all its details, finding no fault with the strikers, but blaming the city officials themselves for the existing state of affairs. He scored Alderman Mullidge and said that Mr. Cushing was an official incompetent to attend to the duties of this responsible position.

Mr. Brown, who followed Mr. Sharkey, advocated the removal of the present council at the next election. He thought that the aldermen should give their services free.

George Blair wanted to know what became of the vegetables raised on the city's farm at Silver Falls, and why Mr. Murdoch lived in a house owned by the city and obtained the services of a man employed by the city.

Rabbi Robinson made a stirring speech in which he said that \$2 per day was the lowest figure at which he found it possible to live and by using great economy at that. He then called for all sympathizers to lend a helping hand and contribute towards a benefit fund for the strikers.

COUNTERFEITS AROUND

Ontario Towns the Victims of American Sharpers.

KINGSTON, July 8.—Counterfeit Canadian Bank \$2 notes are in circulation here. They are clever productions and likely to deceive. United States \$1 notes raised to \$11 are also in circulation and several merchants have already been taken in. It is believed the forgeries were issued by American crooks passing through the city.

Counterfeit \$2 bills are also in circulation in St. John, although not very numerous. They are fair imitations of the genuine, but can readily be detected. The numbers on the bills are printed in a peculiar shade of red ink, much more distinct than on the genuine.

A July Mark-Down and Clean-Up Sale.

JULY IS A MONTH OF BARGAINS TO THE SAVING BUYER.
That great clearing up time when summer merchandise goes regardless of the real worth.

To force a quick clearance of all Suits in odd lots, broken lines, summer weights and light colors, we make prices during our Clean-up Sale that are bound to attract buyers, not only from the city, but from all surrounding suburbs. In your interest we ask you to carefully note the many remarkable opportunities.

Our regular prices are \$10 to \$18.50.

Some of these have been almost cut in two, all very much reduced. Now \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50. OUR BEST SUITS go at \$10 to \$15. At \$10 almost all our SUMMER SUITS. Many suits all right for fall wear.

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Open until 10 to-night; close Saturday at 1 o'clock—buy today if possible.

SPORTING NEWS.

BASE BALL.

AFTER THE PENNANT.

Franklin's Climax a Notch by Defeating Y.

M. C. A. Last Night—Score 15-8.

By winning over the Y. M. C. A. players last night, the Franklins have climbed into the .500 per cent class and are making a strong bid for leadership.

The score was 15 to 8 and at one time it looked like a complete Waterloo for the south end boys, but the necessary power was lacking in the Y. M. C. A. camp. After virtually winning they had to retreat to the far-away land of timber, where the glines grow tall and mighty.

Score by innings:

Franklins	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Y. M. C. A.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Amateur League Standing.

Club	W.	L.	P.	C.
Clippers	11	6	647	
Portlands	8	7	533	
Franklins	8	8	500	
Y. M. C. A.	5	10	338	

The Clippers and Y. M. C. A. are down for tonight on the Victoria grounds. The Y. M. C. A. promise something new and as they have defeated the Clippers twice, a good game may be expected.

Hotel Base Ball.

The employees of the Dufferin defeated yesterday afternoon nine of the Royal half to a base ball match which was watched by many interested spectators. The score was 10 to 7.

National League Games Yesterday.
At Chicago—Philadelphia, 1; Chicago, 6.
At Pittsburgh—Brooklyn, 1; Pittsburgh, 3.
At Cincinnati—Boston, 3; Cincinnati, 11.

American League.
At New York—St. Louis, 4; New York, 5.
At Washington—Detroit, 4; Washington, 17.
At Philadelphia—Cleveland, 8; Philadelphia, 9.

At Boston—Boston, 5; Chicago, 3.
New England League.
At Manchester—Manchester, 1; Fall River, 3.

At Lowell—Lowell, 7; Lawrence, 3.
At Providence—Providence, 3; Toronto, 2.
At Concord—Concord, 8; Haverhill, 1.

Connecticut League.
At Hartford—New Haven, 9; Hartford, 0.
At Norwich—Holyoke, 5; Norwich, 4.
At New London—Bridgeport, 10; New London, 11.

At Meriden—Springfield, 0; Meriden, 3.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Prescott, Miss Berryman and their sister, Mrs. Guilford Reed, of Boston, are at the Wayside Inn, Rouses, for July.

Miss Flora Bullock, of St. John, who has been spending a vacation in Nova Scotia, has returned and is now summering at Brown's Flats.

William White, editor and proprietor of the Mansfield, Mass., News, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Fred E. Simpson, of Waterloo street. Mr. White is an old St. John boy, having served his time in the Courier office, H. Chubb & Co., publishers. He is accompanied by his daughter, Miss Mary A.

Misses May and Miss Kelley, of St. John, are spending a vacation at Brown's Flats.

Dr. Oscar Watson, of New York, and his nephew, W. A. MacDonald, arrived last evening on the S. S. Penobscot. Dr. Watson comes to spend a brief vacation with his parents.

T. M. Nairn of Montreal, Canadian manager of the Donaldson line of steamers, is at the Dufferin.

Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. Parker of New York are at Carville hall.

James Barnes, M. P. P., of Buctouche, arrived in the city yesterday from Chipman, where he has now a gang of 200 men working on the construction of the extension of the Central railway road. He expects to have the line opened to Newcastle within a month. Mr. Barnes is stopping at the Royal.

Mrs. Rose, wife of Dr. W. D. Rose, mayor of Nelson, B. C., passed through St. John at noon yesterday from the west on a visit to her home in New Glasgow.

William C. Cushing, who has been visiting his relatives in the city, left for his home in Pittsburgh yesterday. Mr. Cushing occupies the responsible position of chief engineer of maintenance of ways on the southwestern system of the Pennsylvania railroad. He is a brother of George S. Cushing.

Mrs. J. H. Grey of Fairville, son and daughter, left on Wednesday for Point de Bute to visit Martin Treuman, Mrs. Grey's father.

Miss Nettie Hatfield left yesterday on a visit to Hillsboro and Moncton.

N. B. Colwell left Tuesday night in the Montreal train for Calgary, Alta.

Mrs. James Gillespie of St. John arrived last night, and is the guest of Mrs. A. W. Edgecombe at F. B. Edgecombe's summer residence at Springhill.—Fredericton Herald.

Miss Isabella Mowatt, court stenographer of St. John, is spending a few days in Fredericton.

Rev. J. A. Gordon, formerly pastor of Main street Baptist church, and now of the First Baptist church, Montreal, accompanied by Mrs. Gordon, are in the city.

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make, \$10.50.

Men's Outing Suits,
two piece, nice striped
tweeds, \$5.50; regular
price, \$7.50.

Men's Best English
Clay Worsted Suits,
black or blue, double
or single breasted, only
\$10.50.

Serge Suits for men,
\$6.50 to \$10.50.

Men's English Hair-
line Pants, \$2.50.

Men's Black Clay
Worsted Pants, \$1.75
to \$3.00.

Balbriggan Shirts
and Drawers, 25c.

All-Wool Shirts and
Drawers, summer
weight, 50c. each.

3 Pairs Black Cot-
ton Hose, 25c.

26 Inch Extension
Cases, \$1.25.

28 Inch Embossed
Metal Trunks, with hat
box, \$1.75.

Solid Leather Club
Bags, \$1.25 to \$5.00.

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54 and 56

DOCK STREET

CHILD BADLY BURNED.

Georgianna Sweet of North End Seriously Injured—Grandmother Burned Badly Trying to Save Her.

Georgianna Sweet, daughter of Chas. Sweet of Brook street, north end, was seriously burned yesterday morning at her home.

She complained of the headache, and in the effort to overcome the pain by heat, went so near the stove that her clothes caught on fire. Before the blaze could be extinguished she sustained severe burns about the hands, face and neck.

Dr. McIntyre was summoned and rendered medical aid. Last evening her condition was somewhat more encouraging than earlier in the day.

Mr. Sweet, who is at present in New London, Conn., was telegraphed for.

Mrs. McLeod, grandmother of the little girl, received severe burns about her hands and arms while trying to extinguish the fire.

THE DONALDSON LINE.

The str. Almora, Capt. Abernethy, which took in 5,700 tons of ore at Wabana, Nfld., for Ardrossan, left for St. John on Tuesday at noon and is reported to have passed Cape Race at 3 p. m. Wednesday. The Almora should reach St. John tonight. She will probably go to No. 1 berth at Sand Point to fit up for the accommodation of 750 cattle which the C. P. R. is bringing here for shipment to Liverpool, at which port the Almora will touch before proceeding to Ardrossan.

Str. Indrani is to take her departure tomorrow for St. John with 5,000 tons of cargo. After discharging the goods to a southern port to take in a load for Glasgow.

TO EMPLOYERS.

The inspection of the 62nd Fusiliers takes place tomorrow, Saturday, at 4 o'clock, and as it is necessary that every man shall be present in order to draw pay and to complete full ranks, a request is made by Lt. Col. Sturges and officers that all men possible be allowed by their employers to attend.

The men assemble at 3 o'clock. Lt. Col. White, D. O. C., will be inspecting officer.

LT. COL JONES HONORED.

No. 4 Company of the Artillery presented Col. Geo. West Jones last night after drill with a gilded wooden cut of the royal coat of arms. Col. Jones has commanded the company for eight years.

Addresses were made by Capt. Barker, Sergt. Major McGowan and Gunner Tonge, to which Col. Jones replied. The company was afterwards entertained at the Alexandra Cafe by the genial colonel.

HIGH COURT I. O. F.

MONCTON, July 9.—The High Court I. O. F. opened this afternoon. Committees on credentials, distribution of finance, appeals, constitution and laws, state of the order, press and mileage, S. C. R. Oronhyatekha, being introduced, expressed his pleasure at being present. He reported that for the half year just closed 20,000 were initiated into the order, the surplus had been increased by \$1,000,000 and \$6,000 was being paid daily to widows and orphans.

S. V. C. R. Clark of Ohio also addressed the court.

In the evening a public meeting was held at the opera house. Tomorrow, the delegates hold an excursion to St. Joseph's oil wells.

NEW YORK, July 9.—There were eight deaths from heat today in New York, six in Brooklyn and fully two score of prostrations. It was the hottest day in two years. The thermometer ran to 94 degrees at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. In the tenement districts the heat seemed to be unbearable. Little children suffered especially.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

Domestic Ports.
HALIFAX, N. S., July 9.—Ard, str. Evangeline, from Boston.

Cleared, str. City of Bombay, for Philadelphia.

Sailed, str. Halifax, Ellis, for Hawkesbury and Charlottetown.

British Ports.
LIVERPOOL, July 9.—Sld, str. Englishman, for Portland; Ionian, for Montreal.

BRISBANE, July 10.—Ard, str. Treble, from New York via ports.

LONDON, July 9.—Ard, str. Loyalty, from St. John, N. B., and Halifax.

QUEENSTOWN, July 9.—Sld, str. Majestic (from Liverpool), for New York.

LIVERPOOL, July 9.—Ard, str. Saxonia, from Boston.

Foreign Ports.
CALAIS, Me., July 9.—Sld, str. Fred O. Holden, for Bridgeport.

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me., July 9.—Arrived and sailed, str. Wilmam, from Salem for orders; St. Anthony, from West-haven.

FALL RIVER, Mass., July 9.—Sld, str. Erie, from New York to load for St. John, N. B.

HAVRE, July 7.—Sld, bark H. W. Palmer, for Halifax.

PORTLAND, Me., July 9.—Ard, str. Bay State, from Boston (and sailed); State of Maine, from St. John and Eastport for Boston (and sailed).

Sailed, str. Forest Bell, to Port Hastings, C. B.

CHERBOURG, July 8.—Sld, str. Kaiser Wilhelm II (from Bremen and Southampton), for New York.

NEW YORK, July 9.—Ard, str. Patricia, from Hamburg; La Touraine, from Havre.

BOSTON, July 9.—Ard, str. Mora, from Louisbourg, C. B.; Olivette, from Halifax, N. S.; Prince George, from Yarmouth, N. S.; State of Maine, Allan, from St. John, N. B.; str. C. W. Dexter, for Calais.

Sailed, str. New England, for Liverpool; Fitzmaurice, for Antwerp; Baltimore, for Helms, for Pictou, N. S.; Prince George, for Yarmouth, N. S.; St. Croix, for St. John, N. B.; str. Lizette Catherine, for Halifax, N. S.

NANTUCKET LIGHTSHIP, July 9.—Str. Germanic, from Liverpool and Queensboro for New York, passed at 7 p. m.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., July 9.—Ard, and sailed, str. James Boyce, from Windsor, N. S., for New York; Norman, from Hillsboro, N. B., for Chas., Pa.

Arrived, str. Thistle, from St. John, N. B. (for orders).

Sailed, str. Sainte Marie, from Chatham, N. B., for New York.

Wind southwest, moderate.
DELAWARE BREAKWATER, July 9.—Passed out, str. Jolando, from Philadelphia for Miramichi.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

DUFFERIN HOTEL, July 9.—W. O. Fisher, Quebec; O. O. Weldon, Moncton; O. A. MacCallum, Boston; J. M. Cunningham, Montreal; J. M. Lovitt, Yarmouth; B. T. Horse, St. Frank Lewis, W. B. Russell, Lawrence, Mass.; T. M. Nairn, Montreal; S. H. McKee, Fredericton; Mrs. B. Barr, Boston; W. O. Hunter, Moncton; S. W. W. Pickup, Annapolis; Dr. D. M. Cowie and wife, Ann Arbor, Me.; W. K. Leaver, A. A. Fitzpatrick, Brooklyn; S. May, Mrs. J. W. May, Miss G. May, Auburn, Me.; D. W. Murphy and wife, Warren, Pa.; E. M. Brown, Topsham.

CLOSING THEIR ENGAGEMENT.

Judging by the reception given them by a large audience at the Opera House last night, May Nannary and her company in Toll Gate Inn made the hit of the engagement. Hearty applause followed every scene, after three acts curtain calls had to be responded to, and, almost unprecedented in the Opera House, the company had to appear in response to an insistent call after the dropping of the curtain on the last act.

As the picturesque half-breed Post-chase, Mr. Salisbury did excellent work, looking the part splendidly and interpreting his difficult lines in faultless style. Miss Nannary as Hester Pennington came in for warm applause.

Mr. Andrews as the unscrupulous Capt. Snell, Mr. Dillon as the chivalrous Col. Matfield, and Mr. Newsom as Ned Pennington, the youth falsely accused by Snell, all did good work and earned the plaudits they received. Mr. Daily filled a difficult double part with his usual cleverness.

Miss Hatch delighted her hearers with a fine rendition of a solo from Cavalleria Rusticana, which was rewarded with three encores.

Toll Gate Inn will be repeated to-night and at both performances Saturday.

The many admirers and matinee devotees will be pleased to learn that May Nannary and her capable company are to hold an informal reception on the stage of the Opera House following the performance on Saturday afternoon. Owing to the necessity of constant work, Miss Nannary and Miss Blinn have not had time to attend to social obligations, and the desire of St. John people to meet many of the others will be gratified.

Miss Hatch will render several new numbers at these two final performances.

ABOUT THE NEW OIL WELL.
Mr. Lodge of the N. B. Petroleum Co. Says It Is by Far the Best Yet.

The directors of the New Brunswick Petroleum Co. are greatly pleased with the last well they bored. Mr. Lodge, the secretary of the company, who arrived in the city yesterday, told a Sun reporter that the new well is the best producer which the company have of all the wells bored. The Pennsylvania expert who is superintending the boring operations of the company told Mr. Lodge that the oil sands struck in boring this well resembled the Pennsylvania sands nearer than any of the wells that had been previously bored.

It is only ten days since the boring rig was set up in this locality. The new well is situated about four miles from the scene of the previous borings.

The new well has been capped and other wells will be bored in that vicinity immediately. As soon as a sufficient number of wells have been bored, the company will erect its refinery, the plans and specifications for which are already completed.

SHAD FISHING DISPUTE.
Eight Carleton fishermen appeared in the police court before Magistrate Ritchie yesterday afternoon to answer information laid against them by Fish Warden Fred Belyea, charging them with catching unwholesome shad, it being the spawning season. But as there is no provision in the Fishery Act to meet such a complaint, there could be no prosecution, and accordingly there was no case. The matter may be reported to the department of fisheries at Ottawa, which can make regulations to cover the case. J. B. M. Baxter appeared for the fishermen.

MRS. McCAFFERTY'S FUNERAL.
Large numbers of sorrowing friends attended the funeral of Mrs. Francis J. McCafferty yesterday afternoon. Services at the house on Charlotte street were conducted by Rev. Father McManis, after which the coffin, covered with flowers, the signs of many friends, was followed by a long procession of mourners to Sand Cove cemetery, where burial took place. To the husband, numbed with grief, many expressions of deep sympathy were tendered.

COMING TO THE OPERA HOUSE.
There is to be a play of strong heart interest at the Opera House Monday and Tuesday next, in which nerve and pushing and the adaptiveness of the typical American will be shown in its true quality. The piece which claims to do this is Manager U. D. Newell's great comedy-drama, "A Jolly American Tramp," which not only depicts the trials, tribulations and hardships of an honest workman who, through adverse stress of circumstances, was compelled to be a hobo, but it also shows the magnanimity of this same tramp who, after being utterly isolated in society, not only forgives but forgets all the injustice that has been done him and aids others equally distressed to bear their burden and become reconciled to fate. The play, while working on the heart strings also contains many ludicrous and laughter-provoking situations and intensely stirring climaxes. There will be specialties of an interesting nature. The cast is the best that is obtainable and contains such well known names as Miss Beatrice Minot, James Smith (Happy Jack, the tramp), Maurice Irving, Miss Maggie Meredith, Miss Charlotte Wade and Miss Vera Wilson.

There are but few readers that are unacquainted with Peck's Bad Boy. Those that have not been introduced to him in book form have seen him on the stage. Manager Leroy J. French has had him renovated, and the farce as it will be presented at the Opera House July 16, 17 and 18 will have many improvements, many additional pranks, new sayings and original situations.

The company this season is much stronger than in previous years, and is composed of some of the cream of the vaudeville profession. Numerous novelties and specialties will be introduced during the action of the play; many new dancing features and all the latest songs will also be rendered by capable artists. Come and enjoy a good laugh. This farce was written for fun only.

EXPECTANT.
The country clergyman was nailing a refractory creeper to a piece of trellis work near his front gate when he noticed that a small boy had stopped and was watching him with great attention.

"Well, my young friend," he said, "are you looking for a hint or two on gardening?"

"No," said the youth, "I be waiting to hear what a parson says when he hammers his thumb."

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WHAT WILL THE HARVEST BE.

How an American Gardener Disposed of Seeds Sent by Uncle Sam.

His name is McFadden, and he manipulates the wheel on the "box" elevator in the southeast corner of the city hall, relates the Philadelphia Telegraph. He dwells in a pretty cottage out in Germantown, and has a backyard latent with horticultural possibilities.

Somewhat with a political pull told him that Uncle Sam would furnish seeds for the asking, providing the request came through a congressman.

Now, McFadden's servant in the house is the Hon. George McCreary, who, being new in the city, and an altruist when it comes to serving his fellow man, responded with alacrity and in a remarkably short time the elevator operator received a big package from the agricultural department.

On opening the package McFadden's delight turned to disgust, for instead of flower seeds he found seeds warranting to grow into any known vegetable. Included and neatly labelled were cucumbers, sweet and "horse" corn, watermelon, cauliflower, spinach, egg plant, carrot and a myriad of other kind of seeds.

But McFadden is not without a saving sense of humor and it came to his rescue in the form of a decision to mix the specimens, plant them in a bunch in his back yard and start a guessing contest among his friends at a nickel a guess, the winner to take all.

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office early Friday after-

noon as it is impossible to

make changes Saturday

morning.

LOCAL NEWS.

The card of Willard M. Mitchell, architect appears in this paper.

The Hamburg-American liner Pisa is due in Halifax. She has 360 passengers.

Sabbath services will be held this evening at the Carleton street synagogue. Dr. Rabinowitz will speak in Hebrew.

A large trout, weighing 61-2 lbs., caught by H. Angus in Treadwell's lake, is on exhibition today in Henderson & Hunt's window.

Special—Soft wood and kindling cut in stove lengths, \$1.15 per big load at Watters' wharf. Telephone 612.

A team of base ballists from the Cigar Makers' Union will play a nine of waiters at the City Cornet band excursion to Watters' Landing tomorrow afternoon.

The stores of Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Limited, on King street, German street and Market Square, will be open until 10 o'clock this evening, and will close at 1 p. m. tomorrow (Saturday).

It is now reported that the new evening paper will begin publication next week. The statement is that the "Times" Company will acquire the Gazette and that the Times will be published in the Gazette building.

The Dominion government will on Tuesday hold an important conference at Ottawa with provincial and municipal representatives regarding the government control of street railways. It is not probable that St. John will be represented.

The dog licensing business is very quiet, although the season so far has been rather better than last year. At present, 1,040 dogs have the privilege of living and it is probable that this number will gradually be added to until the total reaches 1,100.

CHEAP BANANAS.

A. L. Goodwin has 800 bunches of bananas which have to be sold this week. Wholesale only.

BANDMANN OPERA CO.

The Bandmann Opera Co. opened their engagement in St. John, Nfld., on Wednesday evening. They reached St. John on the steamer City of Bombay and had much difficulty in securing hotel accommodations. Their engagement is for twelve nights.

THERE SHOULD BE SOMETHING DOING.

Barnes' baseballists, who feel they are of championship timber, are out with a challenge to play the elite W. H. Thornes or Vassies a game of baseball on the Barracks, the 18th inst., for the mercantile championship.

NEW YORK YACHT COMING.

The steam yacht Hanneli is on her way here from New York to join the Royal Yacht Club's Yacht Club cruise, and may arrive at any hour.

The Hanneli is a splendid vessel, of about the same size as the flagship Scowen, and is owned by Clarkson Cowell, of New York. Mr. Cowell is on board with his wife and family. The yacht is registered both with the R. K. Y. C. and the New York Yacht Club.

TRURO CHALLENGE TROPHY.

A beautiful silver cup four feet in height, is to be seen in the D. A. R. office. It is offered by the Truro Rifle Club and citizens of Truro for annual team competition. The conditions upon which it is given are as follows: It is open to teams of eight men from any militia or military rifle club in the maritime provinces. First match to be held at Truro August 6th. Must be won three times to own. Seven shots each at 200, 500 and 600 yards. The cup stands upon an ebony base. The lower part consists of four silver uprights upon a silver stand. Around the outside of the stand are four gilt lions and in the centre are several marksmen with raised rifles. The upper part of the cup is a beautifully engraved globe with the name of the Truro club inscribed and the whole crowned by a marksmen in firing attitude.

A Late Decision

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COKE O'BRIEN.

Received Assistance from the Generous People of Lepreux.

The redoubtable "Coke" O'Brien, the many sided hero of the local Hooligans and strike agitator, has been located or at least it is known where he was a couple of days ago. "Coke" it will be remembered took French leave of the G. P. gang in the park one day last week, not even having the decency to leave his new G. P. trousers and shoes behind.

In Lepreux he stole away and by means dark and secret evaded the watchful eyes of the police and by this time is probably in the land of the free. Wednesday "Coke" located at Lepreux, where he told harrowing tales of his treatment in this city. He was a much abused person, he told the people of that village, the authorities here actually made him work, threatened him with a single room in the big King street hotel and would actually make him eat his meals there. Such a thing was an outrage to one who had stood up boldly before a monster gathering in one of St. John public auditoriums and called on his fellow men to strike, undertakers and all. To think such treatment should be accorded him was enough to break his cool, and so he knocked off work and was now journeying in the quest of quiet and health.

His pathetic story touched the hearts of his hearers, a hat was passed and "Coke" was given enough money to purchase a ticket to St. Stephen, and with numerous professions of thanks he doffed his head gear and again stole quietly away.

Three weeks ago, Eddie and Prof. Kelly landed in New York and at once went to Sheephead Bay, where "Coke" had some light training. He was anxious to meet Duffey, who recently bested Rube Ferns, and the match was about made when Duffey was taken ill. He is now under agreement to meet the winner of the second go between Duffey and Ferns, which is to take place at Fort Erie shortly.

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Some indignation is felt by the residents of that community that the water was to be turned off, as it caused no little amount of inconvenience and trouble.

WHAT HO! SHE BUMPS.

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EXCURSION TO ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

Dominion L. O. No. 141, will celebrate the glorious 12th by an excursion to St. Stephen and Calais on Monday, 13th of July. The Carleton Cornet band will be there. Tickets \$1.25. The train leaves the West End at 8 a. m. o'clock, returning, leaves St. Stephen at 6.45 p. m.

CHAPMAN FESTIVALS.

The first Chapman music festival of the series will be held at Old Orchard Beach on August 15th and 16th. The artists who are to appear in St. John will appear there and the festival will be under the auspices of the camp meeting management. Members of the local chorus have received invitations to attend.

THIS EVENING.

May Nannery at the Opera House.

Base Ball-Clippers vs. Y. M. C. A. at Victoria grounds.

Meeting of Trades and Labor Council.

Meeting of No. 8 Bearer Co. at the armory.

Special session of Printers' Union.

Sabbath services at Carleton Street synagogue.

ISN'T IT A DANDY?

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CONNOLLY HOME.

The Welterweight Champion of the World Arrived This Morning.

Eddie Connolly, accompanied by his manager and trainer, Prof. James Kelly, arrived in the city this morning on the Eastern line steamer St. Croix. The St. John celebrity looks the picture of health and seemingly has put on considerable weight since last here. He is well pleased with his visit to England and is perfectly confident of winning his go with Twin Sullivan which will shortly take place in Halifax.

Connolly was anxious to see his people, so while the champion was hustling toward the North End Prof. Kelly told of their trip abroad. They spent, he said, four months on the other side of the water. During the coronation festivities, a week's boxing tournament was held by the National Sporting Club of London. In this tournament Connolly met Pat Daley, whom he knocked out in fifteen rounds, winning the welterweight championship of the world, which he still holds, having successfully defended it against all comers. This was his first big fight of the trip. Later, Connolly again met Daley, this time in Birmingham, when he won in fifteen rounds.

The St. John boy then made a successful tour of the north and south of England and also visited Ireland, meeting all comers. Being unable to get on with matches with men of his weight he went after the heavy weights. His most noticeable contest in this connection was with Jack Palmer, which took place at Newcastle. Palmer had the advantage of 18 pounds in weight, but the St. John boy proved too much for him.

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Dominion L. O. No. 141, will celebrate the glorious 12th by an excursion to St. Stephen and Calais on Monday, 13th of July. The Carleton Cornet band will be there. Tickets \$1.25. The train leaves the West End at 8 a. m. o'clock, returning, leaves St. Stephen at 6.45 p. m.

CHAPMAN FESTIVALS.

The first Chapman music festival of the series will be held at Old Orchard Beach on August 15th and 16th. The artists who are to appear in St. John will appear there and the festival will be under the auspices of the camp meeting management. Members of the local chorus have received invitations to attend.

THIS EVENING.

May Nannery at the Opera House.

Base Ball-Clippers vs. Y. M. C. A. at Victoria grounds.

Meeting of Trades and Labor Council.

Meeting of No. 8 Bearer Co. at the armory.

Special session of Printers' Union.

Sabbath services at Carleton Street synagogue.

ISN'T IT A DANDY?

Where did you get that hat? I bought that hat at Cunningham's, so they have others just as good for the same money. To look cool and to feel so, despite the temperature, just join our straw brigade, that includes the best dressers in St. John.

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LAKE SUPERIOR'S COAL.

Will Be Taken Out Next Week and the Hull Will Be Flashed Up the Beach.

Lewis Miller, one of the owners of the steamer Lake Superior, now being broken up near the government pier, says that he expects to see the remains of the coal from the steamer some time next week. As there is four or five hundred tons of coal in the vessel it will take some little time to remove it. When this is completed what is left of the steamer will be floated further up the beach and the work of demolishing her completed.

S. J. Rothman, who has been here since the work of breaking up the steamer was commenced, will leave for Boston in a few days.

Last evening there was a very interesting ball game at Torryburn between the Waybacks and the Smart Sets, which resulted in a victory for the latter, the score being 2 to 1. The excitement ran very high all through the game, and it is believed the Smart Sets would have lost the game if it had not been for the wonderful twirling of their pitcher.

Our Premises Open Until 10.30 This Evening.

Close Tomorrow at One O'clock.

Inducements for Saturday morning's shoppers will be Black Grenadine at 49c., worth \$1.00 per yard.

SILK STRIPED ORGANDIES that are worth 50c. per yard, reduced to 25c.

LINEN LAWN, 44 inches wide, at 48c. per yard.

SILK CHECKED BATISTE, one of the daintiest and newest material shown, reduced to 48c.

BLACK MUSLIN at 15c. per yard, 27 inches wide.

SILK STRIPED GRENADE at \$1.00 per yard, 44 inches wide, a very rich material.

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PERSONALS.

James Howe, of the U. N. B., who has been attending the Y. M. C. A. convention at Northfield, is in town today.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. London and little daughter are here from Boston at the New Victoria and are visiting friends.

Dr. J. N. Davis arrived home from New York today.

Dr. J. McLeod, of Fredericton, is in the city today. He will attend the 6th district Baptist convention in Westmorland.

James D. McKenna returned this morning from a four weeks' trip to Newfoundland.

Miss M. A. Walsh, sister of Joe Walsh, the Roses' catcher, arrived in the city today.

Mrs. W. A. McGinley was a passenger on the Boston express which arrived this morning.

Mrs. F. A. McCleary, of Brockton, Mass., and Mrs. C. J. Hargrave, of Norfolk, Va., are in the city visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Courtney, Douglas avenue.

Senator G. G. King arrived from Ottawa on the Montreal express today.

David Russel is expected to arrive in the city on Monday next from Montreal.

A number of the Episcopal clergymen who have been in attendance at the annual at Woodstock arrived in the city today on the Montreal express.

Among the number were Rev. A. D. Dewdney, Rev. P. Owen Jones, Rev. S. Weston Jones, Rev. J. de Wolfe, Rev. Rev. Alf. Bareham and Rev. A. W. Daniel.

Miss Mabel Crockett, daughter of Conductor Joseph Crockett, will leave on Saturday for Detroit, where she will visit friends.

A LIPTON STORE.

While the name of Sir Thomas Lipton is now on every tongue it may be of interest to state that the first Lipton store in New Brunswick was opened this morning in St. John. It is in the McLaughlin building on German street.