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F. S. Thomas, 555 MAIN ST. NORTH END. RUSSIA ON GUARD. TOKIO, Japan, Oct. 25.—The Russian minister at Seoul, Korea, has recognized the illegality of the action of the Russian authorities in preventing the landing at Yongampo recently of the Japanese legation at Seoul, and his party, and has sent the requisite instructions to Yongampo.

Overcoat Weather Is here at last, and the way Overcoats walked out of here on Saturday is proof positive that the style, make, quality and prices of our Overcoats are right. Men's Overcoats, \$5.00 to \$16.50 Buy now when the stock is full and you can be better pleased. J. N. HARVEY, MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING, 199 and 201 Union St.

BLACKMAIL STORY DENIED. Interpreter Bernstein Contradicts Immigrants Story Says the Whole Thing Was a Put Up Job by Enemies of His in Halifax.

The Star last Thursday published a statement that an immigrant who gave the name of Israel Garra, accusing Joseph Bernstein the immigration interpreter at Halifax, of blackmail. Mr. Bernstein, who is in the city today indignantly denies the story.

According to Mr. Bernstein's account, this immigrant, who in Halifax gave the name of Barnat Marvill, came to Quebec on the steamer Dominion and arrived in Halifax from Quebec on October 1st, in search of employment. He told Immigration Agent Annand that he was a cabinet maker and was directed to the Nova Scotia Furniture Co. On returning, he said he was unable to obtain work there, and expressed his desire to return to Montreal.

After the immigrant had gone Mr. Bernstein wired to Immigration Agent Miller, at St. John, that Marvill had refused to pass the United States inspection there. That was all he had to do with the matter.

Mr. Bernstein is of the opinion that this immigrant was encouraged to act as he did by some enemies of his in Halifax. Mr. Bernstein has been fourteen years in the immigration service, and bears certificates of efficiency from Dr. Montisambert and other prominent officials.

A TOWN ON FIRE Truooke, Cal., May Be Destroyed—Many Million Feet of Lumber Burned.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 25.—A despatch from Truooke states that the lumber mill of the Truooke Lumber Company at that place has been burned to the ground, that several million feet of lumber in the yards are on fire, and that the water supply of the town is running low. It is feared the entire town will go.

MAINE BEARS ARE IN UGLY MOOD Hungry Animals Are Giving Their Would-Be Hunters Very Live-ly Times.

BANGOR, Me., Oct. 24.—Deprived of their usual luncheon just before retiring for the winter, and having fared badly on berries last summer because of the small crop, the black bears of this vicinity are in bad temper this fall. Never before within the memory of old settlers were the animals so warlike and positively dangerous.

POWERS DISAGREE. CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 25.—The proposed Austro-Russian joint control of Macedonia does not meet with the approval of German and Italian diplomatists and the Porte is expected to utilize the disagreements between the powers in order to delay action.

STOLEN MAIL BAG FOUND. Disappeared From I. C. R. Station at Moncton, in September—Found in Rear of Post Office.

MONCTON, Oct. 25.—Some small boys playing in a shed at the rear of the post office yesterday found the mail bag that was stolen from the I. C. R. station about the first of September, last. The bag was tied up in a piece of paper. There was a slit in the side, about six or seven inches long. The contents were missing. The bag was carefully wrapped up and had been stashed down between the walls, and it was only by accident that it was found.

SUICIDE AT ST. JOSEPH'S. Thomas J. Finley, Cook at the Oil Works Kills Himself While Temporarily Insane.

MONCTON, N. B., Oct. 25.—A telephone message from the oil works at St. Joseph's, says that Thomas J. Finley, who has been employed there as a cook, committed suicide yesterday. The lifeless body of the unfortunate man was found in the cook house and the coroner was notified.

TOMORROW'S VISITORS. Superintendents of Bridges and Buildings Will be Shown Around St. John.

This forenoon, D. J. McLaughlin and George Robertson, the committee appointed to represent the board of trade, met a number of aldermen and citizens in the City Hall and discussed the matter of an informal reception to the Superintendents of Bridges, and Buildings' Association of America. It was decided that there should be no formal reception.

REVISORS MADE MISTAKE. At the meeting of the revisors on Saturday evening C. J. Milligan appeared and wanted to know why his name had been dropped from the list.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CONVENTION. BOSTON, Oct. 25.—Four hundred or more authorized teachers of Christian Science, from various parts of the U. S., assembled at the first church of the Christian Science, this city, today, to consider matters in connection with the teaching of the faith.

DIED THIS MORNING. The death occurred this morning at the Mater Misericordiae Home, Sydney street, of Mrs. Sarah Green, widow of the late Patrick Green. Mrs. Green was in her 76th year and till recently enjoyed fairly good health.

FOOTBALL. The Mount Allison football team are anxious to arrange a match with the Carleton Amateur Athletic Association for Saturday next.

MONEY IS SCARCE. About a month ago a subscription list was opened in the mayor's office for those who wished to contribute to the relief of the sufferers from the Japanese hurricane. On Oct. 25th Schofield Bros. handed in \$25.00, and this amount was placed in the bank. Since then no other subscriptions have been received.

MODERN ELIJAH LOSES CHARIOT. Dowie's Coach and Horses Seized for Debt The New York Campaign Ends Next Sunday—Meetings Very Slimly Attended.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The usual early morning service of the Zion restoration host in Madison Square Garden today was attended by a large crowd of Zion citizens with a small sprinkling of outsiders. Dowie attended the meeting and spoke for a short time. Today begins the last week of the host's restoration campaign in this city. The occupation of the city by the host will end next Sunday.

SUBURBAN TRAIN WRECKED. Rear End Collision, Near Orange, New Jersey—A Dozen Suburbanites Injured.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—At Orange, N. J., today the Barnardville express on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railway crashed into the rear of the Ocean accommodation, wrecking the engine of the express and the rear car of the accommodation. Of the dozen persons injured, Mrs. Henry M. Dowd, of Orange, N. J., who had both neck and back broken, and Lawrence T. Bell, a New York broker, who was badly shaken up, and had an ankle sprained, were the most seriously hurt.

A CHINESE MURDER. NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The police, aided by United States Inspector McLaughlin, of Philadelphia, are investigating the death of Sam Jim, a Chinese, who died recently in a Chinese store on the Bowery, Jim, according to the inspector, was indicted, with eighteen other Chinamen for smuggling opium, and it is said, that in order to escape punishment, he furnished the secret service officials with information that resulted in the discovery of a vast smuggling plot.

SENIOR FOOTBALL TEAM PROPOSED. There has been considerable talk about a senior football team being organized in this city, and it seems a pity that with so much available talent it has not taken a more definite shape.

HONORED BY THE POPE. VIENNA, Oct. 25.—Pope Pius has conferred on John J. McGinnis, of New York, as leader of the first American pilgrimage upon his pontificate, which he received the day after his election, the medal pro rege et pontifice.

The Street Railway Co. has secured from the C. P. R. permission to cross the latter's tracks at Fairview. This was arranged by Mr. Downie when Mr. McNicoll was here. Work on the new car line will be commenced this week.

Fred Clark, of the Clark-McCormick crew, is a happy father. The son and heir, a fifteen pound specimen, was born a couple of days ago and promises to become a first-class oarsman—as much as he promises to become anything in particular at present.

Word of the death of Mrs. Jessie Elliot was received yesterday from Glenville, Carleton Co. Mrs. Elliot was the wife of Robert Elliot, who was engineer in the works of Jas. Harris & Co. here. The family removed to Glenville more than twenty years ago. Mrs. Elliot had been in poor health since last Christmas and passed away Saturday last. Five sons and two daughters survive her.

Doctor—"Well, Mrs. O'Brien, I hope your husband has taken his medicine regularly, eh?" Mrs. O'Brien—"Sure, then, doctor, I've been sorely puzzled. The label says, 'One pill to be taken three times a day, and for the life of me, I don't see how it can be taken more than once.'"—Punch.

KILLED HIS STEP-FATHER. An 18 Year Old Boy Shoots to Death His Mother From Being Beaten.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—As he was about to strike his wife with an iron bar, Nicholas Rolle was shot and killed by his step son, Henry Walscheid, eighteen years old. Rolle was abusive to his wife and threatened her because dinner was not ready. Walscheid saw Rolle raise an iron bar to strike his wife. The youth drew a revolver and fired at his stepfather. Walscheid was arrested. He said his stepfather had abused his wife on several occasions and that he previously had had quarrels with the man because of the latter's ungovernable temper.

TURKISH TROOPS ROUTED. Arab Tribesmen Rebel and Kill 1000 Turks Including the Governor of the Province.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 25.—It is now announced that the military commandant, Ahmed Pasha, and the governor of the province of Arab, were killed as a result of a revolt of Arab tribesmen against the imposition of a new cattle tax and that about a thousand Turkish troops were killed or wounded. The Turkish force was routed. About fifteen battalions of troops have been dispatched thither. General Hadey Pasha has been appointed commander-in-chief and governor of Arab.

GRAIN SHIPMENTS AT HALIFAX. Their Elevator Will Be Filled This Winter With Wheat for the Allan Line.

In view of the statement of Mr. Tiffin that no arrangement had been made by the I. C. R. to furnish the Allan Line with freight at Halifax, and of the declaration of the Allan Line that little freight was offering there, the following from the Halifax Chronicle is interesting:

There will be some bustle and life about the I. C. R. elevator at Deep Water Terminal during the coming season, for the depositors of grain will be used in real earnest from the latter part of November until the snow melts in the spring. This will be the first year that the elevator has been put to permanent use and its opening really marks the inauguration of shipments from Halifax on a substantial scale of the products of Canada's great western wheat fields.

I. C. R. Terminal Agent Duxton told a Chronicle reporter yesterday that the Allan line Bavarian, which would be due here about November 21, would load grain, and he had written for instructions about getting the elevator in readiness. He declared that all the Allan liners loading here would in all probability carry grain as it was really necessary in order to steady the vessel. Deals could not be loaded quickly enough.

Mr. Duxton also expects that some of the Furness line boats and also those of the Pictou & Black line will load grain here this winter and he further expects that vessels of the C. P. R. fleet, which are expected here to load apples, will take a considerable quantity of grain. Altogether the elevator should be pretty busy this winter.

Mr. Duxton says that all the passengers coming on the Dominion and Allan lines this season will be landed at Halifax instead of some at St. John, as in former years. The Hamburg American line will also land all its passengers at Halifax this year.

"Well," remarked the new office man, patting himself on the chest, "the boss hasn't found any fault with my work so far." "No," replied the old book-keeper, "he told me he didn't have to find any fault with it was evident that there was no need of looking for it."—Cincinnati Times-Star.

OPERA HOUSE GRAND SCOTCH CONCERTS, Nov. 5th and 6th, Under the management of F. G. Spencer. PRESENTING: GEORGE NEIL, Tenor; MACKENZIE MURDOCH, Violinist; HARRY MUNROE, Character Comedian; FLORENCE CRAIG, Soprano; ALFRED LAWRENCE MURDOCH, Pianist. All from Scotland. Plan opens at the Box Office Saturday, Oct. 31st. PRICES: 40c, 50c, and 75c.

CODFISH! FOR SALE BY JAMES PATTERSON'S, 16 and 20 South Market Wharf, St. John, N. B. HANM'S LIVERY STABLE 124 Union Street. Telephone 11 HORSES BOARDED—Clean and Warm Stables, best care and attention. DRIVING OUTFITS and COACHES for hire at any hour. NEBEDEGA Mineral Spring Water possesses a combination of rare medicinal properties not found in any other water and is being used with great success for general debility, rheumatism, gout, convalescence, indigestion and other infirmities. In all cases of sour stomach and heartburn Nebedega will give instant relief. Chronic indigestion, permanently cured. LOWY—A sum of money by way of Union, St. John and Main streets. The finder will come for a favor by leaving same at THOS. J. PHILLIPS' Confectionery store, 213 Union street.

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Ladies' Furs BOAS AND STOLIES in Mink, White Fox, Black Martin; and a splendid line of low priced furs. THE QUALITY OF OUR BLACK MARTIN this season has never been surpassed—and the prices are right. LADIES' FUR LINED CAPES—with linings of Kaluga Amster, Squirrel and Muskrat. MEN'S FUR LINED COATS in stock and made to order.

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TO LET—A cottage containing eight rooms. Enquire of M. J. WILKINS, 501 Haymarket square.
FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET at 117 Elliot Row. Apply on premises.

HELP WANTED, MALE.

Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c.
WANTED—A good machinist. N. A. BEELEY, Tailor, 85 Germain street.
WANTED—A boy to learn the dry goods business. Apply to MOHRELL & SUTHERLAND, Charlotte street.

WANTED—A boy to learn the drug business, 14 or 15 years old. Apply at A. CHILPMAN SMITH & CO'S, Charlotte street, city.
GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special accident, sickness, life insurance, and general insurance business. Liberal terms to suitable men. Write to 27, Montreal.

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Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c.
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WANTED—Cavalier servant in family of two. Apply MRS. DE SOYRES, 17 Garden street.

WANTED—An experienced tailor. Apply with references. MRS. JOSEPH ALLISON, 290 Princess street.
WANTED—General servant. Apply mornings or evenings. MRS. FREDERICK SCHOPFELD, 127 Wright street.

WANTED—Cook. City references required. Apply to MRS. P. H. INCHES, 179 Germain street.
WANTED—A respectable elderly woman to do house work and take care of two small children in a well-to-do family. Apply evenings to MRS. LACKREY, 63 Erin street.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in family of two. Apply at 183 Princess street.
WANTED—Girl to learn paper box making. Apply D. F. BROWN CO., LTD.
WANTED—A kitchen girl at the DUFFERIN HOTEL.

Bryant, Emma, eruptions on the face of body, Barber, Itch, Salt Rheum, Blood Poisoning of Wounds, Ring Worm, Hives, Redness or Bad Skin, and all inflammatory eruptions are quickly cured with **BIDDY MARTIN'S EXTRACT.**
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FOR SALE—That desirable situated two story and basement brick dwelling and freehold lot, known as the Sweden property, 80 Orange street, this city, and adjoining the residence of the subscriber. Can be inspected at any time. For further particulars apply to W. S. FISHER, 75 Prince Wm. street.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Young L. Mary, Hazen and Watson. Can be seen at S. T. Golding's stable, Princess street.

FOR SALE—One 1/4 in. Pine Door, 6 ft. high, by 1 ft. 6 in. wide. Glass pane. Apply Sun Printing Co., St. John.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A quantity of receiver or rifle ammunition, No. 40 S&W. Apply to CHACK BENT, Star Office.

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FOR SALE—A quantity of steam pipes and iron, fifty-six pound weight. Apply at Star Office, St. John.

FOR SALE—A Metal Furnace, capacity about 20 pounds. Apply at Star Office, St. John.

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Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c.
BOARDING—Boarding at a reasonable rate, also canary birds for sale. 40 Pad-dock street, MRS. WAY.

LODGING—A lady requiring lodging can hear of a pleasant room. Address "L," care Star Office.

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WANTED—Violin, Mandolin, Banjo or Guitar pupils. Address MUSICIAN, Box 5, St. John.

LOST.

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LOST—A Washbone Brooch, between Carleton street and Brunswick by way of Waterloo and Richmond streets. Finder please leave at Star Office, city, reward.

LOST—A red leather card case, with engraved bees and the owner's cards inside. The finder will please return to the DAILY SUN OFFICE.

REV. MR. ROACH'S FAREWELL.

Rev. Howard H. Roach preached his farewell sermon to the congregation of the Tabernacle Baptist church last evening. He took his text from Luke xiv: 26: "And compel them to come in."

He inquired into the causes which kept the majority of people from church. This life of ours is altogether too full of material things; the pursuit of the almighty dollar is too engrossing. Some, however, stay from church through indifference. The church should take a strong attitude toward these masses. A mere invitation should not be extended to them to come, but organized efforts should be put forth to compel them.

Chronic Constipation surely cured or money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS, never fail. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price, 35 cents. At druggists.

Flippe—Do you tell your wife everything that you do? Flippe—Nope. She tells me.—Town Topics.

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A FAIR TAUNT.

In referring to Sir Wilfrid Laurier's expression of regret that Canada has not treaty making powers, some of the British journals speak tauntingly of the suggestion as unwarranted and impossible so long as Canada is dependent upon the mother country for external defense.

Stinging as the taunt is, Canadians cannot resent it. They have laid themselves open to worse than that. With a nation and a population constantly increasing in wealth, they remain dependent for the defence without which they cannot exist, upon a people already taxed almost to the limit of endurance. They prefer to sacrifice self-interest rather than run the risk of violating their cherished principle of self-government by contributing to the support of a force in the disposal of which they have no voice. They refuse to see that that in the payment of a certain annual sum to the British government for services rendered there would be no such surrender, while, in demanding those services, as they do, and refusing to pay anything in return they forfeit all right to treatment other than that accorded to a dependent and ungrateful province.

FAITH CURE.

Saturday's papers told of the death of a young boy in Quebec, whose parents, though he was suffering from diphtheria, would summon no doctor, and who took him out of bed, almost in his death agony, to pray over him, after the teaching of Dowle, whose followers they were.

It is time the law took strong action to prevent such murders by credulous followers of such cults as Dowleism, Christian Science, or whatever other belief excludes human remedies in the treatment of disease. If a man who has attained the years of ostensible responsibility prefers to die with his co-believers praying over him rather than call the aid of a physician, let him die by all means, and make room for a man with common-sense. But this sacrifice of helpless children on the altar of superstition is another thing, and calls for suppression as stern as would a revival of the horrors of Moloch with the fiery hands.

That those who make the sacrifices are conscientious may be extenuation from them morally, but it no more excuses their actions than the probable sincerity of the anarchist Caelogoch excused the murder of President McKinley. For the health and the security of the nation strong measures must be taken against the continuance of such killings in the name of religion.

CHURCH UNION.

It is sincerely to be hoped that the renewal of the negotiations to unite the Baptist and Free Baptist churches may be successful. The wonder is that the two bodies have kept apart so long. Their differences are so trivial beside the great truths which are common to both. Consolidation is characteristic of the present age and under the new conditions the Christian church cannot accomplish the work before it as long as it is made up of many factions, more or less inharmonious. As the forces that are purely worldly unite, those that make for the coming of the Kingdom must also be concentrated if they would hold their own. Who would make the world better has not time to wrangle over dogmas. There is so much to do, so many evil influences to be met, so growing a tendency toward expediency instead of right these days and the shadow who keeps the keys of all the creeds comes so soon.

JOY IN PORTLAND, ME.

Portland, Me., is justifiably jubilant over the passage of the G. T. P. bill. In the course of a long editorial congratulating Portland, the Press says: "This enterprise, the success of which is now assured beyond a doubt, is probably of no small importance to Portland, since the overflow of the traffic to be developed by the new line will naturally come to this port."

"It was of the same bill that Hon. Mr. Blair of New Brunswick—who resigned from the Laurier cabinet on the railway issue—said that its provisions regarding the carrying of Canadian freights to Canadian ports were worthless and that after all the traffic of the west would be found pouring out at Portland and Boston."

The Press concludes that the building of the line "can scarcely help redounding to the benefit of Portland more or less."

A NOTORIOUS SESSION.

The parliamentary session which closed last Saturday will long be memorable in the history of Canada. In the first place it was about a month longer than any previous session, exceeding by that much the P. archies bill session of 1885, and McGreevy investigation session of 1891.

The house had been sitting longer than an average session before the government was ready to take up the principal business of the year.

But the length of the session will not be its chief claim to notoriety. It will be historic as a session of oppressive, reckless and costly legislation.

Though claiming a surplus of \$14,000,000, and admitting that the amount taken from the people in taxes last year exceeded by many millions the sum taken in any other year, the government did not remit a dollar of customs or excise duties, while several new or additional imposts were authorized.

The amount voted for current expenditure is by far the largest authorized in any session since confederation. Apart from the Grand Trunk Pacific measure the amount voted for capital expenditure, or authorized by legislation during this session is larger than in any previous year, excepting that in which the Canadian Pacific railway bill was passed.

Including the Grand Trunk Pacific bill, the obligations assumed in this one year exceed the amount assumed in the whole four or five year period of any previous Canadian parliament.

A certain United States congress of recent years was called "the Billion Dollar Congress" because in its two years' term it agreed to that amount of expenditure. If the measures adopted by the Canadian parliament this year are carried out the session of 1903 may properly be called the Two Hundred Million Dollar Session.

On the basis of relative population the billion dollar congress would have to be a five and half billion congress to compare with this astonishing session of the Canadian parliament—Sun.

WEAPONS.

This fine chased blade a Roman soldier bore;
Here is the silver quill he pitched at play;
This sword within a gold-encrusted scabbard;
Hiding a golden dagger underneath,
Wrought hard-kari on some traitor.

Not water rust, that stain from tip to end;
Yon Malay kris with acid-eaten edge,
The Indian knife, these cruel bits of steel
Shaped crescent-wise, made wounds which did not heal—
Made gaping wounds which spake a foe's fierce pledge.

Here's a attleto with Cellini's mark,—
A woman's weapon, sharp as woman's tongue;
Her names in rubies in the handle set,
With some Grande Signora paid a debt—
Deeper than words the pretty plaything stung.

... Best of all, I like
My Praying Sword,—brought over
placid seas,
Red-coral wreathed, gem-strewn with
shining isles,
From that far country of Eternal
Smiles
And Endless Woes. Upon brown,
patient knees

The Slayer crouched, with elbows on the
hilt,—
A serpent coiled,—before the god of
Fate,
Imploving strength and opportunity
To hurl to kicking fame the enemy
Who came one night and left him
desolate.

As in a mirror, vision worn and dim,
The image shifts. With hungry
palms upbent
And pinyin chant he begs the sacrifice.
A custom haunts me known 'neath
colder skies—
Grace before Meat that exhortation
meant.

—Meribah Philbrick, in *Lippincott's*.

REV. MR. ROBER'S DEPARTURE.

Rev. E. H. Roper, for some time past chaplain of the Seaman's Mission, was given a farewell reception Saturday evening by the committee in charge. H. C. Tully presided, and spoke in words of appreciation of the work that has been done by the Rev. Mr. Roper during his short stay in St. John.

Rev. Mr. Roper in responding explained his reasons for resigning. He had had some difficulty with some members of the board of management as to the manner of conducting the mission. He advised the board to accept the help of liberally disposed people and the help of the mission. "Otherwise," said the speaker, "the mission had better close its doors and cease to exist."

Last night Rev. Mr. Roper preached his farewell sermon to the sailors.

AT ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. Falconer, of Port Massey church, Halifax, preached at both services in St. Andrew's church, yesterday. In the morning his address was on John 1:1: "Now before the feast of the passover, when Jesus knew that His hour was come, that He should depart out of this world unto the Father, having loved His own which were in the world. He loved them unto the end." His text in the evening was Genesis 28:16: "And Jacob awakened out of his sleep; and he said, Surely the Lord is in this place, and I knew it not."

Large congregations attended both services.

FOUR DROWNED.

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 22.—Three men belonging to the U. S. transport Kilpatrick and a Portland man were drowned in the outer harbor last night. The victims were a sergeant of one of the companies on board the ship, the captain's cabin boy, a ship's carpenter, and Fred Stanford of Portland, a man about 28 years of age, who was employed at the fish market of Quincy Dyer on Portland pier. The names of the soldiers were not known.

LOCAL NEWS.

It was D. Melvin who was elected a member of the executive of the Fabrian League on Thursday last, and not Dr. Melvin as previously stated.

Irving Lovett of Yarmouth has purchased from Geo. McAvity of this city his handsome pair of bay horses for \$350.

The St. Stephen's church guild will reopen with a congregational social, to be held this (Monday) evening in the school room.

A fire alarm was rung in between 10 and 11 o'clock yesterday morning for a fire in Mary Gormley's house on Moore street. Only slight damage was done.

E. W. Davis of the Perry Davis Co., and Mrs. Davis are at the Royal. Mr. Davis has been spending a few days hunting. He was accompanied in the wilds by J. Dalsell of this city.

A police officer was called into James French's house on Westmorland road Saturday night to quell a disturbance that he, two Bowling boys and David Guthrie were creating.

Shore Captain Troop and Mechanical Superintendent McLean of the C. P. R. steamship service, returned to Montreal Saturday. They were pleased with what they saw here at No. 3 berth at Sand Point.

The South African service from Canada will be somewhat of an element in the steamship business for St. John this winter. Several lines participate in this business. The Elder-Dempster boats will probably be the Melville and the Monarch.

John Walsh and Robt. Burns were reported for allowing cows to run at large on Douglas avenue Saturday, and later on the cows were landed in the McCarthy stable on Simonds street. Later on the animals were released by order of the police.

The anniversary services of the Church of England Institute will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 28th, 1903, in Trinity church, as follows: Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., evening prayer and sermon at 8 p. m., preacher, Rev. C. D. Schofield. Offertory for the funds of the institute.

A horse with wagon attached, owned by David Gallant and driven by Herbert King, ran away from Adelaide street Saturday night and proceeded down Main street. The wagon came into contact with a pole at the head of the Long wharf. The vehicle was deposited there all broken up and the horse was stopped on Winter street.

A man named Dunham was struck and run over on Waterloo street on Saturday afternoon by one of the teams employed by the White furniture concern. The man was badly hurt and was removed to the General Public Hospital by his son in a coach. Mr. Dunham will be all right in the course of a few days.

SAVED FROM BURNING HOUSE.

About three o'clock yesterday morning Officer William Lee discovered fire in the house occupied by George Wiley, on St. James street, Carleton. He sent in an alarm from box 118 and then went back to the house to arouse the inmates. Through a window which was apparently unoccupied. The smoke was quite thick and the flames had approached very near the bed. Officer Lee raised a window and through it dragged the unconscious man to the street, who, after a short time, he revived. There were no other persons in the house.

The building was badly gutted, and practically nothing was saved. The furniture was valued at \$1,000. The house was owned by James McHale, of Halifax, and was insured.

WANTED—A case of Headache that KUMFERT POWERS will not cure in ten to twenty minutes.

HIS SEVENTEENTH BIRTHDAY.

On Saturday, Edward Manning, secretary of the board of school trustees, celebrated his seventeenth birthday. Mr. Manning had been connected with school matters for forty-eight years. He first taught as a private instructor, then for eighteen years in the old Grammar School, in the time of Dr. Patterson. After this he was a member of the Protestant Academy, in Charlottetown, but after the fire of 1877 returned to St. John and opened a private school. In 1884 he was again appointed to the staff of the Grammar School, under William McLean, and after spending eight years in that position was made secretary of the board, which he has held ever since.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

The following lectures and entertainments will be held in St. John's church schoolhouse during the present season:

—Lecture, England and Germany, Rev. John deSoyres.
Nov. 10—Mr. Chamberlain and the Empire, Prof. Woodbridge Riggs, of the University of Fredericton.
December—Concert under direction of Mr. Fox.
January—Lecture by Prof. Clawson, of the University of Fredericton.
February—Lecture, Life of Bishop Westcott, Rev. John deSoyres.

SAILOR KILLED.

CHATHAM, N. B., Oct. 21.—While receiving a halyard signal on the bark Prince Victor now lying inside the Horse Shoe wharf for the tide an Italian sailor fell from the mizzenmast to the deck yesterday afternoon and was instantly killed. He was eighteen years old and came from St. John Thursday and shipped on the Prince Victor which sailed Saturday morning.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S LINIMENT to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

BIRTHS.

COOK—On Sept. 19th, to the wife of Samuel Cook, a son.

DEATHS.

ELLIOTT—At Glencove, Carleton county, on Oct. 25th, Jesse, wife of Robert Elliott. Notice of funeral hereafter.

MALCOLM—In this city on the 25th inst., James Malcolm, in the 71st year of his age, leaving four sons and two daughters to mourn their sad loss. Boston papers please notice of funeral later.

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Boys' Three-piece Suits.
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The newest shapes in White, Grey, Black, Grey and White, White and Black and Black and White.

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21 Games. Use in any room.
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Recently Improved. Place on dining or library table, or on folding stand; set away in closet or behind door. Rich mahogany frame with piano finish, bed of patent laminated wood with steel girders; the only bed that will remain level under all conditions; green broadcloth cover, best rubber and steel cushions, regular pockets with pocket covers, 16 finest balls, 4 cues; 40 parts, gratis. Write for booklet and colored plates free.

No. 1—2-1-2x5 feet, steel cushions, \$15.00.
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No. 3—2x5 feet, steel cushions, \$30.00.
No. 4—3-3-4x6 1/2 feet, steel cushions, \$35.00.
No. 5—3x5 feet, rubber cushions, \$34.00.
No. 6—3-1-4x6 1/2 feet, rubber cushions, \$42.00.
No. 7—3-1-2x7 feet, rubber cushions, \$55.00.

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SPORTING NEWS.

Fredericton Beat University by 5 to 0. Dalhousie Beat the Navy by 21 to 0. HALIFAX, Oct. 24.—Dalhousie and the navy played a football game today, the college winning by 21 to 0. FREDERICTON, Oct. 25.—The second game of football in the series between the city and the university was played on the college grounds yesterday afternoon and resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 5 to 0. The game was hotly contested throughout, and at no time was it possible to pick the winner. The city team was stronger than in the first game, but still showed the necessity of better training. The team work of the college was excellent and stamp it as the best all round team they have ever had. At times the game was unnecessarily rough, and in this the city was the greater offender. Next week the college expect to play a match with Mt. Allison and St. Joseph. Later in the season the college boys will take a trip to Acadia, and if sufficiently strong to Halifax. The city team is arranging to bring the Wanderers here early in November. TROTTLING. Lew Dillon's New Record, 1:58 1-2. MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 24.—Lou Dillon, owned by C. K. G. Billings, of Chicago, and driven by Millard Sanders, this afternoon proved her right to the title of queen of the turf by trotting a mile under adverse conditions in the remarkable time of 1:58 1-2. The daughter of Sidney Dillon was paced by a runner driven by Scott McCoy and another runner followed closely to urge the mare to a supreme effort. When the time was flashed to the spectators, hats were flung high in the air and cheer followed cheer. Sanders was lifted from his sulky by an admiring throng while Mr. Billings was showered with congratulations. The watches of the three times agreed to a fraction and many horsemen standing in the infield caught the time as officially announced, to a fraction. The timers were Bud Doble, Fred Hartwell, of Chicago, and John Dickerson, of New York. After the mare had been blanketed and sent to her barn, her driver said: "I am not a bit surprised at the result of Lou Dillon's effort. I expected to break the world's record despite the adverse conditions. I desire to say that it is my candid opinion that Lou Dillon can trot as fast as any horse in the world can pace and next year I will demonstrate this statement. With perfect conditions today I would be afraid to say how fast the mare would have trotted the mile." Cresco Will Try to Lower the Mile Trotting Record. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 25.—Cresco will attempt to drive the trotting record here for a mile on a three furlong track at the Kansas City driving park Saturday. GOLF. The St. John Golf Club defeated the St. Croix Club on the St. Stephen links Saturday. The score was as follows: Ladies' Singles. St. John, 1; St. Stephen, 0. Miss Mous-Thomson, 5; Miss Todd, 0. Mrs. E. A. Smith, 6; Miss Todd, 0. Mrs. C. J. Coster, 6; Miss Vera Young, 0. Miss Mary Inebach, 6; Miss Black, 0. Gentlemen's Singles. St. John, 1; St. Stephen, 0. H. N. Stetson, 0; A. R. Chipman, 2. Geo. McAvity, 5; J. D. Chipman, 0. E. A. Smith, 5; Rev. A. S. Morton, 0. Wm. Greg, 3; J. E. Ganong, 0. J. T. Hart, 5; Frank Murchie, 0.

RIOT AND DEATH.

Police Killed and Negro Fatally Shot in Row With Mob in a Tunnel.

WHEELING, W. Va., Oct. 24.—John G. Elliott, marshal of Flushing, Ohio, is dead and Wm. Smith, colored, is probably fatally wounded, having been shot through the head as a result of a clash between officers and a mob of a dozen angry negro laborers and foreigners at Flushing. The fight took place in the tunnel of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad last night. Six of the rioters have been arrested and are strongly guarded to prevent their being lynched.

COREA'S KING SCARED.

Looks Himself in his Palace and Refuses to Consult With his Ministers.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The correspondent of the Times at Seoul cables that the British and Japanese ministers there continue to press the Korean government to open Yongampo as a treaty port in order to neutralize Russia's present exclusive commercial facilities. The Korean foreign minister, the correspondent adds, expresses complete willingness to comply with these requests, but his attempts in this direction are negated by the emperor, who in a state of apprehension because of the conflicting foreign demands, shuts himself up in his palace and refuses to sanction any proposal.

TEN LIVES LOST.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Ten lives were lost by the cave-in of the roof and walls of the subway tunnel at 195th street last night, and four persons were badly injured. All of the dead and injured were workmen and most of them Italians. Following is the list of their names: Timothy Sullivan, foreman; Williams Schuette, electrician; Giuseppe Barone, Stanzione Brune, Louis Tippio, five unidentified Italian laborers. Injured: Juno Pasquale, Batasto Valantio, Alphonse Armatello, Juno Beski.

The accident was the most disastrous that has occurred in the construction of the subway. At the point where the cave-in occurred a gang of twenty men were at work in the tunnel, which is about 110 feet below the surface.

Rufus C. Hunt, general superintendent of the tunnel work, said today that two converging seams had appeared in the roof of the tunnel during the day work on Saturday. The presence of these seams, however, was not believed to indicate any more dangerous character to the rock than had previously been encountered, although it was thought necessary to prop the roof with a number of upright timber braces.

The tunnel was being bored by opening a perpendicular embrasure in the face of the bore and blasting the sides to the right and left of this embrasure. Three blasts were arranged for by the drillers, the holes being charged well toward the roof. The drillers then withdrew and the three blasts were set on fire in rapid succession by electricity, loosening quantities of earth and rock. The drillers say that about ten minutes elapsed to allow the smoke to clear away before Timothy Sullivan, the foreman, and electrician Schuette advanced, the latter intending to light the way. They were followed by sixteen workmen. The vanguard of the gang had reached the broken stone when a rumbling sound was heard. It grew in volume with lightning-like rapidity. Those in the rear had just time to turn about and run when, with a deafening crash hundreds of tons of rock fell on the men at the face of the boring.

The drillers and two or three Italians who were out on the deluge of rock were knocked flat on their faces by the rush of wind through the tunnel.

MURRAY AND LONGLEY.

HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—Premier Murray is to retire from local politics to enter the federal parliament as the representative of the North Riding of Cape Breton. It is stated that he will be succeeded as premier by Attorney General Longley, with D. D. McKenzie, senior member for Cape Breton, and Mr. Murray's law partner, as attorney general. It was with this view that the liberals dismembered the county of Cape Breton, adding Victoria to the North Riding. It is understood from the same source that Wm. Ross, M. P., now representing Victoria, is to be given a seat in the cabinet by the way of Mr. Murray's candidature. The deal to this was consummated at a conference of the liberal leaders at North Sydney on Saturday.

N. S. APPLE CROP.

HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—Of the apple crop of Nova Scotia, which this season will give 500,000 barrels for export to England, 15,000 barrels have already been shipped, the steamer St. John City, which sailed yesterday, taking 15,000 barrels. The remaining 250,000 barrels will be shipped between now and the middle of March, when the Australian apples will begin to arrive. The average price netted by the Nova Scotia orchardists this season is \$3 per barrel, which will make one and a half million dollars this year for the apple growers of this province who are located in the counties of Kings and Annapolis.

MORE MAINE SMALLPOX.

SKOWHEGAN, Me., Oct. 25.—Although no new cases of smallpox were reported by the local health authorities today, it has been practically decided to begin a general vaccination early this week. The patient Sharon, who was recently attacked and promptly placed in quarantine, is critically ill. The scare has affected local business unfavorably and it is feared will cause serious interruption in the schools. To cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powders.

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

Passenger service to and from St. John, in effect Oct. 1903.

DEPARTURES. By Canadian Pacific. Express for London, 6:45 a. m. Express for Fredericton, 6:05 p. m. Express for Montreal, 6:00 p. m. Express for Boston, 6:10 p. m. By Intercolonial. Mixed for Montreal, 6:30 a. m. Express for Halifax, 6:30 a. m. Express for Sydney, 7:00 a. m. Express for Quebec and Halifax, 12:15 p. m. Express for Montreal, 1:15 p. m. Express for Quebec and Montreal, 6:00 p. m. Express for Halifax and Sydney, 11:35 p. m. By New Brunswick Southern. Express for St. Stephen, 7:50 a. m.

By Canadian Pacific. Express from Fredericton, 8:55 a. m. Express from Boston, 11:25 a. m. Express from Montreal, 11:50 a. m. Boston Express, 11:15 p. m. By Intercolonial. Express from Halifax and Sydney, 6:30 a. m. Express from Sydney, 9:00 a. m. Express from Montreal and Quebec, 1:50 p. m. Mixed from Montreal, 3:20 p. m. Mixed from Montreal, 4:50 a. m. Campbellton Express from Halifax, Sydney and Pictou, 6:40 p. m. Express from Sydney, Halifax and Pictou (Sunday only), 12:35 a. m. By New Brunswick Southern. Express from St. Stephen, 7:50 a. m.

STEAMBOAT SERVICE.

By Dominion Atlantic. S. S. Prince Rupert leaves St. John every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7:45 o'clock; arriving from Digby at 5 p. m. By Eastern S. S. Co. Steamer leaves St. John at 8:00 a. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for Lunenburg, Portland and Boston. By Grand Manan S. S. Co. Leave St. John (Turk's Head Wharf) at 7:30 a. m. on Wednesdays for Grand Manan, Campbellton and Return. Returns, leave for St. John on Monday at 8:30 a. m.

CASHIER STOLE \$103,000.

But Was Poverty Stricken When Arrested Two Months Later—From Ohio to San Francisco.

John Flood has been awarded the contract for putting up the government building at Tiner's Point, Pisar-Inco.

The non. cons. of the 3rd Regiment, C. A., will meet in the Ritchie building, Princess street, at eight o'clock Monday evening, Oct. 26.

The government, Mr. Lansdowne, Capt. Blisset, has gone to Halifax and will, it is expected, spend a couple of months tending out on the light houses on the western coast of Nova Scotia. A lighter was hauled alongside the barge J. King & Co. No. 11, ashore on Harding's Ledge on the 21st, and an effort will be made to save some of the cargo.

All preference claims in the estate of John J. Barnett have been paid in full. At a meeting of the creditors a dividend of 25 per cent was declared, payable at the office of Chapman & Tilley.

KILLED BY HIGHWAYMEN.

WOODSTOCK, Ohio, Oct. 24.—W. E. Lattimer, a merchant, was attacked and killed by highwaymen as he was about to enter his home last night. He had a struggle with his assailants and was killed by a blow on the head from a club. Mr. Lattimer was found unconscious, lying on his door step and died twenty minutes later. The robbers escaped.

WHY BLAIR WAS DECAPITATED.

MONTREAL, Oct. 25.—At the liberal rally at Longueuil yesterday Hon. Mr. Bernier announced that he was a supporter of tariff for revenue only, and that protection had been an utter failure and had done the country a great deal of harm. Hon. Raymond Prefontaine, who has recorded himself as a protectionist, was at the meeting to advise the premier's announcement gave the tariff a wide berth in his remarks. The attendance was not large, and the arguments of the speakers were mainly devoted to the attack of Tariff. The touch of the matter is that the Quebec liberals are becoming greatly alarmed over the progress of Tariff in making in the country along protection lines, and have decided to do all they can to stir up feeling against him. Another interesting thing about the meeting was Prefontaine's declaration that Blair's resignation from the cabinet was due to Laurier's refusal to allow him to build the transcontinental railway as he liked. In Prefontaine's words, Laurier insisted upon Quebec interests being studied in the matter, and that Blair's scheme totally ignored them. "The English are not going to have their own way," Mr. Prefontaine added.

FREDERICTON ACCIDENT.

FREDERICTON, Oct. 24.—An accident occurred at Lower Prince William street last night, when Fred Tupper, aged fourteen, lost his life by being caught in the shafting of his father's mill. The accident occurred when no one else was present and the fatal blow was struck by a wheel whirled around the shafting for some minutes, and when discovered was already dead. The dominion government has granted money to clean up and remove the rocks from the steamboat landings between here and Woodstock. The work will be done under the supervision of Mr. Shewan, government engineer. Robt. Scott will be in charge of the operations.

Some idea of the extent of the lumber operations that D. Fraser & Sons and Scott Bros. are carrying on this year may be gathered from the fact that the former now have upwards of 2,000 men engaged in the Tobique and other districts, and before Christmas expected to have 500 more while the latter company is conducting two operations on Black River, one on Keswick and two at Masagavadic, besides several small camps on limits in this country.

TUPPER AT MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Oct. 25.—Sir Charles, accompanied by Lady Tupper, arrived in the city on Saturday morning on the Allan line steamer Bavarian, leaving in the evening for Ottawa. Sir Hibbert Tupper and his mother are following on the transcontinental train this morning.

Interviewed, Sir Charles said no one will dispute the fact that the loss of Canadian territory involved in the recent decision of the Alaskan tribunal is due almost solely to Sir Wilfrid Laurier's back-down when he accepted the American representatives, who formed part of the commission, and who were nothing more or less than politicians working for the success of the United States, and particularly the Washington administration.

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Lot No. 2. Dark Scotch Tweed for Men or Boys' Trousers or Suits. Was 75c. and \$1.00 per yard; now 39c. per yd.
Lot No. 3. Extra fine double width Heather Scotch Tweed Suiting, for Men. Was \$2.25 to 2.75; now \$1.10. 3 1-2 a full suit length, many in that quantity.
Lot No. 4. Heavy Mixed Stylish Tweed for Misses' and Girls' Coats, and double width. Was \$2.35 to 2.75; now \$1.15.
Lot No. 5. Rich Plaid Black Beaver and Tweeds, for Capes. Was \$2.25 to 3.60; now \$1.25.
Lot No. 6. Navy Blue and Dark Tweeds for Boys' wear; all wool. Price was 50c. to 55c; now 29c. per yd.
Lot No. 7. Men's West of England Melton Overcoatings, in Dark Oxford Grey, Navy and Dark Brown, \$3.75, 4.75 and 5.25 qualities; now \$2.00 per yd for choice.

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