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LONDON LETTER.

More or Less Sapient Remarks for American Readers.

A Kingly Bugbear Conjured Up-Relations With Germany-Boss Croker Not Well.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—"Our Grand-nother is dead. Comfort my mother Wilhelm."

Thus, once more, the two rulers who are rivetting the attention of the world, may be brought together under circumstances in which human emotions have the strongest play. That meeting, apart from its sad domestic cause, is bound to have an important moral effect both in Great Britain and in Germany, and the rest of the world. The feeling of Germany on the subject of Emperor William's pro-English tendencies, known throughout the world, thanks to the antagonistic comments of portions of its press, finds its counterpart in England, though it is not so fully developed or freely expressed.

Now that the Emperor has gone, many people are asking: "Is the king going to follow Emperor William's example, and be an emperor in the true sense of the word?"

The recent kingly functions, with all the outward signs of power, have made Great Britain realize for the first time in many years that it is still a country under a monarchy. Indeed, several papers are urging the king to exert pressure on the minister to eradicate the abuses in the army and push the war in South Africa. Many persons are seriously pondering on whether King Edward is going to rule or reign. There is all confidence in his tact and common sense, but the sudden restoration of monarchial splendor and power and the keen sympathy between the German Emperor and King Edward make many loyal subjects anxious about the future. The first sign of this is the suggestion of an increase of the king's income. Henry Labouchere and many others have no hesitation in openly opposing it. Reference is frequently made to the small incomes of the presidents of the United States and France. There is little doubt that parilament will grant larger supplies, but this action will not serve to recondile the country to its new condition.

"The English people," bluntly says this week's Today, "would not tolerate a king who sought to rule as well as reign."

To those who have only read the King's utterances and have not seen the recent functions, the cause for any such remark is indden. T

business without reference to any authority, but its own organisation. The court is watched with keen interest. No one desires the King to forget old favorites, yet there is a clearly expressed wish that some of these be not rewarded with official positions. The appointment of Sir Francis Knöllys (who was secretary to the Kirg while the latter was Prince of Wales) to be secretary of His Majesty, meets with universal approval, and is taken as a good omen. Sir Francis is the son of the King's former tutor. They were playfellows together.

gratifying his keen taste for yaccing.

I humoro's result of the British-German "entente" is evident in the monstaches of the inhabitants of the west end of London. That unward and outward twist so associated with Emperor William's monstache, has been extensively adopted, especially by those having pretentions to military appearance.

The present session of parliament promises to be confined chiefly to army and Irish affairs, though the King's income and improvements in the conditions of the poor may take up some time.

ng of this sort is necessar, hing is likely to result, the maintaining that the time an ins are not yet ripe for suc-

conditions are not yet ripe for such an important step.

Intimate friends of Richard Croker openity declare he will never re-enter active political life in America. Those who have seen Mr. Croker recently noticed his general physical weakness, which is said to be a form of nervous melameholia, entirely opposed to his usual activity. A number of American racing friends, who know Mr. Croker intimately, say that while he will probably return to the United States during the coming summer, he has utterly tired of political work and would gledly pass over the control of Tammany Hall to younger hands.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Victoria Sends a Contingent of 1250 Men to South Africa.

BERLIN, Feb. 15.—Hermann, the prestidigitator, died here today.

MELBOURNE, Feb. 15.—The fifth Victorian contingent, 1,250 men all teld, salled for South Africa today.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The World tomorrow will say: Charles N. Schwab, president of the Carnegie Steel Co., was formally selected yesterday as the head of the big steel combination.

GIBRALTAR, Feb. 15.—Part of the crew of the Prince line steamer Spar-GIBRALTAR, Feb. 15.—Part of the crew of the Prince line steamer Spartan Prince, from New York for Naples, Genoa and Leghorn, which is ashore near Alcazar Point, were landed today. The weather was too boisterous for any attempt to save the vessel.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Feb. 15.—A passenger train bound from Sydney to Hurstylle was derailed near Sydenham and rolled over an embankment. Seven persons were killed and six intered.

land. PHTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 15.—A car on the Hamilton division of the Consolidated Traction Co. jumped the track tonight at the corner of 5th and Hamilton avenue and toppled over against the ourb, completely wrecking the car and injuring twenty or more passengers, four of them seriously, but not fatally.

TRADE CONDITIONS.

The General Outlook in the United States is Favorable.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

"Business continues of good volume in nearly sill parts of the country. There is no important change in prices in any department of manufactured goods and some staples rise while others decline, but the longer the situation remains as at present, the surer the business world feels about a rise in prices in the future for the demand for merchandise for prompt consumption does not decrease.

"The standard measure of business makes favorable comparisons. The

"The standard measure of business makes favorable comparisons. The railroads of the country reporting for the first week of February shows a gain of 8 per cent. in gross earnings over last year, and 26.7 per cent. over 1899. Bank clearings for New York show a gain of 54.2 per cent. over 1900 for the week, while outside New York the increase was 10.5 per cent.
"Structural material and railway supplies are in greatest request, numerous heavy orders being accepted this week at full prices. There is no inclination to shade quotations of finished forms.
"No sign of weakness is apparent in

cure March delivery even from the smaller shops. Forwardings from Boston were 87,437 cases, against 83,255 in the previous week.

"News regarding the textile manufacture is less encouraging, despite the fact that sales of wool at the three chief eastern markets rose to 8,962,800 pounds, far exceeding all recent records, and showing a gain of 960,600 pounds over the same week last year.

"Cotton fabrics continue quiet and domestic mills are not fully occupied. Liverpool cables have given no support, while Manchester is securing raw cotton from India in unusually large quantities.

"Failures for the week number 257 in the United States, against 218 last year, and in Canada 40, against 42 last year, and in Canada 40, against 42 last year.

A MISSOURI TRAGEDY.

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KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.—Mrs.
Luiu Pfince-Kennedy, her father.
Charles W. Prince, and her two brothers. William and Albert Prince, will be
ried for the murder on last January 1
of Philip H. Kennedy, contracting agent of the Merchant's Despatch company. Mrs. Kennedy, who shot and
killed her husband, was indicted yesterday, by tile grand fury for murder
in the first degree. Later warrants
were issued against her father and brothers, charging them with being accompletes in the crime. Kennedy's
murder was the culsaination of a sonsational wedding, which he had
brought suit to have set aside, asserting that it had been forced.

RUSSIAN TARIFF.

SOUTH AFRICA.

Paul Kruger is Very Despon dent and Keenly Disappointed.

Kitchener Reports That DeWet is Being Hotly Pursed-Some Boer Prisoners.

LONDON, Feb. 15 The Pall Mall Magazine will publish, Feb. 18, an in-terview with Mr. Kruger, in part as follows:

some one to judge between England and ourselves.

"But the Lord will help us in the end. We shall win. I do not know how or when but we shall win at last."

Mr. Kruger says the Transvanl offered more reforms in one week than an older country would make in forty years, giving in on all points almost to the uttermost extent, but that the uttermost was seized upon as a stumbling block.

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Referring to his reception in Europe, which has bitterly disappointed him, Mr. Kruger says:

"I care nothing for flowers; nothing, nothing. The people who send them mean well, and I am grateful; but I care nothing for them. What I want is a fair hearing. If they will only give us a fair hearing and justice. I ask for justice. We are a little folk, but we have made great steps."

When asked why he came to Europe, he said to the interviewer:

"I could not go out with the commandoes, as Mr. Steyn can. I am too old, but I may be of some use here."

Regarding Mrs. Kruger, he said:

"I am sorry for her, too. I have a deep sorrow for her, too. I have a deep sorrow for her, but I have far more for my country. My wife has her children. Six are still with her. They were left with her in her home. Two of my sons have died on the battlefield. Two were captured. I believe two more are dead also, as I have not heard from them for two months, and I know they were in the thick of the fight.

"Thirty-one sons and grandsons. I

I know they were in the thick of the sight.

"Thirty-one sons and grandsons I have in the field yet, but I could not go on commando. I have not heard from my wife for sixteen days, but has six children with her and she is not to be pitted."

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Gen. Kitchener, telegraphing from De Aar, Cape Colony, under today's date, says:

"Dewet's force crossed the railway at Boaretmon's siding, north of here, before daylight, Feb. 15, closely followed by Plummer, Crabbe and armored trains. They engaged the enemy while crossing. The Boers, however, cut the lines north and south of the place of crossing.

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"We captured over twenty wagons, many of which were loaded with ammunition, and also a Maxim, twenty prisoners and over one hundred horses."

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ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—Five Boer prisoners who escapet from the Island of Ceylon have arrived at a Crimean port on board the Russian stamer to which they swam while in the harbor of Colombo. Among them is a nephew of President Steyn and a brother-in-law of General Botha, the Boer commander-in-chief.

MARTIAL LAW IN MADRID.

MADRID, Feb. 15, (Midnight).-Gen last two days, he will soon issue a milder proclamation. El Heraldo publishes a proclamation by General Weyler saying that he will do his best to avoid interfering with the powers of the civil authorities, but that as martial law has been proclaimed his duty is to maintain order, independent of all political questions. Madrid remains perfectly calm, although the talk of a probable change of ministry after the carnival is very strong. El Dia has been suppressed.

Two persons were killed and several others were wounded yesterday in Granada. El Heraldo publishes a despatch from Valencia saying that troops occupy strategic points in the town, and that the compositors of the republican newspaper, El Pueblo, have been arrested.

BURIED A MAN ALIVE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—According to Mail advices from the Philippines, Captain Noviceo, the insurgent officer who commanded the band which captured Lieut. Gilmour and party of the Yorktown and held them captives for many months, has been sentenced to imprisonment at hard labor for life, on the charge of having permitted one of Gilmour's party to be buried alive. The victim was a sailor named McDonald, who was a burden to the Filipinos because of his wounds,

A DISHONEST MAGISTRATE.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The Tribune says: The committee applicated by the bar of Peekskill to take into consideration the advisability of making application to the appelate division to have Justice E. Lyach, of Cortlandt, moved from office for alleged maileaseance, last night unanimously reported, that the charges were true. The charges were that he illegally retained fees, improperly and corruptly conducted his court, improperly kept his declett and actoried money upon pretanded dines from unfortunate and ignorant people. NEW YORK, Feb. 16.-The Tribun

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ST. JOHN STAR.

T. JOHN, N. B., FEBRUARY 16, 1901

HAVE YOU SUBSCRIBED?

It is proposed to erect at St. John nonument in honor of the New Brunswick men who fell in South ago, started a Quarter Dollar Fund, and the mayor has also opened a subscription list. The movement is en ed by the press, and besides the contributions by Individuals and by firms and their employes, as already acknowledged in this paper, one of the churches has devoted a large offer; a comparatively few of the citizen have contributed. The Star makes no apology for continually reminding its readers of these facts, and calling upn them to join in bringing to a suc essful issue so worthy an undertak ng. It would be but a poor acknow ment if the people of St. John id no more than cheer the men who went away and who came back again Some will never come to us again, be cause their bodies lie under the sod their eager feet traversed in the struggle which, in bringing freedom to we honor their memory? Do we glory in the cause for which they died? Then let us erect in the city of the loyalists a memorial worthy of their acrifice and of our devotion to the empire. Shame be upon us when we shout for the flag, if at the same time we forget the men who went out from among us and died for the freedom which it represents. It would be a singular commentary upon the wild enthusiasm with which we cheered the departing heroes if the only me morial to those who fell should be the rough slab that marks their resting place on the battle field or in the South African cemetery. Does any first paper to take up the question of a monument? Then let them give their subscription to the mayor or to some other newspaper. This journa will as cheerfully acknowledge their contributions. The memorial is to be a memorial erected by the people There should be no delay or hesita tion. The fund should grow rapidly. The idea of this paper in starting a Quarter Dollar fund was to give all

ers they are not debarred. Make the fund grow. That is the important thing. Every quarter counts one. THE NEW DRILL HALL.

chance to contribute, and as yet no

better suggestion has been offered. It

any desire to contribute many quart-

The agitation in favor of a drill hall in a central location is one that should eccive the sympathetic consideration of the city council and the federal government. The necessity for a new building is beyond question, since the the present structure at the Barrack Square. It is certain that a new drill hall will be erected, and the only question to be decided is that of its location. One great objection to the present structure has been that it was so far from the centre of the town Men do not care to walk so far before and after drill, in all kinds, of weather. The shed was, moreover, inadequate to the requirements of the militia, and far behind the drill halls

provided in other cities. An armory in the centre of the city would be a resort for all the militia and would tend very much to popul arize the service and attract the bes class of recruits. The Star is inform ed that the militia force in St. John is over six hundred strong including eight companies of the Fusihers, four of the Artillery and a Bearer company. The officers of these companie rooms, officers' rooms and seargeants rooms, and thus incur an expense of at least three hundred dollars. The Artillery have no place for big-gun drill, nor have the Bearer company any place for their waggons. When the new drill hall is erected it will, of course, be large and of modern de-sign, worthy of the city and of the purpose to which it will be devoted.

If no other arrangement is made, and the hall is built on the present government grounds at the Barrack Square, it will greatly interfere with the exhibition grounds; and would not be as well located for military purpos-

There is yet another conside It not infrequently occurs that a hall is required for the purpose of a pub-lic dinner, or a bazaar, or some such

built up-town would admirably meet this want. It would also be of advant-age in drilling cadet corps and school companies, if such were organized. There would also be great advantage to the Exhibition Association if that body could secure the present govern-

nent property as part of the exhibit

ems desirable that the city and the Barrack Square and the departmen be provided with a good site up-town the militia officers has gone befor to the general committee. This com mittee should soon be convened, so the necessary appropriation might be included in the supplementary estim

PAUL KRUGER There is a pathetic note of despond ency in the interview which Paul Kruzette. The old man has lost his defiant spirit, and his assurance that he out by the general tenor of his re marks. One is disposed to think char itably of the old man in his dark hou far from home, and so utterly disap intervention; yet we cannot forget that no more intolerant despot has rule Paul Kruger before he, by his own act nan, separated from his family and his people, and suffering in health, is a pitiful figure, admits of no doubt but he has himself to blame; and, un brought him to this state has desolated the hearts and homes of many mor deserving people.

LIVERPOOL LUMBER MARKET. Farnworth & Jardine's lumber trade ircular, of Feb. 1st, says there were no sales of St. John deals to report in January. Lower port deal sold at £7 5s. to £7 7s 6d. per standard. Birch planks sold at £7 5s. to £7 10s The stock of N. B. and N. S. spruc deals held in Liverpool and near-by npared with 11,220 a year before and 13,960 two years before. Consum the corresponding weeks of 1900, an The circular says:-"The stock is still excessive, and values are difficult to

THERE IS NO DANGER.

It will be observed by the Star's eaders that the enterprising London correspondent of the Associated Press has discovered cause for grave publi concern in the recent "kingly func tions" in that city. It is necessary in ber that they are written primarily to be read by the people of the United States, in whose minds a king or ar emperor is regarded as a most danger ous person. Will the king rule as well as reign? This is the question asked. The valued correspondent of the Asso ciated Press must have lived long en ough under the British flag to know that the people rule: and there is no a despot than there is of President Mc Kinley calling around him the army and declaring himself an emperor.

At a civic election in Charlottetown this week for the selection of water -the municipal ownership of a lighting system-were but before the people There was a majority of votes against both questions.

TWENTY-SIX SKELETONS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—A special to the Tribune from Austin, Texas, says: "W. Vanslickle, member of the house of representatives from Brewster County, has returned from a visit to or representatives from Brewster.
County, has returned from a visit to
his western Texas home, and brings
the report of the discovery in the
Chisos Mountains, ninety miles south
of the town of Alpine, of a cave heretofore unknown. In this cave were
found the skeletons of twenty-six human beings. The skulls were submitted to an examination. Surgeons say
they are not skulls of Indians.

It is the impression of Judge Van
Slokle and of others that the bones
are those of members of the expedition of Cabezo De Vaca. The De
Vaca expedition was in the 16th century. De Vaca started out to find an
Elderado, and his route was across
Texas from east to west and into
Mexico. They are said to have perished with the exception of the leader.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Feb. 16.—Moderate to fresh westerly to northerly winds, fair, moderate westerly winds, fair and moderately coid on Sunday.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Forecast—Eastern states and northern New York—Partly cloudy tonight; Sunday fair, fresh northwesterly winds.

WHY NOT ALL.

(Philadelphia Record.)
"I think," said the man who was
growing baid, "I'll have a hair out."
"Why not have the whole dozen o
so cut?" queried the funny barber.

PARLIAMENI.

sist the speaker in the management of the library.

Mr. Lancaster introduced a bill to compel rallways to maintain cattle guards, and providing for the recovery of damages in case of neglect.

The auditor general's report was laid on the table, and Mr. Fleiding moved the house go into supply, but Mr. Borden of Hallfax objected on the ground that the report had not been placed in the hands of the members.

Mr. Maclean announced that he would not press his motion re nationalization of rallways until next week owing to the absence of a number of members who wish to speak on it.

The house adjourned until Monday.

NOTTES.

A deputation waited on the cabinet today and asked for a bounty of one cent per pound for three or five years on beet sugar grown in Canada. The principal argument in favor of the bounty was that the cost of coal would be an important item in producing sugar. As Premier Laurier was not present no inducements were held out. The tuberculosis executive today de-The tuberculosis executive today de ided to make Ottawa the headquar ers of the organization, and Dr. Ebysas appointed general organizer and

scoretary.

On Monday Mr. Fowler will interrogate the government in regard to the arection of a station at Passekeas, and will sek has work begun, and if not, why not. Mr. Fowler also seeks information regarding the dismissal of Join E. McAuley, postmaster of Lower Milistream, Kings county.

A deputation of cattlemen holding opposite views on the tuberculosis test and other regulations affecting tuberculosis stock, interviewed the minister of agriculture today, with a view to having made some regulation more acceptable to all.

Mr. Edwards championed the pres-

weeptable to all.

Mr. Edwards championed the present regulations requiring a rigid tuberuline test in quarantine of all imported cattle, while David McCrae of
Jueiph advocated the abolition of the
lest, not only in quarantine, but all
ver the country.

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Hon. Sydney Fisher is not in favor of sholishing the test, but a compro-nilse was agreed on, whereby changes in the method of administering the test will be made. It was agreed that legislation should be introduced abolishing the law that now prohibits the selling of hides of tuberculosis stock. The house will not sit on Ash Wednesday.

nesday.

Mr. Clare on Tuesday will introduce
an "act to restrict the importation
and employment of allens."

BOUGHT A VELASQUEZ FOR \$80,000 The Boston Museum of Fine Arts Gets

The trustees of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts have bought a large painting by Velasquez, "The Frince Baithazar Carlos and His Dwart," a obaracteristic example of the great

Balthazar Carios and His Lwari, a characteristic example of the great Spanish master. It comes from the private collection of the Earl of Carlisle, in whose residence, Castle...Howard at York, England, it has hung for many years. The work belongs to Velasquez's second or intermediate period, and was painted soon after his return to Madrid from his first visit to Italy, when the Prince Balthazar Carlos was almost in not quite 3 years old.

The photon was bought from Knoldler & Co. of New York on the recommendation of several American artists who have made a special study of the works of Velasquez, including William M. Chase of New York and Frederick P. Vinton of Boston. It is exhibited in the Lawrence room of the museum for the present. The price paid is said to have been \$80,000.

REV. MR. KELLER'S CASE

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The Herald says:—Legal counsel of the highest order will be employed to defend the Rev. John Keller, of Arlington, N. J., who was recently shot and seriously wounded by Thomas G. Barker, the latter believing that he was avenying a wrong done to his wife. Funds for this purpose will be supplied by Dan Hoffman, of the General Theological seminary. Oculists of the first rank will also be employed for the purpose of saving Mr. Keller's sight, which he is in danger of losing. These specialists will also be paid by Dean Hoffman, who has sent to the wounded clergyman a message of confidence and assurance that money will not be lacking to protect his rights in every way. who was recently shot and seriously

ANOTHER POLAR EXPEDITION.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.,

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 16.—
Four portable houses, two steam launches, a complete photographilo apparatus, fifty tons of dog food—this comprises the list of supplies which Baldwin, Arctic explorer and meteorologist, expects to purchase in Philadelphia for the use of the Baldwin-Zeigler polar expedition. Mr. Baldwin registered at the hotel Walton last night and opened negotiations with local merchants.

"Everything points to the middle of June as the date of our saffing from New York," he said. "The America is the permanent expedition ship, and will carry thirty men in her crew. We shall go around the North Cape, Norway, to some point in Russia, from which we shall strike northward, past Nova Zembla to Franz Josef land. Here the vessels will part company. The America will continue northward, and the members of the expedition will struggle to attain the north pole by land or sea. We will carry provisions for two years."

QUEBEC, Feb. 15.—The legislature oday adopted a resolution of condoince on the death of the Queen. Speeches were made by Premier Parent and Hon. E. J. Flynn, the opposition leader, after which the legislature adjourned.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

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St. John's church, Rev. J. deSoyres, rector—Services tomorrow at 8 (Holy Communion), 11 and 7. The Rev. H. J. Hamilton of Gifu (Japan) will preach at the morning service on behalf of Foreign Missions; preacher at the evening service, the rector. On Monday evening a public missionary meeting will be held, when Mr. Hamilton will lecture upon Japan.

Centenary Methodist church Sunday Services—Il a. m. and 7 p. m.; Rev. R. W. Weddall in the morning, and in the evening the pastor, Rev. John Read, D. D.; Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.

Trinity church, Rev. J. A. Richard-

evening the pastor, Rev. John Read, D. D.; Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.

Trinity church, Rev. J. A. Richardson, rector; Rev. W. W. Craig, curate—Quinquagesima; morning service and celebration of the Holy Communion at 11; congregational Bible class at 2.45; Sunday school at 3; evening service, when all seats are free, at 7; Rev. W. W. Craig will preach in the morning, and the rector in the evening.

Main street Baptist church—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. White; morning subject, Expect and Attempt for God; evening, Weighed and Wanting; Evangelist John M. Whyte of Toronto will sing at both services. Pleasant Sunday afternoon neeting at 3.30; speaker, Rev. Ira Smith; subject, Seeking a Bride; spirited congregational singing, led by Mr. Whyte, who will also a this service.

Brussels street Baptist church—Preaching by the pastor, H. F. Waring, at 11 and 7; subject for marning, Harnessing the Church's Niagara; subject for evening, The Sources of Ablity; Sunday school at 2.30; pastor's class for men, same hour; subject, The Books of Moses.

Queen square—Morning service, Rev. Dr. Read; evening service, Rev. R. W. Weddall; Sabbath school, 2.30 p. m.

Zion Methodist church, junction of Wall street and Burpee avenue, Rev. Dr. Wilson, pastor—Rev. George Steel will preach at 11; Sabbath school at 2.30; pastor will preach at 7. Service at Millidgeville at 2.30.

Carmarthen street Methodist church—Rev. Wm. Penna will preach at 11; am., and the pastor, Rev. G. A. Sellar, at 7 p. m.; Sunday school at 2.30 p. m.

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Reformed Baptist church, Carleton street, Rev. M. S. Tratton, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sabbath school, 2.15; prayer meeting, 3.15; Sacrament at the close of the evening service.

evening service. Leinster street Baptist church, Ira Smith, pastor—Services tomorrow as usual; Y. P. meeting, Monday even-

usual; Y. P. meeting, Monday evening; prayer meeting, Friday.
Mission Church S. John Baptist,
Paradise row, Church of England—
Quinquagesima Sunday; Holy Eucharist, plain, at 8 a. m., and choral with
sermon at 11 a. m.; evensong and sermon at 7 p. m.; Rev. C. B. Kenrick will
preach in the morning on Charity, and
in the evening on The Eucharistic Sacrifice. Wednesday next being. Ash
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Coburg street Christian church, Dr. R. Bentley Ray, pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday school at 2.30; young people's meeting Monday evening, 8 o'clock; prayer and social meeting Thursday evening, 8 o'clock. Alt are welcome.

Douglas avenue Christian church, J. Chas. B. Appel, pastor—Preaching at 11 o'clock; subject, Word and Work; evening at 7 o'clock, chart sermon; special services every evening next week at 8 o'clock. All are invited. Germain street Baptist church—Preaching on Lord's day at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Rev. J. D. Freeman of Fredericton; Sunday school at 2.30 p. m.; prayer meeting on Monday and Friday nights at 8 o'clock.

Baptist Tabernacle, Haymarket square; pastor, Rev. P. J. Stackhouse—Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; morning subject, The Sins of the Tongue: evening subject, The Sins of the Tongue: evening; Sunday school at 2.15.

Christian Science services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; subject, Mind; Sunday school at 2.30 p. m., Wednesday at 8 p. m.; reading room open daily from 2.30 to 5 p. m., in Oddfellows' building, corner Union street and Emicacy.

Unitarian church, Rev. Wayland L. Beers, minister—Sunday school and adult study class at 11 a. m.; regular service of worship at 7 p. m. only; sermon topic, Prayer, Its Nature and Efficacy.

The Rev. Ira Smith will give an adress at the boys' meeting in the Y. M.

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The Rev. Ira Smith will give an adress at the boys' meeting in the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday morating at 10 clock, on the subject, Doing One's Best. All boys will be heartily welcome.

Exmouth street Methodist church—Rev. C. T. Phillips will preach on Sunday morating, and in the evening Rev. T. J. Deinstadt will preach a temperance sermon. The members of Glad Tidings Temperance Society will attend in a body.

Major Pickering, provincial officer of

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PARK HOTEL CHAS. DAMERY, Prop. Centrally located facing King Square. Newly furnished throughout. Best \$1.50 a Day Hôtel in the Lower

TO LET.

TO LET,—The corner Flat of Sharkey Home (so called), situate on south side El-liott Row, at present occupied by John M. Dick, Esq. Rent 200. Can be inspected on afternoons of Friday, A. C. FAIRWSATHER, Solicitor, etc., Barnhill's Building.

TO LET.—A large Store and Cellar, on corner of Union and Waterloo streets, opposite Golden Ball corner. This is one of the best business stands in the city. Enquire of FRASER, FRASER & CO.

TO BE LET-Dwelling house No. 191 Princess street, at present occupied by C. E. Calkin, Esq. Dlining room, double drawing rooms, 5 bedrooms, hathroors, etc. May be seen on Thursday afternoons cr. on other days on application to R. T. STURDEE, 50 Prince Wm. street.

TO LET-Flat No. 138 Orange street, six rooms, separate entrence, rent \$80 per year. Apply to E. W. PAUL, 166 Waterloo street.

TO LET-Lower flat, No. 176 Duke street. For particulars apply to A. GILMOUR, 68 King street, or J. S. ARMSTRONG, 37 Char-lotte street.

TO LET.—From 1st of May, upper flat of nouse 275 Princess street. Can be seen Flursdays, from 1 to 5. Apply to Thomas Bustin, 275 Princess street, or Bustin & Porter, Prince Wm. street (Chubb's Corner).

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—Situations for a number of young women, to do house work or look after children. Apply to MR. GARDINER, Glad Tidings Hall, Brussela street, between 16 and 15 in the morning. MONEY TO LOAN

On Freehold and Leaseheld Property—repayable by monthly instalments or otherwise. Apply to CHAPMAN & TILLEY, Barristers, Pelmer's Building, Princess street.

WANTED.—A first-class Vest Maker. Ap-ply to D. & J. Paterson.

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the eastern provinces, will deliver stir-ring addresses at the Charlotte street barracks on Sunday.

Congregational church, Union street, Rev. R. R. Moreon, pastor—Services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.; regular prayer service Wednes-day evening, 8 o'clock. St. David's church—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. A. Morison; Sabbath school and pastor's Bible class at 2.30 Bible class course, Life and T

FREDERICTON, Feb. 15.—The supreme court was to have met this morning to deliver judgments. Only Mr. Justice Gregory was present, and he announced that owing to the illness of the chief justice and Mr. Justice Barker, and the inability of the other judges to attend, the court would stand adjourned until Friday next.

Eight Scott Act fines were paid at

the police court this morning. They totalled \$400.

It is rumored about town that Dr. W. C. Crocket is to be a candidate for the mayoralty at the approaching civic election.

HALIFAX.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 15.—Colin Chisholm of Sydney, one of the best known barristers of Nova Scotia, died foday. He represented Cape Breton in the house of assembly between 1886 and 1890 in the conservative interest. He was a member of the firm of Chisholm, Crowe & Burchell.

Two hundred people accepted invitations from Furness, Withy & Co. today and visited their new steamer Lioyalist. She sails for London tonight with 12,500 barrels of apples as part of her cargo.

AN ENCOURAGER OF TEMPER-

No, Maria, you needn't worry. I tell you I won't tech a drop of liquor all the time I'm down to New York.
What makes you so sure you won't?
Well, I suttenly won't so long as that murderin' alcoholic ward in Bellevue hospital is kept a-runnin'.

Short Story of the Day

VANITY.

"I am a liar," said my cousin Elisa.
"No, don't speak. You'll try to say something funny, as if you were writing one of your penny books, and I hate you most when you're like that. One of these days I am going to take a holiday—I shall go into some big lonely field, and tell all the truth about myself out loud."
"Can I come too?"
"No. My whole life here in London is one enormous lie, and I hate it. I tell lies to influence people's opinion of me. I tell lies to spare the feelings of others. I tell lies everywhere and always. I bought a veil this afternoon, and I told six lies while I was in the shop doing it; I counted them. I'm sick of society and conventions and everything. Be thankful you're not a woman."

man."

"Men don't love the truth, but they can tell it if they like. Women are naturally good, and they adore the truth, but they are never allowed to tell it I should like to reconstruct all our customs and ways of life. I've got ideas: I often think of things that would surprise you. You think I am rather a little fool, that I'm not serious, and that I only care for amusements. A stupid butterfly—that's your lidea of me. It's all wrong, of course; one of these days you may think differently. But it doesn't matter—nothinz matters."

"To come to the point, who is he"

"You can't think how unspeakably tired I am. I don't want to go to this silly theatre, do you?"

"Not in the least."

"Shall we give the cabman the tickets, wouldn't they? That horse would look just lovely sitting up in the stalls. I wonder if he'd cry in the pathetic passages. Did you ever see a horse cry?"

"To return to the subject of discussion, who is he? And why din't he ask you to marry him?"

"Idiot! He did. And I refused him. It's quite time I got married. I wonder how many seasons I've been through; I know I'm dead tired of London, anyhow. I might have accepted him. We got on beautifully together; he recognized that I had a serious side. He had such a sympathetic voice, too, and eyes that secence to—"

him. We got on beautifully together; he recognized that I had a serious side. He had such a sympathetic voice, too, and eyes that seemed to—"
"Omitting his eyes and his nose, why did you refuse him?"
"How could any girl marry a man whose name is Jiggins? It sounds as if it came out of a comic paper. It's an impossible name. I would sooner be dead or alive in the suburbs than be called Mrs. Jiggins."
"Wouldn't he have changed it?"

"That's not the worst. He's going to marry Adela Price, who's the most abominable oat I know. A man tells his wife everything. He'll tell her the story I told him about the man who died in Egypt. There was a lot of it, much more than I have told you. She will know absolutely for a fact that there is not a word of truth in it, because we used to be friends once, and then she got to know everything about me. When she hears about that secret tragedy she will just sit down and laugh till she dies of it; and then she will go round and tell everybody else. I can see her laughing now, with a mouth like the slot for newspapers in the postoffice. The only thing I could do would be to get him away from Adela. But then I shouldn't marry him myself now. I would have married him if he had been Langdon when he was Jiggins."
"But now there are complications."
"Still, I suppose I must get him away from Adela."
"Leave Adela and Jiggins Langdon alone. You say that a man tells him wife everything. He doesn't. And some of the things that he never tells her are his pre-matrimonial failures with other women. Your secret trag-

SERMON.

THE DEACON'S SERMON.

(Thaddeus, in Religious Intelligencer.)

I was balancing and admiring the trout rod a friend had given me, and in a day dream was throwing my fly on pool and lake and river, when the deacon came in.

"Fine rod that; buy it?" asked the deacon.

"No," I said, "a friend gave it to

"No." I said, "a friend gave it to me at Christmas."
"Appropriate gift, very appropriate!" said the deacon. But there was an infection in his voice I did not like; it suggested sarcasm. "Ah yes," he said, "but is the gentleman who gave it acquainted with you?"

A little nettled, I suggested that no one but a lunatic would go aroundeven at Christmas—giving ten dollar trout rode to strangera.
"Do you know if your friend sent any oil paintings to his blind friends at Christmas?" asked the deacon.
"Your question is irrelevant and foolish." I answered, "only lunatics would send pletures to the blind."
"There, are more lunatics outside asylums than are within them," murmured the deacon. "When do you expect to fish?" he asked, and then added, "not that it makes any difference when you fish with your pretty little rod, for you will buy your fish next summer."

I ignored that remark, and told him I would go away to some quiet place where a fisherman has never fished. You ought to go where the crowd goes, and have plenty of company, and get just about as many fish, as you could (with an emphasis on you) where there are planty of fish."

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I expressed the opinion that only a fool would fish in an over-fished stream; and declared that I would go where there were plenty of fish, and only a tew fishermen.

"That is not the rule among fishermen," insisted the deacon; "why I saw five fishermen at a little pool no larger than this room, and there was not a grown trout in it; a few suckers were all that was left, and the men fished, and scowled at each other, and got their lines tangled; and the few wise fish that were left in the pool just laughed at them; they could not be fooled with artificial files and fancy bait."

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"I couldn't sisk him to 60 that, and I suppose he had got used to it. It must be something like being born deed. Eyen when he proposed to me he never apologized for his name. And it was a beautiful proposal, too—one of the begt I have had."

"What did you say?"

"I couldn't tell him that I was refuling him because of his name, could? It would have been too cruel. So I told him I didn't love him. We were talking, and I went on from one thing to another; I don't know how these things happen, for I never meant to allow he will have been too cruel. So I told him I didn't love him. We were talking, and I went on from one thing to another; I don't know how these things happen, for I never meant to allow he will be the seeing the serious side of me."

"Did you go into details?"

"I said I had been scereity engaged, and the man had died in Bgypt. I almost believed it myself while I was telling him it."

"I don't see what the trouble is. You did not went to marry him, because his name was Jiggins. Therefore you retused him. What's wrong?"

"Everything's wrong. His name isn't Jiggins any more. An uncle, his mother's brother, died and left him back again; but you can't explain away that little romance."

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But laugha more left in they do to five different pools, the filve men, or the four men, and let the man who the fishe men to the fishermen or the

ed distance."
"Not among the fishermen I speak of," replied the deacon. "They have no laws; they have an old book, I believe, but I think they rarely read it. It is a very old work, about obsolete, but it tells who shall fish, and where they shall fish; and I have heard that you can go as far as China and Africa and everywhere else, as long as you do not fish on another's limit."

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"But don't the fishermen cuarrel a great deal when they are fishing in the same pond?" I, asked.

"No!" answered the deacon, "at least they don't call it quarrelling. They poke fun at each other's boats and weirs and rods, and brag about their own, but they don't really quarrel now. They used to fight each other, and I have heard that they used to torture each other, but fishermen are tough, and they are real good-hearted people. The funny part of it is—or some people would call it funny—that they have a party every year, and they love each other for a week, and fiy a white flag, and change boats. And then, after the week is over, they go on fishing in each other's limits."

"Why don't they get together, and agree to disagree, and keep out of each other's way?" I—asked.

"It may come to that in time," said the deacon. "The fishermen met in New York last spring, and talked it over, and they all agreed that it was a shame, and a sin to interfere with each other in their work, and that they ought to unite in destroying the sharks and dog-fish that are destroying the fish. The biggest and pest fishermen are jealous and suspicious; and as a little man's vote counts for as much as the big man's, they have not yet been able to reach an agreement."

The deacon turned to go, but stopping in the deor, he looked back and

SHIPPING NEWS.

Domestic Ports.

HALIFAX, Peb 15-Sid, str Beta, for Bermuda, Turks Island and Bermuda.

HALIFAX, Peb 15-Ard, str Lake Superior, from Liverpool, and salied for St John.
Sid, str Evelyn, for San Juan, PR.

British Ports.

DUBLIN, Feb 15-Ard, str Dunmore Head, LONDON, Feb 15-Ard.

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Foreign Ports,
NEW YORK, Feb 15—Cld, str Silvis, for alitax end St Johns, NF,
BOSTON, Feb 15—Ard, str St Croix, from t John, vis Eastport and Portland.
Sid, strr Boston and Prince-Arthur, for armouth, NS; sehs Wm Jones, for St John and returned); Lilis D Young, for Lunenter NR.

Yarmouth, NS; schs Wm Jones, for St John (and returned); Lila D Young, for Lunenburg, NS.
PORTLAND, Mc, Feb 15—Ard, schs Roger Drury, from St John for New York; Everett, from Machias for Quincy.
Cid. str Dominion, for Liverpool.
VINEYARD HAVEN, Feb 16—Returned, schs Manuel R Cuza, McLure and Fraulein.
SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb 15—Sid, barkentiae
Fredoriea, for St John.
CARABELLE, Fia, Feb 15—Cld, sch Georgia, for St John.

Cleared.
Peb. 16.—Str. Degama, 2245, Cole, for Liverpool, Troop and Son.
Str. Bengore Head, 1619, Phillips, for Bel-nat, W Thomson Co.
Sch Evolution, 173, Gale, for St Georges, Frenada. Grenada. Sch J B Ven Dusen, 177, Scott, for New York. Str Erna, 967, Bruther, for Demerara. Coastwise—Schs Temperance Bell, Tufta, for Quaco; Evelyn, Tufts, for ditto.

SPORTING NEWS.

Settling Up.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 15.—Jeffries appears at the home of Governor Nash in Columbia tomorrow night, and Ruhlin at Marietta, Ohio. Word reached the puglists today that the governor not only intended to stop boxing contexts in Ohio, but also to investigate these sparring exhibitions. They will both keep their engagements and no trouble is feared. Jeffries with his company will appear here one night next week for the benefit of the Saongerfest Athletic Club. Today everything was packed up at all the training quarters. Jeffries left for a visit at his oldhome at Carroll, Ohio. Maddes and Rushin sent their effects to Chicago, where they have the refunded on the presentation of tichets at the Atless National Bank or and after next Tuesday.

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The \$10,000 of forfeit on deposit at the Atlas National Bank was this afternoon turned over to Brady and Madden. They had each deposited \$2,000 of this amounts and received the same back in equal amounts. Of the \$5,000 forfeit deposited for the Sanagerfest Athletic Association, Brady received \$3,750 and Madden only \$1,250. This was due to the fact that Brady had borne at the sanagerfest association and the same strength of the same strengt

ANOTHER OFFER.

Goorgé Moser, eastern representative of the San Francisco Athelic Club, today telegraphed Bat.

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COMMERCIAL.

(Farnworth & Jardine's Circular, Feb.)

The arrivals from British North America during the past month have been 2,900 tons register, against 5,070 tons register during the corresponding month last year, and the aggregate tonnage to this date from all places during the years 1899, 1900, and 1901 has been 18,487, 18,752 and 13,743 tons respectively.

The business generally during the past month has been quiet, the import of most articles has been on a moderate scale, and values have remained practically unchanged; the consumption has been about an average one for this season of the year; stocks as a rule are ample.

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New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Spruce and Pine Deals.—The arrivals during the past month have been moderate, viz. 1,700 standards, agains: 1,800 standards for the corresponding month least year; there has been a fair consumption, but the stock is still excessive, and values are difficult maintain. Plue deels.—Stocks are light and Birch.—Logs have been imported on a small scale, the consumption has been light, stocks are ample, but values fairly well maintain. Plue deels.—Stocks are light and Wirch.—Logs have been imported on a small scale, the consumption has been light, stocks are ample, but values fairly well reintaintained. Planks.—There has been a very light import with a fair consumption, stocks, however, are still too heavy.

CANADIAN TRADE.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s review tomorrow will say of Canadian itseds: A side from some interruption by severe storms, trade in the dominion is progressing satisfactority and all indications for the spring are bright. At St. John traffe has been impeded by snow and collections are not very goods: Halifax reports activity in most wholesale little, especially of spring goods, and in retail dry goods there is a noticeable demand for mourning. Wholesale trade increases at Toronto, and orders for spring goods one client command. Monatories and all lines meet light demand. On dictions are fair to good. At Quebec trade is good and collections fair for the season. Whinipeg reports spring orders opening lowly and all lines meet light demand. On dictions are fair to good. At Quebec trade is good and collections fair for the season. Whinipeg reports spring orders opening lowly and all lines meet light demand. On dictions are fair to good. At Quebec trade is good and collections fair for the season. Whinipeg reports spring orders opening lowly and all lines meet light demand. On money, 979-18; do. for the account, 97 11-16.

quiet, 28%d per ounce. Money, 3 to 4 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3% to % per cent; do. three months' bills, 8 11-16 to % per cent.

EXPORTS.

Per, sch Evolution, for St Georges—178,350 feet boards, 148,500 shingles, A Cushing.

Per sch J B Van Dusen, for New York—188,464 ft plank, 80,301 feet seantling, A Cushing and Co.

STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—There were changes extending to a point or more in various stocks, some of them gaining and some of them losses. The tone of the speculation was much confused.

The stock market opened irregular. Am.

COTTON.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.— Cotton future send barely sleady. February, 8.95 bid arch 5.04; April 5.03; May 9.05; June, 9.02; Josephanber, 8.22; co. per, 7.88; November, 7.30; December, 7.89.

DR. HAY'S MARRIAGE.

(Philadelphia Press, Feb. 7th.)

Miss Louisa Gordon Price, daughter of the late John Hyland Price, of Wilmington, Delaware, and Dr. Charles MacKenzie Hay, of this city, were married at noon yesterday, at the home of the bride's aunt, Miss Gordon, in Chestnut Hill.

The ceremony was performed by Bishop O. W. Whitaker, a close personal friend of the bride. Miss Price is a young lady of many accomplishments and a charming personality, and has a host of friends in Wilmington, Baltimore, Washington and this city.

The bridegroom is a native of Woodstock, N. B., Canada. He is a graduate of the University of Dalhousle, Hallfax, and of the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania, in the class of '88. He is a member of the leading medical societies of this city and of the University Club.

After a wedding breakfast Dr. and (Philadelphia Press, Feb. 7th.)

Club.

After a wedding breakfast Dr. and Mrs. Hay took the Florida special from Broad Street Station for a tour through the Southern States.

Only the immediate relatives and a few close presonal friends of the bride and groom were present. Among those who witnessed the ceremony were J. Wallace de Beck Farris, of Grand Lake, Canada, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hay, of Woodstock, N. B. parents of the bridegroom.

BROKE HIS NECK.

While He Was Up Against the Goat in

an Initiation Ceremony.

WHEELING, W. Va., Feb. 14.—
Henry Schmalsteig, a blacksmith, had his neck broken on Saturday evening in an initiation in the Wheeling lodge of the Order of American Foresters, He is alive, and it was not until Tuesday afternoon that the physicians ascertained that his neck was broken. Schmalsteig with a number of other candidates appeared on Saturday night for initiation into the Foresters, and in the course of the ceremonies something docurred that caused the blacksmith to leap into the air; he came down on the back of his head with terrible force and lay unconscious long after he was removed to his home.

Today the physicians discovered that the seventh cervical vertebrae had been crushed. That the man still lived greatly puzzied the doctors, and they determined to spare no effort to save his life. A bed of sandbags was prepared and Schmalsteig was placed in such a position that he cannot move his back or head. This evening the doctors said they thought he would recover.

The order of which Schmalsteig is

recover.

The order of which Schmalsteig is now virtually a member will see that he is well taken care of.

MISS ADAMS'S FAMOUS HYMN.

MISS ADAM'S FAMOUS RIAM'
As a writer, as a poet, there were few in the literary world of London (in the forties) who had not heard of Sarah Flower, and the stricted control of Sarah Flower, and the stricted control of th

in the walls of a single church—South Palace Chapel, London.
"It was not, however, until after the year 1890, when the present well-known tune was composed for it by Dr. Lowell Mason of New York, that the hymn attained its widespread of the present of the prese

Senator Depew was one evening entertaining a party of congenial friends in Washington. He was at his best the must take breath, and as the friends audenly straightened to do co the the friends audenly straightened manner said: "Senator, you might have pellow fever and recover; you might have smallpox and recover; you might have smallpox and recover; but, and he shook a warning finger solemnly, "if you ever get lock-law you'll burst!"—Harper's Magazine.

A CANADIAN GIANT.

(Brandon Sun.)

The largest man in Canada arrived in the city resterday. His name is Edward Beaupre. He halls from Willow Busel. N. W. T., is 7 feet 4 inches in height and weights something over 400 pounds. Beaupre is 21 years old. A couple of his father's neighbors accompany him and are showing him to a wondering public.

QUAKER REFLECTIONS.

Foot-notes—the shoemaker's "ad."
The hand of Fate cannot be shaken.
There's many a slip twirt the china and
the hired girl.
A fellow can't be judged by the umbrella
he bor cws.
The doctor and the lawyer alike amend the
constitution. The doctor and the lawyer alike amend the constitution. No man is so bright that he requires to be looked at through smoked glass.

Bon't strike a man below the belt unless you are aiming at his pocketbook.

The man who is waiting for something to turn up is generally turned down.

Hoax—"that was a fierce cigar Jones gave me. "Wonder what brand he smokes "." "Yes; loose wrapper." ""Wother Hubbard" ""Wother Hubbard" "Le seen D'Auber's new battle picture," said Sillicut, "and I tell you, war must be an awful thing, "Well," said Cynicus, "I don't think it's a bad as it's painted."

NO LITERARY LIKING.

(Atlanta Constitution.) (Atlanta Constitution.)

Of a northern author who recently inherited a fortune, an exchange says:

"He is too rich to write now."

Well, there are still a few of 'em who are poor enough to keep tugging at at.

MORNINGS NEWS.

No trains have reached St. Martins or ten days.

Bishop Kingdon will confirm at St. Jude's church, Carleton, on Sunday, and at Fairville in the evening. Prospectors are said to have struck oil on a farm eight miles from Ot-

The Gooderham-Blackstock syndicate, of Toronto, has secured an option on the Trail, B. C., smelter.

The meeting of the Sheer Boom Improvement Company, to have been held yesterday, is postponed for a

Rev. Mr. Morson of the Congrega-tional church, will address the R. Y. M. C. A. in their hall on Stanley street at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. There will be a special meeting of the King's Daughters at the Guild this evening at 8 o'clock. Business of importance will be brought up and a full attendance is urgently requested.

Leonard Tilley, of St. John, who is a brother of Miss Tilley, of Simcoe street, has come to Toronto to take a short course of instructions at Stan-ley barracks.—Toronto Globe.

D. H. Nase will enter upon his du-ties as postmaster of Indiantown to-day, Assistant Post Office Inspector Whittaker having made the transfer

The Battle line steamer Cunaxa is aking in her cargo of hay and provisions at the I. C. R. pler. She will probably sail for Cape Town Monday sight.

The death occurred in Carieten yesterday of Elia May Earle, aged twenty-one years. The funeral will take place on Sunday at 3.30 p.m., from her late residence, Duke street (west.)

A Winnipeg paper announces the engagement of A. J. Baxter, formerly of St. John, and the daughter of a Manitoba judge. The prospective groom was once engaged here in newspaper work and was a prominent athlete. It is said that Michael McQuaid, whose gallant rescue of a mother and two children from a burning house in New York yesterday, was described in last night's Star, was a brother of W. H. McQuaid, of the Grand Union hotel.

The earnest and acceptable ad-dresses by the Rev. R. H. A. Haslam, curate of St. John's church, have greatly pleased the men who have lis-tened to them for the past two Sun-days at the Y. M. C. A. The talk to-morrow at 4 o'clock will be on Vic-tory.

A sacred concert will be given in the Carleton Methodist church next Thursday evening. An excellent pro-gramme is being arranged and among those who will take part are Mrs. F. G. Spencer, Miss Wetmore, Miss Titus, Mr. Calrns, J. N. Sutherland, Alex. Baird, Wm. Holder and the Exmouth street quartette.

The Canadian Ayrshire Breeders Association, in session at Montreal, have asked the government to do away with the tuberculin test. They also asked for a commission to regulate railway freight rates. M. H. Parlee, of Sussex; Fred Brock, Amherst, and Hon. Mr. Rodgers, of Charlottetown, were elected vice-presidents.

B. F. Pearson of Halifax, accompanied by Joshua and L. B. Knight, the owners of the Musquash lumber business, visited that place yesterday and looked over the property. They drove back to town in the afternoon. Mr. Pearson and Mr. Burrill of Weymouth have about completed agrangements.

King Edward VII. 's the first British monarch since the 's' at James II. Who has leave about completed arrangements for the purchase of the property, 'tt it is said 'several days will elapse the has several times also part in a game at Cannes; and he interpreted a game on cone or two private lakes, more particularly on that of the Grand Duke Michael, in the form counties.—Birmingham, Post.

FATAL TO ORATORS

Senator Description of the first contingent are invited to the master painters. House All painters who participated in the reception of the first contingent are invited to the master painters' annual drive and supper at the Loyalist House, Loch Lomond, on Tuesday next, and those wishing to attend will please hand in their names to H. F. McGowan, 158 Princess street, telephone 697, on or before Monday. Sleighs will leave cor. Sydney and Union streets at 2 p. m., sharp.

A lad named Willie Cameron of Vic-A lad named Willie Cameron of Victoria street, who sustained a severe compound fracture of the knee cap over a year ago, because of which he has since been compelled to use crutches, fell yesterday while playing at school and fractured the lower portion of his thigh bone. He was taken to his home, where the fracture was reduced by Dr. W. F. Roberts.

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A meeting was held last night at the residence of Mrs. Geo. F. Smith of the Victorian Order of Nurses. Dr. Bayard was in attendance and initiated into the order Mms Miller, a graduate of the St. John hospital, who recently returned from a course at the Montreal Maternity Hospital. Miss Dock having gone to Ottawa, Miss Miller will take her place. On July 12th it is expected another graduate of the St. John hospital will be initiated, after having gone through the usual course at Montreal.

MAY BE A BIG THING.

There is a deal on in connection with
the Bear Gulon gold mining property,
which may mean a great thing for,
some St. John men. It is said an American syndicate has offered \$1,00,000
for the property, and yesterday Capt.
E. C. Elkin left for Boston to confer
with these parties. It is said threequarters of the stock is owned in St.
John. The mine is situate in Colorado.

A conference was held at the Royal hotel yesterday relative to the proposal for the establishment of a steel ship building plant here. There were pre-sent Hon. H. A. McKeown, Hon. A. T.

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

ARRIVALS. arrive on I. C. R. at ..

Dunn, Mayor Daniel, Aldermen Mc-Mulkin, Macrae, Baxter and Armstrong, J. H. Thomson, Geo. McAvity, B. F. Pearson of Halitax and Chas. Burrill of Weymouth. None of the gentlemen seem willing to make public what transpixed at the meeting, but it is said as a result of the conference the Common Council will ask the legislature for authority to assist such an enterprise.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY. SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY.

A Sunday school anniversary entertainment was held in the vestry of Douglas avenue Christian church last evening, at which an interesting programms was given by the children of the school, consisting of duets by Myrtle and Maudie Hawkhurst and Belle Carlin, and Maude Cowan, a song by Flossie Dodd, patriotic chorus by five children, and recitations by Helen Larkin, Flossie Dodd, Edmund Fish, Ida Apt, Maude Cowan, Belle Carlin, Blanche Thompson, Susle Dodd, Bessie Wilson, Jean Cowan, Helen Stanley, Maude Hawkhurst, May Brown, Winnie Nobles, Ella Ingrato, Myrtle Hawkhurst, Eva Nobles, Ellanche Gildard, hurst, Eva Nobles, Elanche Gildard, Mary Larkin, Willie Thompson and Maude Boyn. After the entertainment a treat was given the children in the shape of bags of fruit and candy.

HEARING AGAINST VACCINATION. Dr. Leverson and Others Appear in Boston in Opposition to Inoculation.

ROSTON, Feb. 12.—Testimony in fa-vor of the petition for the abolition of compulsory vaccination was given be-fore the committee on public health this morning. Dr. James B. Bell of Boston said there were more deaths from vaccination than from smallpox. from vaccination than from smallpox. It was as great a delusion as incoula-tion was proved to be, he said, and would at some time be abandoned by the medical profession as incoulation was abandoned. He said the compul-gory law was a great violation of re-

irious rights. Dr. Montague R. Leverson of Br lyn said the report of the state board of health for the past five weeks shows of health for the past five weeks shows 260 deaths from consumption, 434 from acute lung diseases and at least one from almost every disease known, except smallpox, from which there was not one death. He said that all pathologists know that emallpox is a cleansing disease, and that those who have it would have had more fatal diseases. In response to questiona by Dr. G. H. Abbott of the state board of health, Dr. Leverson said that he gave his

H. Abbott of the state board of health, Dr. Leverson said that he gave his whole attention to the anti-vaccina-tion movement and does not practice at present. He did not believe in the germ theory.

William Lloyd Garrison said he had had smallpox and was nursed by an unvaccinated nurse, but she did not take the disease. Mrs. Hulda Loomis, in closing for the petitioners, said that the state had no right to pass a law to make a person poliute his body with

the state had no right to pass a law to make a person pollute his body with vaccine virus.

"If am to have smallpox," she said,
"I want the real thing and not a man-ufactured article. If God wanted hu-man beings to have cowpox He would have made it for them." FIGHT WITH AN EAGLE.

Barracliff Torn by Its Talons, but He

Finally Captures It Alive.

John Barracliff, a butcher of Vineland, N. J., had a battle with a balddeaded eagle in a piece of woods a few miles south of that city last Tuesday. Upon hearing loud screams and the flapping of wings he jumped from his wagon, hurried into the woods and behield, two large band-headed eagles in combat on the top limbs of a big oak tree. They fought for about ten minutes, when one of them, apparently attempting to escape, swooped downward and one of his wings caught in the thick brush. Barracliff selzed a club and rushed at the eagle, which returned the attack pluckly and finally managed to loosen its wing. The huge bird struck Barracliff on the head and face with its beak and tore his clothing with its beak and tore his clothing with its talons, but he finally knocked the eagle senseless. Though suffering from bloody wounds in the face, and arms, Barracliff managed to tie the eagle with a rope from his wagon. He brought it home alive with him.

DELPIT MARRIAGE CASE.

MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—In the preliminary argument on law points in
the Delpit marriage case, in which
the civil courts are asked to ratify
the ecclesiastical amoulment of a
marriage because two Catholics were
married by a Protestant minister,
Lafleur, counsel for the defence,
threw a bombshell into the plaintif's
camp today by arguing that the
courts had no status in the matter.
He claimed that the courts had no
power to recognize an ecclesiastical
annulment.

ENCOURAGING.

"Ah! yes," sighed the lovelorm youth, "I'm passionately in love with Miss Van Fickel, I wonder if I will eyer succeed in winning her affec-

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Wrappers.

A smaller lot than we had last Friday, but equally as good in value, so if you want to share in this special offer, you will have to come early Menday morning \$1.00 will be the price for Monday. Their actual worth is \$2.25. Made from a nice, heavy velour, prettily trimmed, epaulets on shoulders. Waist lined throughout, skirt good and full.

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Read the Ads. in the Star.

LOCAL NEWS

There is an agitation in Sackville in favor of having the town incorpor-

A magic lantern entertainment will be held in Victoria Hall, Westfield, to-

A Prince Edward Island mail was distributed at the post office this morning, the first one for many days. The mill at Poklok owned by Charles Miller, will begin spring operations a week from Monday.

Registrar Jones reported three mar-rlages during the past week and eleven births, three being males.

A public meeting is called for Mon-day evening, in the Oddfellow's Hall, Carleton, to discuss the proposed fire

The news of the death of Percy Bul-yea, only child of Hon. and Mrs. G. H. V. Bulyea, of Regina, has been re-ceived by his friends in Gagetown.

Alder P. Elderkin, son of E. B. Elder-kin, and Miss Bertha McDonald, daughter of the late J. E. McDonald, were married in Amherst on Thursday. Manifests were received today for sixteen cars of corn, nine of cattle, and seven of sheep over the C. P. R. for export.

The Carleton County Agricultural society will ask the provincial government to grant \$1,000 toward an exhibition in Woodstock this year.

A despatch last night from Chatham, Mass., reports that a northwestern gale and very cold weather forced several schooners to return to that port.

The remains of the late Rev. Joseph Barker, whose death occurred at Bona-venture, Quebec, several days ago, were taken to his former home at Sheffield for interment.

The Thistles' Curling Club will mee this afternoon to arrange the match between the Scotchmen and all-com-ers. There is some talk of the Thisties taking an eastern trip, playing a Moncton, Sackville and Amherst.

The Star has received from the hustling agency of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. several very pretty wall calendars in striking colors. The picture is that of a pretty little miss holding a large bunch of carnations.

A cable last night from St. John's, Newfoundland, stated that a lot of miscellaneous wreckage was seen near the place where the steamer Lucerne was supposed to have been wrecked; but no definite information could be obtained owing to the raging seas

Major Pickering, provincial officer of the eastern province, will deliver stir-ring addresses at the Charlotte street barracks tomorrow. The major is a pleasing and foreible speaker, and commands great crowds. Don't fail to hear him

St. James church Boys' Brigade held last evening a military concert in the school room, Broad street. A good programme was presented, consisting of drill exercises by the brigade, which were executed in a creditable manner by the boys, recitation by Rev. Mr. Dewdney and songs by Mr. Tonge.

The statement in last night's Starthat Godfrey Newpham, of St. Stephen, had passed the examination of the N. B. Pharmaceutical Society is incorrect. He has passed the preliminary examination only, and cannot be registered until the remaining portions of the examination have been passed. The Star copied the item from a St. Stephen paper, which was evidently misinformed.

A surprise party was held Thursday evening at the residence of Alexander Logan, Strait Shore road. The occasion was the eleventh anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Logan, W. W. White, on behalf of the company, presented Mr. and Mrs. Logan with a handsome China tea set. The affair was in charge of Miss Emma Streight and Miss Lillian White.

A few days ago an aged citizen of Upper Blackville, named Cowie, died from wounds indicted by his own hands. He had a razor concealed on his person, and in a fit of despondency, sleashed his neck so badly that he died from the effects two days arters. He was in his 57th year, and had been enjoying good heath.

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir,—Your timely and practical suggestion regarding disposal of cloth used in draping public buildings is "all right" and should be acted on at once. And, by the way, should not those who really did this work receive some credit? That is, those who furnished the designs and the brains and the energy requisite for carrying them out so successfully. The admirable work on the post office was almost entirely due to the good taste of T. Jenkins, of the P. O. staff, and R. B. Gilmour. The other four buildings were done by men who carried out their own designs and did their own head work and received, or will receive, the same large pay (\$2 per day) as those who laboared under them. \$2 per day for work requiring taste, skill and judgment, and oftimes at the risk of life as well! "Such is life" to liberal workers.

St. John, N. B., Feb., 16th, 1901. AUCTION SALES

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At Chubb's corner this morning a property on Adelaide street, belonging to the estate of the late Miss Jenkins, was sold at \$400.

Five hundred shares of Big Five mining stock sold at 16 cents, and another similar lot brought 14 cents. Five hundred shares of Gold King sold at 63 cents.

Property belonging to the Hendrick's estate was sold. Lots 12 and 21 in Guys ward, the former under lease to Hugh Sloan, were bought by him for \$300. The property occupied by T. L. Bourke, Water street, was sold to him for \$300. A similar property, occupied by C. B. Allen, and another occupied by C. B. Allen, and another occupied by C. H. Peters' Sons, were put up and withdrawn.

P. E. ISLAND MAIL.

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(Examiner, Thursday.)
The boats did not leave this side today. The boats from Cape Tormentine with 55 bags of mail and a number of passengers arrived at 2 o'clock.
Consequently we will have a mail
this afternoon, the first in ten days.

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Have you subscribed a Quarter to the Star Monument Fund?

PERSONAL

Col. Markham has returned from New

Rev. G. M. Campbell of Frederictor will preach in Woodstock tomorrow.

Ross Willis, who has been suffering from a serious attack of pneumonis, is

Roy. T. F. Fullerton, of Charlotte-town, is ill and was unable to deliver a lecture arranged for this week. Judge Wilson of Fredericton is quite ill at his home, threatened with pleur-

Rev. D. A. Steele of Amherst has been confined to his room for over a week with grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Ryan of Sack-ville leave the first of the week, probably Tuesday, for St. Augustine, Florida.

Nelson Keith of New Hornstein

ida.

Nelson Keith of New Hampshire was called to his home yesterday at Havelock, Kings county, by the severe illness of his mother.

Says Thursday's Charlottetown Examiner: "H. H. Pitts, the representative of the Grand Lodge, L. O. A., crossed from Cape Tormentine this morning. The session to have been held today has been postponed."

His Honor Judge Hanlington, who has been ill for some days with the prevalent la grippee, is improving but

has been ill for some days with the prevalent la grippe, is improving, but is not yet able to be out.—Moncton Times, Feb. 14.

John McCarthy, who makes his home at Windsor hall, Fredericton, and William Jennings, the well known merchant tallor, expect to leave very shortly upon an extended European trip, which will include a visit to Rome.

Peter É. Arbo of Blackville has returned from St. Paut, Minn. He has been absent two years.

The veteran Senator Wark is enjoying good health and expects to leave for Ottawa early in March to take up his parliamentary duties.

Miss Florence Fraser, a talented Pictou, N. S., girl, has been appointed stenographic reporter for the legislature of Idaho. Her brother, Hon. Alfred A. Fraser, of Boise City, Idaho, is a member of the legislature.

Merrit Lord of Carleton doesn't like Sergt. Ross at all. This morning he took occasion to call the officer several names which really weren't nice. Sergt. Ross started after Lord, who spoke and ran. He caught him on the ferry boat, and a rough and tumble ensued, which resulted in bord being locked up at the central station. William Nairu, charged with stealing a gold watch, came up before Judge Ritchie again this morning. S. Swanton, a witness the accused wished to have heard, gave his testimony. Nairu wishes now he didn't have him called. He was sent up to trial. Mand Tucker and Annie Sullivan owned up this morning to forzing orders for groceries, but claimed they were forced to du they Nairu. They will accompany that gentleman to the other court.

Mr. O'Connor, accused of stealing a

CUT HIS THROAT

Takes His Life.

Lloyd Andrews Seeks That

Lloyd Andrews, aged 51 years, a carpenter by trade, and living on Adelaide street, north end, near the Newman brook bridge, cut a gash in his throat this morning fully 5 inches in length, and deep enough to make the matter of life or death one of uncertainty, he is now in the General Public hospital, and may recover.

A Star reporter called at the Andrews' home this morning and found the small family and a few relatives in a state of painful anxiety. Mrs. Andrews was almost distracted, though her thny son and little girl hardly realized what had happened. A grown-up son is in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Andrews said her husband had been suffering intense pain in the top of his head for over a week. He was not a strong man, and during his life has had many serious fil turns. Last year he was six months incapacitated through rheumatism, preceded by a severe attack of la grippe. He suffered greatly from swollen joints. Only a short time ago, less than a fortnight, Mr. Andrews contracted la grippe again. He battled with it in the usual prescribed way, but the terrible effects the malady off-times leaves became apparent. Mr. Andrews grew flighty. His mind wandered.

"Oh my children, they're going to starve to death. I know they are!" he would say.

His brother Judson called to see him a few days ago, and Mr. Andrews tried to make his relative promise to take

His brother Judson called to see him a few days ago, and Mr. Andrews tried to make his relative promise to take one of the children to live with him. His actions were queer throughout, and his frequent floor pacing and moaning are now considered as evidence of an invariant mind.

Lest night Mr. Andrews took a dose. He said his head was aching terribly, and appeared to suffer a lot, although he tried hard to conceal it. Early this morning, about five o'clock, Mrs. Andrews awoke and asked her husband how his head felt.

He said, quite cheerfully, that he thought it was somewhat easier. Then Mrs. Andrews went to sleep again. About six o'clock, or half-past, she was awakened by a strange noise in the kitchen.

Mrs. Andrews' sister, who was sleeping in a bedroom commanding a view

Mrs. Andrews' sister, who was sleeping in a bedroom commanding a view
of the kitchen, says she saw Mr. Andrews enter the last named apartment
and close the door after him. She
jumped up a minute or so after and
flung open the door. There lay Mr.
Andrews in a pool of blood in the middie of the floor. He was clutching the
air as if for breath.

Mrs. Andrews had arrived on the
scene by this time, and was almost
overcome by the sight. She thought
her husband had a hemorrhage, either
of the head or lungs. Her sister was
of the opinion a blood vessel had
burst.

who lives with his mother, upstairs, was summoned. He and his mother were soon at the gasping man's side. Ritchie lifted him to a sofa in the next

Ritchie lifted him to a sofa in the next room, and noticing the terrible slash in the throat exclaimed:

"The man's cut his throat!"
This announcement came as a cruel shock to the household, but no time was lost in idle tears or exclamations. Bandages were applied to the gaping wound, and the injured man laid in such a resistor as the close it is

such a position as to close it up, sav-ing as much blood as possible.

Mr. Ritchie ran for Dr. Christie, and after the doctor had done all surgical aid could do in a temporary, way, Mr. Androws was driven hastily to the

hospital.

As soon as he arrived at the big brick institution he was taken to the operating room and put under the influence of anaesthetics. The gashed throat was sewed up, and the doctors made the happy discovery the man's windpipe had not been cut.

His chances of recovery are therefore good.

At two o'clock this afternoon Mr. Andrews was just coming out of the

Weedstock Dispatch.)
Deposits in the Government Savings Bank at Woodstock for the month of January 1901 were \$10,112 as against \$6,517 for the corresponding month last year. The deposits at the Fredericton office in January were \$11,600, only \$1,488 more than at Woodstock, but even this small difference does not mean so much when we remember that there is only one office beside Fredericton in York. County where money is received on deposit, while there are three such offices in Carleton County outside of Woodstock. The deposits at Woodstock for November, December and January reached the handsome total of \$30,000. The largest part of this came from farmers.

MAINE LOBSTER HATCHERY.

A Victim of LaGrippe Nearly

n a Fit of Despondency or Insanity

Lloyd Andrews, aged 51 years, a car-

ers nave, nowever, agreed to close at midnight and to exclude slot machines from the bar-rooms.

GOFFS, Kansas, Feb. 16.—Fifteen masked women broke into the Missourl Pacific freight department last night and destroyed 15 jugs of whiskey and four kegs of beer. Breaking into a freight depot is a penitentiary offence, and the Missourl Pacific officials announce that detectives will be brought here to learn the identity of the women concerned in the affair so they may be prosecuted. The destruction of the liquor, it is contended, was unlawful as the depot is not a saloon and the liquor came from another state. It is believed that an example will be made of the raiders to prevent raids on depots in other parts of the state. The women raided all of the joints here Tuesday and a determined fight against the saloons has been kept up since then.

are now considered as evidence of an impaired mind.

The grief-stricken wife says she hardly gave her husband's action the proper thought. He had been an invalid often, and she thought it a mere fit of melancholla now and then. Yesterday, however, she was impressed with the idea her husband was worrying far too much, and acting unusual for him. So she went to the family physician, Dr. William Christie, and brought home a bottle of medicine the dector prescribed.

Last night Mr. Andrews took a dose, He said his head was aching terribly.

A Chance for New Brunswick Manu-The following letter in reference to the Glasgow International Exhibition, has been received by the secretary of the Board of Trade from the Depart-ment of Agriculture Ottawa. ment of Agriculture, Ottawa:—
Dear Sir.—At the present time I am
arranging for an exhibit of the natural prodeuts and manufactures of Canada for the Glasgow International Exhibition, which opens on May 1st next
and continues until the end of Octo-

Andrews was just coming to ether.

The injured man is very well known in north end. He was formerly carpenter in Stetson, Cutler & Co's big mill at Indiantown, and is regarded as a genial and thrifty person.

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NORTH TONAWANDA, N. Y.

GLASGOW EXHIBITION.

Yours truly, W. D. SCOTT, Commissioner

SEND HIM HIS CHAIR.

Special Services—A Chinese Concert— Tea and Entertainments. threatened here as a result of the cru-sade recently instituted against the jointists. The saloon men have many The minister and members of the Douglas avenue Christian church will commence a series of special evange-listic services tomorrow afternoon. The meetings will continue every night except Saturday.

The King's Messenger band of Centenary Church purpose siving an afterjointists. The saloon men have many sympathizers, who deny that the crusaders have a right to destroy saloon property. The partisans of each faction are arming, and a clash between them is imminent. Several ministers have been warned to leave the town or suffer the consequence. Saloon keepers have, however, agreed to close at midnight and to exclude slot machines from the bar-rooms.

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CONCERNING THE CHURCHES.

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The Chinese scholars of Brussels street Sunday school, about twenty-five in number, will hold a native concert in the vestry of the church Monday evening. The Mongolians will perform on musical instruments of their own yellow kingdom, and sing. There will be "Englishee" numbers as well. As the concert is more of a private scance, only a hundred tickets have been put on sale.

The ladies of Brussels street Baptist church did not hold their annual tea meeting last Thanksgiving day for several reasons. However they have decided to entertain their friends as of yore on the 28th of March. Committees are already at work mapping out plans and formulating new ideas for the affair, which will be most elaborate and original, as well as an epicurean delight.

The B. Y. P. U. of Leinster street Baptist church will hold their annual conquest meeting on Monday evening. A review of the past century's work will be given by Rev. Dr. Manning, and papers, addresses, etc., on the progress of missions at home and in foreign lands will be read and delivered by Rev. Tra Smith, H. C. Creed and others. An interesting programme of musical humbers will be interspersed.

NORTH TONAWANDA, N. Y. Feb. 16.—George Upper, angineer of a Michigan Central passenger train, was perhaps fatally injured as his train was pulling into the station here this morning. When the train reached the Tonawandas the enginer heard a noise beneath the engine that caused him to think that some of the connections might be loose. He was looking down from the fireman's side of the cab and had his head out so far that it came in contact with an old trolley pole beside the track. The collision was of such force that he was hurled from the engine into the snow along the street, unconscious, with blood flowing from nose and ears. His skull was fractur-Chas. H. C. Pinsent lied at his home

Pleet street, Moncton, yesterday morning. Deceased was an Englishman, 66 years old, a widower, and leaves no family.

The death occurred suddenly last evening, at Fredericton, of Kathleen, daughter of W. H. Canten, the well-known durgist, and six years. nose and ears. His skull was fractur-ed. He was removed to the Memorial hospital at Niagara Falls. Mr. Upper-has been an engineer on the Michigan Central for many years, His home is in St. Thomas, Ont., where he has a family.

daughter of W. H. Canten, the well-known druggist, aged six years.
Francis Quinan, a prominent citizen of Sydney, and native of Halifax, died Thursday.

The death occurred at an early hour yesterday morning at Halifax of Mrs. Elizabeth Gordon, wife of James Gordon, formerly of the firm of Gordon and Keith, Mrs. Gordon was 75 years of age.

years of age.

James R. Gilmore, of Penniac, died Thursday from pneumonia, in the 64th year of his age. He leaves a widow, five daughters and three sons.

Mrs. Eliza Allen, widow of J. N. Gardner, died of heart trouble Wednesday at the residence of her daugh.

nesday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Ansel Crosby, Gape Fourchu, N. S., aged 69 years. She leaves four daughters and two sons, George F., of St. John, being one of her sons.

A telegram to A. J. McCallum, druggist, of Yarmouth, Thursday, from St. George, N. B., conveyed the sad news of the death of his mother, aged 95 years.

of the death of his mother, aged 95 years.

Rufus Stephenson, collector of customs, who formerly represented Kent in the dominion parliament and for years published the Chatham Planet, died yesterday of pneumonia at Chatham, Ont.

Colin Chisholm, a well-known lawyer of Sydney, C. B., died yesterday, leaving a widow and six children. He was a close personal friend of Sir John Thompson and sat in the Nova Scotla legislature of 1885-1890. Mr. Chisholm was only, 52 years old, and one of the leading men of Sydney.

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hibition, which opens on May 1st next and continues until the end of October.

My idea is that in showing the manufactured goods of Canada we should only show such goods as can be profitably exported from Canada.

We have altogether same 20,000 square feet, which is the largest space of any country exhibiting there, within which to show our Caradian exhibits, and my endeavor is to make this exhibit as complete as possible. Through the Manufacturers' Association of Toronto, I have been enabled to come in contact with quite a number of manufacturers who are desirous of exhibiting.

Would you be good enough to let me know if there are any manufacturers belonging to your board who would care to make an exhibit.

I enclose herewith a form of application which gives the terms upon which exhibits are accepted.

You will notice that the government is granting free transportation from the seaboard to Glasgow and return, as well as free space.

I would be very pleased indeed to hear from you and have any suggestions that your board might wish to offer."

W. D. SCOTT. TOURIST ASSOCIATION.

The members of the Tourist Association who have been canvassing subscriptions, are meeting with good responses among the citizens. The following have subscribed since the last list published:

R. P. & W. F. Starr, Ltd. \$10.00 Kerr & Robertson 10.00 Schofield Bros. 15.00 G. S. DeForest & Son 10.00 E. S. Stephenson & Co. 5.00 Maritime Spice & Coffee Co. It& 5.00 H. F. Finley 5.00 H. F. Finley 5.00 E. G. Scovil 5.00 R. Sullivan & Co. 5.00 R. Sullivan & Co. 5.00 T. S. Simms, Ltd. 5.00 C. F. Kinnnear 5.00 C. F. Kinnnear 5.00 C. F. Kinnnear 5.00 C. Charles K. Short 2.00 Quite a long time ago the county council decided to present James Ross, the St. Martins centenarian, with an easy chair. It appears that the council have since concluded to wait until the old gentleman dies before the chair is sent down. Mr. Ross heard that he was to receive the token, and was greatly pleased. He has since been waiting eagerly for the gift, and sent word that he would like to have it before he died. It should have been sent some time ago. R. A. Carder
Charles K. Short
J. S. Frost & Co.

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