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ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, MARCH 7, 1902.

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### GERMANY

in American Waters.

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NEW YORK, March 7.—A special cable to the Heraid from Berlin says:
"I am informed from a trustworthy source that the ultimate object of Prince Henry's visit to Washington is to bring about an agreement by which Germany will be permitted to maintain a large fleet in Caribbean waters to serve for the protection of German settlers and property rights imperilled by the frequent revolutions in South American republics. In official correspondence the fleet of German warships assembled at La Guayra is styled as the "American station." Capt. Stige of the Vienta has received the title of Commodore and will be in command henceforth, flying his own ensign. Although the fleet sent to Venezuela for the enforcement of the rights guaranteed the German capital and citizens already consists of five vessels, it is intended to steadily increase the number. The difficult issue is the acquisition of a vepair dock and coaling station. Hope is entertained here that no objection will be made to the maintenance of the fleet in the West Indies, because it is intended to be entirely for defensive purposes and not to acquire territory.

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"It is claimed that representations made by Prince Heary and Dr. Von Holleben, the German ambarsador at Washington, haze convinced the officials in Washington that no covert designs are entertained, and that protection only is desired, especially because the Berlin government now undertakes the task of directing the German migration movement to South America. Heretofore, the work had been performed by the Hanzeatic League and Colonial Societies bureau of the home office, of which Count Von Buelow is ex-officio presiding officer. It is malaly intended to induce German immisprants to settle in German colonies, or, if they cannot be induced to go there, to settle in South America, where home ties are still preserved. The director of the bureau was for many years consul-general in South America, and was especially chosen for this task.

"I am also informed that the German financiers who constructed the Venezuelan railway which is the subject of pending negotiations between Germany and President Castro's government, are anxious to dispose of their property to American investors. These financiers are represented in New York by Kuhn, Loeb and Company. The claim is made that Germany is not in a position to offer adequate protection to German capital and investments in South America, and that the Great Northern Venezuelan railway might fare better in the hands of United States capitalists.

MAY CAUSE A LOCK-OUT.

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CHICAGO, March 7.—Upon the result of a series of conferences now being held in Chicago apparently depends the inauguration of a lock-out which may result in tying up mayigation on the great lakes. This lock-out, if inaugurated, will affect the 2,400 members of the Licensed Tugs.men's Protective Association, composed of the captains and engineers of the tugs running out of twenty-eight harbors along, the lakes. The difficulty is over an alleged attempt of the Great Lakes Towing Co., otherwise known as the "Tug Trust," to lengthen working hours. CHICAGO, March 7 .- Upon the result

INTERESTING HOROLOGES.

A very "timely" conversation was carried on recently between a hostess and a fair young guest. The hostess was entertaining her company with descriptions of her trip abroad and of the wonderful things she had seen. Among other things she mentioned the clock at Strassburg.

"Oh, yes," remarked the girl, "I have heard all about that. And did you see the watch on the Rhine too?"—Boston Journal.

## THE GUYED GUIDE.

The guide was guiding a guy. As the The guide was guiding a guy. As the guide guide guyed the guy until the guy would no longer be guyed by a guide whom he had hired not to guy, but to guide. So the guyed guy guyed the guide. No wonder every one guyed the guyed guide guiding a guyed guy.—Lafe.

## A SUGGESTION,

The Professor—We should like to establish a few more chairs in our university, but we can't do it unless we receive some more bequests or contri-

butions.

Friend—Why not establish a Chair of Bequests and Contributions with a persuasive professor who can hustle?

## BUSINESS TROUBLES,

Knicker—What makes the office boy so quiet? Bocker—Thinks they're going to fire him. Knicker—Well, why is the junior freeze him out.—Brooklyn Life.

### ST. JOHN DELEGATES

Request in Writing.

ard Cartwright and Hon. Mr. Blair this morning to discuss the dry dock. George Robertson made a strong statement of the case and was followed by John H. Thomson, Mayor Daniel and W. M. Jarvis. The mayor stated that the city would make the same grant intended to be given to the stone dock, and Mr. Emmerson, M. P., expressed the opinion that the provincial government would continue the grant as previously arranged. Sir Wilfrid Laurier selted that the request be put in writing.

BOTHA CAPTURED BUT ESCAPED. Was Entrusted to Rear Guard Who Let Him Slip in Confusion.

LONDON, March 6.—It is reported

Let Him Slip in Confusion.

LONDON, March 6.—It is reported, but the story is not confirmed, that Gen. Louis Botha was recently made prisoner and got away again.

According to the report the affair happened after the capture of Botha's langer near Knapdaar, and the astounding details would not now be known had not a trick been played on the British censor. The tidings came in a private letter from an officer in the field, the latter having been mailed by an intermediary at a free port to avoid the censor's scruthry and certain mutilation.

When Remington's troops made the night attack at Knapdaar they captured several prisoners and the camp equipment of the Boers. Among the men taken was Gen. Louis Botha, but the British did not recognize him and the other prisoners took care to shield him in every possible manner.

After the pursuit of the fugitives had ended the captured men were divided into groups, and Botha—fortunately for him—was included in the number that was intrusted to the care of the rear guard.

Another force of Boers hearing of the disaster to the main body, and that their general had been captured, menaced the British command. In the confusion of the expected attack, the body of British troops that held Botha as their prisoner permitted a few of the burghers to escape and among the number was the redoubtable Botha.

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(London Tattler.)

To Lord Rosebery's famous "spade and wind" metaphor may be added two or three lapses, not all of which are mixed metaphors, perpetrated by Lord Londonderry. In 1896 Lord Londonderry threw the House of Lords Intoroars of laughter during the debate on the second reading of the Irish land bill by gravely declaring: "This is the reason why you have failed to settle the Irish land question in the future as you have in the past." In the course of the same speech he concluded a period with: "This is the keystone of the bill; are you going to kill it?" Better still was a sentence which he uttered in 1897, when speaking once more on the Irish land question: "That, your lordship, will see," referring to a quotation he had just made, "endorses up to the hilt what I have said."

## THE LATE LORD DUFFERIN.

Christian World, London, Feb. 13.)
Lord Dufferin was a brilliant speaker. His sailies and quick repartees often recalled his ancestor, Sheridan, ance at a public dinner in the city at which he presided, a Tory orator, remembering the relationship between Lord Dufferin and Sheridan, quoted a rassage from the latter's play of Pizarro as an argument against the then pending Reform Bill. It was from the speech of Rollo: "The changes which they offer us are a delusion. We want no change, and least of all such changes as they can bring." But the orator had not counted on Lord Dufferin's readiness. When his turn came he created roars of laughter by reminding the speaker that he had not quoted the whole of Rollo's speech—he had omitted certain words which might be applied to the conservative offer of protection. "They offer us protection. What is their protection? Why such protection as the vulture gives, covering and devouring."

## INVESTING IN THE WEST.

A Minnesota Company Has Been Incorpora ed in Manitoba With \$2,000,000 as Capital.

## BIG PROFIT FOR A LADY.

FORT FRANCES, Ont., March 6.—One of the largest deals in which Fort Frances prospectors have been interested for a long time is the control of the largest deals in the following time is the control of the control of

WANT INCREASE OF PAY.

(Montreal Winess, Wednerday.)

John T. Wilson, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trackmen of America, and A. Lowe, vice-president, left yesterday for Moncton, N. B., where they will advise with the committee representing the sectionmen of the Intercolonial, who appear before the treight handlers of the Intercolonial Railway are asking the Minister of Railways and Canais to look favorably upon a request for an increase of pay.

### STEAMSHIP SUNK.

Desires to Maintain a Stronger Fleet Asked By Sir Wilfrid to Put Their Particulars of the Collision Off Holyhead Wednesday Night.

LIVERPOOL, March 7.—The British steamer Haramonides, from Brazilian ports, which was in collision with and sank the steamer Waesland, Wednesday night, 40 miles southwest of Holyhead, and which was towed to this portearly this morning, has a great hole in her bows. The Waesland was bound for Philadelphia and had 32 cabin and 82 steerage passengers.

One of the rescued passengers of the Waesland, who was on board the Harmonides, said the Waesland was rum into amidships, in a fog at midnight, and sank half an hour afterward, her boilers bursting as she went down. The report that only two of the passengers of the Waesland, a man and a child, lost their lives, appears to be confirmed. In addition one woman was injured. Some of the Waesland's boats were in the water a couple of hours, owing to the fog, before they could get alongside the Harmonides. When the Harmonides arrived here her decks were crowded with the half clad passengers of the Waesland, whose pale and haggard faces told the story of their trying experiences. So hurried was the departure of the passengers from the sinking ship that in some cases they were only covered by blankets, and handkerchiefs were thier only head gear.

When the disaster occurred (on Wednesday night) the two vessels were steaming off the coast of the Island of Anglesea. The Harmonides crashed head-on into the Waesland and backed away, but once again struck the then sinking ship, making a great gap in her side.

The sea was perfectly smooth but the denseness of the fog added to the terror of the passengers of the Waesland. The women rushed on deck screaming, but were soon rescued by the officers. Boats were lowered, but while this was being done, the end of one of the lifeboats slipped from its davit and precipitated the occupants into the sea. A steerage passenger, Edward Dangerfield, of Kansas, struck his head against the boat's fittings and was instantly killed and Elsle Emmett, twelve years old, the daughter of the Rev. A. Emmett, was drowned.

The other persons who had been in

## PRINCE HENRY.

BOSTON, March 7.—Prince Henry was officially received by the governor and mayor, acting for the state and city, yesterday, and afterwards presented to Harvard the gifts of the Kaiser to the museum and received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws. Last night the prince was given a dinner by the city of Boston, and sat at the table with more than two hundred representative citizens of Massachusetts.

TORONTO HAS OBJECTIONS To the Government's Telephone Bill at

(Toronto Star.)

The city is not satisfied with the new telephone bill introduced at Ottawa by Hon. Mr. Flizpatrick, the attorney-general.

general.

Corporation Counsel Fullerton says that the present bill takes out of the hands of the municipalities the control of the telephone companies and the streets, as far as the telephone companies are concerned. The bill, Mr. Fulerton also says, does not even restrict the companies to running along the erton also says, does not even restrict the companies to running along the sides of the streets, nor is any provis-ion made for any interference with the travelling public by means of the poles. The public right for damages for injuries sustained by reason of the companies' poles or wires upon the streets is neglected, he declares, and there are no regulations regarding the height of poles, or for the safeguard-ing of trees along the streets where lines are strung.

lives are strung.

Mr. Fullerton is drafting some clauses which the city will ask to have substituted for objectionable clauses.

## (Portland Press, Thursday.)

About 65 Mormon missionaries left on the 9 o'clock train this morning over the Boston & Maine for their homes in Utah. The party arrived Tuesday on the steamship Dominion from Liverpool. They have been engaged it the Mormon work in Europe for some time, making converts to their cause. Among the party were several elders, and one of them, it is said, has, or had, four wives and about 20 children.

## THIS IS CRUEL.

(From the London News.)

Loking about him, the News reporter we struck with the number of beautiful birds which nested in the hats of the lady proliticionists, their once sweet little throats silent, and their soft little eyes replaced beads of glass! Hunted and slaughtered in their woodland hermes to satisfy a demand

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A Mason & Hamlin pedat Church Organ, hand blower, walnut case, full toned. A splendid instrument for a medium sized church. Will be sold at very low price.

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### To the Electors of the City of St. John:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:-

MAYOR at the election to be held on Tues spectfully solicit your suffrages. A service extending over six years has afforded me as opportunity of becoming familiar with civic confidence I will endeavor as far as it lies and advance its interests.

> Faithfully yours, WALTER W. WHITE.

### H. L. COATES, (Cor. Main and Harrison Streets, Oppo site St. Luke's Church, N. E.) CARPENTER, BUILDER

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## GLADSTONE AS A BOY.

Lord Ronald Sutherland Gower, in Lord Ronald Sutherland Gower, in his Old Diaries, just published, relates a story, of Mr. Gladstone which should prove comforting to parents who have mischievous boys. Mr. Gladstone was full of mischief as a boy, judging from his own statements to Henry Chaplin, who related the following to the diarist: "Some time ago, when they met at Waddesdon, the G. O. M. said to H. C. that he had a confession to make to him regarding a certain Mrs. Chaplin, whom the G. O. M. said he was sure was H. C.'s grandmother. The lady to him regarding a certain Mrs. Chaplin, whom the G. O. M. said he was sure was H. C.'s grandmother. The lady lived in Grafton street, and used to give what were then called 'routs,' or arge evening parties. Mr. Gladstone's purents were then living next door to Mrs. Chaplin, and it was the wont of Mr. Gladstone and a brother of his. on the occasions of these festivities, to go to the top floor of their house, armied with squirts, with which they squirted the 'coachmen and footmea waiting in the street below. Henry Chaplin said the way in which the G. O. M. chuckled at the recollection of these youthful escapades was most amusing. He said that Mr. Gladstone became quite convulsed when he proceeded to tell him how delighted he and his brother were to hear the servants expressing their wonder as to where the rain came from!"

# NICOLA TESLA'S PREDICTION.

Will Soon Be Able to Run Machinery pulse From Niagara Falls

NEW YORK, March 6.-Nicola Tesla

NEW YORK, March 6.—Nicola Tesia stated Wednesday that he will before long be able to send an electrical impulse across the Adlantic ocean, and from the Niagara Falls put machin-ry in motion in England without the age of wires.

Tesia refused to comment on the Marconi system or to say whether or not he believed it to be an infringement on his own rights. He says that he experimented successfully years ago and that the sending of messages without wires is a very simple matter. Anent sending exclusive messages, he said:

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"Many scientific men have fallen into the error," said he, "that exclusive wireless telegraphy can be carried on by. Hertzian rays. This kind of telegraphy is just like heliography, only the rays are invisible. The best that could be done would be to send a ray in a particular discetion. This can be done with light, but the liertzian rays have not the great penetrative force of light, and they spread out in all directions. So it comes that when a powerful oscillator, such as would be capable of carrying the electrical disturbance, is worked, all other wireless instruments are more or less affected."

# DANISH WEDDING RING CUSTOMS

(London Telegraph.)

The maidens of Denmark never re-ceive a diamond engagement ring. They are always presented with a plain gold band, which is worn on the third finger of the left hand. On the wed-ding day the bridegroom changes the ring to the right third finger, which is the marriage finger in that country.

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dvertisements under this Head: Twicks for one cent each time, or Three cent word for ten times. Payable in advance.

TO LET.—From the first day of May next hat valuable store and premises No. 88 harlette street, at present occupied by F. Dykeman & Oo. Apply to B. T. C. KNOWLES, No. 8 Paimer Chambers, City. TO LET.—From first of May, Fish of sever rooms. Can be seen Thursday afternoons. Apply on premises, 90 Mecklenburg street, or to MRS. SEEDS, 145 Duke street.

TO LET.—Lower flat house 125 Mecklenburg street, containing six rooms. Separate purposes a poly of the contrast of the contrast

TO LET.—A Flat No. 274 Main street, N., containing eight rooms. Bath and all nodern improvements. Apply on the prem-

TO LET.—Lower Flat of seven rooms. Also upper flat, 5 rooms. All well lighted. Closets and Bath rooms. Pleasantly situated. Thursdays. MRS. THOS. BRUNDAGE, 306 Princess.

TO LET.—From 1st May next, convenient flat containing 4 rooms, self-contained, mod-ern conveniences. Apply to W. Humphrey, 13 St. James street.

TO LET -Seif-contained dwelling No. 1 Elliott Row, at present occupied by Richard O'Brien, Esq. Tes rooms and bath room, and other modern improvements. May be seen Tuesadays and Fridays, 3 to 5 p. m. W. M. JARVIS, 118 Prince William street.

TO LET.—Dwelling, King street east. Heated with hot water and all modern improvements. FRASER, FRASER & CO. TO LET.—Fine store, corner Union and Waterleo streets. Possession at once. Also store 167. Princess street; possession at once. FRASER, FRASER & CO.

TO LET.—Lower Flat. No. 136 Wright street, occupied by W. F. Rogers. Contains six rooms and bathroom. Will be let at a low rent to desirable tenant. MURRAY M. JARVIS, 74 Prince William street.

TO LET.—Flat No. 138 Orange street, six rooms; rent \$89 per year payable monthly. Apply to J. A. PAUL, Custom House, or E. W. PAUL, 166 Waterloo street. TO LET-Flat in new house No. 72 St.

James street. All modern improvements.

Cân be seen Tuesday and Saturday afternoons
from 12 to 5 p. m. Apply to R. N. DEAN on
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TO LET—From let May next, upper flat of brick house No. 2t Predecks street, at present occupied. Fee, astill. Each Heat-ed sent on Wednesday from 3 to 5 p. m. For lerms, etc., apply to ROBERT SEELY. Tel. 42.

TO LET.—Nicely situated house at Hampton Village, with or without land attached. This would make a desirable country residence. Apply to J. E. FAIRWEATHER, Hampton, N. B.

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TO LET.—Fine flat No. 23 St. David treet, containing five reoms, occupied by M. Anderson, Esq. Also barn to let, Can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons. MONEY TO LOAN on sanifactory security, haquire of BUSTIN & PORTER, Barristerst-Law, 106 Prince William street, or Miss like McKee, 29 St. David street.

TO LET.—Comfortable flat of 7 rooms, at resent occupied by W. L. Ingraham, Esq., No 127 Mill street. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternsons.

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TO LET.—Self contained flat No. 104 Waterloo street, containing seven rooms, bath room, store room and pantries; hot and cold water. Can be seen on Tuesday and Thursday afternsons. Apply to P. FITZPATRICK. TO LET.—On Haymarket Square, a house store and stable at present occupied by A. T McGarity. Apply to W. H. Simon, 149 Prin

### SITUATIONS WANTED.

Advertisements under this head inserted WANTED.—A position as clerk, assitan ook-keeper or traveller. ..., Best city refernces. Address A. F., Star Office.

WANTED.—A young man with good re-erences and considerable business experi-nce would like a situation in an office las had a college course in bookkeeping, ic. Apply to D. O. S., Star Office.

WANTED—A position in Millinery work room. Salary no account. Address MILLINERY, care the Sun Printing Co. WANTED—By an accountant of long and varied experience, a situation as Bookkeeper or extra employment in adjusting or audit-ing accounts. Best references. Address AJAX, office of Star.

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### FRED H. DUNHAM, 408 Main Street, N. E.

TORONTO, March 6.-F. H. Clergue was in town today, and invited ers of the legislature to visit his new steel plant at the Soo. By the end of the month these works will be turning out 700 tons of steel rails per day. Six thousand men are now employed by the Clergue syndicate, and by summer this number will be increased to ten thousand.

## ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., MARCH 7, 1902.

WORDS-AND LITTLE MORE.

Following so quickly after the pros pectus of Hon. Dr. Pugsley, which was addressed to the people of Kings county, the governor's speech is a deliverance of scarcely passing interest It lacks that luminous quality which marks the political utterances of the attorney general, and which makes the vorse appear the better part. A very considerable portion of the speech is set down for the benefit, of the future historian, inasmuch as the presen province had enjoyed a visit from royal McKinley is still dead. There is also suspicion that the public has heard about cheese factories and flour mills and the Queens county coal fields and the winter port. The statement con-cerning the fisheries might have been condensed in three words. "We don' The suggestion that the federal government should take over the branch railways as feeders of the Intercolonial is not new, nor likely to lead to the desired result. If any make those roads more safe and cer tain mediums of travel and transper it will be a good thing; but the speech does not say so. . For the rest, the speech foreshadows no important legis ation initiated by the government, no is it worthy of the large space th organs of the government are compell ed to give up to its publication. Dr Pugsley alone would have done muc better. If he did not interest he would at least amuse us.

### FOR THE GRAND STAND.

The Anaconda, Mont., Standard pays its respects to the U.S. Collector Ivey, of Sitka, with a vigor that is efreshing. The papers recently published an order, issued by Ivey, pronibiting British sealing schooners from landing, buying provisions, or taking water at any port in Alaska H charged that British sealers were all poachers and were destroying seal life to the deteriment of American interests. His order was promptly cancelled by the treasury department at Washington, as a violation of treaty rights and of international law. The Standard says that Ivey's action was the grand stand play of a man about to retire from office, and an instance of "a smal man rattling about in a big position. His action was uncalled for, since there are no sealing schooners in Alaskan waters at this season, and if there were, and they violated the law, it was his duty to seize them. The Standard thus states the actual position with regard to the seal-fisheries:-

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The incident brings to attention the whole greatly misunderstood sealing to whole greatly misunderstood sealing the whole greatly misunderstood sealing the known generally that the sealing which the United States government strives so hard to protect is limited to the operations of one corporation which, by least from the United States government, has a monopoly of the business. The ownership of the company is international in character, British and German interests being stockholders. All the skins taken by the monopoly, are sent to London for treatment there.

The pelagic sealer, miscalled poacher, is not necessarily an Englishman because, he sails under the British flag; there are many Americans in the business who take British registry for greater protection. The pelagic sealer pursues the seal in the open ocean. The award of the Paris tribunal was that the United States was entitled to jurisdiction for a radius of 90 miles about the seal rookeries—islands—and hence so long as a pelagic sealer keeps out of that protected zone he is no poacher. Instances of actual poaching on the rookeries in the last ten years can be counted on the fingers of one's hand. In pelagic sealing the hunter takes his chances with wind and weather and pursues an extremely shy and wary quarry; in protected rookery sealing the hunter takes his chances with wind and weather and pursues an extremely shy and wary quarry; in protected rookery sealing the hunter beats out the brains of the helpless seal with a club as it tiles on the rocks, powerless to get away.

It will be observed that the Tele—

The Mary Tubular Steamship Co. capital three millions, asks for incorporation with a view to operate boats to jurisdiction for a radius of 90 miles about the seal rookeries—islands—and hence so long as a pelagic sealer keeps out of that protected zone he is no poacher. Instances of actual poaching on the rookeries—islands—and hence so long as a pelagic sealer keeps out of that

It will be observed that the Tele graph, in its hospital crusade, seek only those who appear for the prosecu tion. Any witness for the defence wh asks a hearing is given scant courtesy That is not the attitude a professing leader of public opinion should adopt in so serious a matter

The members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association who are in the West Indies have found, as others did before them, that Canada is not getting a proportionate share of the trade of the islands. Like others, too, that properly directed effort on the part of Canadian producers will cause a diversion of trade into Canadian channels

LONDON, March 7.-The Times this morning publishes a violent article on the growing power of the United Irish League, and urges the cabinet, which meets today, to invest the lord lieuten-ant of Ireland, Earl Cadogan, with power to enforce all the dormant claises of the Crimes Act, to enable him to proclaim the League as a whole and to deal with it by a change of venue and special jurie.

OTTAWA, March 6.—Mr. Kemp informed that the Intercolonial charg-ed \$3.95 per ton for carrying pig iron and \$2.25 for carrying coal from Syd-

Mr. Puttee was informed that the government had received a petition from the Manitoba Prohibition Alli-ance asking disallowance of the refer-endum act, but no action had been

Mr. Monet, liberal, read the report of Mr. Broderick's statement in the imperial parliament respecting the organization of the imperial army corps in Great Britain and the colonies, and asked whether the Canadian government had been consulted in the mat-

ment had been consulted in the matter.

Sir Wilfred Laurier said the government had no information concerning the subject matter of the statement made by the imperial war minister. He thought when the full report arrived it would be found that Mr. Broderick had been misrepresented. As to matters which were to be discharged at the meeting of the colonial and imperial representatives at coronation time, the house would understand the position of the government when the correspondence should be brought down in a few days hence.

Mr. McLean's telephone bill was read a second time.

Mr. Monk, in moving for correspondence between the Canadian government and the imperial government relating to the Anglo-German treaty of commerce, strongly censured the ministry for withholding information respecting these important matters, contrasting this conduct with the prompt action of the home government in laying the papers before parliament.

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Sir Wilfrid Laurier claimed that in the case of negotiations with the Uni-ted States and Germany correspond-ence was still going on, therefore pa-pers could not be brought down, and there was no cause for Monk's hero-

Mr. Borden (Halifux) said that the German matter was apparently sufficiently advanced last year for Hon. Mr. Fielding to speak of it in the budget address. There was every reason why the country should know what position Canadans had taken in this affair.

The discussion was continued by Mr. McLean and Mr. Kemp of Toronto, the latter showing the loss to Canadian trade of German discrimination

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The government refused to bring down papers and Mr. Monk pressed his motion to a division, when it was defeated by a straight party vote of 167 to 56.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Mounted Police pension bill passed the committee. This bill applies only to officers.

House adjourned at 5.30.

Supplementary estimates for the current year ending next June, brought down today, calls for \$1,358,683, of which \$21,500 is capital. It includes \$450,000 for the census and \$17,000 more for the Pan-American, \$50,000 for repair to government steamers, \$61,560 to replace the Druid, \$50,000 additional for the Mounted Police, the same for the Yukon, and \$358,000 for the reception to the Duke and Duchess of York.

York.

The St. John delegation lunched with Hon. Mr. Blair in the senate restaurant today and spent four hours interviewing Hons. Blair, Sutherland and Tarte. The latter said the suction dredge intended to be used in St. John would not be ready until next spring. The dry dock application will be heard by the premier tomorrow. It is understood Mr. Robertson will ask three per cent, on a capital expendit.

HALIFAX, March 6.—Captain Bermer, who has returned from England, and is getting ready for a Canadian expedition to reach the North Pole, lectured in this city tonight, outlining lis plans. He says \$150,000 will be necessary to pay the cost of his enterprise. The Canadian government has promised him \$60,000. He says he has \$20,000 from other sources and he received in England \$7,500. He will interview the Nova Scotia government tomorrow for assistance to his project.

## FATAL LANDSLIDE.

PADUKAH, Ky., March 6.—A land-slide on the Illinois Central railway near Rosin tunnel today caused the death of Wm. Simons and Granville Morton of Horse Branch, Ky., and Tl. mas Dobbs of Rosin, Ky. All were laborers.

of PERSONAL INTEREST.

Dr. J. H. Gray of Fairville, who had been ill with is grippe for nearly ten days, was able to resume his properties. Wednesday. Rev. J. M. Davenporties Wednesday. The second of the second o

LADY DUFFERIN.

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(London Telegraph.)

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Medium weight walking skirts in Mid-Grey, Dark Grey and Black; flare cut and trimmed with many rows of stitching on the bottom. Sizes 39, 40, 41, 42 and 43 inches long.

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This important department is overflowing with all the latest novelties
produced for the season of 1902. Among
the leading fabrics we are showing will
be found the following favorites.
Albatros Cloths, Broche Bengaline
in colors and black. Width 44 inches.
Price \$1.20, \$1.30 and \$1.60.
Voile Silk Warp 45 inches wide,
\$1.05.
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Striped Volle with Embroidered Spot, 45 inches, \$1.50. Crepe Volle, 44 inches, \$1.00. Henriett "Silk Warp," 45 inches, \$1.50

Silk Giorias, Cream Brilliantines. Cream Serges, White Brilliantines. Cream Nuns Cloth, Cream Cash

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QUEBEC, March 6.—The railway committee of the legislature today reported favorably on the Matame and Gaspe Railway Company's bill, with amendment, providing that work on the road be commenced in four years and completed in ten years, under penalty of forfeiture of the charter. Mr. Kennedy, the member for Gaspe, graphically described the mineral wealth of Gaspe, which was much handicapped by lack of railway connections. Mr. Kennedy stated he had the promise from Mr. Lemieux, M. P., that a new steamer would be placed upon the Bale des Chaleurs route this season.

TORONTO, March 6.—It is stated in military circles here tonight that Col. Burland of Montreal will be commandant of this year's Bisley team.

The prohibition bill passed its second reading in the Ontario legislature by 13 majority, a strict party vote, excepting that Marter, conservative, and a strong prohibitionist, voted with the government.

Sch. Avalon goes to Weymouth carry lumber to a Sound port.

Str. Virginia has been chartered to load hay here this month.

DUFFEY-In this city, March 6th, Mary Ann Duffey, aged 87 years, a native of Innis-killen, Ireland, leaving one son, John Cul-linan. Funeral on Saturday morning at 8.15 o'clock from 101 Somerset street to Holy Trinity charch.

# HELP WANTED, MALE.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance. WANTED.—Three coatmakers, one to have knowledge of ladies dackets. N. A. SEE-LEY, 85 Germain street.

WANTED—A young man, active and in-telligent, to assist in Life and Accident In-surance for well-known and reliable com-panies. A good opening for the right man. Address E. L., Sun Office.

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GIRL WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. MRS. C. K. SHORT, cor. Wright and Goderich streets. WANTED-Cook wanted. Apply at PARK

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MONEY-Advanced on mortgage in large or small sums. Apply to Chas Macdonald, barrister. Walker Building, Canterbury St. On Freehold and Leasehold Property, repayable by monthly invalments or otherwise. Apply to CHAPMAN & TILLEY, Barristers, Palmer's Building, Princess treet.

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Needles and parts for all makes at W. H.

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FOR SALE—An incubator, brooder and glass yard, all in good condition. Will sell cheap. Enquire 31 St. Andrew street. FOR SALE.—Pine corner house and lot. Beautifully situated in most desirable part of city. Address 102 P. O. Box. FOR SALE.—A well-established meat business in a central part of the City. Address "MEAT." Star Office. FOR SALE.—A second-hand typewriter in good condition. Address "TYPEWRITER," Star Office.

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Star Office.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED. — Salary \$900 a year and expenses. Apply ALFRED TYLER, 332-336 Clarence street, London. WANTED.—A college student or teacher who would be willing to take a pupil at nome. Address "G." Star Office. WANTED—Canvassers, male or female, through the city to handle a rapid selling book on the war. Good commissions. Address "M.", Star Office.

FOUND.—On Main street, on 5th inst., a purse containing a small sum of money. Owner will call at 734 Main street, N. E.

TORONTO, March 6.-The prohibitionists are much dissatisfied with the latest changes made by the Ross government in the referendum bill. They wanted the vote taken on municipal election day, and also object to the vote taken in 1898 being adopted as the

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

If you read this advertisement, others will read yours in the St. John STAR. Ask for the advertising man.

# FAIRALL'S BIG

Another Bargain Reduction in Prices This Week.

We are getting rid of our stock very rapidly and are continually reducing prices to do Another big cut was made this week:

DRESS GOODS—These have been put down to a very low figure. excellent opportunity is afforded those who are thinking of new dresses. GLOVES—Long Silk Evening Gloves, best quality, are selling for 25 cents a pair. Cashmere Gloves, two pairs far 17 cents. All other lines in

HOSIERY—Hosiery of all descriptions we are selling at less than cost's and Children's Cotton Hose we will sell this week for five cents a pair VELVETEENS-A few colors left behind which we will sell at 20

We have decided to close the store in the evenings, so all seeking bar gains must come before 7 p m.

# W. H. FAIRALI

17 Charlotte Street.

N. B.—All Shop Fixtures, including Stoves, etc., a fine Hall's Combination Safe, Show Cases and Counters, will be sold cheap. Boiler and Engine for sale at a bargain

SOUTH AFRICA.

FROM MAJOR ROSS.

OTTAWA, March 5 .- Frank Newby received the following letter from Major Charles Ross, commanding the Canadian Scouts in South Africa, and

Canadian Scouts in South Africa, and dated Jan. 24th, Pretoria, 1902:

I have been operating for the last month with General Remington in the Orange River Colony, and a very hot place it is, too, for the Boers there are scrappers from the word go. On the 9th and 10th of the month I had a fight and had two white men killed and one mative scout, also five white men and one native wounded. The Boers had 46 casualties. Not so bad. Leonard Eyans, an old Lethbridge, N. W. T., man of mine, was shot through the heart. I also had another man shot through the forehead, and he lost about three teaspoonfuls of brain, and yet is going to get over it all right—so the doctors

I have about 50 officers and 520 men. I have about 50 officers and 520 men, 2 pom-poms, 6 colt machine guns and a pack train of 30 mules, and they are all as good a lot as there is in South Africa. Forty-five Canadians came out here last week and joined our scouts. Some of them were of Col. Otter's men, of the first contingent, and others of the C. M. R., and some were of my old scouts who had gone home, but returned again. I expect to start tomorrow for Harrismith and move on from there.

A. C. came in contact with the enemy, about two weeks ago, at a place called Witpoortje, a farm situated about midway between Frederickstaad and Ventersdorp. They suffered quite heavily, the returns being three Canadians killed and five wounded, including Capt. McCloud, slightly. The Boer losses, 19 killed, number of wounded unknown. I cannot give our loss, as I have simply seen heliograph reports, no names being included.

This is the troop formerly commanded by Capt. "Billy" Lawless. He left Krugersdorp to take over his command in the Scottish Horse about a month ago. I had a short conversation with him at that time. Apparently his relations with headquarters here were anything but pleasant. However, he was greatly liked by his men for his fighting qualities.

No. 17 Troop, British Columbia, has been split up into small parties of two and three and sent to different troops in A Division. The cause given was the insubordination of the troop, A charge whout the slightest foundation and due, I think, to the utter inability of British army officers to understand and sympathize with Canadian and other colonials.

sumption—the use of high-tension electric currents, 80,000 volts or so. The My many friends in Pretoria had it that I was killed, and so were rather surprised to see me turn up again. I did have a very close call when crossing a flat to get the cover of some Kaffir huts. My horse stepped into a hole and fell on me, and he could not be and fell on me, and he could not get up, nor could I get my leg from sander him, and the Boers were not 800 yards away shooting at me as hard as they could. Lieut. Lee, one of my officers, came to my rescue and got me from under my horse. A bullet grazed his shoulder while helping, My horse was hit also. It was very plucky of him to come to me under such a heavy fire. I mentioned him to the general for the D. S. O.

I got your (Canadian) flag all o. k., and the large one is always flying in my camp on the trek—never for the Boers will never be able to take it. I think that it is the first ene that they have ever seen. We are having lots of rain here, and quite cold rain, too.

MANITOBANS IN HOT FIGHT.

OTTAWA, March 5.—W. A. Colson, writing from Klerksdorp, Transvaal, under date of January 18:

The Manitoba contingent of the S.

# SPORTING NEWS.

THE RING.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 7.—Tommy Ryan last night posted a forfeit of \$500 to meet Jack O'Brien, the middleweight champion of England before the Southern Athletic club for the middleweight championship of the world. Ryan stated that he would accommadate O'Brien with any kind of a side bet from \$2,000 to \$5,000.

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# SHIPPING NEWS.

LATE SHIP NEWS

British Ports.

CAPE TOWN, March 6—Ard, str Tanagra.

Abbott, from St John, and ordered to Port

Clayola.

Returned, schs Geo N Mills and Wm Jönes.
BOSTON, Mass, March 6-Ard, strs Benavista, from Halifax; Boston, from Yarmouth,
NS; sch R P S, from Port Greville, NS.
Sid, str Lancastrian, for Liverpool.
SALEM, Mass, March 6-Sid, schs Etta A
Stiapson and Avis, for New York,
MACHIAS, Me, March 6-Sid, schs Elwood
Burton, from St John for New York; Hortensia, for New York;

MCGILAN, Mr. Barris, et. alie, also Barris, Burris, Weight, John For New York; Heiselds, Nr. Barris, A. S. 40, 50, 40, 60 and 60 ceals per powers.

There are six grades of Red Hook Load, Mr. Barris, and the longer of the analysis of the powers. An interesting and instructive paper agents of the powers of the control of the powers. An interesting and instructive paper and the powers of the powers of the powers. An interesting and instructive paper and the powers of the powers of the powers. An interesting and instructive paper and the powers of the powers of the powers. An interesting and instructive paper and the powers of t

# MORNING'S NEWS. Ever Ready

was washed overboard on the passage. He was twenty-five years of age and unmarried.

About fifty of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Frame waited upon them at their home on Harrison street last night and presented them with a handsome parlor table. After the presentation, which was made by Harry Belyes, the guests were entertained through a very pleasant evening.

The death occurred yesterday morning at the Mater Misericordiae home, Sydney street, of Sister Mary Barbara, of the order of Sisters of Charity. Deceased was formerly a Mis McGowan, who belonged to Kings county. Burial will take place Saturday morning.

Notwithstanding the continued soft weather, the Queens' rink had its usual excellent sheet of ice last evening, and a large number took advantage of the band night to spend another enjoyable evening. If the weather keeps at all cold there will be a band again on Saturday afternoon, when no doubt there will be the usual good attendange.

The Star Line Company have sold the steamer Aberdeen to the Fredericton and Woodstock Steamboa! Company. The transfer was made Wednesday, the purchase price being \$7000. Captain Norwood, who had charge of the steamer last summer, will act in the same capacity this year, and John Johnston as engineer. Rebert Scott of Dumfries will be the general manager of the company.

George Plummer, who has been employed in the London House, Retail, was given a surprise party at his mother's residence, Douglas avenue, on Tuesday evening by about fitty of his young lady and gentlemen friends, and presented with a fountain pen and purse of money on the eve of his departure for the neighboring republic. Mr. Plummer is a very popular young man, and carries the good wishes of all his acquaintances with him to his new kome.

Mrs. Esther Gero is under arrest at Dover, N. H., charged with having killed her husband with a hunting killed her busband with a hunting killed no decober last.

Five men were killed and several others injured by an explosion in the Catsburg mine at Monongahela, Pa., on Wednesday.

The W. F. M. S. of St. Stephen's church will meet in the ladder room at 8 o'clock tonight. The topic will be Perseverance.

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Rev. J. D. Freeman of Germain street Baptist church and Rev. L. J. Macneill of 8t. Andrew's Presbyterian will ex-change pulpits on Sunday next. The evangelistic services at Water-loo street Free Baptist church, which have been successfully carried on dur-ing the jast week, will be continued next week.

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# ADVERTISERS !

Advertisers in the STAR are requested to send in copy not later than TEN the matter may be set up in time for that

ST. CATHERINES, March 6.-Wm ing his brother-in-law. Stephen Furininger, was instantly killed this morning by the accidental discharge of gun he was using to kill rats. He leaves a wife and two children.

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# For Saturday

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# LOCAL NEWS. LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Rev. J. J. Teasdale has been elected chaplain of the house of assembly, and Dr. James Hannay official reporter.

The weekly pay roll at the cotton mills today contained five hundred and sixty names, and amounted to \$2,400.

John Taylor will give two hypnotic exhibitions next week, Monday evening in Fairville and Tuesday evening in Carleton.

Professor W. F. Stockley of the U. N. B., delivered a scholarly lecture in St. John's church school room last night on Bacon and Shakespeare.

Robertson v. Forbes was set down for hearing at the equity court this morning, but owing to the absence of Judge Barker it did not come up.

At the meeting of the Thistle Curling Club last evening a resolution anent the death of Archibald Sinclair, an honorary member of the organization,

Great sale of ladies' fine Plain Cashmere Hose all day Saturday, at F. R. Patterson's, cor. Duke and Charlotte streets. See the transparent sign in corner window of hoslery.

The finance committee of the Seamen's Mission Society called to meet this evening has been postponed until next Tuesday, the 11th inst., at 8 o'clock.

In the hand ball competition in the Y. M. C. A., second series, Kerr and Biddington lead with five games won and none lost. Williams and Steel are next with a win and a lost.

The clock in the steeple of Trinity church appears to be waiting for the city to settle definitely upon any one time. It offers as many as it has faces.

Two trainloads of cattle for ship-ment to England arrived at Sand Point last night. A number of the horses now over there were removed from the sheds to make room for the cattle.

The case of J. F. Taylor, charged with selling six carcasses of beef in the country market, was before the magistrate at the police court all this morning. Judge Ritchie reserves judgment.

Through a misunderstanding it was announced that John Morrissey was about to go to Sydney to start a transfer business. Mr. Morrissey does not intend to leave and will remain in the

Make this store your store. Feel at home in it. We keep China Dishes, Crockery, Tin-ware and household goods of all descriptions. Gents hose two pairs for 25 cents. McLean's Department Store, 565 Main street. Open every evening.

By an order recently issued all persons applying for employment with the C. P. R. will be required to show, before being engaged, certificates from a doctor or other qualified person to the effect that they have been successfully vaccinated during the seven years previous.

St. John District Lodge of Orange St. John District Lodge of Orangemen meet in the Orange Hall for a social evening, tonight. The grand officers of the province and several other prominent members of the order have been invited to attend, and a number of them are expected. Grand Master Thomas of Fredericton will probably be present.

## PERSONAL.

John Sealy and wife left by C. P. R. train yesterday for Boston, there to take steamer today for a month's trip

arrs, Catherine Trombiey left yester-day afternoon for Boston.

The condition of W. K. Allen is not so encouraging as it has been for the past few weeks. He is confined to his bed and his friends are much concerned regarding his condition.—Fredericton Herald.

PRESENTATION TO MISS PETERS

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Last evening at Trinity church rectory, Miss Mary A. Peters, of Pitt street, was presented with a very handsome shair and a beautiful bouquet of carnations and illies of the vailey. The presentation was made by the rector, Rev. J. A. Richardson, on behalf of the teachers and officers of Trinity church Sunday school and the members of Miss Peters' former bibleclass. In making the the presentation Mr. Richardson spoke of Miss Peters' long and devoted services to the work of the school, she having been one of the most respected teachers there for nearly fifty years. Miss Peters' fittingly acknowledged the presentation. About fitty of Miss Peters' friends and associates in the Sunday school work were present and the evening was passed in a most enjoyable manner.

WOMAN STABBED.

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Wosan Stabled.

Yesterday afternoon Robert Hicks colored, stabbed Kate Barrigan, a white woman, in her house, Sheffield street, with a jack knife. The cut is on the left side a little below the heart, but is not serious. Jealousy is said to have been the cause. Hicks was arrested by Officer Thos. Sullivan and the woman was taken into custody as a witness.

The case is expected to be on before the police magistrate this afternoon.

PRAISES THE HOSPITAL

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir,—I wish to state that I was in the general hospital from the 10th of February till the 6th of March, with a had case which caused me to go under two operations, and I must state that I was treated with every kindness, both by doctors and nurses, and I think it very ungrateful of some of the public putting such statements in the papers regarding the food and attendance. I am sure the food is good and also the attendance, considering the small staff of nurses. I have been awake very near all night sometimes, and I have seen those nurses on night duty running about the whole night long attending to different patients. It is about time something was done to provide a few more nurses for the staff. I was up in Hotel Dieu Hospital, St. Joseph, Montreal, for 21 days, and come out as bad as I went in, and I must say I have come out of the St. John hospital a new man through the attendance of Dr. Mac Laren.

Yours truly,

GEO. SMITH. To the Editor of the Star

Yours truly, GEO. SMITH.

DRIVE AND PRESENTATION.

A merry sleighing party left the corner of Sydney and Union streets on Thursday evening, it being the postpolled drive of Leinster street church choir and a few members of the congregation. The party drove out as far as Newcombe's. The roads were in a good condition and all enjoyed the drive greatly. On their return the party were driven to Fred. C. Jones', corner Germain and Harding streets, where refreshments were served and a good time spent. After supper Rupert where refreshments were served and a good time spent. After supper Rupert G. Haley called the gathering to order, saying he had a pleasant duty to perform. Mr. Haley then called Miss Florence Drake and Ernest W. Appleby to their feet, and on behalf of the music committee of Leinster street church presented Miss Drake with a beautiful chateline purse containing \$15 in gold and Mr. Appleby a beautiful pair of gold cuff links, sultably engraved. Both recipients were greatly surprised, but thanked the donors very heartily.

### Y M. C. A. PENTATHLON.

The indoor pentathlon will be held in the Y. M. C. A. this evening. The events will be, high jump, fence vault, broad jump, pull up and dip. In each of these events all of the contestants will take part, and the man receiving the greatest number of points will be the winner. The pentathlon is a Y. M. C. A. event and there has been no such contest here before. The gymnasium instructor will act as referee. For the last month or so the men have been in trainfing, and tonight's contest will be a good one. The entries are: F. Robinson, John Malcolm, L. R. Hopper, G. W. Emery, A. Willet, A. A. Burnham, a good one. The entries are: A. Rosinson, John Malcolm, L. R. Hopper, G. W. Emery, A. Willet, A. A. Burnham, Robert Forbes, E. E. Crurch, H. J. Debson, Harry Forbes, A. R. Carloss, G. S. Maxwell, G. W. Ellison, W. W. Laskey, R. F. Wisdom, G. S. Whittaker, H. Coleman, C. L. Nelson, A. L. Cassidy, F. A. Lawson, J. W. Brown, J. McLean, Bruce S. Robb and Bect.

BACK TO SHEFFIELD STREET.

There is trouble in the Pitt street There is trouble in the Pitt street mission. The dove of peace has flapped its wings and flown away while in the kitchen the industrious sounds of the washboard have, by the absence of one; of the workers, sensibly lessened in volume. Lottie Hornet, who, lured by the prospect of ease and a comfortable home, left her Sheffheld street residence and moved to the Routledge. fortable home, left her Sheffield street residence and moved to the Routledge mission, now talks of painted pots, sour grapes and disappointed hopes. She left the mission yesterday, carry-ing with her a tale of starvation and cold which has moved to pity many of her former associates. Life in the mission did not prove to be one long uninterrupted dream of bliss. Lottie says she was nearly starved and often says she was nearly starved and ofte suffered from cold. She is satisfie with her experience and her one wis

staff of the Western Union Company, at St. John.

John McMulkin of Indiantown, while at work on the David Weston yesterday morning, fell down a flight of stairs and sprained an ankle. He is confined to his home.

W. T. Stout of Toronto, first vice-president of the Dominion Express Co, and S. T. Stewart, superintendent at Montreal, are in the city.

Judge Landry passed through the city today on his way to Dorchester.

Dr Morris returned from Fredericton today.

Mrs. Catherine Trombley left yesterday afternoon for Boston. so seriously injured yesterday morning while attempting to board a train at the foot of Trinity street, and subsequently taken to the General Hospital, where an operation was performed, he will recover. The doctors are not apprehensive at all, and do not anticipate apy further complication. The fractured portion of the skull was trepanned by Dr. Bruce Riordan."

## AS TO FIRE ESCAPES.

The preliminary canter in regard to the enforcement of the by-law relating to providing fire escapes will be held in the police court today. Most of the proprietors of buildings who have been notified by Inspector Maher have taken steps to have their buildings equipped, and already quite a number of fire escapes have been erected. The inspector has reported the management of the Dufferin Hotel for failing to comply with the requirements of to comply with the requirements of the by-law and the matter will be brought before the police magistrate at half-past two o'clock this afternoon.

## THAT \$14 HORSE.

The parties interested in the ownership of a horse which was found wandering about on Germain street a few nights ago, have been summoned to appear at the police court today. Edward Fitz and Fred Manning purchased the animal for \$14, but soon tired of their bargain and endeavored to get their money back. The dealer refused and the horse was left on the street, where it was found by the police and taken to Hamm's livery stable.

The steamer Huronian left Glasgow for this port on the 11th of February and is now considerably overdue. It is thought here that she may possibly be towing something, which would ex-plain the delay.

Hugh Galloway was reported by Inspector Jones for giving liquor to Jeremiah Finnegan, an interdict, on Friday evening last. Finnegan's son told how Galloway had come to their house on the evening in question, produced a bottle of liquor and said that he was going to treat. He announced that he did not care a d— for Jones or anyone else, and pressed Finnegan to drink, pouring the liquor into a cup and offering it to him. They had several drinks and might have had more only young Finnegan took the bottle and emptied what remained.

In addressing the court, Galloway claimed that he did not know Finnegan was on the list, although the son had on several occasions told him that his father had been papered. This son was a bad boy. He is seventeen years old, only seventeen, and he called his father a liar, an awful thing to do. If Galloway had called his father a liar, he would never have seen this country. The boy is bad and should be sent to the informatory for seven years. "But," said the magistrate, "I could

try. The boy is bad and should be sent to the informatory for seven years. "But," said the magistrate, "I could not send him for more than four." "Then you ought to send him for five years anyhow." Galloway went on to explain that he had got the liquor to cure a cold and believed that Finnegan was afflicted in the same way. He was fined twenty-five dollars or thirty days in jail.

John McGuire, for being drunk and profiane on the north side of King square, was fined eight dollars or twenty days.

(Anaconda, Mon., Standard, March 1.)
Daniel Fraser, one of the oldest and best known shoemakers of Montana, who had plied his trade in Butte for about nine years, died suddenly last night at the Free Coinage lodging house on West Mercury street. Death is supposed to have been due to heart disease. Fraser's death appears to have been expected by those who knew him. He had been in ill-health for several weeks; in fact, he had not been well since the death of his mother, in Nova Scotia, last fall. He brooded a great deal about her demise and appeared to be drowning his grief in strong drink. Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed and will not be until Undertaker Richards gets a response to a telegram sent to

will not be until Undertaker Richards gets a response to a telegram sent to A. M. Fraser, a brother of the dead man, at Pugwash, Pictou county, Nova Scotia.

Daniel Fraser was born in Pugwash, Pictou county, Nova Scotia, in 1852. He came of Scotch parents. He came to Montana about 18 years ago and located in Helena. There he conducted a lucrative business as a shoemaker. He removed to Butte about nine years ago. Tax receipts found on the person of Fraser indicate that he was a property holder in Silver Bow county.

# WILL SUE FOR \$19,000.

The administrators of the estate of E. B. Kierstead, the St. Stephen business man who was killed at McAdam Junction a year ago while alighting from a moving C. P. R. train, have brought suit against the Travelers' insurance Company of Harttord, Comm., and the Ocean Accident Guarantee Company of London, Erg., to recover the amount of indemnity carried by the assured in each, amounting in all to \$19,000. The companies refused payment on the ground of contributory negligence.

F. A. McDonald of Carleton, who is in the office of the Imperial Oil Company here has been promoted to the office at Cleveland, Ohio, and will leave Saturday. Mr. McDonald is a member of Branch No. 133 C. M. B. A., Carleton, and held the office of first vice-president. He resigned from office Wednesday night, and the branch passed a resolution congratulating Mr. McDonald on his promotion, at the same time expressing regret at losing him.

## SECURE YOUR SEATS.

It would be well for all those It would be well for all those who purpose attending the Neptune Club concerts, next Wednesday and Thursday, to procure their seats at once, as there is a very large advance sale all ready. Miss Tonge will arrive in the city tomorrow noon. Mr. Witherspoon sings at an important concert in Carnegle Hall on Monday, so will not arrive in St. John till Tuesday night. Don't delay the above matter.

A STRAWBERRY BLOSSOM. There came to the Star office by There came to the Star office by mail this morning a strawberry blossom placked by Mrs. Allan W. Lister, at Mars Hill, Carleton county, on Sunday last. Besides the blossom there were several well developed buds. Looking upon this sweet messenger, and then gazing out upon the heaps of snow on Canterbury street, the staff of this ambitions young journal forgot their ambitions, and sighed for the sunny slopes of Mars Hill, whence cometh the blushing promise of the splendor of the springtime.

# NUMBERING THE HOUSES.

A large number of people have during the last few weeks applied to the city engineer for the proper numbers for their houses. On some streets the numbering appears to have been fairly correct, while on others the opposite is the fact. There are still a large number who have not applied for the proper figures to place on the front of their residences, but the police are gradually working the matter to completion.

# GO UP 'HEAD.

(Telegraph.)
One report has it that Kruger has already made an offer of peace on the basis of the status quo ante bellum, that is to say that matters shall remain as they were before the war.

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BOER DELEGATES TURNED DOWN.

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WASHINGTON, March 6.—Messrs. Wolmarans and Wessels, the Boer representatives, who came to the United States from Europe for the purpose of conferring with the secretary of state, were received by Mr. Hay yesterday afternoon as private citizens.

The principal object of the delegates was to induce the U. S. government to do something to terminate the present bloody struggle in South Africa. They were not very specific as to what they wanted. The secretary promised to consider their representations.

Later in the day Messrs. Wolmarans and Wessels accompanied by Dr. Frederick Mueller of the Orange Free State, called at the White House.

They were received by President Roosevelt in the library and remained with him about 15 minutes. They called as private citizens.

Mr. Roosevelt informed them that this government cannot and will not interfere in the struggle.

# GYPSIES IN ONTARIO.

A Band of Sixty Foraging Among Farmers of North Oxford.

INGERSOLL, March 6.—Fred. Foster of North Oxford had an experience with an impudent band of gypsies last week which he has no particular desire to have repeated. The company consisted of about sixty people of sexes and of all ages, and they had with them sixteen horses and eight warrons. They encamped in class prox-

sisted of about sixty people of both sexes and of all ages, and they had with them sixteen horses and eight wagons. They encamped in close proximity to Mr. Foster's residence, and for about three days they made that gentleman's life anything but happy. Their first act Was to invade the household for a supply of bread and anything else of an eatable nature that would serve to appease their hunger. A portion raided the barn and, without going through the formality of asking permission of the owned, proceeded to help themselves to oats, putting them up in Mr. Foster's bags. They also secured a supply of hay and straw, which Mr. Foster, in the largeness of his heart, donated to them. They did not scruple to appropriate anything that met their fance, and during the three nights they were there Mr. Foster secured little sleep. He finally induced them to pull up stakes, and it was with a great sight of relief that he saw their wagons disappearing in the direction of the rising sun. appearing in the direction of the ris-

WEATHER BULLETIN. ssued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, Director of Meteorological Service.

St. John Observatory, March

St. John Observatory, March 7.

Weather Reports from Observations Taken at 8 a. m. 75th Meridian Time.

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Charl'town. 30.14 22 N. 6 Cloudy
Halitax. 30.24 24 W. 4 Clear.
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Eastport. 30.25 20 N. 2 Clear.
Boston. 20.36 28 S.W. 2 Clear.
New York. 30.36 28 S.W. 2 Clear.
Forenon Bulletin from Toronto
Porecasts—Moderate winds, mostly west and southwest; fair and moderately cold; Saturday, fair and a little milder.
Synopsis-Fair, moderately cold weather now prevails over the maritime provinces and no return to storay conditions is at present indicated.
Note.—Pelegraph messages of enquiry re-

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SAINT JOHN OBSERVATORY.

The Time Ball on Custom Building is hoisted half its elevation at 12.45, full elevation at 12.59, and drops at 1 p. m., local time, at the Observatory, equivalent to 5h. 24m. 16s. at Greewich, and 12h. 24m. 16s. railway or standard time of the 75th meridian.

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Local Weather Report at Noon.

Friday, March 7, 1902.

Highest temperature 34

Lowest temperature 12

Temperature at noon 34

Humidity at noon 39

Barometer reading at noon( sea level and 32 deg Fah) 30,29 inches

Wind at noon:—Direction, S. W.; velocity, 20 miles per hour.

morrow morning at nine o'clock. Among her first cabin passengers are Mr. and Mrs. J. Todd of this city. M. Kelly sails in the same steamer. The most of the Corinthian's passengers will embark at Halifax.

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