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TO CONFER WITH CURZON.

Sir Ernest Satow Goes From
Pekin to Simla.

LONDON, July 7.—The Simla corre-
spondent of the Daily Mail telegraphs
that Sir Ernest Satow, British minis-
ter at Peking, will arrive there Aug. 7
to confer with Lord Curzon. The visit
is generally attributed to the aspect of
affairs in Manchuria, as an Anglo-
Russian rupture would closely affect
India through Afghanistan.

DEATHS

WATSON—At Rockwood, Mass., on July 6th,
Mrs. John Watson, in her 65th year, leav-
ing three sons and three daughters.
Funeral notice hereafter.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived. July 7, 1903.
Str. Cyril, 1469, Levitt, from New
York.
Str. St. Croix, Mitchell, from East-
port.
Coastwise—Jesse C. Sabean, from
fishing cruise; Hustler, Thompson, from
Campobello; Electric Light, Bain, from
Digby; Yarmouth, from Digby; Brun-
swick, Potter, from Canning; Hercules,
Farris, from Annapolis.
Cleared.
Br. Genevieve, 124, Butler, from City
Island, spruce plank.
Br. Priscilla, 101, Granville, from
City Island, for orders.
Str. Nordkap, 2294, Rasmussen, for
Broadhead, for orders.
Coastwise—Sloop Jessie C., on fishing
cruise; Gazelle, Morris, for Advocate
Harbor; Yarmouth, for Digby; Hustler,
for Beaver Harbor; Brunswick, for
Wolville; Orontyathka, for Back
Bay; Aurora, for Campobello.
None of the prisoners who ran away
from the chain gang at the park have
as yet been recaptured.

POPE LEO.

An Operation was Performed
This Afternoon.

And He Is Now Slightly Better,
Although There Are No Hopes
of His Recovery.

ROME, July 7.—At 10.55 a. m.—An
operation for puncturing the pleura
will be performed on the pope at eleven
o'clock with a Pravaz syringe.
ROME, July 7.—Following is the text
of the bulletin regarding the condition
of the pope issued at 2.30 o'clock this
morning:
"The pope passed a restless night
without sleep. Nourishment, however,
has been more freely taken and the
general condition of the patient is a
little more reassuring. An objective
examination shows a change in the
right of the thorax, and the middle
lobe of the lung, which up to yester-
day did not permit the passage of air,
now allows the air to penetrate. On
the other hand the interior zone has
become more obtuse and the trans-
mission of vocal and tactile vibration
is wanting. This leads to the belief
that there is liquid in the pleura. An
experimental incision will be made.
The action of the heart is depressed,
so much so as to render the renal
function insufficient and to cause
cyanosis in the last phalanges of the
hands."
(Signed) LAPPONI,
MAZZONI.

ROME, July 7.—At 7.55 a. m., there
was considerable excitement around
the vatican and numerous persons were
going to and coming from the pope's
bedroom. The relatives of the pontiff,
Cardinal Rampolla and Pope Leo's pri-
vate secretaries, however, remained in
the chamber. Cardinal Rampolla has
been receiving members of the diplo-
matic body at all hours of the day and
night. Several large books kept for
the purpose have been signed by mem-
bers of the Roman aristocracy, high
ecclesiastical dignitaries and notable
personages of the papal court and dis-
tinguished strangers who have called to
congratulate the pope's condition. All
the papal military bodies in perma-
nent service are earning their two
months extra pay which they receive
in case of the death of a pope and
two months extra from the selection of
a new pope.

ROME, July 7.—At 8.55 a. m.—Up to the
present time the telegrams received
from all parts of the world, number
3782. Although the pope is still alive
Cardinal Orsini begins to be the center
of all vatican affairs, as it is considered
that the moment is close at hand when
he will assume the supreme power in
his capacity as Cardinal Camerlengo.
Engineers Scheffer and Mannuli, who
are called architects of the edifice, are
at their office consists in walling up
the cardinals when they have gathered
for the election of a new pope, have
placed themselves at the disposal of
Cardinal Orsini, who has also Prince
Chigi, who holds the office of marshal
of the conclave.

In all the churches masses are cele-
brated and these are attended by an
extraordinary number of the faithful
who pray for the recovery of the pon-
tiff.
9.36 a. m.—When Dr. Mazzoni went
this morning to the vatican, Dr. Lap-
poni made a full report to him as to
how the pope had passed the night.
Then both entered the sick room. Pope
Leo smiled benevolently at Dr. Mas-
soni, but seemed not to have sufficient
strength to speak. The doctor asked:
"How is Your Holiness?"

To this inquiry the pontiff, in a faint
voice replied: "I have no illusion, and
am resigned."
Then he raised his eyes, while his
lips moved, evidently in prayer. The
doctors then proceeded to make a
most minute examination of the pa-
tient, listening to his breathing and
testing his lungs.

The pope, having expressed a de-
sire this morning to read the Ossa-
vatore Romano and the Voce della
Verita, to see what they were saying
about his illness, special editions were
prepared and sent to His Holiness.

LONDON, July 7.—A special des-
patch from Rome says a cabinet coun-
cil has been summoned for this morn-
ing to consider the steps to be taken
by the government in the event of the
pope's death.

BERLIN, July 7.—The Tagblatt's
Rome correspondent telegraphs that
Pope Leo has decided to leave his sav-
ings, amounting to several million lire,
as a private fund for his successor.
ROME, July 7.—At 1.45 p. m.—Dr.
Mazzoni, in an interview this afternoon
admitted that he had not given up all
hope of saving the pope's life. The
puncturing of the pleura has been pos-
sessed until two o'clock this afternoon.

ROME, July 7.—There is no denying
the fact that the life of the pontiff is
slowly wasting away. There are mo-
ments when he seems better and
others in which he is worse. But no
one doubts that hour by hour, moment
by moment, he is leaving the world.
ROME, July 7.—At 2.30 p. m.—The pope
has been operated on and his general
condition is now better.

THE WEATHER.

Highest temperature, 64; lowest tem-
perature, 54; barometer reading at noon
30.05 inches, wind south, velocity 6 miles
per hour. Fine.
Forecast—Light, variable winds, fair,
Wednesday, moderate westerly winds,
fine and warmer.
Synopsis—Weather is fine all along
the Atlantic coast, with no indication
of disturbance. To Banks and to Am-
erican ports, light to moderate, variable
winds; today and Wednesday.

STRIKE SITUATION.

The strike situation remains about
the same. The men deny the statement
made by Director Cushing that there
are forty laborers at work, claiming
that the only men, with a few excep-
tions, now at work are the teamsters
and asphalt crews.
The men are as determined as ever
not to give in and say they will fight
to a finish.

FRANCE AND AMERICA VISIT BRITAIN.

Representatives of Two Nations Re-
ceive Hearty Welcomes Today.

PRESIDENT LOUBET.

Is Being Entertained in London
and Expresses Kindly Feelings.

LONDON, July 7.—President Loubet
today called at the French Hospital
and visited the home for French gov-
ernment. Passing through the ward
of the hospital, he stopped to con-
dole with a corporal of a detachment
of Life Guards, forming his escort, who
was injured by falling from his horse
outside the hospital. The president
returned to St. James' palace at about
ten o'clock. He was everywhere
greeted with great cordiality and cries
of "Vive Loubet" in response to which
he continually raised his hat. A re-
ception was accorded to a deputation
from the diplomatic corps and shortly
afternoon, the president, accompanied
by Ambassador Cambon and Foreign
Minister Delcasse, started in semi-state
to visit the city. Shortly before one
o'clock the Prince of Wales and the
Duke of Connaught, preceded by Life
Guards, drove up to the Guildhall,
where the royal party joined the lord
mayor, Sir Marcus Samuel, Premier
Balfour, the judges, aldermen and
others in awaiting the president. An-
other detachment of Life Guards and
outriders then rode up and amidst a
great volley of cheers President Lou-
bet drove in. The president jumped
out of the carriage, shook hands all
around and after an address from the
corporation had been presented to him
Mr. Loubet proceeded to luncheon.

LONDON, July 7.—Foreign Minister
Delcasse had a long conference with
Foreign Minister Lansdowne this
morning and Mr. Delcasse also length-
ily conversed with the Russian am-
bassador, Count Benckendorff, after
the latter had visited Pres. Loubet.
LONDON, July 7.—The president of
the lord mayor toasted the president
of the French republic. In reply Mr.
Loubet said he was happy to bring to
the heart of the city of London a cordial
greeting from the French people.
"The presence at my side of the

THE AMERICAN SQUADRON.

Reached Portsmouth This Morning
and was Royally Welcomed.

PORTSMOUTH, Eng., July 7.—With
the boom of cannon, the British fleet
on behalf of King Edward, welcomed
the United States European squadron
to Great Britain's principal naval sta-
tion today. The British ships formed
two lines and down this line of huge
gray warships moved the Americans.
National salutes were fired by each
squadron, followed by an exchange of
salutes to Rear Admiral Cotton and
Vice Admiral Bessford. Subsequently
the two admirals exchanged calls on
the flagships. At high tide the Ameri-
can warships entered the harbor, led
by the Kearsarge. As the Kearsarge
approached the railway, the "atten-
tion" was sounded on the Royal yacht
Victoria and Albert, Nelson's old flag-
ship, the Victory, and the other ships
in the harbor, a courtesy which was re-
turned from the Kearsarge's deck.
When the Kearsarge was berthed Sir
William Dupree, the Mayor of Port-
smouth, boarded her and greeted Ad-
miral Cotton. Admiral Cotton replied
expressing his pleasure at the welcome
extended to the squadron and thank-
ing the mayor. On the departure of the
mayor Rear Admiral Milne, command-
er of the royal yacht, specially detailed
by King Edward to welcome the Ameri-
cans, arrived on board the Kearsarge
and was received by Admiral Cotton
and Capt. Hemphill. Admiral Milne
expressed the gratification of King Ed-
ward at the arrival of the squadron,
and in behalf of His Majesty welcomed
it to England. Subsequently Admiral
Cotton, Capt. Hemphill and the staff
officers visited the naval officials, es-
corted by an admiral's guard and a band.

MAY BECOME BRITISH SUBJECT

Bourke Cookrane Will Probably
Make His Home in London.

NEW YORK, July 7.—The Herald's
London correspondent learns on good
authority that W. Bourke Cookrane is
giving serious consideration to the
question whether it will not be to
his best interests to make London his
home henceforward, but also that
he has practically decided to renounce
his American citizenship and become a
British subject as the first step toward
entering the parliamentary arena.

LASHED TO WHEELS.

The Ishmaelite struggle on the Hal-
naut Forest border on May 22 was
marked by intensely dramatic scenes.
In the darkness of night, 20 caravans,
with an immense contingent of women
and children, moved stealthily on to
Lambourne Common, to which they
claim a right born of immortal usage,
and each caravan was linked to its
neighbor by chains running from wheel
to wheel.

Forest keepers, assisted by a strong
force of police, arrived on the scene
early in the morning, and wasting no
time in argument, brought out ham-
mers and cold chisels to cut the chains.
Before they had thus freed the first
two wagons, a party of the women of
the tribe rushed angrily forward and
planted themselves against the vehicles.
Their men folk followed, each with a
coil of rope, and in 30 seconds the wo-
men were all lashed to the wheels, and,
with gleaming eyes, dared the keepers
to move a single caravan.

The forest guard stood dumbfounded
by this dramatic situation, and while
they still pondered their next step,
a little army of bare-legged, sun-
burnt gipsy children threw themselves
beneath the wheels, and, clinging to
their mothers' feet, would neither be
coaxed nor terrified into relaxing their
hold.

At these unexpected tactics the keep-
ers were visibly disconcerted. The
gipsy women were brawny and tough,
and might be removed without sustain-
ing serious hurt; the danger of damag-
ing, indeed, being on the side of the forest-
keepers. But the "kitchen" were another
problem altogether. They clung with
such tenacity that nothing short of
physical force could detach them, and
even in the interests of law and order
physical force in such a case was out of
the question.

The gordian knot was cut with a
knife—not used on the children, but
broken the play to sever the bonds of
the mothers. The women protested
with all the womanly eloquence at their
command, and when they were out of
breath the men helped them.
For more than an hour the caravan
party struggled to get the caravans
free, and only succeeded in the end by
sheer force of numbers. They formed
a well-guarded concentration camp,
carried the gipsy mothers and their
children to it one by one, and penned
them in, angry and threatening, until
all the vans had been released and
pushed off of the common and on to the
public road.

Then the police were posted along
the edge of the common to defend the
position against assault, and held their
ground until the gipsy vans were out
of sight.

At the meeting of the R. K. Yacht
Club last evening A. M. Belding was
elected a member of the club.

TWO KILLED.

A Prominent Citizen and Lady
Run Over By a Train.

TALLADEGA, Ala., July 7.—Jos-
eph H. Graham, one of the most promi-
nent lawyers and educators in Ala-
bama, and Miss Jennette Joiner were
run over and killed by a freight train
at the station last night, while Mr.
Graham was preparing to leave the
city. Mr. Graham was district court
solicitor, field agent of the Southern
Educational board and a noted leader
in general educational matters.

DENOUNCED RUSSIA.

The Chief Speaker at a Mass
Meeting of Jews Speaks
Strongly.

LONDON, July 7.—Six thousand
Jews attended a memorial service for
the victims of the Kishineff massa-
cre last night. Prior to the service, a
pope was made by the Zionists for
funds to establish a home in Palestine
for the Kishineff orphans. The chief
rabbi was the principal speaker. He
denounced Russia and said he trusted
that the truth would finally reach the
ear of the czar through the efforts of
outraged Christianity.

SAILOR SHOT DEAD.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., July 6.—Captain
Willard of the schooner Helen Whit-
ten, of Gloucester, Mass., shot and kil-
led one of his crew, named Pat, Yel-
man, at Cape Broyle on Saturday
night. The schooner had put into
Broyle harbor for bait and was ready
for sea when Yetman refused to go
and jumping into a dory attempted to
cut the painter and leave the vessel.
The captain ordered him to stop. Yet-
man refused and Captain Willard
drew his revolver and emptied five
barrels at the sailor. One shot pene-
trated his heart and Yetman fell dead
in the boat. Captain Willard has been
arrested and will be brought on to St.
Johns for trial. The victim was a
Newfoundlander and his death has
aroused indignation here.

POLICE COURT.

James French was arrested for as-
saulting Mrs. Mary Kennedy in their
house on the Westmorland road. He
pleaded not guilty. Mrs. Kennedy said
that the trouble arose over some fish
which had been poured into the sink.
French struck her on the side, and
pushed the door so that it hit her on
the face. The prisoner denied the
charge and called his wife as a wit-
ness. She said she had got up in the
morning and laid out to boil some
"pitatoes" in the stewing pan, but Jim
wasn't out of bed and hadn't his coat
on. This did not appear to have much
to do with the case, but Mrs. French
later on told how it was Mrs. Kennedy,
who had made all the trouble.
The hearing was postponed until some of
the Guthrie family could be secured as
witnesses.
Harris Johnson, charged with being
drunk on Union street, was let go.
James Mitchell forfeited a deposit of
eight dollars for drunkenness.

PRESBYTERY.

The Regular Quarterly Ses-
sion Held Today.

Rev. D. McDerm, Elected Moder-
ator and Many Committees
Chosen.

The regular quarterly meeting of the
New Brunswick Presbytery was held
this morning in St. Andrew's church.
Rev. Dr. Fraser was chosen moderator
pro tem.
The following clergymen were pres-
ent: Revs. Wm. Peacock, J. H. A.
Anderson, W. A. Ross, J. A. McLean,
A. Ross, R. H. McPherson, J. C. Ro-
bertson, J. C. Colquhoun, F. Baird, A.
D. Archibald, W. McDonald, J. W.
Nicholson, A. M. Hill, J. Ross, A. S.
Morton, J. Burgess, D. Stuart, H.
Boyd, J. J. McCaskill, L. A. McLean
and A. H. Foster. The lay delegates
present were: Judge Stevens, Judge
Forbes, A. W. Colburn, J. Wilson, H.
A. White, Wm. Mitchell and D. Mc-
Lean.

At the opening of the session, the
Rev. P. Strath, of Truro, at present
supplying St. David's church, was in-
troduced by the Rev. Mr. Hill and in-
vited by the presbytery to correspond.
The Rev. D. McDerm, of Moncton,
was nominated for the moderatorship
for the ensuing year and unanimously
elected.

On motion, the Rev. A. H. Foster
was re-elected clerk and the Rev. Pe-
ter Chisholm treasurer.

The clerk's report for the last quar-
ter was read and agreed to.
The Revs. A. D. Archibald and H.
A. White were appointed to examine
the records of the Presbytery church in
St. Stephens, N. B., and the Revs.
J. Burgess and A. W. Colburn to ex-
amine the records of the Presbytery
church in St. James, N. B.

Judge Forbes presented his report as
commissioner to the Presbytery Gen-
eral Assembly, recently held in
Vancouver, B. C. Judge Forbes said
that the general assembly had been
eminently successful, and from a fi-
nancial point of view deserved great
praise. Through himself and Dr. For-
theringham, an invitation had been
extended to the general assembly to
meet in St. John next year, and the
assembly had honored them with an
acceptance. Judge Forbes, in conclu-
ding, thanked the presbytery for hav-
ing selected him as its delegate.

The presbytery unanimously passed
a vote of thanks to Judge Forbes for
his services.

On motion, the Rev. B. Glover was
ordained missionary to the home mis-
sions of Hampton, Hammond River
and Rothesay, his term to begin in
September.

It was moved and carried that Tow-
er Hill mission be separated from
Wameg and Rolling Dam and annex-
ed to Bailey. The Rev. Hunter Boyd
will retain his charge at Wameg.

The following committees were ap-
pointed:

Home Mission Committee: Revs. Jas.
Ross, convener; M. G. McNeil, D. Mc-
Odrum, J. Burgess, D. J. Fraser, A. S.
Morton, J. A. McLean, J. A. Morrison,
W. J. Fowler, F. Baird, A. H. Foster
and the following laymen: Judge
Forbes, J. Willet, Judge Stevens and
S. R. Jack.

Augmentation Committee: Revs. D.
J. Fraser, convener; J. Burgess, J.
Ross, A. D. Archibald, D. McDerm, J.
C. Pringle, W. J. Fowler, J. W. Nich-
olson, J. C. Colquhoun; laymen: G.
Younger, W. C. Whittaker, S. H. Mc-
Farlane, W. J. Parks, H. A. White, A.
Watson, W. S. Sutton and H. D. Mor-
ison.

Committee of Young People's Society
—Rev. A. S. Morton, convener; D.
Stuart, J. F. Polley, Wm. Peacock,
J. J. McCaskill, L. A. McLean; laymen
—A. L. Lamb, H. Murphy, D. McLean
and A. M. McKenzie.

Committee on Church Life and Work
—Rev. J. A. McLean, convener; Revs.
F. Baird, J. H. Anderson, A. Ross,
M. S. McKay, J. K. Bearlister, R. H.
McPherson; laymen: W. Baird, Peter
Campbell.

Statistical Committee—Revs. J. Bur-
gess, J. Ross, A. H. Foster, A. M. Hill;
laymen: W. J. Parks.

Financial Committee—J. Willet, P.
Chisholm, W. C. Whittaker and Rev.
A. H. Foster.

Business committee — Presbytery
clerk, moderator, Revs. J. Ross and F.
Baird.

Committee on session records—Revs.
J. C. Robertson, A. S. Morton, J. Bur-
gess, A. H. Foster, Judge Forbes and
Judge Stevens.

The presbytery adjourned about 12.45
to meet again in St. John next Novem-
ber.

Before adjournment the moderator
invited the members of the presbytery
to attend St. Stephen's church
picnic which is being held today at
Watters' landing.

BULGARIA AND TURKEY.

LONDON, July 7.—The Sofia Tele-
graph's correspondent at Vienna says
the belief prevails there that Bulgaria
intends to send an ultimatum to Tur-
key.

BERLIN, July 7.—Sofia despatches
to the Lokal Anzeiger say the Bulgar-
ian war office has called out twenty
thousand reserves, ostensibly for three
weeks manoeuvres, and two battalions
of pioneers have been ordered to the
Turkish frontier.

The Frankfort Zeitung states that
the Turkish government has decided
to immediately order 196 quick firing
guns from the Krupp works.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Mrs. Jane Daley took
place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock
from her late residence, 283 Brussels
street. Services were conducted at the
Cathedral by the Rev. Fr. Hannag-
han, and interment was made in the
New Catholic cemetery.



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JULY 8th,

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There will be races, Archery, Nine-
pins, etc., for which suitable prizes
will be offered.

Meals and Refreshments served on
the grounds. Dinner, 35c. Tea, 25c.

Boat leaves Indianatown at 8.30
a. m., and 1.30 p. m.

TICKETS, 40 CENTS.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—Three experienced laundry girls
at the GLOBE LAUNDRY.

WANTED—At once four smart capable
girls at the AMERICAN LAUNDRY, Char-
lotte street.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The general convention of the Y. M. C.
A. will be held in Sydney on Sept.
18-20. Conference of secretaries
takes place on Sept. 17th.

TO LET.

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

TO LET—Furnished parlor for one or two lodgers, centrally located. Enquire at 130 Charlotte street.

TO LET—Furnished rooms, without board. Apply to MISS NOWLIN, 30 Wellington Row.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—At 111 Elliott Row. Cheap rent. Apply on premises.

TO LET—From 1st May next that very comfortable, self-contained dwelling house, now occupied by George H. Horton, Esq., No. 159 German street, corner Horsfield, containing 8 rooms, bath room, and cold water, etc. Can be seen on Wednesday and Saturday afternoon. Apply to W. TREMAYNE GARD, 43 King street.

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WANTED—2 Bright Boys about sixteen, to learn the business. Splendid trade with steady advancement. Apply to MANTIME STRAM LITHO. CO., 30 Dock street.

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

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

WANTED—A young man who has had about two years' experience on a machine shop. Apply to SUN PRINTING COMPANY.

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

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

HELP WANTED FEMALE.

WANTED—A nurse girl at once. Apply at 88 Douglas Avenue.

WANTED—At the W. C. T. U. Coffee Rooms, German street, a girl to wait on table. Apply at the Rooms.

WANTED—A chamber maid. Apply at PARK HOTEL, 40 Queen Square.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to 21 Sewell street.

WANTED—A washerwoman to assist in laundry. Address LAUNDRY, Star Office.

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

WANTED—Pant Makers. Steady work at A. R. CAMPBELL & SON, 64 German street.

Brylcreps, Eczeema, Eruptions on the face or body, Barber's Itch, Salt Rheum, Blood Poisoning of Wounds, Ring Worm, Hives, Acne or Bad Skin, and all inflammatory eruptions or swellings are quickly cured with

BIDDY MARTIN'S EXTRACT.

For sale by all druggists.

FOR SALE.

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

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

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

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

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

FOR SALE—A Metal Furnace, capacity about 500 pounds. It has a fire brick lining, with smoke and venting pipes complete. Apply Sun Printing Company, St. John.

LOST.

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

LOST—A gentleman's gold-filled chain, between Elliott Row and Opera House, via Wentworth street. Finder will please return to Opera House Box Office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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

WANTED—To borrow about \$1,000 on city freehold property, west side. Low rent, good location. Address Box 15, City.

THE TYRAN'S OFFICERS.

The steamer Tyrant, of the Government service, went into commission on July 1st, and will leave for the Bay of Fundy this week. The officers appointed are:

Captain—T. O'Leary.
First Officer—Alex. Dixon.
Second Officer—C. C. Dene.
Third Officer—Edw. Hagarty.
Pilot—Wm. McConnell.
Chief Engineer—R. O. Zwicker.
Second Engineer—Frank Judge.
Third Engineer—Mat. G. Doyle.
Fourth Engineer—Laurie Church.
Boatswain and cable splicer—Wm. Goodwin.
Chief Steward—Alex. Ferguson—Recorder.

THE RECORDER'S OPINION.

That City Authorities Cannot Stop Boxing Tournaments.

The delegation from the Evangelical Alliance waited upon Mayor Crosby at the City Hall this morning.

The delegates submitted the resolution passed by the Alliance Friday night expressing their abhorrence of prize fights. They asked that the mayor use his authority to prevent any such fights in the city. They expressed their disapproval of such exhibitions.

One of the delegates intimated that he was not against sparring exhibitions. He was not opposed altogether to boxing tournaments if properly carried out without brutality. Some of the delegates were opposed to all kinds of boxing tournaments where money was the prize.

Recorder MacCoy was present at the meeting and gave it as his opinion that the city authorities could not stop these boxing tournaments.

The mayor promised to do all in his power to see the law was carried out. Halifax Recorder.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 6.—The house of representatives of the Georgia legislature, today after a heated debate, killed by an overwhelming vote, the resolution providing that in the distribution of money to common schools, the county authorities should apportion the money among schools for white and colored youths according to taxable property of the two races.

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THE POPE.

A few years ago it was customary to speak of Pope Leo, Bismark and Gladstone as "the three grand old men." Before this paper is read the last of these may have passed away. In some respects the world has already modified its judgment of the other two. But whatever place Pope Leo XIII. may take in history as a statesman and a pontiff, he will always be admired for his great intellectual gifts and accomplishments, and for a long time to come will be remembered for his personal graces, the rare charm of his manner, and the kindly relations which he has maintained with nations and people of other faiths.

It is not always, perhaps not often, that the most distinguished cardinal is elected to the pontificate. The one most in the public eye may not be considered so available as another who is more in the background. But Cardinal Pecci was at the time of his election Head of the Church in temporal matters, and had long been one of the guiding spirits in the papal government. Even then he was growing old. His career in diplomacy and administration had begun forty years before, when he was made apostolic delegate in various posts throughout the Italian peninsula in the days when the temporal power of the church was greater than it is now. The Prothonotary Apostolic was trained for a life like this. From the age of eight to the age of twenty-seven his whole time was spent in the schools, beginning with a training in mathematics and letters, followed by a long course in philosophy and theology, and concluding with five or six years in the Roman University devoted to canon and civil law. Born of a noble and ruling family, he was marked out from his birth for high office, and when at the age of twenty-seven he was admitted to the priesthood he was at once placed in positions of ecclesiastical responsibility. He was an archbishop and a nuncio to Belgium in 1843, Bishop of Perugia in 1846, a cardinal fifty years ago, and now at the age of ninety-three he has been more than twenty-five years pope.

The condition of the Church of Rome has not called for the exercise of those qualities under which the first Leo, called the Great, or Gregory the Great, or Gregory the Second, or Gregory the Third, or Hildebrand, known as Gregory the Seventh, or that Innocent, who was contemporary with the English King John, achieved their fame. But living in these times Leo XIII. scholar, poet, diplomatist, administrator, friend of all men, and true servant of the church which he was called to rule, is a man of whom all speak well. Even those to whom the papacy is idolatry and Rome is the Scarlet Woman, have a kindly personal feeling for the venerable head of the Roman Catholic church.

THE BRIDGE QUESTION.

The time is certainly not opportune for the erection of the Navy Island bridge, but it is an opportune time to find out what such a bridge would cost. It is also a good time to interest the street railway people, the owners of other railways and the government in the project.

The price of structural steel is now very high. The superstructure would probably cost twenty-five per cent. more than it could have been provided for a few years ago. But there is no reason to suppose that the existing prices will continue. We shall have cheap steel again. Then the time will be more opportune for building the bridge.

But it need not be supposed that the ferry will ever be superfluous. It will always be needed and always used. Perhaps a cheaper service would answer the purpose of the bridge, were it provided, but if the winter port business increases as it ought to increase, and if a summer export trade from the west develops here, as we may reasonably expect, it is not unlikely that the ferry will be needed more than it is now.

Several things are to happen. If the Grand Trunk Pacific or any other Transcontinental railway seeks a convenient Canadian winter port, it must come to St. John. No one can say yet whether the terminus would be on the east or the west side. That would depend largely on the question whether the east or the west side of the river is made the route through the province. It may be that a bridge will be needed by the railway to get to the side of the river where the wharves may be most conveniently placed. In any case the new Transcontinental will be a factor in the bridge question.

MANUFACTURERS NOT SPECULATORS.

The announcement is made by Colonel Jones that the cotton factories will continue operations on full time through more money could be made by selling the raw cotton on hand and closing the mills. This policy will be generally approved by the shareholders as well as by the public. It is not the business of a cotton manufacturing company to speculate in raw cotton, but to turn it into cotton fabrics. Incidentally, a sale may be made when the stock is large and when the sale

does not interfere with operation. But while it is reported that a number of cotton factories are to be closed, it is not likely that any well managed and prosperous establishment will go out of business even for a time if it has a stock of raw material. Employers do not like to close their mill if they can help it. They have a kindly feeling and a sense of responsibility toward the employees. If they turn the help out for the sake of a little temporary gain they would cause great inconvenience and some suffering in many homes. The force would get demoralized and scattered, and those artisans who could find employment elsewhere would disappear and not return again to employers who showed so little consideration for them. The men in charge of the St. John cotton mills understand all these things. They are not men of speculative tendencies, and are sticking closely to business.

A NEW PLAY.

May Nannary and Her Company Do Good Work in the First Production of Face to Face.

The society melo-drama, Face to Face, was given its first production on any stage last evening by May Nannary and her company to a well pleased audience. The plot of the piece was given in these columns a few days ago.

As a dramatic production it possesses many strong features, yet it is doubtful whether it will make a suitable vehicle for a star. Miss Nannary's capability is not given a chance even in the strongest scene, the finish of the third act, and that was saved by the inclusion of one member of the company. As Evelyn Willoughby, Miss Nannary displayed her usual painstaking capable work and made all that was possible out of the part. Mr. Jamieson was seen to advancing as the unscrupulous father. By Mr. Salisbury the part of Capt. Harold Lyndon was well acted, the scene between him and Miss Nannary being splendidly done. Miss Blinn made a success of an interesting part, and looked charming. Mr. Dabney as Archibald DeGrubb looked after the comedy role in his usual manner, and received hearty applause. He was ably assisted by Miss Huntington. Fred Andrews as Philip Dinamore, the deliverer of the two sisters, gave a pleasing performance. The minor parts were acceptably filled. The stage settings were very appropriate, while the ladies' dresses were decidedly rich and pretty.

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SHAMROCK III.

NEW YORK, July 6.—Shamrock III. covered a thirty-mile course off Sandy Hook today 6 minutes and 18 seconds faster than Shamrock I. It was a broad reach of 15 miles to the outer mark and a long leg close hauled back to the finish line.

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COMMON COUNCIL.

Shelve the Bridge Proposal and Support Director Cushing.

At the regular meeting of the common council yesterday afternoon, at which Mayor White presided and all the aldermen, except Ald. Lewis, were present at one time, the bridge scheme was effectively shelved and Director Cushing's action re the street laborers approved of.

The treasury board report, including the negotiating of a temporary loan to meet the indebtedness incurred in rebuilding the McLeod wharf, that \$1,500 be contributed toward the entertainment of the Chamber of Commerce delegates and that debentures be issued for the amount of \$105,000 for the payment of water debentures, was adopted.

The recommendation of the board of works that the permanent city employees be given the usual holidays passed, also the recommendation that parties with baby carriages and bicycles be allowed to pass through the ferries without first going through the turnstile. It was decided to take out one of the telephones in the public works department.

When the section recommending that the council approve of the director's action re the street laborers was reached Ald. McGoldrick wanted to know what the director proposed to do about the present filthy condition of the streets.

Ald. Christie said that there were old men working on the streets who did not even earn \$1 or even fifty cents per day, and so long as the union asked \$1.25 for these men the matter could not be settled so far as he was concerned. It was true that some men were worth \$1.50, but the majority of the \$1 must stay at \$1 or go out altogether. The men must be graded, and one must not climb up on the back of another. The council should support the director.

The section was adopted. The general committee reported having heard residents of the west side with respect to the construction of a bridge across the harbor, and recommended that the city employ an engineer to make proper surveys and report on the cost of building such a bridge, including approximate cost for approaches.

There was considerable discussion on the matter, the cost being variously estimated all the way up to a million dollars, the general opinion being that the city could not afford to build a bridge.

Ald. Baxter thought that some enquiries should be made as to what the bridge would cost and advocated getting the opinion of H. E. Vantelet, an expert engineer, but this motion was defeated.

The recommendation of the general committee was carried, the mayor casting the deciding vote on a tie.

Ald. Baxter again suggested Mr. Vantelet be sent to make the survey, and the work for \$50 a day and \$500 as the limit. The motion was defeated.

The section of the board of works recommending the employment of a naval architect to give a plan of a ferry steamer was then taken from the table.

The recommendation was adopted and it was left with the board to engage the man.

SAFETY BOARD.

The safety board recommended as follows: The acceptance of the tenders of R. P. & W. F. Starr for anthracite coal, and that of the Minidule Coal Company for soft coal for the various services; that renewal leases of lots issue as follows: John M. Christopher, Guy's ward; Margaret Woods and Robert Woods, Queens ward; W. H. Allen, Guys, and P. G. Bryenton, Brooks ward; that the fire wardens of Lancaster be offered a lease of land at

Midsummer Clean-up Sale of Ready-to-Wear Clothing.

Twice a year we clean up stocks. We have sifted out broken lines of Suits, Raincoats, Spring and Summer Overcoats, and those that have proved slow sellers. There are some rare values among these lots.

SUITS—Dark, Medium and Light T weed—formerly \$10 to \$12.50, now \$8.50. **SUITS**—Tweed, Worsted and Serge. Exceptional values at \$10 and \$12, that formerly sold at \$13 to \$15.

RAINCOATS—Dark Grey, Light Weight, \$7; Light Color, Velvet Collar, very nobby, were \$12.50, now \$8.50.

A. GILMOUR, FINE TAILORING,
HIGH CLASS CLOTHING.
68 KING STREET

SPORTING NEWS.

BASE BALL.

Last night's game was a victory for the Y. M. C. A. players over the Portlands in the amateur league series. The contest was on the Victoria grounds. The weather conditions were against good base ball, nevertheless the boys put up a snappy article. The batteries were: Portlands, Briggs and McLeod; Y. M. C. A., "Sixty" Donovan and Fochey.

Score by innings:
Y. M. C. A. 1 2 0 0 4
Portlands 0 0 0 0 0 3

Amateur League Standing.
Won. Lost. P.C.
Clippers 11 4 .733
Portlands 7 7 .500
Franklin 6 8 .428
Y. M. C. A. 5 9 .357

Last night's game hunched the three last teams together more closely, making the race all the more exciting.

The Clippers and Portlands are scheduled for tonight on the Portlands. The game should draw out a large crowd, as both sides are playing better ball than ever.

National League Games Yesterday.
At Cincinnati—First game, Brooklyn, 9; Cincinnati, 3. Second game, Cincinnati, 11; Brooklyn, 3.
At Pittsburgh—Philadelphia, 3; Pittsburgh, 4.
At Chicago—New York, 5; Chicago, 1.

American League.
At Washington—First game, Cleveland, 1; Washington, 6. Second game, Cleveland, 3; Washington, 1.
At Boston—St. Louis, 6; Boston, 8.
At New York—Chicago, 2; New York, 4.
At Philadelphia—Detroit, 5; Philadelphia, 6.

New England League.
At Lowell—Manchester, 2; Lowell, 0.
At Fall River—Fall River, 6; Haverhill, 4.
At New Bedford—New Bedford-Lawrence game postponed, rain.

At Concord—Concord, 6; Nashua, 4.
Connecticut League.
At Meriden—New Haven, 0; Meriden, 4.
At Holyoke—New London, 1; Holyoke, 6.
At Springfield—North, 2; Springfield, 1.
At Bridgeport—Hartford, 0; Bridgeport, 1.

Eastern League.
At Providence—Providence Buffalo game postponed, rain.
At Worcester—Toronto, 7; Worcester, 1.
At Baltimore—Baltimore, 9; Jersey City, 0.
At Newark—Newark, 10; Rochester, 2.

G. P.'S ESCAPE FROM THE PARK.

As long as the gaol bird gang employed at Rockwood Park was limited to the unlucky number of thirteen, things moved along smoothly and the committee in charge of their efforts and the guards seemed delighted with the work performed.

But this week the gaol contained more people and an additional supply of the G. P. uniform having been received the gang was increased to 16 men. But early yesterday afternoon the men at work had been reduced to the old and unlucky number by the defection of Frank King, Joseph O'Brien and John Carr.

King ran away about 11.45 in the morning and at 1.30 p. m. the other two skipped out. The gaol, Buckle and Collins were unable to chase after the runaways as that would have left the other 13 men unguarded.

The men when at the park are not shackled in any way so that it was an easy matter for these three to get away. The G. P. overalls worn go on over the trousers worn by the prisoners so that the runaways need have no fear of detection on account of the gaol girth. They were probably discarded as soon as the men felt that they were sufficiently far away from the park.

The other 13 men came back to the gaol last evening in the usual way. They worked as usual after the big loss in the ranks.

Frank King, the first one to get away, belongs to Fort Howe, and bears a bad name. Joseph O'Brien, best known as "Joke O'Brien," has figured in the police court on many occasions. Carr has attained considerable notoriety according to the police as a thief. These men and any others who may follow their example will, it is said, be captured, be liable to a two year's term in Dorchester penitentiary. The offence is the same as escaping gaol and people have got two years for that.

HIT WITH A STONE.

Guy Taylor of Indian town was hit on the head last night by a stone, causing an ugly wound. Dr. Roberts was summoned and rendered the necessary surgical aid.

On inquiry the police were unable to find out who made the assault. It appears that the party, whoever he was, wanted to get a dog which belonged to Taylor. A quarrel ensued, resulting in Taylor's injuries.

P. E. I. MURDER TRIAL.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., July 6.—The trial of Joseph Carver for the murder of Alexander Stewart of Lot 48, on Easter Sunday, was begun today. The prisoner is cool. He had been engaged with the deceased and on the night of the murder came to Stewart's house three times, threatening his life. The last time Stewart followed him to the barn, where Carver, it is charged, turned and shot him dead. He then went to a neighbor and told of the awful deed and went to bed. The murder was the most blood thirsty in the island's criminal record.

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PERSONALS.

A London cable says: The engagement is announced of Col. Sir Percy Girouard, the well known Canadian, and Gwendolen, only child of Chief Justice Solomon of the Transvaal. Alderman Lewis is taking a well deserved vacation in the land of Evangeline. He left on Saturday.

Miss Bertha Le Worden of Sussex, was in the city yesterday on her way to Boston, where she will take a summer course at the conservatory of music.

Senators Perley of N. W. T., Geo. Ferguson and McDonald of P. E. I., McCreary of Moncton, and McGregor of New Glasgow, were in the city yesterday on their way to Ottawa.

Mrs. R. L. Gunter, Mrs. A. W. Wagon and Miss Dorothy Brandt Wagon of Melrose, Mass., are guests of Mrs. Chas. T. Barnes, Coburg street.

Miss George Harrison of Newcastle is visiting Miss Jean Clark of Carleton.

Mrs. H. J. Roberts will be at home Thursday and Friday, 8th and 10th inst., at 144 Douglas avenue.

Miss Helen Dalton of North end, who has been studying nursing at Worcester, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dalton.

Miss May Duke, who has been studying nursing at Hartford, is spending her vacation with her parents on Waterloo street.

Miss Lottie Lawson of Milltown is the guest of Miss Jennie Scott, Carleton.

Miss Mary C. Barnes, who has been in New York for the past six months studying vocal music with Jack Mundy, is expected home today, accompanied by her brother, C. Herbert Barnes of New York.

Alex. Robertson of Vancouver, B. C., is in the city renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Robertson is connected with the health department of Vancouver. He is a brother of George Robertson, M. P. P., and was at one time in the employ of Jardine & Co.

Dr. P. W. Moriarty of Boston is in St. John visiting relatives.

Mrs. Andrew H. Martin will receive her friends Wednesday and Thursday, July 8th and 9th, afternoon and evening, at her home, 24 Princess street.

CROSSED THE CHANNEL.

LONDON, July 6.—The president of France was given a great reception on his arrival on British soil. It was an historic event. His first day in London closed with a state banquet at 8.30 p. m. at Buckingham Palace. It was the most brilliant function the dingy old pile had witnessed for a long time.

The company included all the high officials of the kingdom. The scene about the palace was animated. Fully an hour before the appointed time the courtyard was filled with state coaches and liveried and powdered coachmen and footmen. Four of the King's carriages were sent to York House, where President Loubet will reside while in London, to convey the presidential party, who arrived at the palace shortly before 4.30. The interior of the palace was brilliantly illuminated. Tricolor incandescent lamps formed the British and French flags, and were extemporized over the grand portico.

M. Loubet was seated next to the Queen, and the King and the Prince of Wales sat opposite to them.

Proposing to the health of President Loubet, King Edward expressed the pleasure that he and Queen Alexandra felt at welcoming the French president at Buckingham palace. His Majesty said he hoped the president would take back with him to France pleasant recollections of his visit. The reception given by him to all classes proved that there was a friendly sentiment among Britons towards France, which, being Great Britain's nearest neighbor, should naturally be her best neighbor.

The king alluded to his recent visit to France and the pleasure he experienced at his friendly reception there.

President Loubet responded: "Sire, I am more than touched by the reception accorded me by your majesty. In truth it is addressed to the whole French people. In their name I beg you to accept my sincere thanks. France treasures the memory of the visit you paid her. I am certain it will have the happiest effects and serve in the highest degree to draw still closer the relations which bind the two nations to their common good and in a guarantee of peace for the whole world. It is with these sentiments that I propose the toast of His Majesty, the Queen and the whole of the royal family."

After a brief rest M. Loubet visited their majesties at Buckingham palace, accompanied by Foreign Minister Delcasse. Later the president proceeded to the French embassy and received an address from the French community.

The only untoward incident of the day was the arrest of a foreigner near the railway station, who declared he wanted to hand a petition to M. Loubet. After an examination the man was released.

SUBURBAN TENNIS.

The summer residents and all the year round people at Brookville and Drury's Cove have organized a tennis club. An ideal spot for the game has been chosen on the picnic ground on the hill back of Mr. Wheeler's residence. The work of preparation is going on rapidly and the club will soon be in a position to issue a challenge. They say that they will perhaps begin with the Chalet players, and gradually work up to Rothsay. Meanwhile some of the cottagers at the Chalet are providing a second court west of the club house.

SYDNEY, C. N., July 6.—The Allan line steamer Hibernian will arrive at Sydney next week from Montreal to take the six hundred head of cattle saved from the steamer Norwegian to England. The cargo, consisting of flour, corn, oil, cattle, etc., is to be sold. It is probable that the Norwegian will be sold at auction.

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MORNING'S NEWS

LOCAL.

Str. Cyril from New York, reached port last night to load deals for the U. K.

Members of the 62nd Fusiliers met at their headquarters last night and formed a rifle association, consisting of over 50 members. No officers were elected.

The Silver Falls Methodist S. S. will hold its annual picnic tomorrow on the grounds of the Log Cabin Fishing Club, weather permitting. If rain falls the picnic will be held the next fine day.

The steam yacht Albatross is expected to arrive here tomorrow. She is owned by Dr. Lovitt of Yarmouth. The yacht Columbia is also expected to arrive here by the end of the week.

Both of these yachts have been attending the cruise of the Newport Yacht Club, to whose fleet they belong.

St. Mary's church picnic, held yesterday at Lepreau, was well attended, and proved a success in every way. The picnic party left at 9.30 in the morning and returned at 8 in the evening. A base ball game was played between St. Mary's church team and St. John's Presbyterian church team. Score, 11 to 15 in favor of the latter.

R. Doce, captain of St. Mary's Boys' Brigade, umpired the game.

U. N. B. EXAMS TODAY.

The examinations to be held in St. John for matriculation to the University of New Brunswick and entrance to the Provincial Normal School will begin in the High School building at 9 o'clock this morning. A number will also write for Superior School class license. Inspector W. S. Carter will preside.

Following is the list of candidates: Junior matriculation to the University of New Brunswick—Harold K. Clawson, Harry S. Day, Roy F. Finley, Douglas D. McArthur, Gordon S. McDonald, Newton W. Smith, Ronald P. Stockton, Goldwin P. Stockton, Clarence Wheaton, William Woods, S. Ethel Armstrong, Daisy A. Belyen, Clara Fritz, Grace F. Flator, Hazel W. Gregory, Edward E. Giggey, Ethel G. Hannah, Mabel B. Henderson, Clara S. Kearney, Edith K. Murphy, Laura H. Myles, Lillie McClelland, Florence G. Perry, Jessie M. Shaw, A. Vaille Sandall, Edna C. Tufts, S. Louise Turner.

Entrance to the Provincial Normal School: Class I.—Robert H. Flewelling, Alex. C. Gorman, Chas. N. Gregg, Robert Straight, Wm. R. Shanklin, Maud B. Brittain, Margaret J. Coll, Elizabeth Cowan, Mary J. Fowler, Beatrice M. Gillen, Agatha Gillen, Agatha Gorman, Genevieve Gorman, Mary B. Harrison, Bessie E. Holder, Mary M. Mitchell, Lillian L. Murray, Margaret McKetton, Gertrude M. Robinson, Edna M. Ryan, Mary E. Brown, E. Brown, Mary A. Davis, Blanche Dixon, Alice M. Mahoney, Mabel C. Perkins, Margaret Powers, Selma P. Reynolds, Hester G. L. Sleep, Grace P. Sharp.

Class II.—Erwin Barnes, J. Robinson, Belyen, Fred W. Cox, Frank W. Fowler, Wm. R. Johnston, Emmerson C. Rice, Walter White Elmore Kennedy, Lillie Pearl Akerley, Zena C. Akerley, Ruth Beza, Eva B. Brown, E. Barry, Lena H. Beckett, Ida G. Curley, Annie L. Clark, Jennie L. Carson, Mildred Craig, Eleanor Dickson, Jessie A. Eldridge, Alice A. Fowler, Eva L. Floyd, Sarah J. Fulton, Nellie G. Gale, Margaret M. Gilchrist, Edith C. Graham, Margaret L. Johnston, Bessie E. Kirkpatrick, Alberta J. Keirstead, Isabelle S. Ketchum, Pearl McCain, Sadie L. McLean, Alice A. Nichols, Ailie P. Patterson, Nina E. Snell, Emeline L. Smith, Mabel B. Short, Carrie E. Spragg, Leona M. Thorne, Ella M. Vanwart, Betsey R. Wilson, Annie E. Wilson, Nina Williams, Margaret A. Anderson, Maud E. Brophy, Eva Duke, Class III.—Ida M. Craft, Lottie A. Washburn.

Superior School class—Goldwin Lord, L. Rita Brown, Edith G. Cummings, Blanche Myles, Annie McGuigan, Ada I. Wright, Agnes G. Waring.

COMING PICNICS.

The Sunday schools of Brussels street and Leinster street Baptist churches will amalgamate on Saturday, the 18th, and hold their annual outing at Westfield Beach. This is the third or fourth time these Sunday schools have held their picnic jointly.

On Thursday next the Norton Baptists will picnic in Rockwood Park here.

FOUR AT A BIRTH.

Unusual Domestic Event Takes Place in Glasgow.

LONDON, July 6.—Mrs. Collingman, the wife of a steel polisher, has just given birth to four girls.

The mother is only 23 years of age, and has been married five years. She first had twins, then singles, and lastly these quadruplets.

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The Silver Stars and Independents will play this evening on the Victoria grounds.

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

It is not yet decided whether the Baptist convention will be held in St. John, but this is considered probable. The date would be after August 15.

The steamer Aurora sailed this morning at ten o'clock for Grand Manan. She had a very large number of passengers and a big lot of freight.

Mrs. Stephen V. Dunlop wishes to acknowledge from the Bartenders' Union the receipt of fifty dollars, being the amount of death claim for her late husband.

W. S. Harkins received a telegram at Truro on Friday night that his son Harry was to undergo a serious operation owing to failure of eyesight. Mr. Harkins left immediately for his home at Yonkers, N. Y.—Mail.

YARMOUTH YACHTS.

The Yarmouth yacht Hermes which arrived in port yesterday to join in the Royal Kennebec Yacht Club cruise went up through the falls this morning and on to Millidgeville where she joined the club fleet which is preparing for the season's big event.

DRIVE AND CONCERT POSTPONED

The congregation of St. Philip's church had arranged for a moonlight drive to Willow Grove on Thursday evening which was to be followed by a concert. The arrangements, however, have been cancelled and instead a concert will be given at the Indian Mission, when Mr. Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Coffin will assist other local talent.

NORTH MARKET WHARF BARE.

North Market wharf was as bare this morning as when Hubbard's cup-board, there not being a single schooner on this side of the slip. One merchant talking to the Star said it was a very rare occurrence and he attributed it to the early closing on Saturdays, which caused the schooner captains to change their hours of sailing.

ST. CROIX HAS BIG PASSENGER LIST.

The Eastern Line steamer St. Croix arrived shortly after ten o'clock this morning from Boston with a big freight and 420 passengers. The St. Croix made an excellent connection with the eastbound train to the satisfaction of many passengers who were en route to Prince Edward Island, North Shore and Cape Breton points.

DUNDONALD COMING.

Officers of the 3rd Regt. C. A. have received notice that the annual inspection of the regiment has been fixed for July 16th, 17th and 18th. These are the dates mentioned some time ago. It is also announced that Lord Dundonald, who is now visiting the different military camps, will come to St. John on those dates and will review the regiment. This, however, is not yet confirmed, but will probably prove correct.

KILLED IN WINNIPEG.

Word was received today by friends in the city of the death of Ralph Vincent, second son of the Rev. W. H. Vincent, formerly of this city, and now of the Logan Avenue Baptist church, Winnipeg.

It appears that last evening Ralph, with some friends, was returning from a picnic at Elm Park, just outside of Winnipeg, and was killed by a street car. Further particulars of the accident have not been received.

Ralph Vincent was fourteen years of age. His mother is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Colwell of Duke street.

MARINE NOTES.

The Battle line S. S. Pydna, Capt. Crossley, arrived at Dublin at nine o'clock this morning from Hopewell Cape with a cargo of lumber.

The schooner Arthur M. Gibson is at Jacksonville, Fla., where she will load hard pine for Fort de France, Martinique. The schooner made a remarkably quick run from Sagua la Grande to Jacksonville, making the passage in four days.

The Battle line S. S. Trebla has sailed from Sydney for Brisbane.

DIRECTORS' OUTING.

Dalhousie Lumber Company Officials Visit Their Property.

On Thursday last Joseph Knight, Henry Hilyard, George McKean, Jas. Manchester, W. T. Whitehead, John H. Tilton and S. S. Hall, directors of the Dalhousie Lumber Company, Ltd., left in a special car to inspect the company's property at Dalhousie. A number of ladies were in the party. Mr. Knight returned yesterday and the rest of the party came in on the Maritime express after having a most enjoyable time, as pleasure was combined with business. The directors of the company are greatly pleased with their property and the way in which the work is being carried on.

NOT FLOATED YET.

The yacht Alexandra, which was sunk in the race at Loch Lomond a year ago, has not yet been raised. Cables were attached to her, but they broke on the lift. Another attempt to float the yacht will probably be made this week.

THIS EVENING.

May Nannery at the Opera House. Base ball—Clippers vs. Portlands on Barracks Green.

If kept in a tight, well covered box, bread of Golden Eagle will keep moist and white fourteen thousand six hundred and forty minutes, or six whole days.

EVANSVILLE.

Thirty-one Bodies Lying on the Street.

After a Volley Fired By the National Guard Into a Mob Surrounding the Jail.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., July 7.—Six shot dead, and twenty-five injured, four fatally, is the outcome of the race riots that have caused a reign of terror in this city during the past four days.

At 10.30 last night the Evansville Company of National Guards assisted by two hundred special deputy sheriffs sworn in during the day, while guarding the county jail in which were sitting twelve negro prisoners, poured a deadly volley of buckshot and bullets into a crowd of several thousand people, led by a hundred armed rioters which was pressing them back amid jeers and threats accompanied by stones and missiles. When the smoke cleared away thirty-one wounded and dead bodies lay on the pavements. There is a contention as to who fired first, the soldiers or the rioters. That the troops were fired on is proven by the fact that of the fallen, four were members of the company. Their wounds were slight.

SAMUEL GARDINER.

Something About the Retiring Allowance He Hopes to Obtain.

It is understood that the effort which has been made to obtain a retiring allowance for Samuel Gardiner, the late immigration agent at this port is likely to be successful.—St. John Telegraph.

Mr. Gardiner was retired in 1892, after thirteen years of service. His salary had been \$1,000, and he received the statutory allowance of one-fifth of his salary for each year of service, or \$200 a year. The cause assigned for the retirement of Mr. Gardiner was the abolition of the office, but there was a reconsideration and Mr. Gardiner returned to the service, holding the position for some eight years additional. During that period he received the former income, \$740, in the form of salary and \$260 as superannuation. All that he asks now is that the superannuation allowance be based upon the whole period of service, and not on the period before his nominal retirement in 1892. That is to say, he asks to be placed in the position in which he would have stood if he had been retired at the time when Mr. Lalumière was appointed. The length of service would then have been over twenty years and the allowance over \$400.

PERSONALS.

Miss Fannie Taylor, of Moncton, is visiting her friend, Miss Beatrice Roach, of Summer Street.

The Misses Pauline and Leo Johnston leave for Woodstock today to visit friends.

George Blake will represent Luxa Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, St. John, at the meeting of the imperial council at Saratoga, N. Y., this week.

Willard B. Gregory, son of Hugh Gregory, left on the Pacific express yesterday afternoon for Eureka, California, where he has accepted an excellent position in the red woods. Mr. Gregory will be greatly missed by his many friends in the city.

Miss Kate Mahoney, of New York, arrived in the city today on the Boston express and will spend a month or so with her uncle Peter Mahoney, Main street.

A JOLLY AMERICAN TRAMP.

"A Jolly American Tramp," a pure comedy melodrama by E. D. Kidder, the author of "Sol. Smith, Russell's greatest successes, 'A Poor Relation' and 'Peaceful Valley,' will have its initial presentation at the Opera House Monday, July 13th. In this piece the noted author clings to the great mass of people and takes his hero from among the lowly and the unfortunate.

A NEW POLICEMAN.

This forenoon James McNamee was sworn in as a member of the St. John police force. Officer McNamee has been in the steamboat business for some years. Physically he compares very favorably with the other members of the force, standing 6 ft. 11-2 in. and weighing 222 lbs.

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Says Conductor Took His Ticket When Near St. John—Rode Into Bangor on a Freight (Bangor Commercial).

George Stevens, aged 12, but well able to look out for himself, had a rather hard luck story to tell to the sympathetic patrolman in his guard room Sunday afternoon. His ticket taken up by a conductor at St. John, he had walked 75 miles, ridden from Harvey, N. B., to Mattawamkeag in a cattle car and from there to Bangor with the brakemen in a caboose connected with a mill to reach his relatives in Bangor. He arrived undaunted in Bangor with less than \$2 in his pocket.

Stevens lives in a small country place near Truro, Nova Scotia, and as his father is a miller and a miller lives in Boston and wanted him to go up there this summer, the people with whom he lived thought it would be a good idea.

"As school was all over," said young Stevens to a reporter, "my relatives with whom I lived thought it would be a good chance for me to see my birthplace. I was coming back in the fall to go to school."

"I started Thursday morning to go to Bangor to take the train there and I had bought a half rate second-class ticket with the \$5.50 which my father sent me. I didn't get there in time to take the morning train, however, so I took the night train."

Stevens stated that about an hour after midnight he awoke and found himself alone in the caboose. He said that he thought, "was a slim man just starting a mustache," took up his ticket and said he would bring part of it back. "They told me he was drunk, and I guess he was 'cause he didn't have to pay \$3.50. I know just where the lad. This all happened on the Intercolonial railway."

From St. John, the boy started to walk. He had no money and made his way to the mill. He started to sleep in a shed connected with a mill but a man saw him and told him to come and bunk with him, which he did. The man gave him \$1.75. The next day he walked as far as Harvey and there went to buy a ticket with the money, intending to go as far as it would take him. "I don't know how far I walked," he said, "but they told me it was 75 miles." The engineer got him a chance to ride in a cattle car or, as the boy said, "with another man and some news." He rode this way as far as Mattawamkeag, and here he met a railroad man who took him to the head brakeman and he came to Bangor in the caboose.

Sunday afternoon the boy reported to the police and they promised to help him. Monday morning he said that he was going to Boston on the boat if he could get money enough.

"They won't take me half fare," he said. "I've got \$2.10 now and I could go for \$1.75 half fare, but they said I'd have to pay \$3.50. I know just where my uncle lives, his name is James E. Scott. My father's name is Rupert Stevens."

Sunday night he got lodging at the Brunswick House with a railroad man and had breakfast Monday there. He said that he offered to pay but they told him there wouldn't be any charge. He was in the guard room early Monday, but left later and the police didn't know which way he went.

Stevens, however, speaking loud and told his story in a simple, straightforward way when questioned. He seemed to have no doubt of his ability to get to his destination.

Superintendent of Terminals Ross and Gateman Stevens were asked if they had seen anything of the boy, or had heard in any way of the affair. Both were ignorant of any such occurrence.

Superintendent Ross said the train on which the boy would arrive was Number 9, which got in at six o'clock Friday morning. He was about the depot until the train left for the west and no complaint of any kind had been made to him.

Gateman Stevens, who was on duty at the time, did not see the boy nor was any complaint made.

St. Ross says the boy's story is straight as regards distances, stations and fares, but does not for a moment credit that portion of the story which refers to the conductor taking his ticket. Mr. Ross says that the conductor who brought No. 9 into the city Friday morning is one of the oldest employees on the road and one of the most popular and reliable conductors in the service. He is a trusted official, wide awake to his duties and one in whom the confidence of the road have the greatest confidence.

LAST NIGHT'S MEETING.

In regard to the laborers' strike, it is denied by some of the members of the Laborers' Union that there are forty men working on the streets, as they say that there are only seven men working on the streets and that when Mr. Cushing says there are forty he is including the teamsters and asphalt men, who were not members of the union or likely to be affected by the strike.

The laborers held a meeting last evening in Berryman's hall and passed several important resolutions. They decided to have their committee wait on Mr. Cushing again and discuss the wage question, as information had been received that Mr. Cushing would like to further discuss the matter with the committee.

A petition from the laborers will be circulated among the merchants of the city to secure their endorsement of the petition to the council for an increase in the laborers' wages. This petition with the signatures, will be read at a mass meeting to be held in Berryman's hall on Thursday evening, to discuss the advisability of raising a strike fund and to consider other matters relative to the strike.

The following resolution was adopted by last night's meeting: That we as citizens condemn the action of the council in voting the sum of \$1500 for the entertainment of rich strangers when they refuse to consider fairly the petition of citizens for a living wage, even if they are poor laborers.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir—I am heartily ashamed of my citizenship when I come to consider the action of the common council in raising the wages as asked for by the city laborers.

When you consider the extra burdens that have been placed on them by the aldermen of our city, the 'West End Improvement' batch, Spruce Lake water extension claims, the additional \$100 voted themselves, the McLeod wharf \$4,000, Connolly claim, with Clark's claim yet to come, Public Library \$5,000, Murdoch's flying machine, a \$1,500 voted for themselves to have a good time on when these rich visitors come, who surely don't want charity. With these mistakes and many more to come I wonder that our common sense citizens tolerate such doings in an enlightened city like St. John.

I also note that the bakers have raised the bread on our poor people. A barrel of flour will turn out 140 loaves, an increase of \$1.40 a barrel on the flour the citizens buy, yet, yet the increase has only been 5c. per barrel on flour. No word of protest is offered. See how much extra a baker would have baking 200 barrels a week. With all these facts before us, I would ask if these old men, so claimed, who work for our city and have given in some cases forty years' faithful service, were our aldermen's fathers would these despots think their request an unreasonable one.

When the chief of the fire department wanted an increase it was granted, viz., \$200.

Thanking you for space, I remain yours, etc., C. T. JONES.

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir—Is there any law or regulation regarding the driving of cattle through the streets?

I witnessed a disgraceful scene was witnessed on Coburg street, where a horse of almost children were endeavoring to drive a pair of steers.

I firmly believe that the steers possessed more sense than the mob, which latter at times formed a complete ring around the animals and keeping up a constant howling and slashing of sticks made it impossible for the animals to know what was wanted or where they were supposed to go. It would seem almost time that steps were taken to have the driving of cattle and express wagons conducted by persons old enough to know what they are doing and what they should do.

Are not these matters, especially the driving of teams, ones which might well be taken up by some of the labor organizations? For surely it would be a great improvement when horses were in charge of persons capable of handling or managing them and the team-driving boys of our city were either allowed or compelled to attend school until they had at least a rudimentary education.

CITIZEN.

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir—It would probably be impossible to find a more beautiful spot than Rockwood Park, and yet it is only a very small proportion of our citizens realize just what a glorious privilege it is to have so near such a large and varied a tract where nature in all her glory may be seen, admired and enjoyed. It is, however, a great shame that so many of the visitors take so little interest in the surroundings that they even aid in the defacing of the beautiful spot.

On Sunday I observed several young men (quite old enough to have more sense) walking on the velvet-like grass plots in the garden and such an act appeared to me worthy only of a savage. If it committed by any seemingly civilized being that being surely must be devoid of an ordinary amount of sense.

In the park young men broke twigs from the trees, pulled up fern fronds, picked flowers and in various ways clearly showed that they lacked any ideas regarding the preserving of the beauty of the place, and in one case a mother allowed a little girl to pull up a handful of clover blossoms, etc., telling her "not to take too many." Now surely that woman knew better, but if there are many like her, who either do not know or do not care, there should be a way of teaching or punishing them.

The child that committed the act, no doubt, did so innocently, and in that respect would be in the same position as the dog that innocently strolls into the park. It seems fashionable to shoot a dog found in the "preserve," although the poor animal cannot read, and is therefore not, to its knowledge, committing a breach, but the child of a thoughtless or careless mother is allowed to destroy what is fitly termed a "preserve" that being surely must be devoid of an ordinary amount of sense.

Surely for say one Sunday the members of the Horticultural Association could act as "keepers" and follow up and give in charge those observed acting otherwise than they should, for if examples were made of a few offenders, I believe the results would be wonderful. Something surely should be done at once, in order that all visitors to "Rockwood" should know that the beauties and privileges are at all times to be used, but not abused.

EQUITY.

BOARD OF HEALTH CASES.

Last week the Board of Health caused summonses to be issued against some thirty milkmen who had failed to take out licenses. This morning another batch of thirty was taken up, and next week the balance will be dealt with. J. R. Armstrong is acting for the board. So far, the court has imposed a fine upon milk dealers who have paid their license before return of the summons, but a fine will be imposed upon those who continue doing business without the necessary license.

A COINCIDENCE.

In Exmouth street church on Sunday evening, the occasion of Rev. T. J. Deinstadt's farewell sermon, the fuse of the electric lighting system burned out and the church was left in darkness during the latter part of the service.

On the same evening four years ago, when the late Rev. Job Shelton preached his farewell sermon in that church the very same thing occurred, and now the congregation are wondering what it all means.

SANTIAGO, Chile, July 6.—Isolated cases of bubonic plague have occurred at Valparaiso and other towns in Chile. The authorities are taking the strictest precautions.

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