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GENERAL.

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The Franco-Canadian steamship service to Montreal will be begun next month.

Melvin Harris of New Brunswick, and a woman named Ethel Slote, were fined \$15.44 for rockless driving on the streets of Bangar on Friday last. They had been drinking. Harris had \$130 in his pocket.

Fresident Castro of Venezuela, has tendered his resignation to the congress of that country but by a unanimous vote they declined to accept it. It is, therefore, believed that he will retain the presidency.

Hon. Dr. Pugsley, speaking in Montreal, said that he believed the Grand Trunk system had quite decided to make their winter port in the lower provinces.

A woman who poured kerosene on a coal fire at Chicope, Mass., yesterday, was frightfully burned and will probably die.

Near Findlay, Ohio, five boys who had seen the production of "Tracey the Outlaw" seized one of their playmates, bound him to a stake and would have burned him but that his screams attracted the attention of some men.

Speaking in Boston yesterdy, Prof. Dallas L. Sharp said, "No woman who wears a sengull or a song bird in her hat can ever get to heaven."

A despatch to the Telegraph says that the redistribution bill will probably be introduced in parliament this week.

Hon. Clifford Sifton sails from New

Rev. Dr. Raymond continued his in-eresting series of sermons on the Com-nandmeats in St. Mary's church last vening, the Fifth Commandment be-ng the subject.

YORK, March 22.—Wall street—Op-priess of railroad stocks were frac-bilow Saturday's closing, with Union making an exceptional loss of a point. I and a few of the local tractions and d Steel stocks were slightly better.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Cotton futures pened easy. March offered 9.95; May, 9.90; une, 9.74; July 9.75; Aug., 9.46; Sept., 8.90; lot., 8.57; Nov., 8.48; Dec., 8.46; Jan., 8.40.

has much to do with the expression of the countenance.

necessary misery.

Good fitting shoes add much to the sum total of human hap-

ting kind. Try them.

& RISING.

MUSICAL EVENING A musical entertainment of more than usual interest will be held in the vestry of Germain Street Baptist church on Wednesday evening. The programme will be in three parts, and will be made up of papers on and selections from famous Russian, English and German composers.

The full programme will be as follows:

THE TURF. PARIS, March 22.—W. K. Vander-bilt's Alpha, ridden by Nash Turner, won the Prix de Fontainebleu at the Longchamps meeting this afternoon.

THIS EVENING.

Annual dinner N. B. Military Veterans at Alexandra Cafe, Charlotte street. Meeting of painters in their rooms for important business. Lecture by Rev. W. W. Rainnie before St. Stephen's church guild. Meting Unity Club at residence Rev. W. L. Beers, 175 Wentworth street.

St. John, N. B., March 23, 1903. The New Spring Cloths for

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Good tailoring, best trimmings and fit guaranteed. Leave your Easter

J. N. HARVEY, Tailoring and Clothing,

HON. MR. TARTE.

His Reply in Parliament to Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Fielding Had Pledged Tariff Revision-a Delicate Thrust at Mr. Blair.

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The new Presbyterian church is same of the source of the system of the s

the press. I was of course speaking in a Jocular way when I used those words.

"I made several other speeches advocating the revision of our fiscal policy on strong Canadian lines. Time went on. Delegation after delegation waited on us here but never once did they ask that the tariff be lowered. Far from it. On every occasion business men, manufacturers, farmers and workingmen asked for a revision toward higher protection. (Opposition applause.) The government indeed were pretty hard pressed. I know what was going on as well as any of my former colleagues. We were hard pressed. The London conference was coming on. The session of 1902 was near. Of course none of us are free to say what took place in council, but I remember what took place, and so do my colleagues. The result of our deliberation was a statement made by my friend, the minister of finance.

"Mr. Speaker, most of my speeches have been reported, and I invite criticism upon my utterances during the absence of the premier. I state here that I never said in his absence what I did not say when he was here. (Opposition applause.) what I would not have said had he been in this country. I have acted in perfect good faith, I have acted in perfect

vision of the tariff during this session.

"I am prepared to take the blame for anything I have done if I have done anything wrong, but I am not ready to stand, without protesting with all my energy and from the bottom of my heart, under the imputation that I have been disloyal to my colleagues. I cannot stand that, whatever the position of the prime minister. He has deserved much from the country, but his words cannot turn into accuracy statements that are not borne out by the facts. I may have made mistakes but I was not the only man in the cabinet discussing the tariff."

The minister at this point cited a declaration of Mr. Sifton's, that if Canadian manufacturers of woollens, agricultural implements, and lumbermen could not get along on a protection of twenty-three per cent. they had better shut up shop.

"The government," said Mr. Tarte, "had never decided that if the wooller."

HANDSOME STALLIONS.

John McCoy of Fredericton has returned from New York bringing with him two very handsome and fashionable bred trotting stallions which will be a valuable addition to the stock of this city and county, says the Gleaner. Young McGregor, a handsome bay stallion, five years old and prettily marked, is a son of the great Robert McGregor, a fine specimen of horsefiesh and very much admired by horsemen. Although he has no mark, it is said he has considerable speed and can haul a road wagon along at a twenty shot. The other is a very pretty and speedy looking chestnut pacer with a mark of 2.10 1-2. He is a smooth looking chap and will no doubt make a good record on the track the coming season.

GRAND TRUNK AND PORTLAND.

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The Thomson line of steamships, according to what appears to be a well founded report, are to run to Portland a weekly line of steamships commencing next November. These ships will come once a week all the year round, but the schedule will not go into effect until next November and from April 18, when the present season ends, until next November there will be no boats of this line come to that port. The contract which has been entered into is said to be for a period of lifteen years.

NOTHING IN IT.

(Bangor Commercial.)
A rumor now going the rounds of the state papers is to the effect that the Eastern Steamship Co, will be combined with the Boston & Maine, and Maine Central railreads under one big head. This rumor receives little credence among local steamship men.

THE DEATH ROLL. BERLIN, March 23.— Baron Vice-president of

A PIRATE.

British Cruiser Pallas, Seizes a Venezuelan Warship,

That Has Been Looting Vessels and Playing the Pirate in General.

with which their appeal met, the pastor was able on Sunday, the 15th inst., to make the cheering announcement to he congregation that the debt was completely extinguished.

Millinery Opening

After the British parliament is prorogue this year, a party of members of parliament both lords and commoners, will pay a visit to Canada, says a London cable. The party is already being organized, and its object is to study the resources of the dominion, with a view of the enlightenment of those stay-at home Britishers "who only England know." The excursion will extend from the anter The excursion will extend from the activity of the control of the co

solourn at Banff Springs in the Rocky
There are many signs that the coming season will see an unprecedented emigration from England, and it is expected that it will be mainly in the direction of Canada.
There is almost as great a demand for unskilled workmen above latitude 44 north as below it; and fraudulent agents are coining money by selling non-existing tobs to workments above the selling to the United States by learning tided mechaniche is deterred to a certain extent from going to the United States by learning that he will have to work much harder there than at home, and that the higher cost of living will eat up a large part of his extra earnings.

This is not true of all, of course, for the sixthly allured by the prospect of higher pay for their children rising to heights unattainable by people of their class in England. In America, they reason, their sons may all become Carnegies.

Witness. Content witness.)
Let us suppose that Mr. Ross did not know that the patronage was part of the price of a bargain made with Mr. Gamey for political treason. It is of course hard to believe, seeing that Mr. Ross could not help knowing that Mr. Gamey has just been elected as a conservative, and was, under the hypothesis, deserting and cheating those who had voted for him. No could be the hypothesis, deserting and cheating those who had for him. No could be the hypothesis of the him of him

The rate of taxation in the town of Dig for 1903, is fifteen cents on the \$100 it than it was in 1903, and in 1902 it was to cents less than 2be preceding year.

Children's Headwear.

Our spring line of Children's Head-

wear is now ready for inspection.

Prices from 25 to 75c. A good blue cloth Tam, with name oand for 25c.

James Anderson.

17 Charlotte Street.

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Remember, we are practical shoemakers, and any work entrusted to our care will be done in first-class manner.

We don't cobble-we repair.

Velvet or O'Sulivan Rubber Heels put on while you wait.

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All kinds of Cake and Pastry, Best materials used.

NOTICE! I have sold out my meat business in the MacKinnon Building, Fairville to O'Donnell Bros., of Weisford, and I hope by attending strictly to business that they will merit the patronage in the future that has been so liberally bestowed upon me in the past by the people of Fairville.

LAMPS. . .

Banquet, Table, Hanging and Bracket Lamps. Burners, Chimneys. etc. All kinds at J. R. CAMERON, 64 Prince Wm. St.

JAS. A. MACKINNON.

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That's the way to speak of the man who is in the grip of Consumption and falls to use Park's Perfect

Emulsion. He is wasting the opportunity to get well, for Park's makes well. Price 50c. a bottle. Large bottle \$1.

ST. JOHN TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION. The members of Typographical Union, No. 85, are requested to meet at Labor Hall this MONDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock, to make arrangements for attending the funeral of their late fellow member, JOHN F. Mo-

By order, R. WALSH, Secretary.

OUR NEXT WEEK.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURS-DAY,

Mar. 31, Apl. 1 and 2. A cordial invitation is extended to

the ladies to call. CHAS. K. CAMERON & CO.,

77 KING STREET.

REV. ED. WARREN CLARK DEAD. Foster Father of the Founder of Christian Endeavor Society.

WESTBORO, Mass., March 21.—Rev. Edward Warren Clark, foster father of Rev. Francis E. Clark, D. D., founder of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, is dead at his home here of old age. Mr. Clark was born at Tewksbury in 1820.

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ASTERN STEAMSHIP CO'



WILLIAM O. LEE, Agent,

TO LET.—A small, self-contained flat of 4 noms, patent closet, etc., situated \$\frac{1}{2}\$ Lom-ard street. Rent \$\frac{1}{2}\$, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ month. Apply WATERBURY & RISING, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ king street. TO LET-Lower flat, No. 33 Sewell street, ow occupied by W. S. Rainnie, containing even rooms and large bathroom, open lumbing. Rent \$165. Apply to MRS. WILLIAM RAINNIE, 68 Sewell street.

TO LET-One self-contained flat containing five rooms. Modern improvements. Apply to WM. HUMPHREYS, 118 St. James street. TO BE LET.—Lower flat fronting on south side of Elliott Row: two flats fronting on north side of Elliott Row. These premises will be theroughly renovated for desirable ceants. A. C. FAIRWEATHER, Barrister, ste., city.

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MAIN SUPPLY POR TO LET—The Leasehold POR SALE OR TO LET—The Leasehold Premises fronting No. 90 on east side of harlotte street, in the occupation of James W. Lee. A. C. FAIRWEATHER, Solicitor. W. Lee. A. C. FAIRWEATHER, Solicion.
TO LET-From 1st May next that very
comfortable, self contained dwelling house,
how occupied by George H. Horton, Esq.,
No. 150 Germain street, corner Horsfield,
centaining 5 rooms, bath room, hot and cold
water, etc. Can be seen on Wednesday and
faturday afternoon. Apply to W. TREMAINE
DARD, 48 King street.

TO LET.—Self-contained flats of four, six, sven and eight rooms respectively. Also barn. Enquire of M. J. WILKINS, uarket Square. Haymarket Square.

1 LET.—Frum at May next, fine flat
11 Cedar street, at present occupied by
King, Raq. Modern improvements. Rentereate. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday

tere-at-Law, 109 Prince William street.

TO JET.—From 1st May next, large shop en Mill street. Also flat No. 129 Mill street, at present occupied by P. Tighe, Esq. Rent moderate. Can be seen Thursday and Priday afternoons from 3 to Mclock. Brund Friday afternoons from 3 to Mclock. Brund Friday afternoons from 4 to Mclock. Brund Friday A. See, 109 Prince William street.

Also modern flat No. 318 Rockland Road, at present occupied by J. Thompson, Esq. Can be seen Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock. Enquire of C. W. Segee, Esq., on the premises. Also money to loan on antisfactory security. Enquire of BUSTIN & PORTER, 109 Prince William street.

HELP WANTED, MALE.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents word for ten times. Payable in advance. WANTED.—Wanted immediately two lather ands. Apply to JOSIAH FOWLER CO.

WANTED—Immediately, first class cont and vest makers. Apply to A. GILMOUR, to King street.

FOR SALE.—An arc lamp, complete, near-new. Apply to Sun Printing Co. FOR SALE—A quantity of steam pipes and ron, fifty-six pound weights. Apply at Sun

BURNED THE BIBLES.

VICTORIA, B. C., March 19.—The teamer Moana, which arrived here esterday, brought news from Fiji that rouble has arisen between the Prostants and Roman Catholics. The atives of the section had changed heir religion, and, acording to letters rom the Rev. Mr. Burns, Protestant issionary at Bewa, a public gathering we held and the Bibles burned. The teldent has caused much friction between the two bodies.

News was brought of an attack upon as Presbyterian mission on Ambryn dand by armed natives of the New sbrides. The natives who came from the hill tribes approached the naission it rifles and ammunition. They surunded the place and opened fire at a ven signal, riddling the walls, hen they rushed the house they sund no one there, the missionary and her occupants being absent at the me.

ST. JOHN STAR.

The Star desires, plainly and as a matter of business, to have a little talk with its readers. This paper is now two and a laif years old. It has grown in favor with the people, and attained a circulation and a standing which are very gratifying to the staff and the

losing side made no difference in popular regard for the paper, because those who read it for political news learned also that if they want the paper which gives the most news of the city of interest to them they must have the Star.

There was also another factor in the case. Since the Star has been printed afternoon paper in the city. It was al-so somewhat enlarged, and has taken quite understand this fact, on the new press it is the best looking the 8-page form on Saturday.

There will soon be another change which will give the readers of this paper still better value for their money. truth concerning the charges made by Within a week or ten days the Star Mr. Gamey they would not attempt as will be made a seven column paper. they are doing to limit the scope of adding four columns of space on five the enquiry. If they did not feel that additional on Saturday.

at one cent per copy, will be a very their supporters in the house would cheap paper, and should have a much stand at their back and force through larger circulation. Mere bulk in a the house whatever proposition they newspaper does not count. That it may make with regard to the manner was neither large nor dreary nor unduly sensational was one great reason discreditable business, and cannot do of the success of the Star from the otherwise than further weaken the govoutset; but there was some complaint ernment in the estimation of the peothat it was a little too small in size, ple of the province. The fall of and the change will therefore be re- ministry can only be postponed. It cangarded as a step in advance.

The Star has not nearly reached the

limit of its ambition in circulation and popularity. After two years of hard street department cannot proceed too work, during which the public have had ample opportunity to form judgments and make comparisons, this paper now done a very useful work, and set appeals for an even more generous a good example, for which the citizens appeals for an even more generous a good example, for which the citizens recognition of its efforts. This issue are grateful. The next move is up to will fall into the hands of some who are not regular subscribers. They are invited to read it with care, and ask if one cent per day invested in the Star would not give them more than a cent's worth of pleasure and profit.

To merchants also an argument and appeal may be fairly presented. The Star has a large and growing circula-WANTED. Again and a proving circular distance of the family. Advertisements in the State of the State tion. It is a paper the people read with pleasure. It goes into their

arbitration, taking the ground that compulsory enquiry into labor disputes and the placing of the facts before the public is as far as state or federal authority should go, leaving public opin-ion to settle the question when the

In brief, says a published summary, he commission recommends a general instances to ten per cent.; some de-crease of time; the settlement of all disputes by arbitration; fixes a minimum wage and a sliding scale; pro-vides against discrimination of persons by either the mine owners or the miners on account of membership or non-membership in a labor union, and pro-vides that the awards made shall convides that the awards made shall continue in force until March 31, 1906. The commission discussed to some extent the matter of recognition or non-recognition of the miners' union, but declined to make any award on this matter. The following is one of the paragraphs of the report:—"No person shall be refused employment, or in any way discriminated against, on account of membership or non-membership in any labor organization; and there shall be no discrimination against or interference with any employe who is not a member of any labor organization."

The commission also finds that the

some of the claims made by the miners.

The losses caused by the strike the commission estimate as follows:—To the mine owners, \$86,100,000; to the mine employes in wages, \$25,000,000; to the transportation companies, \$25,000,

publishers.

The recent political struggle won many friends for the Star, because, though it took a decided stand, it did not carry on an offensive or unfair campaign. The fact that it was on the losing side made no difference in popular regard for the paper, because those who read it for political news learned tent. There are some things a public man may take credit to himself for requarters is the penalty. Many people are conscientiously opposed to Mr. Foster in politics, but those who assail him with coarse invective are persons

If the Ross government in Ontario really desired to bring out the whole days of the week and eight columns the evidence would be fatal to them-additional on Saturday. When that change is made the Star, from the public. It looks now as if not be postponed very long.

> As the Star observed a week ago the soon with the work of cleaning up the streets of the city. The rains have

It has not yet been learned whether Hon. Dr. Pugsley, while in Ottawa, has denounced Hon. John Costigan for having anything to do with the Fort Kent dam, or whether Hon. John Costigan has denounced Hon. Dr. Pugsley for backing out. What they said to each other, and what the next move will be

the street department.

Fellow McKeown says a thing it's so.

If Fellow Carleton says a thing it's so.

unless Fellow Blair contradicts it."

"Oh, of course," said Fellow McKeown, "I follow Mr. Blair."

"So do I," said Fellow Carleton.

"What do you get out of it?" queried an impertinent Fellow.

"Wait and see," oracularly replied

Fellow Carleton.

"Then I'm to understand," said the first Fellow, "that I may sleep peacefully over the bribery bill."

"As peacefully as an infant," replied the President. "There won't be enough force in any bribery bill passed by this government to fold a bailot. Do you suppose they want to be turned out?"

"Do I suppose?" jeered the Fellow, "You must take me for an eejit." But it was evident that a great load had been taken off his mind. There were others.

Take Laxative Brome-Quinine Tablets. This signature & Harative Brome-Quinine Tablets. This signature & Harative Brown Sec. DEATHS IN HALIFAX,

HALIFAX, March 22.-Two deaths have occurred as a result of Moir Son & Co.'s fire. Richard Supple died on Saturday from a cold contracted at the time, and Michael Sullivan died a week ago from the effects of overstraining himself in moving a barrel of coal.

AFTER THE PRESIDENT'S OWN HEART. Dencon Kindleigh-So poor brother Little-ten left ail he had to the children's home. Did he have much? Sister Sourleigh-Eight boys and three girls.—New York Press.

DYNAMITE.

low it Should be Handled When it is Frozen.

Statements by Col. Markham and by J. G. McNulty of Halifax.

In today's Sun referring to the use of dynamite, Colonel Markham says:

In connection with the fatal accident on Friday last at Fernhill by which Sergeant W. J. Peacock last his life, a few words of caution and advice by one who has had much experience with dynamite and other high explosives may not be out of place.

I think I first introduced dynamite for blasting purposes into New Brunswick and I am sure I am the only one who used gun cotton for a like use.

I made many and varied experiments with dynamite before giving it to my workmen for use. Some of these experiments were attended with rather startling results, but I acquired much knowledge and experience thereby.

Now in the first place DYNAMITE SHOULD NEVER BE TAKEN NEAR AN OPEN FIRE, and all employers of labor in quarries or mines or any place where this explosive is used should insist upon the enforcement of this rule on pain of instant dismissal of the employe violating the order, because others besides the careless offender may be killed or injured. In poor Peacock's case it was probably a want of knowledge, as his military training would teach him to implicitly obey orders.

Dynamite is very sensitive to cold, It freezes at a temperature of forty, in

would teach him to implicitly obey orders.
Dynamite is very sensitive to cold, it freeses at a temperature of forty, in which condition it cannot be exploded to advantage and must therefore be thawed, and it is here where ninetents of the accidents with it occur. The safe and proper way is to use hot water. A dinner pail or glue pot is a good thing, having a dry receptacle for the dynamite inside, which can be surrounded by hot water. This hot water, however, should be put in before the dynamite is placed in the inside, then the cover put on and the whole wrapped in many folds of a blanket to keep the water as warm as possible. If the water is bolling hot, in twenty minutes the dynamite will be soft and in condition to use.

An excellent and safe way to thaw out a small quantity, say half a pound or more, is to place it in the trousers pocket, or around a workman's body inside his blouse, so that the warmth os his body may act on the explosive. I have seen hundreds of pounds thawed out in this way.

For preparing large quantities of dynamite for use in cold weather, a can about twelve inches square and eighteen inches deep made of heavy tin or galvanized iron should be used. This can be placed in a well made wooden box three linches larger every way. This two inches of space is for the hot water. Then the outer can should be placed in a well made wooden box three linches larger every way and this three filled with plasterers hair or buckwheat huils. In such a box having a well fitted cover I have kept water warm and dynamite in fit condition for more than twelve hours in an atmosphere of severe frost.

The following paper on thawing dynamite was read by J. G. McNulty Dynamite is very sensitive to cold. It

water. Dry heat should never be used.

Last summer my attention was called to what appeared to be a very simple and effective system of thawing, as practised by a large contracting firm on the New York subway.

The source of heat is derived from horse manure; to keep the pile of manure in place it is surrounded by an open box—allowed to remain for a few days until heating has sufficiently advanced—when the dynamite in any desired quantity is spread over the pile and covered with a heavy blanket.

The time of thawing is from two to six hours. A pile of manure is effective for about four weeks when it should be removed and a new lot substituted.

It is advisable to have a pile in process of heating so there would be no interruption of the work. The work is best done in a special shanty built for warmth and conveniently located. I would add that this system has been in use at the Waverly Gold Mines for some months past, and has been entirely satisfactory.

CARNEGIE'S GIFT.

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According to the Library for February, Mr. Carnegie's gifts to libraries and other educational institutions down to Nov. 20 last are as foilows: England and Wales, £376,100; Ireland, £100,600; Scotland, £2, 419,250; Canada, \$954,000 (£50,600); Cuba, \$232,000 (£50,400); United States, \$212,882,173 (£42,576,434); making a total of £45,773, 584.

BADY.—At his late residence, 79 Simonds etreet, on March 26, Hugh Ready, in the 13rd year of his age, leaving a wife, two some and three daughters to mourn their

DRESS GOODS:

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Latest Weaves.

IN DRESS GOODS ROOM,

VENETIAN CLOTHS, 48 in., 85c., Resida, Fawn, French Blue, Greys, Browns, Navys, Cardinal, Garnet. VENETIAN CLOTHS, 48 in., \$1.10-Grey, Pearl, Cardinal, Tan, Browns, Myrtle, Purple, Light Navy, Navy.

SEDAN CLOTH, 52 in., \$1.05-Pearl, Fawn, New Blues, Browns, Navy,

BROAD CLOTH, 52 in., \$1.45—Purple, Royal Blue, Grey, Slate, Navy, Castor, Marine Blue, Resida, Electric, Browns, Cardinal.

ALBATROSS CLOTH-Boutonne Weave-44 in., 95c.-Navy, Grew, Fawn, Black.

MATT CLOTH, BUFFALINES, GRANITE CLOTHS PANAMA CLOTH, EOLIENNE, ELAMINE, LONDON TWINE, CREPELLE, MISTRAL, VOILE.

All of the above weaves in all the Leading Colors and Black.

Manchester. Robertson, Allison.

SPORTING NEWS.

THE RING.

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McGOVERN-CORBETT BOUT,
One week from next Tuesday Terry
McGovern will have a chance to regain
the laurels which he lost when he was
defeated by Young Corbett at Hartford,
Conn., a year ago last Thanksgiving
Day. If reports from the training
camps are true the men are in good
condition to enter the ring at ten minutes' notice.

McGovern is already below the required weight and Corbett is only two
pounds above the limit. Terry is fit for
a gruelling fight as a result of his hard
training and he says that if he is defeated in his coming fight he will not
have any excuse to offer.

Corbett, too, is reported to be in fine
condition and he says he will put up a
better fight than he did with Eddie
Hanion, on which occasion the featherweight says he was sadly out of condition.

In talking about the coming fight Cor-

weight says he was sadly out of condition.

In talking about the coming fight Corbett says hot to count upon his past performances and he assures his friends that he will still be champion when the battle is over.

"McGovern," Corbett says, "is a good fighter, but I know his game from start to finish and if he tries to put me out in a hurry, such as he did in our last battle, the chances are that I will end the battle just as quickly as I did before."

Sam Harris, Paddy Sullivan, Jim

Sam Harris, Paddy Sullivan, Jim Kennedy and a party of New York sporting men left yesterday afternoon for San Francisco, the scene of the battle.

ROWING. AN OLD TIME BOAT RACE.

had rarely witnessed a more exciting hour.

The Halifax gig covered the whole distance in 34 minutes and 14 seconds. The harbor was perfectly smooth, the boats and carsmen on both sides were in good condition, and the race was a fair one throughout. After the race the victorious carsmen were driven through the city in triumph with the Union Jack flying over them. There was indeed no slight ground for exuitation for, in boating, Nova Scotia could then be said to be entitled to wear the North American belt. The St. John boys had, as has been stated, beaten the Bostonians and New Yorkers, and the boatmen in no other place, except Halifax, dared to challenge them. The Quicketen, was, without doubt, a credit to her amateur builder, and the hardy fishermen who pulled in her, everybody was loud in proclaiming, were a credit to their country.

HOCKEY DEAD IN HALIFAX,
Speaking of the lack of interest in
taking the lack of interest in
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hockey in Halifax this season the Acadian Recorder says:

It is a strange commentary on the sport in this city, when never before that the past season. Not only have the Canadian League games had an immense attendance, but in Winnipeg a new senior team has greatly added to the interest; in Ontario there has been much excitement; the New Brunswick league has had many interesting games; in Sydney the sport has boomed; throughout the province there has been more clubs than ever, and many good players developed; while in Halifax the season ends with games be-

tween all the senior clubs unplayed, as well as several in the intermediate league.

Those interested in the various hockey teams perhaps can explain why the games did not take place, but the fact remains that no great effort was made to have them played, and shows the need in this city of having a rule that games must be played as scheduled, under penalty of forfeiture, exceptureder the most extenuating circumstances, and is such few instances the new date to be agreed upon at the time of postponement.

With the lack of keen competition in the senior league there was no great interest in the games which were played; but in not playing those scheduled, or taking some action, the clubs did not do anything to assist in popularizing the game, neither has the league in remaining idle and failing to show any energy in dealing with the matter, and it is a poor compliment to the donors of the magnificent Start trophy that such conditions should prevail. It is very evident some vigorous action must be taken before next winter, or a monument might just as well be erected to leading hockey in Halliax with the inscription "Rest in Peace."

HOCKEY ACCIDENTS.

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(North Sydney Herald.)

A boy named Modell died in North
Sydney last week from the effects of
a blow on the head from a hockey stick
received during a game, and a boy
named Young lost the sight of one eye
by being struck with the puck during
a game in Strathcona rink. Wrn. Cann,
of the Victorias, during Friday night's
game with the Abegweits, suffered sericus injury, being struck in the eye
by the puck. It was at first feared
that he might lose that member. He
is, however, recovering.

to the shortage of cars and the eastern ports are now coming in for a big share of this trade.

The schooner Gavotta Simmons is on her way here to load lumber at the Berlin Mills wharf for New York. She is coming from Salem, Mass. The rate to New York for lumber is now \$2.25.

THE ST. CROIX MILLS STRIKE.
The striking weavers at the St.
Croix mills, Milltown, it is understood,
now demand the removal of one of the
most prominent of the local officials
claiming their grievances are due in
part to his methods of conducting business. Without a dissenting voice the
weavers have voted not to return to
work until their demands have been
granted. Many of the weavers and
other employes, anticipating a prolonged idleness are arranging for removal to other mill towns in Maine-and
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A valuable old violit is now in possession of Dr. Archibald, of the Conservatory of Music, Sackville, and will be used for the first time in Sackville at the faculty concert on March 27. This volin, which is the property of a distinguished German lady in Hoston, is a genuine Cremona, made by Andrea Amatt in 1816, and is valued at \$1,000. Amati and his brother; are said to be the first Jialians making violins, and under them Stradivari, the famous violin maker, learned his trade. The Amati violins are characterized by small size, exquisite fluish and mathematical proportion of parts.

If R. W. Hanbury, the British minister of agriculture, does not cease his malignant slanders of our cattle on a thousand hills, we shall have to move that the one eyed steer, the unconquerable smasher of cattle guards, be sent to England at the government's expense, with instructions immediately upon his arrival to consider Mr. Hasbury a cattle guard.—Teropto Newa.

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Everybody Reads It.

DEATH OF BISHOP ROGERS.

The Dean of the Canadian Heirarchy.

CHATHAM, March 22.—Bishop Rogers died at the Episcopal residence here at five o'clock this morning.

He was about seventy-nine years old and had been in failing health for some months. A surviving sister, a Sister of Charity residing at Hailfax, visited him during his last illness,

The deceased prelate was much esteemed by all classes in this district, where he has resided upwards of forty years.

His lordship Bishop Rogers was a native of the county of Donegal, Ireland, dating his birth at Mount Charles on July 11th, 1836, being the eldest child and only son of John Rogers and Mary Britton. Both parents were born in that part of Ireland. The family emigrated to Halifax in 1831, when the late bishop was in his fifth year. There he grew to manhood and received his general and classical education in St. Mary's Collego, completing his theological studies at the Sulpician Seminary, Montreal. His promotions in orders were as follows:

To tonsures and minor orders at the Cathedrai, Halifax, on the 25th of August, 1850; to 1857-1855 in the Island of Bermuda, where the commenced the erection of the first

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and mode citizen. To his example and precepts the diramichi over much of its reputed that the third is a secondary of the mutual confidence and good community, for while he was sirely and good neighborhood. It is therefore not to be wondered at that the rejoicings and respective congratulations over the venerable listopy in the celebrated July 2nd, 1901, 190

WINTER PORT MATTERS,

Str. Gulf of Venice, Captain Cook, left this port yesterday morning for London direct with a full cargo,

The Elder-Dempster Montcaim, Capt. Evans, sailed at 7 o'clock yesterday morning for Liverpool. She took away 94,000 bushels of grain, a large quantity of general goods and 1,118 cattle. This is the largest shipment of cattle ever made from St. John in one ship. Str. Lake Erie of the Elder-Dempster line, from Liverpool, is expected here Wednesday night or Thursday. She has on board 120 first and second cabin passengers and 1,150 steerage people.

The Elder-Dempster boat Lake Megantic left Liverpool for St. John on the 18th. Her passenger list comprises 110 first and second cabin people and 800 steerage.

PROMPT ARREST

Of Parties Who Broke Into Bank at Granville Ferry.

BRIDGETOWN, N. S., March 22.—
The parties supposed to have robbed the Union Bank of Halifax agency at Granville Ferry last Friday night were arrested in town early this morning by Policeman Ayard Anderson, and are now behind the bars awaiting a preliminary investigation which will be commenced tomorrow morning.

The bank was entered Friday night and the safe blown open and about 35,500 in cash and \$200 in discounted customers' notes was stolen. No trace was left behind to help fasten the crime on the guilty parties. A row boat was missed from the ferry on Saturday morning and it was surmised from this that the thleves took their departure on the water. When news of the robbery reached town it was reported to Policeman Anderson that two suspicious strangers had come to town on Friday afternoon and had not been seen since. Anderson at once began an investigation and soon discovered that the tramps bore the ominous name of Sabeans. Robert Sabeans lives in a lonely house in the western quarter of the town. He was involved in the crimes which Constable Wright exposed less than two years ago and only escaped being put on his trial by turning King's evidence. The other members of the gang were sent to Dorchester and are there yet. Robert Sabeans has lived here ever since. Friday afternoon the two strangers got their dinner at his house and then took the road leading west towards Granville Ferry. Anderson sumised that they would probably return to the neighborhood of Robert Sabeans' for shelter and supper, so he took some assistants immediately arrested them, but not until the strangers drew their revolvers and showed fight. After a slight show of resistance they were captured and disarmed. One of their possession, and upon being searched there was also discovered some coin rolled up in paper parcels and on the paper are the initials of Wright, the agent in charge of the plundered bank. One of the parties learned the trade of a machinist in St. John and perhaps he there got some of the knowledge of the use of drills, w

CENTENARY CHURCH,

"Truth" was the subject of Rev. G. M. Campbell's sermon in the Centenary Chruch last evening. At the close of an earnest appeal for honesty and faithfulness to duty and obligation, Mr. Campbell made a brief reference to the late James Trueman. He told the congregation that their departed brother had been honest, true, and tender in all the relations of life, Mr. Trueman recently spoke to a friend of death, saying that he felt about much as he did about going to church. When the summons came he would respond as cheerfully as he did to the call of the church bells. But no dying testimony of faith and hope was needed in his case. His Christian life bore witness for him.

WANTED.—A case of Headache that LIVE STOCK.

Two of the ships which sailed from this port yesterday carried away 1,820 cattle and 132 sheep. This is the biggest lot of live stock ever forwarded from this port in one day. The Montcaim had the honor of moving 1,119 cattle, and the Saiacia had 701 cattle and 132 sheep. Of this big shipment the I. C. R. brought 315 cattle here. The rest came over the C. P. R., as did also the sheep.

Next Wednesday will be the second anniversary of the death of Bishop Sweeney. There will be requiem mass for the repose of his soul on Thursday at the cathedral, it being postponed until that day as Wednesday will be the Feast of the Annunciation.

honors, and also under the auspices of the Orangemen, and the funeral was one of the most inspiring seen for some time. The procession was formed about 3 o'clock, when the firing party of nineteen men of F Company of the \$2nd under Sergt, Biddiscombe, was drawn up in front of the house and as the coffin appeared, was received with a salute, the men presenting arms and the band playing a hymn. The coffin was placed on a nine-pounder gun carriage, drawn by two horses, ridden by artillerymen and covered with a Union Jack, the bearskin, belt and bayonet of the deceased being placed thereon and also several handsome floral tributes. The cortege then moved off in the following order: First came Eldon Loyal Orange Lodge, then the firing party with arms reversed, brass band and drum corps of the 62nd, playing Verdi's Funeral March with muffied drums, the gun carriage followed with six members of Eldon Lodge as pallbearers and an escort of six sergeants of the Fusiliers. The family of the deceased followed as mourners, and then came the remainder of F Company and about fifty privates of other companies. After these were the corporals and sergeants, numbering over thirty, and then several officers of the 52nd. On reaching the gate of the cemetery the firing party halted and turned inwards, resting on their arms reversed, when the procession passed through and proceeded to the grave, where the service of the Orange order was read, at the conclusion of which three volleys were fired in the air, the muffled drums playing a roll between each volley. The march was then taken up for the drill shed, where the men were dismissed.

The ceremony was well carried out and the men of the 62nd were very steady, though the awfully muddy state of the roads made marching most difficult.

The service at the house was performed by Rev. W. O. Raymond, rector of St. Mary's Church, The servicie at the grave was conducted by Rev. Mr., Roach, Capt, Churchill of the 62nd had charge of the funeral arrangements.

NEW C. P. R. PARLOR CARS.

(Montreal Witness.)

The C. P. R. constructs all its own rolling stock, except, indeed, upon occasions when the demand is such that foreign orders must be given Many beautiful specimens of the car builder's art have been turned out at the local shops of the company, but none quite equal (or so it would seem) to the two new specimens or types of parlor car just completed, and which are to be used in the run between Montreal and Ottawa. These cars are named respectively the 'St. Maurice' and the Richelleu.' They are each seventy-two feet long. Each contains twenty-eight seats, exclusive of the smoking compartment, which is not, of course, neglected. The seats are lighter in construction than in the ordinary parlor car. The interior fittings are of Cuban mahogany, with Marquetiere inlaying. There are Wilton carpets into which the feet sink noiselessly, silk curtains, green plush seats, green and golden decorations overhead large windows, which open inwards, and every fitting which could make for convenience and comfort. These cars are a new type and will be followed by others built upon similar lines. They give the idea of lightness, combined with solidity. Everything has been done to convey the notion of dignity, refinement and beauty, without of the slightest suspicion of garishness. They have already been much admired. NEW C. P. R. PARLOR CARS.

DEATH OF JOHN F. McGOURTY,

(The Sun.) workers. An expert hand type setter, he was also a master linotype operator. Genial in his ways, but ever faithful to his duties, he was respected alike by his employers and his fellows, Mr. McGourty was a native of this city, a son of the late Michael McGourty, and was about forty years of age. He leaves a widow and three children to mourn. Three brothers survive—Peter, the eldest; Michael, now in the U. S. service, and Ambrose, the latter in the St. John Globe office. The Sun's business, editorial, reportorial and mechanical staffs join with the composing from St. John, NB, and Hallfax via Movilo.

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CHATHAM, N. B., March 12.

Dear Mr. Short,—I have very great
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Short's "Dyspepticure" as a remedy
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HALIFAX CHURCHES. HALIFAX, March 21.—Mrs. Mary Caroline Brown, widow of E. K. Brown, at one time a hardware merchant in this city, died this morning. Deceased had a life interest in the estate left by her husband. By her death the principal, amounting to fifty thousand dollars, will be divided as follows: One-half to Trinity church, one-quarter each to St. Mark's and St. John's churches.

The St. John male quartette will present a fine programme at the concert in Main street church Thursday evening, which is being given under their management in aid of the organ fund. They will be assisted by such vocalists as Mrs. Fred G. Spencer, Miss Shute and DeWitt Kearns.

DEATH OF DEAN FARRAR.

ne of the Formost of British Churchmen.

LONDON, March 22.—Very Rev. Frederick William Farrar, Dean of Canterbury since 1895, died today. Dean Farrar was in his 72nd year.

FREDERICTON.

FREDERICTON, March 22.-Two nild cases of smallpox in the same city today. The board of health offialthough after consultation severa the nature of the disease, believing it pox. The board decided to call in Dr. arrived in the city last night, and afte the disease smallpox in the pustule stage. In view of this report the board took prompt measures to guard the infected house, where for the present the patients will be located under care of a nurse. The high school and model school, where the patients had been pupils, will be closed temporarily for the purpose of disinfection. A leading city physician, seen by the Sun's correspondent tonight, still adhered to his decision that the cases were not smallpox, while another scouted the idea that there were any cases nearer than Kingsclear. It is thought by the citizens generally that the disease is not smallpox but chickenpox, as a boy in the same family three weeks ago had that disease and was pronounced by the attending physician cured over a week ago. stage. In view of this report the board

the attending physicals week ago.

Captain J. J. Fraser Winslow of the Tist battalion has been appointed aidede-camp to his honor Lieut. Governor Snowball in place of Capt. Lister, R. C. R., resigned. Capt. Winslow formerly acted in that capacity for Governor McClelan.

McClelan.
Dr. A. P. Crockett of St. John, assisted by Dr. W. C. Crockett, performed a delicate operation upon James Dever, fr., this afternoon for nose and throat trouble.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

Domestic Ports.

LOUISBURG, NS, March 22-Ard, stra
Dominion, from London; Tanagra, from
Shields for Boston.

HALIFAX, NS, March 21-Ard, strs Peruvian, from Liverpool via St Johns, NF;
Rossilind, from New York, and sailed for St
Johns, NF; schs Wm El Morrissey, from
Gloucester via Tusket, and cleared for
Banks; John T Nicholson, from Gloucester
via Shelburne, and cleared for Banks.
Cld, str Dahome, for Bermuda, West Indies and Demearars.
Sld, strs Biberlan, Outcam, for PhalideiSld, strs Biberlan, Outcam, for PhalideiSld, strs Biberlan, Outcam, for Phalidei-

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Foreign Ports.

NEW YORK, March 22-81d, schs D J Sawyer, for San Domingo, etc; Ines N Carver, for Fernandina.

CITY ISLAND, March 22-Bound south, Sch. Robert Ewing, from Yarmouth, NS.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, March 22-Ard and sid, schs A P Emerson, from St John, NB, for New York; Elwood Burton, from March 22-Ard, strs Commonwealth, from Naples; Boston, from Yarmouth, NS. Cambrias King, from Answerp, from New York for Portland towed from off Chatham by tug Condidence).

NEW YORK, March 22-Ard, strs Etruria, from Liverpool and Queenstown; Pretoria, from Hamburg, Boulogne and Plymouth.

PORTLAND, Me, March 22-Ard, strs Etruria, from Liverpool and Queenstown; Pretoria, from Liverpool and Queenstown; Pretoria, from Antwerp; Irishman, for Liverpool.

PORTLAND, Me, March 21-Cld, strs Belgian, for Antwerp; Irishman, for Liverpool.

Priestfield, for Louisburg, CB.

Sid 21st, strs Norwegian, for Glasgow; Devona, for London.

Ard 22nd, strs Cervona, from London; Peter Jebsen, from Sydney, CB; Fortuna, from CHBAY HARBOR, Me, March 21-Ard, schs Annie, from Sidnon River, NS.

Ciayola, from St John, NB.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, March 21-Ard, schs Beaver, from Perth Amboy for St John; Ida M Shafner, from New York for Hall-fax, NS; Rewa, from St John, NB, for City Island.

BOSTON, March 21-Ard, str St Croix, from St John, NB, via Eastport and Port-

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MORNING'S NEWS.

The local government will meet in

The dinner of the N. B. Military, Veterans will take place tonight. Wednesday next will be the feast of the Anunciation in the Catholic churches. Sunday next will be Pass-over Sunday.

A sacred concert, preceded by a short lecture by the rector of St. Paul's (val-ley) church on Hymns and Hymn Writers, will be given tonight at 8 o'clock in the schoolhouse.

Among the changes to take place among the officers of the river steamers as soon as navigation opens may be mentioned George Colwell, who goes as mate of the David Weston, and James Glichrist as captain of the Masiestic.

Jestic,

The last lecture of the theological curse will be delivered by Dr. Dole on Tuesday evening, March 24, in St. John's schoolhouse, when his subject will be Archaic Words in the Prayer Book.

John's schoolhouse, when his subject will be Archaic Words in the Prayer Book.

The attempt to raise the sunken bell buoy at Partridge Island was not a success as the heavy timbers to support the hoisting gear were broken. Another attempt will be made this week.

Representatives of the Order of Railway Telegraphers of the I. C. R. were in Moncton Saturday interviewing General Manager Pottinger in reference to matters pertaining to the welfare of I. C. R. telegraphers.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Sharp will have a farewell demonstration at the Salvation Army barracks, Charlotte-street, this evening, previous to their departure for Bermuda. All the city corps will unite. They will leave on the 28th and will be absent a month.

John Martin, who runs a beer shop on St. John street, near Reed's Point, will be called upon within the next few days to answer a charge of seiling beer yesterday. Two young women named Maggie Golding and Etta Delong, frequenters of the place, will be put on the stand as witnesses.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Thomas Seely, youngest son of the late Rear Admiral Sir James C. Seely, Devonport, Eng., and nephew of the Hon. G. J. Goschen, of London, to Miss Marguerite M. W. Dean, only daughter of Mrs. H. P. Harvey, Sewell street. Mr. Seeley made many friends in St. John, having been here twd years ago while chief electrical engineer of H. M. S. Psyche.

RECENT DEATHS.

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The death of Henry W. Mindon occurred last evening after a short illness. Besides a widow one daughter survives. Deceased was a well-known resident of the North End and conducted a tin and hardware establishment for many years,

Mrs. Fleming, wife of H. B. Fleming, chief train despatcher of I. C. R., died at her home in Moncton Saturday evening after a lengthy illness of tubsrculosis. Deceased was very highly

creulosis. Deceased was very highly esteemed and her demise causes sincre regret among a large circle of friends, Mrs. Fleming belonged to Wolfville, her maiden name being Johnson. She was about 40 years of age and leaves her husband and two sons.

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Sid, strs Halifax and Micmac, for Halifax,
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PREACHERS' MEETING.

Methodist ministers met at us The Methodist ministers met at usual time and place, Rev. C. Comben, presiding. Rev. C. W. Hamilton led in prayer. There were present Revs. Dr. Sprague, G. M. Campbell, T. J. Deinstadt, Henry Penna, C. W. Hamilton, Dr. Wilson, W. J. Kirby and C. Comben. Rev. Dr. Heartz, of Yarmouth, N. S., preached in Exmouth street church yesterday morning and Portland street at night. Rev. S. Howard was preaching in Yarmouth vesterday.

was preaching in Yarmouth yesterday.
The quarterly boards have been meeting during the week and the Revs. Dr.
Bprague, H. Penna, C. W. Hamilton, and W. J. Kirby have each received inand W. J. Kirby have each received in-yitations to return to the pastorates of their respective church for another year. In each case the invitation has been accepted, subject to the decision of conference stationary committee. A discussion on general matters of a local church nature occupied the remainder of the session.

the session.

djourned with benediction by Drague.

MADAME CLARY.

F. G. Spencer crossed the bay this morning to spend a few days in different parts of Nova Scotia in the interest of the Clary concert tour in the spring. Great interest is being aroused in the different towns on the route of this tour, over the prospect of hearing that wonderful voice, for which Madame Clary is so famous. This enterprise bids fair to equal if not surpass the success of the Maclachian tour last fall which Mr. Spencer also promoted.

*********************** NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers must send in copy before 9.30 a. m. to insure inser-tion that day. It would greatly favor the Star if the copy could be sent in during the afternoon prior to its publication.

**************** EVANGELISTIC SERVICES.

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Evangelist J. W. Robbins spoke to a full house last night in the Coburg Street Christian church. His sermon was expository, dealing with the expression "Union with Christ," as used in the letter to the Ephesians. He showed that there could be no Christion union until the way of salvation as taught by Christ is accepted by all religious bodies. There was a baptism of a young lady at the close of the service and another made the good confession of faith in Christ.

These services will continue throughout this week. Much interest has already been aroused by Mr. Robbins' plain expository teaching.

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OCAL NEWS

The Jubilee Singers with Rev. E. L. Coffin will be in the Methodist vestry, airville, on Friday night.

Sergt. McKenzie, of Fredericton, and nonorary member of the N. B. Veter in's Association, is in the city today. The Typographical Union will meet this evening to arrange to attend the funeral of the late John F. McGourty.

Millinery opening at L. E. Baille's, 107 Charlotte street, Friday and Satur-day, March 27 and 28, of imported mil-linery.

Members of the N. B. Veterans Association are requested to attend the annual dinner in the Alexandria cafe this evening.

The millinery opening of Chas. K. Cameron & Co's, 77 King street, will take place on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Rev. Jas. Burgess, of the Carleton Presbyterian church, and Rev. B. N. Nobles, of the Carleton Baptist church, exchanged pulpits yesterday morning.

A concert will be held tomorrow evening in the Carleton Baptist church in aid of the building fund. A good programme will be given.

John Burtt will be assisted by Rev. Mr. Coffin and George McLaughlin and other helpers in the evangelical ser-vices at Indian town Mission this even-

Bishop Kingdon yesterday morning confirmed thirty persons in St. Jude's church, west end, and in the evening twenty-four were confirmed in St. George's church.

The last of the series of elementary lectures in the Natural History Society course will be given tomorrow evening, subject, Cultivated Plants. Several members of the society will take part.

Robert Elliott, of Portland street, an employe of the Maritime Nail Works, had the misfortune last Thursday to drive a spike through one of his feet. The wound is recovering rapidly, however, and Mr. Elliott hopes to be about again in a short time.

WALL PAPER. Newest designs in parlor, diningroon and hall paper in great variety.

McArthur, 548 Main street.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. C. A. Stockton and Miss Jennie Deinstadt will leave this evening on a visit to Montreal, Toronto and other Upper Canadian cities.

Roy Likely will shortly leave on the Annie M. Parker, Capt. Parker, for a trip to the Canary Islands and Florida.

T. L. Bartlett, of Sydney, is at the Dufferin hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Balrd returned today from the West Indies, where they have been spending the winter.

His Lordship Bishop Kingdon is in the city.

L. H. Higgins, of Moncton, came to the city today.

Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer and Mrs. Burdett, of St. Stephen, are in town.

J. W. Crosby, of Halifax, is in the city.

W. D. McLaughlin, of St. Stephen is

W. D. McLaughlin, of St. Stephen is at the Dufferin.

Supt. Oborne, his secretary, Mr. Retallick, and J. G. Shewan, of the C. P. R., went to Montreal Saturday night.

Miss Gertrude Carr, who has spent the past year at the residence of her uncle, J. T. G. Carr, Hartland, Carleton Co., sailed from St. John in the Parisian for her home in London, England. On leaving Hartland, Miss Carr was presented at the station with a handsome gold locket and chain, with opal and pearl set clasp, as a token of regard of the many friends she made during her stay there.

Mrs. W. E. Vroom, Mrs. E. I. Simonds and Miss Violet Simonds will be passengers to England on the stmr. Lake Simcoe. They expect to be away about three months.

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Senator King came down from Ottawa Saturday and will go to Chipman today.
Benjamin Stackhouse of Simonds, who has been seriously ill for sometime, is reported to have recovered sufficiently to be able to move about again.

again,
Miss Sadie Wilson of Yarmouth is
visiting her friend, Miss Pauline Biederman, Queen street.

Mrs. Charles E. Roop and Miss Roop of Truro, who have been visiting Mrs.

F. E. Craibe, returned home Saturday.

CALLED TO CALVIN.

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Rev. Mr. Ross announced to the congregation of Calvin Presbyterian church last night that a communication had been received from Rev. Mr. Woods, of Digby, stating that he would be unable to accept the call extended to him by that church. The Halifax Presbytery has requested him to retain his present charge another year. The Calvin people are greatly disappointed, as Mr. Woods had made a strongly favorable impression upon them.

The pulpit will probably be filled by temporary supplies for some time yet. The various Presbyterian theological schools close in a few weeks, and it is hoped that among the graduates a man suitable to take charge of this church may be found.

REV. ALEX. WHITE'S FAREWELL.

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A week from tonight a farewell service will be held in Main Street Baptist church for Rev. Alex. White who leaves next week for Ontario. Since Mr. White's resignation the pulpit committee have been making wide enquiry for a man suitable to fill his place but have as yet come to no decision. Arrangements are now being made for supplies and it will probably be two or three months before the pastorate is permanently filled.

GOMPERS COMING HERE.

MONTREAL, March 22.—President Fiett, of the Trades and Labor Con-gress, who is arranging an itinerary for President Gompers, of the Ameri-can Federation of Labor, announces the latter will address the labor men in St.

CLERGYMAN INJURED.

ev. Sidney A. Thurlow Hurt at I. C. R. Baggage Room

Rev. Sydney A. Thurlow, of Mapleton, Me., was injured in the baggage room at the depot on Saturday. Mr. Thurlow is moving to Central Argyle, N. S., and came to the city on Saturday. In the afternoon he went to the baggage room of the depot to enquire about some of his household effects which were coming by freight. In his account of what took place, given to the Star shortly afterwards, Mr. Thurlow said: "I asked the man where I would find out about my stuff and he pointed through a sort of door which he opened and showed me the place, telling me to go through there. I started to go through and my head struck something. I was knocked backwards stunned and saw the baggage man running from the room. He must have seen me get hurt, but did not pay any attention. I was helpless for a while, but two young boys whom I did not know, came along and took me to the wash room where they washed away the blood which was streaming down my face. Then they helped me to a drug store, where a man cut away my hair and dressed the wound on my head. I think it was by the carelessness of the man in the baggage room that I got hurt."

Mr. Thurlow has a severe cut over two inches long on the top of his head. The flesh is badly bruised and will take some time to heal. He has engaged Dr. A. A. Stockton to act for him in the matter.

William Kelly, baggage master, sald that he had not heard anything of an accident happening to a man in the baggage room. When people enquire of him for the freight office he answers their questions, but at no time directs them to go through the window to it.

TOURIST MATTERS.

The Plan for A Provincial Amalga-mation for More Effective Work.

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The meeting of the Tourist Association for the purpose of considering the proposed amalgamation of the different associations in the province will be held on Wednesday next. The present proposal is that three members from each association, one member of the town council, where there is no board of trade in each town, or a member of the town council, where there is no board of trade, and representatives of each of the transportation companies shall form the head association. The organization meeting will be held in Fredericton and probably all other meetings in the same place. A secretary will be appointed who will visit all parts of the province and have a general supervision over all the work.

Fredericton objects to the proposal on the ground that St. John people have been working against the interests of that town in the tourist business. Last year the St. John association received from the government \$1,000, from the city \$600 and from the citizens \$1,250. Out of this \$1,600 was spent in issuing the annual booklet in which St. John city had only six pages of space in a total of forty-two. The other thirty-six pages were devoted to Fredericton and other parts which did not pay for the booklet.

The Bay Chaleur association is strongly in favor of the proposed amalgamation and it is hoped that the plan will be successfully carried through. The meeting of the Tourist Associa-

A LIQUOR CASE.

John Martin, of Water street, has been reported for selling beer and liquor in his shop during prohibited hours yesterday. The report was made by Sergt. Campbell, who yesterday morning found two young girls in Martin's place. This case is causing some little interest in thecourt as Inspector Jones who usually handles such cases is not mixed up in this one. Mr. Jones said that he was not prepared to go on with it. He did not make the report and knew very little about it. Before any evidence was heard Mr. Martin was taken ill in court and the case was adjourned until tomorrow.

McDERMOTT REMANDED. Fred McDermott of Duke street was arrested on Saturday night for attempting to break into the house on Horsefield street occupied by George F. Barker and Mrs. F. Langan. McDermott and a companion first endeavored to enter the lower part of the house but wereh eard by Mr. Barker. Then they climbed on a shed and tried to force a window in the upper floor. Officer Crawford was summoned and Officer Crawford was summoned and caught McDermott just as he was coming out of the yard. The other fellow escaped.

This morning in the police court the

prisoner was remanded

P. J. O'KEEFE DEAD.

P. J. O'Keefe, the well known member of the custom house staff, died this af-ternoon at 3 o'clock, aged 53 years. He leaves a wife and four children, David F., Selina, Frances and Elleen.

A CHIP ON HIS SHOULDER.

The police court report of the Star, never over refined, was gratuitously insulting to the Irish race on Wednesday last. Without a Celtic name among the list of offenders it opened with the partonigneassumption that with the patronizing assumption that we had achieved wonders and deserv-ed credit for the manner in which we behaved on the 17th.—The New Free-

man.

Any Irishman who could distort the Star's remarks into an insult to his race deserves either to have his motives questioned or his head examined. Some people are going around looking for chances to appeal to prejudice, to further their own ends. The Star trusts that the New Freeman is not in that class. Surely Fellow Carleton has read Fellow Trueman's letter on this subject.

FOREIGN NOTES OF INTEREST.

The French sold in America in 1902 more than \$800,000 of automobiles. The practice of fencing has been re-vived among Japanese young noblewo-

week.

Presumably by accident a Florence daily newspaper came out dated February 29, 1893.

The botanical papers report that De Vries, the great Dutch experimental evolutionist, has, by long-continued selection, produced a variety of clover which has normally four leaves.

JOHN B. WILMOT DEAD.

ctor of Weights and Measure Passed Away This Morning.

John B. Wilmot, inspector of weights and measures, died at six o'clock this morning at his home on the corner of Winslow and Ludiow streets, Carleton. His death is universally regretted, for Mr. Wilmot was widely known and highly respected. He had been ill for about three weeks.

Mr. Wilmot came to St. John from Hillsboro, Albert County, and was for some years in the employ of Isaac Nobles in his fish business. He later on conducted a similar business on his own account, and has for quite a number of years held the position of inspector of weights and measures.

Mr. Wilmot was married to Miss Mary Robertson, of the West Side, who survives him. He leaves two sons and three daughters; Archibald, lumber surveyor; John, of the Sun composing staff; Mrs. Jarvis Wilson, Princess street; and Misses Bertha and Kate, living at home.

Mr. Wilmot was in his sixty-first year.

WANTED CHOWDER.

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On Saturday evening Fred Baird, of the North End, was hungry. His taste ran towards Little Neck clams done up in milk and other things and sold in big bowls for ten cents. So he started out from home to have that which was nearest to his heart placed in his stomach. It was late and when Fred was quietly sauntering along Mill street, dreaming of coming joys, he was accosted by a policeman who wanted to know where he was going. Fred didn't say. Instead of that he actually gave the cop to understand that it was none of his business. Then he was arrested and this morning appeared in court. He told about the chowder that never came, in a way that made listeners' mouths water, and the magistrate let him go.

Eric Peterson, arrested on the same charge of wandering about the streets, was also let go.

George Chamberlain—not the undertaker—held up the side of a house on Brussels street on Saturday afternoon until he was advised by the cops to go home. Then he made a bolt down the middle of the street, caught a woman who was passing and tackled a man. From Brussels he turned into Clarence street and down there undertook to do some other things contrary to law. He went too far and exhausted the patience of the police, who took him in charge. This morning Daniel Mullin appeared for the prisoner and the case was postponed.

Hugh McMullin came to town on Saturday and about noon on Sunday started in to get drunk. He found a man who was willing to bur ligar for him.

urday and about noon on Sunday started in to get drunk. He found a man who was willing to buy liquor for him, and had quite a jag on when the police found him. This morning he was fined eight dollars or two months. Two other drunks were fined the usual amounts.

VICTOR DYKEMAN'S MONEY

Has Not Yet Recovered Cash Embe

victor Dykeman has not yet recovered the money extracted from him by the late Paul Grey. It will be remembered that U. S. Immigration Inspector Robinson found on the train in which Grey was arrested about \$300 in fragments of bills. He is still holding it pending an order from his department. Under the law Dykeman's claim for the found money must be formally made to the department; his right to it must be proved before it will be returned. The matter will take some time and under the circumstances there is some doubt whether Dykeman will ever be able to prove that the money Mr. Robinson found was that which the fakir had embezzled from him.

BUNCO MAN DEPORTED.

Toma Jacabatz, the young Hungar ian, who has been buncoing both the immigrants and the immigration au-thorities at Sand Point, was brought thorities at Sand Point, was brought before the magistrate Saturday afternoon. As the desire of the immigration people was chiefly to get the scamp out of the country he was charged simply with having come here as a stowaway. As he was willing to back he was sent aboard the Parisian, on which he came out. The vessel sailed yesterday.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.
Coastwise.—Sch. Murray B., Baker, from arborville; banquentine Albatross, 400, randmark, from Halifax; sch. Dora, Cascing, from Parraboro; sch. Victor, Glaspy, om Parraboro and cleared,

with grain.

Coastwise.—Sch. Hustler, Thompson,
Digby; sch. Lena, Stirling, for Cheverie,
S.; sch. Ernest Fisher, Loughery, for Qui sch. Effort, Milner, for Annapolis; sch.
M. Stanley, Flower, for Quaco.

HORT-BECKETT.—At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Samuel Beckett, at Jorusalem, Q'Co., om March 18th, by Rev. S. J. Ferry, J. Alfred Short to Miss Alloo M. Beckett, both of Jerusalem.

DECORATED DINNER SETS.

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THE COAL OPERATORS

Seem Disposed to Accept the Findings of the Commission.

WILKESBARRE. Pa., March 22.—
Local mine officials in and about this city were seen today in reference to the mine commission award, but nearly all declined to make any comment. The manner in which they express themselves, however, would indicate that they are satisfied or at least willing to abide by the findings and carry out its provisions.

An official of the largest corporation who would talk said the award was a

practical vindication of the coal companies.

The Lehigh Vailey Company has in its employ 35,000 men, and a majority of them will receive from \$25 to \$50 each. The miners also made good wages since the strike ended and will profit by the award to the extent of from \$40 to \$60 each on percentage.

The Susquehanna Coal Company was the only corporation that was not represented by the commission but they have agreed to abide by the result of the award. They will pay their employes the same rate and in the same manner as all the other companines.

SHEDIAC'S WATER SUPPLY.

A System of Elevated Reservoirs, Tanks and Pumping Engines Proposed.

stem of clevated tanks will have to be in-alied. According to the plan presented by Mr. used this morning, the corporation of lediac is considering the pumping of water r gasoline engines from artesian wells to reservoir with a capacity of about 1,000,000 lilons. To get the necessary force to dis-minate the water through the town this ill have to be elevated about one hundred et. It is proposed to extend pipes from is main reservoir to tanks located in dif-rent parts of the town with a capacity of rout 15,000 gallons each. From these tanks he houses and fire plugs will be supplied, steam fire engine is considered as part of steam fire engine is considered as part of the considered. The cost is estimated at about

30,000.

The plan was informally presented this porning for the approval of the underwrit

DEATH A WEDDING GIFT. Discarded Suitor Shoots a Bride at the Wedding Feast.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Extending in one hand a wedding gift, Benjamin Valerio, a discarded suitor, pointed a revolver and fired at the bride of Jos. Malone at the wedding feast which they were celebrating here last night. In the struggle which followed as the bride sank to the ground dangerously wounded. Valerlo received fatal injuries, and Michael Malone, a brother of the groom, was so severely hurt that he may not recover. The tragedy occurred when the nuptial festivities were at their height, and while enthusiastic guests were crowded around the newly wedded pair to offer congratulations. CHICAGO March 23.-Extending in

gratulations. FAIRVILLE NOTES.

The condition of nonlucior Burpee has not heen as favorable the past few days.

The ratepayers are called to meet on Saturday next to vote money for school purposes, including, it is said, money for the enlargement of the school accommodation, there being urgent need for a new department, the rooms being overcrowded.

A few days ago some of the cattle men were firing blank cartridges at the school colliders from the railway track just at the ing after, as many of the children were very much frightened.

Sunday next Rev. W. W. Lodge of Hampton to its to preach in the Methodist church, the Rev. Mr. Kirby going to Hampton to preach in behalf of a conference fund. On the Monday night a public meeting will be held in the vestry in behalf of the sustendation thad, addressed by Kev. W. The control of the conference fund. A large congregation gathering in the Methodist church last night to listen to the chalk talk on Poisons. R Morton Smith of the city sang beautifully the Two Cities, and Master Frank Smith sang and recited Suferthe Children. Rev. Mr. Kirby had a very suggestive chart drawn on the blackboard called the Pathway of Life, which he explained in the discourse. The whose service was vessent.

KILLED HIMSELF.

KINGSTON, N. Y., March 23.—C. S. Dill, a hotel proprietor, at Rockdale. committed suicide fast night by hang-ing. He was 53 years old. The cause

IN SEARCH OF HEALTH.

Rev. Dr. S. McC. Black, accompained by Mrs. Black, leaves this evening for New York whence he will go to Lakewood, New Jersey, to rest and recuperate from his recent serious illness. Should Lakewood prove not beneficial to his health as he hopes he may go farther west. He hopes to be sufficiently recovered to return to the city and resume editorial charge of the Messenger and Visitor by the first of June. During his absence his work will be done by Rev. Dr. Manning.

MRS. MAYBRICK TO BE FREE.

Notorious Murderess to be Released From English Prison in 1904.

LONDON, March 23.—Mrs. Florence Maybrick, the American woman who was convicted at Liverpool in 1889 on the charge of poisoning her husband, James Maybrick, at Aigburth, by arsenic and whose sentence of death was commuted to penal servitude for life, will be released in 1994. The announcement comes from the home office, which now authorizes her Washington lawyers to use the fact of her release next year as a reason for securing the postponement of the trial of the lawsuits bearing on the prisoner's interest in land, in Kentucky, Virginia and West ponement of the trial of the lawsuits bearing on the prisoner's interest in land in Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia until she is able to personally testify. Those who are in a position to know say that Home Secretary Akers-Douglas has shown great court-esy in connection with the suits now pending in America, that the decision to release Mrs. Maybrick was due entirely to efforts on this side of the Atlantic and that Ambassador Herbert never has been called upon to act in this matter.

DISPUTED WILL.

Many Claimants for Property of Late John Simpson. John Simpson,

In the St. John probate court citation for proving in solemn form the will of the late John Simpson was returnable today. Stewart L. Fairweather appeared for the executors, A. C. Fairweather, Robert McLean and Sarah Simpson. J. H. A. L. Fairweather appeared for David W. Simpson, jr., the St. John Protestant Orphan Asylum and ten other heirs and legates. Daniel Mullin, K. C., appeared for Ethel M. McGowan; and A. P. Barnhill for David W. Simpson, the caveator. H. D. Forbes appeared for Jane. A. Kintz and E. E. Kintz. Affdavits were read proving the personal service of citation on the several parties interested. The hearing was adjourned until April 1st, owing to the absence of Bowyer Smith, a material witness.

CHURCHES IN DARKNESS.

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The Light.

The Light.

The church goers of the West Side last evening had an experience of that dim religious light that is so often spoken of. For some reason no power was obtainable from the electric light works, and the churches supplied with electric lights were illuminated at first by only "the cold light of stars," and the worshippers, stumbling up the stairs in the dark, running into one another, and even entering the wrong pews by mistake, enjoyed it to the full. After a little all the kerosene lamps available were lighted and put around the church, making little circles of light in some places and deep shadows in the corners. Finally, when the services were well under way, the lights came on widdenly.

PROBABLY INSANE.

PROBABLY INSANE. Between nine and ten o'clock this morning Officer Smith took to the North End lockup a woman who was acting in a very strange manner on Simonds and High streets. She was knocking at all the doors and creating cuits a disturbance. The woman was knocking at all the doors and creating quite a disturbance. The woman was covered from head to foot with mud and looked as though she had been rolling about in the streets. Her clothing was disarranged and she presented an altogether disreputable appearance. It is thought that she is an escaped patient from the asylum. Her name could not be ascertained.

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The one story brick building on Paradise Row, which was formerly the old power house, partially collapsed on Saturday night and is now in a bad condition. The building which is owned by the Street Railway Co., was leased by the St. John Hide Co. as a storehouse for salt and was filled to the roof with loose salt. On Saturday evening the whole rear of the building fell outwards, a large quantity of the salt going with it. Then a rain storm came on, but in spite of this very little damage was done to the salt. The roof is still intact, but is sagging some at the back.

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There are three fine new houses going up in Carleton. One on Queen street, built by John Adams, is almost ready for occupation, while the others, at the head of Charlotte street, owned by Mr. Lodge and Conductor John Henderson, will not be finished for some time. The price of building lots is said to be rising, as is also rent in the West End, owing, no doubt, to the large number of strangers moving into the place.

FATAL RAILWAY WRECK.

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ATLANTA, Ga., March 23.—A southern railway passenger train which left this city for Washington at midnight, is reported to have been wrecked at Toccoa. Ga., 80 miles north of this city. One passenger is reported to have been killed and several injured. No details are obtainable, but half of the train is said to have turned over.

"O, would—O, would I were a bird," sings a poet. And that's just where the trouble comes in. If there were not so much wood about the poetry of the day, we'd be better off.—Atlanta Constitution.